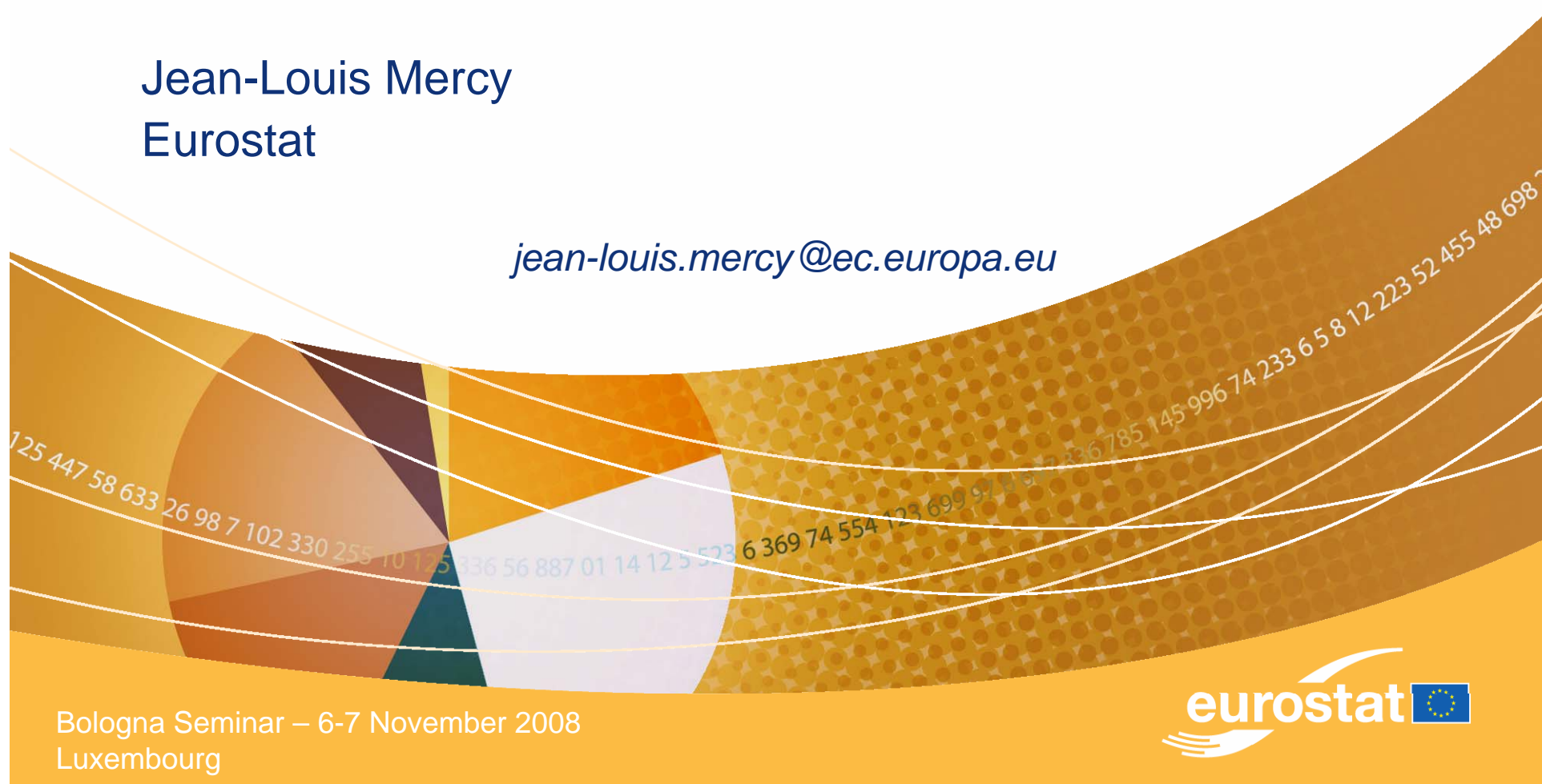


# Recent data on graduate employment

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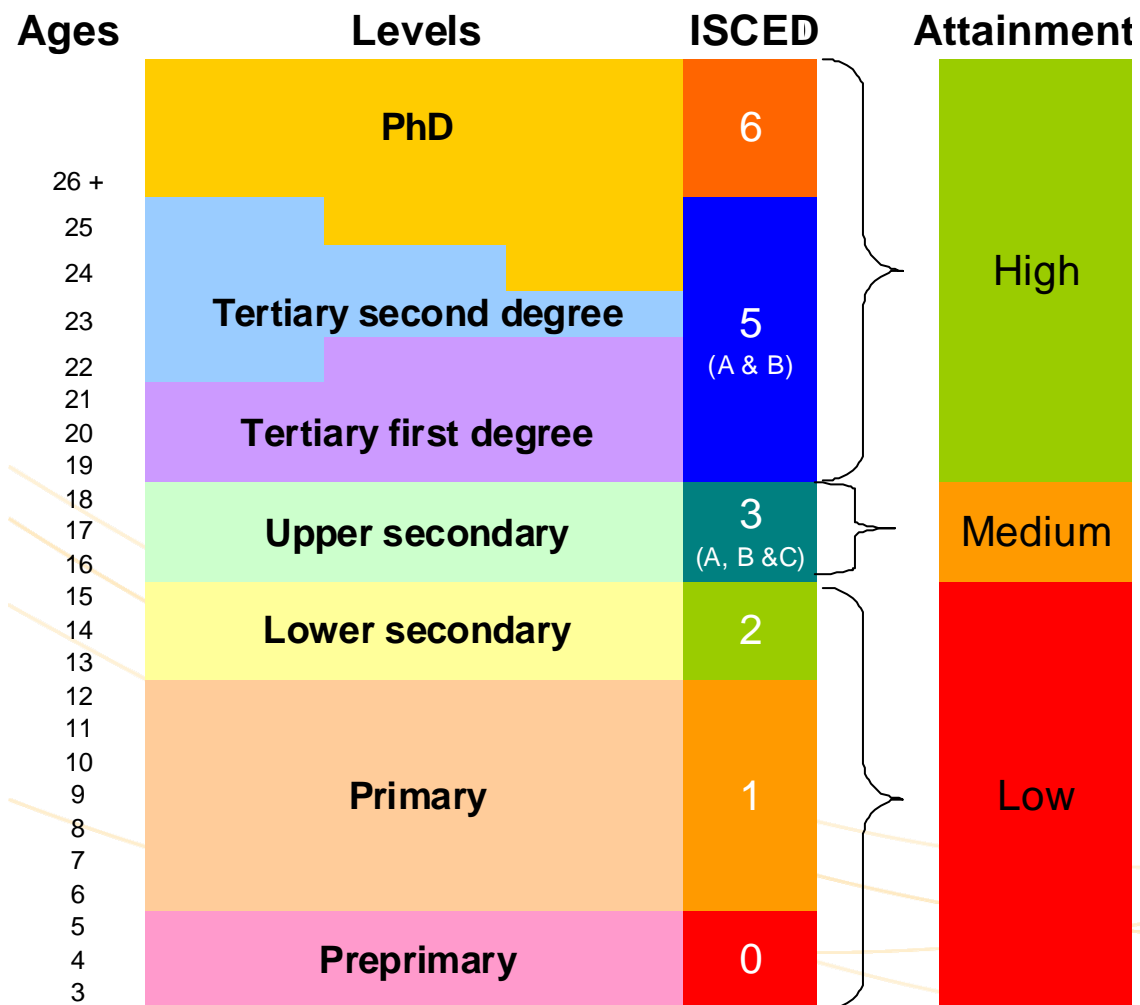
