

Section

7

Occupation and Employment

Introduction

The FRS asks a number of questions relating to income from jobs and the number of jobs held, from which the respondents' employment, economic and socio-economic status are derived, as well as the Standard Occupational

Classification of their job. For those respondents not working, questions are asked regarding why they are not working and how long it is since they last worked.

Contents and points to note when interpreting tables

Tables 7.1 and 7.3 analyse employment status by sex, age, and then Government Office Region. The Glossary provides definitions for the categories of employment status used within the FRS. It should be noted that the FRS definitions for full time work, self-employment and unemployment differ from those used within the HBAI report. The FRS definition for employment is based upon self-assessment in contrast to the HBAI definition which is based upon working thirty one hours or more a week. All individuals are classified as unemployed by HBAI if they are in receipt of Jobseeker's Allowance, even if they have undertaken unpaid work in a family business within the last seven days, whereas such respondents are classified as employed on the FRS.

In line with ILO definitions, if someone is on a government training scheme for employment, is working unpaid or receives money for an odd job, they are classified as a working adult on the FRS. However, these people are not asked the Standard Occupational Classification question.

Table 7.6 looks at the proportion of adults working, but not self employed, who are in receipt of non-financial benefits from their employer. Table 7.7 analyses all working adults, including the self employed, in terms of their total hours worked.

The economic status of benefit units with children or child care costs are examined in Table 7.10.

Table 7.12 shows pension provision by employment status and age. It should be noted that the "other" category in this table includes those who are; ILO unemployed, looking after family/home, permanently or temporarily sick or disabled and other inactive, but excludes students and the retired. This explains why the "other" group is not as large as might be expected and why the total males, females and adults sample counts are smaller than those shown in Table 7.1.

Information on employment status and social class, analysed by religion and sex, is available in Tables 7.17 and 7.18.

Information on travel to work is shown in tables 7.13 – 7.16. This information has been reinstated for the 2004-05 survey year (see introductions for details).

Key definitions used

(For a full explanation of all definitions please refer to the Glossary)

- Adult
- Age
- Any pension
- Benefit unit
- Childcare costs
- Economic status
- Employee packages
- Employment status
- Ethnic group
- Government Office Region
- Head of benefit unit
- Occupational pension
- Personal pension
- Savings
- Stakeholder pension
- Standard Occupational Classification
- Total weekly adult income
- Total weekly benefit unit income
- Working age

Changes to tables between 2003-04 and 2004-05

Table 7.4 has been permanently removed from the publication as the sample sizes upon which it is based have been deemed as too small.

The questions on travel to work have been rotated on to survey for 2004-05. Tables 7.13 to 7.16

have been reinstated for this report. (see Introduction for details).

Cost of travelling to work by taxi was collected for the first time this year and is included in Tables 7.14 and 7.15.

Section 7 Summary

- 47% of male employees are working full-time compared to 30% of female employees.
- 10% of adults are permanently sick or disabled compared to 6% in the UK as a whole.
- 6% of male employees have a company vehicle compared to only 1% of female employees.
- 24% of male employees receive at least one allowance or benefit from their employer, compared to 19% of females.
- 16% of males are working 51 hours or more compared to 4% of females.
- Self-employed males are more likely to have no pension scheme (52%) compared to employed males (47%).
- 97% of 'other males' and 'other females' (excluding retired and students) have no pension scheme.
- 54% of self employed adults (excluding retired and students) have no pension scheme, compared to 51% of employed adults.
- 5% of working adults work from home, with the largest category being skilled trades occupations.
- 21% of adults work at least 10, but under 25 miles from home.
- 79% of all working adults travel to work by car or van; 12% walk; and 5% take the bus.
- 24% of all working adults spend more than 10% of their total income on travelling to work.
- 38% of Protestants are working full-time employees compared to 37% of Catholics.
- 1% of Protestants are ILO unemployed compared to 3% of Catholics.
- 10% of Protestants are managers & senior officials compared to 8% of Catholics, whilst 27% of male Catholics work in skilled trade occupations compared to 30% of Protestants.

