

#### Third European Survey of Enterprises on New and Emerging Risks: ESENER 2019 Main findings for Slovenia

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### 1. EU-OSHA - Who we are www.osha.europa.eu

The European Union body responsible for the collection, analysis and dissemination of relevant information to serve the needs of those involved in safety and health at work.

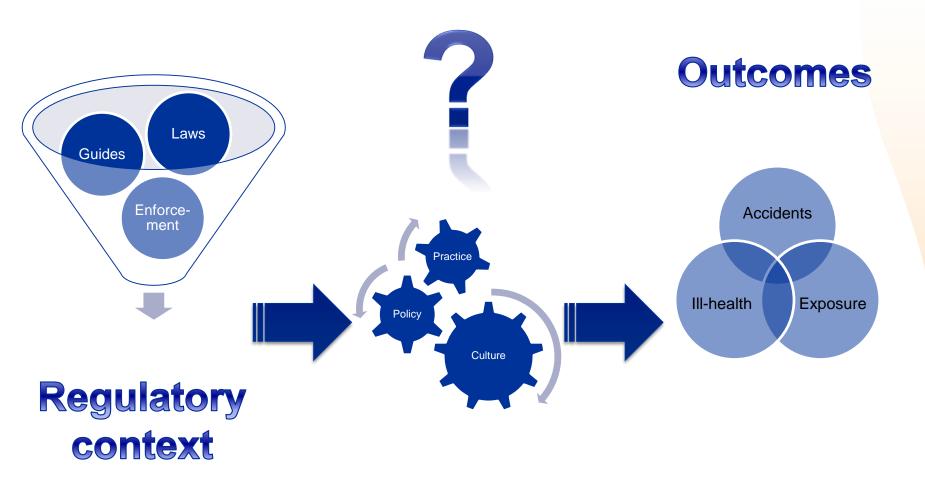
- One of 40 EU agencies
- Governed by European law
- Mostly financed from the general EU budget
- Independent in the execution of its mission/tasks
- A tripartite network organisation, closely linked to EU actors and national networks through the <u>national focal points</u>
- Legislation inspection. NO





#### **ESENER** – a bit of history

#### What can an enterprise survey tell us?







#### 2. ESENER: some changes in 2014...

Greater geographical coverage	ESENER-1 (2009)	ESENER-2 (2014)
Countries	Total of 31: EU-28 + Turkey, Norway, Switzerland	Total of 36: ESENER-1 + Albania, Iceland, North Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia
Establishments surveyed	30,000	49,320
National versions of questionnaire Adapted for language and national OSH terminology	41	47
Increased proportion of workplaces covered	ESENER-1	ESENER-2
Smallest business size	10 workers	5 workers
Sector	All, including public, except agriculture and fishing	All, including public and agriculture and fishing





#### 2. ESENER-3 (2019) Methodology: sample size

Country	Interviews for ESENER-3	
Austria	1,503	L
Belgium	1,506	L
Bulgaria	755	N
Croatia	740	N
Cyprus	757	N
Czech Republic	1,552	٨
Denmark	1,513	P
Estonia	758	P
Finland	1,505	R
France	2,251	S
Germany	2,264	S
Greece	1,501	S
Hungary	1,504	S
Iceland	753	S
Ireland	750 <b>+ 1250</b>	S
Italy	2,251	U
Latvia	756	T

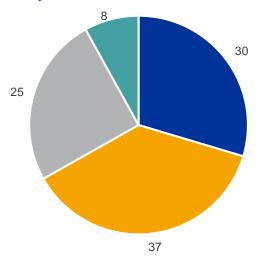
Country	Interviews for ESENER-3
Lithuania	754
Luxembourg	773
North Macedonia	752
Malta	453
Netherlands	1,521
Norway	1,501 <b>+ 450</b>
Poland	2,250
Portugal	1,493
Romania	1,500
Serbia	751
Slovakia	756
Slovenia	767 <b>+ 300</b>
Spain	2,266
Sweden	1,512
Switzerland	1,502
United Kingdom	2,251
Total	45,420



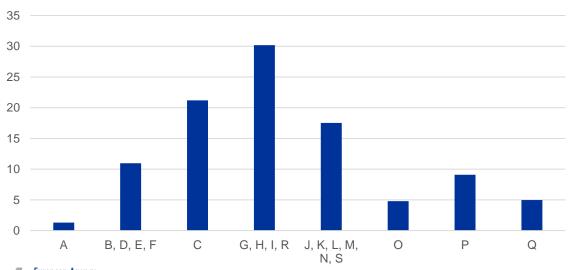


#### 2. ESENER 2019: technical information

Final sample distribution by establishment size and sector group, Slovenia (in %).







NACE Rev. 2 sections: A: Agriculture, forestry and fishing. B, D, E, F: Construction, waste management, water and electricity supply. C: Manufacturing. G, H, I, R: Trade, transport, food/accommodation and recreation activities. J, K, L, M, N, S: IT, Finance, Real estate and other technical scientific or personal service activities. O: Public administration. P: Education Q: Human health and social work activities.



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#### 2. ESENER 2019: technical information

- Fieldwork: 3 April 17 July 2019
- MEDIANA D.O.O.
- CATI: Phone interviews, Slovenian native speakers (10).
  - CAWI: 79 interviews, 7.4% of total (4.8% average for 33 countries).
- Address register:
  - iPiS Marketing Manager a Bisnode Solution, InfoBON d.o.o.
  - Good quality, low share of wrong numbers, inactive companies.
- Interview duration (average): 25.2 minutes (24)
- Cooperation rate (AAPOR3):
  - 33% average 33 countries: 25%
- Weighting:
  - Enterprise statistics of the Statistical Office of Slovenia.





