

Annex Statistical Table (Time Series Tabulation)

Matters concerning the statistical table

- Shows component ratios (unit: %).
- "Total number" includes respondents whose attributes in terms of gender, age, etc. are unclear.
- - indicates that there were no respondents in this category.
- Component ratios have been subject to rounding, so they do not necessarily correspond to the breakdown totals.

Change from the 1st survey (sex/age/occupation)

1 Preferred job career

| | Single-company career | | | | | Multi-company career | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|----------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 40.5 | 44.6 | 40.5 | 42.9 | 49.0 | 23.9 | 21.9 | 26.2 | 26.1 | 24.6 |
| Male | 39.6 | 45.8 | 41.4 | 41.8 | 51.1 | 24.4 | 21.5 | 25.2 | 25.4 | 23.5 |
| Female | 41.3 | 43.6 | 39.7 | 44.0 | 47.4 | 23.4 | 22.3 | 27.1 | 26.8 | 25.4 |
| 20-29years old | 36.6 | 44.1 | 38.9 | 33.9 | 40.3 | 33.5 | 29.9 | 36.6 | 35.4 | 42.9 |
| 30-39years old | 42.6 | 40.1 | 34.9 | 41.0 | 45.1 | 31.5 | 30.4 | 37.4 | 35.7 | 32.8 |
| 40-49years old | 38.7 | 40.6 | 37.2 | 36.6 | 50.9 | 26.8 | 27.0 | 30.3 | 33.4 | 28.4 |
| 50-59years old | 40.1 | 41.6 | 40.4 | 45.2 | 48.9 | 21.3 | 22.9 | 22.9 | 24.4 | 22.7 |
| 60-69years old | 42.3 | 48.9 | 48.4 | 45.9 | 49.6 | 18.0 | 14.9 | 19.7 | 20.0 | 21.8 |
| Over 70years old | 43.1 | 53.0 | 41.8 | 51.2 | 53.9 | 10.2 | 7.3 | 12.7 | 11.4 | 11.8 |
| Employed | 39.8 | 42.5 | 38.4 | 40.0 | 46.4 | 26.1 | 24.9 | 28.7 | 28.6 | 27.8 |
| Professional or specialist position | 47.4 | 39.4 | 36.1 | 35.3 | 46.9 | 32.8 | 33.0 | 35.7 | 37.6 | 30.5 |
| Managerial post | 47.7 | 45.1 | 42.6 | 47.7 | 51.2 | 25.8 | 30.8 | 26.5 | 27.8 | 28.5 |
| Clerical post | 44.2 | 50.2 | 44.4 | 44.8 | 52.9 | 27.7 | 28.0 | 32.6 | 32.4 | 32.4 |
| Sales and marketing post | 33.2 | 35.7 | 34.3 | 42.4 | 43.3 | 29.0 | 23.1 | 29.9 | 29.3 | 33.3 |
| Sales/service post | 32.1 | 38.1 | 33.3 | 36.4 | 37.3 | 27.2 | 22.4 | 28.3 | 24.7 | 25.9 |
| Maintenance occupations | 66.7 | 68.4 | 64.7 | 12.5 | 63.6 | 16.7 | 31.6 | 23.5 | 50.0 | 9.1 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 32.1 | 40.9 | 29.6 | 39.3 | 51.3 | 28.6 | 31.8 | 25.9 | 29.5 | 23.1 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 38.0 | 44.8 | 39.6 | 41.1 | 46.8 | 20.1 | 19.5 | 22.6 | 19.3 | 20.2 |
| Unemployed | 41.6 | 47.7 | 44.0 | 47.4 | 52.7 | 19.9 | 17.5 | 21.8 | 22.4 | 20.1 |

| | Independent or self-employed careers | | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 15.3 | 15.1 | 14.0 | 13.3 | 11.7 |
| Male | 20.1 | 20.4 | 18.4 | 18.4 | 14.9 |
| Female | 11.0 | 10.8 | 10.3 | 8.6 | 9.1 |
| 20-29years old | 18.0 | 14.4 | 11.2 | 17.7 | 11.2 |
| 30-39years old | 13.7 | 17.0 | 15.6 | 11.3 | 12.6 |
| 40-49years old | 15.3 | 14.8 | 15.6 | 12.9 | 8.8 |
| 50-59years old | 16.5 | 17.7 | 15.2 | 13.9 | 12.7 |
| 60-69years old | 15.0 | 13.5 | 13.3 | 13.1 | 12.1 |
| Over 70years old | 12.2 | 12.9 | 11.3 | 12.1 | 12.0 |
| Employed | 17.6 | 18.2 | 16.9 | 16.0 | 13.5 |
| Professional or specialist position | 10.5 | 15.3 | 16.6 | 15.3 | 13.2 |
| Managerial post | 15.9 | 17.3 | 20.4 | 16.6 | 8.1 |
| Clerical post | 13.3 | 9.2 | 9.9 | 8.5 | 6.2 |
| Sales and marketing post | 21.4 | 27.6 | 21.4 | 18.5 | 13.5 |
| Sales/service post | 19.4 | 23.1 | 22.9 | 19.9 | 20.2 |
| Maintenance occupations | 8.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 25.0 | 0.0 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 21.4 | 13.6 | 11.1 | 21.3 | 15.4 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 21.4 | 18.1 | 16.9 | 16.2 | 16.7 |
| Unemployed | 11.1 | 10.5 | 9.0 | 9.2 | 9.1 |

Single-company career: "A career involving working for many years at a single company and gradually reaching management status" and "A career involving working for many years at a single company and gradually becoming an expert in a particular job"

Multi-company career: "A career involving gaining experience at a number of companies and gradually reaching management status" and "A career involving gaining experience at a number of companies and gradually becoming an expert in a particular job"

Independent or self-employed careers: "A career involving being employed initially, and then later becoming self-employed" and "A career involving being self-employed from the outset"

2 Principle of social distribution

| | Achievement | | | | | Effort | | | | |
|---|-------------|------|------|-------|------|--------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 77.5 | 77.9 | 83.0 | 83.8 | 83.9 | 84.2 | 83.7 | 83.8 | 86.9 | 88.6 |
| Male | 80.1 | 82.0 | 86.5 | 84.4 | 85.5 | 83.9 | 83.3 | 84.2 | 85.7 | 87.2 |
| Female | 75.2 | 74.6 | 80.0 | 83.2 | 82.6 | 84.4 | 84.0 | 83.4 | 88.1 | 89.7 |
| 20-29years old | 83.1 | 78.6 | 85.8 | 85.6 | 92.3 | 81.7 | 81.0 | 82.5 | 87.1 | 90.3 |
| 30-39years old | 80.9 | 81.3 | 90.0 | 89.8 | 89.4 | 83.3 | 82.0 | 83.2 | 84.1 | 89.9 |
| 40-49years old | 79.9 | 77.0 | 80.3 | 84.9 | 86.7 | 84.5 | 82.2 | 81.7 | 86.6 | 89.9 |
| 50-59years old | 73.9 | 76.4 | 80.1 | 82.3 | 77.8 | 84.7 | 82.7 | 86.2 | 86.8 | 87.1 |
| 60-69years old | 74.3 | 79.1 | 83.7 | 81.8 | 79.8 | 87.2 | 88.1 | 84.8 | 90.3 | 88.5 |
| Over 70years old | 73.4 | 75.3 | 79.4 | 79.1 | 84.3 | 81.9 | 85.0 | 83.1 | 86.2 | 87.3 |
| Employed | 79.0 | 78.0 | 84.0 | 84.7 | 85.6 | 84.9 | 82.7 | 84.6 | 86.5 | 88.1 |
| Professional or specialist position | 80.1 | 75.9 | 81.9 | 87.1 | 87.1 | 83.6 | 80.8 | 82.7 | 83.8 | 88.4 |
| Managerial post | 84.8 | 84.2 | 85.8 | 89.4 | 88.6 | 84.1 | 82.0 | 88.9 | 84.1 | 84.6 |
| Clerical post | 80.4 | 81.9 | 86.3 | 85.7 | 86.2 | 81.8 | 84.6 | 85.6 | 86.1 | 89.3 |
| Sales and marketing post | 76.5 | 81.9 | 86.1 | 84.2 | 85.8 | 82.8 | 84.2 | 80.6 | 85.3 | 93.6 |
| Sales/service post | 74.3 | 79.7 | 82.2 | 81.8 | 86.0 | 89.2 | 82.2 | 86.8 | 88.0 | 85.1 |
| Maintenance occupations | 100.0 | 78.9 | 88.2 | 100.0 | 54.5 | 83.3 | 73.7 | 94.1 | 87.5 | 90.9 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 82.1 | 79.5 | 77.8 | 83.6 | 87.2 | 89.3 | 86.4 | 85.2 | 88.5 | 89.7 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 78.4 | 71.5 | 83.4 | 81.3 | 82.3 | 85.2 | 82.4 | 83.8 | 89.7 | 88.2 |
| Unemployed | 74.7 | 77.8 | 81.1 | 82.4 | 81.6 | 82.9 | 85.2 | 82.3 | 87.5 | 89.2 |

