

Table 3.37: Education and work status of young men, 2002

By age group and work status

	Age group	In education					Not in education			
		Students in work-study programs ¹	Other employed	Unemployed	Not in the labor force	Subtotal	Employed	Unemployed	Not in the labor force	Subtotal
<i>OECD Countries</i>										
Australia	15-19	10.0	22.2	5.8	41.2	79.3	13.8	4.3	2.6	20.7
	20-24	7.9	17.0	2.2	11.3	38.4	51.3	6.9	3.4	61.6
	25-29	1.1	11.1	1.6	3.0	16.8	72.9	5.4	4.9	83.2
Austria	15-19	30.8	0.7	0.3	49.0	80.8	11.0	2.4	5.8	19.2
	20-24	2.3	3.3	0.1	21.1	26.9	59.7	6.1	7.3	73.1
	25-29	0.1	3.1	0.2	7.7	11.1	80.7	4.9	3.3	88.9
Belgium	15-19	2.6	1.3	0.4	83.7	88.0	4.7	2.6	4.7	12.0
	20-24	0.9	2.1	0.4	32.8	36.2	48.0	8.5	7.3	63.8
	25-29	0.2	2.3	0.4	2.3	5.2	83.5	7.6	3.6	94.8
Canada	15-19	a	25.9	7.0	48.0	80.8	12.0	3.6	3.6	19.2
	20-24	a	16.0	2.0	17.7	35.8	50.2	9.1	4.9	64.2
	25-29	a	6.7	0.9	6.0	13.6	72.0	9.2	5.2	86.4
Czech Republic	15-19	27.5	0.3	n	59.6	87.4	6.8	3.4	2.4	12.6
	20-24	0.4	0.6	0.1	23.7	24.7	62.9	9.5	2.8	75.3
	25-29	n	0.3	n	2.7	3.0	89.2	5.3	2.5	97.0
Denmark	15-19	9.3	36.1	4.4	39.1	88.9	8.7	0.7	1.6	11.1
	20-24	12.4	21.8	2.6	15.2	52.0	41.1	4.8	2.2	48.0
	25-29	1.9	21.8	1.2	7.1	32.0	64.3	2.2	1.5	68.0
Finland	15-19	16.1	5.1	2.9	51.6	75.7	3.3	2.9	18.2	24.3
	20-24	5.8	9.3	2.1	33.6	50.8	28.5	7.1	13.6	49.2
	25-29	3.7	10.7	1.1	10.2	25.7	59.9	6.0	8.4	74.3
France	15-19	7.7	0.9	n	85.0	93.7	2.7	1.9	1.7	6.3
	20-24	5.8	4.3	0.8	38.9	49.8	37.6	9.3	3.3	50.2
	25-29	1.7	3.6	0.4	4.9	10.6	76.4	10.0	3.0	89.4
Germany	15-19	21.5	4.0	0.7	63.6	89.8	5.9	1.9	2.4	10.2
	20-24	12.2	5.2	0.3	18.4	36.1	49.6	8.9	5.4	63.9
	25-29	2.1	6.8	0.3	10.2	19.4	69.1	7.9	3.6	80.6