#### 2. ESENER 2019: the four survey topics

- Health and safety management.
- Management of psychosocial risks.
- Main drivers and barriers
- Worker involvement.





#### **ESENER 2019**

#### Who did we interview?

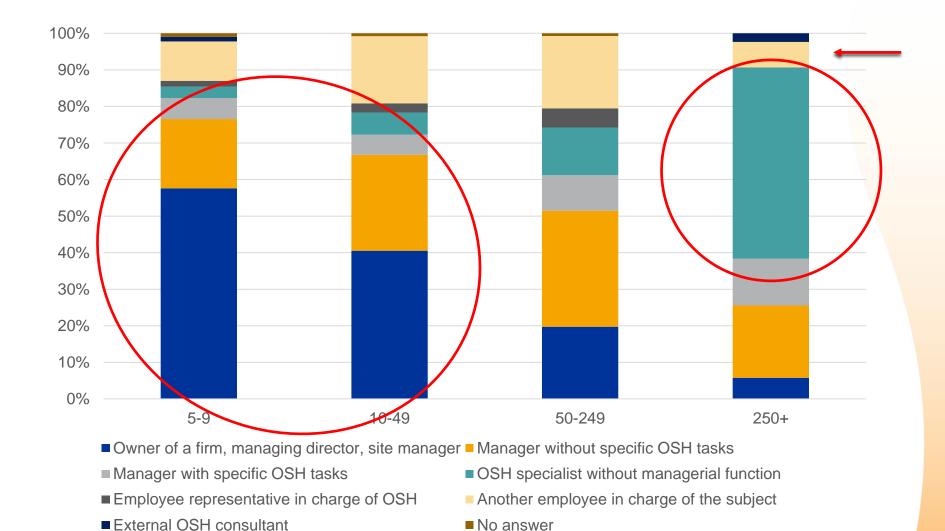
'Person who knows best how health and safety is managed at the worklplace'





#### 2. ESENER 2019 Respondent – Slovenia (in %)

'Person who knows most about safety and health at the workplace'







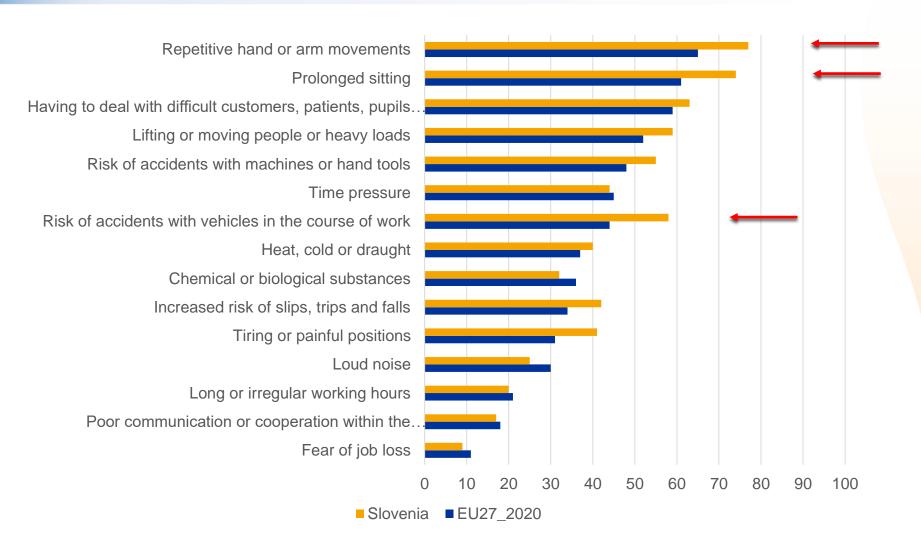
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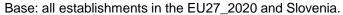
# What are the main risk factors affecting workers' safety and health in Europe and in Slovenia?