| | Need | | | | | Equality | | | | |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|----------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 30.6 | 29.8 | 32.5 | 29.8 | 31.7 | 19.6 | 18.0 | 19.7 | 18.0 | 20.7 |
| Male | 32.2 | 31.4 | 32.6 | 31.1 | 31.4 | 18.3 | 17.7 | 17.7 | 17.8 | 19.8 |
| Female | 29.2 | 28.5 | 32.3 | 28.6 | 32.0 | 20.6 | 18.3 | 21.3 | 18.2 | 21.4 |
| 20-29years old | 29.9 | 29.4 | 34.0 | 28.4 | 38.3 | 17.5 | 14.7 | 18.2 | 17.0 | 19.4 |
| 30-39years old | 28.8 | 28.0 | 34.7 | 29.6 | 30.2 | 14.6 | 16.5 | 16.3 | 15.0 | 15.2 |
| 40-49years old | 28.3 | 27.5 | 29.7 | 31.5 | 33.4 | 16.6 | 15.8 | 20.4 | 17.7 | 16.2 |
| 50-59years old | 29.9 | 29.3 | 35.1 | 31.4 | 33.6 | 17.3 | 15.9 | 19.3 | 16.8 | 23.1 |
| 60-69years old | 33.3 | 31.2 | 33.0 | 27.2 | 30.6 | 26.1 | 21.3 | 21.3 | 21.2 | 24.0 |
| Over 70years old | 35.2 | 33.9 | 27.1 | 30.1 | 28.2 | 28.3 | 24.1 | 22.3 | 20.1 | 23.2 |
| Employed | 30.7 | 29.1 | 33.5 | 30.6 | 32.3 | 17.6 | 16.5 | 18.4 | 17.1 | 18.5 |
| Professional or specialist position | 30.3 | 26.1 | 35.0 | 27.9 | 33.3 | 14.3 | 12.8 | 20.2 | 13.5 | 16.4 |
| Managerial post | 28.8 | 31.6 | 31.5 | 31.8 | 31.7 | 15.9 | 12.0 | 9.3 | 14.6 | 12.2 |
| Clerical post | 29.1 | 28.7 | 32.3 | 32.4 | 27.6 | 11.2 | 16.0 | 13.4 | 18.5 | 15.6 |
| Sales and marketing post | 33.6 | 30.8 | 30.3 | 32.1 | 31.9 | 15.1 | 11.8 | 12.9 | 12.5 | 14.2 |
| Sales/service post | 28.0 | 33.2 | 36.4 | 31.3 | 35.1 | 23.1 | 15.7 | 24.4 | 18.2 | 25.4 |
| Maintenance occupations | 41.7 | 21.1 | 23.5 | 25.0 | 27.3 | 16.7 | 21.1 | 41.2 | 0.0 | 18.2 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 32.1 | 31.8 | 29.6 | 36.1 | 35.9 | 17.9 | 36.4 | 16.7 | 37.7 | 28.2 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 31.3 | 27.2 | 35.1 | 29.3 | 30.5 | 21.4 | 20.5 | 23.0 | 18.7 | 19.2 |
| Unemployed | 30.4 | 30.9 | 30.6 | 28.6 | 31.1 | 23.1 | 20.4 | 21.8 | 19.4 | 23.8 |

Total of "Agree" and "Somewhat agree"

Achievement: "It is preferable for those who have achieved better results to gain more"

Effort: "It is preferable for those who have made a greater effort to gain more"

Need: "It is preferable for those who need it to gain just what they need"

Equality: "It is preferable for everyone to gain roughly the same"

3 Japanese employment practices

| | Lifetime Employment | | | | | Seniority wage system | | | | |
|---|---------------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------------|------|------|------|-------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 72.3 | 77.5 | 76.1 | 78.0 | 86.1 | 60.8 | 61.8 | 62.3 | 66.7 | 71.9 |
| Male | 71.2 | 75.8 | 74.7 | 77.2 | 86.3 | 58.5 | 58.4 | 59.8 | 65.3 | 73.3 |
| Female | 73.3 | 78.8 | 77.4 | 78.8 | 85.9 | 62.8 | 64.7 | 64.4 | 68.0 | 70.8 |
| 20-29years old | 67.0 | 73.5 | 64.0 | 65.3 | 81.1 | 56.2 | 54.5 | 54.1 | 56.1 | 75.5 |
| 30-39years old | 69.1 | 72.0 | 72.6 | 72.1 | 85.9 | 56.8 | 57.7 | 55.8 | 62.3 | 63.8 |
| 40-49years old | 70.8 | 77.3 | 74.6 | 76.9 | 86.5 | 55.3 | 58.2 | 61.5 | 66.4 | 68.2 |
| 50-59years old | 71.0 | 77.1 | 78.9 | 80.0 | 86.0 | 60.2 | 61.3 | 61.8 | 67.4 | 72.0 |
| 60-69years old | 75.4 | 80.1 | 78.4 | 82.6 | 86.5 | 66.9 | 67.9 | 67.4 | 69.5 | 72.4 |
| Over 70years old | 83.2 | 84.0 | 85.0 | 85.4 | 87.7 | 73.0 | 70.1 | 72.0 | 74.5 | 79.1 |
| Employed | 70.4 | 75.3 | 74.0 | 75.9 | 86.1 | 58.2 | 58.2 | 59.1 | 63.3 | 69.0 |
| Professional or specialist position | 70.4 | 76.8 | 70.8 | 75.6 | 85.8 | 57.5 | 47.8 | 58.5 | 63.8 | 68.6 |
| Managerial post | 68.9 | 75.9 | 76.5 | 78.8 | 88.6 | 57.6 | 48.1 | 51.2 | 60.3 | 70.7 |
| Clerical post | 69.1 | 79.2 | 74.8 | 76.4 | 89.8 | 53.3 | 60.4 | 60.1 | 58.7 | 65.3 |
| Sales and marketing post | 68.5 | 72.9 | 76.1 | 77.2 | 78.7 | 54.6 | 57.5 | 62.2 | 62.0 | 64.5 |
| Sales/service post | 67.5 | 71.3 | 71.3 | 74.9 | 88.2 | 58.2 | 60.8 | 53.1 | 66.7 | 71.1 |
| Maintenance occupations | 75.0 | 78.9 | 94.1 | 87.5 | 90.9 | 41.7 | 68.4 | 64.7 | 62.5 | 100.0 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 64.3 | 68.2 | 72.2 | 73.8 | 71.8 | 64.3 | 63.6 | 61.1 | 68.9 | 69.2 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 74.2 | 76.0 | 75.2 | 75.7 | 86.7 | 62.0 | 61.9 | 64.2 | 65.4 | 68.0 |
| Unemployed | 75.7 | 80.7 | 79.8 | 81.2 | 86.1 | 65.5 | 67.4 | 67.8 | 71.8 | 75.9 |

