

*armasuisse Science and Technology develops innovative and effective solutions for the challenges of the future.*

- analysing issues across the **entire spectrum of security technologies**
- testing and assessing the **operational, functional and effectiveness capabilities** and security requirements of current and future systems in the defence and security sector
- promoting novel and creative ideas by means of **innovation spaces**

## 213

Employees including **26** university interns and **10** apprentices

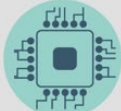
Different job groups (including number of employees)



49  
Electrical /  
Mechanical engineering



40  
Physics /  
Mathematics



37  
IT



28  
Technical  
professions



19  
Test pilots /  
Flight test engineers



15  
Business  
Management

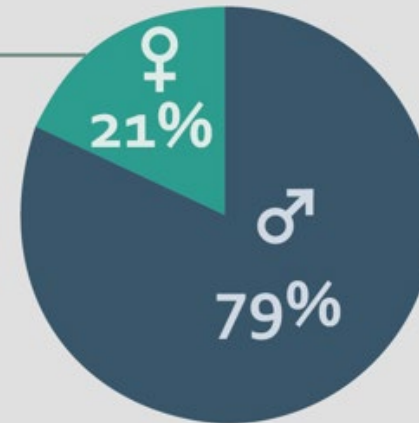


14  
Chemistry



11  
Commercial  
professions

+3%  
cf. to the  
previous year



**56x** Doctorate

**40x** Master's degree

**31x** Federal Diploma of Vocational Education and Training

**26x** Bachelor's degree

**24x** Professional Education



# Research and Innovation

## Research

- **NATO/SET acoustic experiments in Walenstadt**
  - knowledge of sensor systems that Switzerland does not have at its disposal
  - comparison of technologies based on a very large database under the same (urban) conditions
- **DARPA Challenge**
  - utilisation of Switzerland as a location for innovation in favour of the Swiss Armed Forces
- **International cyber defence exercise Locked Shields**
  - testing research instruments in a realistic extreme scenario
  - Switzerland can test its defence readiness in an international benchmark

## Innovation

- **LBA sandbox**
  - automated readout procedure for weapon serial numbers
- **Cyber Defence Campus Challenge 2023**
  - innovative solutions in the field of smartphone application security
  - winner receives contract for proof of concept
- **C-UAV Bure 2021**
  - technology exhibition on drone technologies, presentations, live demonstrations and dialogue between government, industry and academia
- **ARCHE**
  - largest Swiss field robotics event
  - assessment of the technological maturity and suitability of Swiss robotics for disaster relief.

