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AVERAGE MONTHLY PAID OFF NET EARNINGS OF PERSONS IN PAID EMPLOYMENT For September 2008

For the month of September 2008, the average monthly paid off net earning per person in paid employment in legal entities in the Republic of Croatia amounted to 5 203 kuna, which represented the nominal increase of 0.4% and the real one of 0.2%, as compared to August 2008.

The average monthly paid off net earning per person in paid employment in legal entities in the Republic of Croatia for September 2008 was nominally by 9.7% and really by 3.1% higher than in September 2007.

In the period from January to September 2008, the average monthly paid off net earning per person in paid employment in legal entities in the Republic of Croatia amounted to 5 119 kuna, which represented the nominal increase of 6.8% and the real one of 0.2%, as compared to the same period of 2007.

1. AVERAGE MONTHLY PAID OFF NET EARNING FOR SEPTEMBER 2008

			Indices		
	IX. 2008.	I. — IX. 2008.			
	<u>IX. 2008.</u> VIII. 2008.		<u>IX. 2008.</u> IX. 2007.		<u>I. — IX. 2008.</u> I. — IX. 2007.

Average monthly paid off net earning, kuna	5 203	5 119	100,4	109,7	106,8
Real net earning			100,2	103,1	100,2

2. AVERAGE MONTHLY PAID OFF NET EARNINGS FOR SEPTEMBER 2008, ACCORDING TO NKD 2002.

	Average paid off net earning per person in employment, kuna		Indices of change in average monthly paid off net earnings according to payoffs for month						
	For month		Nominal				Real		
	IX. 2008.	I. - IX. 2008.	IX. 2008. VIII. 2008.	IX. 2008. IX. 2007.	I. - IX. 2008. I. - IX. 2007.	IX. 2008. Ø 2007.	IX. 2008. VIII. 2008.	IX. 2008. IX. 2007.	I. - IX. 2008. I. - IX. 2007.
Total	5 203	5 119	100,4	109,7	106,8	107,5	100,2	103,1	100,2
A									
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	4 631	4 700	101,4	110,5	107,6	104,3	101,1	103,9	101,0
01 Agriculture, hunting and related service activities	4 153	4 059	100,4	108,0	108,9	109,1	100,2	101,5	102,2
02 Forestry, logging and related service activities	5 296	5 565	102,6	114,0	106,4	100,3	102,4	107,1	99,8
B									
Fishing	4 164	4 045	104,0	106,5	104,2	106,9	103,8	100,1	97,7

05	Fishing, fish farming and related service activities	4 164	4 045	104,0	106,5	104,2	106,9	103,8	100,1	97,7
C	Mining and quarrying	6 036	5 987	99,7	117,9	111,1	108,2	99,5	110,8	104,2
11	Extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas; service activities incidental to oil and gas extraction, excluding surveying	7 126	7 134	99,1	119,6	114,0	108,7	98,9	112,4	106,9
14	Other mining and quarrying	4 438	4 275	101,1	115,8	106,3	110,1	100,9	108,8	99,7
D	Manufacturing	4 735	4 630	102,7	109,8	106,9	108,1	102,5	103,2	100,3
15	Manufacture of food products and beverages	4 843	4 819	100,7	106,7	104,5	104,4	100,5	100,3	98,1
16	Manufacture of tobacco products	9 177	6 707	130,8	110,2	104,3	141,9	130,6	103,6	97,9
17	Manufacture of textiles	3 072	3 020	102,9	107,1	105,2	106,5	102,7	100,7	98,7
18	Manufacture of wearing apparel; dressing and dyeing of fur	2 759	2 703	101,0	110,6	107,2	108,6	100,8	103,9	100,6
19	Tanning and dressing of leather; manufacture of luggage, handbags, saddlery, harness and footwear	2 746	2 639	103,8	113,7	105,6	109,4	103,6	106,8	99,0
20	Manufacture of wood and of products of wood and cork, except furniture; manufacture of articles of straw and plaiting materials	3 221	3 070	104,4	112,9	107,1	111,9	104,1	106,1	100,5
21	Manufacture of pulp, paper and paper products	4 434	4 163	104,7	113,4	105,5	111,4	104,5	106,6	99,0
22	Publishing, printing and reproduction of recorded media	5 838	5 706	99,7	110,0	106,0	107,1	99,5	103,4	99,5
23	Manufacture of coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel	7 553	7 499	97,9	113,5	107,7	106,1	97,7	106,6	101,1
24	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	6 215	6 314	100,0	108,8	108,6	106,3	99,8	102,3	101,8
25	Manufacture of rubber and plastic products	4 009	3 937	99,8	108,5	104,8	105,7	99,6	102,0	98,3
26	Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	5 013	5 074	99,5	108,3	106,1	103,7	99,3	101,8	99,6
27	Manufacture of basic metals	4 353	4 194	100,3	111,9	107,4	110,9	100,1	105,1	100,8
28	Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment	4 476	4 302	103,7	111,8	110,8	112,9	103,5	105,1	104,0
29	Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.	4 796	4 683	102,8	111,7	107,5	108,9	102,6	105,0	100,9
30	Manufacture of office machinery and computers	6 988	6 821	98,8	107,9	107,7	109,7	98,6	101,5	101,0
31	Manufacture of electrical machinery and apparatus n.e.c.	6 850	6 179	118,6	105,5	106,3	114,9	118,4	99,2	99,7
32	Manufacture of radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus	6 287	6 431	100,3	120,3	120,2	115,3	100,1	113,1	112,7
33	Manufacture of medical, precision and optical instruments, watches and clocks	5 166	4 940	104,9	110,5	105,2	109,4	104,6	103,8	98,7
34	Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	5 241	4 914	107,1	116,7	105,6	112,6	106,9	109,6	99,0

