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Employment of Persons with Disabilities (EPD)¹ Year 2017

Main results

- 35.0% of persons with an officially recognised disability were active, 0.2 percentage points lower than in 2016. This rate of activity was 42.7 percentage points lower than of the population without disability.
- The unemployment rate for the group was 26.2%, a decrease of 2.4 percentage points compared to 2016. This rate was 9.1 percentage points higher than the population without disability.
- The employment rate of persons with a disability was 25.9% (64.4% for persons without a disability) an increase of 0.8 percentage points compared to 2016. 89.1% of those employed were salaried employees and, of these, 74.4% had an indefinite contract.

Characteristics of the active population with disabilities

In 2017, there was a total of 1,860,600 working age (from 16 to 64 years) persons with certified disabilities, accounting for 6.2% of the total working age population.

Of this figure, 651,700 were active. Within the active population with disabilities, a greater percentage of men, most notably in the 45 to 64 year age group, and less representation of highly educated persons than in the active population without disability were noted.

Active persons aged 16 to 64 according to disability Year 2017

Units: absolute values in thousands

| | Total | | Persons without disabilities | | Persons with disabilities | |
|--|-----------------|------------|------------------------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|
| | Absolute values | Percentage | Absolute values | Percentage | Absolute values | Percentage |
| TOTAL | 22,558.0 | 100.0 | 21,906.3 | 100.0 | 651.7 | 100.0 |
| SEX | | | | | | |
| Men | 12,063.5 | 53.5 | 11,688.4 | 53.4 | 375.1 | 57.5 |
| Women | 10,494.5 | 46.5 | 10,217.9 | 46.6 | 276.7 | 42.5 |
| AGE GROUPS | | | | | | |
| 16 to 24 years | 1,481.5 | 6.6 | 1,458.1 | 6.7 | 23.4 | 3.6 |
| 25 to 44 years | 11,455.7 | 50.8 | 11,224.3 | 51.2 | 231.5 | 35.5 |
| 45 to 64 years | 9,620.8 | 42.6 | 9,224.0 | 42.1 | 396.8 | 60.9 |
| EDUCATIONAL LEVEL | | | | | | |
| Illiterate | 69.7 | 0.3 | 65.2 | 0.3 | 4.5 | 0.7 |
| Primary education | 1,584.1 | 7.0 | 1,504.8 | 6.9 | 79.4 | 12.2 |
| Secondary education and labour training and insertion programmes | 12,082.9 | 53.6 | 11,679.1 | 53.3 | 403.8 | 62.0 |
| Tertiary education | 8,821.3 | 39.1 | 8,657.3 | 39.5 | 164.0 | 25.2 |

¹ These are persons with a degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% and who have been assimilated (according to Royal Legislative Decree 1/2013).

For the employed population with disabilities (481,000 persons in 2017), the same differences regarding sex, age and education level were noted for those who were active in comparison with employed persons without a disability.

The distribution by seniority in a company was similar in both groups, with the exception that the percentage of employed persons in the 'more than three years' division was slightly higher in persons with disabilities.

Employed persons aged 16 to 64 according to disability. Year 2017

Units: absolute values in thousands

| | Total | | Persons without disabilities | | Persons with disabilities | |
|--|-----------------|------------|------------------------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|
| | Absolute values | Percentage | Absolute values | Percentage | Absolute values | Percentage |
| TOTAL | 18,648.6 | 100.0 | 18,167.6 | 100.0 | 481.0 | 100.0 |
| SEX | | | | | | |
| Men | 10,162.0 | 54.5 | 9,883.8 | 54.4 | 278.1 | 57.8 |
| Women | 8,486.6 | 45.5 | 8,283.7 | 45.6 | 202.9 | 42.2 |
| AGE GROUPS | | | | | | |
| 16 to 24 years | 910.3 | 4.9 | 900.0 | 5.0 | 10.3 | 2.1 |
| 25 to 44 years | 9,579.9 | 51.4 | 9,416.9 | 51.8 | 163.0 | 33.9 |
| 45 to 64 years | 8,158.3 | 43.7 | 7,850.6 | 43.2 | 307.7 | 64.0 |
| EDUCATIONAL LEVEL | | | | | | |
| Illiterate | 39.7 | 0.2 | 36.3 | 0.2 | 3.4 | 0.7 |
| Primary education | 1,082.5 | 5.8 | 1,029.5 | 5.7 | 53.0 | 11.0 |
| Secondary education and labour training and insertion programmes | 9,590.3 | 51.4 | 9,307.1 | 51.2 | 283.2 | 58.9 |
| Tertiary education | 7,936.1 | 42.6 | 7,794.6 | 42.9 | 141.5 | 29.4 |
| SENIORITY IN THE COMPANY | | | | | | |
| Less than 6 months | 2,117.6 | 11.4 | 2,067.7 | 11.4 | 49.8 | 10.4 |
| From 6 months to 1 year | 1,181.5 | 6.3 | 1,157.0 | 6.4 | 24.5 | 5.1 |
| From 1 to 3 years | 2,736.5 | 14.7 | 2,668.9 | 14.7 | 67.6 | 14.1 |
| More than 3 years | 12,612.9 | 67.6 | 12,273.9 | 67.6 | 339.0 | 70.5 |

The percentage of employees with disabilities in companies with 50 or more employees in the private sector was 2.3%. This figure includes entities specialised in the social inclusion of persons with disabilities.

Percentage of wage earners with disabilities with regard to the total wage earners who make Social Security contributions in ordinary companies in the private sector^(*). Year 2017

Units: percentage

| | Percentage |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| Total of wage earners | 2.0 |
| Companies with less than 50 employees | 1.6 |
| Companies with 50 or more employees | 2.3 |

(*) In case of public sector, the quota for persons with disabilities is established on the recruitment process and not with respect to the staff.

The word "ordinary" is used as opposed to "protected" (work in "special employment centers").

Regarding unemployment, the population with disabilities had a higher percentage of men, of persons aged 45 to 64, and of unemployed persons with primary education compared to unemployed persons without disabilities. On the other hand, there were fewer unemployed persons with higher education and aged 16 to 24 years.

Unemployed persons aged 16 to 64 according to disability. Year 2017

Units: absolute values in thousands

| | Total | | Persons without disabilities | | Persons with disabilities | |
|--|-----------------|------------|------------------------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|
| | Absolute values | Percentage | Absolute values | Percentage | Absolute values | Percentage |
| TOTAL | 3,909.5 | 100.0 | 3,738.7 | 100.0 | 170.7 | 100.0 |
| SEX | | | | | | |
| Men | 1,901.5 | 48.6 | 1,804.6 | 48.3 | 96.9 | 56.8 |
| Women | 2,007.9 | 51.4 | 1,934.1 | 51.7 | 73.8 | 43.2 |
| AGE GROUPS | | | | | | |
| 16 to 24 years | 571.2 | 14.6 | 558.1 | 14.9 | 13.2 | 7.7 |
| 25 to 44 years | 1,875.8 | 48.0 | 1,807.3 | 48.3 | 68.5 | 40.1 |
| 45 to 64 years | 1,462.5 | 37.4 | 1,373.3 | 36.7 | 89.1 | 52.2 |
| EDUCATIONAL LEVEL | | | | | | |
| Illiterate | 30.0 | 0.8 | 28.9 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 0.7 |
| Primary education | 501.6 | 12.8 | 475.3 | 12.7 | 26.3 | 15.4 |
| Secondary education and labour training and insertion programmes | 2,492.6 | 63.8 | 2,371.9 | 63.4 | 120.6 | 70.7 |
| Tertiary education | 885.2 | 22.6 | 862.6 | 23.1 | 22.6 | 13.2 |

Activity, employment and unemployment rates

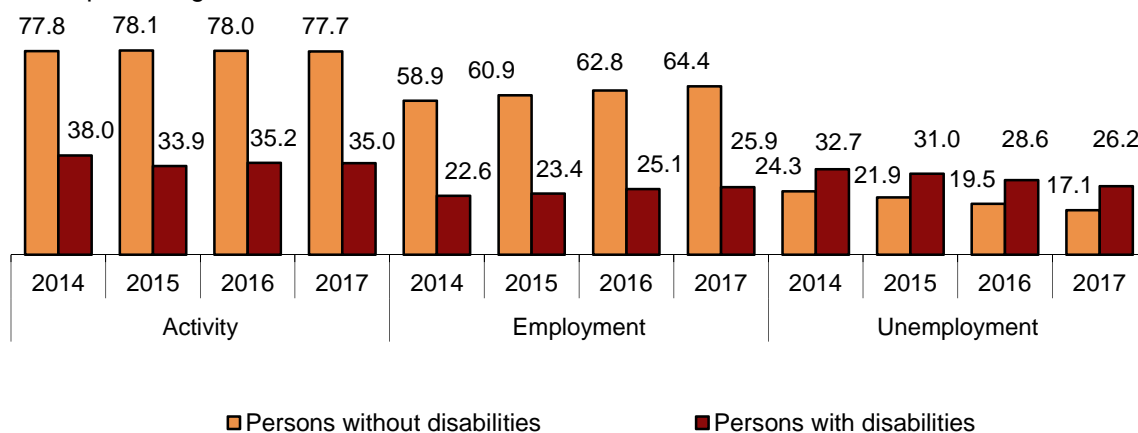
The most notable detail regarding the group of persons with disabilities is their low rate of participation in the labour market. In 2017, the activity rate was 35.0% (0.2% less than in 2016), which is over 42 percentage points lower than that of the population without disabilities.