### ESENER 2019 – Risk factors present in the establishment, 2019 (% establishments, Slovenia and EU27\_2020)

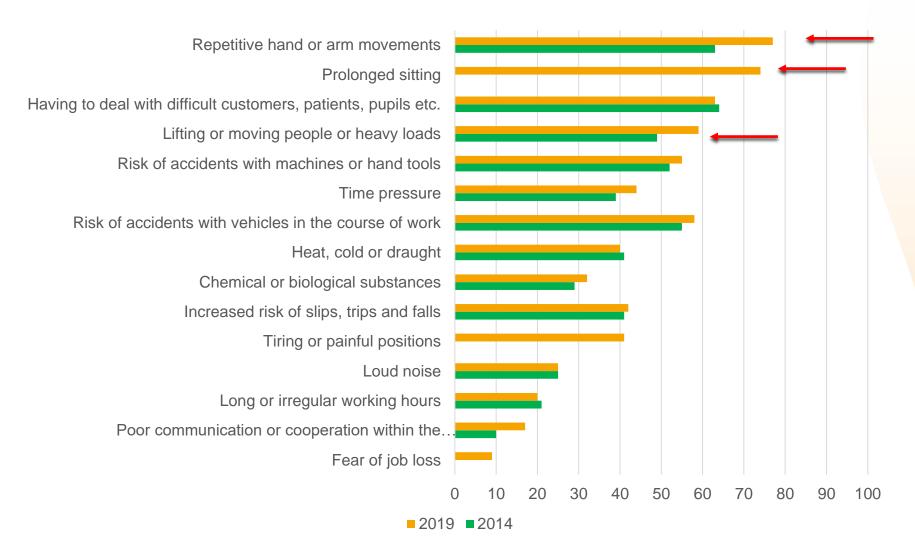








### 3. ESENER 2019 – Risk factors present in the establishment 2014-2019 (% establishments, Slovenia)

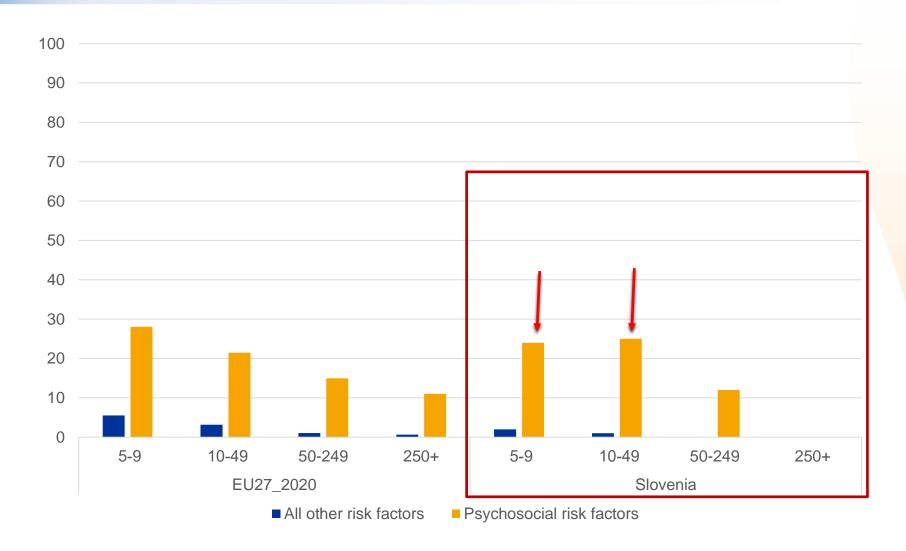




Base: all establishments in Slovenia.



### 3. ESENER 2019— Workplaces reporting zero risks, 2019 (% establishments, EU27\_2020 and Slovenia)

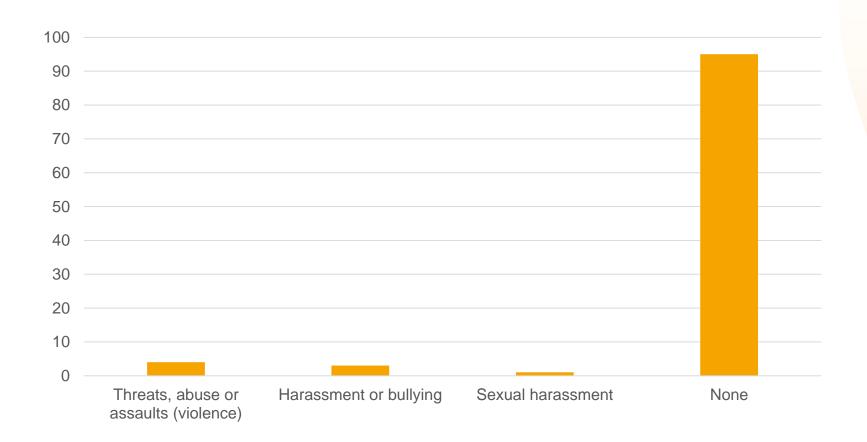




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### 3. ESENER 2019 – Risk factors present in the establishment, 2019 (% establishments, Slovenia)

