

Labour market data for September 2008 indicate that the full-time gainfully occupied population increased by 3,208 while unemployment decreased by 533 when compared to September 2007.

## Gainfully Occupied Population: September 2008

In the month under review, the labour supply increased by 2,675 persons over the corresponding month in 2007. The full-time gainfully occupied population increased by 3,208 persons, whereas the registered unemployed decreased by 533 persons.

In this way, the labour supply amounted to 151,872 persons. Of these, the full-time gainfully occupied population amounted to 145,776 persons, while the registered unemployed amounted to 6,096 persons.

The net increase of 3,208 gainfully-occupied persons over the twelve-month period to September 2008 was distributed into 2,304 women and 904 men.

On a year-on-year basis, the full-time gainfully occupied population in the public sector decreased by 609 persons. On the other hand, the full-time gainfully occupied population in the private sector increased by 3,817 persons.

In the twelve months to September 2008, full-time employment increased by 2,868 in Malta and by 340 in Gozo.

### Economic activities

In the twelve months to September 2008, the economic activities which registered the main growth in full-time employment were real estate, renting and business activities (NACE 70-74); other community, social and personal service activities (NACE 90-93); and health and social work activities (NACE 85). Accordingly, the sector of real estate, renting and business activities (NACE 70-74) increased its employment by 1,413 persons. On its part, the sector of other community, social and personal service activities (NACE 90-93) gained 473 persons. Health and social work activities (NACE 85) reported an increase of 444 persons, as illustrated in Table 1.

On the downside, the number of the gainfully occupied persons fell in manufacturing (NACE 15-37) and electricity, gas and water supply (NACE 40-41). In fact, employment in manufacturing dropped by 854 persons, while that in the sector of electricity, gas and water supply dropped by 132 persons.

### Self-employment

On a year-on-year basis, the number of self-employed persons increased by 246 to reach 17,112. The two main economic activities in which self-employed persons operate were wholesale and retail trade (NACE 50-52) and construction (NACE 45).

### Part-time employment

In the twelve months to September 2008, part-time employment rose by 2,603. Among part-timers who also hold a full-time job, there was an increase of 847 persons, while those having a part-time job as their primary occupation went up by 1,756 persons, as illustrated in Table 4 ■

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Table 1. Full-time employment classified by NACE Rev 1.1 ...

NACE Code	Economic activity	Average 2006	Average 2007 (Revised)	August 2007	August 2008	September 2007 (Revised)	September 2008
		Total					
1	<b>Agriculture, hunting and related service activities</b>	3,026	2,981	2,983	1,790	2,983	1,796
5	<b>Fishing, fish farming and related service activities</b>	450	511	527	552	520	549
10-14	<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	509	488	483	470	482	475
11	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	181	176	179	169	175	171
14	Other mining and quarrying	328	312	304	301	307	304
15-37	<b>Manufacturing</b>	24,029	23,614	23,404	22,683	23,323	22,469
15	Manufacture of food products and beverages	3,589	3,539	3,587	3,525	3,501	3,519
16	Manufacture of tobacco products	129	22	21	18	21	18
17	Manufacture of textiles	561	530	537	510	532	508
18	Manufacture of wearing apparel; dressing and dyeing of fur	1,163	798	521	427	457	429
19	Tanning and dressing of leather; manufacture of luggage, handbags, saddlery, harness and footwear	233	203	203	140	196	138
20	Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture; manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials	191	172	165	160	167	160
21	Manufacture of pulp, paper and paper products	278	264	263	258	266	260
22	Publishing, printing and reproduction of recorded media	1,654	1,651	1,664	1,657	1,659	1,676
23	Manufacture of refined petroleum products	3	5	6	5	5	4
24	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	947	1,032	1,053	1,159	1,064	1,173
25	Manufacture of rubber and plastic products	1,639	1,663	1,645	1,562	1,645	1,576
26	Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	1,254	1,286	1,301	1,274	1,286	1,275
27	Manufacture of basic metals	161	181	181	164	179	163
28	Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment	1,136	1,124	1,134	1,102	1,159	1,124
29	Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.	537	545	554	522	547	529
30	Manufacture of office machinery and computers	153	124	124	37	119	35
31	Manufacture of electrical machinery and apparatus n.e.c.	1,163	1,298	1,316	1,342	1,323	1,347
32	Manufacture of radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus	3,215	3,151	3,102	2,883	3,081	2,889
33	Manufacture of medical, precision and optical instruments, watches and clocks	950	880	886	954	893	939
34	Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	44	51	53	56	53	57
35	Manufacture of other transport equipment	2,107	2,176	2,166	2,097	2,238	1,760
36	Manufacture of furniture; manufacturing n.e.c.	2,886	2,878	2,880	2,783	2,890	2,841
37	Recycling	36	41	42	48	42	49
40-41	<b>Electricity, gas and water supply</b>	3,249	3,108	3,094	2,968	3,079	2,947
40	Electricity, gas, steam and hot water supply	1,744	1,701	1,700	1,630	1,689	1,630
41	Collection, purification and distribution of water	1,505	1,407	1,394	1,338	1,390	1,317
45	<b>Construction</b>	11,267	11,543	11,503	12,751	11,548	12,788
50-52	<b>Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods</b>	21,149	21,377	21,585	21,817	21,530	21,954
50	Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; retail sale of automotive fuel	3,074	3,096	3,106	3,135	3,152	3,202
51	Wholesale trade and commission trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	8,683	8,765	8,845	9,072	8,754	9,124
52	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; Repair of personal and household goods	9,392	9,516	9,634	9,610	9,624	9,628