Table 7.1: Adults by sex, employment status and age

Employment status	Percentage of Adults									
	Age									
	16 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 64	65 to 74	75 to 84	85 or over	All Males
Males										
Employees										
full time	55	71	60	51	40	22	2	.	.	47
part time	12	1	3	4	5	4	1	.	.	4
Self employed										
full time	6	14	20	20	21	11	5	.	.	14
part time	0	0	2	2	1	2	2	.	.	1
All in employment										
full time	61	85	80	71	61	32	7	.	.	61
part time	12	1	5	6	7	5	3	.	.	5
ILO unemployed	10	3	2	3	2	1	0	.	.	3
Retired	0	-	0	2	12	22	85	.	.	17
Student	14	-	-	0	0	0	0	.	.	2
Looking after family/home	0	-	1	1	0	1	1	.	.	1
Permanently sick/disabled	3	7	7	15	17	35	4	.	.	10
Temporarily sick/disabled	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	.	.	-
Other inactive	1	1	4	2	1	3	0	.	.	2
Sample size (=100%)	167	252	349	264	145	116	160	98	10	1,561
Type of account	Percentage of Adults									
	Age									
	16 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 64	65 to 74	75 to 84	85 or over	All Females
Females										
Employees										
full time	46	51	39	37	14	8	1	0	.	30
part time	25	18	26	22	24	12	3	1	.	18
Self employed										
full time	1	4	4	2	5	5	-	0	.	3
part time	-	1	1	1	2	2	-	2	.	1
All in employment										
full time	47	54	42	39	19	12	1	0	.	33
part time	25	20	27	23	27	14	3	3	.	19
ILO unemployed	4	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	.	1
Retired	0	0	-	5	13	51	88	97	.	23
Student	11	1	1	-	0	0	0	0	.	2
Looking after family/home	8	13	11	7	11	3	1	0	.	8
Permanently sick/disabled	2	8	13	18	21	15	5	0	.	10
Temporarily sick/disabled	-	-	1	1	0	0	0	0	.	-
Other inactive	3	3	2	6	8	5	1	0	.	3
Sample size (=100%)	224	345	378	290	135	132	197	126	24	1,851

Table 7.1: Adults by sex, employment status and age (continued)

Employment status	Percentage of Adults									All Adults
	Age									
	16 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 64	65 to 74	75 to 84	85 or over	
Total adults										
Employees										
full time	51	60	49	44	27	14	1	-	.	38
part time	18	10	15	14	15	8	2	1	.	11
Self employed										
full time	3	9	12	11	13	8	3	1	.	8
part time	-	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	.	1
All in employment										
full time	54	69	61	55	40	22	4	2	.	46
part time	18	11	16	15	16	10	3	2	.	12
ILO unemployed	7	2	2	2	1	1	0	0	.	2
Retired	0	-	-	3	13	37	87	96	.	20
Student	12	1	1	-	0	0	0	0	.	2
Looking after family/home	4	7	6	4	5	2	1	0	.	4
Permanently sick/disabled	2	7	10	17	19	24	5	0	.	10
Temporarily sick/disabled	-	1	1	-	0	0	0	0	.	-
Other inactive	2	2	3	4	5	4	1	0	.	3
Sample size (=100%)	391	597	727	554	280	248	357	224	34	3,412

The information presented in Table 7.2 omitted from NI Report due to small sample size of ethnic groups.

Table 7.3: Adults by sex, employment status and region

								Percentage of adults
Government Office Region								
Employment status	North East	North West and Merseyside	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	Eastern	London	
Males								
Employees								
full time	49	51	52	55	52	52	52	
part time	4	4	5	4	4	5	5	
Self employed								
full time	7	7	7	7	8	12	11	
part time	-	1	1	1	2	1	1	
All in employment								
full time	56	58	59	62	60	64	63	
part time	4	6	6	5	6	6	7	
ILO unemployed	4	3	4	2	4	2	4	
Retired	20	19	18	19	18	18	13	
Student	3	2	2	1	2	1	5	
Looking after family/home	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	
Permanently sick/disabled	9	9	9	7	6	5	6	
Temporarily sick/disabled	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	
Other inactive	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	
Sample size (=100%)	879	2,455	1,626	1,585	1,836	1,897	2,055	
Government Office Region								
Employment status	North East	North West and Merseyside	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	Eastern	London	
Females								
Employees								
full time	26	29	30	31	30	31	35	
part time	21	20	21	19	19	20	14	
Self employed								
full time	1	2	2	2	1	2	4	
part time	-	1	1	1	1	3	2	
All in employment								
full time	27	31	32	33	31	33	39	
part time	22	21	22	21	21	23	16	
ILO unemployed	2	2	2	1	2	2	3	
Retired	27	25	25	25	26	24	19	
Student	2	2	1	1	2	1	3	
Looking after family/home	8	8	9	8	9	9	13	
Permanently sick/disabled	8	8	5	6	5	4	4	
Temporarily sick/disabled	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	
Other inactive	4	3	4	3	3	3	3	
Sample size (=100%)	1,028	2,754	1,858	1,719	2,015	2,071	2,427	

