

Table 3: Rates of participation in the labour force for persons classified by Age Group, Sex and Marital Status.

Marital Status	Age Group											Total	
	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 and over		
	Percentage												
Persons													
Single	34.3	85.7	93.3	90.6	86.8	83.7	80.4	75.7	68.1	55.1	15.7	61.5	
Ever married	41.9	64.2	66.4	61.1	58.2	58.3	57.7	55.3	49.7	40.3	12.3	52.1	
Widowed	-	42.7	46.4	46.5	46.3	45.5	46.9	41.3	34.2	24.5	4.1	12.4	
Total	34.3	82.1	77.8	67.4	62.4	61.5	60.8	58.1	51.9	41.0	10.2	52.8	
Males													
Single	38.2	86.1	94.6	93.1	90.2	87.6	85.1	81.6	76.0	65.0	24.3	66.7	
Ever married	94.4	98.3	98.8	98.5	98.0	97.0	95.5	92.3	85.0	69.3	19.0	82.7	
Widowed	-	94.1	94.9	96.7	95.9	91.0	90.1	86.8	77.3	58.7	8.8	25.5	
Total	38.3	87.5	96.7	97.1	96.5	95.4	93.5	89.9	82.5	67.6	18.6	74.0	
Females													
Single	30.1	85.3	91.4	86.8	81.0	77.1	72.0	65.4	55.9	41.7	7.7	55.3	
Ever married	28.2	46.8	41.4	27.1	20.5	20.1	20.1	17.7	13.4	8.7	2.0	22.0	
Widowed	-	33.3	34.8	33.0	31.8	33.7	35.3	31.1	24.9	17.1	2.8	9.0	
Total	30.1	76.7	59.0	37.3	27.4	26.2	26.6	25.2	21.8	16.5	3.7	32.2	

NOTE: The labour force participation rates are based on the number of persons in the labour force (i.e. at work, looking for first regular job or unemployed) related to the total population in the same sex, marital status and age group.