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		Total					
<b>55</b>	<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>	<b>9,095</b>	<b>9,897</b>	<b>10,304</b>	<b>10,610</b>	<b>10,178</b>	<b>10,452</b>
<b>60-64</b>	<b>Transport, storage and communication</b>	<b>11,065</b>	<b>10,760</b>	<b>10,811</b>	<b>11,081</b>	<b>10,780</b>	<b>11,147</b>
60	Land transport; transport via pipelines	2,205	2,173	2,183	2,231	2,196	2,238
61	Water transport	370	377	378	419	390	420
62	Air transport	1,693	1,550	1,555	1,584	1,541	1,589
63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies	4,061	4,080	4,124	4,240	4,112	4,249
64	Post and telecommunications	2,736	2,580	2,571	2,607	2,541	2,651
<b>65-67</b>	<b>Financial intermediation</b>	<b>5,163</b>	<b>5,337</b>	<b>5,371</b>	<b>5,610</b>	<b>5,376</b>	<b>5,619</b>
65	Financial intermediation, except Insurance and pension funding	3,822	4,013	4,041	4,275	4,051	4,273
66	Insurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security	661	679	688	782	691	785
67	Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation	680	645	642	553	634	561
<b>70-74</b>	<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>11,129</b>	<b>12,068</b>	<b>12,415</b>	<b>13,674</b>	<b>12,389</b>	<b>13,802</b>
70	Real estate activities	1,032	1,004	975	962	974	957
71	Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods	706	700	698	705	700	721
72	Computer and related activities	1,282	1,418	1,460	1,644	1,446	1,635
73	Research and development	19	19	18	12	20	12
74	Other business activities	8,090	8,927	9,264	10,351	9,249	10,477
<b>75</b>	<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	<b>10,724</b>	<b>10,776</b>	<b>10,856</b>	<b>10,958</b>	<b>10,856</b>	<b>10,941</b>
<b>80</b>	<b>Education</b>	<b>12,134</b>	<b>12,254</b>	<b>12,149</b>	<b>12,332</b>	<b>12,290</b>	<b>12,426</b>
<b>85</b>	<b>Health and social work</b>	<b>9,279</b>	<b>9,582</b>	<b>9,664</b>	<b>10,154</b>	<b>9,751</b>	<b>10,195</b>
<b>90-93</b>	<b>Other community, social and personal service activities</b>	<b>6,291</b>	<b>6,832</b>	<b>6,867</b>	<b>7,387</b>	<b>6,913</b>	<b>7,386</b>
90	Collection and treatment of other waste	454	302	301	313	306	313
91	Activities of membership organization n.e.c.	604	618	618	666	610	657
92	Recreational, cultural and sporting activities	2,358	2,813	2,834	3,086	2,872	3,065
93	Other service activities	2,875	3,099	3,114	3,322	3,125	3,351
<b>95</b>	<b>Activities of Household as employers of domestic staff</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>99</b>	<b>Extra-territorial organizations and bodies</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>166</b>
	<b>Apprentices, trainees and students</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>664</b>
	<b>Total Gainfully Occupied (including apprentices)</b>	<b>139,248</b>	<b>141,798</b>	<b>142,630</b>	<b>145,733</b>	<b>142,568</b>	<b>145,776</b>
	<b>Registered Unemployed</b>	<b>7,326</b>	<b>6,686</b>	<b>6,590</b>	<b>6,121</b>	<b>6,629</b>	<b>6,096</b>
	Part I	6,698	5,973	5,914	5,459	5,940	5,390
	Part II	628	713	676	662	689	706
	<b>Labour Supply</b>	<b>146,574</b>	<b>148,484</b>	<b>149,220</b>	<b>151,854</b>	<b>149,197</b>	<b>151,872</b>

