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Percentage of 18 to 24 year-olds in education/not in education, by work status¹

Share in %							
State	Year	In education					
		Employed			Unemployed	Inactive	Total
		Students in work-study programmes	Other employed	Total			
Australia	2018	4.9	28.1	32.9	2.9	16.0	51.8
	2019	5.1	27.5	32.6	3.4	15.2	51.1
	2020	5.0	22.1	27.1	4.4	19.6	51.2
Belgium	2018	0.2	5.5	5.6	1.0	56.4	63.1
	2019	0.2	7.3	7.5	0.6	53.0	61.1
	2020	0.8	7.2	8.0	0.9	52.4	61.3
Chile	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Costa Rica	2018	a	12.0	12.0	4.2	27.5	43.6
	2019	a	15.9	15.9	8.4	25.9	50.2
	2020	y	16.4	16.4	9.6	24.1	50.1
Denmark	2018	y	32.9	32.9	3.0	25.1	61.0
	2019	y	32.3	32.3	3.3	22.9	58.6
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	2018	16.0	15.6	31.5	1.0	29.7	62.2
	2019	16.6	16.3	33.0	1.0	29.2	63.2
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Estonia	2018	c	22.3	22.4	2.9	28.1	53.3
	2019	-	20.8	20.8	2.6	32.7	56.1
	2020	c	24.0	24.1	4.6	33.5	62.3
Finland	2018	y	19.5	19.5	6.0	31.2	56.7
	2019	y	21.8	21.8	5.9	30.4	58.1
	2020	y	19.9	19.9	6.0	31.0	56.8
France	2018	6.8	4.8	11.6	0.9	40.6	53.1
	2019	7.4	5.3	12.7	0.9	40.8	54.3
	2020	7.7	5.1	12.7	0.9	42.0	55.6
Greece	2018	a	4.5	4.5	1.7	56.4	62.6
	2019	a	5.2	5.2	1.1	58.3	64.6
	2020	a	5.6	5.6	1.4	58.5	65.6
Ireland	2018	a	20.0	20.0	1.9	33.9	55.8
	2019	a	21.5	21.5	1.6	31.8	54.9
	2020	a	25.6	25.6	1.9	30.5	58.0
Iceland	2018	a	35.0	35.0	2.5	13.8	51.3
	2019	a	36.9	36.9	2.7	16.7	56.3
	2020	a	37.1	37.1	4.1	18.6	59.7
Israel	2018	y	10.1	10.1	0.6	19.0	29.7
	2019	y	10.6	10.6	0.7	18.9	30.2
	2020	y	10.6	10.6	0.7	20.3	31.6
Italy	2018	a	2.7	2.7	0.7	49.3	52.7
	2019	a	2.4	2.4	0.8	49.1	52.3
	2020	-	3.0	3.0	1.1	49.6	53.6
Japan	2018	a	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	a	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	2018	y	22.6	22.6	2.0	24.7	49.2
	2019	y	23.2	23.2	2.2	24.7	50.1
	2020	y	21.8	21.8	2.8	24.0	48.6