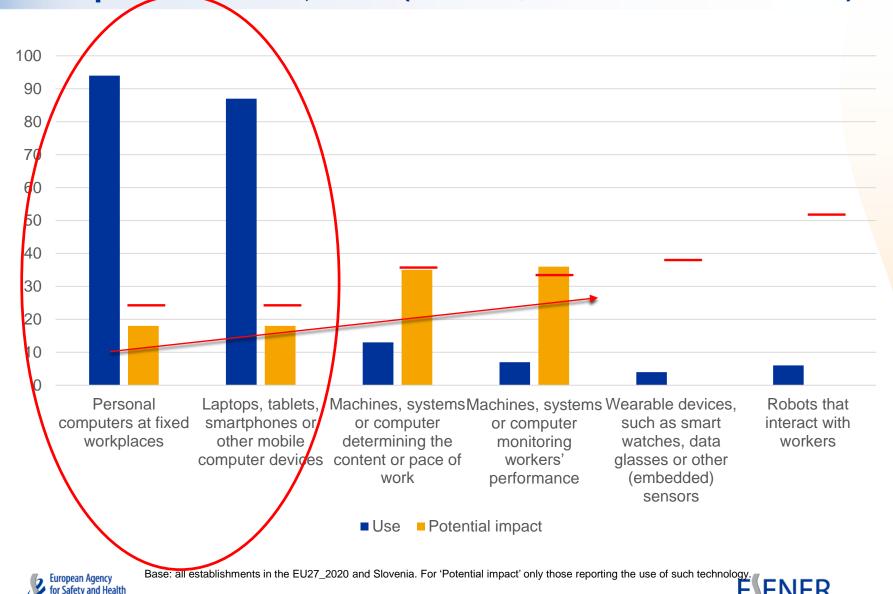
#### Specific questions for Slovenia







### 3. ESENER 2019— Digital technologies and potential impacts on OSH, 2019 (% estab., Slovenia and EU27\_2020)



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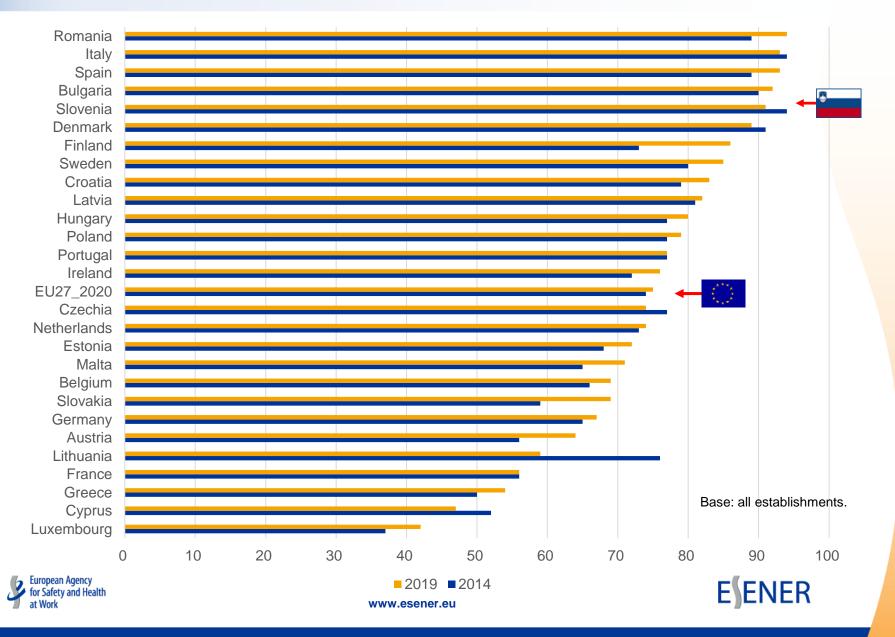
#### **ESENER 2019**

# How are these risk factors managed at the workplace?

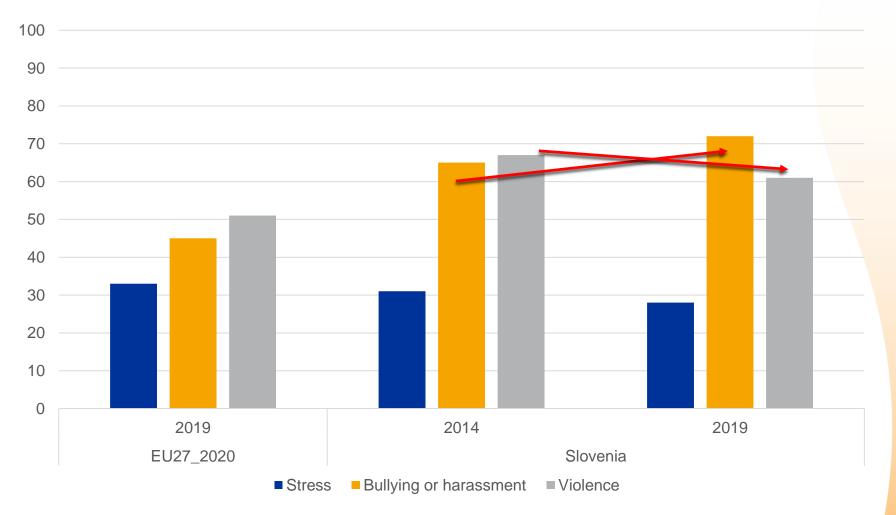




### 3. ESENER 2019 – Workplace risk assessments carried out regularly, by country, 2014-2019 (% estab.)



### 3. ESENER 2019 – Action plan and procedures in place against psychosocial risks, 2019 (% estab., EU27\_2020 and Slovenia)

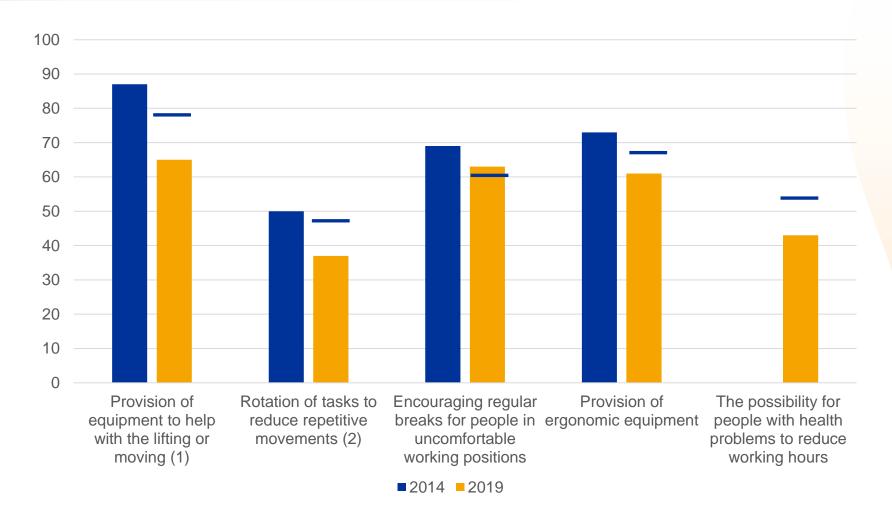


Base: establishments with more than 19 workers.





