

Observed number of stomach cancer among men in the Nordic countries and standardised incidence ratios 1961-2005, by country and occupational category

		Denmark		Finland		Iceland		Norway		Sweden		Total			
No	Occupational category	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	95% CI	
1	Technical workers, etc.	453	0.79	581	0.79	4	0.45	362	0.66	2 298	0.84	3 698	0.80	0.78	— 0.83
2	Laboratory assistants	5	0.43	9	0.50	3	1.77	30	1.01	10	1.24	57	0.83	0.63	— 1.07
3	Physicians	35	0.72	13	0.31	3	0.82	51	0.58	63	0.52	165	0.54	0.47	— 0.63
4	Dentists	9	0.67	2	0.21	[0.81]	0.00	16	0.40	30	0.47	57	0.45	0.34	— 0.58
5	Nurses	2	3.45	[1.82]	0.00	[0.02]	0.00	2	0.92	5	1.36	9	1.09	0.50	— 2.07
6	Assistant nurses	11	0.82	5	3.34	1	2.52	17	1.07	56	1.30	90	1.21	0.97	— 1.49
7	"Other health workers"	38	0.89	37	0.83	[1.03]	0.00	30	0.87	84	0.77	189	0.81	0.71	— 0.94
8	Teachers	170	0.69	213	0.69	12	0.90	343	0.76	460	0.69	1 198	0.71	0.67	— 0.75
9	Religious workers etc.	84	0.75	102	0.60	5	0.54	158	0.63	372	0.70	721	0.67	0.63	— 0.72
10	Artistic workers	33	0.93	50	0.80	2	0.81	48	0.67	116	0.70	249	0.74	0.65	— 0.83
11	Journalists	7	0.44	16	0.52	[1.43]	0.00	15	0.49	57	0.72	95	0.60	0.49	— 0.74
12	Administrators	545	0.81	368	0.73	25	1.03	713	0.78	832	0.69	2 483	0.75	0.72	— 0.78
13	Clerical workers	245	0.83	293	0.84	29	1.04	501	0.77	1 067	0.86	2 135	0.83	0.80	— 0.87
14	Sales agents	131	0.85	397	0.83	9	0.65	735	0.89	1 518	0.86	2 790	0.86	0.83	— 0.89
15	Shop workers	598	0.85	146	0.78	8	0.84	251	0.91	466	0.86	1 469	0.86	0.81	— 0.90
16	Farmers	1 320	0.97	2 963	1.07	31	0.76	2 580	0.95	3 899	1.02	10 793	1.01	0.99	— 1.03
17	Gardeners	173	0.89	329	0.94	2	1.47	529	0.88	1 349	1.04	2 382	0.97	0.94	— 1.01
18	Fishermen	80	1.27	35	0.99	25	1.21	1 113	1.41	175	1.23	1 428	1.36	1.29	— 1.43
19	Forestry workers	28	0.96	467	1.16	[0.20]	0.00	442	0.92	1 017	1.08	1 954	1.05	1.01	— 1.10
20	Miners and quarry workers	4	0.44	87	1.35	[0.32]	0.00	145	1.23	312	1.41	548	1.33	1.22	— 1.45
21	Seamen	88	1.34	90	1.08	7	1.16	678	1.27	212	1.15	1 075	1.23	1.16	— 1.30
22	Transport workers	134	0.93	221	0.88	12	0.92	283	0.96	548	0.94	1 198	0.93	0.88	— 0.98
23	Drivers	562	1.17	803	1.06	24	1.35	879	1.11	1 579	1.12	3 847	1.11	1.08	— 1.15
24	Postal workers	78	0.91	109	0.91	3	1.18	165	0.97	301	0.90	656	0.92	0.85	— 0.99
25	Textile workers	98	1.09	74	0.86	5	1.14	193	1.02	406	0.98	776	0.99	0.92	— 1.06
26	Shoe and leather workers	25	1.09	33	0.84	1	1.03	104	1.19	186	1.03	349	1.05	0.95	— 1.17