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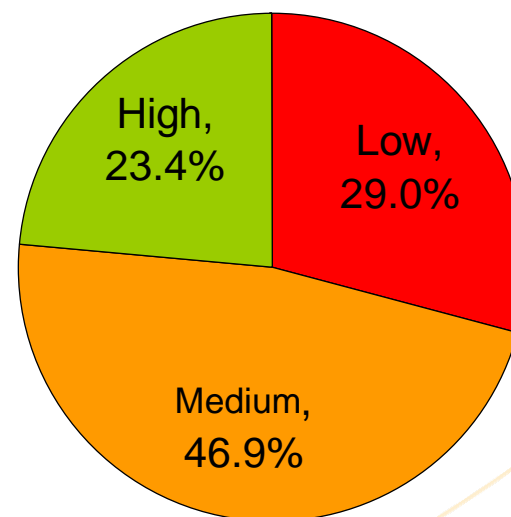


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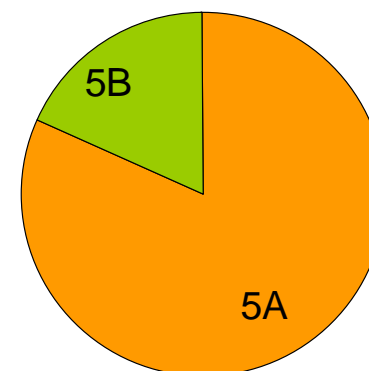
# Education attainment levels