| | A sense of unity with the organization | | | | | Increase in pay in return for reduction in benefit system | | | | |
|---|--|------|------|------|------|---|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 74.6 | 76.9 | 79.1 | 77.8 | 84.3 | 50.8 | 53.6 | 53.8 | 61.1 | 64.5 |
| Male | 81.0 | 82.6 | 85.1 | 82.9 | 89.8 | 50.3 | 54.9 | 54.2 | 60.9 | 63.9 |
| Female | 69.1 | 72.2 | 73.9 | 73.2 | 80.0 | 51.2 | 52.5 | 53.6 | 61.3 | 65.0 |
| 20-29years old | 79.2 | 80.2 | 84.5 | 75.3 | 92.3 | 54.0 | 55.6 | 56.4 | 61.3 | 62.8 |
| 30-39years old | 79.1 | 80.3 | 81.2 | 78.9 | 91.1 | 56.1 | 60.8 | 59.2 | 65.4 | 67.0 |
| 40-49years old | 73.5 | 76.0 | 77.1 | 82.1 | 89.9 | 53.8 | 54.5 | 54.9 | 64.7 | 71.6 |
| 50-59years old | 73.1 | 76.6 | 79.1 | 76.1 | 81.3 | 48.9 | 57.0 | 57.0 | 63.3 | 67.3 |
| 60-69years old | 73.7 | 77.3 | 79.9 | 80.3 | 82.1 | 47.3 | 47.5 | 50.3 | 58.4 | 62.1 |
| Over 70years old | 69.1 | 70.9 | 73.4 | 72.6 | 75.9 | 43.1 | 46.5 | 43.2 | 52.7 | 57.3 |
| Employed | 77.2 | 80.2 | 82.2 | 79.0 | 86.7 | 53.1 | 56.0 | 55.6 | 63.4 | 67.1 |
| Professional or specialist position | 82.6 | 82.8 | 84.8 | 85.0 | 90.9 | 53.3 | 56.2 | 56.0 | 61.5 | 63.2 |
| Managerial post | 87.9 | 92.5 | 87.0 | 86.8 | 93.5 | 59.1 | 64.7 | 52.5 | 66.9 | 56.9 |
| Clerical post | 71.2 | 78.8 | 79.9 | 80.3 | 88.4 | 57.5 | 62.1 | 58.8 | 63.3 | 69.3 |
| Sales and marketing post | 76.5 | 81.0 | 88.1 | 79.9 | 85.8 | 52.5 | 53.4 | 54.7 | 71.2 | 70.2 |
| Sales/service post | 76.5 | 78.0 | 80.2 | 74.9 | 82.9 | 51.5 | 52.8 | 55.8 | 60.8 | 70.6 |
| Maintenance occupations | 100.0 | 89.5 | 76.5 | 62.5 | 72.7 | 58.3 | 57.9 | 41.2 | 75.0 | 72.7 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 80.4 | 79.5 | 79.6 | 68.9 | 92.3 | 50.0 | 54.5 | 70.4 | 54.1 | 74.4 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 77.9 | 76.8 | 79.5 | 74.8 | 80.3 | 52.9 | 53.6 | 53.1 | 63.6 | 69.0 |
| Unemployed | 70.2 | 72.0 | 73.6 | 76.0 | 80.8 | 46.7 | 50.0 | 50.8 | 57.7 | 60.9 |

| | Self-development | | | | |
|---|------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 70.6 | 72.1 | 73.6 | 71.6 | 71.7 |
| Male | 73.7 | 79.1 | 78.1 | 76.0 | 73.8 |
| Female | 67.9 | 66.4 | 69.8 | 67.5 | 70.1 |
| 20-29years old | 73.4 | 75.1 | 72.6 | 76.8 | 80.6 |
| 30-39years old | 70.0 | 79.1 | 76.2 | 72.3 | 75.3 |
| 40-49years old | 73.7 | 72.5 | 75.5 | 74.6 | 76.7 |
| 50-59years old | 69.5 | 70.0 | 74.5 | 73.9 | 70.4 |
| 60-69years old | 70.3 | 70.2 | 73.4 | 68.7 | 70.6 |
| Over 70years old | 64.8 | 66.9 | 66.9 | 64.3 | 63.4 |
| Employed | 73.4 | 75.1 | 75.7 | 74.7 | 75.8 |
| Professional or specialist position | 71.8 | 81.8 | 78.3 | 76.5 | 76.7 |
| Managerial post | 75.8 | 83.5 | 80.9 | 82.1 | 69.9 |
| Clerical post | 73.3 | 72.7 | 78.0 | 77.2 | 74.2 |
| Sales and marketing post | 79.4 | 74.7 | 76.1 | 77.2 | 83.7 |
| Sales/service post | 72.0 | 77.3 | 70.9 | 74.2 | 78.9 |
| Maintenance occupations | 91.7 | 57.9 | 52.9 | 75.0 | 45.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 69.6 | 72.7 | 68.5 | 73.8 | 76.9 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 71.4 | 69.6 | 74.3 | 67.6 | 72.9 |
| Unemployed | 65.7 | 67.6 | 69.9 | 66.9 | 66.0 |

Lifetime employment, seniority wage system, and a sense of unity with the organization: Total of "It is a good thing" and "It is somewhat a good thing"
 Increase in pay in return for reduction in benefit system, and self-development: Total of "Agree" and "Somewhat agree"

Lifetime employment: "Japanese-style lifetime employment, whereby one works at a single company until reaching the mandatory retirement age"
 Seniority wage system: "Japanese-style seniority-based wage system, whereby one's pay increases along with the number of years of continuous service"
 A sense of unity with the organization: "A sense of unity with the company or workplace"

Increase in pay in return for reduction in benefit system: "Rather than enhancing welfare facilities, such as company housing and recreation facilities, employee pay should be increased by a commensurate amount"

Self-development: "Rather than enhancing welfare facilities, such as company housing and recreation facilities, employee pay should be increased by a commensurate amount"

4 Social consciousness (Middle class identity/satisfaction in life/sense of unfairness)

| | Identification with the middle class | | | | | Satisfaction in life | | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|----------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 86.6 | 87.0 | 87.3 | 85.2 | 87.3 | 66.9 | 68.2 | 65.2 | 65.6 | 67.3 |
| Male | 87.0 | 87.1 | 87.5 | 85.7 | 86.8 | 64.1 | 64.6 | 62.3 | 62.9 | 64.2 |
| Female | 86.4 | 86.9 | 87.1 | 84.8 | 87.8 | 69.3 | 71.2 | 67.6 | 68.0 | 69.7 |
| 20-29years old | 83.9 | 85.0 | 83.5 | 81.5 | 84.2 | 64.5 | 65.2 | 58.4 | 60.1 | 65.3 |
| 30-39years old | 89.6 | 91.7 | 89.6 | 88.2 | 89.9 | 60.1 | 64.0 | 63.9 | 59.3 | 67.5 |
| 40-49years old | 90.0 | 87.1 | 88.8 | 86.2 | 89.9 | 63.3 | 63.7 | 61.3 | 59.9 | 61.0 |
| 50-59years old | 88.9 | 88.9 | 88.3 | 85.2 | 90.2 | 67.6 | 65.4 | 64.3 | 64.3 | 64.2 |
| 60-69years old | 84.0 | 86.5 | 88.0 | 85.4 | 87.9 | 70.3 | 70.4 | 69.1 | 70.8 | 70.6 |
| Over 70years old | 79.6 | 81.4 | 82.5 | 83.0 | 80.9 | 78.9 | 82.4 | 74.0 | 77.7 | 72.7 |
| Employed | 87.9 | 88.1 | 88.3 | 86.0 | 89.1 | 63.3 | 65.1 | 61.6 | 62.2 | 64.2 |
| Professional or specialist position | 89.5 | 89.2 | 89.9 | 87.6 | 91.5 | 63.4 | 67.5 | 65.7 | 65.9 | 70.1 |
| Managerial post | 92.4 | 94.7 | 90.7 | 87.4 | 95.1 | 83.3 | 77.4 | 69.1 | 72.8 | 77.2 |
| Clerical post | 89.1 | 92.8 | 89.8 | 88.8 | 92.9 | 63.2 | 70.3 | 69.3 | 70.3 | 69.8 |
| Sales and marketing post | 87.8 | 88.2 | 91.0 | 87.5 | 89.4 | 61.8 | 60.2 | 57.2 | 53.8 | 64.5 |
| Sales/service post | 88.1 | 87.4 | 84.5 | 85.6 | 86.0 | 57.5 | 57.7 | 54.7 | 60.1 | 57.9 |
| Maintenance occupations | 100.0 | 94.7 | 94.1 | 87.5 | 81.8 | 58.3 | 63.2 | 52.9 | 37.5 | 81.8 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 76.8 | 84.1 | 85.2 | 78.7 | 76.9 | 53.6 | 50.0 | 46.3 | 45.9 | 41.0 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 85.7 | 83.7 | 87.0 | 83.2 | 84.7 | 60.2 | 65.3 | 58.8 | 57.6 | 53.2 |
| Unemployed | 84.4 | 85.2 | 85.5 | 84.1 | 84.8 | 73.2 | 72.9 | 71.3 | 70.6 | 71.6 |

