

UAE: Percentage distribution of employed population (aged 15 and above) by sex and sector of economic activity (2023)

	Emiratis			Non-Emiratis			Total		
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
Federal Government	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.3%	4.0%	3.5%
Local government	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	3.7%	5.9%	4.2%
Private Sector	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	83.9%	52.8%	76.7%
Shared	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	4.6%	6.3%	5.0%
Foreign	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.6%	3.3%	2.0%
Diplomatic Authority	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%
Non-profit Organizations	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%
Without Establishment	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.2%	0.6%	0.3%
Private Households	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2.5%	25.6%	7.8%
Other	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Not Stated	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.2%	1.1%	0.4%
Total	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Source: Federal Competitiveness and Statistics Center (FCSC)

ANNEXED NOTE

1. Characteristics of data, definitions and population counting operations in the UAE

Since 2016, the UAE Federal Competitiveness and Statistics Center (FCSC) resumed the implementation of Labour Force Surveys. The last one was conducted in 2009.

Labour Force Surveys are based on field surveys.

No metadata and methodological indications for the current Labour Force Surveys are available.

<https://fcsa.gov.ae/en-us/Pages/Statistics/qualitygate.aspx#?tid=1&sid=1>

Since 2020, Labour Force Surveys' publications stopped including data disaggregated by nationality (national/non-national).

2. Institution which provides data

Federal Competitiveness and Statistics Center (FCSC)

<https://fcsa.gov.ae/en-us/>

3. Data availability

The results of 2008, 2009, 2016 to 2023 Labour Force Surveys are available (in Excel format) in FCSC's website, section "Statistics by Subject"; "Demographics and Social Statistics"; "Labor Force"

https://fcsc.gov.ae/en-us/Pages/Statistics/Statistics-by-Subject.aspx?_gl=1*_blmar*_ga*MTUxNDM3MDY4MS4xNzM2OTU4MzA1*_ga_ZHM0E6JK4Z*MTczNjk2NTg3MC4zLjEuMTczNjk2NjIyOS4wLjAuMA..#report-tvDetails

Raw datasets for the period 2019 to the last LFS are also available in the UAE Stat portal

<https://uaestat.fcsc.gov.ae/en>

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