

Contractual wages and salaries

May 2015

The index of wages according to collective labour agreements measures the evolution of wages and salaries (per employee or per hour) determined by contractual provisions set by collective agreements; the indices are calculated with reference to the fixed employment structure of the base period (December 2010).

At the end of May 2015 the coverage rate (share of national collective agreements in force for the wage setting aspects) was 59.7 per cent in terms of employees and 55.3 per cent in terms of the total amount of wages.

In May 2015 the hourly index and the per employee index was unchanged from last month.

Compared with May 2014 the hourly index increased by 1.1 per cent while the per employee index rose by 1.2 per cent.

During the period January-May 2015 both indices rose by 1.1 per cent compared to the same period of the previous year.

WAGES ACCORDING TO COLLECTIVE AGREEMENTS. MAY 2015

Indices	Index (December 2010=100)	Percentage changes		
		<u>May 15</u>	<u>May 15</u>	<u>Jan.- May 15</u>
		Apr.15	May 14	Jan.- May 14
Wages according to collective agreements per hour	106.4	0.0	1.1	1.1
Wages according to collective agreements per employee	106.5	0.0	1.2	1.1

For more details please refer to the Italian version

Time series are available at <http://dati.istat.it/?lang=en>

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