

Table 5: Average weekly hours of work in manufacturing, employeesILO Bureau of Statistics, <http://laborsta.ilo.org>, periodic data, April 2009.

Country	2008												2009	Concept used
	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan		
Austria*	141.5	140.4	149.2	134.4	141.3	139.0	124.0	143.1						Hours actually worked
Belgium	39.6			39.6			39.4			39.4				Hours usually worked
Bulgaria	41.2			41.3			41.2			41.2				Hours usually worked
Canada	39.3	39.3	39.5	39.4	39.4	39.5	39.6	39.4	39.3	39.3	39.2			Hours paid for
Croatia	41.1			41.1										Hours usually worked
Cyprus	41.0			40.9			41.1			41.5				Hours usually worked
Czech Republic	40.4			40.4			40.4			40.3				Hours usually worked
Denmark	39.1			39.3			39.5			39.0				Hours usually worked
Estonia	40.6			40.7			40.7			40.6				Hours usually worked
Finland	39.8			39.8			39.8							Hours usually worked
France		35.3			35.3			35.3			35.4			Hours usually worked
Germany			38.4			38.5			38.3					Hours paid for
Greece	42.2			42.3			42.3			42.3				Hours usually worked
Guam		36.6			40.2			39.6						Hours paid for
Hong Kong, China		47.0			45.0			45.0						Hours actually worked
Hungary*	153.5			153.7			147.2			140.4				Hours actually worked
Ireland		38.6			37.7									Hours paid for
Israel	43.8			41.0			41.7			38.9				Hours actually worked
Italy	40.9			40.9			40.9			40.8				Hours usually worked
Japan	39.2	40.3	39.0	37.0	39.0	40.4	35.4	37.6	39.6					Hours actually worked
Latvia		36.2			35.8			33.0			35.7			Hours actually worked
Lithuania*		151.0			153.0			148.0			155.0			Hours actually worked
Luxembourg	40.0			40.2			40.0			40.0				Hours usually worked
Macau, China	47.6			47.7			47.7			47.6				Hours actually worked
Malta	40.7			40.9			40.7			40.5				Hours usually worked
Netherlands	39.0			39.0			39.0			39.0				Hours usually worked
New Zealand	39.4			38.8			37.8			37.6				Hours paid for
Peru					50.0									Hours paid for
Philippines			44.4											Hours actually worked
Poland	41.9			41.9			41.7			41.6				Hours usually worked
Portugal	40.6			40.5			40.5			40.7				Hours usually worked
Puerto Rico	40.6	41.2	40.8	40.5	40.9	40.7	40.6	40.9	39.9	40.8	39.9	40.7		Hours paid for
Romania	41.2			41.2			41.2			41.1				Hours usually worked
Singapore		50.6			50.4			50.6			49.1			Hours paid for
Slovakia	40.0			40.1			40.0							Hours usually worked
Slovenia	41.3			41.2			41.0			40.9				Hours usually worked
Spain*	145.0			150.0			124.5			141.7				Hours actually worked
Sweden	39.2			39.3			39.2			39.3				Hours usually worked
Taiwan, China*	149.6	190.5	188.1	190.7	186.7	197.1	190.1	189.2	190.9	173.1	177.2	138.9		Hours actually worked
Turkey	52.9			53.3			53.4							Hours usually worked
United Kingdom			41.0											Hours paid for
United States	40.7	41.1	41.0	40.9	41.2	40.6	41.0	40.9	40.7	40.5	40.3	39.5		Hours paid for
Virgin Islands (US)	42.6	43.4	42.3	42.3	42.2	43.2	42.1	43.2	43.1	48.2	45.6	43.5		Hours paid for

* per month

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