

OECD Skills for Jobs Database

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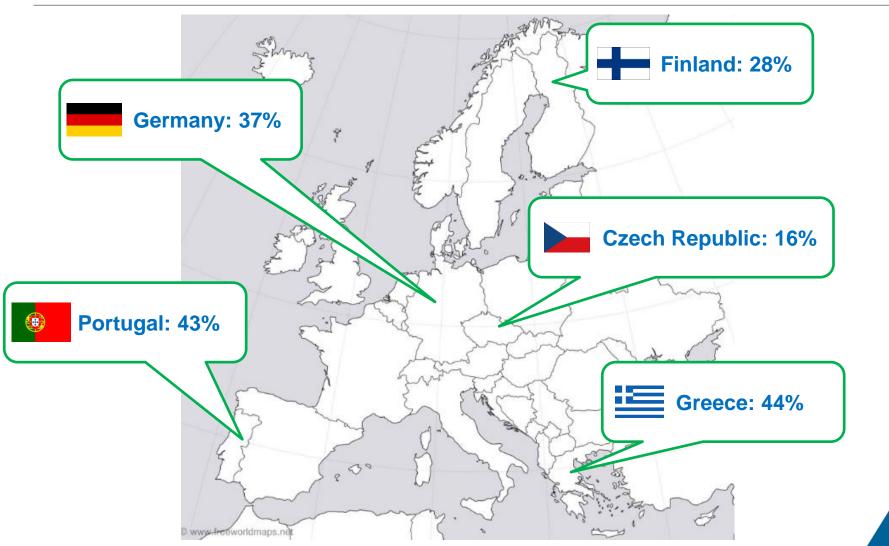
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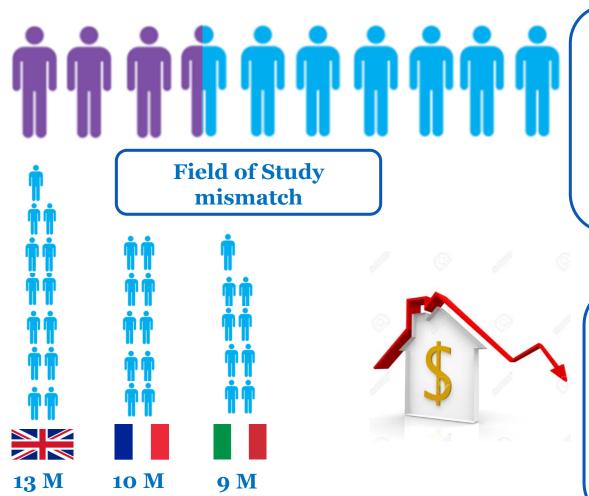
Too many workers are mismatched, over or under-qualified



Source: OECD Skills for Jobs Database



Mismatch is pervasive



80 million workers
in European
countries are
mismatched by

qualifications

Substantial wage penalty

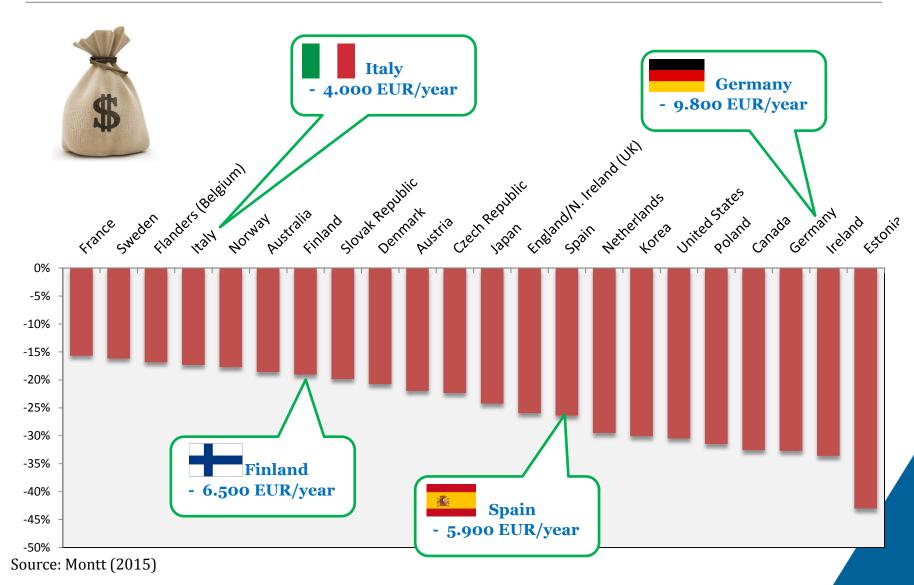
- 24 % for workers mismatched by field and qualifications

