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

				Year-on-year change in	
Selected major industry	March 2018	March 2019	<u>No.</u>	Percentage (%)	
Manufacturing	90 900	88 500	-2 400	-2.6	
Construction sites (manual workers only)	120 700	107 400	-13 300	-11.0	
Import and export trade	478 000	460 100	-17 900	-3.7	
Wholesale	60 400	59 100	-1 300	-2.1	
Retail	271 000	272 600	+1 600	+0.6	
Food and beverage services	246 600	251 800	+5 200	+2.1	
Accommodation services @	39 600	42 200	+2 600	+6.6	
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	179 200	180 700	+1 500	+0.8	
Information and communications	106 900	110 600	+3 700	+3.4	
Financing and insurance	228 900	236 100	+7 200	+3.2	
Real estate	132 500	135 500	+3 000	+2.3	
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	300 200	307 100	+6 900	+2.3	
Cleaning and similar services	81 300	80 300	-1 000	-1.1	
Education	203 000	206 200	+3 200	+1.6	
Human health services	128 400	134 000	+5 600	+4.3	
Residential care and social work services	63 600	64 200	+600	+0.9	
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	125 000	126 500	+1 500	+1.2	
Others ^	11 200	11 300	+100	+0.5	
All above industries	2 867 400	2 874 300	+6 900	+0.2	

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- @ The industry of accommodation services 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.

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

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Selected major industry	March 2018	March 2019	No.	Percentage (%)
Manufacturing	2 610	2 490	-120	-5
Construction sites (manual workers only) #	850	870	+20	+2
Import and export trade	6 290	5 570	-720	-11
Wholesale	1 310	1 230	-80	-6
Retail	8 110	8 350	+240	+3
Food and beverage services	12 030	12 280	+250	+2
Accommodation services @	2 350	2 420	+70	+3
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	4 040	4 780	+740	+18
Information and communications	3 120	2 950	-170	-5
Financing and insurance	6 090	6 470	+380	+6
Real estate	4 200	4 010	-190	-5
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	7 670	8 160	+490	+6
Cleaning and similar services	1 870	1 940	+70	+4
Education	4 090	4 800	+710	+17
Human health services	3 300	3 410	+110	+3
Residential care and social work services	3 640	4 270	+630	+17
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	5 120	5 380	+260	+5
Others ^	200	220	+20	+9
All above industries	76 880	79 580	+2 700	+4

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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, March 2019.
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Table 3: Vacancies (other than those in the civil service) by major occupation category

Major occupation category	March 2018	March 2019	Year-on-year percentage change (%)
Managers and administrators	3 730	3 750	+1
Professionals	7 050	7 030	-β
Associate professionals	14 670	15 180	+3
Clerical support workers	9 190	9 490	+3
Service and sales workers	23 740	24 530	+3
Craft and related workers	2 770	2 450	-12
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	1 860	2 220	+20
Elementary occupations	13 870	14 930	+8
Total	76 880	79 580	+4

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β Less than 0.5%.

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

	in emplo	Percentage change in employment over 3-month period (%)		Percentage change in vacancies over 3-month period (%)		
Month/Year	Not seasonally <u>adjusted</u>	Seasonally <u>adjusted</u>	Not seasonally <u>adjusted</u>	Seasonally <u>adjusted</u>		
March 2018	+0.3	+0.4	+3.8	+0.9		
June 2018	+0.1	+0.3	+3.0	+3.2		
September 2018	+β	+β	-1.1	+0.1		
December 2018	+0.3	-β	-0.2	+1.2		
March 2019	-0.2	-0.1	+1.8	-0.8		

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

β Less than 0.05%.