The employment rate was 25.9%, more than 38 percentage points lower than that of persons without disabilities. This rate grew by 0.8% compared to 2016.

In turn, the unemployment rate exceeded that of the non-disabled population by more than nine percentage points (26.2% compared to 17.1%). Compared to the year 2016, the unemployment rate decreased by 2.4 percentage points, the same as the decrease for the population without disabilities.

Evolution of activity, employment and unemployment rates. Year 2017

Units: percentage



Disability and the labour market according to sex

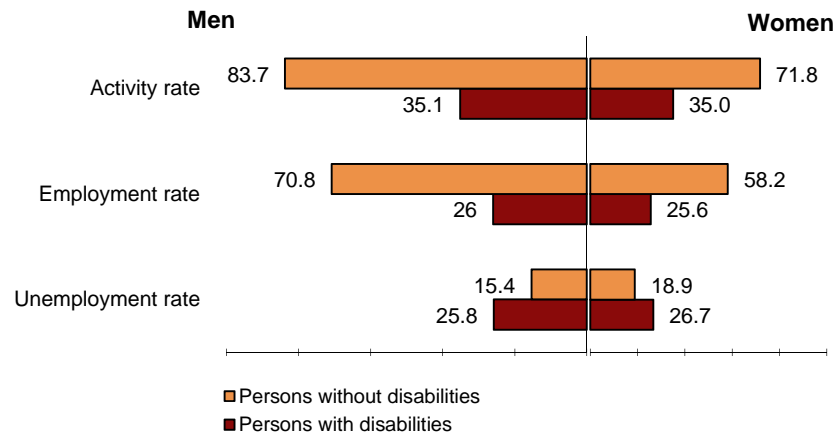
As with the general population, women with disabilities have a less active presence in the labour market. Nonetheless, their activity rate was closer to the male rate than in the population without disabilities (35.0% compared to 35.1%).

The employment rate of men with disabilities was 0.4 percentage points higher than the rate for women. For the rest of the 16 to 64 year old population, the difference was 12.6 percentage points.

On the other hand, the unemployment rate for women with disabilities was higher than the rate for men by 0.9 percentage points. For women without disabilities this was higher by 3.5 percentage points.

Activity, employment and unemployment rates by sex. Year 2017

Units: percentage



The employment rate of both men and women with disabilities increased by 0.7 percentage points compared to 2016. In turn, the unemployment rate decreased by 2.3% for men with disabilities and 2.6% for women with disabilities.

Activity, employment and unemployment rates by sex

Units: percentage

| | Persons without disabilities | | | | Persons with disabilities | | | |
|-------------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|---------------------------|------|------|------|
| | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 |
| TOTAL | | | | | | | | |
| Activity rate | 77.8 | 78.1 | 78.0 | 77.7 | 33.6 | 33.9 | 35.2 | 35.0 |
| Employment rate | 58.9 | 60.9 | 62.8 | 64.4 | 22.6 | 23.4 | 25.1 | 25.9 |
| Unemployment rate | 24.3 | 21.9 | 19.5 | 17.1 | 32.7 | 31.0 | 28.6 | 26.2 |
| MEN | | | | | | | | |
| Activity rate | 84.0 | 84.2 | 83.9 | 83.7 | 34.3 | 34.4 | 35.2 | 35.1 |
| Employment rate | 64.3 | 66.9 | 68.9 | 70.8 | 23.1 | 23.8 | 25.3 | 26.0 |
| Unemployment rate | 23.5 | 20.6 | 17.9 | 15.4 | 32.7 | 30.9 | 28.1 | 25.8 |
| WOMEN | | | | | | | | |
| Activity rate | 71.7 | 72.0 | 72.1 | 71.8 | 32.7 | 33.1 | 35.2 | 35.0 |
| Employment rate | 53.5 | 55.1 | 56.8 | 58.2 | 22.0 | 22.8 | 24.9 | 25.6 |
| Unemployment rate | 25.4 | 23.5 | 21.3 | 18.9 | 32.7 | 31.1 | 29.3 | 26.7 |

Disability and the labour market according to age

In 2017, there was a higher rate of unemployment in the younger population. The highest activity rates were in the 25 to 44 year old age group, both for persons with disabilities and for the rest of the population.

In turn, the biggest decreases in unemployment rates were in the 16 to 24 year old age group, both those with disabilities (decrease of 4.4% compared to 2016) and in the rest of the population (decrease of 6.0%).

Activity, employment and unemployment rates by age group

Units: percentage

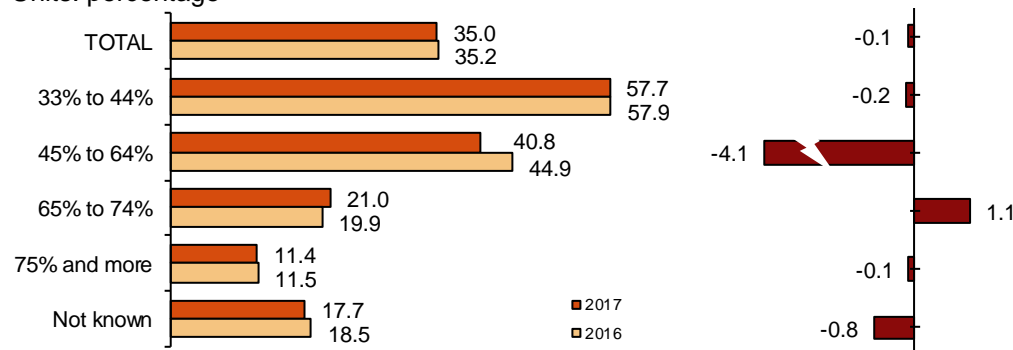
| | Persons without disabilities | | | | Persons with disabilities | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|------|------|------|---------------------------|------|------|------|
| | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 |
| TOTAL (16 to 64 years) | | | | | | | | |
| Activity rate | 77.8 | 78.1 | 78.0 | 77.7 | 33.6 | 33.9 | 35.2 | 35.0 |
| Employment rate | 58.9 | 60.9 | 62.8 | 64.4 | 22.6 | 23.4 | 25.1 | 25.9 |
| Unemployment rate | 24.3 | 21.9 | 19.5 | 17.1 | 32.7 | 31.0 | 28.6 | 26.2 |
| 16 to 24 years | | | | | | | | |
| Activity rate | 39.2 | 38.7 | 36.8 | 37.1 | 27.8 | 25.1 | 28.1 | 25.4 |
| Employment rate | 18.3 | 20.0 | 20.5 | 22.9 | 9.1 | 9.2 | 11.1 | 11.1 |
| Unemployment rate | 53.3 | 48.2 | 44.3 | 38.3 | 67.3 | 63.5 | 60.6 | 56.2 |
| 25 to 44 years | | | | | | | | |
| Activity rate | 90.8 | 90.6 | 90.5 | 90.0 | 49.0 | 48.1 | 50.3 | 50.6 |
| Employment rate | 69.6 | 71.7 | 73.7 | 75.5 | 30.5 | 31.8 | 34.1 | 35.7 |
| Unemployment rate | 23.3 | 20.9 | 18.5 | 16.1 | 37.8 | 33.8 | 32.2 | 29.6 |
| 45 to 64 years | | | | | | | | |
| Activity rate | 76.0 | 77.2 | 78.1 | 78.3 | 28.1 | 29.2 | 30.2 | 30.3 |
| Employment rate | 60.4 | 62.6 | 65.0 | 66.6 | 20.5 | 21.2 | 22.9 | 23.5 |
| Unemployment rate | 20.5 | 18.8 | 16.7 | 14.9 | 27.0 | 27.4 | 24.4 | 22.5 |

Disability and the labour market according to type of disability

Participation in the labour market is heavily determined by the type and intensity of the disability. The activity rate for the less intense degrees of disability was 57.7% in 2017 and progressively decreased to 11.4% for the highest degree of disability.