27	Smelting workers	217	1.14	152	1.18	8	1.37	250	1.01	694	1.10	1 321	1.10	1.04	— 1.16
28	Mechanics	535	1.04	752	0.99	25	1.51	1 126	1.05	2 756	1.07	5 194	1.05	1.02	— 1.08
29	Plumbers	51	1.12	125	1.01	3	1.07	134	1.12	349	1.17	662	1.12	1.04	— 1.21
30	Welders	-	-	120	1.12	2	2.05	114	0.95	345	1.13	581	1.09	1.00	— 1.18
31	Electrical workers	114	0.97	312	1.01	9	0.93	508	1.08	835	0.99	1 778	1.02	0.97	— 1.07
32	Wood workers	349	0.97	962	1.06	9	0.89	1 456	1.04	2 128	1.05	4 904	1.04	1.01	— 1.07
33	Painters	110	0.95	182	0.99	2	0.50	248	1.03	557	0.99	1 099	1.00	0.94	— 1.06
34	"Other construction workers"	576	1.21	685	1.16	25	1.28	332	1.25	1 301	1.19	2 919	1.20	1.15	— 1.24
35	Bricklayers	140	1.06	89	0.95	-	-	168	1.20	292	1.12	689	1.10	1.02	— 1.18
36	Printers	72	0.89	72	0.96	2	0.64	121	0.91	265	0.97	532	0.94	0.87	— 1.03
37	Chemical process workers	101	1.26	130	0.99	6	3.11	354	1.07	567	1.15	1 158	1.12	1.06	— 1.18
38	Food workers	280	1.12	98	1.02	18	1.06	411	1.14	528	1.13	1 335	1.12	1.06	— 1.18
39	Beverage workers	40	1.24	8	1.16	1	3.70	2	0.97	30	1.01	81	1.14	0.91	— 1.42
40	Tobacco workers	3	0.55	1	0.90	[0.02]	0.00	6	0.99	1	0.52	11	0.75	0.38	— 1.35
41	Glass makers etc.	174	1.16	153	1.10	3	1.03	161	1.00	541	1.06	1 032	1.07	1.01	— 1.14
42	Packers	164	1.18	359	1.18	7	0.72	673	1.21	1 148	1.16	2 351	1.18	1.13	— 1.23
43	Engine operators	159	1.22	413	1.12	13	1.10	317	1.21	809	1.12	1 711	1.15	1.09	— 1.20
44	Public safety workers	113	0.93	224	0.99	9	1.01	230	1.03	398	0.99	974	0.99	0.93	— 1.06
45	Cooks and stewards	11	1.13	10	0.80	5	1.29	97	1.10	83	1.21	206	1.13	0.98	— 1.29
46	Domestic assistants	[0.11]	0.00	1	0.93	[0.01]	0.00	[0.59]	0.00	6	1.28	7	1.08	0.44	— 2.23
47	Waiters	28	1.28	10	0.85	1	2.71	30	0.74	55	1.59	124	1.14	0.95	— 1.35
48	Building caretakers	157	1.15	225	1.10	5	1.15	144	1.21	425	1.10	956	1.12	1.06	— 1.20
49	Chimney sweeps	9	2.73	15	1.00	-	-	17	1.45	25	1.07	66	1.24	0.96	— 1.58
50	Hairdressers	27	0.70	3	0.69	1	1.92	36	1.03	91	0.99	158	0.93	0.79	— 1.08
51	Launderers	21	1.13	5	1.22	2	4.53	20	0.96	69	1.06	117	1.07	0.90	— 1.29
52	Military personnel	45	0.82	47	0.78	-	-	138	0.92	203	0.91	433	0.89	0.81	— 0.98
53	"Other workers"	481	1.16	254	1.04	35	0.97	1 206	1.08	1 386	1.15	3 362	1.11	1.08	— 1.15
54	Economically inactive	704	1.38	1 837	1.10	22	0.84	664	1.03	1 986	1.05	5 213	1.10	1.07	— 1.13
1-54	All categories	9 637	1.00	14 687	1.00	424	1.00	19 346	1.00	35 291	1.00	79 385	1.00	Ref.	

