

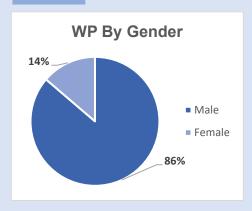
Monthly Work Permit Report- December 2024

The Zaatari Office for Employment (ZOE) is operated by the Syrian Refugees Affairs Directorate (SRAD), the Ministry of Labor, UNHCR (UN Refugee Agency), and the International Labour Organization. It facilitates access to formal employment outside the camp through issuing work permits (WP).

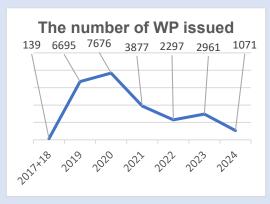


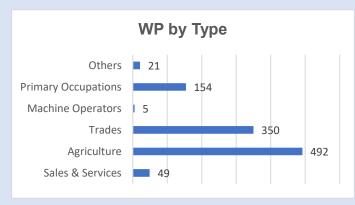
Key Figures:

- **28,470** WPs have been issued since the establishment of the ZOE in 2017.
- 33,838 refugees (18+) in the camp are eligible for work.
- **3 percent** of those with work permits are active cases.
- 1,071 are active refugee work permit holders.
- In December 2024, 5 WPs were issued and 14 were renewed.











Comments:

- The new government regulation, which dropped the number of WPs in the camp, increased the Work Permit (WP) fees to **425** JODs and **85** JODs for medical tests. Depending on the type of flexible WP, the refugee should pay **50** JODs for the GFJTU or **13** JODs for the agriculture cooperatives.
- Social Security contribution stays as is (58 JODs/month).