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Share in %							
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		Employed			Unemployed	Inactive	Total
		Students in work-study programmes	Other employed	Total			
Colombia	2018	a	10.2	10.2	3.0	16.8	30.0
	2019	a	9.6	9.6	2.8	17.4	29.8
	2020	a	6.8	6.8	3.3	17.5	27.5
Korea	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	2018	a	13.8	13.8	c	41.2	55.5
	2019	a	18.0	18.0	c	40.2	59.1
	2020	a	16.3	16.3	1.9	39.0	57.1
Lithuania	2018	a	14.3	14.3	1.0	47.2	62.5
	2019	a	17.0	17.0	0.3	43.9	61.2
	2020	a	17.2	17.2	0.3	43.8	61.3
Luxembourg	2018	a	13.8	14.6	2.4	46.2	63.2
	2019	a	c	c	c	52.4	67.8
	2020	a	9.6	9.6	c	55.3	67.3
Mexico	2018	a	9.9	9.9	0.8	27.0	37.8
	2019	a	10.4	10.4	0.7	26.5	37.6
	2020	a	9.5	9.5	0.8	27.9	38.2
New Zealand	2018	a	21.5	21.5	1.8	17.8	41.2
	2019	a	16.6	16.6	1.5	14.7	32.9
	2020	a	18.3	18.3	2.0	15.8	36.1
Netherlands	2018	y	40.8	40.8	2.8	21.7	65.3
	2019	y	42.0	42.0	2.6	20.5	65.1
	2020	y	40.0	40.0	3.8	21.9	65.6
Norway	2018	0.6	20.2	20.9	2.5	28.0	51.4
	2019	0.6	20.3	20.8	3.6	27.1	51.4
	2020	0.9	21.1	22.0	3.2	25.9	51.2
Austria	2018	7.5	12.7	20.1	1.8	28.5	50.5
	2019	8.8	12.6	21.4	0.9	25.6	47.9
	2020	8.0	12.5	20.4	0.7	26.3	47.5
Poland	2018	a	9.9	9.9	1.0	44.3	55.2
	2019	a	9.7	9.7	0.9	43.7	54.4
	2020	a	8.1	8.1	0.9	47.3	56.3
Portugal	2018	a	5.6	5.6	1.4	47.1	54.1
	2019	a	6.2	6.2	1.2	46.9	54.3
	2020	a	5.5	5.5	2.4	47.5	55.4
Sweden	2018	a	17.0	17.0	6.1	29.6	52.7
	2019	a	18.5	18.5	7.9	31.4	57.8
	2020	a	18.1	18.1	7.4	31.7	57.2
Switzerland	2018	18.6	15.0	33.7	1.8	19.4	54.9
	2019	15.6	18.1	33.7	1.6	21.3	56.5
	2020	18.0	18.1	36.0	2.0	21.4	59.4
Slovak Republic	2018	c	3.0	3.1	c	50.6	53.7
	2019	c	2.4	2.4	c	54.5	57.0
	2020	c	2.4	2.5	0.2	53.6	56.3
Slovenia	2018	y	22.5	22.5	1.3	43.4	67.1
	2019	y	16.8	16.8	0.5	47.0	64.3
	2020	y	16.1	16.1	0.4	47.3	63.8

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Share in %							
State	Year	In education					
		Students in work-study programmes	Employed		Unemployed	Inactive	Total
			Other employed	Total			
Spain	2018	y	7.9	7.9	3.7	47.8	59.3
	2019	y	7.6	7.6	3.8	47.5	58.8
	2020	y	8.3	8.3	3.4	47.1	58.9
Czech Republic	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turkey	2018	a	14.0	14.0	3.3	22.5	39.7
	2019	a	13.1	13.1	4.4	20.9	38.4
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hungary	2018	a	2.2	2.2	c	47.2	49.6
	2019	a	3.4	3.4	0.3	46.5	50.2
	2020	a	2.8	2.8	c	44.7	47.7
United Kingdom	2018	4.8	13.5	18.4	1.5	22.7	42.6
	2019	4.9	13.7	18.6	1.4	23.2	43.2
	2020	5.0	14.7	19.7	1.7	21.4	42.8
United States	2018	y	20.5	20.5	1.4	26.0	48.0
	2019	y	19.5	19.5	1.4	26.0	47.0
	2020	y	19.7	19.7	1.5	26.2	47.5
OECD average	2018	-	15.4	17.2	2.2	33.1	52.4
	2019	-	15.8	17.6	2.3	33.1	52.8
	2020	-	14.9	16.4	2.6	34.4	53.3
EU22 average ³	2018	-	13.9	15.4	2.3	40.3	57.6
	2019	-	14.4	16.0	2.0	40.4	58.1
	2020	-	13.0	13.9	2.2	42.3	58.3
Argentina	2018	a	11.9	11.9	4.3	30.6	46.8
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil	2018	a	13.6	13.6	5.2	14.0	32.7
	2019	a	13.9	13.9	5.2	13.4	32.4
	2020	a	11.8	11.8	4.7	17.3	33.8
China	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
India	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indonesia	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Russian Federation	2018	-	6.4	6.4	2.0	45.7	54.0
	2019	-	7.4	7.4	2.1	42.4	51.9
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Africa	2018	a	0.9	0.9	0.8	40.4	42.0
	2019	a	0.8	0.8	0.9	39.8	41.4
	2020	a	0.5	0.5	0.5	42.3	43.4