### ESENER 2019 – Work design measures, 2014-2019 (% estab., EU27\_2020 and Slovenia)



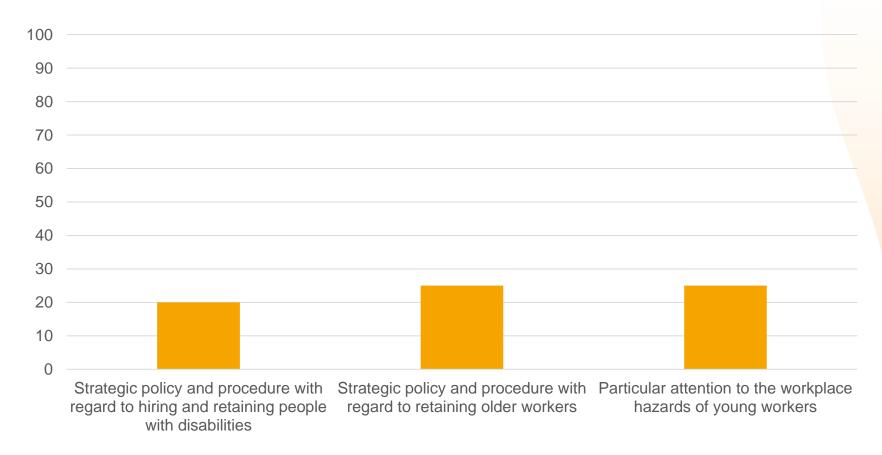
Base: all establishments. (1) and (2) only to those reporting the presence of such risk factors.





### 3. ESENER 2019 – Additional procedures, 2019 (% estab., Slovenia)

#### Specific questions for Slovenia



Base: all establishments in Slovenia.





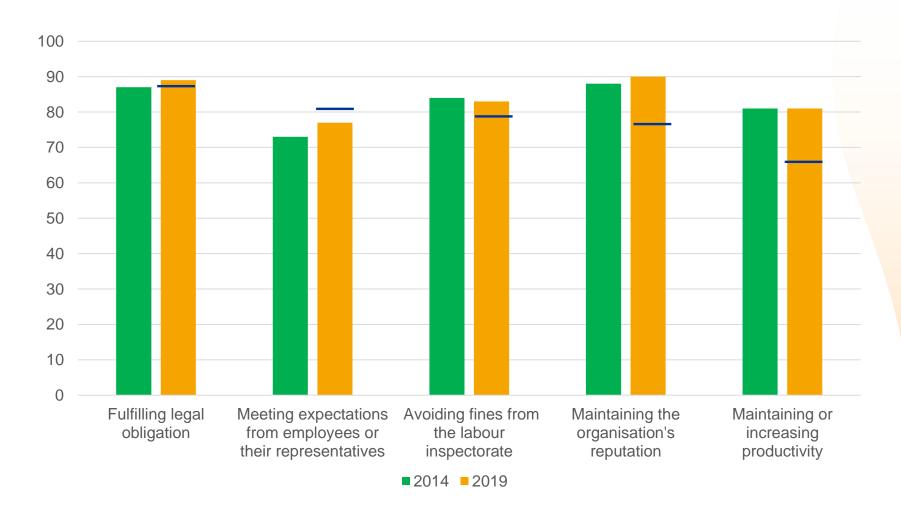
#### **ESENER 2019**

# What motivates enterprises to manage risks?





### 3. ESENER 2019 – Major reasons for addressing health and safety (% estab., EU27\_2020 and Slovenia)

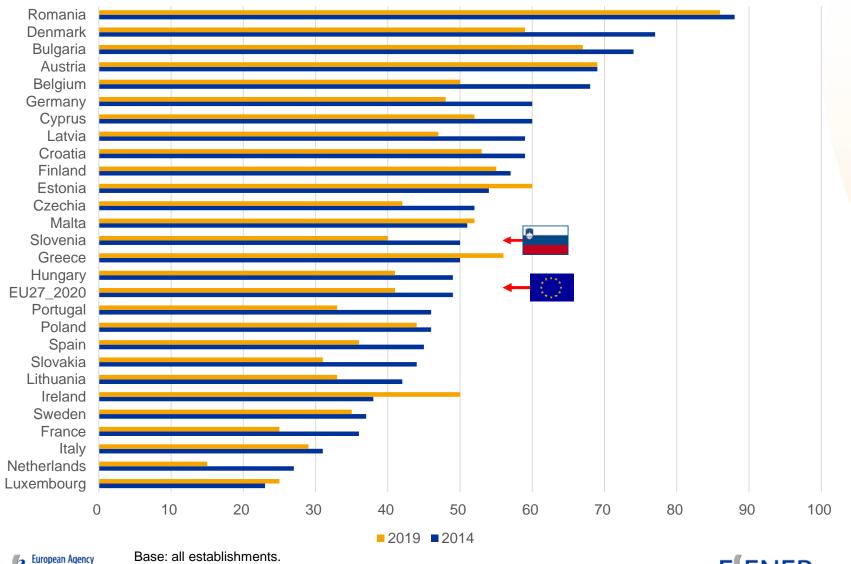


Base: all establishments in the EU27\_2020 and Slovenia.





#### 3. ESENER 2019 – Visits by the labour inspectorate, by country, 2014-2019 (% establishments)





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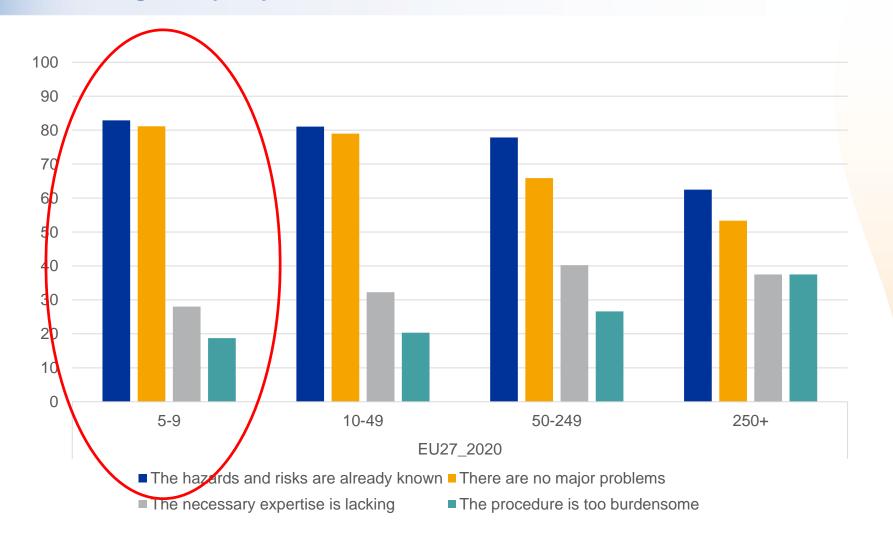
#### **ESENER 2019**