Table 7.3: Continued

Employment status	Government Office Region							Percentage of adults
	North East	North West and Merseyside	Yorkshire and the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	Eastern	London	
All adults								
Employees								
full time	37	40	41	43	41	41	44	
part time	13	12	13	12	12	13	10	
Self employed								
full time	4	4	4	5	5	7	7	
part time	-	1	1	1	1	2	2	
All in employment								
full time	41	44	45	47	45	48	51	
part time	13	14	14	13	13	15	12	
ILO unemployed	3	2	3	2	3	2	3	
Retired	23	22	21	22	22	22	16	
Student	2	2	1	1	2	1	4	
Looking after family/home	4	4	5	5	5	5	7	
Permanently sick/disabled	9	8	7	6	6	4	5	
Temporarily sick/disabled	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	
Other inactive	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	
Sample size (=100%)	1,907	5,209	3,484	3,304	3,851	3,968	4,482	

Table 7.3: Adults by sex, employment status and region (continued)

Percentage of adults							
Employment status	Government Office Region					Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
	South East	South West	England	Wales	Scotland		
Males							
Employees							
full time	54	52	52	48	53	47	52
part time	4	5	5	3	5	4	4
Self employed							
full time	11	10	9	10	7	14	9
part time	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
All in employment							
full time	65	62	62	58	60	61	61
part time	6	7	6	4	6	5	6
ILO unemployed	3	2	3	3	4	3	3
Retired	18	20	18	21	18	17	18
Student	2	1	2	1	2	2	2
Looking after family/home	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Permanently sick/disabled	4	5	6	10	8	10	7
Temporarily sick/disabled	-	-	-	1	1	-	1
Other inactive	1	2	2	2	2	2	2
Sample size (=100%)	2,862	1,764	16,959	1,038	3,610	1,561	23,168
Employment status	Government Office Region					Northern Ireland	United Kingdom
	South East	South West	England	Wales	Scotland		
Females							
Employees							
full time	31	29	31	28	32	30	31
part time	21	21	19	18	19	18	19
Self employed							
full time	3	2	2	2	2	3	2
part time	3	2	2	2	1	1	2
All in employment							
full time	34	31	33	30	34	33	33
part time	24	23	21	20	20	19	21
ILO unemployed	2	2	2	2	2	1	2
Retired	25	29	24	28	25	23	25
Student	1	1	2	2	2	2	2
Looking after family/home	8	6	9	6	6	8	8
Permanently sick/disabled	3	5	5	9	7	10	6
Temporarily sick/disabled	-	-	1	1	1	-	1
Other inactive	2	3	3	3	3	3	3
Sample size (=100%)	3,078	1,975	18,925	1,156	4,120	1,851	26,052

Table 7.3: Continued

Employment status	Government Office Region						Percentage of adults	
	South East	South West	England	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom	
	All adults							
Employees								
full time	42	40	41	37	42	38	41	
part time	13	13	12	11	12	11	12	
Self employed								
full time	7	6	6	6	4	8	6	
part time	2	2	2	2	1	1	2	
All in employment								
full time	49	46	47	43	46	46	46	
part time	15	15	14	13	14	12	14	
ILO unemployed	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	
Retired	22	24	21	24	22	20	21	
Student	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	
Looking after family/home	4	3	5	3	3	4	5	
Permanently sick/disabled	4	5	6	9	7	10	6	
Temporarily sick/disabled	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	
Other inactive	2	3	3	3	2	3	3	
Sample size (=100%)	5,940	3,739	35,884	2,194	7,730	3,412	49,220	

The information presented in Table 7.4 omitted from NI Report due to insufficient sample size.

