

**Table 23**

Number of foundries (Production units) - Non-ferrous metal castings

Country	Total		thereof:					
			Pressure die casting		Other Light casting		Other Heavy metal alloy casting	
	2016	# 2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
Austria	35	33						
Belgium	6	6						
Bulgaria		18						
Croatia								
Czech Rep.	37	37						
Denmark	7	7						
Finland	13	14						
France	291							
Germany	340	337						
Hungary	87	86						
Italy	878	862 a)						
Lithuania								
The Netherlands								
Norway	6	6						
Poland	240	240						
Portugal a)	57	57						
Slovenia	46	45						
Spain	52	52						
Sweden	59	61						
Switzerland	30	39						
Turkey	383	386						
United Kingdom	204	204						
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.771</b>	<b>2.490</b>						

Remaining difference concerns to already existing foundries, added to the census in 2015

a) ISTAT

**Table 24**

Employment in the foundry industry - Non-ferrous metal castings

Country	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2016 : 2015	2017 : 2016
						+/- %	
Austria	4.030	4.159	3.399	3.923	4.127	15,4	5,2
Belgium	276	258	262	262	266	0,0	1,5
Bulgaria					280		
Croatia	1.540	1.545					
Czech Rep.			6.000	4.000	4.000	-33,3	0,0
Denmark				408			
Finland	450	447	376	330	413	-12,2	25,2
France	12.013	11.900	11.800	12.000		1,7	
Germany a)	33.272	34.201	34.897	35.229	35.963	1,0	2,1
Hungary	4.034	4.870	5.190	5.490	6.076	5,8	10,7
Italy	14.330	14.428	15.092	15.100	18.836 b)	0,1	24,7
Lithuania							
The Netherlands							
Norway	346	423	447	452	296	1,1	-34,5
Poland			8.000	8.300	8.300	3,8	0,0
Portugal	1.625	1.724	2.356	2.399	3.400	1,8	41,7
Slovenia	2.200	2.243		2.500	4.195		67,8
Spain	4.645	4.810	4.862	5.027	5.275	3,4	4,9
Sweden	2.700			3.157			
Switzerland			1.239	1.297	1.274	4,7	-1,8
Turkey	14.000	10.000	10.000	14.000	13.500	40,0	-3,6
United Kingdom	8.800	8.900	8.900	14.000 c)	13.000	57,3	-7,1
<b>Total</b>	<b>104.261</b>	<b>99.908</b>	<b>112.820</b>	<b>127.874</b>	<b>119.201</b>		

a) foundries &gt; 50 empl.

b) ISTAT

c) new survey, more accurate figures!