

# *Wage and salary indices*

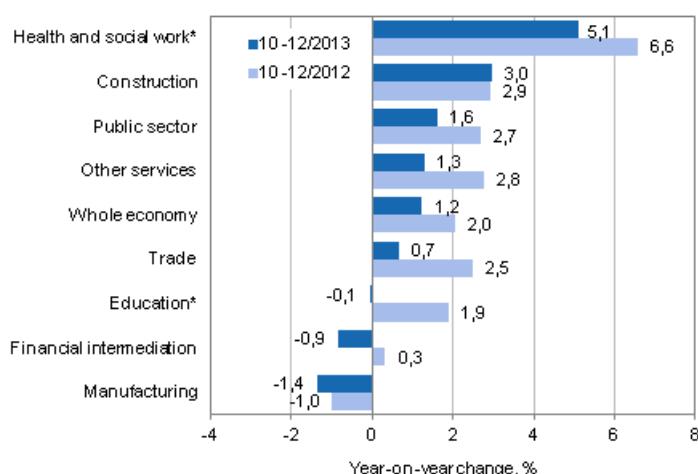
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***Wages and salaries sum grew by 1.2 per cent year-on-year in Oktober to December***

*According to Statistics Finland, the wages and salaries sum of the whole economy was 1.2 per cent greater in the past Oktober to December period than in the corresponding period twelve months earlier. In December alone, the wages and salaries sum of the whole economy grew by 1.2 per cent year-on-year. In the Oktober to December period one year ago, the wages and salaries sum grew by 2.0 per cent.*

**Year-on-year change in wages and salaries sum in the 10-12/2013 and 10-12/2012 time periods, % (TOL 2008)**



Source: Statistics Finland

The wages and salaries sum grew in the September to November period in almost all main industries. The growth was fastest in the private health and social work (5.1%). By contrast, the wages and salaries sum fell in the private educational services sector (-0.1%), financial intermediation (-0.9%) and manufacturing (-1.4%).

The wage and salary sum data of the private sector (Classification of Sectors 2012: 11102-3) are added to the wage and salary indices release starting from the data concerning January 2014. Data will be released for the first time on 14 March 2014.

The wages and salaries sum refers to the sum total of the gross wages and salaries paid to employees without incentive stock options. The wages and salaries sum is influenced by changes in employment and in the earnings level of wage and salary earners.

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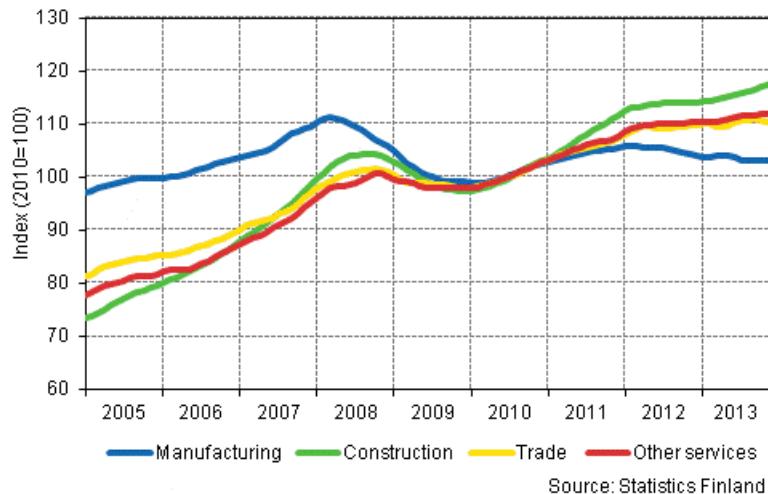
**Appendix table 1. Year-on-year change in the sum of wages and salaries by industry, % (TOL 2008)**

	Year-on-year change by three-month period, % <sup>1)</sup>					Year-on-year change in the latest month, % <sup>1)</sup>
	01-03/2013	04-06/2013	07-09/2013	10-12/2013	12/2013	
Whole economy (A-X)	0,3	1,4	1,3	1,2		1,2
Manufacturing (BCDE)	-2,5	-1,1	-2,0	-1,4		-0,9
Construction (F)	1,0	1,5	2,4	3,0		3,0
Trade (G)	1,5	0,0	1,7	0,7		-0,2
Other services (HIJLMNRS)	1,0	1,0	1,7	1,3		1,1
Financial intermediation (K)	-2,4	5,3	0,1	-0,9		-3,6
Public sector (OPQ)	0,5	2,9	2,1	1,6		2,2
Education (P) excl. public sector	0,0	0,5	0,1	-0,1		-0,2
Health and social work (Q) excl. public sector	4,1	5,4	4,8	5,1		4,3

1) Year-on-year change compares the value for an examined time period to the value for the corresponding time period twelve months back.

