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PERSONS IN PAID EMPLOYMENT, BY ACTIVITIES, JUNE 2025

In June 2025, the total number of persons in employment in the Republic of Croatia was 1 751 143, out of which 815 205 were women. Compared to May 2025, the total number of persons in employment increased by **1.1%** and the number of employed women by 1.3%. Compared to the same month of the previous year, the total number of persons in employment increased in June 2025 by 0.4% and the number of employed women by 0.8%. In the period from January to June 2025, as compared to the same period of the previous year, the total number of persons in employment increased by 1.4% and the number of employed women by 1.7%.

In June 2025, the total number of persons in paid employment in legal entities in the Republic of Croatia amounted to 1 499 127, out of which 710 324 were women. Compared to May 2025, the total number of persons in paid employment in legal entities increased by **0.7%** and the number of employed women by 0.9%. The number of persons in paid employment in legal entities in June 2025, as compared to the same month of the previous year, increased by 0.1% and the number of employed women by 0.6%. In the period from January to June 2025, as compared to the same period of the previous year, the number of persons in paid employment in legal entities increased by 1.2% and the number of employed women by 1.6%.

In June 2025, as compared to the previous month, the number of persons in employment in trade and crafts and free lances increased by 4.3% and the number of employed women by 4.8%. The total number of employed insured persons – private farmers decreased by 0.4% and the number of employed female farmers by 0.5%.

The total number of unemployed persons decreased by 4.4% and the number of unemployed women by 3.4% in June 2025, as compared to May 2025. The total registered unemployment rate in June 2025 was **3.8%** and for women it was 4.4%.

Detailed data by activities can be downloaded on the link [Statistics in Line](#).

1 LABOUR FORCE OF REPUBLIC OF CROATIA, ACCORDING TO ADMINISTRATIVE SOURCES AND BY SEX

	V 2025		VI 2025		Indices					
					VI 2025 V 2025		VI 2025 VI 2024		I – VI 2025 I – VI 2024	
	Total	Women	Total	Women	Total	Women	Total	Women	Total	Women
Active population (labour force)	1 804 841	843 354	1 821 179	852 660	100,9	101,1	99,6	99,5	100,3	100,0
Total persons in employment	1 731 610	804 581	1 751 143	815 205	101,1	101,3	100,4	100,8	101,4	101,7
Persons in paid employment in legal entities ¹⁾	1 489 145	704 222	1 499 127	710 324	100,7	100,9	100,1	100,6	101,2	101,6
Persons in employment in crafts and trades and free lances ²⁾	224 149	94 647	233 771	99 197	104,3	104,8	102,5	102,2	103,2	102,8
Employed insured persons – private farmers ²⁾	18 316	5 712	18 245	5 684	99,6	99,5	101,7	101,2	98,2	97,7
Unemployed persons ³⁾	73 231	38 773	70 036	37 455	95,6	96,6	82,5	78,9	82,5	77,3
Registered unemployment rate ⁴⁾ , %	4,1	4,6	3,8	4,4						

1) The results of processing data from JOPPD forms. The data for May and June 2025 are provisional.

2) The data were taken over from the records of active insured persons kept at the Croatian Pension Insurance Institute.

3) The data were taken over from the Croatian Employment Service.

4) The registered unemployment rate is calculated as the ratio of unemployed persons to the total active population (labour force).