Activity rates by degree of disability

Units: percentage



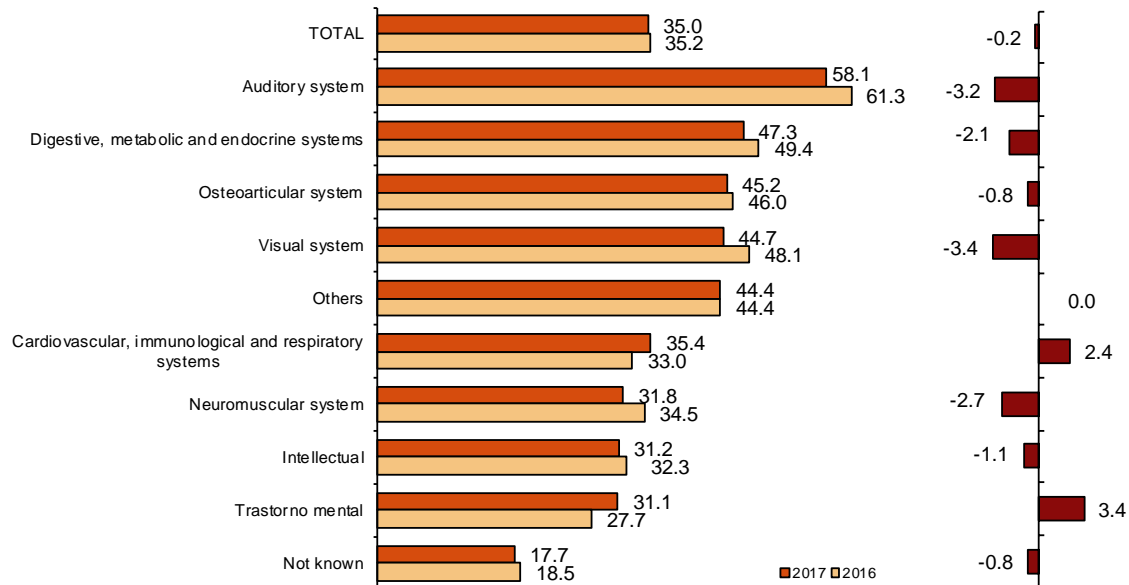
The group 'Not known' consists of pensioners who have a recognised permanent disability pension and are not included in the SDPD.

Persons with hearing impairments had the highest activity rates (58.1%) and those with mental illnesses had the lowest (31.1%).

The biggest increases in activity rates compared to 2016 were in groups with disabilities linked to *Cardiovascular, immunological and respiratory systems* and *Mental illnesses*. In contrast, the biggest decreases occurred in groups with disabilities linked to the *Auditory system* and *Visual system*.

Activity rates according to type of disability

Units: percentage



(*)The group "Others" includes persons with expressive language disorders, indeterminate or unknown disabilities and also Social Security affiliates for whom the type of disabilities is not available.

The group 'Not known' consists of pensioners who have a recognised permanent disability pension and are not registered in the SDPD.

Labour characteristics and disability

The majority of workers with disabilities in 2017 were salaried, had indefinite contracts, worked full-time, and worked in the *Service* sector.

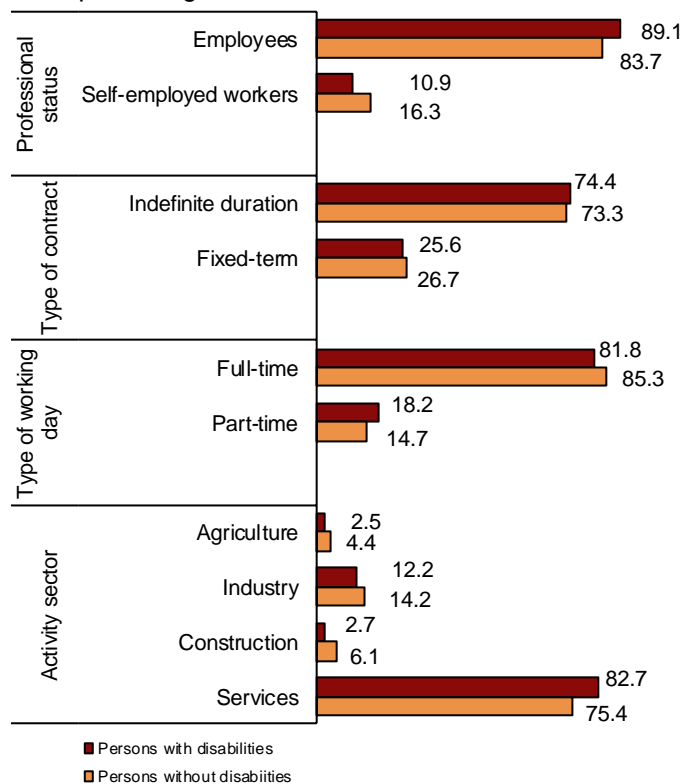
Thus, 89.1% of persons with disabilities who worked did so as salaried employees (5.4 percentage points higher than persons without disabilities). 74.4% of them had indefinite contracts (1.1 percentage points higher than the population without disabilities).

81.8% of employed persons with disabilities worked full-time, a lower proportion than workers without disabilities (3.5% less).

82.7% of those employed with disabilities worked in the *Service* sector, compared to 75.4% of those without disabilities.

Distribution according to employment characteristics Year 2017

Units: percentage



Measures that encourage participation in the ordinary labour market²

Among the policies intended to promote this group’s participation in the labour market are those that favour their entry into ordinary employment. Amongst these it is worth highlighting reductions and bonuses in contribution amounts, both for salaried and self-employed workers, as well as the specific hiring of workers with disabilities in the case of salaried workers, which, as well as entailing bonuses in Social Security contribution amounts, provides for certain subsidies.

27.3% of employed persons with disabilities that paid contributions to Social Security in 2017 had some kind of reduction or bonus in contributions.

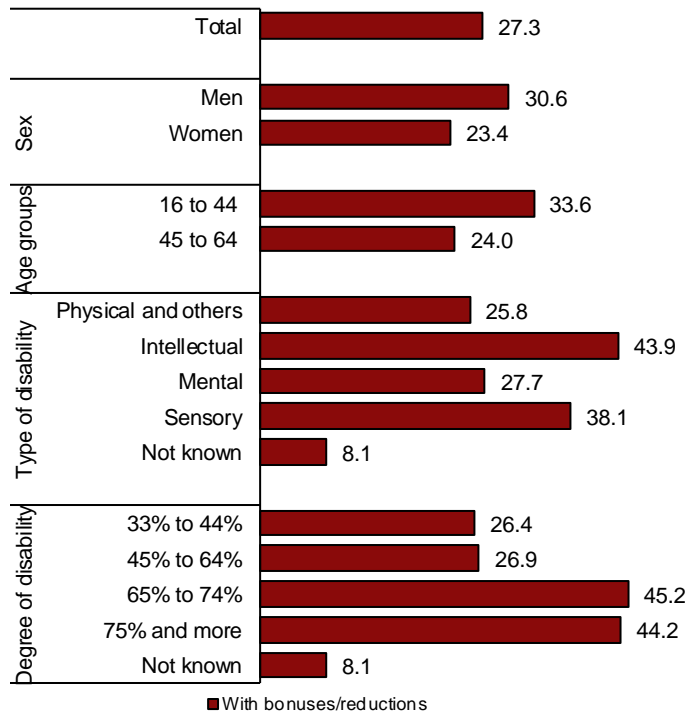
The percentage of salaried workers with disabilities with specific disability contracts decreased to 27.2%.

The reductions and bonuses in contribution quotas and the specific hiring benefited, above all, the male population, the 16-44 year age group, groups with disabilities linked to sensory impairments and intellectual disabilities, and persons with a degree of disability higher than 65%.

²The word ‘ordinary’ is used in contrast to ‘protected’ (work in special employment programmes).

Employee training for persons with disabilities in ordinary centres. Employed persons (*) with disabilities who have bonuses/reductions in contributions. Year 2017

Units: percentage



(*) Only workers contributing to the General Social Security System. The group "Not known" consists of pensioners who have a recognised permanent disability pension and are not registered in the SDPD.

Protection of disability and activity

Public Social Benefits are pensions and subsidies paid from public resources whose purpose is to cover situations of disability, retirement, death and survival, family protection, unemployment for persons over 52 and other statutory improvements and complementary benefits. Therefore, they are an important tool for the disabled population.

Of every 100 persons of working age, 13 received a benefit in 2017. In the specific case of persons with disabilities, the Public Benefit System helped 1,247,500 persons. Of them, 261,100 persons were active.

Persons with disabilities according to whether or not they receive benefits. Year 2017

Units: absolute values in thousands

| | Absolute values | Percentages |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| TOTAL | 1,860.6 | 100.0 |
| With Benefits | 1,247.5 | 67.1 |
| Without Benefits | 613.0 | 32.9 |

Among persons with disabilities receiving benefits, 81.5% received benefits due to a work related disability. On the other hand, 2.2% did so exclusively in non-contributory terms, that is, without having previously contributed to them.

Persons with disabilities who receive benefits. Year 2017

Units: absolute values in thousands

| | Absolute values | Percentages |
|--|-----------------|-------------|
| Total with benefits | 1,247.5 | 100.0 |
| Benefits derived from disability | 1,016.5 | 81.5 |
| Other benefits | 231.0 | 18.5 |
| Non-contributory benefits only | 27.7 | 2.2 |
| Contributory and non-contributory benefits | 1,219.8 | 97.8 |
| Active persons | 261.1 | 20.9 |
| Inactive persons | 986.5 | 79.1 |

Another measure of protection for the group of people with disabilities is the recognition of the Situation of Dependency, after the approval of *Law 39/2006 of December 14, Promotion of Personal Autonomy and Care for people in situations of dependency*.

In 2017 14.2% of persons with disabilities (263,500) were also officially recognised as being in situations of dependency. Of these, 8.8% remained active in the workforce.

