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## User oriented quality report

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The ad hoc Survey on Ad hoc module on work organization and working time arrangements took place in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2004 together with Labour Force Survey. The main target of the survey was to study the various forms of flexible working time arrangements and the effect they have on the personal life of employed persons

Legislation

The survey's specifications are determined by Commission Regulation 247/2003.

Reference Period Coverage The reference period for the main survey variables is the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2004.

Persons 15 years or older that were living in private households, staying (or intend to stay) at least 1 year in Greece and working. Individuals who permanently reside in collective houses (i.e. hospitals, hotels, asylums, homes for the elderly, orphanages, etc) are not covered by the survey.

**Definitions** 

**A person is working shift** when her/his work consists of a work organization where different groups of workers succeed each other *according to a certain rotation pattern* at the same work site to perform the same operations

**Annualized hours contract** is a type of working contract that determines the total working hours for the whole year but the employer usually determines the number of working hours per week..

**Employed** are persons aged 15 years or older, who during the reference week worked, even for just one hour, for pay or profit or they were working in the family business, or they were not at work but had a job or business from which they were temporarily absent.

**Unemployed** are persons aged 15-74 who were without work during the reference week (they were not classified as employed), were currently available for work and were either actively seeking work in the past four weeks or had already found a job to start within the next three months.

**Inactive** are those persons who are neither classified as employed nor as unemployed.

**Economically active population (labour force)** are persons either employed or unemployed.

**Unemployment Rate** is the ratio of unemployed divided by total labour force..

Methodology

The estimations are produced by a suitable unbiased estimator, which takes into account a) the probability of selection of every sampled household, b) the response rate in every primary sampling unit, c) the estimated population allocated by NUTS II areas, gender and age group).

References

Analytical description of the Labour Force Survey's and ad hoc module methodology and definitions can be found at <a href="https://www.statistics.gr">www.statistics.gr</a>. -> Statistical Themes->Labour Market->Employment – Unemployment-> Special Surveys.