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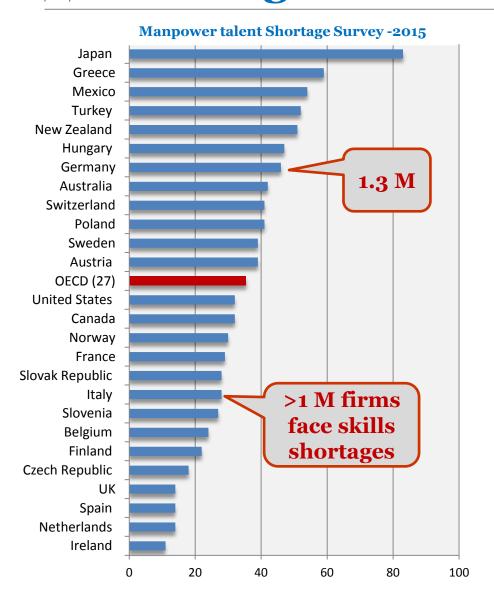
Wage penalties can be substantial

Mismatched by field and over-qualified





Mismatches can co-exist with Shortages





Vacancies remain unfilled for too long



Delays in production



Re-training costs



Slow adoption of technologies



What skills?

New OECD Skills for Jobs Database





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Radically different approach from what is already existing

Objective and comparable information

Wage

Employment

Unemployment

Hours worked

Under-qualification

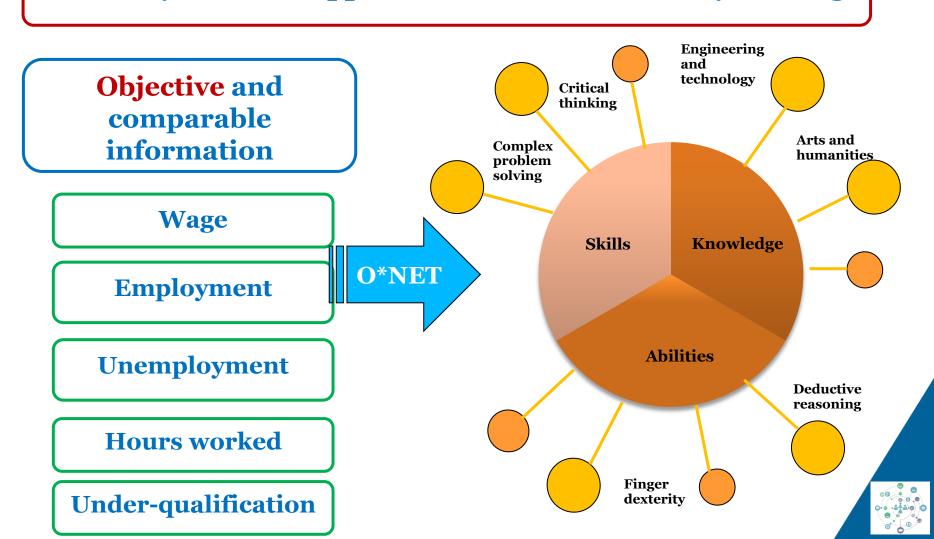
		Ranking occupations
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	1	Information and
		communications technology
		professionals
	2	Science and engineering
		associate professionals
	3	Business and administration
		associate professionals
	4	Health professionals
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	30	Cleaners and helpers
	31	Protective services workers
	32	Personal care workers
	33	Street and related sales and
		service workers





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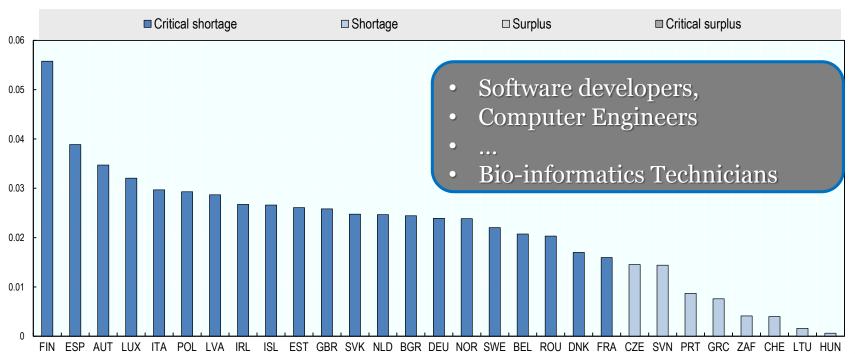
Results





