

NETHERLANDS

Structural Business Statistics

Sources and definitions

Data originate from Statistics Netherlands (*Centraal Bureau voor de Statistiek - CBS*), Voorburg. They have been taken directly from Eurostat's NewCronos –database Structural Business Statistics (SBS) domain - detailed data on all enterprises segment.

The enterprise is the statistical unit.

The enterprise is defined as the smallest combination of legal units that is an organisational unit producing goods or services, which benefits from a certain degree of autonomy in decision-making, especially for the allocation of its current resources. An enterprise carries out one or more activities at one or more locations. An enterprise may be a sole legal unit.

Variables:

Production corresponds to the variable *production value* (variable 12 12 0) of the Eurostat Newcronos database (Eurostat, Luxembourg).

Value added corresponds to the variable *Value added at factor costs* (variable 12 15 0) of the Eurostat Newcronos database. Value added is at factor cost.

The number of employees corresponds to the variable *number of employees* (variable 16 13 0) of the Eurostat Newcronos database.

Wages and salaries, employees, corresponds to the variable wages and salaries (variable 13 32 0) of the Eurostat Newcronos database.

Number of enterprises corresponds to the variable *Number of enterprises* (variable 11 11 0) of the Eurostat Newcronos database.

GFCF corresponds to the variable *Gross investment in tangible goods* (variable 15 11 0) of the Eurostat Newcronos database.

For further detail on the variables, see the Eurostat Newcronos database.

Composition of the ICT sector

The ICT sector is in line with the OECD definition, with the following exceptions:

- the ISIC Rev.3 class 6420 (Telecommunication) is provided together with ISIC Rev. 3 class 6410 (Post and courier activities), due to confidentiality.

- the following industry is not available:

ISIC Rev.3 class 7123 (Renting of office machinery & equipment -including computers-)

See the concordance table, the column for the NACE classification.