The information presented in Table 7.5 omitted from NI Report due to small sample size of working-age unemployed.

Table 7.6: Employers' packages: employees by type of allowance or benefit and sex

Employers' package	Percentage of employees		All employees
	Male	Female	
Childcare provisions/vouchers	-	-	-
Mileage allowances	2	2	2
Refunds of motoring expenses	1	-	-
Refunds of household expenditure	-	-	-
Luncheon Vouchers	1	-	-
Free or subsidised meals/canteen	13	12	12
Free or subsidised goods	1	1	1
Free or subsidised medical insurance	2	1	2
Shares or share options	2	2	2
Payment of school fees	0	0	0
Phone for personal and work use	4	2	3
Company Vehicle	6	1	3
Any other package	1	1	1
Any allowance/benefit	24	19	21
No allowances/benefits in kind	76	81	79
Sample size (=100%)	755	866	1,621

Table 7.7: Working adults by sex, total hours worked and Standard Occupational Classification

Percentage of working adults

Hours worked	Standard Occupational Classification										All male working adults
	Managers & Senior Officials	Professional Occupations	Technical Occupations	Admin & Secretarial Occupations	Skilled Trades Occupations	Personal Service Occupations	Sales & Customer Service	Process, Plant & Machine Operatives	Elementary Occupations	Not recorded	
Male											
Less than 16	1	4	1	.	1	.	.	1	6	.	5
16 and less than 31	5	5	5	.	4	.	.	5	15	.	6
31 and less than 41	32	43	51	.	47	.	.	49	47	.	45
41 and less than 51	37	29	27	.	29	.	.	31	25	.	27
51 and less than 61	17	11	12	.	10	.	.	8	4	.	10
61 or over	8	8	4	.	9	.	.	5	3	.	6
Sample size (=100%)	122	126	118	68	268	12	41	124	103	21	1,003

Hours worked	Standard Occupational Classification										All female working adults
	Managers & Senior Officials	Professional Occupations	Technical Occupations	Admin & Secretarial Occupations	Skilled Trades Occupations	Personal Service Occupations	Sales & Customer Service	Process, Plant & Machine Operatives	Elementary Occupations	Not recorded	
Female											
Less than 16	.	10	6	6	.	9	18	.	.	.	12
16 and less than 31	.	16	25	29	.	41	45	.	.	.	30
31 and less than 41	.	47	50	57	.	37	27	.	.	.	42
41 and less than 51	.	18	16	7	.	9	8	.	.	.	11
51 and less than 61	.	9	3	1	.	3	3	.	.	.	3
61 or over	.	0	0	0	.	2	0	.	.	.	1
Sample size (=100%)	62	104	145	203	29	152	108	14	94	24	935

Hours worked	Standard Occupational Classification										All working adults
	Managers & Senior Officials	Professional Occupations	Technical Occupations	Admin & Secretarial Occupations	Skilled Trades Occupations	Personal Service Occupations	Sales & Customer Service	Process, Plant & Machine Operatives	Elementary Occupations	Not recorded	
All											
Less than 16	1	7	4	6	2	8	16	1	16	.	8
16 and less than 31	7	10	16	22	5	39	35	7	30	.	17
31 and less than 41	38	45	51	58	47	38	33	51	33	.	44
41 and less than 51	33	24	21	10	28	10	9	29	16	.	20
51 and less than 61	13	10	7	3	10	3	6	7	3	.	7
61 or over	8	5	2	1	8	2	1	5	2	.	4
Sample size (=100%)	184	230	263	271	297	164	149	138	197	45	1,938

The information presented in Table 7.8 omitted from NI Report due to small sample size of benefit units with child care costs.

The information presented in Table 7.9 omitted from NI Report due to small sample size of benefit units with child care costs.

