

Voluntary work

A supplementary survey called "Voluntary work" was linked to the Labour Force Survey, Q1 2019 which was carried out on the selected sample of households of the basic survey at the same time. 3.0% of the respondents aged 15–74 who answered for the basic survey did not answer for the supplementary survey Q1 2019.

The performance rate of the supplementary survey "Voluntary work", Q1 2019

	It concerns the respondent			Performance rate
	and was answered	but wasn't answered	total	
	persons			%
Total	7 196 366	223 672	7 420 038	97,0
Gender				
Male	3 483 633	119 150	3 602 783	96.7
Female	3 712 733	104 522	3 817 255	97.3
Age group, year-old				
15–24	974 877	38 827	1 013 704	96.2
25–54	3 947 106	126 968	4 074 075	96.9
55–74	2 274 383	57 877	2 332 259	97.5
Economic activity				
Employed	4 356 732	140 320	4 497 052	96.9
Unemployed	162 837	2 885	165 722	98.3
Economically inactive	2 676 797	80 467	2 757 264	97.1

41.1 % of the answered interviews were answered by a third person – other member of the family. The proxy-interviews rate among men is very high 50.2% respectively, while for women this rate was 32.5%.

The proxy-interviews rate of the supplementary survey "Voluntary work", Q1 2019

	Personally answered	Proxy-interviews	Total	Proxy-interview rate
	persons			%
Total	4 241 184	2 955 182	7 196 366	41.1
Gender				
Male	1 735 189	1 748 444	3 483 633	50.2
Female	2 505 995	1 206 738	3 712 733	32.5
Age group, year-old				
15–24	288 087	686 790	974 877	70.4
25–54	2 364 741	1 582 365	3 947 106	40.1
55–74	1 588 356	686 027	2 274 383	30.2
Economic activity				
Employed	2 528 060	1 828 672	4 356 732	42.0
Unemployed	97 596	65 241	162 837	40.1
Economically inactive	1 615 529	1 061 268	2 676 797	39.6

It can be some difference between the same aggregates of the published absolute numbers which is from the weighting and summary. The evaluation of the distribution ratios was happened electronically – without individual correction, so the amount of partial data is not always equal to the displayed rounded value of the aggregated data.

Used terms in the supplementary survey

Voluntary work:

Activity done

- (i) directly or through organization(s),
- (ii) unpaid non-compulsory work without compensation,
- (iii) for others outside of own household or for the society.

(Work performed for parents, child, relative outside of own household is also included.)

Volunteers

People aged 15–74 who indicated in the first question in the questionnaire that they did at least one kind of activity (regularly, occasionally or at least once in the last 12 months) (i) directly or through organization(s), (ii) unpaid non-compulsory work without compensation, (iii) for others outside of own household or for the society. Work performed for parents, child, relative outside of own household is also included.

Voluntary work carried out directly

People aged 15–74 who have done voluntary work in their own organization without mediation in 12 months prior to the survey.

Estimated value of the voluntary work carried out directly

hourly labour income in "Other services" industry * the annual number of hours worked directly in voluntary work

Source of the hourly labour income:

See: Institutional Labour Statistics System (annual labour report, annual tax returns).

The number of hours worked directly in voluntary work

comes from the supplementary survey called "Voluntary work" was linked to the Labour Force Survey. The estimation of value of the voluntary work carried out directly based on the hourly labour income in "Other services" industry and the annual number of hours worked directly in voluntary work.

Equivalent number of persons who did voluntary work directly

Total annual number of hours worked directly in voluntary work

Annual number of hours worked per full-time employee in "Other services" industry

Annual number of hours worked per full-time employee:

See: institutional data collection system (information database, monthly employment report).

The number of hours worked directly in voluntary work

comes from the supplementary survey called "Voluntary work" was linked to the Labour Force Survey. Equivalent number of persons who did voluntary work directly is based on the annual number of hours worked directly in voluntary work and the annual number of hours worked per full-time employee in "Other services" industry as well.

Voluntary work carried out through organization(s)

People aged 15–74 who have done voluntary work for or through a non-profit or other organization(s) in the last 12 months.

The annual number of hours worked in voluntary work through organization(s)

When counting the number of hours worked in voluntary work through organizations, it was possible to mark at most three types of activities at three organizations, and the time spent at other organizations could be reported together.

Estimated value of the voluntary work carried out through organization(s)

hourly labour income * the annual number of hours worked in voluntary work through organization(s)

The hourly labour income:

Data source: Institutional Labour Statistics System (annual labour report, annual tax returns).

Scope of statistical observation: Full range of enterprises (1+), data for all public and social security institutions and non-profit organizations (A-S industries).

Data collection for the enterprise sector is complete for enterprises with 20 or more employees, while for enterprises below 20 employees, the data supply by tax data.

The valuation is based on the hourly labour income by industries.

The number of hours worked in voluntary work through organization(s)

comes from the supplementary survey called "Voluntary work" was linked to the Labour Force Survey. The valuation of the voluntary work carried out through organization(s) by industries is based on the hourly labour income and the annual number of hours worked. The estimated value of the voluntary work carried through organization(s) by demographic and other characteristics is based on the distribution of hours worked.

Equivalent number of persons who did voluntary work through organization(s)

Total annual number of hours worked in voluntary work through organization(s) annual number of hours worked per full-time employee.

Annual number of hours worked per full-time employee:

Data source: institutional data collection system (information database, monthly employment report). Scope of statistical observation: The data of enterprises employing more than four people (5+), all public and social security institutions, as well as selected non-profit organization(s).