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<b>01</b>	<b>Agriculture, hunting and related service activities</b>	<b>3,026</b>	<b>2,981</b>	<b>2,983</b>	<b>1,790</b>	<b>2,983</b>	<b>1,796</b>
	Private Sector	1,629	1,635	1,639	1,618	1,638	1,627
	Public Sector	1,397	1,346	1,344	172	1,345	169
	Men	2,684	2,635	2,637	1,599	2,642	1,608
	Women	342	346	346	191	341	188
	Self-employed	1,271	1,271	1,272	1,259	1,274	1,263
	Employees	1,755	1,710	1,711	531	1,709	533
	Malta	2,610	2,570	2,570	1,363	2,568	1,371
	Gozo	416	411	413	427	415	425
<b>05</b>	<b>Fishing, fish farming and related service activities</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>549</b>
	Private Sector	450	511	527	552	520	549
	Public Sector	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Men	432	493	509	535	502	532
	Women	18	18	18	17	18	17
	Self-employed	318	314	316	323	312	322
	Employees	132	197	211	229	208	227
	Malta	346	413	428	459	424	456
	Gozo	104	98	99	93	96	93
<b>10-14</b>	<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>475</b>
	Private Sector	509	488	483	470	482	475
	Public Sector	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Men	486	464	458	443	456	446
	Women	23	24	25	27	26	29
	Self-employed	92	91	94	83	89	81
	Employees	417	397	389	387	393	394
	Malta	465	442	436	433	436	438
	Gozo	44	46	47	37	46	37
<b>15-37</b>	<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>24,029</b>	<b>23,614</b>	<b>23,404</b>	<b>22,683</b>	<b>23,323</b>	<b>22,469</b>
	Private Sector	22,273	21,849	21,643	21,091	21,562	21,315
	Public Sector	1,756	1,765	1,761	1,592	1,761	1,154
	Men	17,611	17,486	17,489	16,992	17,522	16,788
	Women	6,418	6,128	5,915	5,691	5,801	5,681
	Self-employed	1,667	1,633	1,622	1,611	1,622	1,615
	Employees	22,362	21,981	21,782	21,072	21,701	20,854
	Malta	23,121	22,686	22,480	21,775	22,405	21,541
	Gozo	908	928	924	908	918	928
<b>40-41</b>	<b>Electricity, gas and water supply</b>	<b>3,249</b>	<b>3,108</b>	<b>3,094</b>	<b>2,968</b>	<b>3,079</b>	<b>2,947</b>
	Private Sector	6	9	10	8	9	10
	Public Sector	3,243	3,099	3,084	2,960	3,070	2,937
	Men	2,999	2,869	2,856	2,725	2,841	2,703
	Women	250	239	238	243	238	244
	Self-employed	5	6	7	5	6	6
	Employees	3,244	3,102	3,087	2,963	3,073	2,941
	Malta	3,006	2,884	2,872	2,757	2,857	2,737
	Gozo	243	224	222	211	222	210
<b>45</b>	<b>Construction</b>	<b>11,267</b>	<b>11,543</b>	<b>11,503</b>	<b>12,751</b>	<b>11,548</b>	<b>12,788</b>
	Private Sector	8,190	8,474	8,455	8,730	8,499	8,798
	Public Sector	3,077	3,069	3,048	4,021	3,049	3,990
	Men	10,911	11,168	11,135	12,219	11,180	12,254
	Women	356	375	368	532	368	534
	Self-employed	2,533	2,570	2,597	2,576	2,590	2,579
	Employees	8,734	8,973	8,906	10,175	8,958	10,209
	Malta	10,298	10,555	10,526	11,761	10,572	11,799
	Gozo	969	988	977	990	976	989
<b>50-52</b>	<b>Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods</b>	<b>21,149</b>	<b>21,377</b>	<b>21,585</b>	<b>21,817</b>	<b>21,530</b>	<b>21,954</b>
	Private Sector	21,124	21,354	21,563	21,798	21,508	21,935
	Public Sector	25	23	22	19	22	19
	Men	15,033	15,041	15,118	15,109	15,124	15,201
	Women	6,116	6,336	6,467	6,708	6,406	6,753
	Self-employed	5,200	5,197	5,198	5,172	5,198	5,178
	Employees	15,949	16,180	16,387	16,645	16,332	16,776
	Malta	20,079	20,296	20,472	20,658	20,415	20,794
	Gozo	1,070	1,081	1,113	1,159	1,115	1,160

