

## ISSP Characteristics of National Population Switzerland ISSP 2012 – ISSP 2013

Each ISSP member is asked to include to the documentation the following information about known characteristics of its national population, from census or the best available estimates from government surveys or other high-quality data-sources:

- sex distribution of the population
- age distribution of the population
- education (years of schooling) of the population
- employment rate of the population

Source no. 1	Source no. 2
STATPOP 2012, (The Population and Households Statistics, based on the new population census), (aged 18+ years)	ESPA 2012, resident population, aged 18+ years

### SEX

Male	48.9	
Female	51.1	

### AGE (groups)

18-24	10.3	
25-34	16.6	
35-44	17.8	
45-54	19.3	
55-64	14.8	
65-74	11.3	
75 and more	9.9	

YEARS OF SCHOOLING (groups: recodification of highest educational level achieved, theoretical cumulative years)

0-7		3.4
8-9		12.6
10-13		48.8
14-15		16.4
16+		18.8

### EMPLOYMENT STATUS

Employed		66.5
Unemployed		2.8
Not in labor force		30.7