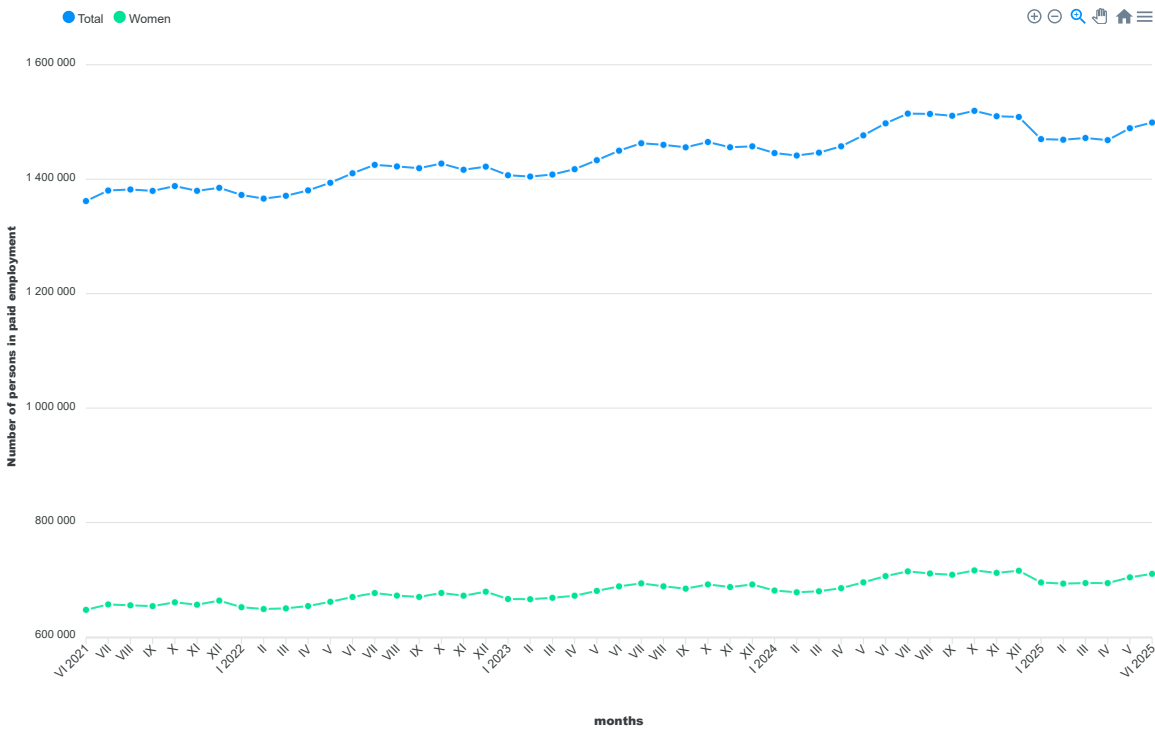
2 INDICES OF CHANGE IN NUMBER OF PERSONS IN PAID EMPLOYMENT IN LEGAL ENTITIES, ACCORDING TO NKD 2007¹⁾ AND BY SEX, JUNE 2025

	Number of persons in paid employment, June 2025 ²⁾		Indices					
			VI 2025 V 2025		VI 2025 VI 2024		I – VI 2025 I – VI 2024	
	Total	Women	Total	Women	Total	Women	Total	Women
Total	1 499 127	710 324	100,7	100,9	100,1	100,6	101,2	101,6
A Agriculture, forestry and fishing	25 319	7 055	100,0	100,2	96,5	94,5	96,9	94,2
B Mining and quarrying	3 783	480	98,9	100,0	99,8	98,4	101,3	98,5
C Manufacturing	229 579	77 618	99,9	100,0	97,2	95,8	97,7	96,2
D Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	14 611	3 410	99,7	100,1	100,8	102,4	101,0	103,2
E Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	27 647	6 049	100,5	100,2	101,6	101,2	101,9	101,7
F Construction	128 566	13 951	98,9	100,2	100,3	101,6	102,0	103,0
G Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	227 146	124 961	100,3	100,2	99,9	99,8	100,7	100,5
H Transportation and storage	84 370	19 303	100,3	101,0	101,5	100,9	103,5	101,5
I Accommodation and food service activities	104 493	53 381	109,3	109,0	98,1	97,3	100,0	98,9
J Information and communication	59 971	21 384	99,7	99,6	99,5	98,6	101,0	100,5
K Financial and insurance activities	35 960	24 555	100,2	100,0	99,9	99,3	99,7	99,3
L Real estate activities	10 220	5 102	99,7	100,2	97,2	100,9	97,5	99,5
M Professional, scientific and technical activities	72 649	36 384	99,6	99,6	98,6	99,0	99,9	100,1
N Administrative and support service activities	60 973	27 022	101,2	102,3	98,3	97,0	99,2	97,3
O Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	115 470	62 050	100,6	100,6	103,1	105,7	104,4	108,7
P Education	131 807	106 630	99,8	99,9	102,6	102,9	102,5	102,8
Q Human health and social work activities	113 591	88 653	100,4	100,4	103,9	104,0	104,9	105,2
R Arts, entertainment and recreation	30 337	16 832	101,0	100,8	102,2	102,6	103,4	103,1
S Other service activities	22 635	15 504	100,5	100,7	101,4	102,5	107,0	110,3

