

## National Population Characteristics: Norway

### 1. Sex and age, %

	Population 18-79 years January 1, 2012. Central Register of Persons <sup>1</sup>	All answers, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-79 years	Answers by Pencil and paper, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-79 years	Answers by Web, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-79 years
Female	49,3	52,2	56,7	47,5
18 – 24	4,6	6,4	4,7	8,2
25 – 34	8,9	7,3	5,9	8,9
35 – 44	9,8	9,2	9,1	9,3
45 – 54	9,3	10,8	11,3	10,3
55 – 64	8,3	9,4	12,6	5,9
65 – 79	8,4	9,1	13,1	4,9
Male	50,7	47,8	43,3	52,5
18 – 24	4,8	3,6	2,6	4,7
25 – 34	9,3	6,9	4,2	9,6
35 – 44	10,3	7,4	4,7	10,3
45 – 54	9,9	10,6	9,1	12,3
55 – 64	8,5	9,1	9,1	9,0
65 – 79	7,9	10,2	13,6	6,6
Sum	100,0	100,0	100,0	100,0
N	3 555 961	1 444	735	709

<sup>1</sup> Statistics Norway

## 2. Marital status, %

	Middle population 2012, 20-79 years. <sup>2</sup>	All answers, ISSP 2012 Norway, 20-79 years	Answers by Pencil and paper, ISSP 2012 Norway, 20-79 years	Answers by Web, ISSP 2012 Norway, 20-79 years
Married	47,6	59,2	61,6	56,7
Widowed	3,4	2,9	4,2	1,6
Divorced	10,5	8,6	10,4	6,7
Separated, still married	1,8	1,1	1,0	1,2
Never married, single	36,6	26,6	21,0	32,3
Other	0,1			
No answer		1,6	1,8	1,5
Sum	100,0	100,0	100,0	
N	3 545 980	1 404	718	686

## 3. Education degree, %

	LFS, 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter 2012 18-74 years <sup>3</sup>	All answers, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-74 years	Answers by Pencil and paper, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-74 years	Answers by Web, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-74 years
Upper secondary not completed	35,1	23,6	28,1	19,1
Upper secondary completed	28,8	19,5	19,8	19,2
University and college incompleting	27,5	16,5	17,5	15,5
University and college completed, 3-4 years		26,6	23,9	29,2
University and college completed, >= 5 years	8,2	13,4	10,0	16,8
Other				
No answer	0,5	0,4	0,7	0,1
Sum	100,1	100,0	100,0	99,9
N	18 327	1 393	691	702

<sup>2</sup> Statistics Norway (registerdata)

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#### 4. Labour force status, %

	LFS, 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter 2012 18-74 years <sup>4</sup>	All answers, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-74 years	Answers by Pencil and paper, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-74 years	Answers by Web, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-74 years
Employed (>= 1 hr paid work a week)	72,5	78,2	74,4	82,0
Unemployed	2,8	0,9	0,3	1,4
In school (pupil/student)	4,5	2,9	1,9	3,9
Apprentice or trainee		0,2	0,3	0,1
Social welfare, perm. disabled	8,3	4,6	6,2	3,0
Retired	9,8	11,0	13,9	8,1
Home working	1,0	0,7	1,0	0,3
Compulsory military service/community service	0,2	0,1	0,1	
Other	0,8	0,7	0,6	0,9
No answer		0,8	1,3	0,3
Sum	99,9	100,1	100,0	100,0
N	18 327	1 393	691	702

<sup>4</sup> Statistics Norway

5. Occupation, currently in paid work %

	LFS, 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter 2012 18-74 years <sup>5</sup>	All answers, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-74 years	Answers by Pencil and paper, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-74 years	Answers by Web, ISSP 2012 Norway, 18-74 years
Armed forces	0,3	0,5	0,6	0,4
Legislators, senior officials and managers	7,7	12,7	11,5	13,8
Professionals	13,8	20,3	17,5	22,9
Technicians and associate professionals	27,7	24,3	21,8	26,5
Clerks	6,7	4,5	4,4	4,6
Service workers and shop and market sales workers	20,7	15,6	16,7	14,6
Skilled agricultural and fishery workers	2,2	1,2	1,6	0,9
Craft and related trades workers	10,6	5,5	5,6	5,5
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	7,3	5,6	7,7	3,7
Elementary occupations	2,8	1,3	1,4	1,2
No answer	0,1	8,5	11,3	6,0
Sum	99,9	100,0	100,1	100,1
N	2 704	1 071	504	

<sup>5</sup> Statistics Norway