The valuation is based on the hourly labour income by industries.

The number of hours worked in voluntary work through organization(s)

comes from the supplementary survey called "Voluntary work" was linked to the Labour Force Survey. The equivalent number of persons who did voluntary work through organization(s) is based on the annual number of hours worked and the annual number of hours worked per full-time employee.

Equivalent number of persons who did voluntary work through organization(s) by demographic and other characteristics is based on the distribution of hours worked.

The annual number of hours worked in voluntary work

Total number of hours of voluntary work carried out directly or through organization(s) in the past 12 months.

The time spent on voluntary work is estimated on the basis of the number of days and the minutes per day.

Estimated value of the voluntary work

The amount of the estimated value of the voluntary work carried out directly and the estimated value of the voluntary work carried out through organization(s).

Equivalent number of persons who did voluntary work

The amount of the equivalent number of persons who did voluntary work directly and the equivalent number of persons who did voluntary work through organization(s).

Annual average number of hours worked

Total number of hours per volunteer of voluntary work carried out directly and/or through organization(s) in the past 12 months.

Annual median number of hours

Number of hours for which half of the volunteers says that they work more hours, and the other half says that they work less hours in voluntary work. (*Median is the middle value of a sequenced data set, i.e. the value which separates the sorted data into two equal parts.*)

The weighted data and sample size of the supplementary survey "Voluntary work", Q1 2019

Characteristics	Did	Didn't do	Total aged 15–74		Sample
	voluntary work				
	%		persons		
Total	33.2	66.8	100.0	7 196 366	38 056
Gender					
Male	31.2	68.8	100.0	3 483 633	18 177
Female	35.0	65.0	100.0	3 712 733	19 879
Age group, year-old					
15–19	38.6	61.4	100.0	457 784	2 519
20–24	27.5	72.5	100.0	517 094	2 474
25–29	26.1	73.9	100.0	594 608	2 457
30–34	29.8	70.2	100.0	573 016	2 490
35–39	31.6	68.4	100.0	655 560	2 806
40–44	31.8	68.2	100.0	817 513	3 781
45–49	34.8	65.2	100.0	693 191	3 396
50–54	37.9	62.1	100.0	613 218	3 274
55–59	36.0	64.0	100.0	553 364	3 296
60–64	37.3	62.7	100.0	666 782	4 290
65–69	36.8	63.2	100.0	597 320	4 078
70–74	28.9	71.1	100.0	456 917	3 195
Highest level of education					
Less than 8 grades of primary school	18.6	81.4	100.0	101 935	742
Primary school	31.4	68.6	100.0	1 428 875	9 343
Vocational and apprentice school	33.9	66.1	100.0	1 787 609	10 513
General secondary school	29.8	70.2	100.0	969 621	4 488
Other secondary school	35.0	65.0	100.0	1 353 536	6 826
Tertiary education	35.4	64.6	100.0	1 554 790	6 144
Type of settlement					
Village	35.6	64.4	100.0	2 518 795	19 102
Town	34.1	65.9	100.0	3 415 320	16 591
Budapest	25.7	74.3	100.0	1 262 251	2 363
Economic activity					
Employed	33.3	66.7	100.0	4 356 732	20 846
Unemployed	33.9	66.1	100.0	162 837	902
Economically inactive	32.9	67.1	100.0	2 676 797	16 308

**The weighted data and sample size of the supplementary survey "Voluntary work",
Q1 2019 (continued)**

Characteristics	Did	Didn't do	Total aged 15–74		Sample
	voluntary work				
	%			persons	
County/region of residence					
Central Hungary	28.8	71.2	100.0	2 172 634	5 933
Budapest	25.7	74.3	100.0	1 262 251	2 363
Pest	33.0	67.0	100.0	910 383	3 570
Central Transdanubia	33.6	66.4	100.0	808 895	4 673
Fejér	30.7	69.3	100.0	321 100	1 881
Komárom-Esztergom	28.1	71.9	100.0	227 956	1 098
Veszprém	42.0	58.0	100.0	259 840	1 694
Western Transdanubia	26.9	73.1	100.0	739 559	4 264
Győr-Moson-Sopron	18.2	81.8	100.0	342 651	1 577
Vas	32.1	67.9	100.0	194 260	1 472
Zala	36.5	63.5	100.0	202 647	1 215
Southern Transdanubia	32.2	67.8	100.0	640 111	4 394
Baranya	31.1	68.9	100.0	270 454	1 801
Somogy	26.3	73.7	100.0	204 178	1 379
Tolna	41.3	58.7	100.0	165 479	1 214
Northern Hungary	39.9	60.1	100.0	826 565	6 076
Borsod-Abaúj-Zemplén	37.1	62.9	100.0	471 250	3 370
Heves	42.1	57.9	100.0	212 692	1 594
Nógrád	46.3	53.7	100.0	142 623	1 112
Northern Great Plain	42.3	57.7	100.0	1 086 589	6 889
Hajdú-Bihar	30.7	69.3	100.0	397 353	2 164
Jász-Nagykun-Szolnok	62.1	37.9	100.0	268 458	1 525
Szabolcs-Szatmár-Bereg	40.6	59.4	100.0	420 778	3 200
Southern Great Plain	32.0	68.0	100.0	922 014	5 827
Bács-Kiskun	37.2	62.8	100.0	377 171	2 825
Békés	27.5	72.5	100.0	250 296	1 540
Csongrád	29.1	70.9	100.0	294 547	1 462