

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

<u>Selected major industry</u>	<u>September 2018</u>	<u>September 2019</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	89 400	86 300	-3 100	-3.5
Construction sites (manual workers only)	107 600	96 900	-10 700	-10.0
Import and export trade	476 000	444 600	-31 400	-6.6
Wholesale	59 900	56 800	-3 100	-5.2
Retail	273 100	267 000	-6 100	-2.2
Food and beverage services	251 600	239 200	-12 400	-4.9
Accommodation services @	41 500	41 500	+\$	+β
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	180 000	180 400	+400	+0.2
Information and communications	109 100	110 400	+1 300	+1.2
Financing and insurance	231 200	237 400	+6 200	+2.7
Real estate	133 900	135 200	+1 300	+0.9
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	303 100	307 300	+4 200	+1.4
Cleaning and similar services	80 900	81 000	+100	+0.2
Education	202 200	206 100	+3 900	+1.9
Human health services	129 800	136 100	+6 300	+4.8
Residential care and social work services	63 900	65 600	+1 700	+2.7
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	127 000	128 700	+1 700	+1.4
Others ^	11 400	11 500	+100	+1.0
All above industries	2 871 700	2 832 300	-39 400	-1.4

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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.

§ 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 2018</u>	<u>September 2019</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	2 900	1 910	-990	-34
Construction sites (manual workers only) #	520	580	+60	+12
Import and export trade	6 230	5 240	-990	-16
Wholesale	1 330	920	-410	-31
Retail	8 010	5 970	-2 040	-26
Food and beverage services	12 060	5 160	-6 900	-57
Accommodation services @	2 200	1 090	-1 110	-50
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	4 480	3 800	-680	-15
Information and communications	2 790	2 860	+70	+3
Financing and insurance	6 030	6 140	+110	+2
Real estate	4 300	3 560	-740	-17
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	8 120	7 080	-1 040	-13
Cleaning and similar services	2 090	1 790	-300	-15
Education	4 830	5 140	+310	+6
Human health services	2 910	2 960	+50	+2
Residential care and social work services	3 900	4 270	+370	+10
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	5 410	4 340	-1 070	-20
Others ^	230	230	-§	-2
All above industries	78 340	63 030	-15 310	-20

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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 2019.

@ 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.

§ Less than 5.

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

<u>Major occupation category</u>	<u>September 2018</u>	<u>September 2019</u>	<u>Year-on-year percentage change (%)</u>
Managers and administrators	3 890	3 890	+β
Professionals	6 520	6 230	-5
Associate professionals	15 350	13 940	-9
Clerical support workers	9 390	8 230	-12
Service and sales workers	22 980	14 880	-35
Craft and related workers	2 280	2 170	-5
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	2 420	1 530	-37
Elementary occupations	15 520	12 180	-21
Total	78 340	63 030	-20

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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 2018	+β	+0.1	-1.1	+0.8
December 2018	+0.3	+β	-0.2	+0.4
March 2019	-0.2	-0.2	+1.8	-1.3
June 2019	-0.4	-0.2	-7.7	-7.0
September 2019	-1.1	-0.9	-14.2	-12.6

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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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