

**Comparison of hours worked annually  
(average numbers in 2005)**

USA	1,880
<b>Switzerland</b>	<b>1,832</b>
Ireland	1,802
Italy	1,748
Belgium	1,748
United Kingdom	1,726
Netherlands	1,717
Germany	1,689
France	1,575

Source: Département de l'Economie, Genève, Comparaisons internationales 2005/2006