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Share in %							
State	Year	Not in education				Total	Total
		Employed	NEETs ²		Total		
			Unemployed	Inactive			
Australia	2018	36.7	4.6	7.0	11.6	48.2	100.0
	2019	37.4	5.0	6.5	11.4	48.9	100.0
	2020	32.8	5.8	10.2	16.0	48.8	100.0
Belgium	2018	24.8	5.2	6.9	12.1	36.9	100.0
	2019	25.4	5.4	8.1	13.5	38.9	100.0
	2020	26.6	4.0	8.1	12.1	38.7	100.0
Chile	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Costa Rica	2018	30.8	11.5	14.1	25.6	56.4	100.0
	2019	27.0	9.3	13.5	22.8	49.8	100.0
	2020	29.2	10.1	10.6	20.7	49.9	100.0
Denmark	2018	26.6	3.8	8.6	12.4	39.0	100.0
	2019	29.7	3.9	7.7	11.7	41.4	100.0
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	2018	28.1	3.1	6.5	9.6	37.8	100.0
	2019	28.7	2.8	5.3	8.1	36.8	100.0
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Estonia	2018	35.5	3.8	7.4	11.2	46.7	100.0
	2019	34.6	3.2	6.1	9.3	43.9	100.0
	2020	25.7	5.4	6.6	12.0	37.7	100.0
Finland	2018	30.2	6.0	7.1	13.1	43.3	100.0
	2019	29.7	4.7	7.6	12.3	41.9	100.0
	2020	29.5	6.7	6.9	13.6	43.2	100.0
France	2018	28.7	10.4	7.8	18.2	46.9	100.0
	2019	28.4	9.5	7.7	17.3	45.7	100.0
	2020	27.6	8.8	8.0	16.8	44.4	100.0
Greece	2018	15.2	14.0	8.2	22.3	37.4	100.0
	2019	14.7	12.7	8.0	20.7	35.4	100.0
	2020	15.1	9.5	9.8	19.3	34.4	100.0
Ireland	2018	31.7	5.0	7.6	12.5	44.2	100.0
	2019	33.1	4.5	7.5	12.0	45.1	100.0
	2020	30.3	3.8	7.8	11.6	42.0	100.0
Iceland	2018	41.9	2.5	4.3	6.8	48.7	100.0
	2019	37.1	3.7	2.9	6.6	43.7	100.0
	2020	31.3	3.3	5.6	9.0	40.3	100.0
Israel	2018	53.5	2.8	14.0	16.9	70.3	100.0
	2019	52.3	2.9	14.6	17.5	69.8	100.0
	2020	50.7	2.3	15.4	17.7	68.4	100.0
Italy	2018	21.6	11.5	14.3	25.7	47.3	100.0
	2019	22.2	11.1	14.3	25.5	47.7	100.0
	2020	21.5	9.5	15.3	24.8	46.4	100.0
Japan	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	2018	38.2	5.1	7.4	12.5	50.8	100.0
	2019	38.0	5.0	6.9	11.8	49.9	100.0
	2020	37.9	5.4	8.1	13.6	51.4	100.0

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Share in %							
State	Year	Not in education				Total	Total
		Employed	Unemployed	NEETs ²			
				Inactive	Total		
Colombia	2018	43.5	10.6	15.9	26.5	70.0	100.0
	2019	42.6	11.2	16.4	27.6	70.2	100.0
	2020	37.9	14.0	20.5	34.5	72.5	100.0
Korea	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	2018	32.3	7.1	5.1	12.2	44.5	100.0
	2019	29.5	6.2	5.2	11.4	40.9	100.0
	2020	29.0	6.1	7.7	13.8	42.9	100.0
Lithuania	2018	25.6	5.4	6.5	11.9	37.5	100.0
	2019	26.8	5.7	6.3	12.0	38.8	100.0
	2020	24.7	6.9	7.0	13.9	38.7	100.0
Luxembourg	2018	27.5	3.4	6.0	9.3	36.8	100.0
	2019	25.8	c	c	c	32.2	100.0
	2020	23.7	c	c	9.0	32.7	100.0
Mexico	2018	40.7	3.1	18.5	21.6	62.2	100.0
	2019	40.9	3.4	18.1	21.5	62.4	100.0
	2020	38.5	3.7	19.6	23.3	61.8	100.0
New Zealand	2018	46.9	4.9	7.1	11.9	58.8	100.0
	2019	53.7	5.5	8.0	13.4	67.1	100.0
	2020	49.6	5.8	8.4	14.2	63.9	100.0
Netherlands	2018	27.7	1.6	5.3	6.9	34.7	100.0
	2019	28.0	1.6	5.3	6.9	34.9	100.0
	2020	26.7	2.2	5.5	7.6	34.4	100.0
Norway	2018	39.9	2.7	6.0	8.8	48.6	100.0
	2019	40.4	2.4	5.7	8.1	48.6	100.0
	2020	40.0	2.8	6.0	8.8	48.8	100.0
Austria	2018	38.4	4.5	6.7	11.1	49.5	100.0
	2019	41.2	4.2	6.7	10.8	52.1	100.0
	2020	40.1	5.9	6.5	12.4	52.5	100.0
Poland	2018	32.3	4.6	7.9	12.5	44.8	100.0
	2019	33.7	3.8	8.1	11.9	45.6	100.0
	2020	31.1	3.9	8.7	12.6	43.7	100.0
Portugal	2018	31.4	8.9	5.6	14.5	45.9	100.0
	2019	32.4	7.2	6.1	13.3	45.7	100.0
	2020	31.5	6.6	6.5	13.2	44.6	100.0
Sweden	2018	37.7	3.7	5.9	9.6	47.3	100.0
	2019	33.8	3.8	4.6	8.4	42.2	100.0
	2020	33.4	4.4	5.0	9.4	42.8	100.0
Switzerland	2018	36.1	4.6	4.4	9.0	45.1	100.0
	2019	36.1	2.9	4.4	7.3	43.5	100.0
	2020	32.3	3.5	4.9	8.4	40.6	100.0
Slovak Republic	2018	32.7	7.0	6.6	13.6	46.3	100.0
	2019	32.4	5.7	4.9	10.6	43.0	100.0
	2020	31.0	6.2	6.6	12.8	43.7	100.0
Slovenia	2018	23.4	4.5	5.0	9.5	32.9	100.0
	2019	27.2	4.3	4.2	8.5	35.7	100.0
	2020	26.2	4.8	5.2	10.0	36.2	100.0