Most occupations in <u>High-Demand</u> share the characteristic of requiring a strong command of Computers and Electronics Knowledge

Computers and Electronics

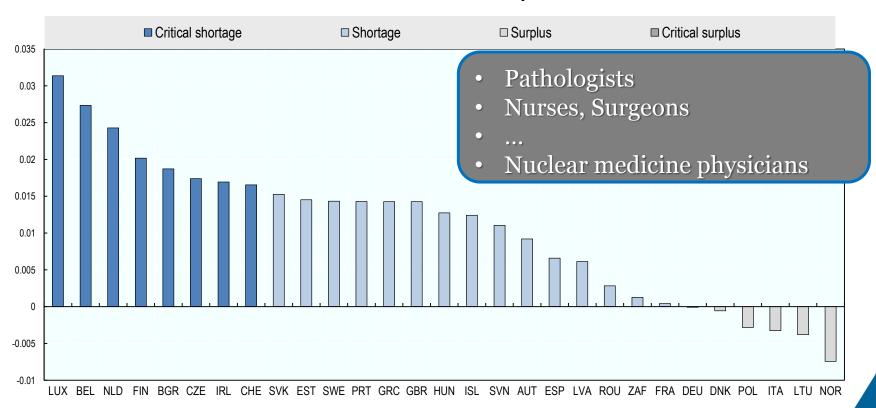






... or the Knowledge of Medicine and Dentistry

Medicine and Dentistry

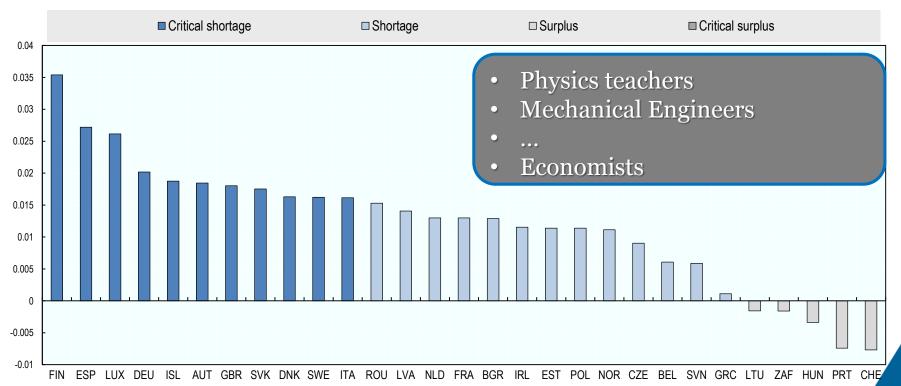






... or the Knowledge of Mathematics

Mathematics Knowledge







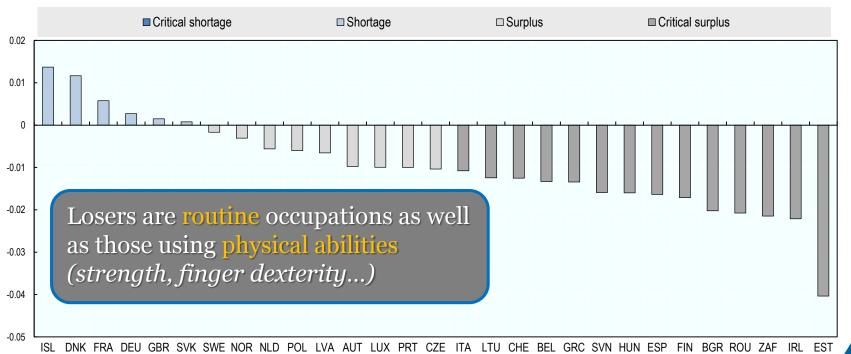
Surpluses?





