

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

July 2013

| Month and Year  |   | Jul 2013  | Jun 2013  | Jul 2012  | Change from the same month of the preceding year (% , point) | Seasonally adjusted, Change from the preceding month (% , point) |
|-----------------|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|--|
| Item            |   |           |           |           |  |  |
| Total number    | 1 Monthly active applications(person(s))                    | 2,332,332 | 2,410,986 | 2,469,769 | ▲ 5.6  | ▲ 1.4  |
|                 | 2 New applications (case(s))                                | 527,531   | 491,647   | 525,232   | 0.4  | 2.1  |
|                 | 3 Monthly active job openings (person (s))                  | 2,094,254 | 2,029,896 | 1,903,515 | 10.0   | 0.2  |
|                 | 4 New job openings(person(s))                               | 826,655   | 744,027   | 731,724   | 13.0   | ▲ 0.0  |
|                 | 5 Persons who found employment (case(s))                    | 182,784   | 179,330   | 180,528   | 1.2  | ▲ 0.8  |
|                 | 6 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(3/1) (time(s))    | 0.90      | 0.84      | 0.77      | 0.13   | —  |
|                 | <Seasonally adjusted>                                       | 0.94      | 0.92      | 0.81      | —  | 0.02   |
|                 | 7 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(4/2) (time(s))       | 1.57      | 1.51      | 1.39      | 0.18   | —  |
|                 | <Seasonally adjusted>                                       | 1.46      | 1.49      | 1.29      | —  | ▲ 0.03   |
|                 | 8 Ratio of persons who found employment (5/2x100) (%)       | 34.6      | 36.5      | 34.4      | 0.2  | —  |
|                 | <Seasonally adjusted>                                       | 32.5      | 33.4      | 32.0      | —  | ▲ 0.9  |
|                 | 9 Sufficiency ratio(5/4x100) (%)                            | 22.1      | 24.1      | 24.7      | ▲ 2.6  | —  |
|                 | <Seasonally adjusted>                                       | 22.3      | 22.4      | 24.7      | —  | ▲ 0.1  |
| Regular workers | 10 Monthly active applications(person(s))                   | 2,318,926 | 2,395,258 | 2,455,872 | ▲ 5.6  |  |
|                 | 11 New applications (case(s))                               | 522,947   | 486,590   | 519,968   | 0.6  |  |
|                 | 12 Monthly active job openings (person (s))                 | 1,851,287 | 1,795,492 | 1,710,841 | 8.2  |  |
|                 | 13 New job openings(person(s))                              | 730,346   | 647,717   | 655,861   | 11.4   |  |
|                 | 14 Persons who found employment (case(s))                   | 164,522   | 161,061   | 162,097   | 1.5  |  |
|                 | 15 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(12/10) (time(s)) | 0.80      | 0.75      | 0.70      | 0.10   |  |
|                 | 16 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(13/11) (time(s))    | 1.40      | 1.33      | 1.26      | 0.14   |  |
|                 | 17 Ratio of persons who found employment (14/11x100) (%)    | 31.5      | 33.1      | 31.2      | 0.3  |  |
|                 | 18 Sufficiency ratio (14/13x100) (%)                        | 22.5      | 24.9      | 24.7      | ▲ 2.2  |  |

(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 2012 have been adjusted by using the new seasonal indexes at the time of issuance of the January 2013 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.