

Chart 3. THE STATUS OF NEW JOB OPENINGS FOR GENERAL EMPLOYMENT BY KEY INDUSTRY AND BY SIZE

○ The status of new job openings for general employment by key industry and by size (excluding new school graduates)

July 2021

Industry, Size		Total number	Excluding part-timers	Regular workers	Casual, seasonal workers	Part-timers
New job openings (person(s))	Total	757,908	474,767	444,222	30,545	283,141
	D Construction	76,778	72,636	70,694	1,942	4,142
	E Manufacturing	78,838	58,224	54,796	3,428	20,614
	G Information and communications	19,073	17,174	15,484	1,690	1,899
	H Transport and postal activities	43,688	34,833	33,097	1,736	8,855
	I Wholesale and retail trade	92,961	46,575	45,115	1,460	46,386
	L Scientific research, professional and technical services	19,940	14,416	13,655	761	5,524
	M Accommodations, eating and drinking services	48,763	19,767	19,486	281	28,996
	N Living-related and personal services and amusement services	24,192	12,662	12,075	587	11,530
	O Education, learning support	11,766	4,896	4,766	130	6,870
	P Medical , health care and welfare	201,996	108,489	107,376	1,113	93,507
	R Services (not elsewhere classified)	100,806	62,586	46,804	15,782	38,220
	(By size)					
	29 people and under	490,838	303,878	283,727	20,151	186,960
	30 - 99 people	175,409	109,852	103,951	5,901	65,557
	100 - 299 people	64,910	43,338	40,574	2,764	21,572
	300 - 499 people	12,440	8,402	7,564	838	4,038
	500 - 999 people	8,602	5,622	5,175	447	2,980
	1,000 people and over	5,709	3,675	3,231	444	2,034
Change from the same month of the preceding year (%)	Total	8.3	12.2	10.8	36.1	2.3
	D Construction	4.2	5.1	5.3	-3.0	-8.7
	E Manufacturing	40.8	42.2	40.6	73.1	36.8
	G Information and communications	6.3	5.9	5.5	8.8	10.8
	H Transport and postal activities	10.6	11.0	11.3	4.6	8.9
	I Wholesale and retail trade	1.7	3.2	3.1	5.7	0.2
	L Scientific research, professional and technical services	8.4	9.6	8.5	32.1	5.3
	M Accommodations, eating and drinking services	-0.9	11.8	11.6	22.7	-8.0
	N Living-related and personal services and amusement services	5.7	9.9	8.5	49.4	1.5
	O Education, learning support	-0.4	6.5	5.2	88.4	-4.8
	P Medical , health care and welfare	9.2	10.1	10.5	-14.8	8.0
	R Services (not elsewhere classified)	11.5	17.8	7.2	66.7	2.4
	(By size)					
	29 people and under	8.5	11.4	9.6	43.9	4.2
	30 - 99 people	8.1	14.0	12.8	40.9	-0.5
	100 - 299 people	6.9	11.7	12.4	3.1	-1.6
	300 - 499 people	9.5	20.4	22.1	7.2	-7.8
	500 - 999 people	5.9	11.6	13.4	-5.9	-3.4
	1,000 people and over	3.9	11.4	8.5	37.9	-7.3

○ Transition in numbers in key industries in comparison with change from the same month of the preceding year (%) (excluding new school graduates)

(%)

Industry		2020					2021						
		Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
Including part-timers	Total	-27.8	-17.3	-23.2	-21.4	-18.6	-11.6	-14.6	-0.7	15.2	7.7	5.4	8.3
	D Construction	-6.4	5.9	-2.5	-4.4	6.5	11.9	10.0	16.3	17.9	7.8	6.2	4.2
	E Manufacturing	-38.3	-26.7	-29.4	-24.9	-18.0	-11.3	-9.8	8.5	32.8	30.3	39.3	40.8
	G Information and communications	-34.6	-21.8	-28.6	-33.4	-26.8	-16.3	-23.2	-11.0	14.7	5.4	2.4	6.3
	H Transport and postal services	-30.7	-25.1	-23.4	-27.1	-25.2	-10.7	-21.0	-6.7	8.3	4.8	10.5	10.6
	I Wholesale and retail trade	-34.0	-28.3	-32.6	-27.4	-28.3	-17.2	-23.2	-12.6	8.5	-5.3	0.9	1.7
	L Scientific research, professional and technical services	-27.6	-14.8	-23.1	-23.1	-18.9	-12.2	-9.4	5.7	24.2	15.1	3.3	8.4
	M Accommodations, eating and drinking services	-49.1	-32.2	-38.2	-34.7	-31.4	-37.5	-41.0	-6.0	2.9	10.2	-10.6	-0.9
	N Living-related and personal services and amusement services	-41.0	-32.9	-35.4	-32.9	-30.8	-26.2	-23.2	-14.8	25.2	21.7	1.4	5.7
	O Education, learning support	-23.9	-0.2	-22.1	-26.4	-9.2	-11.6	-18.8	0.1	43.6	15.5	13.1	-0.4
	P Medical , health care and welfare	-16.0	-7.8	-15.1	-12.0	-12.0	-5.1	-7.9	-1.3	12.9	3.3	2.3	9.2
	R Services (not elsewhere classified)	-32.2	-18.9	-24.3	-23.5	-16.5	-6.9	-12.5	7.0	19.0	15.8	15.6	11.5

(Note)

1. The data is classified based on the “Japan Standard Industry Classification” revised in October 2013.
2. "Regular workers" refer to either a work without fixed employment term or a work with fixed term of more than 4 months (excluding seasonal work).
3. "Part-timers" refer to those employees whose scheduled working hour is less than that of the regular employees in the same workplace.
4. "Casual workers" refer to a work with fixed employment term of 1 month to 4 months and "seasonal workers" refer to a work engaged for a certain term by seasonal labour demand or utilizing own leisure time.