Chart 2. EMPLOYMENT REFERRALS FOR REGULAR WORKERS BY EMPLOYMENT PATTERN (excluding new school graduates)

|  |  |  |  |  | June 2015 |
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| Item Month |  | Jun 2015 | May 2015 | Jun 2014 | Change from the same month of the preceding year (\%, point) |
| Regular workers excluding part-timers | 1 Monthly active applications(person(s)) | 1,391,183 | 1,417,102 | 1,501,812 | - 7.4 |
|  | 2 New applications (case(s)) | 328,868 | 312,208 | 332,993 | ( 1.2 |
|  | 3 <br> Monthly active job openings (person (s)) | 1,277,072 | 1,250,490 | 1,248,534 | 2.3 |
|  | 4 New job openings(person(s)) | 469,483 | 422,519 | 442,431 | 6.1 |
|  | 5 <br> Persons who found employment (case(s)) | 98,828 | 92,027 | 101,667 | ( 2.8 |
|  | 6 <br> Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(3/1) (time(s)) | 0.92 | 0.88 | 0.83 | 0.09 |
|  | $7 \begin{aligned} & \text { New job openings-to-applicants } \\ & \text { ratio(4/2) (time(s)) }\end{aligned}$ | 1.43 | 1.35 | 1.33 | 0.10 |
|  | 8 <br> Ratio of persons who found employment (5/2x100) (\%) | 30.1 | 29.5 | 30.5 | ( 0.4 |
|  | 9 Sufficiency ratio(5/4x100) (\%) | 21.1 | 21.8 | 23.0 | - 1.9 |
| Regular <br> staff | $10 \begin{aligned} & \text { Monthly active job openings } \\ & \text { (person (s)) }\end{aligned}$ | 974,850 | 954,392 | 941,513 | 3.5 |
|  | 11 New job openings(person(s)) | 353,567 | 319,945 | 328,190 | 7.7 |
|  | 12 <br> Persons who found employment (case(s)) | 74,604 | 68,652 | 75,448 | - 1.1 |
|  | 13 <br> Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(10/1) (time(s)) | 0.70 | 0.67 | 0.63 | 0.07 |
|  | <Seasonally adjusted> | 0.75 | 0.75 | 0.67 | - |
|  | 14 Sufficiency ratio(12/11x100) (\%) | 21.1 | 21.5 | 23.0 | - 1.9 |
| Regular part-timers | 15 Monthly active applications(person(s)) | 673,720 | 678,739 | 691,960 | - 2.6 |
|  | 16 New applications (case(s)) | 146,214 | 153,830 | 144,030 | 1.5 |
|  | 17 Monthly active job openings (person (s)) | 768,703 | 769,718 | 725,315 | 6.0 |
|  | 18 New job openings(person(s)) | 286,864 | 258,885 | 261,210 | 9.8 |
|  | 19 <br> Persons who found employment (case(s)) | 58,812 | 57,077 | 59,011 | ( 0.3 |
|  | 20 <br> Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(17/15) (time(s)) | 1.14 | 1.13 | 1.05 | 0.09 |
|  | 21 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(18/16) (time(s)) | 1.96 | 1.68 | 1.81 | 0.15 |
|  | 22 Ratio of persons who found employment (19/16x100) (\%) | 40.2 | 37.1 | 41.0 | ( 0.8 |
|  | 23 Sufficiency ratio(19/18×100) (\%) | 20.5 | 22.0 | 22.6 | - 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).
2. $\Delta$ means decrease.
3. The active job openings-to-applicants ratio for regular staff is calculated by dividing monthly active job openings for regular staff by monthly active applications for regular workers excluding part-timers. However, this ratio is lower than that in a strict sense because monthly active applications for regular workers excluding part-timers include dispatch and contract workers.
4. "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).
5. "Part-timers" refer to those employees whose scheduled working hour is less than that of the regular employees in the same workplace.