| | Sense of unfairness | | | | |
|---|---------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 72.2 | 68.3 | 71.1 | 71.2 | 74.6 |
| Male | 66.6 | 63.2 | 65.6 | 68.0 | 69.1 |
| Female | 77.0 | 72.5 | 75.7 | 74.1 | 79.0 |
| 20-29years old | 75.3 | 73.5 | 71.9 | 73.1 | 76.5 |
| 30-39years old | 75.0 | 71.5 | 70.5 | 75.8 | 74.7 |
| 40-49years old | 71.2 | 70.7 | 76.5 | 75.4 | 78.8 |
| 50-59years old | 76.2 | 69.3 | 73.3 | 73.9 | 76.9 |
| 60-69years old | 70.1 | 66.3 | 71.3 | 67.8 | 75.4 |
| Over 70years old | 61.8 | 58.3 | 58.8 | 60.4 | 67.0 |
| Employed | 73.3 | 69.6 | 72.5 | 72.3 | 75.3 |
| Professional or specialist position | 68.6 | 69.0 | 70.8 | 70.0 | 72.0 |
| Managerial post | 62.1 | 54.1 | 56.8 | 58.9 | 63.4 |
| Clerical post | 75.8 | 73.7 | 71.9 | 64.5 | 76.4 |
| Sales and marketing post | 74.8 | 70.6 | 73.1 | 74.5 | 77.3 |
| Sales/service post | 76.9 | 74.1 | 77.1 | 78.4 | 79.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 83.3 | 89.5 | 58.8 | 75.0 | 72.7 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 71.4 | 70.5 | 75.9 | 85.2 | 82.1 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 77.3 | 67.7 | 77.9 | 76.6 | 80.8 |
| Unemployed | 70.2 | 66.5 | 68.5 | 69.5 | 73.9 |

Middle class identity: Those who, if Japanese society is divided into five classes, believe that they belong to either the "Upper-middle," "Middle-middle," or "Lower-middle" class

Satisfaction in life: Total of "Satisfied" and "Somewhat satisfied"

Sense of unfairness: Total of "It is not so fair" and "It is not fair at all"

5—1 Social consciousness (Sense of unfairness concerning treatment(1))

| | Sex | | | | | Age | | | | |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 67.7 | 64.9 | 66.6 | 65.0 | 61.8 | 58.2 | 55.8 | 58.1 | 59.3 | 54.8 |
| Male | 63.7 | 60.5 | 61.2 | 61.7 | 57.4 | 54.1 | 52.8 | 53.8 | 56.5 | 51.0 |
| Female | 71.2 | 68.5 | 71.2 | 67.9 | 65.3 | 61.8 | 58.4 | 61.8 | 61.8 | 57.8 |
| 20-29years old | 71.5 | 68.2 | 71.9 | 69.4 | 58.2 | 63.2 | 64.2 | 63.7 | 67.9 | 54.1 |
| 30-39years old | 75.5 | 77.6 | 68.3 | 70.4 | 60.9 | 64.6 | 64.0 | 60.8 | 62.5 | 54.3 |
| 40-49years old | 70.4 | 67.8 | 73.8 | 74.4 | 69.5 | 60.4 | 57.4 | 66.7 | 64.9 | 58.1 |
| 50-59years old | 70.8 | 65.9 | 66.2 | 65.0 | 67.3 | 61.8 | 54.1 | 58.0 | 58.2 | 59.1 |
| 60-69years old | 59.5 | 59.2 | 63.8 | 57.5 | 59.5 | 50.5 | 53.0 | 54.1 | 55.2 | 52.6 |
| Over 70years old | 54.9 | 51.2 | 54.2 | 55.1 | 54.5 | 45.1 | 43.6 | 43.8 | 50.2 | 50.9 |
| Employed | 68.2 | 66.4 | 67.6 | 66.6 | 62.6 | 59.1 | 57.4 | 60.0 | 60.7 | 55.8 |
| Professional or specialist position | 70.7 | 77.8 | 66.1 | 68.8 | 61.0 | 56.4 | 58.6 | 63.5 | 55.0 | 51.9 |
| Managerial post | 67.4 | 57.1 | 66.7 | 68.9 | 61.8 | 51.5 | 42.1 | 50.0 | 53.6 | 51.2 |
| Clerical post | 74.4 | 73.7 | 74.4 | 66.4 | 67.6 | 63.2 | 62.5 | 62.0 | 59.8 | 55.6 |
| Sales and marketing post | 64.7 | 72.9 | 67.7 | 71.7 | 65.2 | 59.2 | 64.3 | 61.7 | 69.0 | 53.9 |
| Sales/service post | 69.0 | 62.9 | 68.2 | 66.3 | 63.6 | 63.8 | 60.1 | 67.1 | 62.9 | 60.1 |
| Maintenance occupations | 75.0 | 78.9 | 64.7 | 87.5 | 45.5 | 75.0 | 84.2 | 64.7 | 75.0 | 63.6 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 67.9 | 47.7 | 64.8 | 50.8 | 53.8 | 62.5 | 43.2 | 63.0 | 57.4 | 66.7 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 65.9 | 61.9 | 64.7 | 62.9 | 60.6 | 59.9 | 55.5 | 55.1 | 64.5 | 57.6 |
| Unemployed | 66.9 | 62.7 | 64.8 | 62.5 | 60.8 | 56.7 | 53.5 | 54.9 | 57.0 | 53.6 |

| | Educational attainment | | | | | Occupation | | | | |
|---|------------------------|------|------|------|------|------------|------|------|-------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 71.5 | 70.3 | 70.7 | 72.4 | 67.0 | 70.5 | 67.0 | 68.8 | 69.5 | 69.3 |
| Male | 67.3 | 67.7 | 68.7 | 71.0 | 63.7 | 67.9 | 66.6 | 67.3 | 69.1 | 66.5 |
| Female | 75.2 | 72.4 | 72.4 | 73.7 | 69.6 | 72.8 | 67.3 | 70.2 | 69.9 | 71.6 |
| 20-29years old | 77.0 | 76.7 | 73.6 | 73.8 | 67.9 | 74.8 | 70.6 | 68.6 | 70.1 | 70.9 |
| 30-39years old | 76.4 | 77.6 | 72.8 | 73.9 | 67.2 | 77.0 | 74.5 | 70.1 | 71.2 | 73.3 |
| 40-49years old | 70.4 | 70.3 | 76.3 | 75.2 | 69.8 | 72.4 | 73.4 | 78.8 | 77.4 | 74.5 |
| 50-59years old | 74.5 | 70.9 | 71.3 | 74.4 | 66.0 | 72.0 | 66.3 | 71.0 | 72.7 | 70.9 |
| 60-69years old | 67.9 | 67.9 | 67.2 | 70.4 | 68.3 | 65.7 | 64.0 | 65.1 | 65.7 | 68.5 |
| Over 70years old | 60.5 | 58.5 | 61.9 | 66.5 | 63.6 | 57.6 | 52.8 | 54.8 | 58.7 | 60.5 |
| Employed | 71.4 | 70.8 | 72.0 | 73.2 | 67.2 | 71.6 | 69.7 | 71.6 | 71.6 | 70.1 |
| Professional or specialist position | 67.6 | 71.9 | 71.5 | 69.4 | 64.2 | 71.1 | 70.4 | 72.2 | 68.8 | 72.6 |
| Managerial post | 66.7 | 61.7 | 57.4 | 67.5 | 59.3 | 71.2 | 60.9 | 64.8 | 69.5 | 69.1 |
| Clerical post | 73.7 | 70.3 | 73.5 | 68.7 | 64.9 | 73.7 | 76.8 | 72.5 | 70.7 | 72.9 |
| Sales and marketing post | 64.7 | 75.1 | 73.6 | 75.0 | 68.8 | 68.1 | 71.5 | 74.6 | 73.9 | 67.4 |
| Sales/service post | 78.0 | 76.6 | 72.1 | 77.3 | 75.0 | 75.0 | 71.3 | 71.7 | 76.3 | 67.5 |
| Maintenance occupations | 75.0 | 73.7 | 70.6 | 87.5 | 81.8 | 83.3 | 84.2 | 94.1 | 100.0 | 72.7 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 66.1 | 75.0 | 79.6 | 78.7 | 71.8 | 71.4 | 68.2 | 75.9 | 73.8 | 74.4 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 76.3 | 68.5 | 75.6 | 76.9 | 65.5 | 72.1 | 66.1 | 70.2 | 68.5 | 65.5 |
| Unemployed | 71.9 | 69.4 | 68.5 | 71.3 | 66.9 | 68.6 | 62.9 | 64.2 | 66.4 | 68.2 |