Population 25-64 EU, 2007



Source: Eurostat, LFS

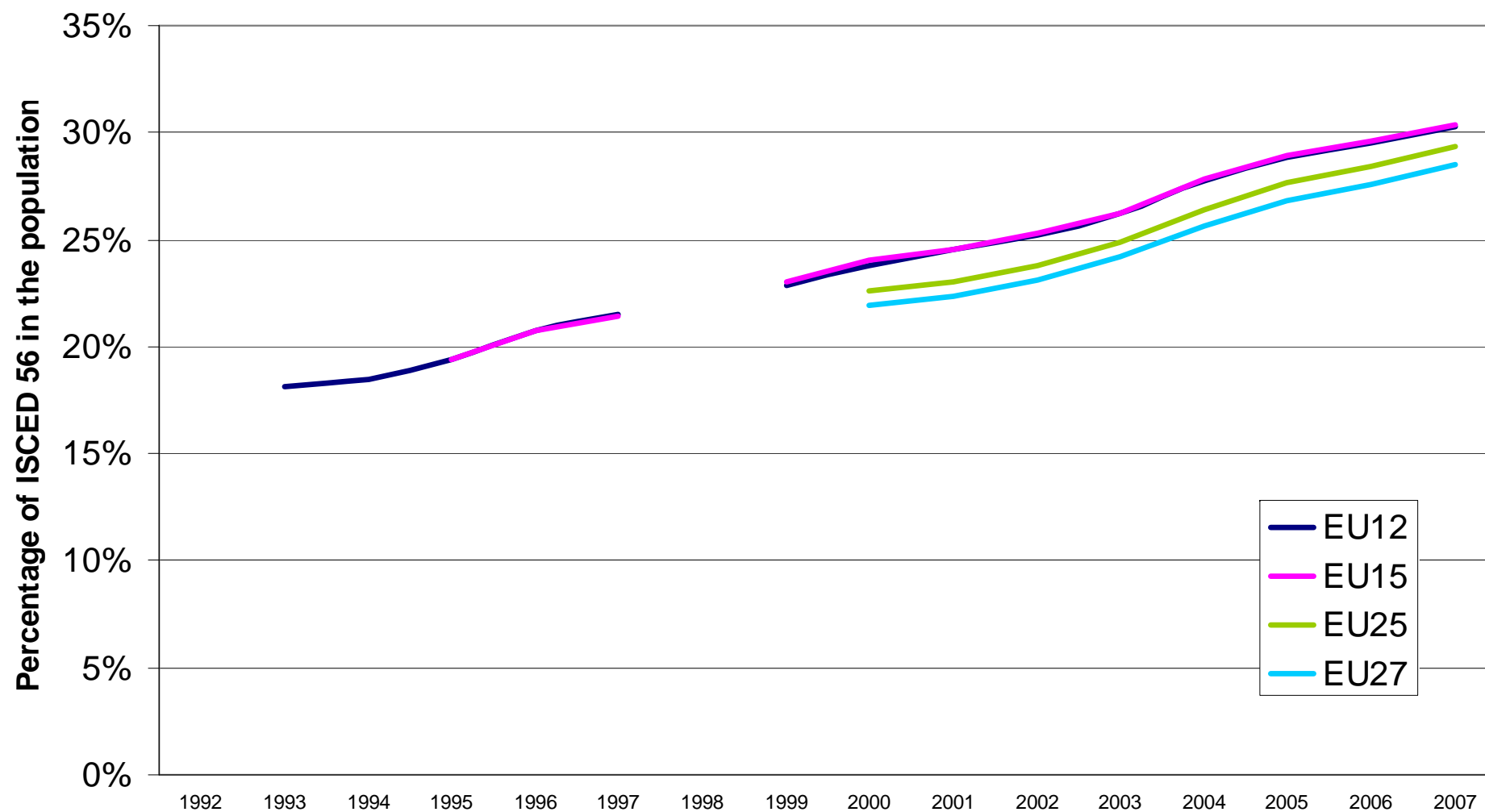


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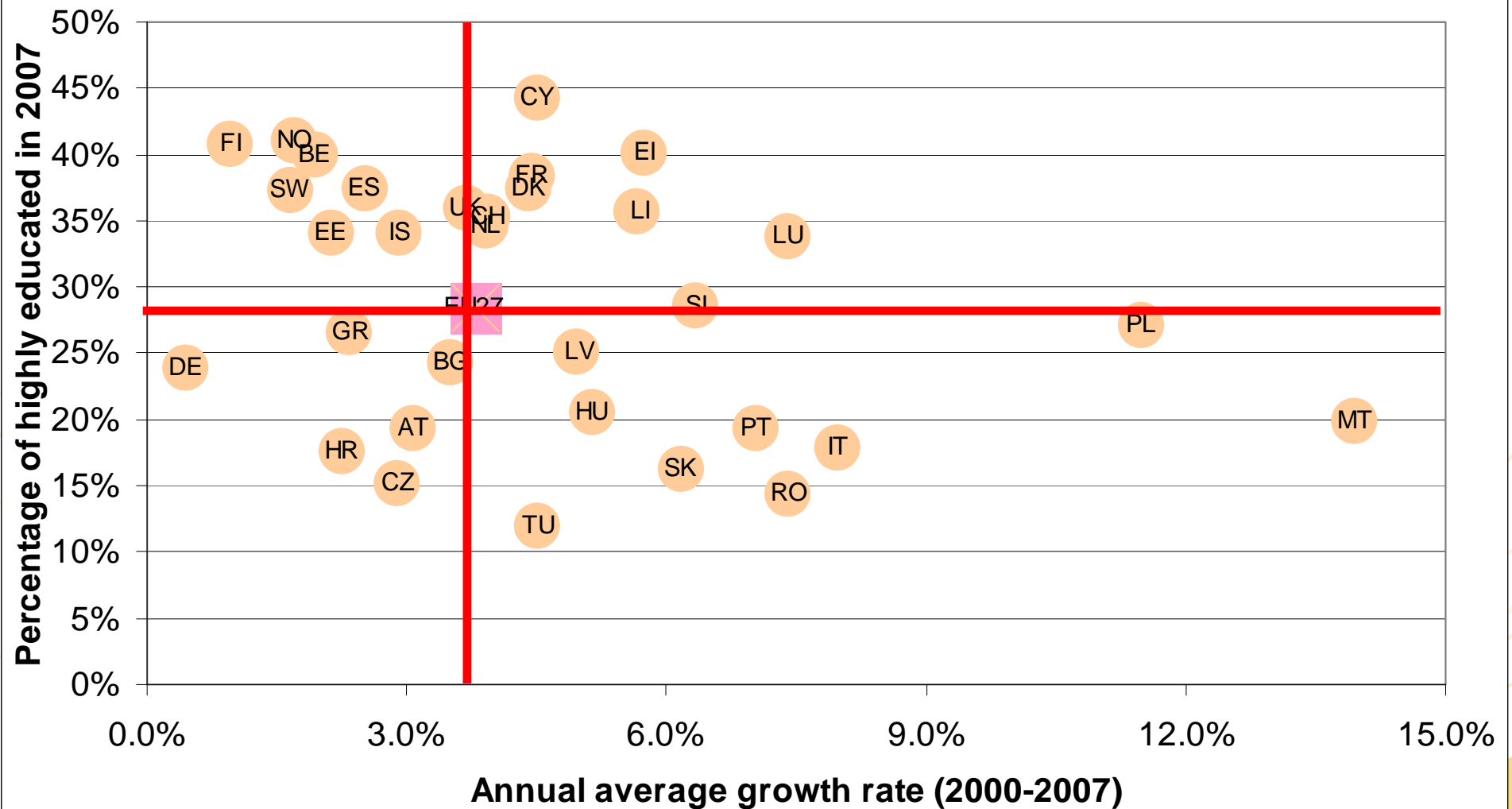
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## Highly educated, 25-39, EU