# Why do some enterprises not manage risks?





### 3. Reasons why workplace risk assessments are not carried out regularly, by size, 2019 (% estab., EU27\_2020)

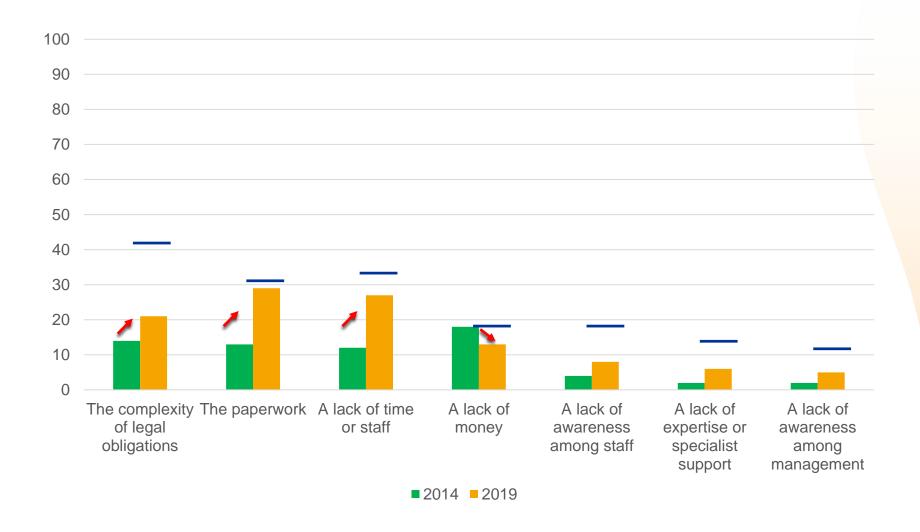


Base: establishments in the EU27\_2020 that do not carry out risk assessments regularly.





### 3. Major difficulties in addressing health and safety, 2014-2019 (% estab., EU27\_2020 and Slovenia)

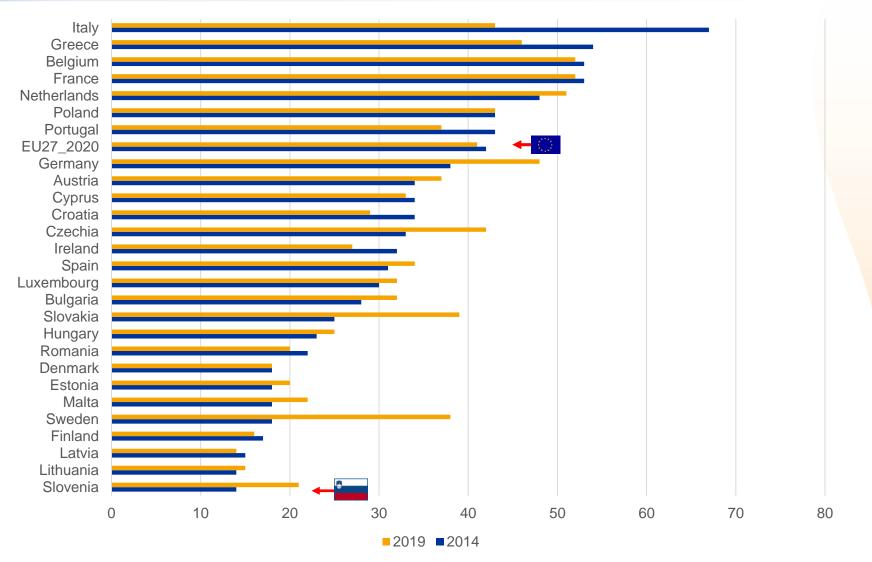




Base: all establishments in the EU27\_2020 and Slovenia.



### 3. ESENER 2019 - Complexity of legal obligations as a major difficulty in addressing health and safety, by country, 2014-2019 (% establishments).

