

**Table 1 : Summary Statistics**

	2020 Q2*	2021 Q1	2021 Q2
<b>The labour force</b>			
Labour force ('000)	3 881.1 [3 551.1]	3 873.9 [3 552.1]	<b>3 853.1</b> <b>[3 532.3]</b>
Male	1 926.9 [1 925.0]	1 927.9 [1 925.4]	<b>1 908.0</b> <b>[1 905.5]</b>
Female	1 954.1 [1 626.1]	1 946.0 [1 626.7]	<b>1 945.1</b> <b>[1 626.9]</b>
Labour force participation rate (%)	59.4 [57.3]	59.6 [57.5]	<b>59.5</b> <b>[57.4]</b>
Male	65.8 [65.7]	66.2 [66.2]	<b>65.8</b> <b>[65.7]</b>
Female	54.3 [49.7]	54.3 [49.8]	<b>54.5</b> <b>[50.0]</b>
<b>Unemployment</b>			
Unemployed persons ('000)	242.5	259.8	<b>213.1</b>
Male	140.9	151.3	<b>127.0</b>
Female	101.6	108.4	<b>86.1</b>
Unemployment rate (%)			
- Seasonally adjusted	6.2	6.8	<b>5.5</b>
- Not seasonally adjusted	6.2	6.7	<b>5.5</b>
Male	7.3	7.9	<b>6.7</b>
Female	5.2	5.6	<b>4.4</b>
<b>Employment</b>			
Employed persons ('000)	3 638.6 [3 308.6]	3 614.1 [3 292.3]	<b>3 640.1</b> <b>[3 319.3]</b>
Male	1 786.1 [1 784.1]	1 776.6 [1 774.0]	<b>1 781.1</b> <b>[1 778.5]</b>
Female	1 852.5 [1 524.5]	1 837.5 [1 518.3]	<b>1 859.0</b> <b>[1 540.8]</b>
Median hours of work during the 7 days before enumeration	43 [40]	44 [40]	<b>44</b> <b>[42]</b>
Male	44 [44]	44 [44]	<b>44</b> <b>[44]</b>
Female	42 [40]	43 [40]	<b>44</b> <b>[40]</b>
Median monthly employment earnings (HK\$)	17,400 [19,000]	18,000 [20,000]	<b>18,000</b> <b>[19,600]</b>
Male	20,000 [20,000]	20,000 [20,000]	<b>20,000</b> <b>[20,000]</b>
Female	14,800 [17,000]	15,000 [17,500]	<b>15,000</b> <b>[17,000]</b>

**Table 1 : Summary Statistics (Cont'd)**

	2020 Q2*	2021 Q1	2021 Q2
<b>Underemployment</b>			
Underemployed persons ('000)	144.2	148.4	<b>96.0</b>
Male	80.5	82.7	<b>55.4</b>
Female	63.7	65.8	<b>40.6</b>
Underemployment rate (%)	3.7	3.8	<b>2.5</b>
Male	4.2	4.3	<b>2.9</b>
Female	3.3	3.4	<b>2.1</b>
<b>Domestic households</b>			
Number of domestic households ('000)	2 658.1	2 695.9	<b>2 687.1</b>
Average household size	2.8 [2.6]	2.7 [2.6]	<b>2.7</b> <b>[2.6]</b>
Median monthly household income (HK\$)	25,800 [25,500] (33,700)	26,000 [25,800] (33,900)	<b>26,500</b> <b>[26,200]</b> <b>(34,400)</b>

Notes : \* Revised figures.

Figures in square brackets are the corresponding figures with foreign domestic helpers excluded.

Figures in round brackets are the corresponding figures of economically active households.