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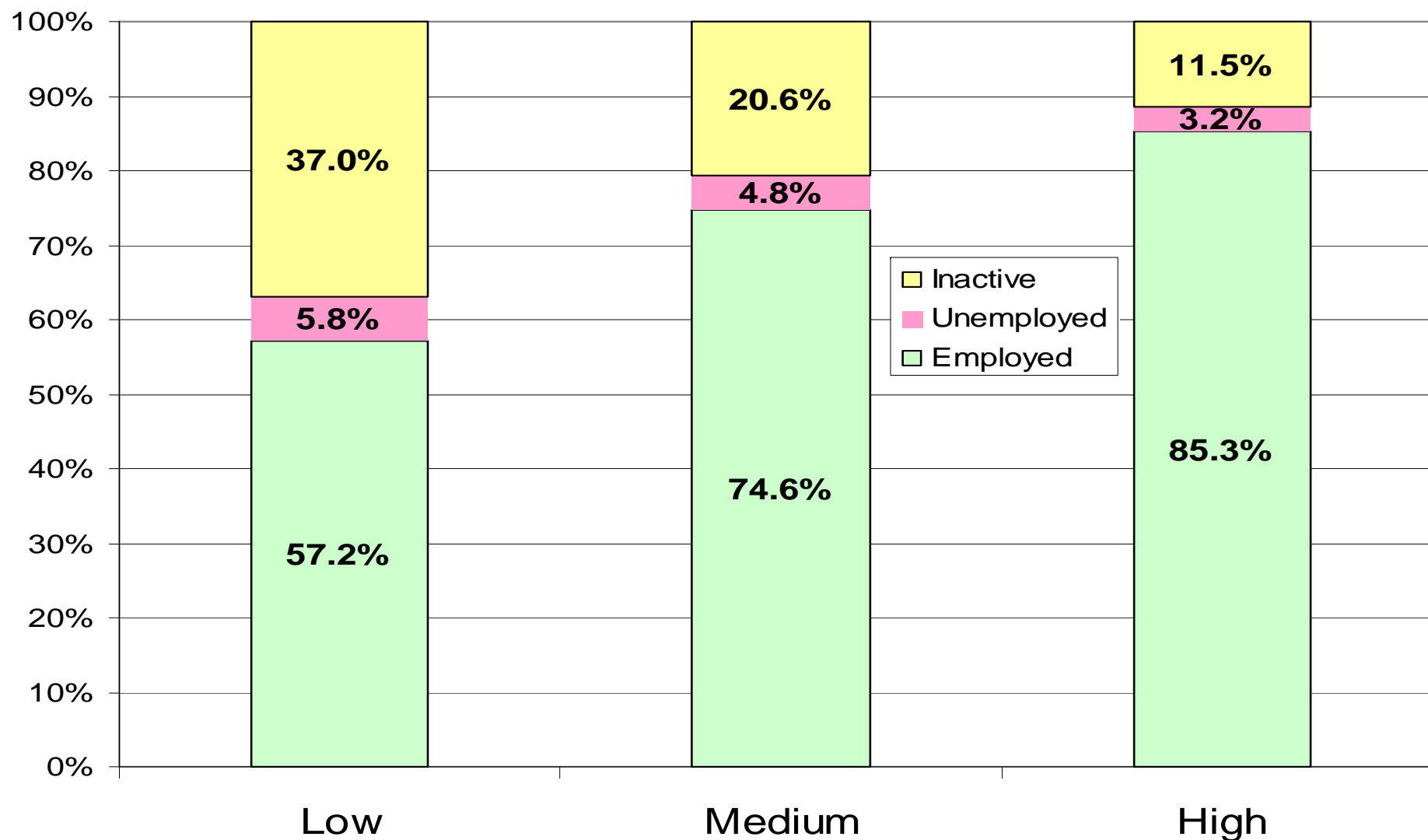
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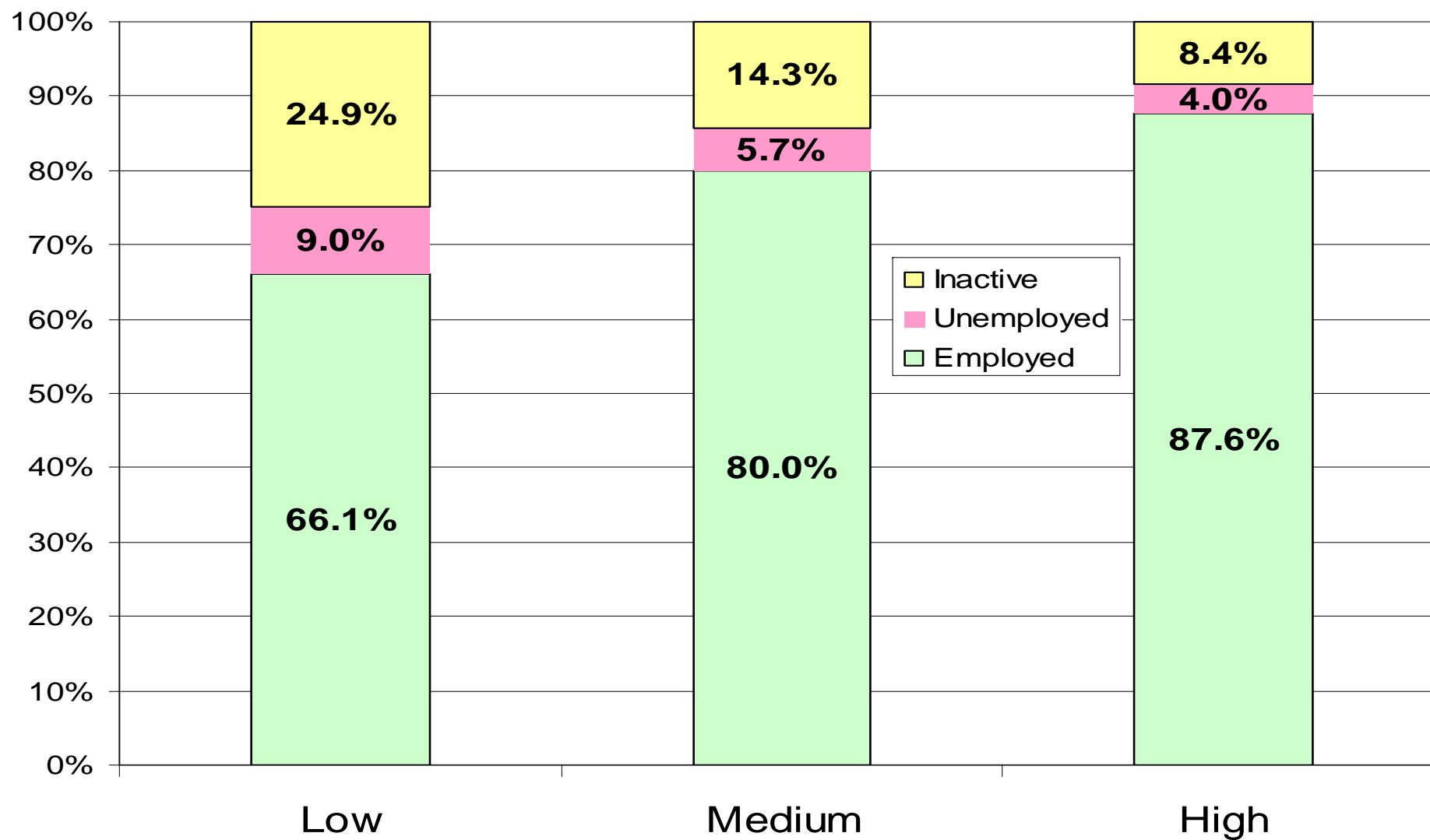


