

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

<u>Selected major industry</u>	<u>September 2014</u>	<u>September 2015</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	102 600	99 600	-3 000	-3.0
Construction sites (manual workers only)	86 500	93 700	+7 200	+8.3
Import and export trade	491 900	484 000	-7 900	-1.6
Wholesale	62 500	61 500	-1 000	-1.7
Retail	269 800	268 900	-900	-0.3
Food and beverage services	243 100	242 800	-300	-0.1
Accommodation services @	39 800	39 500	-300	-0.8
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	175 400	178 200	+2 800	+1.6
Information and communications	104 800	105 500	+700	+0.7
Financing and insurance	214 700	219 800	+5 100	+2.4
Real estate	126 800	129 700	+2 900	+2.3
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	274 000	281 800	+7 800	+2.8
Cleaning and similar services	79 100	81 300	+2 200	+2.8
Education	184 900	192 500	+7 600	+4.1
Human health services	111 500	116 800	+5 300	+4.7
Residential care and social work services	59 000	60 500	+1 500	+2.6
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	127 100	127 600	+500	+0.4
Others ^	11 100	11 000	-100	-0.4
All above industries	2 764 700	2 794 600	+29 900	+1.1

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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.

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

<u>Selected major industry</u>	<u>September 2014</u>	<u>September 2015</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	2 880	2 700	-180	-6
Construction sites (manual workers only) #	1 530	710	-820	-54
Import and export trade	7 200	6 480	-720	-10
Wholesale	1 240	1 120	-120	-10
Retail	9 240	8 350	-890	-10
Food and beverage services	14 050	12 890	-1 160	-8
Accommodation services @	1 490	1 710	+220	+14
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	3 380	3 440	+60	+2
Information and communications	2 360	2 620	+260	+11
Financing and insurance	4 880	4 930	+50	+1
Real estate	4 390	4 620	+230	+5
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	6 840	7 030	+190	+3
Cleaning and similar services	1 710	2 010	+300	+18
Education	3 370	3 850	+480	+14
Human health services	2 700	2 950	+250	+9
Residential care and social work services	2 800	3 000	+200	+7
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	5 070	5 970	+900	+18
Others ^	230	290	+60	+25
All above industries	75 360	74 670	-690	-1

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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 2015.

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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 2014</u>	<u>September 2015</u>	<u>Year-on-year percentage change (%)</u>
Managers and administrators	1 450	2 170	+50
Professionals	3 800	4 000	+5
Associate professionals	15 590	15 160	-3
Clerical support workers	8 230	8 850	+8
Service and sales workers	25 990	25 040	-4
Craft and related workers	3 960	3 340	-16
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	1 810	1 710	-6
Elementary occupations	14 530	14 400	-1
Total	75 360	74 670	-1

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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>	<u>Percentage change in employment over 3-month period (%)</u>		<u>Percentage change in vacancies over 3-month period (%)</u>	
	<u>Not seasonally adjusted</u>	<u>Seasonally adjusted</u>	<u>Not seasonally adjusted</u>	<u>Seasonally adjusted</u>
September 2014	+0.4	+0.5	-5.5	-1.8
December 2014	+0.9	+0.6	-2.4	+5.2
March 2015	+0.2	+0.2	+6.2	-6.1
June 2015	-0.1	-β	+0.4	+1.2
September 2015	+0.1	+0.3	-4.7	-0.7

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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%.