

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

February 2021

Item		Month and Year			Change from the same month of the preceding year (% , point)	Seasonally adjusted, Change from the preceding month (% , point)
		Feb 2021	Jan 2021	Feb 2020		
Total number	1 Monthly active applications(person(s))	1,888,878	1,840,958	1,680,543	12.4	▲ 0.3
	2 New applications (case(s))	397,068	392,255	390,263	1.7	4.8
	3 Monthly active job openings (person (s))	2,170,424	2,112,352	2,566,745	▲ 15.4	▲ 1.5
	4 New job openings(person(s))	766,349	786,404	897,143	▲ 14.6	▲ 2.8
	5 Persons who found employment (case(s))	104,087	81,808	109,810	▲ 5.2	1.2
	6 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(3/1) (time(s))	1.15	1.15	1.53	▲ 0.38	—
	<Seasonally adjusted>	1.09	1.10	1.45	—	▲ 0.01
	7 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(4/2) (time(s))	1.93	2.00	2.30	▲ 0.37	—
	<Seasonally adjusted>	1.88	2.03	2.21	—	▲ 0.15
	8 Ratio of persons who found employment (5/2x100) (%)	26.2	20.9	28.1	▲ 1.9	—
	<Seasonally adjusted>	28.6	29.6	30.1	—	▲ 1.0
	9 Sufficiency ratio(5/4x100) (%)	13.6	10.4	12.2	1.4	—
<Seasonally adjusted>	15.2	14.6	13.7	—	0.6	
Regular workers	10 Monthly active applications(person(s))	1,850,173	1,806,867	1,653,948	11.9	
	11 New applications (case(s))	390,382	377,283	383,715	1.7	
	12 Monthly active job openings (person (s))	1,932,649	1,879,144	2,290,503	▲ 15.6	
	13 New job openings(person(s))	686,832	692,875	801,358	▲ 14.3	
	14 Persons who found employment (case(s))	93,193	70,318	99,389	▲ 6.2	
	15 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(12/10) (time(s))	1.04	1.04	1.38	▲ 0.34	
	16 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(13/11) (time(s))	1.76	1.84	2.09	▲ 0.33	
	17 Ratio of persons who found employment (14/11x100) (%)	23.9	18.6	25.9	▲ 2.0	
	18 Sufficiency ratio (14/13x100) (%)	13.6	10.1	12.4	1.2	

(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 2020 have been adjusted by using the new seasonal indexes at the time of issuance of the January 2021 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.