

## Revision of statistics

Data on the number of employers and employees have been revised. For additional information about how data are revised, please refer to the metadata:

[http://www.statice.is/media/50259/lysigogn\\_ensk.pdf](http://www.statice.is/media/50259/lysigogn_ensk.pdf)

**Table 1:** Relative change, in the number of employers and employees, from the same month the year before:

1. according to data published previously (12 May, 2017)
2. according to the latest data published (19 June, 2017)
3. difference between latest and penultimate data published

Activity	Reference period Year-month	Number of employers year-on-year change			Number of employees year-on-year change		
		May 2017 (%)	June 2017 (%)	difference (percentage points)	May 2017 (%)	June 2017 (%)	difference (percentage points)
Total economy	2016-10	6.0	6.2	0.1	6.0	6.0	0.0
	2016-11	5.9	6.1	0.1	6.0	6.0	0.0
	2016-12	5.8	6.0	0.2	5.3	5.4	0.0
	2017-01	3.5	4.1	0.6	4.2	4.4	0.2
	2017-02	2.9	3.7	0.8	3.9	4.1	0.2
	2017-03	-1.9	2.6	4.5	3.4	4.7	1.3
Business sectors (NACE no. 03-82, 95-96)	2016-10	6.9	7.1	0.1	8.3	8.4	0.0
	2016-11	7.0	7.2	0.1	9.0	9.0	0.0
	2016-12	7.0	7.2	0.2	8.3	8.4	0.0
	2017-01	4.6	5.2	0.6	6.0	6.2	0.3
	2017-02	4.0	4.9	0.9	5.3	5.6	0.3
	2017-03	-0.9	3.7	4.6	4.5	6.3	1.8
Fisheries (NACE no. 031, 102)	2016-10	-4.5	-4.5	0.0	-4.7	-4.6	0.0
	2016-11	-5.5	-5.5	0.0	-3.9	-3.8	0.0
	2016-12	-1.1	-1.1	0.0	-3.2	-3.3	-0.1
	2017-01	-5.1	-4.9	0.2	-26.3	-26.3	0.0
	2017-02	-8.3	-8.1	0.2	-16.9	-16.9	0.1
	2017-03	-11.6	-8.0	3.6	-12.2	-10.1	2.2
Manufacturing except fish processing (NACE no. 10-33 except 102)	2016-10	1.8	1.8	0.0	3.7	3.8	0.1
	2016-11	1.4	1.4	0.0	3.5	3.5	0.0
	2016-12	0.5	0.6	0.1	2.8	2.9	0.1
	2017-01	1.8	2.2	0.4	1.7	1.9	0.3
	2017-02	1.6	2.1	0.5	1.1	1.4	0.3
	2017-03	-1.8	2.1	3.8	-0.4	1.0	1.4
Manufacture of basic metals (NACE no. 24)	2016-10	8.3	8.3	0.0	3.1	3.7	0.6
	2016-11	8.3	8.3	0.0	2.3	3.0	0.6
	2016-12	8.3	8.3	0.0	1.5	2.2	0.7
	2017-01	-15.4	-15.4	0.0	-2.1	-1.5	0.5
	2017-02	-7.7	-7.7	0.0	0.9	1.6	0.6
	2017-03	0.0	0.0	0.0	-2.2	-1.8	0.4
Manufacture of fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment (NACE no. 25)	2016-10	2.6	2.6	0.0	6.7	6.7	0.0
	2016-11	4.4	4.4	0.0	8.8	8.6	-0.2
	2016-12	2.2	2.2	0.0	6.4	6.4	0.0
	2017-01	7.4	8.3	0.9	5.6	5.7	0.1
	2017-02	5.0	5.4	0.5	3.1	3.1	0.1
	2017-03	0.9	4.1	3.2	0.2	1.7	1.6
Construction (NACE no. 41-43)	2016-10	9.7	10.0	0.2	20.7	20.8	0.1
	2016-11	10.7	11.0	0.3	20.3	20.3	0.1
	2016-12	10.2	10.5	0.3	19.9	20.0	0.2
	2017-01	6.9	7.6	0.7	19.2	19.7	0.6
	2017-02	7.7	8.7	1.0	18.0	18.6	0.6
	2017-03	1.5	6.5	5.0	12.9	16.8	3.9
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles (NACE no. 45-47)	2016-10	1.1	1.2	0.1	5.1	5.1	0.0
	2016-11	2.2	2.3	0.1	6.3	6.3	0.0
	2016-12	2.1	2.2	0.1	5.4	5.4	0.0
	2017-01	2.0	2.6	0.6	5.6	5.7	0.1
	2017-02	1.5	2.4	0.9	3.6	3.8	0.1
	2017-03	-2.8	1.7	4.5	4.2	5.7	1.5

