

Contractual wages and salaries

August 2015

The index of wages according to collective labour agreements measures the evolution of wages and salaries (per employee or per hour) determined by contractual provisions set by collective agreements; the indices are calculated with reference to the fixed employment structure of the base period (December 2010).

At the end of August 2015 the coverage rate (share of national collective agreements in force for the wage setting aspects) was 62.0 per cent in terms of employees and 59.0 per cent in terms of the total amount of wages.

In August 2015 the hourly index and the per employee index were unchanged from last month.

Compared with August 2014 the hourly index increased by 1.2 per cent while the per employee index rose by 1.1 per cent.

During the period January-August 2015 both indices rose by 1.1 per cent compared to the same period of the previous year.

WAGES ACCORDING TO COLLECTIVE AGREEMENTS. AUGUST 2015

Indices	Index (December 2010=100)	Percentage changes		
		<u>Aug. 15</u> Jul. 15	<u>Aug. 15</u> Aug. 14	<u>Jan.- Aug. 15</u> Jan.- Aug. 14
Wages according to collective agreements per hour	106.6	0.0	1.2	1.1
Wages according to collective agreements per employee	106.6	0.0	1.1	1.1

For more details please refer to the Italian version

Time series are available at <http://dati.istat.it/?lang=en>

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