

Comparison Period: March 2011 – December 2009

Two Parent and Two Children (3 year old girl and 10 year old boy)
Total weekly income for the 3 different household income situations

Income Expenditure Scenario	March 2011 Total cash income¹ €	December 2009 Total cash income² €
Income from Jobseeker Benefit/ 1 car owner	440.87	481.95
1 Full-time worker/ 2 car owner	556.72	573.80
1 Full-time worker and 1 Part- time worker/ 2 car owner	620.78	643.00

¹ When calculating the Net cash income for each scenario, income where applicable from Unemployment benefit, Family Income Supplement, Child Benefit, Back to School Clothing and Footwear Allowance and income from paid employment was taken into account.

² When calculating the Net cash income for each scenario, income where applicable from Unemployment benefit, Early Childcare Supplement, Family Income Supplement, Child Benefit, Back to School Clothing and Footwear Allowance and income from paid employment was taken into account.