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	Private Sector	8,854	9,755	10,189	10,497	10,066	10,339
	Public Sector	241	142	115	113	112	113
	Men	6,281	6,784	6,983	7,097	6,942	7,033
	Women	2,814	3,113	3,321	3,513	3,236	3,419
	Self-employed	802	837	838	890	849	893
	Employees	8,293	9,060	9,466	9,720	9,329	9,559
	Malta	8,436	9,218	9,596	9,865	9,479	9,723
	Gozo	659	679	708	745	699	729
<b>60-64</b>	<b>Transport, storage and communication</b>	<b>11,065</b>	<b>10,760</b>	<b>10,811</b>	<b>11,081</b>	<b>10,780</b>	<b>11,147</b>
	Private Sector	7,640	8,240	8,153	8,958	8,707	9,030
	Public Sector	3,425	2,520	2,658	2,123	2,073	2,117
	Men	8,754	8,508	8,528	8,635	8,528	8,680
	Women	2,311	2,252	2,283	2,446	2,252	2,467
	Self-employed	1,237	1,231	1,246	1,256	1,248	1,263
	Employees	9,828	9,529	9,565	9,825	9,532	9,884
	Malta	10,594	10,283	10,347	10,576	10,269	10,641
	Gozo	471	477	464	505	511	506
<b>65-67</b>	<b>Financial intermediation</b>	<b>5,163</b>	<b>5,337</b>	<b>5,371</b>	<b>5,610</b>	<b>5,376</b>	<b>5,619</b>
	Private Sector	4,683	4,851	4,885	5,114	4,885	5,121
	Public Sector	480	486	486	496	491	498
	Men	2,560	2,630	2,653	2,725	2,658	2,730
	Women	2,603	2,707	2,718	2,885	2,718	2,889
	Self-employed	36	34	36	40	37	41
	Employees	5,127	5,303	5,335	5,570	5,339	5,578
	Malta	4,946	5,110	5,145	5,342	5,151	5,358
	Gozo	217	227	226	268	225	261
<b>70-74</b>	<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>11,129</b>	<b>12,068</b>	<b>12,415</b>	<b>13,674</b>	<b>12,389</b>	<b>13,802</b>
	Private Sector	9,953	10,916	11,264	12,509	11,235	12,644
	Public Sector	1,176	1,152	1,151	1,165	1,154	1,158
	Men	7,916	8,248	8,390	8,999	8,324	9,100
	Women	3,213	3,820	4,025	4,675	4,065	4,702
	Self-employed	1,328	1,489	1,518	1,597	1,519	1,610
	Employees	9,801	10,579	10,897	12,077	10,870	12,192
	Malta	10,748	11,634	11,962	13,177	11,931	13,302
	Gozo	381	434	453	497	458	500
<b>75</b>	<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	<b>10,724</b>	<b>10,776</b>	<b>10,856</b>	<b>10,958</b>	<b>10,856</b>	<b>10,941</b>
	Private Sector	4	4	-	-	-	-
	Public Sector	10,720	10,772	10,856	10,958	10,856	10,941
	Men	7,689	7,712	7,774	7,721	7,769	7,709
	Women	3,035	3,064	3,082	3,237	3,087	3,232
	Self-employed	2	2	-	-	-	-
	Employees	10,722	10,774	10,856	10,958	10,856	10,941
	Malta	9,994	10,032	10,108	10,140	10,107	10,119
	Gozo	730	744	748	818	749	822
<b>80</b>	<b>Education</b>	<b>12,134</b>	<b>12,254</b>	<b>12,149</b>	<b>12,332</b>	<b>12,290</b>	<b>12,426</b>
	Private Sector	2,917	3,080	3,091	3,291	3,119	3,343
	Public Sector	9,217	9,174	9,058	9,041	9,171	9,083
	Men	4,650	4,608	4,564	4,571	4,565	4,579
	Women	7,484	7,646	7,585	7,761	7,725	7,847
	Self-employed	74	97	104	113	104	113
	Employees	12,060	12,157	12,045	12,219	12,186	12,313
	Malta	11,182	11,310	11,206	11,361	11,337	11,440
	Gozo	952	944	943	971	953	986