35	Manufacture of other transport equipment		5 423	5 362		102,7	110,4	106,1	106,6		102,5	103,8	99,5
36	Manufacture of furniture; manufacturing n.e.c.		3 271	3 179		104,7	110,5	105,7	107,2		104,5	103,8	99,2
37	Recycling		4 499	4 585		97,3	104,5	103,9	101,5		97,1	98,2	97,4

2. AVERAGE MONTHLY PAID OFF NET EARNINGS FOR SEPTEMBER 2008, ACCORDING TO NKD 2002.

(continued)

		Average paid off net earning per person in employment, kuna		Indices of change in average monthly paid off net earnings according to payoffs for month						
				Nominal			Real			
		For month								
		IX. 2008.	I. - IX. 2008.	IX. 2008. VIII. 2008.	IX. 2008. IX. 2007.	I. - IX. 2008. I. - IX. 2007.	IX. 2008. Ø 2007.	IX. 2008. VIII. 2008.	IX. 2008. IX. 2007.	I. - IX. 2008. I. - IX. 2007.
E	Electricity, gas and water supply	5 953	5 838	101,3	114,7	107,4	108,8	101,1	107,8	100,7
40	Electricity, gas, steam and hot water supply	6 509	6 326	101,5	116,7	108,1	111,3	101,3	109,7	101,4
41	Collection, purification and distribution of water	5 036	5 032	100,5	110,7	105,9	103,7	100,3	104,0	99,3
F	Construction	4 733	4 509	103,9	112,4	106,7	111,0	103,7	105,6	100,1
45	Construction	4 733	4 509	103,9	112,4	106,7	111,0	103,7	105,6	100,1
G	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal household goods	4 499	4 406	100,2	109,1	107,0	107,9	100,0	102,5	100,4
50	Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; retail sale of automotive fuel	5 861	5 654	102,4	112,1	106,7	109,1	102,2	105,4	100,1
51	Wholesale trade and commission trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	4 829	4 776	99,4	109,4	107,9	108,0	99,2	102,8	101,2
52	Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; repair of personal and household goods	3 908	3 792	100,6	108,3	106,2	107,9	100,4	101,8	99,6
H	Hotels and restaurants	4 414	4 370	94,1	106,3	104,5	105,3	93,9	99,9	98,0
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I	Transport, storage and communication	6 075	5 990	100,4	111,9	106,8	107,0	100,2	105,2	100,2
60	Land transport; transport via pipelines	5 850	5 739	100,5	115,5	108,3	109,9	100,3	108,5	101,6
61	Water transport	6 504	6 184	94,1	116,7	110,0	114,9	93,9	109,7	103,2
62	Air transport	9 747	9 623	99,4	110,8	109,1	109,3	99,2	104,1	102,3
63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies	6 387	6 154	101,3	114,3	108,9	110,9	101,1	107,4	102,2
64	Post and telecommunications	5 673	5 840	100,3	103,8	101,6	97,2	100,1	97,5	95,3
J	Financial intermediation	6 863	7 117	99,8	104,5	105,6	100,2	99,6	98,2	99,0
65	Financial intermediation, except insurance and pension funding	6 879	7 184	100,4	103,1	105,2	99,1	100,2	96,9	98,7
66	Insurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security	6 973	7 058	96,8	109,3	103,3	101,3	96,6	102,7	96,9
67	Activities auxiliary to financial intermediation	5 796	5 950	103,2	110,5	130,1	122,8	103,0	103,8	122,0
K	Real estate, renting and business activities	5 450	5 360	100,9	108,9	106,5	106,5	100,7	102,4	99,9
70	Real estate activities	5 235	5 211	100,9	106,1	104,2	103,3	100,7	99,7	97,7
71	Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods	4 676	4 675	98,2	106,0	103,7	102,7	98,0	99,6	97,3
72	Computer and related activities	7 217	7 073	98,8	111,7	109,2	109,6	98,6	105,0	102,4
73	Research and development	7 292	7 601	95,7	99,9	103,7	98,2	95,5	93,9	97,3
74	Other business activities	4 972	4 839	101,7	110,2	107,3	108,4	101,5	103,6	100,6

