

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)

December 2021

Industry, Size	Total number	Excluding part-timers	Regular workers	Casual, seasonal workers	Part-timers
Total	810,380	507,659	460,641	47,018	302,721
D Construction	81,298	76,931	72,080	4,851	4,367
E Manufacturing	85,752	64,693	59,984	4,709	21,059
G Information and communications	20,897	18,098	16,189	1,909	2,799
H Transport and postal activities	42,540	34,215	30,591	3,624	8,325
I Wholesale and retail trade	93,090	49,597	47,425	2,172	43,493
L Scientific research, professional and technical services	21,550	15,180	13,964	1,216	6,370
M Accommodations, eating and drinking services	57,666	22,086	21,176	910	35,580
N Living-related and personal services and amusement services	22,657	11,652	11,020	632	11,005
O Education, learning support	14,703	6,756	6,265	491	7,947
P Medical , health care and welfare	213,684	116,138	111,600	4,538	97,546
R Services (not elsewhere classified)	104,005	65,151	46,025	19,126	38,854
(By size)					
29 people and under	516,990	320,972	293,371	27,601	196,018
30 - 99 people	186,099	115,810	105,768	10,042	70,289
100 - 299 people	71,317	47,885	42,648	5,237	23,432
300 - 499 people	14,858	10,031	8,668	1,363	4,827
500 - 999 people	10,145	6,175	5,093	1,082	3,970
1,000 people and over	10,971	6,786	5,093	1,693	4,185
Total	12.2	12.8	11.1	32.9	11.3
D Construction	7.1	6.8	5.1	40.6	12.8
E Manufacturing	34.6	35.8	35.4	41.0	30.9
G Information and communications	20.4	19.6	21.1	8.8	25.2
H Transport and postal activities	16.2	16.3	11.7	77.8	15.8
I Wholesale and retail trade	10.6	10.1	8.6	54.8	11.1
L Scientific research, professional and technical services	12.3	10.6	9.7	21.6	16.5
M Accommodations, eating and drinking services	12.7	4.3	4.8	-5.9	18.6
N Living-related and personal services and amusement services	3.3	-1.6	0.2	-25.1	9.1
O Education, learning support	6.6	10.9	10.0	23.7	3.1
P Medical , health care and welfare	8.4	8.9	8.7	13.7	7.8
R Services (not elsewhere classified)	15.1	18.1	10.8	40.2	10.5
(By size)					
29 people and under	12.1	11.7	9.7	37.8	12.8
30 - 99 people	10.3	11.3	10.3	23.7	8.6
100 - 299 people	17.0	21.8	20.6	32.1	8.3
300 - 499 people	13.2	14.9	12.1	36.4	9.6
500 - 999 people	11.9	14.6	11.7	30.5	7.9
1,000 people and over	21.2	28.5	32.6	17.6	11.0

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

(%)

Industry	2021											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total	-11.6	-14.6	-0.7	15.2	7.7	5.4	8.3	10.0	6.6	8.7	12.3	12.2
D Construction	11.9	10.0	16.3	17.9	7.8	6.2	4.2	5.8	5.7	2.5	6.6	7.1
E Manufacturing	-11.3	-9.8	8.5	32.8	30.3	39.3	40.8	39.3	32.4	35.9	38.0	34.6
G Information and communications	-16.3	-23.2	-11.0	14.7	5.4	2.4	6.3	16.7	9.0	11.1	19.5	20.4
H Transport and postal services	-10.7	-21.0	-6.7	8.3	4.8	10.5	10.6	8.7	5.9	8.5	8.6	16.2
I Wholesale and retail trade	-17.2	-23.2	-12.6	8.5	-5.3	0.9	1.7	2.2	3.2	4.1	3.9	10.6
L Scientific research, professional and technical services	-12.2	-9.4	5.7	24.2	15.1	3.3	8.4	9.2	7.7	9.9	13.1	12.3
M Accommodations, eating and drinking services	-37.5	-41.0	-6.0	2.9	10.2	-10.6	-0.9	12.3	-7.5	8.2	23.3	12.7
N Living-related and personal services and amusement services	-26.2	-23.2	-14.8	25.2	21.7	1.4	5.7	11.7	-2.6	9.3	17.3	3.3
O Education, learning support	-11.6	-18.8	0.1	43.6	15.5	13.1	-0.4	11.1	0.3	12.8	19.4	6.6
P Medical , health care and welfare	-5.1	-7.9	-1.3	12.9	3.3	2.3	9.2	5.9	4.4	5.3	7.5	8.4
R Services (not elsewhere classified)	-6.9	-12.5	7.0	19.0	15.8	15.6	11.5	18.7	14.3	10.3	16.9	15.1

(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.