

Table 1: Employment (other than those in the civil service) by selected major industry

<u>Selected major industry</u>	<u>September 2015</u>	<u>September 2016</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	99 600	95 300	-4 300	-4.4
Construction sites (manual workers only)	93 700	107 800	+14 100	+15.0
Import and export trade	484 000	481 300	-2 700	-0.6
Wholesale	61 500	60 700	-800	-1.3
Retail	268 900	266 500	-2 400	-0.9
Food and beverage services	242 800	243 000	+200	+0.1
Accommodation services @	39 500	39 100	-400	-1.2
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	178 200	178 200	+\$	+β
Information and communications	105 500	105 700	+200	+0.2
Financing and insurance	219 800	220 800	+1 000	+0.5
Real estate	129 700	129 700	-\$	-β
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	281 800	288 800	+7 000	+2.5
Cleaning and similar services	81 300	81 300	+\$	+0.1
Education	192 500	196 000	+3 500	+1.8
Human health services	116 800	121 800	+5 000	+4.3
Residential care and social work services	60 500	62 400	+1 900	+3.2
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	127 600	125 000	-2 600	-2.1
Others ^	11 000	11 200	+200	+1.4
All above industries	2 794 600	2 814 500	+19 900	+0.7

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Figures are rounded to the nearest hundred and may not add up to total due to rounding. Percentage change figures are derived from unrounded figures.

@ Accommodation services sector covers hotels, guesthouses, boarding houses and other establishments providing short term accommodation.

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

§ Less than 50.

β Less than 0.05%.

Table 2: Vacancies (other than those in the civil service) by selected major industry

<u>Selected major industry</u>	<u>September 2015</u>	<u>September 2016</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	2 700	2 100	-600	-22
Construction sites (manual workers only) #	710	590	-120	-17
Import and export trade	6 480	5 750	-730	-11
Wholesale	1 120	1 280	+160	+14
Retail	8 350	8 280	-70	-1
Food and beverage services	12 890	11 680	-1 210	-9
Accommodation services @	1 710	1 540	-170	-10
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	3 440	3 210	-230	-7
Information and communications	2 620	2 830	+210	+8
Financing and insurance	4 930	5 420	+490	+10
Real estate	4 620	4 050	-570	-12
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	7 030	6 480	-550	-8
Cleaning and similar services	2 010	1 720	-290	-14
Education	3 850	3 710	-140	-4
Human health services	2 950	2 270	-680	-23
Residential care and social work services	3 000	3 070	+70	+2
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	5 970	5 160	-810	-13
Others ^	290	200	-90	-31
All above industries	74 670	69 340	-5 330	-7

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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 2016.

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Table 3: Vacancies (other than those in the civil service) by major occupation category

<u>Major occupation category</u>	<u>September 2015</u>	<u>September 2016</u>	<u>Year-on-year percentage change (%)</u>
Managers and administrators	2 170	3 110	+43
Professionals	4 000	4 670	+17
Associate professionals	15 160	12 580	-17
Clerical support workers	8 850	7 960	-10
Service and sales workers	25 040	23 620	-6
Craft and related workers	3 340	3 030	-9
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	1 710	1 810	+6
Elementary occupations	14 400	12 570	-13
Total	74 670	69 340	-7

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Table 4: Changes of employment and vacancies over 3-month period (other than those in the civil service)

<u>Month/Year</u>	Percentage change in employment over 3-month period (%)		Percentage change in vacancies over 3-month period (%)	
	Not seasonally <u>adjusted</u>	Seasonally <u>adjusted</u>	Not seasonally <u>adjusted</u>	Seasonally <u>adjusted</u>
September 2015	+0.1	+0.3	-4.7	-1.9
December 2015	+0.5	+0.1	-4.6	+0.5
March 2016	-β	+0.1	-1.3	-8.4
June 2016	+β	+0.2	-3.0	-3.8
September 2016	+0.2	+0.3	+1.7	+4.9

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

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