Persons with disabilities according to officially recognised dependency. Year 2017

Units: absolute values in thousands

| | Persons with disabilities | | | Percentages | | |
|----------|---------------------------|-------------------|---------|-------------------|-------|--|
| | Total | Dependent persons | Rest | Dependent persons | Rest | |
| TOTAL | 1,860.6 | 263.5 | 1,597.1 | 100.0 | 100.0 | |
| Active | 651.7 | 23.3 | 628.5 | 8.8 | 39.4 | |
| Inactive | 1,208.8 | 240.2 | 968.6 | 91.2 | 60.6 | |

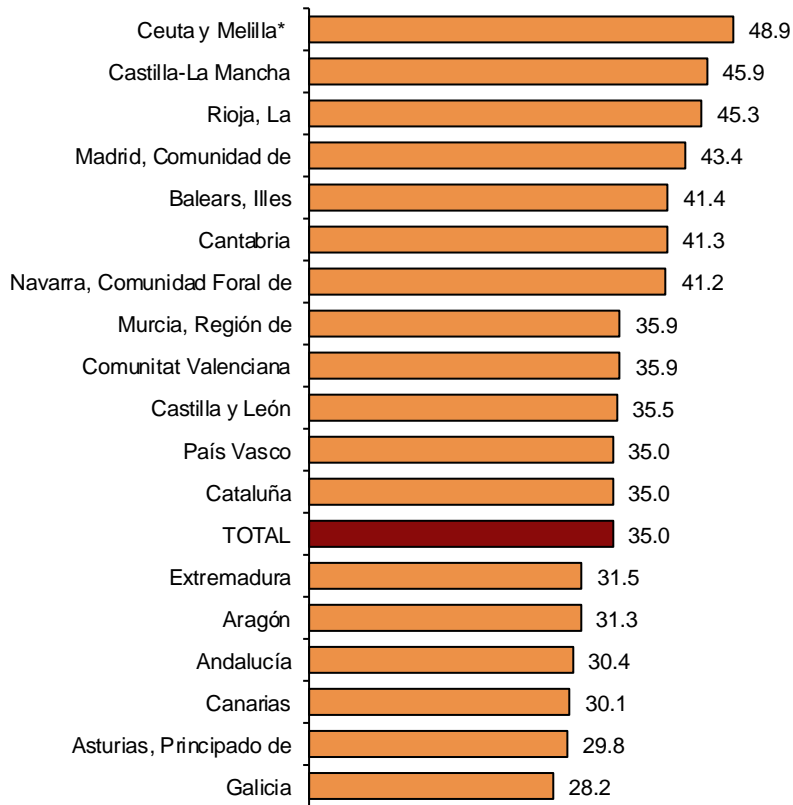
Disability and activity by Autonomous Communities and Cities

The highest activity rates within the group of people with disabilities in 2017 were in Castilla-La Mancha (45.9%), La Rioja (45.3%) and in the autonomous cities of Ceuta and Melilla (48.9%).

On the other hand, the lowest activity rates were recorded in Galicia (28.2%), Principado de Asturias (29.8%) and Canarias (30.1%).

Activity rate of persons with disabilities by Autonomous Communities. Year 2017

Units: percentage



(*) The sample size is small and therefore the figure should be treated with caution.

Methodological note

The Employment of Persons with Disabilities (EPD) investigates the situation regarding the labour market of the group of officially recognized persons with disabilities who have a degree of disability greater than or equal to 33%. It focuses on persons of working age, that is, with ages between 16 and 64 years.

By virtue of Royal Legislative Decree 1/2013, which approved the Consolidated Text of the “General Law on rights for persons with disabilities and their social inclusion”, social security pensioners who also have a recognized disability pension to the degree of total, long-term or severe disability will be considered as having a degree of disability greater than or equal to 33%, and state pensioners who have a retirement pension or retirement due to permanent incapacity or unfitness for work.

As a result of this Royal Decree, since 2015 the population scope of EPD has included the aforementioned group. This change supposes a rupture in the data series, which is why the results published for 2014 have been recalculated, including this new group.

The EPD is contemplated in the National Statistical Plan and in the Annual Programs. This is performed on the basis of information provided by IMSERSO and Social Security, bodies to which INE is grateful for their collaboration. INE is also grateful to the Ministry of Health, Social Services and Equality, the Spanish Committee of Representatives of Persons with Disabilities (CERMI) and the ONCE Foundation for their collaboration. All the bodies mentioned are signatories of a collaboration agreement for the production of these statistics.

Type of operation: continuous on an annual basis.

Population scope: Persons aged 16 to 64 years with disabilities living in main family dwellings.

Geographical scope: the entire national territory.

Reference period of the results: annual.

Reference period of the information: annual.

Source data: integration of the statistical data provided by the Economically Active Population Survey with administrative data recorded in the State Database of Persons with Disabilities of the Institute for Older Persons and Social Services (IMSERSO), in the Public Benefits Register of the National Social Security Institute (INSS), in the System for Autonomy and Situation of Dependency of IMSERSO and in the General Social Security Treasury.

For more information you can access the methodology at:

http://www.ine.es/metodologia/t22/t2230320_b2015.pdf

And the standardised methodological report at:

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Employment of Persons with Disabilities Year 2017

Disability⁽¹⁾ and activity

1. Population aged 16 to 64 years old according to disability, by sex and relationship with economic activity. Absolute values in thousands

| | Total | | Persons without disabilities | | Persons with disabilities | |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|------------------------------|----------|---------------------------|---------|
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | 30,050.4 | 30,064.4 | 28,189.9 | 28,223.7 | 1,860.6 | 1,840.7 |
| Active persons | 22,558.0 | 22,656.5 | 21,906.3 | 22,009.3 | 651.7 | 647.2 |
| - Employed persons | 18,648.5 | 18,182.7 | 18,167.6 | 17,720.7 | 481.0 | 462.0 |
| - Unemployed persons | 3,909.5 | 4,473.8 | 3,738.7 | 4,288.6 | 170.7 | 185.2 |
| Inactive persons | 7,492.4 | 7,407.9 | 6,283.6 | 6,214.4 | 1,208.8 | 1,193.5 |
| Activity rate (16-64) | 75.1 | 75.4 | 77.7 | 78.0 | 35.0 | 35.2 |
| Employment rate (16-64) | 62.1 | 60.5 | 64.4 | 62.8 | 25.9 | 25.1 |
| Unemployment rate (16-64) | 17.3 | 19.7 | 17.1 | 19.5 | 26.2 | 28.6 |
| MEN | 15,036.3 | 15,055.4 | 13,967.2 | 13,997.1 | 1,069.1 | 1,058.3 |
| Active persons | 12,063.5 | 12,120.1 | 11,688.4 | 11,747.9 | 375.1 | 372.2 |
| - Employed persons | 10,162.0 | 9,910.2 | 9,883.8 | 9,642.7 | 278.1 | 267.5 |
| - Unemployed persons | 1,901.5 | 2,209.9 | 1,804.6 | 2,105.2 | 96.9 | 104.7 |
| Inactive persons | 2,972.8 | 2,935.4 | 2,278.8 | 2,249.2 | 694.1 | 686.1 |
| Activity rate (16-64) | 80.2 | 80.5 | 83.7 | 83.9 | 35.1 | 35.2 |
| Employment rate (16-64) | 67.6 | 65.8 | 70.8 | 68.9 | 26.0 | 25.3 |
| Unemployment rate (16-64) | 15.8 | 18.2 | 15.4 | 17.9 | 25.8 | 28.1 |
| WOMEN | 15,014.1 | 15,008.9 | 14,222.7 | 14,226.6 | 791.4 | 782.3 |
| Active persons | 10,494.5 | 10,536.4 | 10,217.9 | 10,261.4 | 276.7 | 275.0 |
| - Employed persons | 8,486.6 | 8,272.5 | 8,283.7 | 8,078.0 | 202.9 | 194.5 |
| - Unemployed persons | 2,007.9 | 2,263.9 | 1,934.1 | 2,183.4 | 73.8 | 80.5 |
| Inactive persons | 4,519.6 | 4,472.5 | 4,004.8 | 3,965.2 | 514.8 | 507.3 |
| Activity rate (16-64) | 69.9 | 70.2 | 71.8 | 72.1 | 35.0 | 35.2 |
| Employment rate (16-64) | 56.5 | 55.1 | 58.2 | 56.8 | 25.6 | 24.9 |
| Unemployment rate (16-64) | 19.1 | 21.5 | 18.9 | 21.3 | 26.7 | 29.3 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognized degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

