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Researchers as a share of total employment in selected regions/countries/economies: 1995, 2003, 2011

(Per thousand)

Region/country/economy	1995	2003	2011
Argentina	NA	2.0	2.9
Austria	NA	NA	9.0
Belgium	6.0	7.4	8.9
Canada	6.4	7.7	8.6 *
China	0.8	1.2	1.7
Chinese Taipei	NA	7.8	12.5
Czech Republic	2.3	3.3	6.0
Denmark	6.1	9.0	13.4
EU	4.8	5.8	7.0 *
Finland	8.2	17.8	15.9
France	6.4	7.4	9.0 *
Germany	6.1	6.9	8.1 *
Italy	3.5	2.9	4.3
Japan	10.0	10.1	10.2
South Korea	4.9	6.8	11.9
Netherlands	4.8	5.3	6.2 *
Norway	7.5	8.9	10.3
Poland	3.5	4.3	4.0
Portugal	2.6	4.0	9.9
Russian Federation	9.9	7.3	6.3
Singapore	4.3	9.4	10.4
Spain	3.5	5.2	7.0
Sweden	8.2	11.0	10.6
Turkey	0.9	1.7	3.0
United Kingdom	5.2	7.1	8.4
United States	8.1	10.2	9.5 **

NA = not available.

EU = European Union.

* 2011 data are not available; 2010 data are shown.

** 2011 data for the United States are not available; 2007 data are shown.

NOTES: Researchers are full-time equivalents. Quality of data and methods of collecting data can vary between and within regions/countries/economies across years. Data are presented for regions/countries/economies with 25,000 or more researchers according to the most recent estimates.

SOURCE: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development, Main Science and Technology Indicators (2013/1 and earlier years), <http://www.oecd.org/sti/msti.htm>.