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	Private Sector	1,470	1,588	1,634	1,794	1,664	1,807
	Public Sector	7,809	7,994	8,030	8,360	8,087	8,388
	Men	4,727	4,766	4,811	4,858	4,817	4,872
	Women	4,562	4,816	4,853	5,296	4,934	5,323
	Self-employed	210	215	215	237	217	233
	Employees	9,069	9,367	9,449	9,917	9,534	9,962
	Malta	8,574	8,882	8,960	9,403	9,047	9,440
	Gozo	705	700	704	751	704	755
<b>90-93</b>	<b>Other community, social and personal service activities</b>	<b>6,291</b>	<b>6,832</b>	<b>6,867</b>	<b>7,387</b>	<b>6,913</b>	<b>7,386</b>
	Private Sector	5,281	6,007	6,051	6,595	6,095	6,593
	Public Sector	1,010	825	816	792	818	793
	Men	3,967	4,215	4,218	4,563	4,259	4,562
	Women	2,324	2,617	2,649	2,824	2,654	2,824
	Self-employed	1,706	1,771	1,790	1,890	1,800	1,915
	Employees	4,585	5,061	5,077	5,497	5,113	5,471
	Malta	5,760	6,306	6,348	6,846	6,384	6,850
	Gozo	531	526	519	541	529	536
<b>95</b>	<b>Activities of Household as employers of domestic staff</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>
	Private Sector	1	1	1	-	1	-
	Public Sector	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Men	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Women	1	1	1	-	1	-
	Self-employed	1	1	1	-	1	-
	Employees	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Malta	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Gozo	1	1	1	-	1	-
<b>99</b>	<b>Extra-territorial organizations and bodies</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>166</b>
	Private Sector	165	158	150	162	146	166
	Public Sector	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Men	98	95	91	110	89	114
	Women	67	63	59	52	57	52
	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Employees	165	158	150	162	146	166
	Malta	165	158	150	162	146	166
	Gozo	-	-	-	-	-	-
	<b>Apprentices, trainees and students*</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>664</b>
	Private Sector	391	395	332	557	326	527
	Public Sector	132	116	131	177	97	137
	Men	466	456	412	645	381	592
	Women	57	55	51	89	42	72
	Self-employed	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Employees	523	511	463	734	423	664
	Malta	504	491	448	698	408	629
	Gozo	19	20	15	36	15	35
	<b>Total full-time employment (incl. Apprentices)</b>	<b>139,248</b>	<b>141,798</b>	<b>142,630</b>	<b>145,733</b>	<b>142,568</b>	<b>145,776</b>
	Private Sector	95,540	99,315	100,070	103,744	100,462	104,279
	Public Sector	43,708	42,483	42,560	41,989	42,106	41,497
	Men	97,264	98,178	98,626	99,546	98,599	99,503
	Women	41,984	43,620	44,004	46,187	43,969	46,273
	Self-employed	16,482	16,759	16,854	17,052	16,866	17,112
	Employees	122,766	125,039	125,776	128,681	125,702	128,664
	Malta	130,828	133,270	134,054	136,776	133,936	136,804
	Gozo	8,420	8,528	8,576	8,957	8,632	8,972

\* Data for NACE categories do not include apprentices, trainees and students; these are shown as a separate category.

Table 3. Part-time employment classified by NACE Rev 1.1 ...

NACE Code	Economic activity	Average 2006	Average 2007 (Revised)	August 2007	August 2008	September 2007 (Revised)	September 2008
		Total					
<b>1</b>	<b>Agriculture, hunting and related service activities</b>	<b>1,388</b>	<b>1,387</b>	<b>1,395</b>	<b>1,424</b>	<b>1,396</b>	<b>1,432</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Fishing, fish farming and related service activities</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>733</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>740</b>
<b>10-14</b>	<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>42</b>
11	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas	10	8	9	11	9	11
14	Other mining and quarrying	33	36	36	30	34	31
<b>15-37</b>	<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>3,301</b>	<b>3,432</b>	<b>3,451</b>	<b>3,606</b>	<b>3,370</b>	<b>3,561</b>
15	Manufacture of food products and beverages	969	1,022	1,028	1,179	1,021	1,163
16	Manufacture of tobacco products	5	2	2	2	2	2
17	Manufacture of textiles	102	85	86	77	71	77
18	Manufacture of wearing apparel; dressing and dyeing of fur	110	108	108	98	105	100
19	Tanning and dressing of leather; manufacture of luggage, handbags, saddlery, harness and footwear	45	49	51	40	52	36
20	Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture; manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials	45	51	52	47	51	49
21	Manufacture of pulp, paper and paper products	10	15	16	18	16	18
22	Publishing, printing and reproduction of recorded media	337	362	350	427	353	420
23	Manufacture of refined petroleum products	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	76	77	78	92	72	84
25	Manufacture of rubber and plastic products	149	87	91	89	81	76
26	Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	136	145	147	148	148	145
27	Manufacture of basic metals	38	44	45	53	44	51
28	Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment	195	193	194	203	195	209
29	Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.	42	45	46	36	45	37
30	Manufacture of office machinery and computers	8	9	8	8	7	7
31	Manufacture of electrical machinery and apparatus n.e.c.	231	250	266	212	255	210
32	Manufacture of radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus	77	81	79	85	76	84
33	Manufacture of medical, precision and optical instruments, watches and clocks	58	42	37	38	37	35
34	Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	16	23	24	28	25	27
35	Manufacture of other transport equipment	55	62	63	68	60	67
36	Manufacture of furniture; manufacturing n.e.c.	594	676	677	654	651	660
37	Recycling	3	4	3	4	3	4
<b>40-41</b>	<b>Electricity, gas and water supply</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
40	Electricity, gas, steam and hot water supply	18	17	17	18	17	18
41	Collection, purification and distribution of water	12	11	11	11	11	11
<b>45</b>	<b>Construction</b>	<b>1,319</b>	<b>1,344</b>	<b>1,339</b>	<b>1,382</b>	<b>1,335</b>	<b>1,377</b>