Employment of Persons with Disabilities Year 2017

Disability⁽¹⁾ and activity

2. Population aged 16 to 64 years old according to disability, by age group and relationship with economic activity. Absolute values in thousands

| | Total | | Persons without disabilities | | Persons with disabilities | |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| POPULATION AGED 16 TO 24 YEARS OLD | 4,017.7 | 3,996.4 | 3,925.5 | 3,907.0 | 92.1 | 89.4 |
| Active persons | 1,481.5 | 1,463.8 | 1,458.1 | 1,438.7 | 23.4 | 25.1 |
| - Employed persons | 910.3 | 811.2 | 900.0 | 801.3 | 10.3 | 9.9 |
| - Unemployed persons | 571.2 | 652.6 | 558.1 | 637.4 | 13.2 | 15.2 |
| Inactive persons | 2,536.2 | 2,532.6 | 2,467.5 | 2,468.3 | 68.7 | 64.3 |
| Activity rate (16-24) | 36.9 | 36.6 | 37.1 | 36.8 | 25.4 | 28.1 |
| Employment rate (16-24) | 22.7 | 20.3 | 22.9 | 20.5 | 11.1 | 11.1 |
| Unemployment rate (16-24) | 38.6 | 44.6 | 38.3 | 44.3 | 56.2 | 60.6 |
| POPULATION AGED 25 TO 44 YEARS OLD | 12,933.6 | 13,198.3 | 12,476.5 | 12,735.2 | 457.1 | 463.1 |
| Active persons | 11,455.7 | 11,762.6 | 11,224.3 | 11,529.8 | 231.5 | 232.7 |
| - Employed persons | 9,579.9 | 9,549.6 | 9,416.9 | 9,391.9 | 163.0 | 157.7 |
| - Unemployed persons | 1,875.8 | 2,212.9 | 1,807.3 | 2,137.9 | 68.5 | 75.0 |
| Inactive persons | 1,477.9 | 1,435.7 | 1,252.3 | 1,205.4 | 225.6 | 230.3 |
| Activity rate (25-44) | 88.6 | 89.1 | 90.0 | 90.5 | 50.6 | 50.3 |
| Employment rate (25-44) | 74.1 | 72.4 | 75.5 | 73.7 | 35.7 | 34.1 |
| Unemployment rate (25-44) | 16.4 | 18.8 | 16.1 | 18.5 | 29.6 | 32.2 |
| POPULATION AGED 45 TO 64 YEARS OLD | 13,099.1 | 12,869.6 | 11,787.8 | 11,581.5 | 1,311.3 | 1,288.1 |
| Active persons | 9,620.8 | 9,430.1 | 9,224.0 | 9,040.8 | 396.8 | 389.3 |
| - Employed persons | 8,158.3 | 7,821.8 | 7,850.6 | 7,527.4 | 307.7 | 294.4 |
| - Unemployed persons | 1,462.5 | 1,608.3 | 1,373.3 | 1,513.4 | 89.1 | 94.9 |
| Inactive persons | 3,478.3 | 3,439.5 | 2,563.8 | 2,540.7 | 914.5 | 898.9 |
| Activity rate (45-64) | 73.4 | 73.3 | 78.3 | 78.1 | 30.3 | 30.2 |
| Employment rate (45-64) | 62.3 | 60.8 | 66.6 | 65.0 | 23.5 | 22.9 |
| Unemployment rate (45-64) | 15.2 | 17.1 | 14.9 | 16.7 | 22.5 | 24.4 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognized degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

Employment of Persons with Disabilities Year 2017

Disability⁽¹⁾ and activity

3. Population aged 16 to 64 years old, by type of disability and relationship with economic activity. Absolute values in thousands

| | Absolute values | | Activity rate | | Employment rate | |
|---|-----------------|----------|---------------|-------|-----------------|-------|
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | 1,860.60 | 1,840.70 | 35.00 | 35.20 | 25.90 | 25.10 |
| TYPE OF DISABILITY | | | | | | |
| Osteoarticular system | 364.30 | 348.10 | 45.20 | 46.00 | 35.40 | 35.30 |
| Neuromuscular system | 162.80 | 162.20 | 31.80 | 34.50 | 24.50 | 25.00 |
| Cardiovascular, immunological and respiratory systems | 106.90 | 110.60 | 35.40 | 33.00 | 24.70 | 24.60 |
| Digestive, metabolic and endocrine systems | 59.00 | 58.70 | 47.30 | 49.40 | 36.00 | 38.60 |
| Others ⁽²⁾ | 140.90 | 127.10 | 44.40 | 44.40 | 33.80 | 33.00 |
| Intellectual | 188.80 | 188.90 | 31.20 | 32.30 | 19.50 | 20.00 |
| Mental disorder | 296.90 | 293.60 | 31.10 | 27.70 | 18.00 | 14.30 |
| Visual system | 92.60 | 93.50 | 44.70 | 48.10 | 39.00 | 40.10 |
| Auditory system | 86.70 | 86.40 | 58.10 | 61.30 | 45.80 | 45.10 |
| Not known ⁽³⁾ | 361.70 | 371.50 | 17.70 | 18.50 | 14.00 | 13.50 |
| DEGREE OF DISABILITY | | | | | | |
| 33% to 44% | 657.60 | 628.00 | 57.70 | 57.90 | 43.90 | 42.10 |
| 45% to 64% | 253.60 | 255.00 | 40.80 | 44.90 | 27.40 | 31.90 |
| 65% to 74% | 393.10 | 392.10 | 21.00 | 19.90 | 13.40 | 11.90 |
| 75% and over | 194.60 | 194.00 | 11.40 | 11.50 | 9.90 | 10.10 |
| Not known ⁽³⁾ | 361.70 | 371.50 | 17.70 | 18.50 | 14.00 | 13.50 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognised degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

(2) The Other impairment group is not comparable with years prior to 2011. It includes persons with expression, undetermined and unknown disabilities, and as of 2011, persons registered in Social Security and for whom the type of disability is not recorded.

(3) The group 'Not known' consists of pensioners who have a recognised permanent disability pension and are not registered in the SDPD.

Employment of Persons with Disabilities Year 2017

Disability⁽¹⁾ and activity

4. Population aged 16 to 64 years old with disabilities, according to whether they receive or not benefits and relationship with economic activity. Absolute values in thousands

| | Total | | Active persons | | Inactive persons | |
|--|---------|---------|----------------|-------|------------------|---------|
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| Persons with disabilities (16-64) | 1,860.6 | 1,840.7 | 651.7 | 647.2 | 1,208.8 | 1,193.5 |
| Receipt of benefits | | | | | | |
| - They receive benefits | 1,247.5 | 1,238.7 | 261.1 | 257.1 | 986.5 | 981.6 |
| - They do not receive benefits | 613.0 | 602.0 | 390.7 | 390.1 | 222.3 | 211.9 |
| Household income | | | | | | |
| - They reside in households with income | 1,844.3 | 1,822.5 | 643.5 | 638.2 | 1,200.8 | 1,184.3 |
| - They reside in households without income | 16.3 | 18.1 | 8.2 | 9.0 | 8.0 | 9.2 |

5. Persons with disabilities aged 16 to 64 years old, by Autonomous Community and activity rate. Absolute values in thousands

| | Total | | Prevalence | | Activity rate | |
|-----------------------------|---------|---------|------------|------|---------------|------|
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | 1,860.6 | 1,840.7 | 6.2 | 6.1 | 35.0 | 35.2 |
| Andalucía | 372.7 | 371.3 | 6.8 | 6.7 | 30.4 | 30.5 |
| Aragón | 44.2 | 44.8 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 31.3 | 38.2 |
| Asturias, Principado de | 62.3 | 62.9 | 9.6 | 9.5 | 29.8 | 31.9 |
| Balears, Illes | 35.7 | 34.9 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 41.4 | 40.8 |
| Canarias | 71.5 | 76.7 | 4.8 | 5.2 | 30.1 | 30.8 |
| Cantabria | 27.3 | 26.9 | 7.3 | 7.2 | 41.3 | 33.6 |
| Castilla y León | 93.7 | 91.7 | 6.3 | 6.0 | 35.5 | 36.7 |
| Castilla-La Mancha | 88.4 | 89.6 | 6.7 | 6.8 | 45.9 | 43.3 |
| Cataluña | 306.7 | 301.6 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 35.0 | 36.2 |
| Comunitat Valenciana | 191.8 | 194.1 | 6.0 | 6.1 | 35.9 | 34.1 |
| Extremadura | 48.4 | 47.9 | 7.0 | 6.8 | 31.5 | 32.5 |
| Galicia | 125.9 | 117.3 | 7.5 | 6.9 | 28.2 | 27.8 |
| Madrid, Comunidad de | 191.3 | 183.8 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 43.4 | 43.6 |
| Murcia, Región de | 77.6 | 78.9 | 8.0 | 8.2 | 35.9 | 36.7 |
| Navarra, Comunidad Foral de | 20.7 | 19.9 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 41.2 | 31.5 |
| País Vasco | 82.8 | 79.7 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 35.0 | 38.9 |
| Rioja, La | 10.0 | 9.5 | 5.1 | 4.8 | 45.3 | 30.5 |
| Ceuta and Melilla* | 9.6 | 9.2 | 8.7 | 8.5 | 48.9 | 50.8 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognized degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

(2) When a box has the * sign, it means that the number of sample observations is limited, and therefore the figure is not quite reliable and it is advisable to be cautious when interpreting it.

