Labour Market and Labour Market Participation

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**Share of Workers aged 55-64 in Employment and Population, 1983-2006**

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**Median Age, 2001**

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Sources:
Labour Force Participation Rate, Employment Rate, Share, Unemployment: EUROSTAT

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.
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**Age Discrimination**

- **Inactivity Rates**, 1983-2006
  - Women 55-64
  - Men 55-64
  - Women 25-54
  - Men 25-54

- **Time Spent in Paid vs. Unpaid Work Activities**
  - n.a.

- **Long-Term Unemployment Rates**, 1983-2006
  - Women 55-64
  - Men 55-64
  - Women 24-49
  - Men 24-49

- **Share of Non-Employed Disability Benefit Recipients, 2001**
  - Women: 0.88
  - Men: 0.67

- **Average Effective Labour Market Exit Age**
  - 2001: 61.3
  - 2005: 62.5
  - 2003: 57.6
  - 2005: 61.0

- **Early / Late Retirement, 2001**
  - Retiring before statutory age: 49.3
  - Retiring at or after statutory age: 50.7

Sources:
- Inactivity Rates and Long-Term Unemployment: OECD statistics, 2006
- Exit Age: EUROSTAT
- Early/Late Retirement: Own calculations based on the ECHP

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)
Implicit Tax on Continuing Working,
2003 *

Sources:
Lifetime Allocation: Burniaux et al, OECD, 2003
Entry into Employment, Flexible Retirement:
European Commission, 2003
Implicit Tax: Duval, OECD, Economics Department WP 370, 2003

Flexible Retirement

Early retirement:
60 years

Upper age limit to withdraw pensions:
65

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

* For a single worker with average production worker earnings

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