Table 7.10: Benefit units with children by economic status and age of youngest child

Economic status	Percentage of benefit units with children					All benefit units with children	All benefit units with children
	Couples with children		Singles with children				
	Age of youngest child						
	4 and under	5 to 10	11 to 15	16 to 19			
Self employed	26	23	.	.	23	2	
Single or couple, in full-time work	24	23	.	.	23	19	
Couple, one in full-time work, one in part-time work	19	23	.	.	21	26	
Couple, one in full-time work, one not working	24	16	.	.	20	4	
One or more in part-time work	4	6	.	.	5	26	
Head or spouse aged 60 or over	0	0	.	.	-	24	
Head or spouse unemployed	1	1	.	.	2	216	
Head or spouse sick or disabled	2	6	.	.	5	0	
Others	0	1	.	.	-	24	
Sample size (=100%)	213	156	97	25	491	216	

The information presented in Table 7.11 omitted from NI Report due to small sample size of unemployed benefit units.

Table 7.12: Pension provision: adults by employment status

Pension provision	Percentage of adults who are neither students nor retired					
	Male			Female		
	Employees	Self-Employed	Other	Employees	Self-Employed	Other
Occupational pension only	42	1	1	39	.	1
Personal pension or stakeholder pension	10	47	2	6	.	2
Occupational, personal and stakeholder pensions	1	0	0	1	.	0
Occupational or personal or stakeholder pension or all	53	48	3	46	.	3
No pension scheme	47	52	97	54	.	97
Sample size (=100%)	755	248	245	866	69	467
	All					
	All Adult	Adult Self-Employed	All Other			
Pension provision	Employees	Employed	Other			
All adults						
Occupational pension only	40	2	1			
Personal pension or stakeholder pension	8	44	2			
Occupational, personal and stakeholder pensions	1	-	0			
Occupational or personal or stakeholder pension or all	49	46	3			
No pension scheme	51	54	97			
Sample size (=100%)	1,621	317	712			

Table 7.13: Travelling to work: working adults by sex and distance and social class

Distance travelled to work	Percentage of working adults										
	Standard Occupational Classification										
	Managers & Senior Officials	Professional Occupations	Associate Technical Occupations	Admin & Secretarial Occupations	Skilled Trades Occupations	Personal Service Occupations	Sales & Customer Service	Process, Plant & Machine Operatives	Elementary Occupations	Not recorded	All
Working males											
Work from home	6	7	2	.	11	.	.	6	2	.	6
Varies - no usual place of work	2	4	4	.	24	.	.	16	10	.	13
Under a mile	3	7	3	.	6	.	.	10	10	.	7
1 but under 2 miles	8	7	8	.	6	.	.	9	19	.	9
2 but under 5 miles	16	19	21	.	16	.	.	19	23	.	19
5 but under 10 miles	16	20	19	.	14	.	.	14	24	.	16
10 but under 25 miles	36	22	29	.	18	.	.	18	9	.	22
25 miles or more	14	15	12	.	5	.	.	8	3	.	8
Sample size (=100%)	122	126	118	68	268	12	41	124	103	21	1,003

Table 7.13: Continued

Distance travelled to work	Standard Occupational Classification										All
	Managers & Senior Officials	Professional Occupations	Associate Prof. & Technical Occupations	Admin & Secretarial Occupations	Skilled Trades Occupations	Personal Service Occupations	Sales & Customer Service	Process, Plant & Machine Operatives	Elementary Occupations	Not recorded	
Working females											
Work from home	.	3	3	6	.	7	2	.	.	.	5
Varies - no usual place of work	.	8	6	0	.	5	1	.	.	.	5
Under a mile	.	4	8	10	.	18	24	.	.	.	15
1 but under 2 miles	.	9	6	8	.	18	20	.	.	.	12
2 but under 5 miles	.	22	23	25	.	17	23	.	.	.	22
5 but under 10 miles	.	19	19	18	.	19	14	.	.	.	17
10 but under 25 miles	.	32	28	24	.	11	10	.	.	.	19
25 miles or more	.	3	7	9	.	5	6	.	.	.	6
Sample size (=100%)	62	104	145	203	29	152	108	14	94	24	935