Employment of Persons with Disability Year 2017

Disability⁽¹⁾ and occupation

6. Population aged 16 to 64 years old, by characteristics of their occupation and disability

Absolute values in thousands

| | Persons without disabilities | | | | Persons with disabilities | | | |
|---|------------------------------|-----------|------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|------------|-------|
| | Total | | Percentage | | Total | | Percentage | |
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | | | | | | | | |
| Employed persons | 18,167.6 | 17,720.70 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 481.0 | 462 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| PROFESSIONAL SITUATION | | | | | | | | |
| - Wage earners | 15,202.5 | 14,749.60 | 83.7 | 83.2 | 428.7 | 406.4 | 89.1 | 88.0 |
| - Self-employed workers | 2,958.6 | 2,965.00 | 16.3 | 16.7 | 52.2 | 55.4 | 10.9 | 12.0 |
| WAGE EARNERS BY TYPE OF CONTRACT | | | | | | | | |
| - With permanent contracts | 11,140.6 | 10,900.50 | 73.3 | 73.9 | 319.1 | 309.8 | 74.4 | 76.2 |
| - With temporary contracts | 4,061.9 | 3,849.10 | 26.7 | 26.1 | 109.6 | 96.6 | 25.6 | 23.8 |
| TYPE OF WORKING DAY | | | | | | | | |
| - Full-time | 15,489.1 | 15,065.40 | 85.3 | 85.0 | 393.6 | 379.2 | 81.8 | 82.1 |
| - Part-time | 2,678.5 | 2,655.30 | 14.7 | 15.0 | 87.4 | 82.8 | 18.2 | 17.9 |
| ACTIVITY SECTOR | | | | | | | | |
| - Agriculture | 791.5 | 748.4 | 4.4 | 4.2 | 11.9 | 10.3 | 2.5 | 2.2 |
| - Industry | 2,574.1 | 2,449.30 | 14.2 | 13.8 | 58.5 | 57 | 12.2 | 12.3 |
| - Construction | 1,111.4 | 1,052.80 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 12.8 | 17.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| - Services | 13,690.6 | 13,470.10 | 75.4 | 76.0 | 397.7 | 377.5 | 82.7 | 81.7 |
| EDUCATIONAL LEVEL | | | | | | | | |
| - Illiterate | 36.3 | 35.7 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 3.4 | 6.5 | 0.7 | 1.4 |
| - Primary | 1,029.5 | 1,060.50 | 5.7 | 6.0 | 53.0 | 58.8 | 11.0 | 12.7 |
| - Secondary and labour training and insertion programmes | 9,307.1 | 9,079.00 | 51.2 | 51.2 | 283.2 | 271.7 | 58.9 | 58.8 |
| - Tertiary education, including doctorates | 7,794.6 | 7,545.40 | 42.9 | 42.6 | 141.5 | 125 | 29.4 | 27.1 |
| SENIORITY IN THE COMPANY | | | | | | | | |
| - Less than 6 months | 2,067.7 | 1,933.90 | 11.4 | 10.9 | 49.8 | 39.5 | 10.4 | 8.5 |
| - From 6 months to 1 year | 1,157.0 | 1,115.00 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 24.5 | 23.4 | 5.1 | 5.1 |
| - From 1 to 3 years | 2,668.9 | 2,406.70 | 14.7 | 13.6 | 67.6 | 62.6 | 14.1 | 13.5 |
| - More than 3 years | 12,273.9 | 12,265.00 | 67.6 | 69.2 | 339.0 | 336.5 | 70.5 | 72.8 |
| HAVING MORE THAN ONE JOB | | | | | | | | |
| - Has one or more other jobs | 437.4 | 416 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 8.6 | 7.1 | 1.8 | 1.5 |
| - Does not have another job | 17,730.1 | 17,304.70 | 97.6 | 97.7 | 472.3 | 454.9 | 98.2 | 98.5 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognised degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

Employment of Persons with Disabilities Year 2017

Disability⁽¹⁾ and measures to encourage employment

7. Employed persons with disabilities who contribute to Social Security in ordinary centres⁽²⁾, by demographic features and type of disability, according to whether or not they have reductions or discounts due to disability.

Absolute values in thousands

| | Absolute values in thousands | | | | | | Percentages | | | |
|---|------------------------------|-------|-----------------|------|--------------------|-------|-----------------|------|--------------------|------|
| | Total | | With reductions | | Without reductions | | With reductions | | Without reductions | |
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | 282.1 | 276.4 | 77.1 | 79.8 | 205.1 | 196.6 | 27.3 | 28.9 | 72.7 | 71.1 |
| SEX | | | | | | | | | | |
| Men | 153.3 | 153.7 | 46.9 | 50.5 | 106.4 | 103.2 | 30.6 | 32.9 | 69.4 | 67.1 |
| Women | 128.8 | 122.7 | 30.1 | 29.3 | 98.7 | 93.4 | 23.4 | 23.9 | 76.6 | 76.1 |
| AGE GROUPS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16 to 44 years old | 97.8 | 88.6 | 32.8 | 32.4 | 65.0 | 56.2 | 33.6 | 36.5 | 66.4 | 63.5 |
| 45 to 64 years old | 184.3 | 187.8 | 44.2 | 47.4 | 140.1 | 140.4 | 24.0 | 25.3 | 76.0 | 74.7 |
| TYPE OF DISABILITY⁽³⁾ | | | | | | | | | | |
| Physical and others | 167.8 | 167.7 | 43.2 | 47.6 | 124.5 | 120.1 | 25.8 | 28.4 | 74.2 | 71.6 |
| Intellectual | 14.6 | 12.5 | 6.4 | 6.2 | 8.2 | 6.3 | 43.9 | 49.5 | 56.1 | 50.5 |
| Mental | 27.8 | 21.7 | 7.7 | 4.8 | 20.1 | 16.9 | 27.7 | 22.2 | 72.3 | 77.8 |
| Sensory | 46.2 | 50.3 | 17.6 | 20.1 | 28.6 | 30.2 | 38.1 | 40.0 | 61.9 | 60.0 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 25.7 | 24.2 | 2.1 | 1.1 | 23.6 | 23.1 | 8.1 | 4.6 | 91.9 | 95.4 |
| DEGREE OF DISABILITY | | | | | | | | | | |
| 33% to 44% | 176.5 | 168.9 | 46.5 | 48.3 | 130.0 | 120.6 | 26.4 | 28.6 | 73.6 | 71.4 |
| 45% to 64% | 41.3 | 46.2 | 11.1 | 14.3 | 30.2 | 31.9 | 26.9 | 31.0 | 73.1 | 69.0 |
| 65% to 74% | 25.8 | 23.6 | 11.7 | 9.2 | 14.2 | 14.4 | 45.2 | 38.8 | 54.8 | 61.2 |
| 75% and over | 12.8 | 13.4 | 5.7 | 6.9 | 7.1 | 6.5 | 44.2 | 51.4 | 55.8 | 48.6 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 25.7 | 24.2 | 2.1 | 1.1 | 23.6 | 23.1 | 8.1 | 4.6 | 91.9 | 95.4 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognized degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

(2) This excludes Special Employment Centres

(3) Impairments are grouped in the following categories:

- Physical and other: this includes impairments of the osteoarticular system, the neuromuscular system, the cardiovascular system, the immune and respiratory system, the digestive, metabolic and endocrine system - Sensory: this includes visual and auditory impairments

(4) The group 'Not known' consists of pensioners who have a recognised permanent disability pension and are not registered in the SDPD.

Employment of Persons with Disabilities Year 2017

Disability⁽¹⁾ and measures to encourage employment

8. Wage earners with disabilities who contribute to Social Security in ordinary centres ⁽²⁾, by demographic features and type of disability, according to whether or not they have a specific disability contract. Absolute values in thousands

| | Absolute values in thousands | | | | | | Percentages | | | |
|---|------------------------------|-------|------------------------------|------|----------------|-------|------------------------------|------|----------------|------|
| | Total | | Specific disability contract | | Other contract | | Specific disability contract | | Other contract | |
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | 281.7 | 276.3 | 76.5 | 79.2 | 205.2 | 197.1 | 27.2 | 28.7 | 72.8 | 71.3 |
| SEX | | | | | | | | | | |
| Men | 153.1 | 153.7 | 46.5 | 50.5 | 106.6 | 103.2 | 30.4 | 32.8 | 69.6 | 67.2 |
| Women | 128.6 | 122.6 | 30.0 | 28.7 | 98.6 | 93.9 | 23.3 | 23.4 | 76.7 | 76.6 |
| AGE GROUPS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16 to 44 years old | 97.6 | 88.6 | 32.5 | 32.0 | 65.0 | 56.5 | 33.3 | 36.2 | 66.7 | 63.8 |
| 45 to 64 years old | 184.2 | 187.7 | 44.0 | 47.1 | 140.2 | 140.6 | 23.9 | 25.1 | 76.1 | 74.9 |
| TYPE OF DISABILITY⁽³⁾ | | | | | | | | | | |
| Physical and others | 167.8 | 167.7 | 43.2 | 47.3 | 124.6 | 120.4 | 25.7 | 28.2 | 74.3 | 71.8 |
| Intellectual | 14.5 | 12.5 | 6.4 | 6.2 | 8.2 | 6.3 | 43.9 | 49.9 | 56.1 | 50.1 |
| Mental | 27.6 | 21.7 | 7.3 | 4.4 | 20.4 | 17.3 | 26.3 | 20.1 | 73.7 | 79.9 |
| Sensory | 46.1 | 50.2 | 17.6 | 20.1 | 28.5 | 30.1 | 38.2 | 40.0 | 61.8 | 60.0 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 25.7 | 24.2 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 23.6 | 23.1 | 8.2 | 4.9 | 91.8 | 95.1 |
| DEGREE OF DISABILITY | | | | | | | | | | |
| 33% to 44% | 176.5 | 168.9 | 46.4 | 47.7 | 130.1 | 121.3 | 26.3 | 28.2 | 73.7 | 71.8 |
| 45% to 64% | 41.2 | 46.2 | 10.8 | 14.3 | 30.4 | 31.9 | 26.1 | 31.0 | 73.9 | 69.0 |
| 65% to 74% | 25.6 | 23.5 | 11.6 | 9.1 | 13.9 | 14.4 | 45.6 | 38.9 | 54.4 | 61.1 |
| 75% and over | 12.8 | 13.4 | 5.7 | 6.9 | 7.1 | 6.5 | 44.2 | 51.4 | 55.8 | 48.6 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 25.7 | 24.2 | 2.1 | 1.2 | 23.6 | 23.1 | 8.2 | 4.9 | 91.8 | 95.1 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognized degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