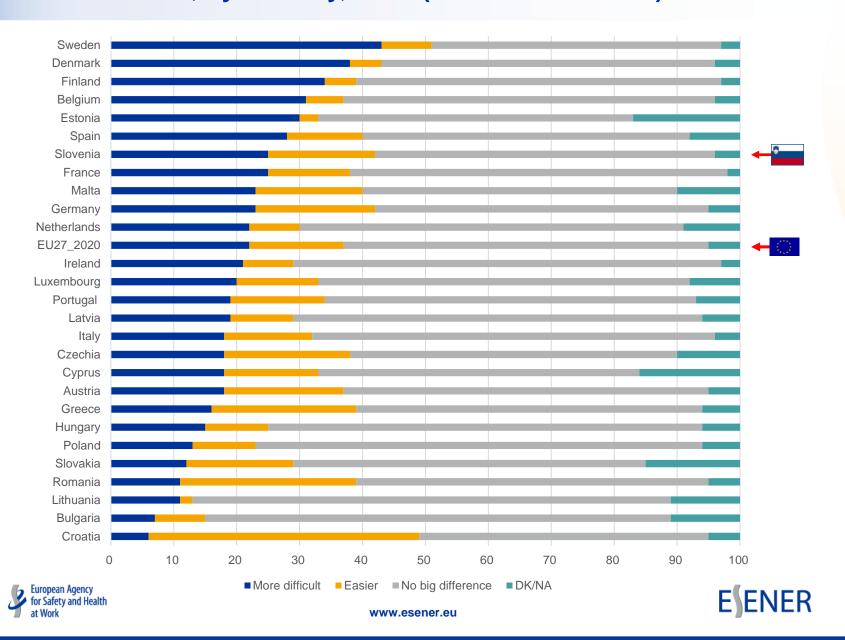




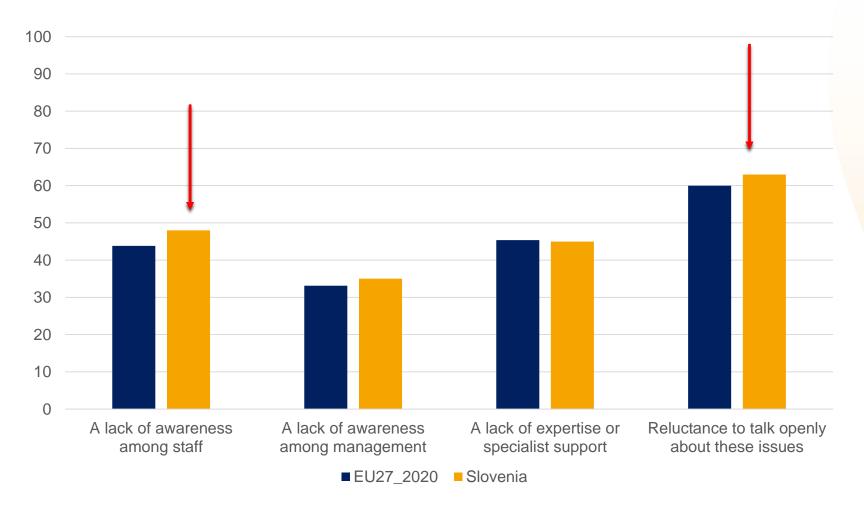
Base: all establishments.

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### 3. ESENER 2019 – Psychosocial risks more difficult to manage than other OSH risks, by country, 2019 (% establishments).



### 3. ESENER 2019 – Difficulties in addressing psychosocial risks, 2019 (% estab., EU27\_2020 and Slovenia)



Base: establishments in the EU27\_2020 and Slovenia that report (1) at least one psychosocial risk factor to be present in their establishments and (2) psychosocial risks to be more difficult to manage than other OSH risks.





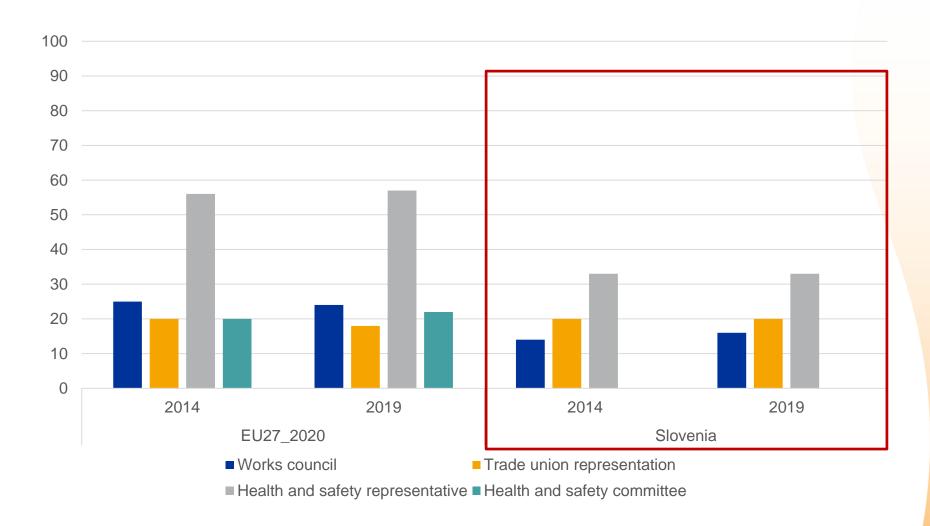
#### **ESENER 2019**

# Do workers have a say in the way safety and health is managed?





### 3. ESENER 2019 – Forms of employee representation, EU27\_2020 and Slovenia, 2014-2019 (% establishments)

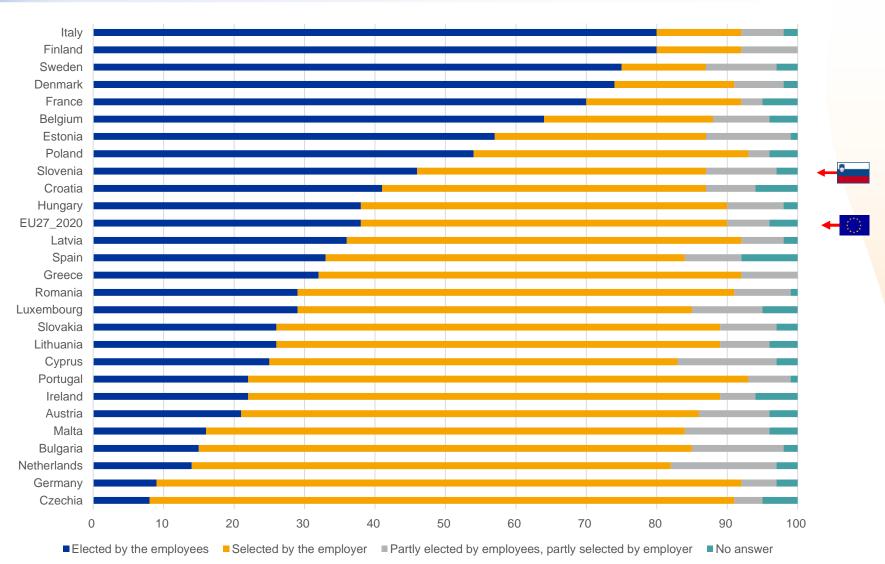


Base: all establishments in the EU27\_2020 and Slovenia – national size thresholds apply.





