



METADATA/QUALITY REPORTING

ESSPROS EARLY ESTIMATES

MEMBER STATE: Finland

REFERENCE YEAR: 2022

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1. Accuracy and Reliability / Geographical coverage

1.1 Coverage of data sources*- (part 1)

Name of data source	Type of data source used ⁽¹⁾	Frequency of the data source in months ⁽²⁾	Time lag in months ⁽³⁾	Schemes/benefits covered <i>(please indicate which scheme numbers and/or which benefits or group of benefits are covered by this data source)</i>
Registers of the Social Insurance Institution (Kela)	register	online		1, 2, 25, 30, 37, 38, 44, 47, 48, 51, 52, 53, 56, 57
The Financial Statements and statistics of the Social Insurance Institution	administrative	12 months	5 months	1, 2, 26, 32, 36, 38, 44, 47, 48, 51, 52, 53, 56, 57
Statistics of the Social Insurance Institution (Year book)	administrative data	12 months	12 months (published, regular publication), 9 months (information request)	21, 48, 47, 53
Financial statements of the Social Insurance Institution (Kela)	other; Financial statements	12 months	4 months	22
Registers of the Finnish Centre for Pensions (ETK)	register	online		1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 17, 49, 50, 54, 55
Statistics of the Finnish Centre for Pensions	administrative data	12 months	6 months	1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 17, 49, 50, 54, 55
The Financial Statements of the Farmers' Social Insurance Institution	register and administrative data	12 months	5 months	(8), 28
The Financial Statements of the State Pension Fund / Keva	administrative data	12 months	5 months	(50)
The Financial Statements of the	administrative data	12 months	4 months	(11)

Local Government Pensions Institution / Keva				
The Financial Statements of the Central Church Fund / Keva	administrative data	12 months	5 months	(12)
Statistics of the Insurance Supervisory Authority (FIVA)	administrative data	12 months	7 months	18, 27, (36, 37, 38)
The Federation of Unemployment Funds (TYJ)	administrative/register data	12 months	9 months	(36)
The Workers' Compensation Centre (TVK)	administrative/register data	12 months	9 months	(27), 29
Finnish institute for health and welfare (THL): Public finances of health and social care services -statistics	administrative data	12 months	8 months	19, 31
Statistics Finland (TK): Labour cost survey	survey	every 4 year	2 years	23, 24
State Treasury: Financial Accounts of the State	national accounts / administrative data	12 months	6 months	32, (35), 39, 41, 42, 46, 19 (1111222 =vaccines)
STEA / Veikkaus Oy	administrative data	12 months	6 months	45

* Please be exhaustive by mentioning all schemes.

1. Please specify: "Administrative data", "Register based data", "National Accounts", "Survey", "Census", "Other". For category "Other", please specify the type.

2. Please specify: "3 months", "6 months", or "12 months" or etc.

3. The time lag is the period between reference year (31st of December of reference year) and the moment in which data sources are available.

1.1 Coverage of data sources (part 2) – please note that part 1 and part 2 is in fact one table and have only been separated to facilitate the completion of the table

Name of data source <i>(Please indicate the same data sources as in table 1.1 part 1)</i>	Overall accuracy ⁴	Geographical coverage (i.e. which parts of the country are covered by this data source) ⁽⁵⁾
All sources		The whole of Finland

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4. Please fill in this column only in cases of inaccuracies in the source for the purpose of deriving an early estimate: delays, data source containing estimations, incomplete coverage for some schemes and other possible problems or errors. Give a brief description of the main sources of inaccuracies.

5. Please indicate "Full coverage" if the data source covers the whole country. If the data source contains data for some regions only, please specify the region.

2. Changes in the calculation of early estimates (In the first column, please indicate the scheme and/or the benefit(s) involved, then describe in the other columns each change in comparison with previous year estimates with a few words.)

Scheme/Benefit (or group of benefits)	Details on the change			
	Changes in the data sources used ⁽⁶⁾	Changes in the methods used for estimating data ⁽⁷⁾	Changes due to conceptual adjustments ⁽⁸⁾	Other
SCH 21, SCH 53, SCH 57, SCH 48		Use the same calculation method as the Core system data. Figures are no longer estimated based on the data from previous year.		
SCH 19, SCH 31		Use the same calculation method as the Core system data. Figures are no longer estimated based on the data from previous year.		

6. E.g. changes in the set of the data sources (new data sources, disappearing of an old one); additional information supplied by certain data sources; other changes in data sources.

7. E.g. changes in the methods used, revised methods to put the information supplied by data sources in line with the ESSPROS methodology or other changes in methods.

8. E.g. changes in the ESSPROS methodology; in the social protection system; in classifications or definitions other than ESSPROS; etc.

3. Other information related to Quality

3.1 Links with national accounts

Please specify checks/corrections to the data from national accounts to take into account conceptual differences between ESSPROS and national accounts when calculating early estimates.

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3.2 Other relevant information on quality of the early estimates

Please specify any issues that could potentially affect the quality of the early estimates.

Sch 17 / 1121111, 1131111, 1131112, 1141111 The data from beneficiaries and costs comes from different sources, and due to the basis of voluntary non registered supplementary pensions [Rekisteröimättömät lisäeläkkeet] the number of beneficiaries is not available in regular statistics however the ESSPROS-classification summary costs is available.

SCH18 / 1131112 : The data from beneficiaries and costs comes from different sources and costs according to ESSPROS-classification are no more available from regular statistics.

Euro- and person figures on SCH 49, 50, 54, 55 /1121112 does not yet match because the benefit is still new one and there are so few persons receiving this benefit (and the old benefit is passing away, so the old benefit euros is no more statistical collected): This means that in the CS data the figures on 112 1112 / SCH 54 is missing even if there are some persons counted receiving this benefit in the end of year 2022.

4. Dissemination

Are these estimates published in your country?⁽⁹⁾	At what timeliness? (in months)⁽¹⁰⁾	State any specific publication (and possibly the link)	Are they part of regular publications? (yes or not)
Yes everything	10 months	Preliminary data for 2022 published on 13 October 2023: https://thl.fi/en/web/thlfi-en/statistics-and-data/statistics-by-topic/social-and-health-care-resources/social-protection-expenditure-and-financing	Yes

9. Please specify "yes everything", "yes, only the following part...", "yes, but not in the ESSPROS format" or no". In case of "yes, but not in the ESSPROS format", please explain.

10. Please specify how many months after the period of reference the data are published (the period of reference for this collection was 31st December of reference year).