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Greece	15-19	2.1	1.4	0.4	82.2	86.1	8.8	2.5	2.7	13.9
	20-24	0.7	1.7	0.7	31.2	34.3	50.2	10.8	4.7	65.7
	25-29	0.1	1.2	0.4	4.4	6.1	81.0	9.8	3.1	93.9
Hungary	15-19	a	0.5	0.1	86.2	86.8	5.0	1.8	6.4	13.2
	20-24	a	4.4	0.3	32.0	36.7	46.4	7.4	9.6	63.3
	25-29	a	6.3	0.3	3.7	10.3	73.7	6.7	9.3	89.7
Iceland	15-19	c	23.2	c	51.6	77.3	16.5	c	c	22.7
	20-24	c	27.2	c	16.4	51.8	42.1	c	c	48.2
	25-29	c	25.0	c	c	33.5	63.3	c	c	66.5
Ireland	15-19	a	8.0	0.5	68.7	77.2	17.6	3.0	2.1	22.8
	20-24	a	5.2	0.4	20.4	26.0	64.8	5.3	3.9	74.0
	25-29	a	0.5	0.1	3.3	3.9	85.8	5.1	5.2	96.1
Italy	15-19	n	0.7	0.5	77.3	78.5	10.7	4.5	6.2	21.5
	20-24	0.1	1.5	1.1	31.7	34.4	43.8	11.6	10.2	65.6
	25-29	n	2.0	0.8	12.1	15.0	69.2	9.7	6.1	85.0
Luxembourg	15-19	5.9	1.7	0.6	83.3	91.6	6.7	1.4	0.3	8.4
	20-24	2.5	8.3	n	37.2	48.1	49.4	2.1	0.5	51.9
	25-29	0.1	7.9	n	6.0	14.0	80.3	3.9	1.8	86.0
Mexico	15-19	a	9.7	0.3	43.3	53.3	39.2	2.1	5.3	46.7
	20-24	a	6.2	0.4	15.7	22.2	71.4	3.1	3.3	77.8
	25-29	a	2.2	0.1	3.4	5.7	89.5	2.5	2.3	94.3
Netherlands	15-19	m	39.6	3.8	36.5	79.9	15.4	1.9	2.8	20.1
	20-24	m	21.3	1.1	12.8	35.3	58.3	2.4	4.0	64.7
	25-29	m	4.4	0.2	2.7	7.2	86.2	2.6	4.0	92.8
Norway	15-19	a	18.9	5.5	57.3	81.8	14.5	1.9	1.8	18.2
	20-24	a	12.4	2.3	18.9	33.6	57.5	4.8	4.1	66.4
	25-29	a	4.9	0.9	7.1	12.9	79.1	3.6	4.4	87.1
Poland	15-19	a	3.9	0.8	90.4	95.1	1.4	2.2	1.3	4.9
	20-24	a	9.6	8.4	33.5	51.5	23.3	20.7	4.5	48.5
	25-29	a	9.3	2.2	3.5	15.0	60.6	19.9	4.6	85.0
Portugal	15-19	a	2.0	0.3	65.1	67.4	24.9	3.5	4.2	32.6
	20-24	a	6.2	0.7	24.3	31.2	60.1	4.8	3.8	68.8
	25-29	a	4.6	0.4	4.9	9.9	82.3	3.0	4.7	90.1

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Slovak Republic	15-19	17.9	n	n	59.9	77.8	4.5	10.6	7.1	22.2
	20-24	0.4	1.2	0.5	17.1	19.2	47.2	26.8	6.8	80.8
	25-29	0.1	0.7	0.1	1.9	2.8	77.4	16.6	3.3	97.2
Spain	15-19	0.6	2.4	1.2	74.2	78.4	14.7	4.2	2.7	21.6
	20-24	0.5	5.6	2.4	30.1	38.6	49.0	8.8	3.6	61.4
	25-29	0.3	5.2	1.6	7.5	14.6	73.3	7.8	4.3	85.4
Sweden	15-19	a	10.3	3.0	74.2	87.5	6.6	2.0	3.9	12.5
	20-24	a	9.2	2.8	25.3	37.3	50.9	7.4	4.5	62.7
	25-29	a	8.6	1.2	10.8	20.7	73.5	4.2	1.6	79.3
Switzerland	15-19	41.7	8.0	c	35.8	88.3	5.9	c	c	11.7
	20-24	13.6	9.8	c	12.6	37.2	52.1	c	6.6	62.8
	25-29	c	9.5	c	4.6	14.5	78.3	5.5	c	85.5
Turkey	15-19	a	2.6	0.4	45.8	48.8	29.7	6.5	15.0	51.2
	20-24	a	2.5	1.1	14.9	18.5	54.3	13.8	13.3	81.5
	25-29	a	2.2	0.2	1.3	3.7	79.9	9.7	6.7	96.3
United Kingdom	15-19	6.0	16.8	2.5	48.2	73.5	18.3	5.4	2.8	26.5
	20-24	2.9	11.5	0.9	12.8	28.1	60.6	7.0	4.3	71.9
	25-29	0.6	7.1	0.5	2.2	10.5	81.0	4.4	4.2	89.5
United States ²	15-19	a	21.9	3.8	54.6	80.3	12.7	3.0	4.0	19.7
	20-24	a	17.7	1.2	13.5	32.5	55.3	6.3	5.8	67.5
	25-29	a	7.8	0.5	2.2	10.5	79.3	4.4	5.8	89.5
Country mean	15-19	7.4	9.9	1.8	61.3	80.5	11.9	3.2	4.3	19.5
	20-24	2.8	8.9	1.4	22.7	35.8	50.6	8.2	5.3	64.2
	25-29	0.6	6.5	0.6	5.2	12.9	76.4	6.7	4.1	87.1
Partner Country										
Israel	15-19	a	4.6	0.6	63.4	68.7	5.6	2.0	23.7	31.3
	20-24	a	7.3	0.8	14.7	22.8	31.0	8.0	38.1	77.2
	25-29	a	13.3	1.2	6.2	20.7	54.9	10.5	14.0	79.3

Source: OECD (2004). *Education at a glance*. Table C4.2a, pp. 332-333. Paris: OECD.

Notes: c indicates that there are few observations to provide reliable estimates.

1. Students in work-study programs are considered to be both in education and employed, irrespective of their labor market status according to the ILO definition.
2. Year of reference 2001.