

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

November 2013

Item		Month and Year			Change from the same month of the preceding year (% , point)	Seasonally adjusted, Change from the preceding month (% , point)
		Nov 2013	Oct 2013	Nov 2012		
Total number	1 Monthly active applications(person(s))	2,112,498	2,223,658	2,328,930	▲ 9.3	▲ 0.6
	2 New applications (case(s))	436,425	532,501	492,221	▲ 11.3	1.8
	3 Monthly active job openings (person (s))	2,253,928	2,281,520	2,035,773	10.7	2.1
	4 New job openings(person(s))	793,007	907,268	741,893	6.9	▲ 0.7
	5 Persons who found employment (case(s))	163,168	188,597	174,058	▲ 6.3	▲ 1.0
	6 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(3/1) (time(s))	1.07	1.03	0.87	0.20	—
	<Seasonally adjusted>	1.00	0.98	0.82	—	0.02
	7 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(4/2) (time(s))	1.82	1.70	1.51	0.31	—
	<Seasonally adjusted>	1.56	1.59	1.33	—	▲ 0.03
	8 Ratio of persons who found employment (5/2x100) (%)	37.4	35.4	35.4	2.0	—
	<Seasonally adjusted>	33.4	34.4	32.0	—	▲ 1.0
	9 Sufficiency ratio(5/4x100) (%)	20.6	20.8	23.5	▲ 2.9	—
<Seasonally adjusted>	21.5	21.5	24.1	—	0.0	
Regular workers	10 Monthly active applications(person(s))	2,093,721	2,213,695	2,309,587	▲ 9.3	
	11 New applications (case(s))	424,452	528,663	479,436	▲ 11.5	
	12 Monthly active job openings (person (s))	1,965,802	2,006,255	1,791,993	9.7	
	13 New job openings(person(s))	680,270	786,407	637,281	6.7	
	14 Persons who found employment (case(s))	145,494	170,071	154,258	▲ 5.7	
	15 Active job openings-to-applicants ratio(12/10) (time(s))	0.94	0.91	0.78	0.16	
	16 New job openings-to-applicants ratio(13/11) (time(s))	1.60	1.49	1.33	0.27	
	17 Ratio of persons who found employment (14/11x100) (%)	34.3	32.2	32.2	2.1	
	18 Sufficiency ratio (14/13x100) (%)	21.4	21.6	24.2	▲ 2.8	

(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 2012 have been adjusted by using the new seasonal indexes at the time of issuance of the January 2013 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.