... Table 3. Part-time employment classified by NACE Rev 1.1

NACE Code	Economic activity	Average 2006	Average 2007 (Revised)	August 2007	August 2008	September 2007 (Revised)	September 2008
		Total					
<b>50-52</b>	<b>Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods</b>	<b>7,196</b>	<b>7,779</b>	<b>7,813</b>	<b>8,383</b>	<b>7,765</b>	<b>8,395</b>
50	Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; retail sale of automotive fuel	825	853	853	883	850	887
51	Wholesale trade and commission trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	2,378	2,619	2,591	2,811	2,570	2,796
52	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; Repair of personal and household goods	3,993	4,307	4,369	4,689	4,345	4,712
<b>55</b>	<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>	<b>8,056</b>	<b>8,422</b>	<b>9,082</b>	<b>9,599</b>	<b>8,714</b>	<b>9,161</b>
<b>60-64</b>	<b>Transport, storage and communication</b>	<b>1,827</b>	<b>2,001</b>	<b>2,088</b>	<b>2,307</b>	<b>2,049</b>	<b>2,314</b>
60	Land transport; transport via pipelines	801	868	867	941	869	951
61	Water transport	80	81	89	74	76	74
62	Air transport	11	52	116	98	114	94
63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies	666	712	736	842	721	823
64	Post and telecommunications	269	288	280	352	269	372
<b>65-67</b>	<b>Financial intermediation</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>524</b>
65	Financial intermediation, except Insurance and pension funding	136	200	233	171	200	174
66	Insurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security	136	155	175	201	164	185
67	Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation	162	171	168	166	163	165
<b>70-74</b>	<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>5,848</b>	<b>6,401</b>	<b>6,706</b>	<b>7,136</b>	<b>6,734</b>	<b>7,164</b>
70	Real estate activities	555	536	569	585	545	569
71	Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods	346	373	374	409	379	407
72	Computer and related activities	195	224	230	283	230	286
73	Research and development	12	11	11	8	11	9
74	Other business activities	4,740	5,257	5,522	5,851	5,569	5,893
<b>75</b>	<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	<b>1,221</b>	<b>1,138</b>	<b>1,109</b>	<b>1,133</b>	<b>1,096</b>	<b>1,088</b>
<b>80</b>	<b>Education</b>	<b>4,671</b>	<b>5,290</b>	<b>5,408</b>	<b>4,882</b>	<b>5,284</b>	<b>4,812</b>
<b>85</b>	<b>Health and social work</b>	<b>2,572</b>	<b>2,711</b>	<b>2,781</b>	<b>3,201</b>	<b>2,690</b>	<b>3,079</b>
<b>90-93</b>	<b>Other community, social and personal service activities</b>	<b>4,113</b>	<b>4,590</b>	<b>4,651</b>	<b>5,201</b>	<b>4,655</b>	<b>5,260</b>
90	Collection and treatment of other waste	106	108	106	99	104	101
91	Activities of membership organization n.e.c.	465	519	523	615	523	608
92	Recreational, cultural and sporting activities	1,966	2,169	2,185	2,309	2,155	2,330
93	Other service activities	1,576	1,794	1,837	2,178	1,873	2,221
<b>95</b>	<b>Activities of household as employers of domestic staff</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>99</b>	<b>Extra-territorial organizations and bodies</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>
	<b>Total Part-time Employment</b>	<b>42,537</b>	<b>45,773</b>	<b>47,169</b>	<b>49,612</b>	<b>46,392</b>	<b>48,995</b>

Table 4. Sectoral distribution of part-time employment classified by NACE Rev 1.1 ...

