

First time ever same question asked in all Member States about job loss

- Eurobarometer survey between 25 May and 17 June 09
- Representative sample of c.a. 1000 people in each MS

“Please tell me whether or not each of the following situations has happened to you, as a result of the economic crisis “.

One possible response was

“ You lost your job”.



Job loss rates

Sex

Male	14.4%
Female	13.8%

Age

19 - 24 years	21.1%
25 - 34 years	13.4%
35 - 44 years	12.4%
45 - 54 years	14.0%
55 - 64 years	15.8%

Foreign background

Foreign background	18.3%
Local born nationals	13.5%

Minority status ←

not minority	13.2%
minority status	21.9%

Health ←

No chronic health issues	13.1%
Chronic health issues	23.6%

Children in the household

No children	15.6%
Children	12.7%

Cohabitation status

Couple	13.2%
Single	17.6%

Lone Parent

Not lone parent	13.9%
Lone parent	16.4%

Highest level of education attained ←

Below Upper Secondary	22.2%
Upper Secondary + PSNT	13.1%
Tertiary	7.9%

Professional status ←

Professionals	7.4%
White collar	10.5%
Skilled blue collar	22.2%
Unskilled blue collar	31.5%

Tenure with last / current employer ←

0-1 yrs	39.7%
2 years	23.7%
3 years	20.9%
4 years	13.9%
5+ years	10.9%

Job finding rates

Sex

Male	25.3%
Female	26.8%

Age

19 - 24 years	13.5%
25 - 34 years	29.7%
35 - 44 years	27.8%
45 - 54 years	29.0%
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Foreign background

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Local born nationals	26.0%

Minority status

not minority	26.8%
minority status	22.1%

Health

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Chronic health issues	22.4%

Children in the household

No children	23.9%
Children	28.4%

Cohabitation status

Couple	27.0%
Single	23.1%

Lone Parent

Not lone parent	26.3%
Lone parent	22.6%

Highest level of education attained

Below Upper Secondary	21.3%
Upper Secondary + PSNT	26.8%
Tertiary	36.5%

Professional status

Professionals	38.0%
White collar	32.0%
Skilled blue collar	21.3%
Unskilled blue collar	15.9%

Tenure with last / current employer

0-1 yrs	24.1%
2 years	26.8%
3 years	26.3%
4 years	19.3%
5+ years	26.6%

Multivariate analysis of probability of job loss and finding new job

Probability of ..		
	JOB LOSS	NEW JOB
Age	+ Older	Middle aged +
Foreign background	+ Foreign	
Minority status	+ Minority	- Minority
Health	+ Bad health	- Bad health
Highest level of education attained	+ Low education	- Low education
Professional status	+ Unskilled blue collar	- Unskilled blue collar
Tenure with last / current employer	- Long tenure	- Long tenure



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“After Restructuring: Labour Market. Working Conditions and Life satisfaction

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