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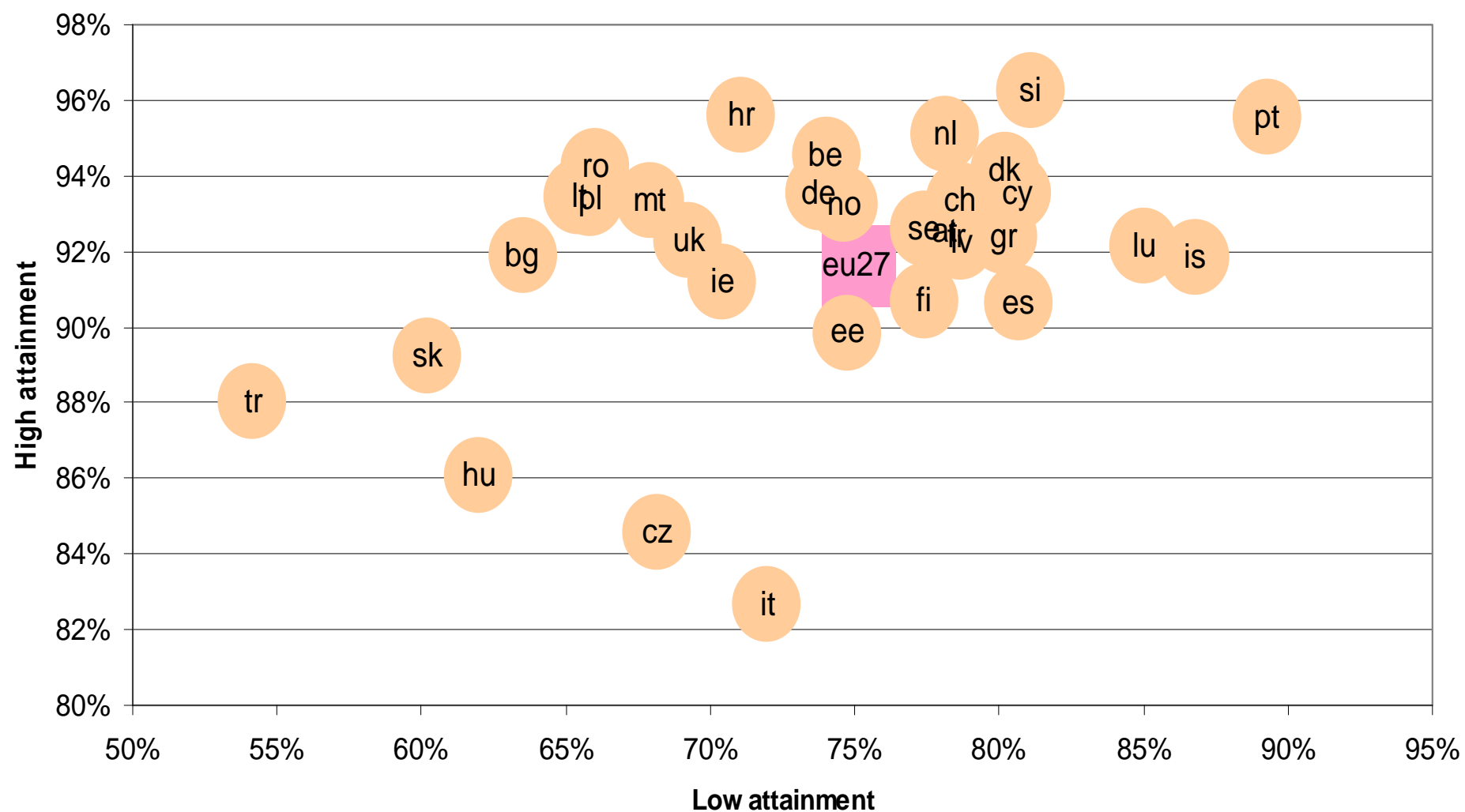