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	Average paid off net earning per person in employment, kuna		Indices of change in average monthly paid off net earnings according to payoffs for month						
	For month		Nominal				Real		
	IX. 2008.	I. - IX. 2008.	$\frac{\text{IX. 2008.}}{\text{VIII. 2008.}}$	$\frac{\text{IX. 2008.}}{\text{IX. 2007.}}$	$\frac{\text{I. - IX. 2008.}}{\text{I. - IX. 2007.}}$	$\frac{\text{IX. 2008.}}{\text{Ø 2007.}}$	$\frac{\text{IX. 2008.}}{\text{VIII. 2008.}}$	$\frac{\text{IX. 2008.}}{\text{IX. 2007.}}$	$\frac{\text{I. - IX. 2008.}}{\text{I. - IX. 2007.}}$
L Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	5 856	5 748	98,1	110,9	108,5	109,8	98,0	104,2	101,8
75 Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	5 856	5 748	98,1	110,9	108,5	109,8	98,0	104,2	101,8
M Education	5 290	5 104	101,8	109,7	107,7	110,6	101,6	103,1	101,0
80 Education	5 290	5 104	101,8	109,7	107,7	110,6	101,6	103,1	101,0
N Health and social work	5 955	5 939	97,2	108,8	106,3	106,0	97,0	102,2	99,7
85 Health and social work	5 955	5 939	97,2	108,8	106,3	106,0	97,0	102,2	99,7
O Other community, social and personal service activities	5 357	5 383	97,6	107,8	105,9	104,7	97,4	101,3	99,3
90 Sewage and refuse disposal, sanitation and similar activities	4 899	4 903	97,5	105,9	106,1	105,1	97,3	99,6	99,6
91 Activities of membership organizations n.e.c.	6 077	6 047	99,7	107,4	104,6	104,0	99,5	100,9	98,1
92 Recreational, cultural and sporting activities	5 604	5 649	97,0	108,5	106,0	104,6	96,8	102,0	99,4
93 Other service activities	3 894	3 888	98,9	107,8	106,8	106,7	98,7	101,3	100,2