(2) This excludes Special Employment Centres

(3) Impairments are grouped in the following categories:

- Physical and other: this includes impairments of the osteoarticular system, the neuromuscular system, the cardiovascular system, the immune and respiratory system, the digestive, metabolic and endocrine system
- Sensory: this includes visual and auditory impairments

(4) The group 'Not known' consists of pensioners who have a recognised permanent disability pension and are not registered in the SDPD.

Employment of Persons with Disabilities Year 2017

Disability⁽¹⁾ and Public Social Benefits⁽²⁾

9. Persons with disabilities by demographic features and type of disability, according to whether or not they receive Public Social Benefits.

Absolute values in thousands

| | Absolute values in thousands | | | | | | Percentages | | | |
|---|------------------------------|---------|---------------|----------|------------------|-------|---------------|-------|------------------|------|
| | Total | | With Benefits | | Without Benefits | | With Benefits | | Without Benefits | |
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | 1,860.6 | 1,840.7 | 1,247.5 | 1,238.70 | 613.0 | 602.0 | 67.1 | 67.3 | 32.9 | 32.7 |
| SEX | | | | | | | | | | |
| Men | 1,069.1 | 1,058.3 | 771.9 | 765 | 297.2 | 293.3 | 72.2 | 72.3 | 27.8 | 27.7 |
| Women | 791.4 | 782.3 | 475.6 | 473.7 | 315.8 | 308.6 | 60.1 | 60.5 | 39.9 | 39.5 |
| AGE GROUPS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16 to 24 years old | 92.1 | 89.4 | 34.0 | 32.9 | 58.1 | 56.5 | 36.9 | 36.8 | 63.1 | 63.2 |
| 25 to 44 years old | 457.1 | 463.1 | 250.3 | 253.4 | 206.8 | 209.7 | 54.8 | 54.7 | 45.2 | 45.3 |
| 45 to 64 years old | 1,311.3 | 1,288.1 | 963.3 | 952.5 | 348.1 | 335.7 | 73.5 | 73.9 | 26.5 | 26.1 |
| TYPE OF DISABILITY⁽³⁾ | | | | | | | | | | |
| Physical and others | 833.9 | 806.7 | 507.4 | 484.5 | 326.4 | 322.2 | 60.9 | 60.1 | 39.1 | 39.9 |
| Intellectual | 188.8 | 188.9 | 105.7 | 107.2 | 83.1 | 81.7 | 56.0 | 56.8 | 44.0 | 43.2 |
| Mental | 296.9 | 293.6 | 192.1 | 192.5 | 104.8 | 101.1 | 64.7 | 65.6 | 35.3 | 34.4 |
| Sensory | 179.3 | 179.9 | 80.6 | 82.9 | 98.7 | 97.0 | 45.0 | 46.1 | 55.0 | 53.9 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 361.7 | 371.5 | 361.7 | 371.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| DEGREE OF DISABILITY | | | | | | | | | | |
| 33% to 44% | 657.6 | 628.0 | 291.6 | 277.5 | 366.0 | 350.5 | 44.3 | 44.2 | 55.7 | 55.8 |
| 45% to 64% | 253.6 | 255.0 | 150.7 | 139.3 | 102.9 | 115.7 | 59.4 | 54.6 | 40.6 | 45.4 |
| 65% to 74% | 393.1 | 392.1 | 294.1 | 299.3 | 99.0 | 92.9 | 74.8 | 76.3 | 25.2 | 23.7 |
| 75% and over | 194.6 | 194.0 | 149.4 | 151.1 | 45.1 | 42.9 | 76.8 | 77.9 | 23.2 | 22.1 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 361.7 | 371.5 | 361.7 | 371.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| ACTIVITY SITUATION | | | | | | | | | | |
| Economically active persons | 651.7 | 647.2 | 261.1 | 257.1 | 390.7 | 390.1 | 40.1 | 39.7 | 59.9 | 60.3 |
| Economically inactive persons | 1,208.8 | 1,193.5 | 986.5 | 981.6 | 222.3 | 211.9 | 81.6 | 82.2 | 18.4 | 17.8 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognized degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

(2) Public Social Benefits: These are benefits of economic nature, intended for individuals and families, charged to public resources. They include benefits for disability, retirement, death and survivor benefits, subsidies from the Law on the Social Integration of the Disabled (LISMI for its acronym in Spanish), complementary benefits, social assistance and single payment.

(3) Impairments are grouped in the following categories:

- Physical and other: this includes impairments of the osteoarticular system, the neuromuscular system, the cardiovascular system, the immune and respiratory system, the digestive, metabolic and endocrine system
- Sensory: this includes visual and auditory impairments

(4) The group 'Not known' consists of pensioners who have a recognised permanent disability pension and are not registered in the SDPD.

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Disability⁽¹⁾ and Public Social Benefits⁽²⁾

10. Persons with disabilities by demographic features and type of disability, who receive Public Social Benefits, according to type of benefit.

Absolute values in thousands

| | Absolute values in thousands | | | | | | Percentages | | | |
|---|------------------------------|---------|----------------------------------|----------|----------------|-------|----------------------------------|-------|----------------|------|
| | Total with benefits | | Benefits derived from disability | | Other benefits | | Benefits derived from disability | | Other benefits | |
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | 1,247.5 | 1,238.7 | 1,016.5 | 1,012.90 | 231.0 | 225.8 | 81.5 | 81.8 | 18.5 | 18.2 |
| SEX | | | | | | | | | | |
| Men | 771.9 | 765.0 | 649.2 | 651.4 | 122.7 | 113.6 | 84.1 | 85.1 | 15.9 | 14.9 |
| Women | 475.6 | 473.7 | 367.3 | 361.5 | 108.3 | 112.1 | 77.2 | 76.3 | 22.8 | 23.7 |
| AGE GROUPS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16 to 24 years old | 34.0 | 32.9 | 14.7 | 12 | 19.3 | 20.9 | 43.2 | 36.4 | 56.8 | 63.6 |
| 25 to 44 years old | 250.3 | 253.4 | 197.5 | 197.2 | 52.7 | 56.2 | 78.9 | 77.8 | 21.1 | 22.2 |
| 45 to 64 years old | 963.3 | 952.5 | 804.3 | 803.8 | 159.0 | 148.7 | 83.5 | 84.4 | 16.5 | 15.6 |
| TYPE OF DISABILITY⁽³⁾ | | | | | | | | | | |
| Physical and others | 507.4 | 484.5 | 399.3 | 377.8 | 108.2 | 106.7 | 78.7 | 78.0 | 21.3 | 22.0 |
| Intellectual | 105.7 | 107.2 | 56.8 | 55.2 | 49.0 | 52.0 | 53.7 | 51.5 | 46.3 | 48.5 |
| Mental | 192.1 | 192.5 | 141.9 | 148.9 | 50.2 | 43.7 | 73.9 | 77.3 | 26.1 | 22.7 |
| Sensory | 80.6 | 82.9 | 56.9 | 59.5 | 23.7 | 23.4 | 70.6 | 71.7 | 29.4 | 28.3 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 361.7 | 371.5 | 361.7 | 371.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| DEGREE OF DISABILITY | | | | | | | | | | |
| 33% to 44% | 291.6 | 277.5 | 210.6 | 199.4 | 81.0 | 78.0 | 72.2 | 71.9 | 27.8 | 28.1 |
| 45% to 64% | 150.7 | 139.3 | 106.2 | 101.4 | 44.5 | 38.0 | 70.4 | 72.7 | 29.6 | 27.3 |
| 65% to 74% | 294.1 | 299.3 | 229.8 | 240.8 | 64.4 | 58.5 | 78.1 | 80.5 | 21.9 | 19.5 |
| 75% and over | 149.4 | 151.1 | 108.3 | 99.8 | 41.1 | 51.3 | 72.5 | 66.1 | 27.5 | 33.9 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 361.7 | 371.5 | 361.7 | 371.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| ACTIVITY SITUATION | | | | | | | | | | |
| Economically active persons | 261.1 | 257.1 | 190.3 | 192.5 | 70.8 | 64.6 | 72.9 | 74.9 | 27.1 | 25.1 |
| Economically inactive persons | 986.5 | 981.6 | 826.3 | 820.4 | 160.2 | 161.2 | 83.8 | 83.6 | 16.2 | 16.4 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognized degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

(2) Public Social Benefits: These are benefits of economic nature, intended for individuals and families, charged to public resources. They include benefits for disability, retirement, death and survivor benefits, subsidies from the Law on the Social Integration of the Disabled (LISMI for its acronym in Spanish), complementary benefits, social assistance and single payment.