Changes in the labour market are also releasing pressure (demanding less) skills related to more traditional areas such as Knowledge in Building and Construction

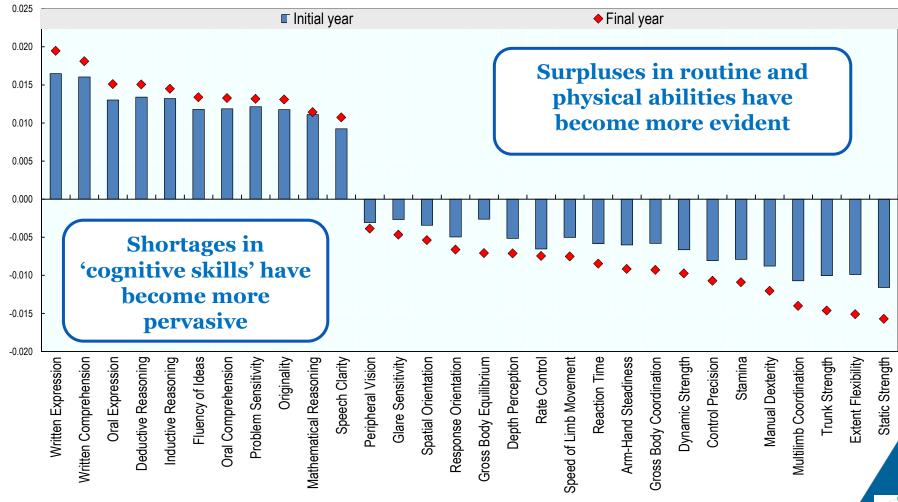
Building and Construction







Time Evolution of Shortages and Surpluses





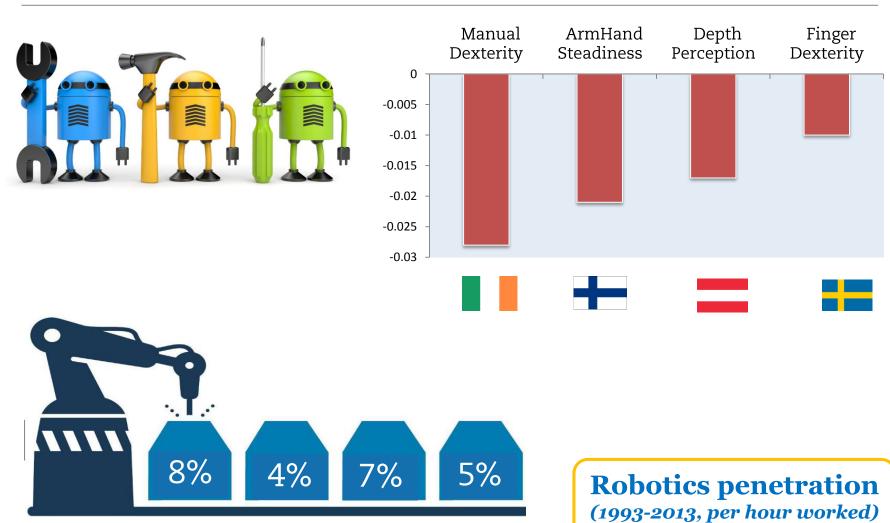


Ireland

Finland

Austria

Mega-trends and skill needs



Sweden

Source: OECD on International federation of robotics



What is next?

Data visualisation!

http://www.oecd.org/employment/skills-for-jobs-dataviz.htm

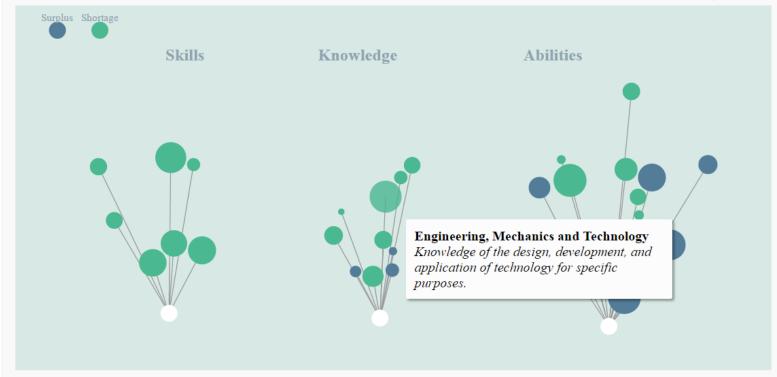








Need help using this tool?



In Italy, the following occupations contribute most to the shortage of Engineering, Mechanics and Technology



Science & engineering professionals



Science & engineering associate professionals



ICT professionals



ICT technicians



Metal & machinery trades workers



Getting Skills Right

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