SWITZERLAND

Capital: Bern
Area (km²): 41,285
Total population (thousands, 2021): 8,705
Population density (per km²): 211
National currency: Swiss franc (CHF)
National statistical office: Swiss Federal Statistical Office

Women in the labour force, 2021
- percentage of total for both sexes: 47%
  - Gender pay gap
    - monthly earnings, 2018: 14%
    - hourly wage, 2021: 18%
  - Women in part-time employment, 2021
    - percentage of employed women: 62%
  - Female tertiary students, 2020
    - percentage of total for both sexes: 51%
  - Female victims of homicide, 2021
    - percentage of total for both sexes: 47%
  - Women researchers, 2019
    - percentage of total for both sexes: 36%

Women and men in selected occupation groups, 2021
- Managers: 32% (Women) / 68% (Men)
- Professionals: 50% (Women) / 50% (Men)
- Clerical support workers: 63% (Women) / 37% (Men)
- Craft and related workers: 12% (Women) / 88% (Men)
- Plant and machine operators and assemblers: 15% (Women) / 85% (Men)

Women and men in public life
- Judges, 2022: 43% (Women) / 58% (Men)
- Members of parliament, 2022: 43% (Women) / 57% (Men)
- Government ministers, 2019: 43% (Women) / 57% (Men)

Life expectancy at birth, 2021
- females, years: 85.8
- males, years: 81.8

Life expectancy at 65, 2021
- females, years: 23.0
- males, years: 20.1

Total fertility rate, 2021
- average number of children per woman: 1.5

Adolescent fertility rate, 2021
- number of live births per 1000 women aged 15-19: 1.3

Mean age of women at birth of first child, 2021
- age in years: 31.2

Internet use by age and sex, 2020

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Employment (% change over previous year)
- 2017: 0.9
- 2018: 1.0
- 2019: 0.7
- 2020: -0.5
- 2021: 0.6
- 2022: 1.5

Unemployment rate (%)
- 2017: 4.8
- 2018: 4.7
- 2019: 4.4
- 2020: 4.8
- 2021: 3.0
- 2022: ..

Youth unemployment rate (%)
- 2017: 8.1
- 2018: 7.9
- 2019: 8.0
- 2020: 8.6
- 2021: 8.8
- 2022: ..
**Real GDP growth rate**

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**Economic activity rate, 2021, %**

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**Consumer price index**

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**Forest resources**

- Area of forest (percentage of land area, 2015): 31
- Wood volume (m³ per inhabitant, 2015): 57

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

- Agriculture: 1%
- Industry (including construction): 25%
- Services: 74%

**Transport infrastructure, road accidents and traffic**

- Railways: total length in kilometres, 2020: 5 317
- Motorways: total length in kilometres, 2021: 1 544
- Persons injured in road accidents per million inhabitants, 2021: 2 359
- Persons killed in road accidents per million inhabitants, 2021: 23
- Traffic, railways: million passenger-kilometres, 2021: 14 308
  million tonne-kilometres, 2021: 12 024

**GDP**

- Current prices, millions of US dollars, PPP, 2021: 662 425
- GDP per capita current prices, US dollars, PPP, 2021: 76 101

**Exports of goods and services**

- % of GDP, 2022: 75.0

**Imports of goods and services**

- % of GDP, 2022: 62.7

**Final consumption expenditure, per capita**

- Current prices, US dollars, PPP, 2021: 47 227

**Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)**

- CHF per USD, US=1, 2021: 1.105

**GDP by major sectors, 2022**

- Agriculture: 1%
- Industry (including construction): 25%
- Services: 74%

**Employment in major sectors, 2022**

- Agriculture: 2%
- Industry (including construction): 21%
- Services: 77%

**Traffic, roads**

- Million passenger-kilometres, 2012: 94 910
- Million tonne-kilometres, 2021: 12 707

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

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