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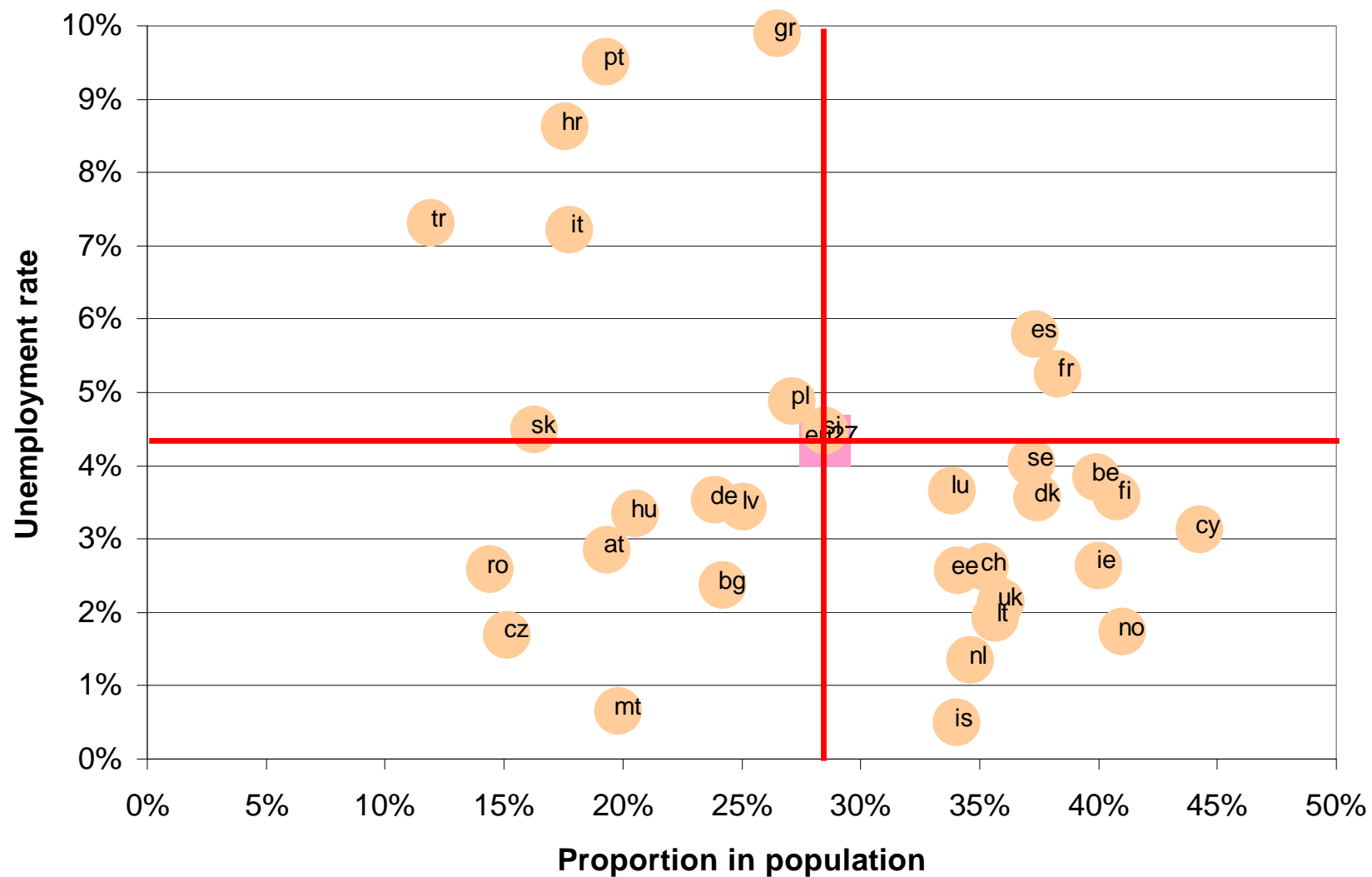