NACE Code	Economic activity	Average 2006	Average 2007 (Revised)	August 2007	August 2008	September 2007 (Revised)	September 2008
<b>01</b>	<b>Agriculture, hunting and related service activities</b>	<b>1,388</b>	<b>1,387</b>	<b>1,395</b>	<b>1,424</b>	<b>1,396</b>	<b>1,432</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	835	805	805	798	805	801
	Men	811	778	778	770	778	774
	Women	24	27	27	28	27	27
	Part timers as a primary job	553	582	590	626	591	631
	Men	464	487	490	522	492	525
	Women	89	95	100	104	99	106
<b>05</b>	<b>Fishing, fish farming and related service activities</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>733</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>740</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	346	466	481	520	484	525
	Men	341	459	474	508	476	513
	Women	5	7	7	12	8	12
	Part timers as a primary job	152	196	199	213	205	215
	Men	132	176	178	190	184	192
	Women	20	20	21	23	21	23
<b>10-14</b>	<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>42</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	19	17	17	15	17	15
	Men	17	16	16	14	16	14
	Women	2	1	1	1	1	1
	Part timers as a primary job	24	27	28	26	26	27
	Men	17	20	20	20	20	21
	Women	7	7	8	6	6	6
<b>15-37</b>	<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>3,301</b>	<b>3,432</b>	<b>3,451</b>	<b>3,606</b>	<b>3,370</b>	<b>3,561</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	1,496	1,469	1,455	1,560	1,424	1,547
	Men	1,267	1,237	1,238	1,319	1,215	1,311
	Women	229	232	217	241	209	236
	Part timers as a primary job	1,805	1,963	1,996	2,046	1,946	2,014
	Men	900	979	1,014	1,053	989	1,033
	Women	905	984	982	993	957	981
<b>40-41</b>	<b>Electricity, gas and water supply</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	19	19	20	19	19	18
	Men	17	17	18	17	17	16
	Women	2	2	2	2	2	2
	Part timers as a primary job	11	9	8	10	9	11
	Men	10	7	6	8	7	9
	Women	1	2	2	2	2	2
<b>45</b>	<b>Construction</b>	<b>1,319</b>	<b>1,344</b>	<b>1,339</b>	<b>1,382</b>	<b>1,335</b>	<b>1,377</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	788	756	743	767	746	765
	Men	768	740	730	748	731	748
	Women	20	16	13	19	15	17
	Part timers as a primary job	531	588	596	615	589	612
	Men	472	522	532	542	526	538
	Women	59	66	64	73	63	74
<b>50-52</b>	<b>Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods</b>	<b>7,196</b>	<b>7,779</b>	<b>7,813</b>	<b>8,383</b>	<b>7,765</b>	<b>8,395</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	2,713	2,925	2,938	3,161	2,941	3,175
	Men	2,006	2,106	2,114	2,227	2,125	2,220
	Women	707	819	824	934	816	955
	Part timers as a primary job	4,483	4,854	4,875	5,222	4,824	5,220
	Men	1,477	1,619	1,644	1,797	1,619	1,797
	Women	3,006	3,235	3,231	3,425	3,205	3,423
<b>55</b>	<b>Hotels and restaurants</b>	<b>8,056</b>	<b>8,422</b>	<b>9,082</b>	<b>9,599</b>	<b>8,714</b>	<b>9,161</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	3,152	3,287	3,401	3,612	3,322	3,496
	Men	2,365	2,415	2,468	2,570	2,427	2,481
	Women	787	872	933	1,042	895	1,015
	Part timers as a primary job	4,904	5,135	5,681	5,987	5,392	5,665
	Men	2,047	2,209	2,460	2,703	2,333	2,566
	Women	2,857	2,926	3,221	3,284	3,059	3,099
<b>60-64</b>	<b>Transport, storage and communication</b>	<b>1,827</b>	<b>2,001</b>	<b>2,088</b>	<b>2,307</b>	<b>2,049</b>	<b>2,314</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	759	826	830	933	817	946
	Men	624	675	672	748	662	754
	Women	135	151	158	185	155	192
	Part timers as a primary job	1,068	1,175	1,258	1,374	1,232	1,368
	Men	606	670	696	772	691	785
	Women	462	505	562	602	541	583