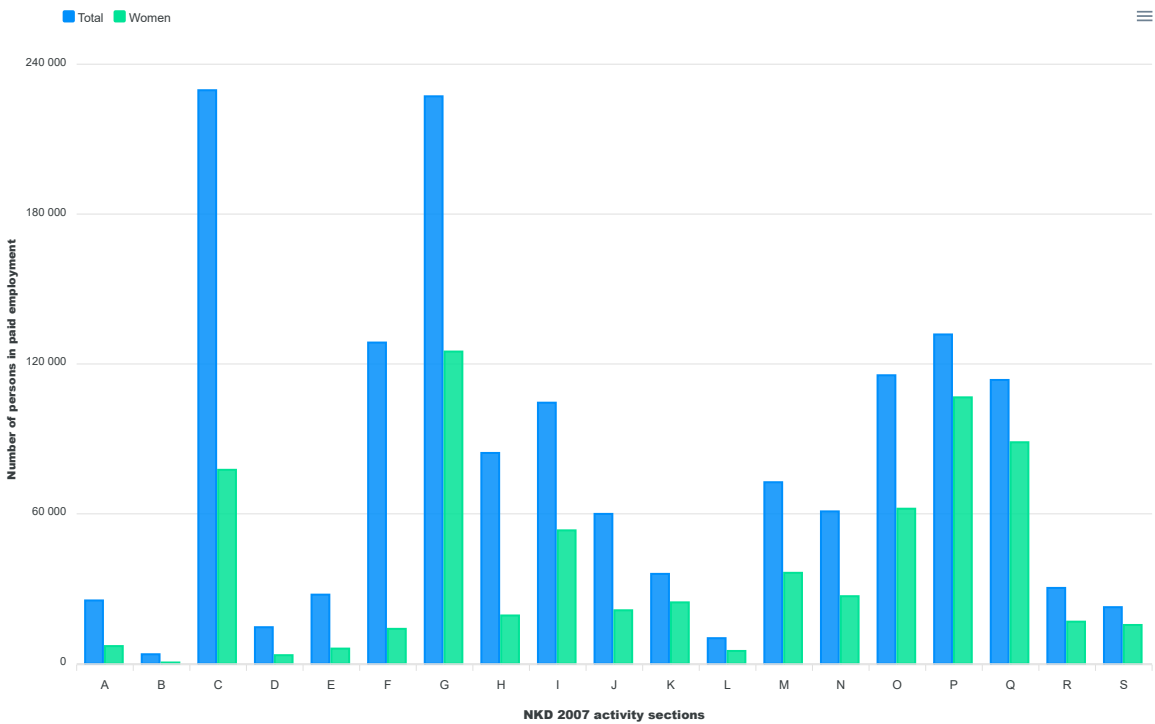
1) Activity sections T (Activities of households as employers; undifferentiated goods- and services-producing activities of households for own use) and U (Activities of extraterritorial organisations and bodies) as well as their divisions are not presented in this First Release since they were not covered by the survey.

2) Provisional data.

G-1 PERSONS IN PAID EMPLOYMENT IN LEGAL ENTITIES, JUNE 2021 – JUNE 2025



G-2 PERSONS IN PAID EMPLOYMENT, ACCORDING TO NKD 2007, JUNE 2025



NKD 2007 activity sections

- A Agriculture, forestry and fishing
- B Mining and quarrying
- C Manufacturing
- D Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply
- E Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities
- F Construction
- G Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles
- H Transportation and storage
- I Accommodation and food service activities
- J Information and communication
- K Financial and insurance activities
- L Real estate activities
- M Professional, scientific and technical activities
- N Administrative and support service activities
- O Public administration and defence; compulsory social security
- P Education
- Q Human health and social work activities
- R Arts, entertainment and recreation
- S Other service activities

NOTES ON METHODOLOGY

Data sources

Data on persons in employment in legal entities were gathered by processing data from the Report on Income, Income Tax and Surtax as well as Contributions for Mandatory Insurances (JOPPD form), which has been in effect since 1 January 2014.

All persons or entities that are the payers of income for which the income tax regulations prescribe the obligation of accounting and paying deduction tax are under the obligation to submit the JOPPD form.

Data on persons in employment in crafts and trades and free lances are processed according to the records on pension insurance beneficiaries obtained from the Croatian Institute for Pension Insurance.

The Croatian Institute for Pension Insurance provides data on employed insured persons – private farmers.

Data on the number of unemployed persons are obtained from the Croatian Employment Service.

Coverage and comparability

The survey on persons in paid employment in legal entities includes all persons who have signed a work contract, regardless of the type of work contract and whether they work full-time or less than full-time.

The survey on persons in crafts and trades and free lances includes owners and employees registered with the Croatian Institute for Pension Insurance.

Definitions

Persons in paid employment are all persons who have signed a work contract with an employer for a fixed or an unspecified period of time, irrespective of the type of ownership and of whether they work full-time or less than full-time.

Registered unemployment rate is calculated as a ratio of the number of unemployed persons to the total active population (labour force).

Abbreviations

NKD 2007 National Classification of Activities, 2007 version

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