

## Contractual wages and salaries

January - March 2017

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 March 2017 the coverage rate (share of national collective agreements in force for the wage setting aspects) was 55.2 per cent in terms of employees and 52.7 per cent in terms of the total amount of wages.

In March 2017 the hourly index and the per employee index increased by 0.1 per cent from last month.

Compared with March 2016 the hourly index increased by 0.4 per cent while the per employee rose by 0.5 per cent.

During the period January-March 2017 both indices increased by 0.4 per cent compared to the same period of the previous year.

### WAGES ACCORDING TO COLLECTIVE AGREEMENTS. January - March 2017

	Index (December 2010=100)			Change previous month			Change same period of previous year			
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Jan 17 Dec 16	Feb 17 Jan 17	Mar 17 Feb 17	Jan 17 Jan 16	Feb 17 Feb 16	Mar 17 Mar 16	Jan-Mar 17 Jan-Mar 16
Wages according to collective agreements per hour	107.4	107.3	107.4	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4
Wages according to collective agreements per employee	107.4	107.4	107.5	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4

### For more details please refer to the Italian version

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

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