Annex 2 – High-tech aggregation by NACE Rev 1.1

Aggregations of manufacturing based on NACE Rev 1.1

Eurostat uses the following aggregation of the manufacturing industry according to technological intensity and based on NACE Rev. 1.1 at 3-digit level for compiling aggregates related to high-technology, medium high-technology, medium low-technology and low-technology.

Please note that in a few cases (R&D, Employment in high-tech and HRST), due to restrictions of the data sources used, the aggregations are only made on a NACE 2-digit level. This means that **high-technology** includes the NACE codes 30, 32 and 33, **medium-high-technology** includes the NACE codes 24, 29, 31, 34 and 35, **medium-low-technology** includes the NACE codes 23 and 25 to 28 and **low-technology** includes the NACE codes 15 to 22 and 36 to 37.

Manufacturing Industries	NACE Rev 1.1 codes	
High-technology	24.4	Manufacture of pharmaceuticals, medicinal chemicals and botanical products;
	30	Manufacture of office machinery and computers;
	32	Manufacture of radio, television and communication equipment and apparatus;
	33	Manufacture of medical, precision and optical instruments, watches and clocks;
	35.3	Manufacture of aircraft and spacecraft
Medium-high-	24	Manufacture of chemicals and chemical product, excluding 24.4 Manufacture of
technology		pharmaceuticals, medicinal chemicals and botanical products;
	29	Manufacture of machinery and equipment n.e.c.;
	31	Manufacture of electrical machinery and apparatus n.e.c.;
	34	Manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers;
	35	Manufacture of other transport equipment, excluding 35.1 Building and repairing of ships
		and boats and excluding 35.3 Manufacture of aircraft and spacecraft.
Medium-low-	23	Manufacture of coke, refined petroleum products and nuclear fuel;
technology	25 to 28	Manufacture of rubber and plastic products; basic metals and fabricated metal products;
		other non-metallic mineral products;
	35.1	Building and repairing of ships and boats
Low-technology	15 to 22	Manufacture of food products, beverages and tobacco; textiles and textile products; leather
		and leather products; wood and wood products; pulp, paper and paper products; publishing
		and printing;
	36 to 37	Manufacturing n.e.c.

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Aggregations of services based on NACE Rev 1.1

Following a similar approach as for manufacturing, Eurostat defines the following sector as **knowledge-intensive services** or as **less knowledge-intensive services**:

Manufacturing	NACE Rev 1.1 codes	
Industries		
Knowledge-	61	Water transport;
intensive services	62	Air transport;
	64	Post and telecommunications;
	65 to 67	Financial intermediation;
	70 to 74	Real estate, renting and business activities;
	80	Education;
	85	Health and social work;
	92	Recreational, cultural and sporting activities
High-tech KIS	64	Post and telecommunications;
	72	Computer and related activities;
	73	Research and development
Market KIS (excl.	61	Water transport;
financial	62	Air transport;
intermediation and	70	Real estate activities;
high-tech services)	71	Renting of machinery and equipment without operator and of personal and household goods;
	74	Other business activities
Less Knowledge-	50 to 52	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and
intensive services		household goods;
	55	Hotels and restaurants;
	60	Land transport; transport via pipelines;
	63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies;
	75	Public administration and defense; compulsory social security;
	90	Sewage and refuse disposal, sanitation and similar activities;
	91	Activities of membership organization n.e.c.;
	93	Other service activities;
	95 to 97	Activities of households;
	99	Extra-territorial organizations and bodies
Market services	50 to 52	Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and
less KIS		household goods;
	55	Hotels and restaurants;
	60	Land transport; transport via pipelines;
	63	Supporting and auxiliary transport activities; activities of travel agencies