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Title: Average age of civil servants within BIS

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Information request

Average (mean) age of the civil servants who work at the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills and how many civil servants work in the department (i.e. the sample size)?

Information released

The data sample is taken as at 31 December 2012 and shows that the average age of civil servants working for the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills (BIS) is 45. The number of people working in the Department is 3112. This figure includes all those who are on BIS payroll.