### 3. ESENER 2019 – Appointment of health and safety representatives, by country, 2019 (% establishments)

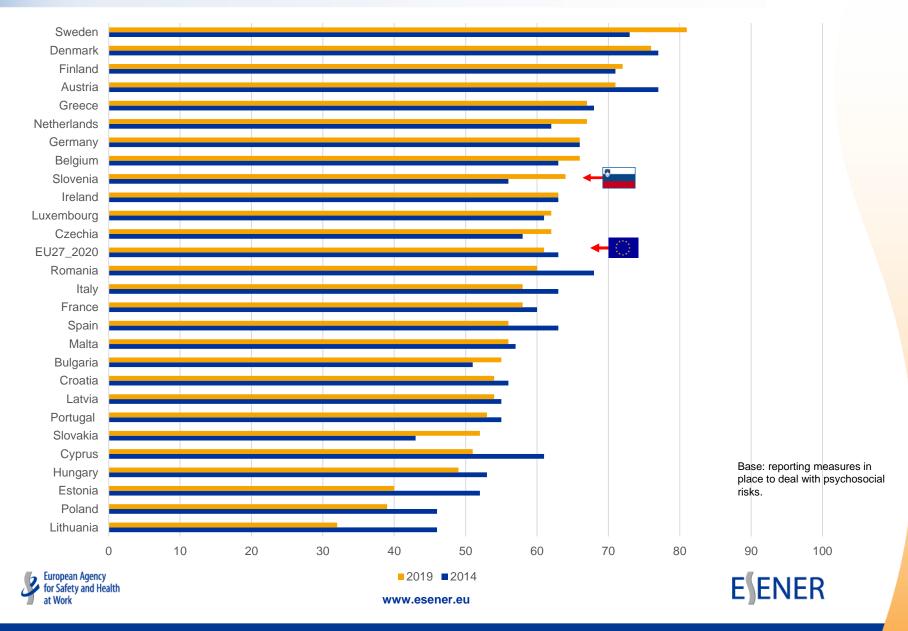




Base: all establishments.

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### 3. ESENER 2019 – Worker involvement in measures to address psychosocial risks, by country, 2014-2019 (% establ.)



### 4. ESENER Resources www.esener.eu

#### Publications

- Descriptive overview reports (English)
- Summary of main findings (25 languages)
- In-depth secondary analysis reports (English)

#### Methodology

- Background information, including technical reports.
- Master and national questionnaires
- https://oshwiki.eu/wiki/ESENER\_2019\_Methodology

#### Data

- <u>'Mapping tool'</u> showing results by country, size and sector
- Access to full micro-data for non-commercial use
  - UKDA
  - GESIS

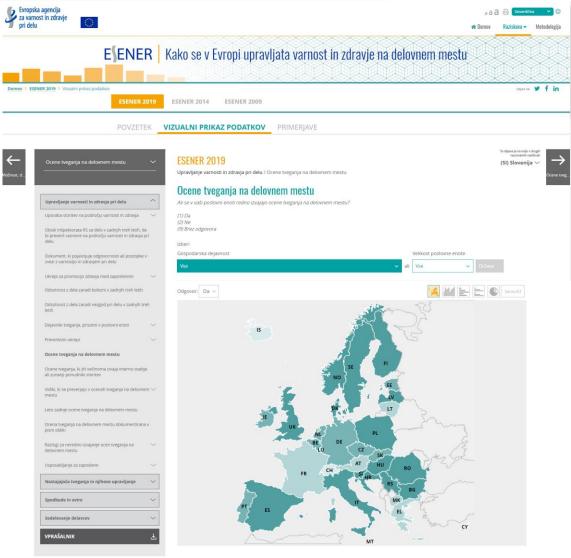






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#### **ESENER Data Visualisation Tool**







#### 4. ESENER – Outlook (1)

#### Established monitoring tool:

 Survey to be repeated in five year cycles: 2009-2014-2019 and beyond?

#### EU level

European Commission – expectations

#### National level

- National sample boosts: Ireland, Norway, Slovenia,
   Spain, the United Kingdom.
- Ad-hoc questions
- -Switzerland: all three waves.
- Feeds into other EU-OSHA activities





#### 4. ESENER – Outlook (2)

#### 2020

- Psychosocial risk management
  - Qualitative study, face-to-face interviews in MSEs.
  - ESENER-3 respondents in 6 countries.
  - Results by early 2022.
- Cooperation
  - Data requests: INSST, Austrian Institute of Economic Research, BAuA, Health Promotion Switzerland
  - Survey questions: BAuA, Swedish Agency for Work Environment Expertise, KOSHA.

#### 2021-2023

- Procurement launched on 9 July 2020 ongoing evaluation
  - Overview report: legislation and worker representation
  - Healthcare

#### Further analyses





#### **Conclusions**

- Fieldwork: higher than average cooperation rates
- Awareness
  - Increasing trends MSDs
- Risk assessments
- Drivers and barriers
  - Legislation
  - Labour inspectorate visits
  - Difficulties increasing but lower than average
- Worker participation
  - A bit under the average,...
  - ,..., but increasing worker involvement





#### **ESENER 2019**

#### Hvala!

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