Total of "It is not so fair" and "It is not fair at all"

Sex: Different treatment depending on gender

Age: Different treatment depending on age

Educational attainment: Different treatment depending on academic background

Occupation: Different treatment depending on occupation

5-2 Social consciousness (Sense of unfairness concerning treatment(2))

| | Income | | | | | Property | | | | |
|---|--------|------|------|------|------|----------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 70.3 | 65.4 | 68.6 | 69.8 | 72.8 | 68.5 | 64.6 | 66.8 | 68.0 | 69.8 |
| Male | 67.8 | 64.5 | 67.5 | 69.4 | 70.5 | 67.1 | 63.8 | 66.4 | 68.0 | 67.6 |
| Female | 72.5 | 66.2 | 69.6 | 70.2 | 74.7 | 69.7 | 65.2 | 67.2 | 68.1 | 71.5 |
| 20-29years old | 70.6 | 65.0 | 66.3 | 69.4 | 73.5 | 69.8 | 60.2 | 63.7 | 67.9 | 72.4 |
| 30-39years old | 76.1 | 77.6 | 72.1 | 71.7 | 73.3 | 75.2 | 76.4 | 71.0 | 70.4 | 68.7 |
| 40-49years old | 73.2 | 68.6 | 76.3 | 75.4 | 78.8 | 71.7 | 69.1 | 73.8 | 75.2 | 76.1 |
| 50-59years old | 71.0 | 65.7 | 70.7 | 72.2 | 77.1 | 67.8 | 66.8 | 67.9 | 70.3 | 69.3 |
| 60-69years old | 67.1 | 62.4 | 66.8 | 69.3 | 70.2 | 65.7 | 59.4 | 65.1 | 66.5 | 69.4 |
| Over 70years old | 60.2 | 52.5 | 54.0 | 59.0 | 65.7 | 57.2 | 54.9 | 55.1 | 56.3 | 65.0 |
| Employed | 71.5 | 67.5 | 71.3 | 71.8 | 74.7 | 69.3 | 67.0 | 69.6 | 70.1 | 70.4 |
| Professional or specialist position | 70.4 | 66.5 | 70.4 | 65.9 | 73.6 | 72.8 | 69.0 | 71.1 | 65.9 | 68.2 |
| Managerial post | 65.2 | 56.4 | 58.0 | 70.2 | 69.1 | 61.4 | 57.1 | 64.2 | 64.2 | 68.3 |
| Clerical post | 74.4 | 71.3 | 73.8 | 68.7 | 71.6 | 67.4 | 72.4 | 70.6 | 67.6 | 66.2 |
| Sales and marketing post | 71.4 | 68.8 | 75.6 | 71.2 | 74.5 | 66.4 | 74.7 | 72.6 | 70.7 | 68.8 |
| Sales/service post | 73.1 | 68.9 | 69.0 | 77.3 | 78.1 | 73.9 | 67.8 | 69.0 | 73.5 | 75.4 |
| Maintenance occupations | 75.0 | 73.7 | 76.5 | 50.0 | 54.5 | 91.7 | 89.5 | 58.8 | 50.0 | 54.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 66.1 | 63.6 | 77.8 | 72.1 | 76.9 | 67.9 | 61.4 | 70.4 | 75.4 | 69.2 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 73.4 | 68.0 | 73.3 | 76.0 | 75.9 | 69.8 | 61.3 | 69.9 | 74.8 | 73.9 |
| Unemployed | 68.2 | 62.3 | 63.9 | 66.8 | 70.5 | 67.1 | 61.0 | 62.1 | 65.1 | 69.1 |

| | Family lineage | | | | | Nationality/Race | | | | |
|---|----------------|------|------|------|------|------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 59.5 | 58.0 | 59.7 | 60.3 | 59.9 | 73.9 | 73.8 | 74.2 | 74.2 | 74.5 |
| Male | 58.8 | 56.1 | 58.6 | 59.1 | 57.5 | 73.1 | 74.4 | 75.1 | 75.1 | 73.9 |
| Female | 60.2 | 59.6 | 60.7 | 61.4 | 61.8 | 74.6 | 73.2 | 73.4 | 73.3 | 75.0 |
| 20-29years old | 63.2 | 54.0 | 55.8 | 55.0 | 50.5 | 80.3 | 78.1 | 80.2 | 74.2 | 79.6 |
| 30-39years old | 60.4 | 66.4 | 64.2 | 59.7 | 60.3 | 80.9 | 83.9 | 79.8 | 78.4 | 79.0 |
| 40-49years old | 64.6 | 61.7 | 63.6 | 65.7 | 66.3 | 78.3 | 79.5 | 82.7 | 82.8 | 82.2 |
| 50-59years old | 56.7 | 59.3 | 63.1 | 63.8 | 65.1 | 73.1 | 72.1 | 74.3 | 79.1 | 79.3 |
| 60-69years old | 55.5 | 54.4 | 57.3 | 59.2 | 58.3 | 67.7 | 69.0 | 69.4 | 69.3 | 69.4 |
| Over 70years old | 56.9 | 51.7 | 49.7 | 54.6 | 54.8 | 59.9 | 60.6 | 56.2 | 59.0 | 63.0 |
| Employed | 59.8 | 58.5 | 62.6 | 61.4 | 60.5 | 74.7 | 75.3 | 76.9 | 78.4 | 76.4 |
| Professional or specialist position | 58.5 | 61.1 | 59.9 | 58.8 | 58.5 | 77.7 | 79.3 | 78.3 | 80.9 | 74.2 |
| Managerial post | 55.3 | 48.1 | 56.8 | 55.6 | 56.1 | 69.7 | 69.9 | 74.7 | 78.8 | 74.0 |
| Clerical post | 57.9 | 63.8 | 62.3 | 59.8 | 55.6 | 77.9 | 79.5 | 82.7 | 78.4 | 76.9 |
| Sales and marketing post | 53.4 | 65.6 | 70.1 | 63.0 | 59.6 | 76.5 | 83.3 | 79.1 | 82.6 | 79.4 |
| Sales/service post | 62.7 | 58.4 | 63.2 | 64.9 | 66.2 | 78.0 | 70.6 | 75.2 | 79.4 | 79.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 75.0 | 57.9 | 76.5 | 37.5 | 63.6 | 83.3 | 84.2 | 94.1 | 87.5 | 72.7 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 58.9 | 54.5 | 68.5 | 62.3 | 69.2 | 75.0 | 77.3 | 75.9 | 73.8 | 76.9 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 64.6 | 56.0 | 61.7 | 65.1 | 62.6 | 71.4 | 72.0 | 72.2 | 74.5 | 72.9 |
| Unemployed | 59.2 | 57.3 | 54.8 | 58.6 | 59.3 | 72.5 | 71.4 | 69.4 | 67.8 | 71.9 |

Total of "It is not so fair" and "It is not fair at all"

