

Employment and Vacancies Statistics for September 2007 (Friday, 21 December 2007)

Table title - Table 1 : Employment (other than those in the Civil Service) by selected major sector

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the manufacturing sector in September 2007 was 156000. It represented a decrease of 2.6% or 4200 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the manufacturing sector in September 2006 was 160200.

Number of manual workers (employment) for the construction sites in September 2007 was 49200. It represented a decrease of 7.7% or 4100 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of manual workers (employment) for the construction sites in September 2006 was 53300.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the wholesale trade in September 2007 was 66600. It represented an increase of 1.1% or 700 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the wholesale trade in September 2006 was 65900.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the retail trade in September 2007 was 233100. It represented an increase of 2.0% or 4500 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the retail trade in September 2006 was 228600.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the import and export trade in September 2007 was 519900. It represented an increase of 0.3% or 1700 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the import and export trade in September 2006 was 518200.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the restaurants in September 2007 was 206100. It represented an increase of 5.1% or 10000 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the restaurants in September 2006 was 196100.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the hotels and boarding houses in September 2007 was 31200. It represented an increase of 3.7% or 1100 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the hotels and boarding houses in September 2006 was 30100.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the transport and storage in September 2007 was 160000. It represented an increase of 2.5% or 3900 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the transport and storage in September 2006 was 156100.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the communications in September 2007 was 29800. It represented an increase of 1.1% or 300 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the communications in September 2006 was 29500.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the financing and insurance in September 2007 was 176500. It represented an increase of 8.0% or 13000 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the financing and insurance in September 2006 was 163500.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the real estate in September 2007 was 102600. It represented an increase of 5.2% or 5100 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the real estate in September 2006 was 97500.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the business services in September 2007 was 230100. It represented an increase of 4.8% or 10600 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the business services in September 2006 was 219500.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the sanitary and similar services in September 2007 was 58100. It represented a decrease of 2.1% or 1200 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the sanitary and similar services in September 2006 was 59300.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the education services and research institutes in September 2007 was 142700. It represented an increase of 2.5% or 3600 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the education services and research institutes in September 2006 was 139100.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the medical, health and related services in September 2007 was 84500. It represented an increase of 4.8% or 3900 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the medical, health and related services in September 2006 was 80600.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the welfare and community services in September 2007 was 62900. It represented an increase of 2.5% or 1500 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the welfare and community services in September 2006 was 61400.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the recreational and other personal services in September 2007 was 117200. It represented an increase of 2.1% or 2400 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for the recreational and other personal services in September 2006 was 114800.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for other industry sectors in September 2007 was 8000. It represented a decrease of 0.9% or 100 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for other industry sectors in September 2006 was 8100.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for all above industry sectors in September 2007 was 2434500. It represented an increase of 2.2% or 52700 persons when compared with September 2006.

Number of persons engaged (employment) for all above industry sectors in September 2006 was 2381800.

Notes:

1. Figures relate only to those industries covered in the Quarterly Survey of Employment and Vacancies and the Quarterly Employment Survey of Construction Sites.
2. All figures are not seasonally adjusted.
3. Other industry sectors include the mining and quarrying sector and the electricity and gas sector.
4. Individual figures may not add up to the total due to rounding.

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Table title - Table 2 : Vacancies (other than those in the Civil Service) by selected major sector

The number of vacancies for the manufacturing sector in September 2007 was 2130. It represented an increase of 12% or 220 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the manufacturing sector in September 2006 was 1910.

The number of vacancies for manual workers at the construction sites in September 2007 was 30. It represented an increase of 160% or 20 when compared with September 2006. Please refer to "Limitations of the Survey" in Part V of the Quarterly Report of Employment and Vacancies at Construction Sites, September 2007.

The number of vacancies for manual workers at the construction sites in September 2006 was 10.

The number of vacancies for the wholesale trade in September 2007 was 1350. It represented an increase of 78% or 590 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the wholesale trade in September 2006 was 760.

The number of vacancies for the retail trade in September 2007 was 5130. It represented an increase of 17% or 760 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the retail trade in September 2006 was 4370.

The number of vacancies for the import and export trade in September 2007 was 7460. It represented an increase of 7% or 450 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the import and export trade in September 2006 was 7010.

The number of vacancies for the restaurants in September 2007 was 5790. It represented an increase of 27% or 1240 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the restaurants in September 2006 was 4550.

