

Table 3-2 Average Time Spent on Household Chores Per Day

August, 2002

Unit : One thousand people

	Total	Less than one hour	1 - less than 2 hours	2 - less than 3 hours	3 - less than 4 hours	4 - less than 5 hours	5 hours and more	Average (hours)
<b>Total</b>	14,572	4,380	3,804	2,838	1,579	947	1,025	1.84
<b>By area</b>								
Northern Area	6,466	1,881	1,785	1,234	676	412	478	1.83
Central Area	3,559	1,077	899	681	394	264	244	1.87
Southern Area	4,191	1,320	1,025	842	470	247	287	1.84
Eastern Area	355	103	94	80	38	25	15	1.76
<b>By sex and age</b>								
20 - 24	1,485	726	447	182	63	25	42	1.12
25 - 29	1,554	604	458	264	99	59	68	1.44
30 - 34	1,638	477	496	329	153	87	98	1.75
35 - 39	1,780	449	524	374	206	117	110	1.89
40 - 44	1,763	438	464	371	239	125	127	1.97
45 - 49	1,614	410	401	330	198	137	137	2.03
50 - 54	1,275	289	296	280	169	115	127	2.21
55 - 59	785	174	154	176	113	73	95	2.37
60 - 64	771	172	158	156	114	77	94	2.37
65 and over	1,908	640	406	376	225	133	127	1.79
<b>Male</b>	7,249	3,474	2,274	963	287	128	124	1.05
20 - 24	699	449	177	48	13	4	7	0.72
25 - 29	786	439	236	83	19	5	3	0.81
30 - 34	818	384	292	98	27	8	10	0.98
35 - 39	888	391	320	123	33	13	9	1.06
40 - 44	868	398	304	112	29	14	12	1.03
45 - 49	800	371	268	100	34	12	14	1.06
50 - 54	634	273	205	102	27	12	14	1.18
55 - 59	389	164	111	73	20	11	9	1.25
60 - 64	377	154	115	56	21	15	16	1.38
65 and over	989	449	246	168	63	33	29	1.24
<b>Female</b>	7,323	907	1,529	1,875	1,292	819	901	2.62
20 - 24	786	276	270	134	50	20	35	1.47
25 - 29	768	165	222	182	80	54	65	2.08
30 - 34	820	93	204	231	126	79	88	2.52
35 - 39	891	58	204	251	173	104	101	2.72
40 - 44	894	40	160	259	210	111	115	2.88
45 - 49	814	39	133	230	164	125	124	2.98
50 - 54	641	16	90	178	142	102	112	3.24
55 - 59	396	10	42	103	93	61	86	3.47
60 - 64	394	19	43	99	92	63	78	3.32
65 and over	919	191	160	208	162	100	98	2.39

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<b>By sex and marriage status</b>								
Single	3,138	1,520	1,010	413	115	44	36	1.00
Married or co-habiting	10,033	2,514	2,455	2,087	1,272	799	905	2.09
Divorced or separated, widow/widower	1,402	346	338	337	191	104	84	1.93
Male	7,249	3,474	2,274	963	287	128	124	1.05
Single	1,772	1,029	495	165	48	19	18	0.83
Married or co-habiting	5,028	2,273	1,655	707	206	94	93	1.10
Divorced or separated, widow/widower	448	172	124	90	33	15	13	1.38
Female	7,323	907	1,529	1,875	1,292	819	901	2.62
Single	1,365	491	515	248	68	25	18	1.22
Married or co-habiting	5,005	242	801	1,380	1,066	705	812	3.08
Divorced or separated, widow/widower	953	174	214	247	159	89	71	2.20
<b>By sex and education background</b>								
Elementary school and beneath	4,211	1,042	822	908	606	403	430	2.24
Junior high school/primary vocational school	2,241	656	543	422	271	157	192	1.97
Senior high school/senior vocational school	4,152	1,211	1,161	827	433	253	267	1.80
University and above	3,967	1,471	1,277	681	268	134	136	1.38
Male	7,249	3,474	2,274	963	287	128	124	1.05
Elementary school and beneath	1,727	817	481	265	87	34	44	1.15
Junior high school/primary vocational school	1,238	611	391	155	45	19	18	1.01
Senior high school/senior vocational school	2,150	1,001	725	284	72	36	34	1.03
University and above	2,133	1,045	678	259	82	40	29	1.01
Female	7,323	907	1,529	1,875	1,292	819	901	2.62
Elementary school and beneath	2,484	225	342	643	519	370	386	2.99
Junior high school/primary vocational school	1,003	45	153	267	226	138	175	3.15
Senior high school/senior vocational school	2,002	210	436	543	362	218	233	2.63
University and above	1,834	426	599	422	186	94	107	1.81

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	Total	Less than one hour	1 - less than 2 hours	2 - less than 3 hours	3 - less than 4 hours	4 - less than 5 hours	5 hours and more	Average (hours)
<b>By work</b>								
The employed	8,935	3,033	2,820	1,776	759	301	245	1.44
Employer	324	148	91	51	18	7	9	1.17
Privately employed	5,221	1,887	1,718	1,019	368	137	92	1.32
Government employed	988	299	344	203	91	29	22	1.44
Self-employed	1,810	649	548	326	154	68	64	1.45
Unpaid family worker	592	52	118	177	128	59	58	2.65
The Unemployed	5,637	1,347	984	1,061	819	646	780	2.47
Seeking or waiting for job	774	256	209	154	68	38	48	1.69
Pursuing education	423	237	128	41	7	6	4	0.83
Dealing with family matters	2,296	30	147	473	543	481	623	3.89
Chronic, handicapped, or old-aged	1,719	663	382	316	175	100	83	1.56
Idle or unwilling to work	321	103	97	65	22	18	16	1.63
Other	105	58	21	12	5	5	5	1.14
<b>By family type</b>								
Nuclear family	8,386	2,515	2,203	1,597	944	549	578	1.83
Couple	1,122	284	280	227	161	90	81	1.98
The couple and their unmarried children	6,585	2,039	1,734	1,219	700	424	469	1.82
Husband(or wife) and children	679	192	190	151	83	34	28	1.70
Extended family	3,549	1,107	890	679	356	244	273	1.86
Grandparents, parents, and unmarried children	2,843	882	702	546	290	201	222	1.88
Parents and married children	608	201	171	108	56	32	40	1.69
Grandparents and unmarried grandchildren	98	25	17	26	10	10	11	2.42
Single family	502	85	170	143	64	23	17	1.83
Other types of family	2,135	673	541	419	214	131	158	1.82