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European occupational diseases statistics (EODS) – experimental statistics – Country profile: Lithuania

Introduction

European occupational diseases statistics (EODS) are essential elements for the European Commission's strategy to assess the efficiency of Community legislation on health and safety at work. At present, EODS are experimental statistics. Beyond their occurrence, these statistics reflect the way in which the concept of occupational disease is integrated into the national social security or health systems.

This country profile is based on the EODS short list of occupational diseases. It presents information about the occupational diseases at national level (as aggregated data for the signalled period).

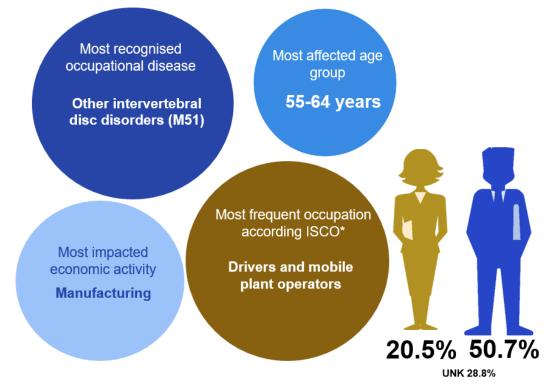
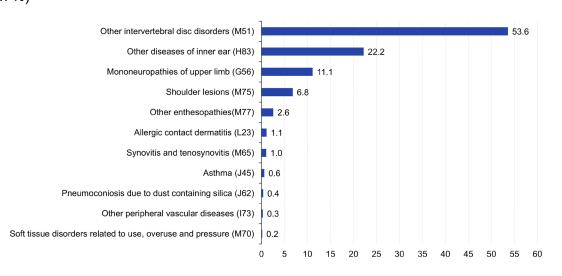


Figure 1 – Occupational diseases in a nutshell, 2013-2021

Source: Eurostat EODS extraction

Recognised cases of occupational diseases in EODS short list

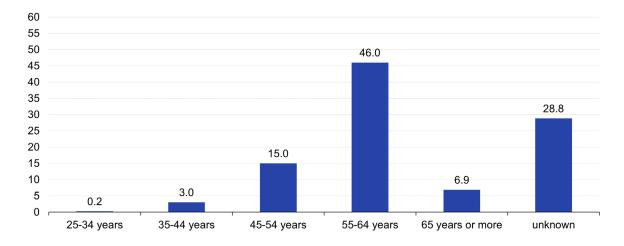
Figure 2 – Distribution of the diseases in the short list, 2013-2021 (in %)



Source: Eurostat EODS extraction

Figure 3 – Distribution of occupational diseases in the short list by age group, 2013-2021

(in %)



Source: Eurostat EODS extraction

Table 1 – Most impacted economic activity (NACE) of EODS short list, 2013-2021 (in %)

Economic activities (NACE Rev 2)	NACE code	Percentage
Land transport and transport via pipelines	49	8.8%
Crop and animal production, hunting and related service activities	01	8.3%
Construction of buildings	41	5.6%
Manufacture of food products	10	5.5%
Civil engineering	42	4.7%

Source: Eurostat EODS extraction

Definition

An occupational disease is an acute or chronic health disorder of a worker caused by one or more hazardous and/or dangerous factors in the working environment, deemed as occupational disease in accordance with the established procedure.

Useful links

- Experimental statistics EODS section on Eurostat website
- EODS short list (PDF)
- <u>Data</u> (Excel file)
- <u>Metadata</u> (Excel file)
- <u>Methodological note</u> (PDF)