**Turkey**

**Capital:** Ankara

**Area (km²):** 774,815

**Total population (thousands, 2017):** 80,313

**Population density (per km²):** 104

**National currency:** New Turkish Lira (TRY)

**National statistical office:** [www.turkstat.gov.tr](http://www.turkstat.gov.tr)

**Turkish Statistical Institute (TURKSTAT)**

**Women in the labour force, 2017**

- Percentage of total for both sexes: 32%

**Gender pay gap**

- Monthly earnings: --
- Hourly wage: --

**Women in part-time employment, 2017**

- Percentage of employed women: 19%

**Female tertiary students, 2017**

- Percentage of total for both sexes: 46%

**Female victims of homicide, 2015**

- Percentage of total for both sexes: 21%

**Women researchers, 2017**

- Percentage of total for both sexes: 37%

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**Life expectancy at birth, 2016**

- Females, years: 80.8
- Males, years: 75.3

**Life expectancy at 65, 2016**

- Females, years: 19.2
- Males, years: 16.0

**Total fertility rate, 2017**

- Average number of children per woman: 2.1

**Adolescent fertility rate, 2017**

- Number of live births per 1000 women aged 15-19: 21.6

**Mean age of women at birth of first child, 2010**

- Age in years: 22.3

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**Internet use by age and sex, 2017**

**Women and men in selected occupation groups, 2017**

- Managers: 15% [Women] 85% [Men]
- Professionals: 47% [Women] 53% [Men]
- Clerical support workers: 42% [Women] 58% [Men]
- Craft and related workers: 12% [Women] 88% [Men]
- Plant and machine operators and assemblers: 11% [Women] 89% [Men]

**Women and men in public life**

- Members of parliament, 2018: 15% [Women] 85% [Men]

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**Employment (% change over previous year):**

- 2010: 6.0
- 2011: 6.4
- 2012: 2.9
- 2013: 2.8
- 2014: 5.4
- 2015: 2.7

**Unemployment rate (%):**

- 2010: 11.1
- 2011: 9.1
- 2012: 8.4
- 2013: 9.0
- 2014: 9.9
- 2015: 10.3

**Youth unemployment rate (%):**

- 2010: 19.7
- 2011: 16.7
- 2012: 15.7
- 2013: 16.9
- 2014: 17.8
- 2015: 18.5
**Real GDP growth rate**

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**Economic activity rate, 2017, %**

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**Consumer price index**

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**Forest resources**

- Area of forest (percentage of land area, 2015): 15
- Wood volume (m³ per inhabitant, 2015): 19

**GDP in agriculture, industry, services (2010 = 100)**

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**Transport infrastructure, road accidents and traffic**

- Railways: total length in kilometres, 2018: 10 315
- Motorways: total length in kilometres, 2018: 2 842
- Persons injured in road accidents per million inhabitants, 2018: 3 772
- Persons killed in road accidents per million inhabitants, 2018: 82
- Traffic, railways: million passenger-kilometres, 2018: 5 560
  million tonne-kilometres, 2018: 13 734

**Persons killed in road accidents, per million inhabitants**

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