Income: Different treatment depending on income

Property: Different treatment depending on property

Family lineage: Different treatment depending on family lineage

Nationality/Race: Different treatment depending on nationality/race

6 Job satisfaction (People with jobs)

| | Dimension of effort | | | | | Dimension of ability | | | | |
|---|---------------------|------|------|------|------|----------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 50.1 | 51.6 | 52.1 | 50.5 | 51.5 | 60.6 | 59.9 | 59.9 | 59.0 | 65.8 |
| Male | 52.6 | 52.5 | 52.8 | 51.0 | 52.2 | 61.2 | 62.9 | 59.8 | 59.2 | 66.6 |
| Female | 47.0 | 50.5 | 51.1 | 49.8 | 50.7 | 59.7 | 56.1 | 60.1 | 58.9 | 64.9 |
| 20-29years old | 44.2 | 50.6 | 50.0 | 49.2 | 44.0 | 53.6 | 57.2 | 50.9 | 46.0 | 61.9 |
| 30-39years old | 47.1 | 47.6 | 53.0 | 42.9 | 53.4 | 55.9 | 52.4 | 56.7 | 53.4 | 66.0 |
| 40-49years old | 52.6 | 49.6 | 46.7 | 49.9 | 51.7 | 61.4 | 57.7 | 56.1 | 59.8 | 62.9 |
| 50-59years old | 50.7 | 51.6 | 50.9 | 49.7 | 49.0 | 64.9 | 60.5 | 61.9 | 60.8 | 63.2 |
| 60-69years old | 52.9 | 56.0 | 59.4 | 63.7 | 55.6 | 61.0 | 70.8 | 69.9 | 70.2 | 73.4 |
| Over 70years old | 56.9 | 69.2 | 70.1 | 59.4 | 57.4 | 76.5 | 72.3 | 79.1 | 72.5 | 75.0 |
| Employed | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Professional or specialist position | 52.6 | 54.7 | 51.6 | 55.9 | 55.0 | 72.5 | 62.6 | 64.3 | 66.8 | 71.7 |
| Managerial post | 69.7 | 67.7 | 69.8 | 65.6 | 67.5 | 73.5 | 78.9 | 71.0 | 74.2 | 77.2 |
| Clerical post | 51.2 | 49.5 | 55.6 | 51.7 | 59.1 | 53.7 | 54.3 | 56.9 | 53.7 | 66.2 |
| Sales and marketing post | 52.5 | 48.0 | 48.3 | 46.2 | 49.6 | 62.6 | 51.1 | 53.2 | 53.8 | 59.6 |
| Sales/service post | 47.0 | 47.2 | 48.4 | 47.1 | 48.2 | 57.8 | 54.5 | 60.5 | 56.7 | 66.7 |
| Maintenance occupations | 66.7 | 57.9 | 52.9 | 25.0 | 27.3 | 66.7 | 78.9 | 52.9 | 37.5 | 45.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 46.4 | 47.7 | 48.1 | 39.3 | 28.2 | 48.2 | 56.8 | 59.3 | 49.2 | 53.8 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 42.7 | 53.6 | 47.8 | 45.5 | 39.9 | 52.9 | 64.5 | 58.5 | 56.4 | 55.2 |
| Unemployed | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

| | Dimension of work | | | | | Dimension of responsibility | | | | |
|---|-------------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 49.8 | 48.7 | 50.8 | 51.3 | 53.3 | 61.3 | 62.4 | 60.3 | 59.3 | 64.0 |
| Male | 51.9 | 53.1 | 50.6 | 50.2 | 56.0 | 65.4 | 66.4 | 63.9 | 61.4 | 67.0 |
| Female | 47.1 | 43.5 | 51.1 | 52.6 | 50.4 | 56.0 | 57.5 | 55.6 | 56.6 | 60.7 |
| 20-29years old | 53.6 | 52.3 | 42.6 | 49.7 | 55.2 | 52.8 | 60.1 | 50.9 | 52.4 | 61.2 |
| 30-39years old | 50.2 | 44.6 | 53.4 | 50.0 | 53.7 | 56.2 | 55.1 | 59.5 | 55.7 | 65.7 |
| 40-49years old | 49.4 | 48.2 | 52.1 | 53.8 | 56.5 | 64.6 | 61.1 | 55.0 | 58.8 | 64.8 |
| 50-59years old | 50.5 | 50.4 | 49.8 | 51.0 | 51.6 | 66.1 | 65.9 | 64.7 | 60.1 | 59.8 |
| 60-69years old | 43.9 | 49.4 | 53.6 | 50.7 | 52.3 | 61.9 | 68.3 | 68.2 | 67.0 | 68.7 |
| Over 70years old | 54.9 | 44.6 | 53.7 | 50.7 | 45.6 | 60.8 | 67.7 | 68.7 | 71.0 | 66.2 |
| Employed | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Professional or specialist position | 64.5 | 61.6 | 61.0 | 62.1 | 64.5 | 71.1 | 69.5 | 69.3 | 64.7 | 69.8 |
| Managerial post | 63.6 | 71.4 | 63.0 | 64.2 | 65.9 | 82.6 | 88.0 | 75.3 | 78.8 | 80.5 |
| Clerical post | 43.5 | 39.9 | 48.2 | 50.6 | 53.8 | 55.8 | 53.9 | 55.3 | 59.5 | 66.7 |
| Sales and marketing post | 52.9 | 44.8 | 50.7 | 48.4 | 53.9 | 62.2 | 64.7 | 58.7 | 56.0 | 62.4 |
| Sales/service post | 46.3 | 40.6 | 53.5 | 49.1 | 48.2 | 61.9 | 61.2 | 58.1 | 56.4 | 58.3 |
| Maintenance occupations | 58.3 | 63.2 | 47.1 | 12.5 | 36.4 | 66.7 | 57.9 | 58.8 | 37.5 | 27.3 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 33.9 | 43.2 | 42.6 | 44.3 | 30.8 | 53.6 | 59.1 | 48.1 | 52.5 | 43.6 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 41.1 | 47.7 | 40.8 | 39.9 | 40.4 | 51.3 | 57.3 | 56.5 | 51.7 | 55.7 |
| Unemployed | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

Total of "Satisfied" and "Somewhat satisfied"

Dimension of effort: Ability to obtain treatment (salary/promotion) commensurate with effort

Dimension of ability: Ability to adequately demonstrate own abilities

Dimension of work: The job provides new challenges (stimulation)

Dimension of responsibility: Being entrusted with a wide range of responsibilities

7 View of freeters

| | Free and diverse | | | | Unstable life | | | |
|---|------------------|------|------|------|---------------|------|------|-------|
| | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 35.7 | 34.2 | 39.9 | 26.8 | 79.6 | 80.9 | 85.5 | 88.0 |
| Male | 36.7 | 36.2 | 39.0 | 29.4 | 78.3 | 80.0 | 84.6 | 88.8 |
| Female | 34.9 | 32.5 | 40.7 | 24.7 | 80.7 | 81.7 | 86.3 | 87.4 |
| 20-29years old | 51.6 | 50.2 | 59.4 | 49.0 | 73.8 | 74.9 | 80.4 | 85.7 |
| 30-39years old | 46.2 | 44.0 | 45.5 | 35.9 | 80.3 | 79.8 | 85.2 | 88.2 |
| 40-49years old | 33.8 | 34.9 | 38.6 | 28.4 | 80.1 | 85.7 | 86.0 | 88.3 |
| 50-59years old | 32.0 | 28.3 | 36.5 | 22.4 | 82.9 | 82.9 | 90.8 | 88.9 |
| 60-69years old | 29.3 | 30.2 | 37.1 | 23.2 | 82.3 | 81.4 | 86.0 | 91.7 |
| Over 70years old | 26.2 | 23.4 | 30.6 | 16.8 | 75.3 | 76.0 | 80.3 | 83.4 |
| Employed | 36.5 | 35.3 | 40.8 | 29.3 | 80.5 | 81.9 | 85.9 | 88.5 |
| Professional or specialist position | 38.9 | 33.6 | 38.2 | 24.2 | 77.3 | 79.1 | 86.2 | 90.6 |
| Managerial post | 32.3 | 29.6 | 33.8 | 29.3 | 73.7 | 88.9 | 87.4 | 85.4 |
| Clerical post | 35.5 | 35.5 | 39.4 | 30.7 | 82.3 | 83.1 | 85.7 | 91.6 |
| Sales and marketing post | 40.3 | 31.8 | 46.2 | 35.5 | 80.5 | 83.1 | 83.7 | 85.8 |
| Sales/service post | 38.5 | 38.8 | 43.3 | 32.5 | 83.2 | 81.4 | 85.6 | 84.6 |
| Maintenance occupations | 57.9 | 41.2 | 50.0 | 18.2 | 78.9 | 82.4 | 75.0 | 100.0 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 43.2 | 50.0 | 34.4 | 30.8 | 75.0 | 70.4 | 85.2 | 92.3 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 33.1 | 36.0 | 43.0 | 30.5 | 82.1 | 82.0 | 86.9 | 89.2 |
| Unemployed | 34.5 | 32.3 | 38.4 | 23.2 | 78.4 | 79.1 | 84.9 | 87.2 |

