

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

<u>Selected major industry</u>	<u>March 2023</u>	<u>March 2024</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	74 900	75 900	+1 000	+1.4
Construction sites (manual workers only)	108 400	123 600	+15 200	+14.1
Import and export trade	378 100	359 600	-18 500	-4.9
Wholesale	52 000	48 700	-3 300	-6.4
Retail	248 500	241 900	-6 600	-2.7
Food and beverage services	223 900	225 200	+1 300	+0.6
Accommodation services	35 600	36 300	+700	+2.1
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	161 900	163 800	+1 900	+1.2
Information and communications	107 400	109 700	+2 300	+2.1
Financing and insurance	233 000	229 400	-3 600	-1.5
Real estate	141 800	139 300	-2 500	-1.8
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	306 100	313 000	+6 900	+2.2
Cleaning and similar services	82 600	80 700	-1 900	-2.3
Education	212 900	217 800	+4 900	+2.3
Human health services	152 200	155 900	+3 700	+2.4
Residential care and social work services	68 900	72 000	+3 100	+4.5
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	119 800	124 200	+4 400	+3.6
Others ^	11 800	11 900	+100	+1.0
All above industries	2 719 800	2 728 900	+9 100	+0.3

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Figures are rounded to the nearest hundred. Percentage changes are derived from unrounded figures.

^ "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>March 2023</u>	<u>March 2024</u>	<u>Year-on-year change in</u>	
			<u>No.</u>	<u>Percentage (%)</u>
Manufacturing	2 380	2 750	+370	+16
Construction sites (manual workers only) #	640	2 070	+1 430	+221
Import and export trade	3 560	3 490	-70	-2
Wholesale	690	550	-140	-21
Retail	6 410	4 720	-1 690	-26
Food and beverage services	5 810	5 930	+120	+2
Accommodation services	2 830	2 100	-730	-26
Transportation, storage, postal and courier services	7 440	8 820	+1 380	+19
Information and communications	3 020	3 100	+80	+2
Financing and insurance	6 200	4 840	-1 360	-22
Real estate	4 640	4 410	-230	-5
Professional and business services (excluding cleaning and similar services)	6 800	6 720	-80	-1
Cleaning and similar services	1 780	1 610	-170	-10
Education	7 990	7 320	-670	-8
Human health services	6 610	6 380	-230	-3
Residential care and social work services	5 260	5 060	-200	-4
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	5 450	5 050	-400	-7
Others ^	270	270	-§	-1
All above industries	77 750	75 180	-2 570	-3

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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 2024.

^ "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>March 2023</u>	<u>March 2024</u>	<u>Year-on-year percentage change (%)</u>
Managers	3 450	3 150	-9
Professionals	13 320	13 130	-1
Associate professionals	12 590	10 770	-14
Clerical support workers	7 820	7 640	-2
Service and sales workers	29 500	28 040	-5
Craft and related workers	2 540	4 540	+79
Plant and machine operators and assemblers	1 500	1 380	-8
Skilled agricultural and fishery workers	170	100	-43
Elementary occupations	6 870	6 430	-6
Total	77 750	75 180	-3

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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>
March 2023	+0.7	+1.0	+6.3	+5.9
June 2023	+0.7	+0.5	+4.8	+2.5
September 2023	+0.2	-β	-1.0	-6.5
December 2023	-0.7	-0.7	-9.4	-1.4
March 2024	+0.2	+0.5	+2.9	+2.4

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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%.