

Chart 1. EMPLOYMENT REFERRALS FOR GENERAL WORKERS(excluding new school graduates and including part-timers)

July 2016

Item		Month and Year			Change from the same month of the preceding year (% , point)	Seasonally adjusted, Change from the preceding month (% , point)
		Jul 2016	Jun 2016	Jul 2015		
Total number	1 Monthly active applications(person(s))	1,863,187	1,948,063	2,002,174	▲ 6.9	0.4
	2 New applications (case(s))	400,981	443,594	449,991	▲ 10.9	1.6
	3 Monthly active job openings (person (s))	2,460,382	2,472,437	2,334,354	5.4	0.7
	4 New job openings(person(s))	890,968	907,184	901,248	▲ 1.1	1.4
	5 Persons who found employment (case(s))	141,648	162,804	160,398	▲ 11.7	▲ 1.6
	6 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(3/1) (time(s))	1.32	1.27	1.17	0.15	—
	<Seasonally adjusted>	1.37	1.37	1.21	—	0.00
	7 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(4/2) (time(s))	2.22	2.05	2.00	0.22	—
	<Seasonally adjusted>	2.01	2.01	1.82	—	0.00
	8 Ratio of persons who found employment (5/2x100) (%)	35.3	36.7	35.6	▲ 0.3	—
	<Seasonally adjusted>	32.9	34.0	33.6	—	▲ 1.1
	9 Sufficiency ratio(5/4x100) (%)	15.9	17.9	17.8	▲ 1.9	—
<Seasonally adjusted>	16.4	16.9	18.5	—	▲ 0.5	
Regular workers	10 Monthly active applications(person(s))	1,847,279	1,931,000	1,986,576	▲ 7.0	
	11 New applications (case(s))	396,139	438,157	444,862	▲ 11.0	
	12 Monthly active job openings (person (s))	2,187,020	2,195,053	2,072,755	5.5	
	13 New job openings(person(s))	794,426	797,780	798,229	▲ 0.5	
	14 Persons who found employment (case(s))	128,295	147,178	145,650	▲ 11.9	
	15 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(12/10) (time(s))	1.18	1.14	1.04	0.14	
	16 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(13/11) (time(s))	2.01	1.82	1.79	0.22	
	17 Ratio of persons who found employment (14/11x100) (%)	32.4	33.6	32.7	▲ 0.3	
	18 Sufficiency ratio (14/13x100) (%)	16.1	18.4	18.2	▲ 2.1	

(Notes)

1. Seasonally adjusted figures are calculated by removing seasonal components from the original series,using the US Census method(X-12-ARIMA). The values prior to December 2015 have been adjusted by using the new seasonal indexes at the time of issuance of the January 2016 data.
2. ▲ means decrease.
3. "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).
4. "Part-timers" refer to those employees whose scheduled working hour is less than that of the regular employees in the same workplace.