The number of vacancies for the hotels and boarding houses in September 2007 was 820. It represented an increase of 71% or 340 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the hotels and boarding houses in September 2006 was 480.

The number of vacancies for the transport and storage in September 2007 was 2330. It represented an increase of 26% or 480 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the transport and storage in September 2006 was 1850.

The number of vacancies for the communications in September 2007 was 1010. It represented an increase of 52% or

340 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the communications in September 2006 was 670.

The number of vacancies for the financing and insurance in September 2007 was 5220. It represented an increase of 1% or 40 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the financing and insurance in September 2006 was 5180.

The number of vacancies for the real estate in September 2007 was 3200. It represented an increase of 8% or 220 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the real estate in September 2006 was 2980.

The number of vacancies for the business services in September 2007 was 6420. It represented an increase of 39% or 1800 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the business services in September 2006 was 4620.

The number of vacancies for the sanitary and similar services in September 2007 was 590. It represented an increase of 109% or 310 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the sanitary and similar services in September 2006 was 280.

The number of vacancies for the education services and research institutes in September 2007 was 2870. It represented an increase of 28% or 630 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the education services and research institutes in September 2006 was 2240.

The number of vacancies for the medical, health and related services in September 2007 was 1330. It represented an increase of 6% or 80 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the medical, health and related services in September 2006 was 1250.

The number of vacancies for the welfare and community services in September 2007 was 2230. It represented an increase of 34% or 560 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the welfare and community services in September 2006 was 1670.

The number of vacancies for the recreational and other personal services in September 2007 was 4410. It represented an increase of 16% or 610 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for the recreational and other personal services in September 2006 was 3800.

The number of vacancies for other industry sectors in September 2007 was less than 5. It represented a decrease of 85% or 20 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for other industry sectors in September 2006 was 20.

The number of vacancies for all above industry sectors in September 2007 was 52310. It represented an increase of 20% or 8690 when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for all above industry sectors in September 2006 was 43620.

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Table title - Table 3 : Vacancies (other than those in the Civil Service) by major occupation category

The number of vacancies for managers and administrators in September 2007 was 1240. It represented an increase of 28% when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for managers and administrators in September 2006 was 970.

The number of vacancies for professionals in September 2007 was 5050. It represented an increase of 43% when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for professionals in September 2006 was 3540.

The number of vacancies for associate professionals in September 2007 was 15500. It represented an increase of 13% when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for associate professionals in September 2006 was 13690.

The number of vacancies for clerks in September 2007 was 9540. It represented an increase of 28% when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for clerks in September 2006 was 7430.

The number of vacancies for service workers and shop sales workers in September 2007 was 12020. It represented an increase of 9% when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for service workers and shop sales workers in September 2006 was 11050.

The number of vacancies for craft and related workers in September 2007 was 950. It represented a decrease of 9% when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for craft and related workers in September 2006 was 1050.

The number of vacancies for plant and machine operators and assemblers in September 2007 was 800. It represented an increase of 11% when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for plant and machine operators and assemblers in September 2006 was 720.

The number of vacancies for elementary occupations in September 2007 was 7210. It represented an increase of 39% when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies for elementary occupations in September 2006 was 5190.

The number of vacancies in September 2007 was 52310. It represented an increase of 20% when compared with September 2006.

The number of vacancies in September 2006 was 43620.

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Table title - Table 4 : Quarterly changes of employment and vacancies (other than those in the Civil Service)

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of persons engaged (employment) in September 2007 was +0.1% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and +0.3% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of vacancies in September 2007 was +14.1% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and +8.2% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of persons engaged (employment) in June 2007 was +1.0% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and +0.7% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of vacancies in June 2007 was -7.0% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and -0.8% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of persons engaged (employment) in March 2007 was +0.1% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and +0.4% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of vacancies in March 2007 was +27.9% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and +4.2% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of persons engaged (employment) in December 2006 was +1.0% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and +0.8% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of vacancies in December 2006 was -11.6% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and +6.7% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of persons engaged (employment) in September 2006 was +0.5% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and +0.6% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Quarter-to-quarter percentage change of vacancies in September 2006 was +5.1% based on the original series (i.e. not seasonally adjusted), and +0.7% based on the seasonally adjusted series.

Notes:

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2. The seasonally adjusted data series is subject to routine revision when more up-to-date figures become available.

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