# Are highly educated more unemployed if they are numerous in the total population?

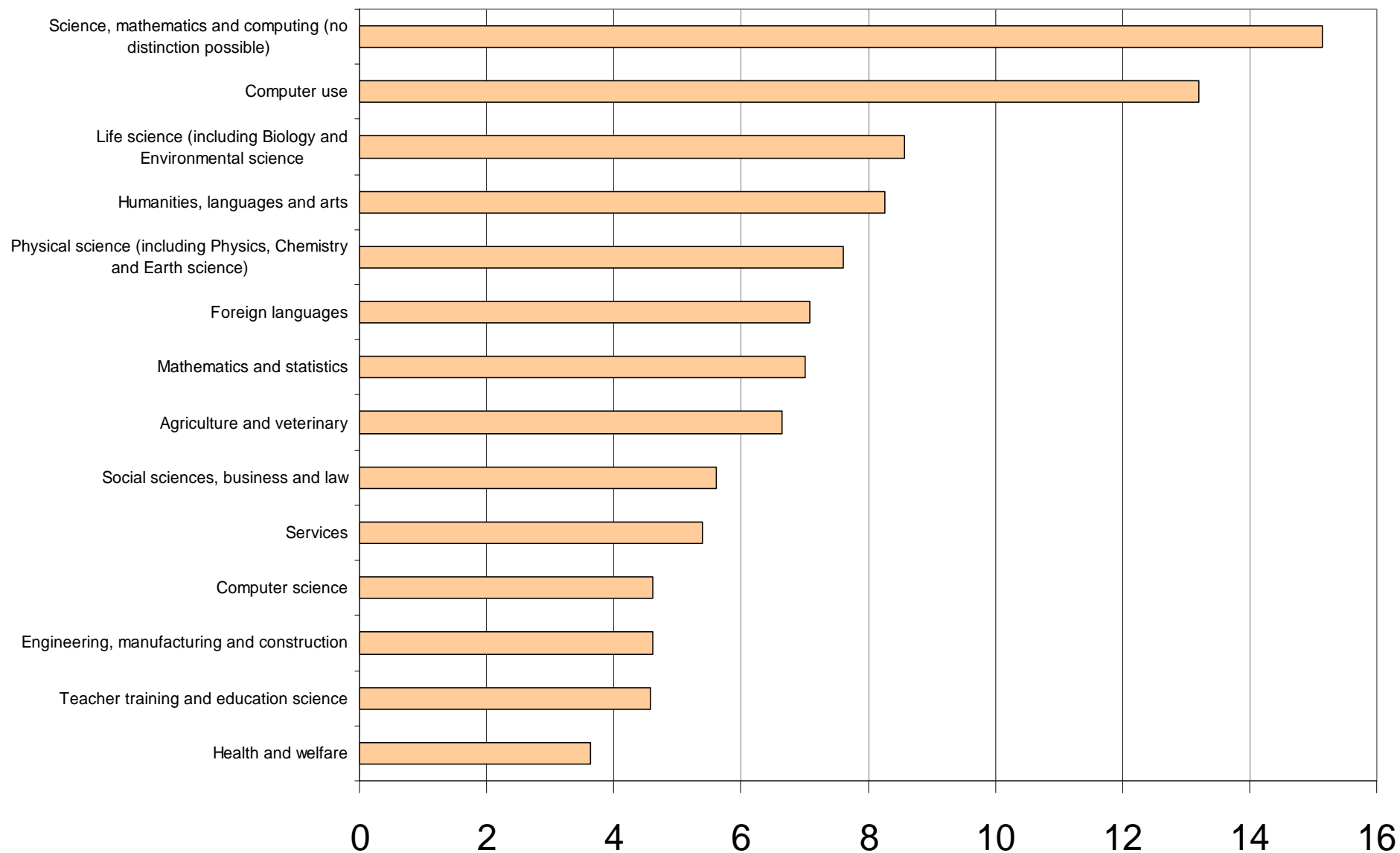


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## Highly educated, 25-39, 2007



