

Families 1985 - 2019

Family characteristics	1985	1990	1995	2000	2005	2010	2015	2019
Total number of families (in 1.000)	2.052	2.114	2.223	2.265	2.291	2.333	2.389	2.449
no children in household	651	690	767	842	881	932	998	1.058
with child(ren) in household	1.400	1.423	1.456	1.423	1.409	1.401	1.391	1.391
thereof								
supported children ¹⁾ under 25 years	1.103	1.079	1.093	1.089	1.107	1.077	1.035	1.028
children under 15 years	835	826	867	846	814	768	760	768
Ø number of children of all ages	1,82	1,75	1,73	1,71	1,69	1,67	1,67	1,67
Ø number of children under 15	1,64	1,61	1,62	1,61	1,60	1,60	1,61	1,64
All couples	1.783	1.841	1.937	1.975	1.985	2.028	2.093	2.150
no children in household	651	690	767	842	881	932	998	1.058
with child(ren) in household	1.131	1.151	1.170	1.133	1.104	1.095	1.094	1.092
thereof								
supported children ¹⁾ under 25 years	935	918	928	913	915	892	863	861
children under 15 years	721	712	743	722	688	650	652	660
Ø number of children of all ages	1,92	1,84	1,82	1,80	1,77	1,76	1,74	1,74
Ø number of children under 15	1,70	1,66	1,67	1,65	1,64	1,64	1,64	1,67
Married couples	1.710	1.755	1.768	1.762	1.692	1.693	1.713	1.747
no children in household	606	633	667	717	722	743	782	827
with child(ren) in household	1.104	1.122	1.101	1.045	971	951	931	919
thereof								
supported children ¹⁾ under 25 years	911	893	865	832	791	752	712	701
children under 15 years	700	689	686	647	582	531	518	520
Ø number of children of all ages	1,93	1,85	1,84	1,82	1,81	1,79	1,78	1,79
Ø number of children under 15	1,70	1,67	1,70	1,68	1,68	1,69	1,69	1,73
Cohabiting couples	73	86	169	213	293	334	379	403
no children in household	45	57	100	124	160	190	216	231
with child(ren) in household	27	29	69	89	133	145	163	173
thereof								
supported children ¹⁾ under 25 years	24	26	63	81	124	140	151	160
children under 15 years	21	23	56	74	105	119	134	140
Ø number of children of all ages	1,50	1,51	1,47	1,47	1,52	1,53	1,52	1,51
Ø number of children under 15	1,38	1,33	1,39	1,40	1,43	1,45	1,44	1,44
Single parent families	269	273	286	290	306	306	296	299
thereof								
supported children ¹⁾ under 25 years	168	161	165	177	193	185	173	168
children under 15 years	114	114	124	125	126	117	108	109
Ø number of children of all ages	1,42	1,39	1,37	1,38	1,41	1,38	1,41	1,41
Ø number of children under 15	1,27	1,30	1,31	1,34	1,37	1,39	1,40	1,44
Single mother families	235	236	251	252	259	264	251	257
thereof								
supported children ¹⁾ under 25 years	148	141	149	159	169	166	155	153
children under 15 years	103	103	115	116	117	110	101	101
Ø number of children of all ages	1,42	1,38	1,37	1,38	1,43	1,40	1,43	1,43
Ø number of children under 15	1,27	1,28	1,30	1,34	1,38	1,39	1,41	1,44
Single father families	34	37	36	37	46	42	45	42
thereof								
supported children ¹⁾ under 25 years	20	20	17	17	24	19	18	14
children under 15 years	11	11	8	9	10	7	7	7
Ø number of children of all ages	1,43	1,43	1,39	1,36	1,32	1,28	1,26	1,30
Ø number of children under 15	1,22	1,44	1,37	1,31	1,24	1,35	1,38	1,45

S: STATISTICS AUSTRIA, Labour Force Survey (micro census). Up to 2003 average of surveys of March, June, September and December; from 2004 onwards: continuous survey (average of all weeks of a year). Compiled on 20 March 2020. Data correspond to the nuclear family concept. Average number of children relating to all children in the respective age group. 1) Financially supported children in parental homes (in education, not employed).