(3) Impairments are grouped in the following categories:

- Physical and other: this includes impairments of the osteoarticular system, the neuromuscular system, the cardiovascular system, the immune and respiratory system, the digestive, metabolic and endocrine system
- Sensory: this includes visual and auditory impairments

(4) The group 'Not known' consists of pensioners who have a recognised permanent disability pension and are not registered in the SDPD.

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Disability⁽¹⁾ and Public Social Benefits⁽²⁾

11. Persons with disabilities by demographic features and type of disability, who receive Public Social Benefits, according to their contributory nature.

Absolute values in thousands

| | Absolute values in thousands | | | | | | Percentages | | | |
|---|------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------|------|--|---------|--------------------------------|------|--|-------|
| | Total with benefits | | Non-contributory benefits only | | Contributory and non-contributory benefits | | Non-contributory benefits only | | Contributory and non-contributory benefits | |
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | 1,247.5 | 1,238.7 | 27.7 | 24.2 | 1,219.8 | 1,214.5 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 97.8 | 98.0 |
| SEX | | | | | | | | | | |
| Men | 771.9 | 765.0 | 9.9 | 10.4 | 762.0 | 754.6 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 98.7 | 98.6 |
| Women | 475.6 | 473.7 | 17.8 | 13.8 | 457.8 | 459.9 | 3.7 | 2.9 | 96.3 | 97.1 |
| AGE GROUPS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16 to 24 years old | 34.0 | 32.9 | 1.6 | - | 32.4 | - | 4.6 | - | 95.4 | - |
| 25 to 44 years old | 250.3 | 253.4 | 15.7 | 14.2 | 234.6 | 239.1 | 6.3 | 5.6 | 93.7 | 94.4 |
| 45 to 64 years old | 963.3 | 952.5 | 10.5 | - | 952.8 | - | 1.1 | - | 98.9 | - |
| TYPE OF DISABILITY⁽³⁾ | | | | | | | | | | |
| Physical and others | 507.4 | 484.5 | 12.0 | 7.6 | 495.5 | 476.9 | 2.4 | 1.6 | 97.6 | 98.4 |
| Intellectual | 105.7 | 107.2 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 99.7 | 100.9 | 5.7 | 5.9 | 94.3 | 94.1 |
| Mental | 192.1 | 192.5 | 5.8 | 5.8 | 186.3 | 186.8 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 97.0 | 97.0 |
| Sensory | 80.6 | 82.9 | 3.9 | 4.6 | 76.7 | 78.4 | 4.9 | 5.5 | 95.1 | 94.5 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 361.7 | 371.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 361.7 | 371.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| DEGREE OF DISABILITY | | | | | | | | | | |
| 33% to 44% | 291.6 | 277.5 | 13.1 | 9.6 | 278.5 | 267.9 | 4.5 | 3.4 | 95.5 | 96.6 |
| 45% to 64% | 150.7 | 139.3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 147.2 | 136.2 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 97.7 | 97.7 |
| 65% to 74% | 294.1 | 299.3 | 10.1 | 9.1 | 284.0 | 290.2 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 96.6 | 97.0 |
| 75% and over | 149.4 | 151.1 | 1.0 | 2.4 | 148.4 | 148.7 | 0.7 | 1.6 | 99.3 | 98.4 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 361.7 | 371.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 361.7 | 371.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| ACTIVITY SITUATION | | | | | | | | | | |
| Economically active persons | 261.1 | 257.1 | 18.1 | 13.4 | 242.9 | 243.7 | 6.9 | 5.2 | 93.1 | 94.8 |
| Economically inactive persons | 986.5 | 981.6 | 9.6 | 10.8 | 976.9 | 970.7 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 99.0 | 98.9 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognized degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

(2) Public Social Benefits: These are benefits of economic nature, intended for individuals and families, charged to public resources. They include benefits for disability, retirement, death and survivor benefits, subsidies from the Law on the Social Integration of the Disabled (LISMI for its acronym in Spanish), complementary benefits, social assistance and single payment.

(3) Impairments are grouped in the following categories:

- Physical and other: this includes impairments of the osteoarticular system, the neuromuscular system, the cardiovascular system, the immune and respiratory system, the digestive, metabolic and endocrine system
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(4) The group 'Not known' consists of pensioners who have a recognised permanent disability pension and are not registered in the SDPD.

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Disability⁽¹⁾ and Dependency⁽²⁾

12. Persons with disabilities by demographic features and type of disability, according to officially recognized dependency.

Absolute values in thousands

| | Persons with disabilities | | | | | | Percentages | | | |
|---|---------------------------|---------|-------------------|-------|------------------------|---------|-------------------|------|------------------------|------|
| | Total | | Dependent persons | | Non-dependents persons | | Dependent persons | | Non-dependents persons | |
| | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 | 2017 | 2016 |
| TOTAL | 1,860.6 | 1,840.7 | 263.5 | 253.7 | 1,597.1 | 1,586.9 | 14.2 | 13.8 | 85.8 | 86.2 |
| SEX | | | | | | | | | | |
| Men | 1,069.1 | 1,058.3 | 149.4 | 143.9 | 919.7 | 914.4 | 14.0 | 13.6 | 86.0 | 86.4 |
| Women | 791.4 | 782.3 | 114.1 | 109.9 | 677.3 | 672.5 | 14.4 | 14.0 | 85.6 | 86.0 |
| AGE GROUPS | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16 to 24 years old | 92.1 | 89.4 | 30.3 | 30.1 | 61.8 | 59.3 | 32.9 | 33.7 | 67.1 | 66.3 |
| 25 to 44 years old | 457.1 | 463.1 | 93.6 | 93.3 | 363.5 | 369.8 | 20.5 | 20.2 | 79.5 | 79.8 |
| 45 to 64 years old | 1,311.3 | 1,288.1 | 139.7 | 130.3 | 1,171.7 | 1,157.8 | 10.6 | 10.1 | 89.4 | 89.9 |
| TYPE OF DISABILITY⁽³⁾ | | | | | | | | | | |
| Physical and others | 833.9 | 806.7 | 93.9 | 88.2 | 740.0 | 718.5 | 11.3 | 10.9 | 88.7 | 89.1 |
| Intellectual | 188.8 | 188.9 | 82.7 | 82.7 | 106.2 | 106.2 | 43.8 | 43.8 | 56.2 | 56.2 |
| Mental | 296.9 | 293.6 | 60.9 | 57.6 | 236.0 | 236.1 | 20.5 | 19.6 | 79.5 | 80.4 |
| Sensory | 179.3 | 179.9 | 16.3 | 14.6 | 163.0 | 165.3 | 9.1 | 8.1 | 90.9 | 91.9 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 361.7 | 371.5 | 9.7 | 10.7 | 351.9 | 360.8 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 97.3 | 97.1 |
| DEGREE OF DISABILITY | | | | | | | | | | |
| 33% to 44% | 657.6 | 628.0 | 18.3 | 13.8 | 639.3 | 614.2 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 97.2 | 97.8 |
| 45% to 64% | 253.6 | 255.0 | 20.6 | 18.8 | 233.0 | 236.2 | 8.1 | 7.4 | 91.9 | 92.6 |
| 65% to 74% | 393.1 | 392.1 | 99.7 | 101.2 | 293.4 | 291.0 | 25.4 | 25.8 | 74.6 | 74.2 |
| 75% and over | 194.6 | 194.0 | 115.1 | 109.3 | 79.4 | 84.7 | 59.2 | 56.3 | 40.8 | 43.7 |
| Not known ⁽⁴⁾ | 361.7 | 371.5 | 9.7 | 10.7 | 351.9 | 360.8 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 97.3 | 97.1 |
| ACTIVITY SITUATION | | | | | | | | | | |
| Economically active persons | 651.7 | 647.2 | 23.3 | 20.7 | 628.5 | 626.5 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 96.4 | 96.8 |
| Economically inactive persons | 1,208.8 | 1,193.5 | 240.2 | 233.1 | 968.6 | 960.4 | 19.9 | 19.5 | 80.1 | 80.5 |

(1) Persons aged 16-64 living in households, with an officially recognized degree of disability greater than or equal to 33% (RD 1971/1999 amended by RD 1364/2012, RD 1/2013)

(2) Dependent persons are persons officially recognised as such in accordance with the assessment scale for Dependent Persons established by Law 39/2006, of 14 December, on the Promotion of Personal Autonomy and Care for Dependent Persons.

(3) Impairments are grouped in the following categories:

- Physical and other: this includes impairments of the osteoarticular system, the neuromuscular system, the cardiovascular system, the immune and respiratory system, the digestive, metabolic and endocrine system
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