

## Employment and unemployment: provisional data

November 2016

In order to improve the timeliness of statistical information on the Italian labour market and in accordance with the agreements made within the European Union, Istat publishes monthly estimates of the main labour market indicators resulting from the "Labour force survey".

In November 2016, 22.775 million persons were employed, +0.1% compared with October. Unemployed were 3.089 million, +1.9% over the previous month.

**POPULATION BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS AND SEX.** November 2016\*, seasonally adjusted (absolute values in thousands and changes in thousands and percentages)

	Absolute values	Changes on the previous month		Changes on the same month of the previous year	
		Absolute	Percentage	Absolute	Percentage
<b>Males</b>					
Employed	13,209	-13	-0.1	41	0.3
Unemployed	1,700	38	2.3	96	6.0
Inactive (aged 15-64)	4,819	-33	-0.7	-169	-3.4
<b>Females</b>					
Employed	9,566	32	0.3	160	1.7
Unemployed	1,389	18	1.3	69	5.2
Inactive (aged 15-64)	8,690	-60	-0.7	-300	-3.3
<b>Total</b>					
Employed	22,775	19	0.1	201	0.9
Unemployed	3,089	57	1.9	165	5.7
Inactive (aged 15-64)	13,509	-93	-0.7	-469	-3.4

\* Provisional estimates.

Employment rate was 57.3%, +0.1 percentage points over October, unemployment rate was 11.9%, +0.2 percentage points in a month and inactivity rate was 34.8%, -0.2 percentage points over the previous month.

Youth unemployment rate (aged 15-24) was 39.4%, +1.8 percentage points over October and youth unemployment ratio in the same age group was 10.6%, +0.7 percentage points in a month.

EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND INACTIVITY RATES BY SEX. November 2016\*, seasonally adjusted (percentages)

	Percentage values	Changes on the previous month	Changes on the same month of the previous year
		Percentage points	Percentage points
<b>Males</b>			
Employment rate (aged 15-64)	66.3	-0.1	0.3
Unemployment rate	11.4	0.2	0.5
Inactivity rate (aged 15-64)	24.9	-0.2	-0.8
<b>Females</b>			
Employment rate (aged 15-64)	48.3	0.2	0.9
Unemployment rate	12.7	0.1	0.4
Inactivity rate (aged 15-64)	44.6	-0.3	-1.3
<b>Total</b>			
Employment rate (aged 15-64)	57.3	0.1	0.6
Unemployment rate	11.9	0.2	0.5
Youth unemployment rate (aged 15-24)	39.4	1.8	1.6
Youth unemployment ratio (aged 15-24)	10.6	0.7	0.7
Inactivity rate (aged 15-64)	34.8	-0.2	-1.1

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## For more details please refer to the Italian version

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

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