Total of "Agree" and "Somewhat agree"

Free and diverse: A free, diverse way of working

Unstable life: A way of working that makes life unstable

8 Vocational skills development

| | Confidence in vocational ability | | | | Need for vocational ability | | | | A variety of jobs | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|------|------|------|-----------------------------|------|------|------|-------------------|------|------|------|
| | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 57.2 | 56.7 | 56.2 | 55.6 | 58.4 | 60.2 | 61.3 | 60.2 | 54.6 | 55.7 | 50.4 | 53.5 |
| Male | 71.4 | 71.3 | 71.6 | 69.1 | 65.7 | 67.7 | 67.1 | 68.9 | 60.6 | 62.8 | 56.8 | 61.1 |
| Female | 45.6 | 44.2 | 42.2 | 44.9 | 52.3 | 53.8 | 56.0 | 53.4 | 49.7 | 49.6 | 44.7 | 47.5 |
| 20-29years old | 58.0 | 53.1 | 51.3 | 50.5 | 81.3 | 82.5 | 85.6 | 87.2 | 66.0 | 68.3 | 60.9 | 65.3 |
| 30-39years old | 61.3 | 59.2 | 56.4 | 59.5 | 80.8 | 83.4 | 80.8 | 84.8 | 64.2 | 65.1 | 60.6 | 64.1 |
| 40-49years old | 62.5 | 63.6 | 65.5 | 64.5 | 75.2 | 74.8 | 77.8 | 82.0 | 62.9 | 63.4 | 55.0 | 65.0 |
| 50-59years old | 67.7 | 67.2 | 64.9 | 65.3 | 56.8 | 59.3 | 61.3 | 64.0 | 54.5 | 56.8 | 50.9 | 55.6 |
| 60-69years old | 56.6 | 54.1 | 55.4 | 57.1 | 36.9 | 39.3 | 44.6 | 41.7 | 46.8 | 49.0 | 47.4 | 48.4 |
| Over 70years old | 31.0 | 32.2 | 37.1 | 35.2 | 24.1 | 23.2 | 26.5 | 27.5 | 34.1 | 29.7 | 30.3 | 33.6 |
| Employed | 74.5 | 73.3 | 74.5 | 72.1 | 68.0 | 70.4 | 72.6 | 72.5 | 60.3 | 63.2 | 57.2 | 61.1 |
| Professional or specialist position | 83.3 | 75.8 | 83.2 | 78.6 | 87.2 | 87.7 | 83.5 | 87.1 | 70.0 | 69.3 | 57.6 | 61.9 |
| Managerial post | 87.2 | 85.8 | 90.7 | 86.2 | 77.4 | 77.8 | 78.1 | 81.3 | 70.7 | 67.3 | 68.2 | 70.7 |
| Clerical post | 64.8 | 67.1 | 69.5 | 62.2 | 74.4 | 77.6 | 75.3 | 75.1 | 64.5 | 64.9 | 61.8 | 62.2 |
| Sales and marketing post | 73.8 | 69.2 | 67.4 | 69.5 | 70.6 | 67.7 | 78.3 | 73.0 | 61.5 | 64.7 | 59.8 | 63.1 |
| Sales/service post | 73.1 | 69.8 | 70.8 | 71.1 | 62.9 | 67.4 | 66.3 | 62.7 | 52.8 | 57.4 | 51.2 | 52.6 |
| Maintenance occupations | 63.2 | 70.6 | 62.5 | 63.6 | 63.2 | 52.9 | 75.0 | 45.5 | 78.9 | 47.1 | 75.0 | 54.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 81.8 | 83.3 | 72.1 | 87.2 | 68.2 | 59.3 | 70.5 | 64.1 | 61.4 | 57.4 | 60.7 | 64.1 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 74.9 | 74.3 | 71.7 | 66.5 | 56.3 | 56.9 | 58.9 | 60.1 | 57.1 | 60.4 | 51.1 | 65.5 |
| Unemployed | 31.3 | 27.8 | 28.9 | 32.4 | 43.8 | 42.4 | 44.4 | 43.0 | 46.1 | 42.5 | 40.3 | 42.7 |

| | Educational institution | | | | Experience a number of companies | | | | Interchangeable skills | | | |
|---|-------------------------|------|------|------|----------------------------------|------|------|------|------------------------|------|------|------|
| | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 24.9 | 27.3 | 22.5 | 27.7 | 40.9 | 43.0 | 41.0 | 40.6 | 59.1 | 60.2 | 59.8 | 61.3 |
| Male | 25.6 | 28.6 | 22.3 | 28.6 | 46.8 | 48.9 | 44.9 | 45.5 | 68.4 | 68.5 | 70.6 | 71.8 |
| Female | 24.3 | 26.1 | 22.8 | 27.0 | 36.1 | 38.0 | 37.5 | 36.7 | 51.4 | 53.2 | 50.0 | 53.0 |
| 20-29years old | 21.9 | 28.7 | 22.5 | 28.6 | 52.9 | 52.5 | 52.8 | 50.5 | 59.9 | 59.4 | 56.8 | 63.3 |
| 30-39years old | 26.0 | 22.7 | 20.5 | 26.7 | 48.9 | 52.6 | 47.9 | 49.4 | 66.9 | 67.8 | 63.6 | 70.7 |
| 40-49years old | 24.0 | 30.6 | 23.5 | 30.5 | 45.3 | 49.1 | 49.4 | 49.3 | 63.7 | 66.5 | 65.7 | 71.9 |
| 50-59years old | 27.7 | 27.2 | 26.7 | 28.9 | 41.6 | 44.2 | 44.0 | 42.7 | 63.8 | 67.5 | 67.2 | 65.8 |
| 60-69years old | 25.9 | 30.6 | 20.0 | 27.8 | 34.9 | 34.5 | 32.0 | 37.3 | 56.6 | 56.4 | 56.6 | 59.3 |
| Over 70years old | 22.3 | 22.0 | 21.1 | 24.3 | 22.6 | 24.6 | 23.8 | 23.4 | 40.7 | 35.3 | 44.4 | 41.4 |
| Employed | 24.1 | 27.2 | 23.0 | 27.2 | 45.9 | 49.4 | 46.9 | 46.7 | 67.4 | 70.8 | 70.5 | 72.3 |
| Professional or specialist position | 22.7 | 30.0 | 23.8 | 27.0 | 57.1 | 58.1 | 50.9 | 50.3 | 80.8 | 82.3 | 81.8 | 78.3 |
| Managerial post | 24.1 | 30.2 | 19.9 | 26.0 | 48.1 | 50.0 | 51.0 | 57.7 | 77.4 | 74.1 | 82.1 | 82.9 |
| Clerical post | 24.6 | 26.5 | 25.5 | 26.2 | 43.7 | 46.3 | 46.3 | 46.7 | 61.8 | 68.1 | 63.3 | 72.4 |
| Sales and marketing post | 24.0 | 27.9 | 20.7 | 27.7 | 48.9 | 50.7 | 49.5 | 47.5 | 67.9 | 71.1 | 69.0 | 66.7 |
| Sales/service post | 22.0 | 27.1 | 23.7 | 29.4 | 46.2 | 47.3 | 45.0 | 41.2 | 64.0 | 69.8 | 67.0 | 68.9 |
| Maintenance occupations | 26.3 | 11.8 | 12.5 | 18.2 | 36.8 | 17.6 | 62.5 | 27.3 | 73.7 | 52.9 | 75.0 | 45.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 22.7 | 31.5 | 23.0 | 23.1 | 45.5 | 57.4 | 50.8 | 43.6 | 81.8 | 68.5 | 78.7 | 87.2 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 27.2 | 25.5 | 22.4 | 26.1 | 43.7 | 46.9 | 40.8 | 45.8 | 65.3 | 65.8 | 63.6 | 68.5 |
| Unemployed | 26.1 | 27.4 | 21.8 | 28.4 | 33.4 | 31.9 | 32.3 | 32.0 | 46.5 | 41.8 | 43.8 | 45.7 |

Total of "Agree" and "Somewhat agree"

Confidence in vocational ability: "I am confident in my current level of vocational ability"

Need for vocational ability: "I need to acquire a higher level of vocational ability"

A variety of jobs: "Rather than continuing to work in the same job, it is better to build up experience in a variety of jobs, in order to increase one's vocational ability"

