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

|  | Month and Year | Jun 2011 | May 2011 | Jun 2010 | Change from the same month of the preceding year (\%, point) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Regular workers excluding part-timers | 1 Monthly active applications(person(s)) | 2,017,264 | 2,057,417 | 2,098,769 | - 3.9 |
|  | 2 New applications (case(s)) | 452,011 | 471,168 | 467,187 | - 3.2 |
|  | Monthly active job openings (person (s)) | 931,545 | 905,954 | 768,218 | 21.3 |
|  | 4 New job openings(person(s)) | 362,171 | 340,412 | 315,842 | 14.7 |
|  | 5 <br> Persons who found employment (case(s)) | 112,540 | 108,517 | 108,583 | 3.6 |
|  | 6 <br> Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(3/1) (time(s)) | 0.46 | 0.44 | 0.37 | 0.09 |
|  | 7 <br> New job openings-to-applicants ratio(4/2) (time(s)) | 0.80 | 0.72 | 0.68 | 0.12 |
|  | 8 <br> Ratio of persons who found employment ( $5 / 2 \times 100$ ) (\%) | 24.9 | 23.0 | 23.2 | 1.7 |
|  | 9 Sufficiency ratio(5/4x100) (\%) | 31.1 | 31.9 | 34.4 | - 3.3 |
| Regular staff | 10 <br> Monthly active job openings (person (s)) | 707,030 | 689,774 | 583,945 | 21.1 |
|  | 11 New job openings(person(s)) | 264,436 | 251,235 | 232,156 | 13.9 |
|  | 12 <br> Persons who found employment (case(s)) | 78,960 | 74,514 | 75,058 | 5.2 |
|  | 13 <br> Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(10/1) (time(s)) | 0.35 | 0.34 | 0.28 | 0.07 |
|  | 14 Sufficiency ratio(12/11×100) (\%) | 29.9 | 29.7 | 32.3 | - 2.4 |
| Regular part-timers | 15 Monthly active applications(person(s)) | 766,492 | 766,142 | 738,711 | 3.8 |
|  | 16 New applications (case(s)) | 177,562 | 198,970 | 177,070 | 0.3 |
|  | 17 Monthly active job openings (person (s)) | 488,875 | 494,332 | 448,219 | 9.1 |
|  | 18 New job openings(person(s)) | 200,578 | 183,623 | 189,249 | 6.0 |
|  | 19 <br> Persons who found employment (case(s)) | 62,471 | 61,144 | 64,385 | - 3.0 |
|  | 20 <br> Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(17/15) (time(s)) | 0.64 | 0.65 | 0.61 | 0.03 |
|  | 21 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(18/16) (time(s)) | 1.13 | 0.92 | 1.07 | 0.06 |
|  | 22 Ratio of persons who found employment (19/16x100) (\%) | 35.2 | 30.7 | 36.4 | ( 1.2 |
|  | 23 Sufficiency ratio(19/18×100) (\%) | 31.1 | 33.3 | 34.0 | - 2.9 |

## (Notes)

1. $\mathbf{A}$ means decrease.
2. 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.
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.
