

## The agricultural labour force in the European Community (1980-1990)

**Caption:** Table showing the development of the agricultural labour force in thousands of people, and in the number of people per 100ha of usable agricultural area, in the countries of the European Community during the 1980s.

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**The Agricultural Labour Force in the European Community (1980-1990)**  
**In thousands of people**

	1980	1983	1985	1987	1990
EUR 12	...	...	...	17 709	16 878
B	186	165	158	147	141
DK	234	186	158	148	123
D	1 983	1 784	1 740	1 624	1 776
GR	1 841	2 079	2 070	2 082	2 022
E	...	3 180	...	3 436	2 839
	...				
F	2 659	2 406	2 246	2 034	1859
IRL	469	419	428	400	313
I	5 301	5 301	5 134	5 155	5 287
L	12	11	10	10	9
NL	302	305	295	293	289
P	1 950	...	...	1 666	1 561
UK	724	703	713	715	659
In thousands of people					

**Per 100ha of usable agricultural area**

	1980	1983	1985	1987	1990
EUR 12	...	...	...	15.3	14.1
B	13.1	11.8	11.4	10.7	10.5
DK	8.0	6.5	5.6	5.3	4.4
D	16.2	15.0	14.7	13.7	10.4
GR	51.9	54.5	50.3	54.2	55.1
E	...	13.5	...	13.9	11.6
F	9.1	8.4	7.9	7.2	6.6
IRL	9.3	8.3	8.6	8.1	7.0
I	34.0	34.0	32.9	33.2	35.4
L	9.4	8.2	8.2	7.7	7.4
NL	14.8	15.2	14.6	14.5	14.4
P	58.8	...	...	50.0	39.0
UK	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.0
Number of people per 100ha of usable agricultural area					