

ISSP Characteristics of National Population - Switzerland

Each ISSP member is asked to include to the documentation the following information about known characteristics of its national population, from census or the best available estimates from government surveys or other high-quality data-sources:

- sex distribution of the population
- age distribution of the population
- education (years of schooling) of the population
- employment rate of the population

All statistics for Population aged 18 or more

Annual Population Statistics 31.12.2006 (ESPOP)	Swiss federal Census 2000	SAKE 2006 (Swiss labour force survey)	Source no. 4
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SEX

Male	49.0		
Female	51.0		

AGE (groups)

18-24 year	10.3		
25-34 year	16.2		
35-44 year	20.4		
45-54 year	17.9		
55-64 year	15.1		
65 year and more	20.1		

YEARS OF SCHOOLING (groups approximation, see years of schooling)

0-8	3.0		
9	21.6		
12-13	49.4		
14	9.5		
16	1.1		
19	6.8		
No indication	8.6		

EMPLOYMENT STATUS

Employed	64.6		
Unemployed	2.7		
Not in labor force	32.7		