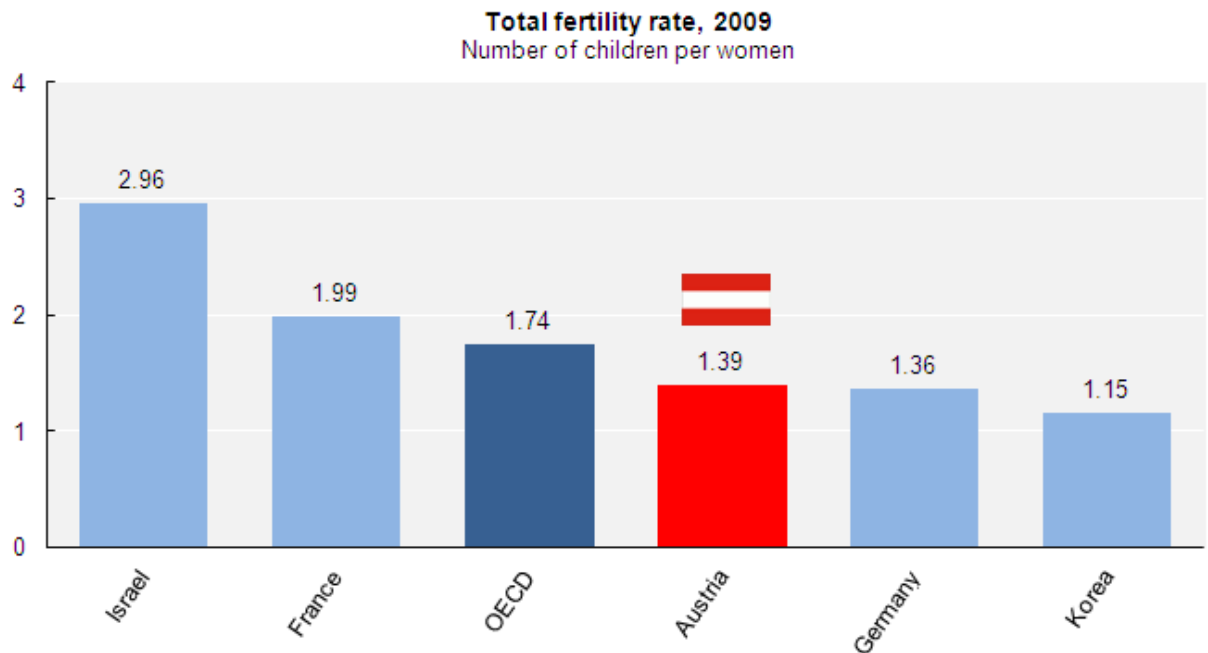


KEY FINDINGS: AUSTRIA

Did you know?

- At 1.39 children per woman, Austria has the fourth lowest fertility rate in the OECD, a rate very similar to its neighbours Switzerland (1.50), the Czech Republic (1.49), the Slovak Republic (1.41), Hungary (1.33), Italy (1.41) and Germany (1.36), but much less than the OECD average of 1.74. [[GE2.xls](#)]



- At nearly 8 and a half hours of work per day, Austrians have the sixth highest total time spent working – both paid and unpaid – in the OECD. The OECD average is 8 hours. [[Fig1.2.xls](#)]
- Austria has three and a half people of working age for every person aged 65 years or more, in the lowest third of the OECD and less than the OECD average of 4.2 workers. [[GE5.xls](#)]
- At 4.8%, Austria has the fifth lowest unemployment rate in the OECD, much less than the 8.1% OECD average. [[SS2.xls](#)]
- Austria has low income inequality and poverty rates (7.2%) – in both cases amongst the top third of the OECD. [[EQ1.xls](#) & [EQ2.xls](#)]
- Austrians are in the top third of the OECD with respect to satisfaction with their local water quality (second, with 97.1% satisfied) and air quality (ninth, with 88.0% satisfied). The respective OECD averages are 86.1% and 80.9%. [[HE4.xls](#)]