



Press release

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03 Work and income

Swiss Labour Force Survey and its derivative statistics:
hours worked in 2024

Over 8 billion hours worked in 2024

In 2024, 8.117 billion hours were worked in Switzerland, an increase of 0.1% compared with the previous year. Between 2019 and 2024, the actual weekly hours worked by full-time employees fell by 50 minutes on average, to 40 hours and 4 minutes. This is according to the latest results from the Federal Statistical Office (FSO).

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