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Table 4. Population and employment (persons) and employment (hours worked) by industry
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	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
POPULATION, THOUSAND PERSONS, NATIONAL CONCEPT								
1 Total population¹	127 333	127 262	127 110	126 933	126 706	126 443	126 167	125 708
2 Total employment ^{2,3}	65 549	65 934	66 220	66 852	..	..	..	..
3 Employees ^{2,3}	56 986	57 401	57 886	58 761	..	..	..	..
4 Self-employed ^{2,3}	8 563	8 533	8 334	8 091	..	..	..	..
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, THOUSAND PERSONS, DOMESTIC CONCEPT³								
5 Agriculture, forestry and fishing	2 734	2 709	2 681	2 596	2 568	2 652	2 598	..
6 Industry, including energy	10 886	11 047	11 123	11 192	11 276	11 397	11 431	..
7 Manufacturing	10 256	10 421	10 496	10 564	10 649	10 771	10 809	..
8 Construction	4 864	4 905	4 827	4 750	4 776	4 831	4 793	..
9 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accomod., food serv. activ.	18 527	18 369	18 094	18 196	18 343	18 642	18 588	..
10 Information and communication	1 625	1 726	1 783	1 774	1 816	1 883	1 958	..
11 Financial and insurance activities	1 656	1 560	1 560	1 644	1 690	1 653	1 679	..
12 Real estate activities	954	972	1 051	1 080	1 088	1 151	1 145	..
13 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	6 753	6 734	6 807	6 990	7 238	7 500	7 657	..
14 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	11 416	11 678	11 971	12 240	12 332	12 530	12 705	..
15 Other service activities	5 748	5 726	5 623	5 677	5 703	5 768	6 061	..
16 Total employment³	65 162	65 428	65 518	66 138	66 832	68 006	68 615	..
EMPLOYEES, THOUSAND PERSONS, DOMESTIC CONCEPT³								
17 Agriculture, forestry and fishing	816	843	850	843	860	876	880	..
18 Industry, including energy	10 165	10 282	10 381	10 511	10 581	10 692	10 720	..
19 Manufacturing	9 546	9 668	9 767	9 897	9 968	10 080	10 112	..
20 Construction	3 864	3 879	3 836	3 771	3 804	3 838	3 833	..
21 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accomod., food serv. activ.	16 494	16 420	16 274	16 465	16 638	16 991	17 001	..
22 Information and communication	1 522	1 615	1 665	1 656	1 687	1 748	1 811	..
23 Financial and insurance activities	1 605	1 509	1 515	1 604	1 650	1 620	1 642	..
24 Real estate activities	669	702	750	766	778	825	815	..
25 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	5 774	5 758	5 836	6 007	6 190	6 415	6 576	..
26 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	11 073	11 332	11 615	11 895	12 022	12 223	12 393	..
27 Other service activities	4 705	4 679	4 622	4 683	4 716	4 850	5 089	..
28 Total employees³	56 688	57 018	57 342	58 200	58 926	60 078	60 760	..
SELF-EMPLOYED, THOUSAND PERSONS, DOMESTIC CONCEPT³								
29 Agriculture, forestry and fishing	1 918	1 866	1 831	1 753	1 708	1 776	1 718	..
30 Industry, including energy	721	765	742	681	695	705	711	..
31 Manufacturing	710	753	729	667	681	691	697	..
32 Construction	1 000	1 026	991	979	972	993	960	..
33 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accomod., food serv. activ.	2 033	1 949	1 820	1 731	1 705	1 651	1 587	..
34 Information and communication	103	111	118	118	129	135	147	..
35 Financial and insurance activities	51	51	45	40	40	33	37	..
36 Real estate activities	285	270	301	314	310	326	330	..
37 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	979	976	971	983	1 048	1 085	1 081	..
38 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	343	346	356	345	310	307	312	..
39 Other service activities	1 043	1 047	1 001	994	987	918	972	..
40 Total self-employed^{3,4}	8 474	8 410	8 176	7 938	7 906	7 928	7 855	..
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT, MILLION HOURS, DOMESTIC CONCEPT⁵								
41 Industry, including energy	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
42 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accomod., food serv. activ.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
43 Financial and insurance activities	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
44 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
45 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
46 Total employment⁵	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
EMPLOYEES, MILLION HOURS, DOMESTIC CONCEPT⁵								
47 Industry, including energy	19 764	20 048	20 293	20 561	20 822	20 892	20 487	..
48 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accomod., food serv. activ.	27 490	27 178	26 719	26 839	26 925	27 117	26 619	..
49 Financial and insurance activities	2 886	2 688	2 702	2 871	2 957	2 886	2 870	..
50 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	10 341	10 293	10 327	10 623	10 920	11 200	11 224	..
51 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	18 008	18 356	18 867	19 250	19 543	19 735	19 557	..
52 Total employees⁵	99 867	100 186	100 446	101 489	102 749	103 592	102 563	..
SELF-EMPLOYED, MILLION HOURS, DOMESTIC CONCEPT⁵								
53 Industry, including energy	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
54 Distrib. trade, repairs; transp.; accomod., food serv. activ.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
55 Financial and insurance activities	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
56 Prof., scientif., techn. activ.; admin., support service activ.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
57 Public admin.; compulsory s.s.; education; human health	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
58 Total self-employed⁵	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Note: Detailed metadata: <http://metalinks.oecd.org/navol2/20211202/8dba3>

- Total population as of October, 1st. These data come from the Population estimates.
- Domestic concept.
- Data in terms of jobs instead of persons.
- Total employment less *Employees*. (Including unpaid family workers).
- Hours data are estimated by multiplying *Hours worked per jobs* by *Jobs*, based on different classification of the economic activity.

Source: Economic and Social Research Institute (ESRI), Cabinet Office (CAO) for Government of Japan.