Number of persons employed in trade and in services increased in 2018

Vienna, 2019-04-03 – In 2018, the number of persons employed rose by 1.3% in trade and by 2.9% in services compared to 2017. According to calculations by Statistics Austria, hours worked by employee increased by 1.5% in trade and by 4.9% in services. Wages and salaries also increased by 4.3% for employees of trade enterprises and by 6.6% for employees in services enterprises.

Please note that employees were not measured in full time equivalents.

Results were calculated by Statistics Austria, Short Term Statistics Services.

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