Activity	Reference period	Number of employers year-on-year change			Number of employees year-on-year change		
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Wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles (NACE no. 45)	2016-10	6.4	6.4	0.0	3.9	3.9	0.0
	2016-11	6.7	6.7	0.0	7.1	7.1	0.0
	2016-12	7.3	7.3	0.0	5.2	5.1	0.0
	2017-01	4.8	5.0	0.2	3.6	3.7	0.0
	2017-02	3.2	3.9	0.6	4.0	4.1	0.1
	2017-03	-0.4	4.5	4.9	3.4	5.1	1.8
Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles (NACE no. 46)	2016-10	-0.4	-0.2	0.2	6.1	6.2	0.1
	2016-11	1.1	1.3	0.2	5.0	5.0	0.0
	2016-12	1.2	1.4	0.2	4.6	4.6	0.0
	2017-01	3.5	4.3	0.9	6.5	6.6	0.1
	2017-02	2.9	4.2	1.3	3.9	4.1	0.2
	2017-03	-1.5	2.8	4.3	4.3	6.7	2.4
Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles (NACE no. 47)	2016-10	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.9	4.9	0.0
	2016-11	1.0	1.0	0.0	7.1	7.1	0.0
	2016-12	0.5	0.5	0.0	6.2	6.2	0.0
	2017-01	-0.9	-0.3	0.6	5.7	5.8	0.1
	2017-02	-0.9	-0.3	0.6	3.3	3.4	0.1
	2017-03	-5.4	-1.0	4.4	4.0	5.0	1.0
Accommodation (NACE no. 55)	2016-10	17.0	17.0	0.0	22.0	22.0	0.0
	2016-11	11.0	11.0	0.0	23.3	23.0	-0.3
	2016-12	15.3	15.6	0.3	21.3	21.3	-0.1
	2017-01	15.6	16.4	0.8	19.8	19.9	0.1
	2017-02	12.1	13.4	1.3	14.5	14.7	0.3
	2017-03	5.4	11.4	5.9	11.3	13.5	2.2
Food and beverage service activities (NACE no. 56)	2016-10	4.1	4.1	0.0	9.8	9.8	0.0
	2016-11	8.0	8.0	0.0	11.9	11.8	-0.1
	2016-12	7.2	7.2	0.0	11.0	11.0	-0.1
	2017-01	4.0	4.2	0.2	12.3	12.4	0.0
	2017-02	1.7	2.3	0.6	7.9	8.1	0.2
	2017-03	-0.9	5.1	6.0	5.4	7.7	2.3
Financial and insurance activities (NACE no. 64-66)	2016-10	15.1	15.4	0.3	0.9	1.0	0.0
	2016-11	14.2	14.2	0.0	1.1	1.0	0.0
	2016-12	13.5	14.0	0.5	1.2	1.4	0.1
	2017-01	6.2	7.3	1.1	0.5	0.8	0.2
	2017-02	4.4	5.5	1.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
	2017-03	-4.3	-0.3	4.0	-1.8	-1.5	0.3
Travel agency, tour operator and other reservation service and related activities (NACE no. 79)	2016-10	42.6	42.6	0.0	38.4	38.4	0.0
	2016-11	43.8	43.8	0.0	38.4	38.2	-0.2
	2016-12	36.4	36.7	0.3	40.3	40.3	0.0
	2017-01	29.6	30.5	0.9	34.3	35.7	1.3
	2017-02	26.3	28.0	1.7	27.1	28.7	1.6
	2017-03	14.0	20.9	6.9	22.9	28.5	5.6
Public administration, compulsory social security and education (NACE no. 84-85)	2016-10	0.4	0.7	0.4	-0.3	-0.3	0.0
	2016-11	0.4	0.7	0.4	1.4	1.3	-0.1
	2016-12	2.3	2.6	0.4	-1.7	-1.8	0.0
	2017-01	-2.1	-2.0	0.2	-0.6	-0.6	0.0
	2017-02	-1.8	-1.6	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.0
	2017-03	-2.5	-0.5	2.0	1.2	1.4	0.2
Human health and social work activities (NACE no. 86-88)	2016-10	6.3	6.3	0.0	5.4	5.4	0.0
	2016-11	5.2	5.2	0.0	-4.0	-4.0	0.0
	2016-12	4.2	4.2	0.0	1.7	1.6	-0.1
	2017-01	4.0	4.4	0.4	2.5	2.5	0.0
	2017-02	2.0	2.7	0.7	3.1	3.1	0.0
	2017-03	-1.7	1.1	2.8	2.8	3.1	0.2
Tourism industries (NACE no. 491, 4932, 4939, 501, 503, 511, 551-553, 561, 563, 771, 7721, 79)	2016-10	19.7	19.7	0.0	19.9	19.9	0.0
	2016-11	19.5	19.5	0.0	21.1	21.0	-0.1
	2016-12	19.2	19.3	0.1	21.1	21.1	0.0
	2017-01	14.4	15.0	0.5	19.4	20.1	0.7
	2017-02	12.3	13.4	1.1	14.7	15.5	0.8
	2017-03	6.6	12.5	5.9	13.4	16.1	2.7

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Creative industries (NACE no. 3212, 58-60, 6201-6202, 7021, 7111, 731, 741-743, 8552, 90, 9101-9102)	2016-10	5.8	5.9	0.1	2.7	2.7	0.0
	2016-11	5.2	5.4	0.2	2.6	2.7	0.0
	2016-12	5.1	5.4	0.3	1.5	1.5	0.1
	2017-01	3.0	3.7	0.7	0.9	1.1	0.2
	2017-02	1.4	2.3	0.9	0.7	1.0	0.3
	2017-03	-3.5	0.7	4.3	-1.0	0.6	1.6
High technology manufacturing and services (NACE no. 20, 254, 26-30, 325, 53, 58, 60-63, 72)	2016-10	3.7	3.7	0.0	2.9	2.9	0.0
	2016-11	4.0	4.0	0.0	2.4	2.3	0.0
	2016-12	5.4	5.4	0.0	1.7	1.7	0.0
	2017-01	1.5	1.9	0.3	1.6	1.6	0.0
	2017-02	0.6	1.0	0.5	1.1	1.3	0.1
	2017-03	-2.3	0.9	3.2	0.1	1.1	0.9