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

			Year-on-year change in	
Selected major industry	March 2022	March 2023	<u>No.</u>	Percentage (%)
Manufacturing	75 800	74 900	-900	-1.2
Construction sites (manual workers only)	98 300	108 400	+10 100	+10.3
Import and export trade	385 600	378 100	-7 500	-1.9
Wholesale	52 700	52 000	-700	-1.4
Retail	245 200	248 500	+3 300	+1.4
Food and beverage services	204 700	223 900	+19 200	+9.4
Accommodation services @	35 400	35 600	+200	+0.6
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	164 400	161 900	-2 500	-1.5
Information and communications	107 200	107 400	+200	+0.2
Financing and insurance	236 000	233 000	-3 000	-1.3
Real estate	143 700	141 800	-1 900	-1.3
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	302 600	306 100	+3 500	+1.1
Cleaning and similar services	84 300	82 600	-1 700	-2.0
Education	205 200	212 900	+7 700	+3.8
Human health services	148 600	152 200	+3 600	+2.4
Residential care and social work services	67 300	68 900	+1 600	+2.4
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	111 900	119 800	+7 900	+7.1
Others ^	11 700	11 800	+100	+0.9
All above industries	2 680 500	2 719 800	+39 300	+1.5

Notes:

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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

				Year-on-year change in	
Selected major industry	March 2022	March 2023	<u>No.</u>	Percentage (%)	
Manufacturing	1 400	2 380	+980	+69	
Construction sites (manual workers only) #	270	640	+370	+139	
Import and export trade	2 600	3 560	+960	+37	
Wholesale	320	690	+370	+120	
Retail	3 710	6 410	+2 700	+73	
Food and beverage services	2 410	5 810	+3 400	+141	
Accommodation services @	1 410	2 830	+1 420	+101	
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	3 550	7 440	+3 890	+110	
Information and communications	2 790	3 020	+230	+8	
Financing and insurance	5 510	6 200	+690	+13	
Real estate	3 860	4 640	+780	+20	
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	6 010	6 800	+790	+13	
Cleaning and similar services	1 210	1 780	+570	+48	
Education	5 980	7 990	+2 010	+34	
Human health services	5 050	6 610	+1 560	+31	
Residential care and social work services	4 650	5 260	+610	+13	
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	2 740	5 450	+2 710	+99	
Others ^	240	270	+30	+12	
All above industries	53 700	77 750	+24 050	+45	

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- # Please refer to "Limitations of the Survey" in Part III of the Explanatory Notes (Complete Version) of the Quarterly Report of Employment and Vacancies at Construction Sites, March 2023.
- @ The industry of accommodation services covers hotels, guesthouses, boarding houses and other establishments providing short term accommodation.
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Table 3: Vacancies (other than those in the civil service) by major occupation category

Major occupation category	March 2022	March 2023	Year-on-year percentage change (%)
Managers	3 390	3 450	+2
Professionals	10 190	13 320	+31
Associate professionals	10 210	12 590	+23
Clerical support workers	5 450	7 820	+44
Service and sales workers	14 880	29 500	+98
Craft and related workers	2 120	2 540	+20
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	1 430	1 500	+4
Skilled agricultural and fishery workers	160	170	+8
Elementary occupations	5 860	6 870	+17
Total	53 700	77 750	+45

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

	Percentage change in employment over 3-month period (%)		in vaca	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 2022	-1.6	-1.2	-11.9	-10.8	
June 2022	-0.3	-0.2	+16.4	+14.2	
September 2022	+0.5	+0.3	+19.7	+12.9	
December 2022	+0.6	+0.4	-2.3	+4.5	
March 2023	+0.7	+1.0	+6.3	+7.6	

Notes:

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