

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

January 2023

| Item | | Month and Year | | | Change from the same month of the preceding year (% , point) | Seasonally adjusted, Change from the preceding month (% , point) |
|-----------------------|---|----------------|-----------|-----------|--|--|
| | | Jan 2023 | Dec 2022 | Jan 2022 | | |
| Total number | 1 Monthly active applications(person(s)) | 1,781,603 | 1,745,771 | 1,891,776 | ▲ 5.8 | 0.6 |
| | 2 New applications (case(s)) | 404,647 | 290,197 | 415,921 | ▲ 2.7 | 2.2 |
| | 3 Monthly active job openings (person (s)) | 2,562,353 | 2,534,023 | 2,407,171 | 6.4 | ▲ 0.1 |
| | 4 New job openings(person(s)) | 939,104 | 849,133 | 901,584 | 4.2 | 1.8 |
| | 5 Persons who found employment (case(s)) | 78,121 | 84,304 | 83,192 | ▲ 6.1 | 0.2 |
| | 6 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(3/1) (time(s)) | 1.44 | 1.45 | 1.27 | 0.17 | — |
| | <Seasonally adjusted> | 1.35 | 1.36 | 1.20 | — | ▲ 0.01 |
| | 7 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(4/2) (time(s)) | 2.32 | 2.93 | 2.17 | 0.15 | — |
| | <Seasonally adjusted> | 2.38 | 2.38 | 2.18 | — | 0.00 |
| | 8 Ratio of persons who found employment (5/2x100) (%) | 19.3 | 29.1 | 20.0 | ▲ 0.7 | — |
| | <Seasonally adjusted> | 25.9 | 26.4 | 26.8 | — | ▲ 0.5 |
| | 9 Sufficiency ratio(5/4x100) (%) | 8.3 | 9.9 | 9.2 | ▲ 0.9 | — |
| <Seasonally adjusted> | 10.9 | 11.1 | 12.3 | — | ▲ 0.2 | |
| Regular workers | 10 Monthly active applications(person(s)) | 1,751,792 | 1,719,261 | 1,859,901 | ▲ 5.8 | |
| | 11 New applications (case(s)) | 392,166 | 271,723 | 402,574 | ▲ 2.6 | |
| | 12 Monthly active job openings (person (s)) | 2,262,634 | 2,252,471 | 2,121,718 | 6.6 | |
| | 13 New job openings(person(s)) | 821,973 | 737,762 | 783,292 | 4.9 | |
| | 14 Persons who found employment (case(s)) | 67,019 | 72,873 | 71,359 | ▲ 6.1 | |
| | 15 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(12/10) (time(s)) | 1.29 | 1.31 | 1.14 | 0.15 | |
| | 16 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(13/11) (time(s)) | 2.10 | 2.72 | 1.95 | 0.15 | |
| | 17 Ratio of persons who found employment (14/11x100) (%) | 17.1 | 26.8 | 17.7 | ▲ 0.6 | |
| | 18 Sufficiency ratio (14/13x100) (%) | 8.2 | 9.9 | 9.1 | ▲ 0.9 | |

(Notes)

- 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 2022 have been adjusted by using the new seasonal indexes at the time of issuance of the January 2023 data.
- ▲ means decrease.
- "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).
- "Part-timers" refer to those employees whose scheduled working hour is less than that of the regular employees in the same workplace.