Obs = observed number of cases; SIR = standardised incidence ratio; 95% CI = 95% confidence interval

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No	Occupational category	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	Obs	SIR	95% CI	
1	Technical workers, etc.	12	0.79	38	0.82	[0.42]	0.00	5	0.51	59	0.86	114	0.81	0.68	— 0.98
2	Laboratory assistants	11	1.08	26	0.98	[0.69]	0.00	15	1.06	12	1.01	64	1.01	0.77	— 1.28
3	Physicians	3	0.60	7	0.63	[0.15]	0.00	1	0.16	4	0.29	15	0.42	0.23	— 0.69
4	Dentists	1	0.22	15	0.99	[0.05]	0.00	2	0.33	14	1.06	32	0.82	0.56	— 1.16
5	Nurses	85	0.94	120	0.90	3	0.80	102	0.97	164	0.75	474	0.86	0.78	— 0.94
6	Assistant nurses	61	0.97	141	0.95	2	0.37	86	0.85	399	1.12	689	1.03	0.95	— 1.11
7	"Other health workers"	42	0.81	111	0.97	2	1.99	106	0.91	101	0.87	362	0.90	0.82	— 1.00
8	Teachers	80	0.73	193	0.73	4	0.62	152	0.67	332	0.66	761	0.69	0.64	— 0.74
9	Religious workers etc.	11	0.73	88	0.79	[1.03]	0.00	61	1.14	101	0.69	261	0.80	0.71	— 0.90
10	Artistic workers	7	0.83	10	0.48	[0.84]	0.00	17	0.92	28	0.92	62	0.79	0.60	— 1.01
11	Journalists	1	0.59	7	0.52	[0.21]	0.00	5	1.18	6	0.44	19	0.57	0.34	— 0.89
12	Administrators	31	0.62	37	0.80	[0.77]	0.00	50	0.78	63	0.84	181	0.77	0.67	— 0.89
13	Clerical workers	389	0.87	712	0.85	22	1.07	535	0.73	984	0.83	2 642	0.82	0.79	— 0.85
14	Sales agents	4	0.94	140	0.97	2	0.81	122	0.87	190	0.86	458	0.90	0.82	— 0.98
15	Shop workers	343	1.06	465	0.96	15	1.06	630	0.96	849	0.97	2 302	0.98	0.94	— 1.02
16	Farmers	192	0.87	429	1.08	12	1.04	503	0.95	108	1.10	1 244	0.99	0.94	— 1.05
17	Gardeners	27	0.94	1 025	1.01	[0.39]	0.00	317	1.05	269	1.11	1 638	1.03	0.98	— 1.08
18	Fishermen	1	0.91	5	2.45	3	9.22	1	0.32	3	3.70	13	1.76	0.94	— 3.02
19	Forestry workers	[0.29]	0.00	4	1.04	[0.05]	0.00	5	1.07	3	0.63	12	0.88	0.46	— 1.54
20	Miners and quarry workers	[0.02]	0.00	2	1.03	[0.02]	0.00	[0.21]	0.00	[0.97]	0.00	2	0.63	0.08	— 2.29
21	Seamen	-	-	[0.37]	0.00	[0.00]	0.00	[0.71]	0.00	[0.09]	0.00	[1.16]	0.00	0.00	— 3.19
22	Transport workers	[0.32]	0.00	21	0.81	1	2.34	7	2.26	17	1.35	46	1.09	0.80	— 1.45
23	Drivers	8	1.01	15	1.45	[0.16]	0.00	8	0.65	32	1.18	63	1.09	0.84	— 1.39
24	Postal workers	12	0.70	130	0.86	3	0.60	133	0.85	227	0.99	505	0.90	0.82	— 0.98
25	Textile workers	113	1.06	363	1.01	15	1.45	317	1.04	617	1.05	1 425	1.04	0.99	— 1.10
26	Shoe and leather workers	11	1.41	39	0.90	3	5.55	28	1.34	49	1.13	130	1.12	0.94	— 1.33
27	Smelting workers	3	1.56	8	0.79	[0.02]	0.00	1	0.71	12	1.44	24	1.10	0.71	— 1.64