3. AVERAGE MONTHLY PAID OFF NET EARNING OF PERSONS IN EMPLOYMENT IN 2008¹⁾, ACCORDING TO NKD 2002.

		Average paid off net earnings per person in employment, kuna				Indices of change in average monthly paid off net earnings according to payoffs for month					
		For month				Nominal			Real		
		VII.	VIII.	IX.	I. - IX.	IX. 2008. VIII. 2008.	IX. 2008. IX. 2007.	I.- IX. 2008. I.- IX. 2007.	IX. 2008. VIII. 2008.	IX. 2008. IX. 2007.	I.- IX. 2008. I.- IX. 2007.
L	Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	5 843	5 967	5 856	5 748	98,1	110,9	108,5	98,0	104,2	101,8
75	Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	5 843	5 967	5 856	5 748	98,1	110,9	108,5	98,0	104,2	101,8
75.1	Administration of the State and the economic and social policy of the community	6 027	6 001	6 039	6 031	100,6	109,0	107,7	100,4	102,5	101,0
75.2	Provision of services to the community as a whole	5 813	6 016	5 828	5 679	96,9	111,9	108,9	96,7	105,2	102,2
75.3	Compulsory social security activities	5 282	5 229	5 282	5 197	101,0	108,4	106,8	100,8	101,9	100,2
M	Education	5 152	5 196	5 290	5 104	101,8	109,7	107,7	101,6	103,1	101,0
80	Education	5 152	5 196	5 290	5 104	101,8	109,7	107,7	101,6	103,1	101,0

80.1	Primary education	4 709	4 705	4 819	4 655	102,4	109,8	107,6	102,2	103,2	100,9
80.2	Secondary education	5 004	5 178	5 247	5 022	101,3	109,5	107,5	101,1	102,9	100,8
80.3	Higher education	7 341	7 447	7 555	7 314	101,4	110,2	108,5	101,2	103,5	101,8
80.4	Adult and other education	4 654	4 524	4 653	4 577	102,9	107,7	107,2	102,7	101,2	100,6
N	health and social work	6 080	6 126	5 955	5 939	97,2	108,8	106,3	97,0	102,2	99,7
85	Health and social work	6 080	6 126	5 955	5 939	97,2	108,8	106,3	97,0	102,2	99,7
85.1	Human health activities	6 340	6 369	6 177	6 169	97,0	108,9	106,3	96,8	102,3	99,7
85.2	Veterinary activities	5 652	5 729	5 790	5 670	101,1	103,1	101,9	100,9	96,9	95,6
85.3	Social work activities	4 808	4 917	4 811	4 765	97,9	109,8	107,9	97,7	103,2	101,2

1) In order to meet users' requirements, we publish the supplement to the regular quarterly First Release. Data are presented at the group level (3 digits) for the NKD 2002. sections L, M and N.

NOTES ON METHODOLOGY

Data source

Data on average monthly paid off net earnings are based on regular monthly survey covering 70% of persons in employment in each NKD 2002. division. The survey comprises persons in employment in legal entities of all types of ownership, government bodies, and bodies of local and regional government and self-government units, on the territory of the Republic of Croatia. Persons employed in crafts and trades and free lances and private farmers are not covered, so data on their pays are not included in the data on average net earnings.

Since January 2004, the data on average monthly paid off net earnings have included pays of persons employed in the police and defence.

Data on earnings are collected by a report form to be filled in by legal entities on the basis of their respective payrolls.

Coverage and comparability

The statistical survey on average monthly net earnings of persons employed in legal entities includes net earnings of persons in permanent employment, irrespective of the kind of employment and number of working-hours. In the case when persons employed in legal entities in one month or during several subsequent months do not get their pays, they are not included in the data on the number of employed persons when calculating the average for that month or months.

Data on average net earnings are presented according to realised pays in current for previous month, which is in line with the pay-off dynamics in most legal entities, so the average earning per employed person refers to the month for which the pay is received. However, if the pays are late for previous months and periods of time, the data are included into average earnings for the referring month, since the monthly survey dynamics does not allow corrections of data that are already issued and used.

Definitions

Average monthly paid off net earnings comprise income of a person in employment earned for work done during regular working hours as well as annual leave, paid leave, public holidays and day-offs as prescribed by law, sickness leave up to 42 days, absence for continuing professional education, during lay-off and job stop caused against person's will and of no fault of his own, worker's meal and net pays on the basis of compensations, allowances and rewards in sums which are subjects to contributions, taxes and surtaxes.

Nominal indices of net earnings are calculated from data on average monthly net earnings for respective month and year.

Real indices of net earnings are calculated by dividing index of nominal net earnings with a consumer price index for the respective month and year.

Abbreviations

n.e.c. not elsewhere classified

NKD 2002. National Classification of Activities, 2002 version

Symbols

- no occurrence