Distance travelled to work	Standard Occupational Classification										All
	Managers & Senior Officials	Professional Occupations	Associate Prof. & Technical Occupations	Admin & Secretarial Occupations	Skilled Trades Occupations	Personal Service Occupations	Sales & Customer Service	Process, Plant & Machine Operatives	Elementary Occupations	Not recorded	
All working adults											
Work from home	7	5	3	4	12	7	2	5	1	.	5
Varies - no usual place of work	1	6	5	1	21	4	3	14	6	.	9
Under a mile	7	6	6	9	9	19	22	11	19	.	11
1 but under 2 miles	8	8	7	8	7	19	17	10	17	.	10
2 but under 5 miles	20	20	22	25	15	17	23	19	23	.	20
5 but under 10 miles	15	20	19	17	13	18	14	16	22	.	17
10 but under 25 miles	30	26	29	28	18	11	15	17	8	.	21
25 miles or more	11	10	10	8	5	5	4	7	3	.	7
Sample size (=100%)	184	230	263	271	297	164	149	138	197	45	1,938

Table 7.14: Adults who travel to work by mode of transport and social class

Mode of transport	Standard Occupational Classification									Percentage of working adults	All	
	Managers & Senior Officials	Professional Occupations	Associate Prof. & Technical Occupations	Admin & Secretarial Occupations	Skilled Trades Occupations	Personal Service Occupations	Sales & Customer Service	Process, Plant & Machine Operatives	Elementary Occupations	Not recorded		
All working adults												
Car/Van	92	89	86	79	84	67	67	84	60	.		79
Motorbike/Moped/Scooter	0	0	-	-	1	0	0	1	2	.		1
Bicycle	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	.		1
Bus (includes coach, private bus)	3	4	2	10	1	7	11	1	6	.		5
Train	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	.		1
Walk	4	4	9	7	12	23	18	6	25	.		12
Taxi	0	1	0	-	0	3	1	1	3	.		1
Other	0	-	1	1	-	0	1	5	1	.		1
Sample size (=100%)	170	204	241	258	195	144	141	112	182	2		1,649

Table 7.15: Average weekly travel costs of those who travel to work by mode of transport

Mode of transport	Percentage of working adults who travel to work							Travel costs
	No costs	Less than £5	£5 but less than £10	£10 but less than £20	£20 but less than £30	£30 but less than £40	£40 but less than £50	
All adults who travel to work								
Car/Van	15	7	9	20	2	28	7	
Motorbike/Moped/Scooter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bicycle	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bus (includes coach, private bus)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Train	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Walk	100	7	9	18	2	23	6	
All adults who travel to work	25	7	9	18	2	23	6	

Table 7.15: Continued

Mode of transport	Travel costs					Sample size (=100%)
	£50 but less than £60	£60 but less than £70	£70 but less than £80	£80 but less than £100	£100 or more	
All adults who travel to work						
Car/Van	5	-	1	4	2	1,323
Motorbike/Moped/Scooter	.	.	.	.	.	8
Bicycle	.	.	.	.	.	14
Bus (includes coach, private bus)	.	.	.	.	.	79
Train	.	.	.	.	.	10
Walk	0	-	1	4	1	188
All adults who travel to work	4	-	1	4	1	1,622

Table 7.16: Working adults' average weekly travel costs as a percentage of total weekly individual income by sex and social class

Percentage of total income	Percentage of working adults who travel to work										Not recorded	All
	Standard Occupational Classification											
	Managers & Senior Officials	Professional Occupations	Associate Prof. & Technical Occupations	Admin & Secretarial Occupations	Skilled Trades Occupations	Personal Service Occupations	Sales & Customer Service	Process, Plant & Machine Operatives	Elementary Occupations			
All adults who travel to work												
No costs	18	15	20	20	26	35	35	23	41	.	25	
Less than 10%	61	72	59	48	44	37	40	55	35	.	51	
10 but less than 20%	14	9	16	23	20	21	19	16	16	.	17	
20 but less than 30%	2	3	3	6	7	3	2	4	5	.	4	
30% or more	4	1	2	3	3	4	4	2	4	.	3	
Undefined	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.	-	
Sample size (= 100%)	170	202	239	255	194	140	139	105	176	2	1,622	