28	Mechanics	24	1.32	44	1.01	[0.07]	0.00	24	1.11	128	1.38	220	1.25	1.10	— 1.43
29	Plumbers	[0.21]	0.00	[0.08]	0.00	-	-	1	8.17	[0.08]	0.00	1	2.00	0.05	— 11.15
30	Welders	-	-	5	1.68	[0.00]	0.00	1	0.99	2	0.75	8	1.20	0.52	— 2.37
31	Electrical workers	37	1.45	28	1.14	1	11.80	27	1.25	62	1.23	155	1.27	1.09	— 1.49
32	Wood workers	10	1.18	101	1.11	1	6.40	7	1.07	14	0.97	133	1.10	0.93	— 1.30
33	Painters	[0.35]	0.00	11	1.07	[0.04]	0.00	2	1.29	5	1.17	18	1.09	0.65	— 1.72
34	"Other construction workers"	[0.29]	0.00	54	1.37	[0.02]	0.00	1	1.60	1	2.36	56	1.37	1.03	— 1.78
35	Bricklayers	[0.05]	0.00	2	1.68	-	-	[0.03]	0.00	[0.01]	0.00	2	1.56	0.19	— 5.65
36	Printers	14	1.41	39	0.90	[0.75]	0.00	35	1.50	56	1.30	144	1.19	1.01	— 1.41
37	Chemical process workers	18	1.13	32	1.38	[0.38]	0.00	16	0.79	42	1.18	108	1.13	0.94	— 1.37
38	Food workers	85	1.12	128	1.05	23	1.20	153	1.12	137	1.14	526	1.11	1.02	— 1.21
39	Beverage workers	11	1.44	6	0.83	[0.05]	0.00	2	2.21	12	1.48	31	1.29	0.88	— 1.84
40	Tobacco workers	14	1.34	5	1.27	-	-	5	0.89	3	0.77	27	1.13	0.74	— 1.64
41	Glass makers etc.	12	0.66	93	1.12	1	1.96	47	1.13	98	1.07	251	1.07	0.94	— 1.21
42	Packers	10	1.88	168	1.15	2	1.01	117	1.16	166	1.15	463	1.16	1.06	— 1.27
43	Engine operators	[0.14]	0.00	19	0.83	[0.03]	0.00	2	2.19	12	2.11	33	1.12	0.77	— 1.57
44	Public safety workers	2	2.79	12	2.18	[0.39]	0.00	13	1.03	9	1.05	36	1.30	0.91	— 1.79
45	Cooks and stewards	[0.22]	0.00	200	1.17	7	0.90	175	1.03	244	0.97	626	1.04	0.96	— 1.12
46	Domestic assistants	126	1.04	172	0.97	3	1.24	420	0.99	628	1.10	1 349	1.04	0.99	— 1.10
47	Waiters	25	1.21	128	0.98	1	1.27	185	1.19	248	1.07	587	1.09	1.00	— 1.18
48	Building caretakers	359	1.01	623	1.03	18	1.15	724	1.14	697	1.16	2 421	1.10	1.05	— 1.14
49	Chimney sweeps	[0.04]	0.00	[0.26]	0.00	-	-	[0.08]	0.00	[0.01]	0.00	[0.39]	0.00	0.00	— 9.53
50	Hairdressers	15	0.74	51	1.00	[0.62]	0.00	25	0.64	79	0.99	170	0.89	0.76	— 1.03
51	Launderers	46	1.15	50	1.01	2	0.73	71	1.09	163	1.21	332	1.14	1.02	— 1.27
52	Military personnel	[0.21]	0.00	[0.34]	0.00	-	-	[0.12]	0.00	[0.17]	0.00	[0.83]	0.00	0.00	— 4.43
53	"Other workers"	102	1.01	185	1.05	14	0.95	333	1.02	288	1.13	922	1.06	0.99	— 1.13
54	Economically inactive	3 033	1.03	4 853	1.04	49	0.91	6 256	1.03	13 464	1.01	27 655	1.02	1.01	— 1.03
1-54	All categories	5 391	1.00	11 160	1.00	209	1.00	11 851	1.00	21 201	1.00	49 812	1.00	Ref.	

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