

Classification Of Occupations

New Classifications Of Occupations – Portuguese Classification Of Occupations of 2010 (CPP/2010)

The Portuguese Classification of Occupations 2010 (CPP/2010) of the National Statistics Institute responsibility is integrated in the International Standard Classification of Occupations of 2008 (ISCO/2008) and it substitute the National Classification of Occupations 1994 (CNP/94) of the Employment and Vocational Training Institute harmonized with the ISCO/1988.

The structure extensive differences between CPP/2010 and CNP/94 arising from CITEP/2008, of the new technologies and equipment, as well as of the development of economic activities and of the work organization.

The Structure of CPP/2010 integrates all levels (Major Group, Sub-Major Group, Minor-Group and Unit Group) of CITEP/2008, and it is an essential tool for statistics on occupations and the statistical comparability at European and international levels.

These levels, as the Occupation level (national level) integrated in the Minor Group CITEP/2008, have adopted the criteria and principles of this classification.

About eighty entities, with technical knowledge on occupations and users of the classification, participated on their conception.

The main statistical objectives are:

- Provide the National Statistical System of a classification of occupations integrated in the international classification and adjusted to the Portuguese reality
- Ensure the observation and statistical analysis at the European and international level in various fields of application (population censuses, employment surveys, etc.) in a coordinated form
- Answer to the international requests on the Portuguese occupations
- Strengthen the statistical coordination and to create increased potential for the information organization.

The CPP/2010 intended primarily for statistical purposes, providing conditions for its application in other fields, in particular for regulation and accreditation of occupations.

As shown the table below the structure extensive changes can be easily inferred from the comparison of the positions number between the CPP/2010 and CNP/94 levels.

For a better knowledge and understanding of the implications on statistical series it is recommended to consult the publication of this classification and the correspondence tables between two classifications in the NSI Web.

Even at the Major Group (aggregate level with the same number of positions in both classifications) only the Major Group 0 maintains an equivalence (1:1).

Positions Number between CPP/2010 and CNP/94 levels

MAJOR GROUP	Sub-Major Group		Minor-Group		Unit Group		Occupation		Nº of equivalence s occupations (1:1)
	CPP	CNP	CPP	CNP	CPP	CNP	CPP	CNP	
0 Armed Forces Occupations	3	1	3	1	9	1	55	1	0
1 Managers	4	3	11	6	31	28	41	88	0
2 Professionals	6	4	27	17	92	49	145	282	33
3 Technicians and associate professionals	5	4	20	19	84	63	116	269	17
4 Clerical support workers	4	2	8	7	29	20	32	87	4
5 Service and sales workers	4	2	13	9	40	21	52	99	12
6 Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers	3	2	9	6	18	14	34	62	1
7 Craft and related trades workers	5	4	14	17	66	70	125	521	21
8 Plant and machine operators and assemblers	3	3	14	20	40	67	66	594	0
9 Elementary occupations	6	3	11	10	33	23	42	94	12
Total	43	28	130	112	442	356	708	2097	100