## Unemployment rate of highly educated by field of education, 25-34, 2007, EU



# What are their jobs?

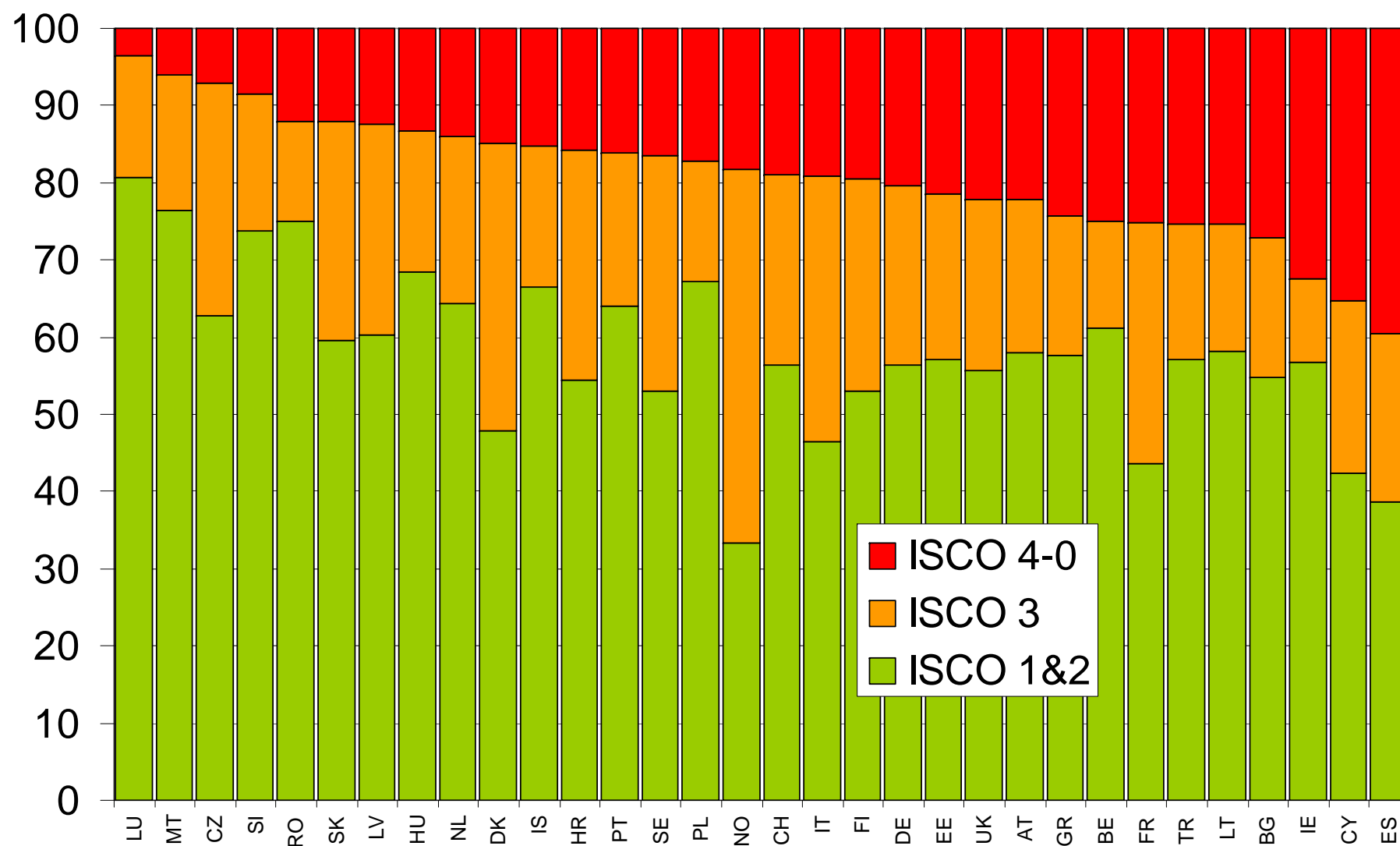


# International Standard Classification of Occupations - ISCO

## Major group

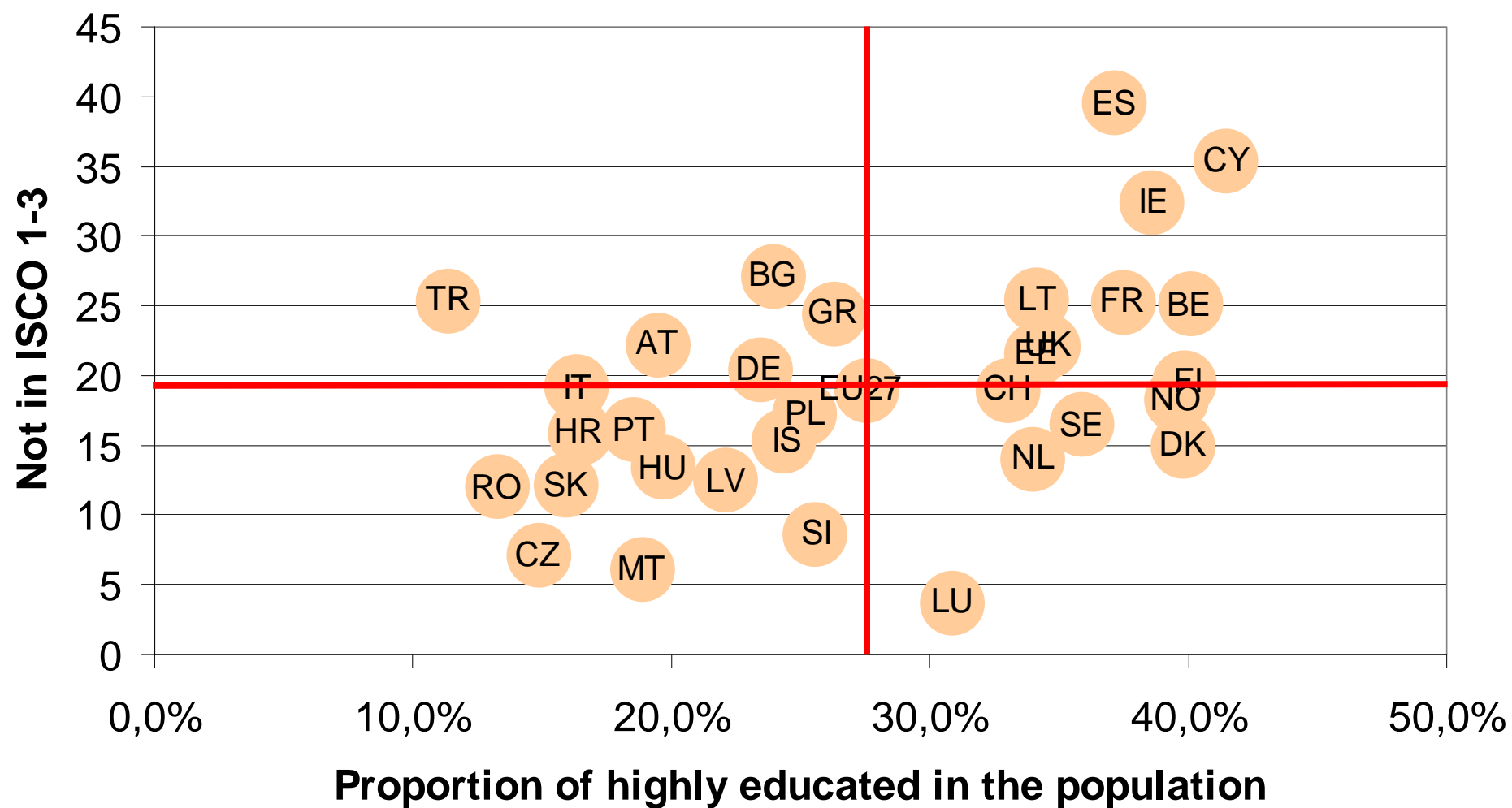
1	Legislators, senior officials and managers	High
2	Professionals	
3	Technicians and associate professionals	
4	Clerks	Medium
5	Service workers and shop and market sales workers	
6	Skill agricultural and fishery workers	
7	Craft and related workers	Low
8	Plant and machine operators and assemblers	
9	Elementary occupations	
0	Armed forces	

## Highly educated by occupation, 25-39, 2006





## Highly educated, 25-39, 2006



## Evolution of the statistics

- Better data to better distinguish Bachelors and Masters (and field of education)
  - ISCED review on going
- Systematic implementation of education attainment variable in all the household surveys: data on income, health, time use, budget,...
- Better data on universities
  - University register
  - Data on single universities
  - With time series
  - Some basic information on input, process and output
  - Feasibility study (spring 2010)
  - Funded by DG RTD, supported by DG EAC