**Netherlands**

**SOURCE**

**Name of source:** Labour Force Survey, 2009

**Institution responsible for the statistics:** CBS-weg 116412 EX Heerlen Postal Address: Postbus 44816401 CZ Heerlen, Tel. reception desk: +31 (0)45 570 60 00

**Type of source:** Household survey

**Periodicity:** Yearly

**Objectives:** Na

**COVERAGE**

**Disabilities:** All types (seeing, hearing, walking, communicating, longstanding health condition, a basic activity difficulty)

**Population groups:** 15 to 65 years

**Total population covered:**

**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':** ‘Work disabled’

**Definition of this term:** Work disabled is a person who has ‘chronic illness, disorder or disablement’ and this chronic disorder constitutes an impediment to finding a job or doing paid work.

**Source of this definition:** Na

**Questions used to identify persons with disabilities:** ‘Do you suffer from a chronic illness, disorder or disablement?’
Those who answer affirmatively are invited to describe the nature of their disorder(s). The next question refers to whether they think their chronic disorder constitutes an impediment to finding a job or doing paid work. Respondents who answer affirmatively are considered as work-disabled.

**Minimum duration to be considered as a person with disability:** Na

**CLASSIFICATION**

Classifications: Na

Cross-classifications: No

**REFERENCE PERIOD:** Na

**DISSEMINATION**

National publications: No