Labour Market and Labour Market Participation

Sources:
Labour Force Participation Rate, Employment Rate, Unemployment: OECD statistics, 2006
Share: Statistics Denmark
Median Age: Own calculations based on the ECHP

Notes:
* ratio between the number of persons in the labour force (employed or unemployed) in a given age group and the population in the same age group.
** % of employed individuals on the working age population.
*** % of employed persons in a given age group on the population in the same age group.

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Median Age, 2001

Unemployment Rate***, 1983-2005

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### Inactivity Rates*
1983-2005

![Graph showing Inactivity Rates](image)

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### Time Spent in Paid vs. Unpaid Work Activities*
1987

![Bar chart showing Time Spent](image)

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**Sources:**
- **Inactivity Rates and Long-Term Unemployment:**
  - OECD statistics, 2006
- **Time Spent:** OECD,
  - Babies and bosses (2002-2005)
- **Disability Benefit Recipients,**
  - Early / Late Retirement:
    - Own calculations based on the ECHP
    - Effective Retirement Age:
      - Danish Ministry of Finance, ECHP, European Commission

**Notes:**
- * ratio between the number of persons out the
  labour force (neither employed nor
  unemployed) in a given age group and the
  population in the same age group.
- **% of long-term unemployed (individuals who
  are unemployed for more than 1 year) on the
  total number of unemployed individuals
  (OECD definition)

### Long-Term Unemployment Rates**, 1983-2005

![Graph showing Long-Term Unemployment Rates](image)

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### Share of Non-Employed Disability Benefit Recipients, 2001

![Bar chart showing Share of Non-Employed](image)

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### Average Effective Retirement Age

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### Early / Late Retirement, 2001

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**Age Discrimination**

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**Lifetime Allocation**, 2000

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*Based on average ages of entry and exit to/from the labour market calculated for 2000

**Average Age of Entry into Employment, 2000**

Women: 16.8
Men: 16.6

**Implicit Tax on Continuing Working for a Single Worker**

*With average production worker earnings

**Flexible Retirement**

**Early Retirement:**
Supplementary pension (ATP): yes
Public old-age pension scheme: no

**Spread of the Retirement Corridor:**
Earliest possible retirement age: 65 years
Upper age limit to withdraw pensions: supplementary pension (ATP): 68
public old-age pension scheme: 65

Sources:
- *Entry into Employment*: European Commission, Employment in Europe 2003
- *Flexible Retirement*: European Commission, Joint report by the Commission and the Council, 2003