

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 2011

Industry, Size		Total number	Excluding part-timers	Regular workers	Casual, seasonal workers	Part-timers
New job openings (person(s))	Total	648,582	417,631	376,728	40,903	230,951
	D Construction	52,095	47,997	43,231	4,766	4,098
	E Manufacturing	72,208	51,284	44,020	7,264	20,924
	G Information and communications	21,097	18,031	15,939	2,092	3,066
	H Transport and postal activities	40,659	32,277	30,493	1,784	8,382
	I Wholesale and retail trade	94,976	49,001	47,005	1,996	45,975
	L Scientific research, professional and technical services	22,261	15,706	13,828	1,878	6,555
	M Accommodations, eating and drinking services	48,095	19,729	19,007	722	28,366
	N Living-related and personal services and amusement services	27,803	14,679	14,272	407	13,124
	O Education, learning support	8,798	3,979	3,711	268	4,819
	P Medical , health care and welfare	127,197	77,045	75,712	1,333	50,152
	R Services (not elsewhere classified)	94,015	61,913	46,854	15,059	32,102
	(By size)					
	29 people and under	389,833	244,885	222,473	22,412	144,948
	30 - 99 people	152,284	99,977	91,325	8,652	52,307
100 - 299 people	68,340	46,190	41,254	4,936	22,150	
300 - 499 people	17,792	12,518	10,991	1,527	5,274	
500 - 999 people	11,265	7,159	5,956	1,203	4,106	
1,000 people and over	9,068	6,902	4,729	2,173	2,166	
Change from the same month of the preceding year (%)	Total	12.2	16.3	15.2	27.3	5.5
	D Construction	27.5	28.9	28.1	36.0	13.9
	E Manufacturing	10.8	17.5	13.5	49.0	-2.7
	G Information and communications	14.8	14.9	17.8	-3.0	13.8
	H Transport and postal activities	3.8	8.5	9.1	-0.7	-11.0
	I Wholesale and retail trade	11.3	12.6	12.1	24.4	9.9
	L Scientific research, professional and technical services	17.9	19.2	16.1	48.0	14.8
	M Accommodations, eating and drinking services	2.4	11.3	10.3	45.3	-3.0
	N Living-related and personal services and amusement services	16.7	18.1	17.6	37.5	15.3
	O Education, learning support	3.6	10.1	12.1	-11.6	-1.2
	P Medical , health care and welfare	13.7	18.7	18.2	56.5	6.7
	R Services (not elsewhere classified)	14.5	17.3	14.5	27.0	9.5
	(By size)					
	29 people and under	26.2	28.9	27.5	45.4	21.8
	30 - 99 people	2.0	6.2	6.3	4.7	-5.1
100 - 299 people	-8.3	-3.7	-4.1	-0.3	-16.5	
300 - 499 people	-6.3	7.6	8.9	-0.7	-28.2	
500 - 999 people	-15.7	-9.2	-12.0	7.9	-25.1	
1,000 people and over	-29.6	-7.1	-28.2	155.9	-60.3	

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

(%)

Industry	2010					2011						
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
Total	19.0	17.3	13.9	22.6	15.8	18.8	22.9	10.5	12.2	17.3	12.6	12.2
D Construction	14.9	7.6	7.5	23.0	13.8	15.6	25.0	17.6	34.5	35.9	33.2	27.5
E Manufacturing	39.0	27.2	20.7	28.0	30.0	30.9	30.1	16.4	9.0	9.4	12.4	10.8
G Information and communications	22.7	42.7	38.3	47.8	27.3	26.2	41.0	20.3	29.9	36.1	20.2	14.8
H Transport and postal services	17.2	13.6	16.6	27.1	21.8	20.4	28.6	11.0	8.3	12.2	5.5	3.8
I Wholesale and retail trade	19.9	21.5	11.7	17.4	21.1	16.2	21.8	7.8	4.9	13.2	9.8	11.3
L Scientific research, professional and technical services	18.4	17.4	17.1	32.0	11.1	19.7	28.3	18.0	16.1	23.9	18.9	17.9
M Accommodations, eating and drinking services	2.5	6.1	5.0	13.5	6.5	11.8	12.5	-1.3	-8.4	12.1	4.2	2.4
N Living-related and personal services and amusement services	14.9	14.2	6.2	13.6	10.7	18.5	9.9	2.5	14.0	10.4	4.4	16.7
O Education, learning support	13.4	15.8	25.4	24.3	15.4	17.4	23.7	15.6	5.2	10.7	16.8	3.6
P Medical , health care and welfare	18.6	16.2	22.7	25.5	16.3	20.9	20.1	12.8	18.6	20.1	12.2	13.7
R Services (not elsewhere classified)	23.7	22.2	13.1	26.7	11.8	21.5	26.5	9.5	15.4	15.9	14.9	14.5

(Note)

1. The data is classified based on the "Japan Standard Industry Classification" revised in November 2007.
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.