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NACE Code	Economic activity	Average 2006	Average 2007 (Revised)	August 2007	August 2008	September 2007 (Revised)	September 2008
<b>65-67</b>	<b>Financial intermediation</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>524</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	114	150	154	165	143	170
	Men	78	101	100	113	95	114
	Women	36	49	54	52	48	56
	Part timers as a primary job	320	376	422	373	384	354
	Men	96	124	139	125	125	118
	Women	224	252	283	248	259	236
<b>70-74</b>	<b>Real estate, renting and business activities</b>	<b>5,848</b>	<b>6,401</b>	<b>6,706</b>	<b>7,136</b>	<b>6,734</b>	<b>7,164</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	3,035	3,326	3,455	3,680	3,483	3,682
	Men	2,223	2,428	2,511	2,633	2,536	2,635
	Women	812	898	944	1,047	947	1,047
	Part timers as a primary job	2,813	3,075	3,251	3,456	3,251	3,482
	Men	1,213	1,266	1,324	1,431	1,354	1,460
	Women	1,600	1,809	1,927	2,025	1,897	2,022
<b>75</b>	<b>Public administration and defence; compulsory social security</b>	<b>1,221</b>	<b>1,138</b>	<b>1,109</b>	<b>1,133</b>	<b>1,096</b>	<b>1,088</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	360	309	286	318	294	293
	Men	222	198	192	195	192	172
	Women	138	111	94	123	102	121
	Part timers as a primary job	861	829	823	815	802	795
	Men	161	163	165	182	154	164
	Women	700	666	658	633	648	631
<b>80</b>	<b>Education</b>	<b>4,671</b>	<b>5,290</b>	<b>5,408</b>	<b>4,882</b>	<b>5,284</b>	<b>4,812</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	2,303	2,711	2,752	2,227	2,715	2,191
	Men	1,268	1,433	1,435	1,170	1,419	1,154
	Women	1,035	1,278	1,317	1,057	1,296	1,037
	Part timers as a primary job	2,368	2,579	2,656	2,655	2,569	2,621
	Men	672	760	809	774	792	744
	Women	1,696	1,819	1,847	1,881	1,777	1,877
<b>85</b>	<b>Health and social work</b>	<b>2,572</b>	<b>2,711</b>	<b>2,781</b>	<b>3,201</b>	<b>2,690</b>	<b>3,079</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	1,052	1,083	1,082	1,297	1,074	1,253
	Men	539	553	551	572	549	576
	Women	513	530	531	725	525	677
	Part timers as a primary job	1,520	1,628	1,699	1,904	1,616	1,826
	Men	221	230	236	307	217	286
	Women	1,299	1,398	1,463	1,597	1,399	1,540
<b>90-93</b>	<b>Other community, social and personal service activities</b>	<b>4,113</b>	<b>4,590</b>	<b>4,651</b>	<b>5,201</b>	<b>4,655</b>	<b>5,260</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	1,861	2,036	2,036	2,265	2,045	2,299
	Men	1,326	1,445	1,444	1,543	1,443	1,549
	Women	535	591	592	722	602	750
	Part timers as a primary job	2,252	2,554	2,615	2,936	2,610	2,961
	Men	936	1,089	1,116	1,230	1,105	1,230
	Women	1,316	1,465	1,499	1,706	1,505	1,731
<b>95</b>	<b>Activities of household as employers of domestic staff</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Men	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Women	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Part timers as a primary job	2	1	1	1	1	1
	Men	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Women	2	1	1	1	1	1
<b>99</b>	<b>Extra-territorial organizations and bodies</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	4	3	3	3	3	3
	Men	4	3	3	3	3	3
	Women	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Part timers as a primary job	14	14	13	13	13	13
	Men	5	5	4	4	4	4
	Women	9	9	9	9	9	9
<b>01 - 99</b>	<b>Total Part-time Employment</b>	<b>42,537</b>	<b>45,773</b>	<b>47,169</b>	<b>49,612</b>	<b>46,392</b>	<b>48,995</b>
	Part timers who also hold a full-time job	18,856	20,188	20,458	21,340	20,332	21,179
	Men	13,876	14,604	14,744	15,150	14,684	15,034
	Women	4,980	5,584	5,714	6,190	5,648	6,145
	Part timers as a primary job	23,681	25,585	26,711	28,272	26,060	27,816
	Men	9,429	10,326	10,833	11,660	10,612	11,472
	Women	14,252	15,259	15,878	16,612	15,448	16,344

## **Methodological Notes**

1. In line with international methodology, annual data are being presented as an average for each respective year.
2. The statistics in this release are based on the administrative records of the Employment and Training Corporation (ETC).
3. The data in this release are to be considered as current and therefore subject to revision. Monthly data are revised in T+12.
4. Full/part-time status is defined by what the employer (employer or self-employed) declares in the Engagement Form which is required to be sent to the ETC upon the commencement of employment.

## **Definitions**

**Part 1 of the unemployment register:** Those registering under Part 1 are either new job seekers who have left school, re-entrants into the labour market, and job losers who have been made redundant by their former employer.

**Part 2 of the unemployment register:** Those registering under Part 2 are either workers who have been dismissed from work due to disciplinary action, left work out of their own free will, refused work or training opportunities or were struck off the register after an inspection by the Law Enforcement personnel.

**Apprentices, trainees and students:** Includes apprentices, trainees, Junior College and University students in the summer work-phase, undergraduate trainees, and trainees with fixed contracts.

**Labour Supply:** The sum of the full-time gainfully occupied population and the registered unemployed population.

**Malta/Gozo employment:** Data on regional employment differ on the basis of economic sector. Accordingly, the data of the private sector depend on employee residence, whereas the data of the public sector depend on employer information of location of its employees.