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		Employed	NEETs ²		Total		
			Unemployed	Inactive			
Spain	2018	20.5	12.0	8.2	20.2	40.7	100.0
	2019	21.4	11.3	8.4	19.7	41.2	100.0
	2020	21.3	10.7	9.2	19.9	41.1	100.0
Czech Republic	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turkey	2018	30.4	7.6	22.2	29.8	60.3	100.0
	2019	29.4	11.1	21.1	32.2	61.6	100.0
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hungary	2018	35.8	4.2	10.5	14.6	50.4	100.0
	2019	35.4	4.4	10.1	14.5	49.8	100.0
	2020	37.4	4.9	10.0	15.0	52.3	100.0
United Kingdom	2018	43.6	5.0	8.8	13.8	57.4	100.0
	2019	43.4	5.2	8.1	13.3	56.8	100.0
	2020	43.4	5.4	8.4	13.8	57.2	100.0
United States	2018	38.3	4.1	9.6	13.8	52.0	100.0
	2019	39.3	4.2	9.5	13.7	53.0	100.0
	2020	38.7	4.1	9.8	13.8	52.5	100.0
OECD average	2018	33.2	5.8	8.6	14.5	47.6	100.0
	2019	33.3	5.7	8.4	14.1	47.2	100.0
	2020	32.1	5.9	8.9	14.6	46.7	100.0
EU22 average ³	2018	28.9	6.2	7.3	13.5	42.4	100.0
	2019	29.2	5.8	7.1	12.9	41.9	100.0
	2020	28.0	6.1	7.8	13.7	41.7	100.0
Argentina	2018	29.1	8.8	15.3	24.1	53.2	100.0
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil	2018	36.7	13.1	17.6	30.6	67.3	100.0
	2019	38.0	12.8	16.8	29.6	67.6	100.0
	2020	30.3	13.1	22.8	35.9	66.2	100.0
China	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
India	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indonesia	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Russian Federation	2018	32.8	5.6	7.6	13.2	46.0	100.0
	2019	33.8	5.4	8.9	14.3	48.1	100.0
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
Saudi Arabia	2018	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2019	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Africa	2018	15.8	18.2	24.0	42.2	58.0	100.0
	2019	14.8	19.7	24.1	43.8	58.6	100.0
	2020	11.6	17.1	27.9	45.0	56.6	100.0

a = data not applicable because category does not apply; c = too few observations to provide reliable estimates. The calculation of the Länder averages includes those figures; y = data included in other category.

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- 1 According to the ISCED classification: International Standard Classification for Education 2011.
- 2 NEET refers to young people neither employed nor in education or training but following non-formal studies. For more details see source.
- 3 Average of the 22 states of the European Union in the OECD after the United Kingdom left the EU. The data were calculated back for the entire time series.

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