Luxembourg

SOURCE

Name of source: Labour Force Survey 2011 ad hoc Module

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Type of source: Household survey

Periodicity: Ad hoc module

Objectives: To comply with the EC Commission n°317/2010.

COVERAGE

Disabilities: All types (seeing, hearing, speaking, moving/mobility, body movement, gripping/holding, learning, behaviour, personal care difficulties)

Population groups: Persons who are members of households, persons in a particular age group (16-65)

Total population covered: Na

Economic activities: All economic activities

Sectors covered: All sectors

Labour force status: Employed persons, unemployed persons, persons not economically active

Status in Employment: Employees, employers, own-account workers, contributing family workers

Geographic areas: Whole country

Establishments: NR

Other limitations: Na

TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

Term used to denote 'disability': ‘Longstanding health problem’

Definition of this term: A longstanding health problem is a health condition or disease, which has lasted or is likely to last for at least 6 months.

Source of this definition: Commission Regulation (EC) N° 317/2010
Questions used to identify persons with disabilities: ‘Do any of those basic activities cause any problems?’ (the list of activities is given in the questionnaire). Possible answers: yes, no. ‘With which of the mentioned activities do you have the most problems?’ ‘Do you also have difficulties with other of those basic activities I read out before?’ ‘And which activity causes the next difficulty for you?’ ‘Does one or more of these health restrictions apply to you?’ (health restrictions are given in the questionnaire). Possible answers: yes, one or more of the listed health restrictions or diseases apply; no, none of the listed health restrictions or diseases apply. ‘Do you have a longstanding disease?’ ‘Which of those diseases I just mentioned is most affected by?’ (the list of diseases is given in the questionnaire). ‘Do any other health restrictions or diseases of those I just read out apply to you?’ ‘Which of those would you consider second most important?’ (the list is given in the questionnaire). ‘Does this health condition limit the number of hours that you can work in a week?’ ‘Does your health restriction limit the type of work that you can do to specific jobs?’ ‘Because of your health restriction, would you/do you: need any personal assistance to enable you to work; need special equipment or workplace adaptations to enable you to work; need any special working arrangements to enable you to work?’ ‘Is there any other reason apart from any health restriction that restricts the work you can do?’ ‘Is this limitation in getting to and from work caused by health restrictions or by the daily activity difficulties you mentioned before: the health restriction(s); the activity difficulty(ies); both, the health restriction(s)/disease(s) and the activity difficulty?’ ‘What is the main reason that you are restricted in the work you can do: lack of qualifications/experience; lack of appropriate job opportunities; lack of or poor transportation to and from workplace; employers’ lack of flexibility; affects receipt of benefits; family/caring responsibilities; personal reasons; other reason?’ Possible answers: yes, no.

Minimum duration to be considered as a person with disability: 6 months

CLASSIFICATION

Classifications: Sex, age, level of education, other personal characteristics, type of living arrangements, status in employment, occupation, economic activity, type of disability, categories of beneficiaries in accordance with the Law

Cross-classifications: Cross-classifications based on usual variables of LFS (employment, unemployment, inactivity, education, establishments...) and specific variables of the ad hoc module regarding the persons suffering from health problem (types of health problem or disability), administrative category...

REFERENCE PERIOD: 2nd Quarter 2011

DISSEMINATION

National publications: No

Website: http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/health/disability