Table 7.17: Adults by sex, employment status and religion

Employment status	Religion					All
	Protestant ¹	Catholic	Other ²	No Religion	Unwilling to Answer	
Males						
Employees						
full time	48	43	.	.	.	47
part time	3	5	.	.	.	4
Self employed						
full time	14	14	.	.	.	14
part time	1	1	.	.	.	1
All in employment						
full time	62	58	.	.	.	61
part time	4	6	.	.	.	5
ILO unemployed	2	5	.	.	.	3
Retired	21	12	.	.	.	17
Student	2	2	.	.	.	2
Looking after family/home	-	1	.	.	.	1
Permanently sick/disabled	7	13	.	.	.	10
Temporarily sick/disabled	0	1	.	.	.	-
Other inactive	1	2	.	.	.	2
Sample size (=100%)	840	574	41	57	49	1,561
Females						
Employees						
full time	29	31	.	.	.	30
part time	18	18	.	.	.	18
Self employed						
full time	3	2	.	.	.	3
part time	1	1	.	.	.	1
All in employment						
full time	32	33	.	.	.	33
part time	19	19	.	.	.	19
ILO unemployed	1	2	.	.	.	1
Retired	27	18	.	.	.	23
Student	2	2	.	.	.	2
Looking after family/home	6	10	.	.	.	8
Permanently sick/disabled	9	13	.	.	.	10
Temporarily sick/disabled	-	1	.	.	.	-
Other inactive	4	3	.	.	.	3
Sample size (=100%)	964	754	45	36	52	1,851

¹ Includes 'Presbyterian', 'Church of Ireland', 'Methodist', 'Baptist', 'Free Presbyterian', 'Brethren', 'Protestant - not specified' and 'Other Protestant'

² Includes 'Other Christian', 'Jewish' and 'Other Non-Christian'

Table 7.17: Continued

Employment status	Religion				Unwilling to	All
	Protestant ¹	Catholic	Other ²	No Religion	Answer	
All adults						
Employees						
full time	38	37	.	.	38	38
part time	11	12	.	.	11	11
Self employed						
full time	9	8	.	.	5	8
part time	1	1	.	.	1	1
All in employment						
full time	47	44	.	.	43	46
part time	12	13	.	.	12	12
ILO unemployed	1	3	.	.	3	2
Retired	24	15	.	.	25	20
Student	2	2	.	.	0	2
Looking after family/home	3	6	.	.	4	4
Permanently sick/disabled	8	13	.	.	11	10
Temporarily sick/disabled	-	1	.	.	0	-
Other inactive	3	3	.	.	2	3
Sample size (=100%)	1,804	1,328	86	93	101	3,412

¹ Includes 'Presbyterian', 'Church of Ireland', 'Methodist', 'Baptist', 'Free Presbyterian', 'Brethren', 'Protestant - not specified' and 'Other Protestant'

² Includes 'Other Christian', 'Jewish' and 'Other Non-Christian'

Table 7.18: Working adults by sex and religion and social class

Percentage of working adults

Religion	Standard Occupational Classification										Sample Size (100%)
	Managers & Senior Officials	Professional Occupations	Associate Prof. & Technical Occupations	Admin & Secretarial Occupations	Skilled Trades Occupations	Personal Service Occupations	Sales & Customer Service	Process, Plant & Machine Operatives	Elementary Occupations	Not recorded	
Males											
Protestant ¹	12	8	13	7	30	1	4	12	11	2	541
Catholic	10	16	8	7	27	2	5	13	9	3	362
Other ²	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	31
No Religion	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	40
Unwilling to Answer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	29
All	12	12	11	7	27	1	5	12	11	2	1,003
Females											
Protestant ¹	8	9	15	23	3	18	12	2	7	3	480
Catholic	6	11	15	20	3	16	13	1	11	2	381
Other ²	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	24
No Religion	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	29
Unwilling to Answer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21
All	7	11	15	21	3	17	12	2	10	2	935
All adults											
Protestant ¹	10	9	14	14	18	9	8	8	9	2	1,021
Catholic	8	14	12	14	15	9	9	7	10	3	743
Other ²	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	55
No Religion	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	69
Unwilling to Answer	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	50
All	9	11	13	14	16	8	8	7	10	2	1,938

¹ Includes 'Presbyterian', 'Church of Ireland', 'Methodist', 'Baptist', 'Free Presbyterian', 'Brethren', 'Protestant - not specified' and 'Other Protestant'

² Includes 'Other Christian', 'Jewish' and 'Other Non-Christian'