## *Appendix figures*

**Appendix figure 1. Trends in the sum of wages and salaries by industry (TOL 2008)**



## *Revisions in these statistics*

The data of the statistics have become revised according to the table below. For more information about data revisions, see Section 3 of the quality description (only in Finnish).

### **Revision of annual changes in wages and salaries sum in main industries<sup>1)</sup>**

Industry / Reference period	Year-on-year change, %		Revision, percentage point
	1st release	Latest release (2014-02-11)	
Whole economy (A-X)	07/2013	2,6	1,7
	08/2013	1,8	0,8
	09/2013	2,1	1,5
	10/2013	1,8	1,3
	11/2013	1,3	1,2
Manufacturing (BCDE)	07/2013	-0,9	-1,3
	08/2013	-2,3	-2,6
	09/2013	-1,8	-2,1
	10/2013	-2,2	-2,2
	11/2013	-1,1	-1,1
Construction (F)	07/2013	4,8	2,8
	08/2013	4,4	2,7
	09/2013	3,0	1,6
	10/2013	5,2	4,0
	11/2013	2,6	2,0
Trade (G)	07/2013	2,6	1,7
	08/2013	3,0	2,0
	09/2013	2,0	1,5
	10/2013	1,8	1,3
	11/2013	1,2	1,0
Other services (HIJLMNRS)	07/2013	3,2	2,3
	08/2013	2,3	1,3
	09/2013	2,4	1,6
	10/2013	2,3	1,7
	11/2013	1,4	1,1
Financial intermediation (K)	07/2013	2,3	0,1
	08/2013	1,4	0,7
	09/2013	1,8	-0,4
	10/2013	2,2	1,6
	11/2013	-0,3	-0,4
Public sector (OPQ)	07/2013	2,3	2,1
	08/2013	1,6	1,2
	09/2013	3,0	3,0
	10/2013	1,5	1,5
	11/2013	1,1	1,2
Education (P) excl. public sector	07/2013	0,7	1,2
	08/2013	0,1	-0,5
	09/2013	0,0	-0,7
	10/2013	0,5	0,2
	11/2013	-0,1	-0,2

Industry / Reference period		Year-on-year change, %		Revision, percentage point
		1st release	Latest release (2014-02-11)	
Health and social work (Q) excl. public sector	07/2013	5,6	4,4	-1,2
	08/2013	6,1	4,9	-1,2
	09/2013	6,6	5,4	-1,2
	10/2013	6,4	5,6	-0,8
	11/2013	5,3	5,4	0,1

1) The 1st release refers to the time when data for the reference period were released for the first time. The revision describes the difference of annual change percentages between the first and latest release.

### Revision of long-term annual changes in wages and salaries sum in main industries

Industry	Year	Average <sup>1)</sup>	Average for absolute values <sup>2)</sup>
Whole economy (A-X)	2010	-0,7	0,7
	2011	-0,7	0,7
	2012	-0,7	0,7
Manufacturing (BCDE)	2010	-0,3	0,3
	2011	-0,1	0,2
	2012	-0,4	0,4
Construction (F)	2010	-1,8	1,8
	2011	-1,9	1,9
	2012	-1,7	1,8
Trade (G)	2010	-1,0	1,0
	2011	-0,9	0,9
	2012	-0,8	0,8
Other services (HIJLMNRS)	2010	-0,9	0,9
	2011	-1,0	1,0
	2012	-0,8	0,8
Financial intermediation (K)	2010	-0,7	0,7
	2011	-0,8	0,8
	2012	-0,7	0,9
Public sector (OPQ)	2010	0,0	0,2
	2011	-0,1	0,2
	2012	0,1	0,2
Education (P) excl. public sector	2010	-0,8	0,8
	2011	-0,1	0,3
	2012	-0,1	0,4
Health and social work (Q) excl. public sector	2010	-0,9	0,9
	2011	-0,6	0,6
	2012	-0,8	0,8

1) Average for data revised between the first and seventh release in the statistical reference year.

2) Average for absolute values of differences between the first and seventh release.

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