

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

<u>Selected major industry</u>	<u>September 2009</u>	<u>September 2010</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	124 700	117 700	-7 000	-5.6
Construction sites (manual workers only)	48 000	56 500	+8 500	+17.8
Import and export trade	495 000	499 300	+4 300	+0.9
Wholesale	63 300	64 400	+1 100	+1.7
Retail	236 800	242 700	+5 900	+2.5
Food and beverage services	208 800	215 100	+6 300	+3.0
Accommodation services	31 400	31 900	+500	+1.8
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	157 700	160 000	+2 300	+1.4
Information and communications	87 900	88 400	+500	+0.6
Financing and insurance	182 200	193 100	+10 900	+6.0
Real estate	107 100	110 200	+3 100	+2.9
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	233 800	238 600	+4 800	+2.0
Cleaning and similar services	60 600	70 300	+9 700	+16.1
Education	161 700	165 200	+3 500	+2.1
Human health services	90 400	92 800	+2 400	+2.7
Residential care and social work services	55 800	56 700	+900	+1.5
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	109 100	114 500	+5 400	+4.9
Others ^	10 500	11 300	+800	+7.4
All above industries ^^	2 464 900	2 528 700	+63 800	+2.6

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- (2) All figures are not seasonally adjusted.
- (3) Percentage change figures are derived from unrounded figures.
- (4) All the employment/vacancies statistics are compiled based on the Hong Kong Standard Industrial Classification (HSIC) Version 2.0.

^ "Others" include the industries of mining and quarrying, and electricity, gas and waste management.

^^ Individual figures may not add up to total due to rounding.

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

<u>Selected major industry</u>	<u>September 2009</u>	<u>September 2010</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	1 220	1 590	+370	+31
Construction sites (manual workers only) #	20	70	+50	+300
Import and export trade	3 460	6 030	+2 570	+74
Wholesale	1 040	980	-60	-6
Retail	4 220	5 560	+1 340	+32
Food and beverage services	6 530	6 690	+160	+3
Accommodation services	550	590	+40	+7
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	1 140	2 150	+1 010	+88
Information and communications	1 350	2 600	+1 250	+92
Financing and insurance	3 820	5 220	+1 400	+37
Real estate	2 310	2 970	+660	+29
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	4 220	3 820	-400	-10
Cleaning and similar services	770	920	+150	+20
Education	2 340	2 530	+190	+8
Human health services	1 410	1 910	+500	+35
Residential care and social work services	1 190	1 820	+630	+52
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	3 170	5 560	+2 390	+76
Others ^	30	70	+40	+125
All above industries ^^	38 780	51 090	+12 310	+32

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Please refer to "Limitations of the Survey" in Part V of the Quarterly Report of Employment and Vacancies at Construction Sites, September 2010.

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

<u>Major occupation category</u>	<u>September 2009</u>	<u>September 2010</u>	<u>Year-on-year percentage change (%)</u>
Managers and administrators	980	1 080	+10
Professionals	3 110	4 150	+33
Associate professionals	10 320	12 880	+25
Clerks	4 480	8 180	+82
Service workers and shop sales workers	12 530	13 160	+5
Craft and related workers	910	1 490	+63
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	430	1 370	+222
Elementary occupations	6 020	8 770	+46
Total ^^	38 780	51 090	+32

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Table 4: Changes of employment and vacancies over three-month period (other than those in the Civil Service)

<u>Month/Year</u>	<u>Percentage change in employment over three-month period (%)</u>		<u>Percentage change in vacancies over three-month period (%)</u>	
	<u>Not seasonally adjusted</u>	<u>Seasonally adjusted</u>	<u>Not seasonally adjusted</u>	<u>Seasonally adjusted</u>
September 2009	+0.9	+0.8	+23.0	+13.8
December 2009	+1.6	+1.3	-10.9	+7.5
March 2010	+0.2	+0.6	+33.0	+13.0
June 2010	+0.3	+0.3	-1.6	+3.7
September 2010	+0.5	+0.4	+13.0	+4.4

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