Educational institution: "Rather than undertaking training in the workplace, it is better to attend an educational institution, such as a vocational college or university, in order to increase one's vocational ability"

Experience a number of companies: "Rather than continuing to work at a single company, it is better to experience a number of companies, in order to increase one's vocational ability"

Interchangeable skills: "I have vocational abilities that can be utilized even if my place of employment changes, as long as the job is the same"

9-1 Consciousness of life(1)

| | Post-materialism | | | | | De-emphasis on social status | | | | |
|---|------------------|------|------|------|------|------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 80.5 | 80.7 | 81.8 | 76.4 | 81.5 | 80.0 | 82.7 | 81.6 | 79.3 | 82.9 |
| Male | 78.7 | 78.6 | 82.0 | 76.9 | 81.5 | 79.6 | 81.4 | 81.0 | 78.6 | 82.8 |
| Female | 82.0 | 82.4 | 81.5 | 76.0 | 81.4 | 80.3 | 83.7 | 82.1 | 80.0 | 83.0 |
| 20-29years old | 69.5 | 74.9 | 72.3 | 60.5 | 68.4 | 78.1 | 82.4 | 83.2 | 75.6 | 83.2 |
| 30-39years old | 78.4 | 77.6 | 81.0 | 68.2 | 74.1 | 80.6 | 83.9 | 82.5 | 77.8 | 80.2 |
| 40-49years old | 80.3 | 79.1 | 80.0 | 74.4 | 79.3 | 79.7 | 79.7 | 79.0 | 78.2 | 82.2 |
| 50-59years old | 84.0 | 84.1 | 85.2 | 81.5 | 85.6 | 82.9 | 85.5 | 84.2 | 83.4 | 86.4 |
| 60-69years old | 85.8 | 84.2 | 86.9 | 82.6 | 85.5 | 80.8 | 83.3 | 82.7 | 80.5 | 84.5 |
| Over 70years old | 81.6 | 81.6 | 79.9 | 83.0 | 86.1 | 75.0 | 80.3 | 76.6 | 77.4 | 80.0 |
| Employed | 80.7 | 80.2 | 82.3 | 75.1 | 81.1 | 81.3 | 82.3 | 82.3 | 79.1 | 82.5 |
| Professional or specialist position | 82.2 | 83.3 | 87.7 | 80.0 | 82.1 | 81.5 | 85.7 | 86.3 | 80.9 | 81.1 |
| Managerial post | 84.8 | 84.2 | 92.0 | 82.1 | 84.6 | 78.8 | 76.7 | 75.9 | 76.2 | 81.3 |
| Clerical post | 80.4 | 80.5 | 85.0 | 76.4 | 81.3 | 85.3 | 83.3 | 84.7 | 81.9 | 83.6 |
| Sales and marketing post | 83.2 | 85.5 | 78.6 | 75.0 | 80.9 | 83.2 | 80.1 | 79.1 | 79.9 | 83.0 |
| Sales/service post | 82.5 | 76.2 | 79.5 | 69.4 | 78.1 | 82.8 | 84.3 | 79.1 | 75.9 | 81.1 |
| Maintenance occupations | 91.7 | 78.9 | 64.7 | 75.0 | 90.9 | 83.3 | 84.2 | 70.6 | 62.5 | 90.9 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 62.5 | 77.3 | 63.0 | 65.6 | 76.9 | 75.0 | 86.4 | 74.1 | 80.3 | 84.6 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 79.7 | 76.3 | 80.0 | 72.9 | 84.2 | 79.7 | 82.1 | 85.4 | 79.4 | 85.2 |
| Unemployed | 80.0 | 81.5 | 80.8 | 78.3 | 81.9 | 77.6 | 83.2 | 80.2 | 79.7 | 83.5 |

| | De-emphasis on other-directedness | | | | | Maintenance of the status quo | | | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|------|------|-------|------|-------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 58.5 | 59.6 | 57.4 | 58.8 | 59.8 | 49.4 | 51.6 | 50.9 | 53.2 | 55.9 |
| Male | 58.6 | 61.3 | 57.6 | 60.6 | 60.4 | 46.4 | 48.2 | 47.8 | 51.4 | 51.4 |
| Female | 58.4 | 58.3 | 57.2 | 57.2 | 59.4 | 52.1 | 54.4 | 53.6 | 54.9 | 59.3 |
| 20-29years old | 55.4 | 51.9 | 50.8 | 46.9 | 52.6 | 36.0 | 37.4 | 35.3 | 36.5 | 44.4 |
| 30-39years old | 52.7 | 58.2 | 53.5 | 59.3 | 54.0 | 41.4 | 41.8 | 38.8 | 45.1 | 43.4 |
| 40-49years old | 58.4 | 59.4 | 56.8 | 59.3 | 54.9 | 44.3 | 45.1 | 45.5 | 48.9 | 46.9 |
| 50-59years old | 58.8 | 63.9 | 58.5 | 62.6 | 63.6 | 53.0 | 57.3 | 56.3 | 54.7 | 60.2 |
| 60-69years old | 63.1 | 64.0 | 60.3 | 60.9 | 65.3 | 62.7 | 63.1 | 62.0 | 63.3 | 65.3 |
| Over 70years old | 62.8 | 56.4 | 62.1 | 57.5 | 61.8 | 57.9 | 59.1 | 61.6 | 63.1 | 63.2 |
| Employed | 58.1 | 60.8 | 57.3 | 60.6 | 58.0 | 47.5 | 49.5 | 49.1 | 49.4 | 52.4 |
| Professional or specialist position | 59.6 | 63.5 | 59.2 | 57.4 | 56.6 | 40.8 | 37.4 | 45.5 | 44.1 | 45.3 |
| Managerial post | 60.6 | 61.7 | 64.8 | 62.3 | 56.1 | 40.9 | 39.1 | 41.4 | 45.0 | 51.2 |
| Clerical post | 57.9 | 59.4 | 58.1 | 57.9 | 55.6 | 40.4 | 42.3 | 37.4 | 47.1 | 49.8 |
| Sales and marketing post | 55.5 | 65.2 | 53.7 | 64.7 | 51.8 | 46.6 | 48.9 | 49.3 | 50.0 | 52.5 |
| Sales/service post | 57.8 | 62.2 | 57.8 | 61.5 | 60.1 | 53.4 | 53.8 | 52.7 | 47.8 | 55.7 |
| Maintenance occupations | 83.3 | 47.4 | 29.4 | 100.0 | 54.5 | 58.3 | 52.6 | 58.8 | 50.0 | 72.7 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 57.1 | 54.5 | 42.6 | 63.9 | 51.3 | 46.4 | 56.8 | 53.7 | 49.2 | 59.0 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 57.8 | 58.9 | 57.6 | 61.7 | 67.5 | 55.2 | 58.4 | 59.0 | 60.1 | 61.1 |
| Unemployed | 59.3 | 57.9 | 57.4 | 56.1 | 62.4 | 53.0 | 54.8 | 54.0 | 59.0 | 60.5 |

Total of "Strongly agree" and "Somewhat agree"

Post-materialism: "In the future, rather than material affluence, I would like to focus more on living a life of spiritual richness and comfort"

De-emphasis on social status: "Rather than striving for greater wealth or status, I would like to lead a life that I find satisfying"

De-emphasis on other-directedness: "It does not bother me if others have opinions and lifestyles that differ from my own"

Maintenance of the status quo: "Rather than striving to gain more, it is important to maintain what one has already gained"

9-2 Consciousness of life(2)

| | Self-worth | | | | | Anxiety over loss of status | | | | |
|---|------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 40.0 | 44.9 | 45.2 | 43.9 | 45.6 | 22.0 | 23.7 | 23.7 | 23.1 | 23.8 |
| Male | 44.2 | 50.2 | 50.8 | 48.9 | 50.5 | 26.1 | 28.0 | 26.0 | 26.3 | 26.9 |
| Female | 36.4 | 40.5 | 40.5 | 39.4 | 41.7 | 18.4 | 20.2 | 21.6 | 20.1 | 21.4 |
| 20-29years old | 46.5 | 56.7 | 50.2 | 49.8 | 49.5 | 22.2 | 24.1 | 30.0 | 28.0 | 30.1 |
| 30-39years old | 46.4 | 51.1 | 55.3 | 49.2 | 53.2 | 27.7 | 27.5 | 24.3 | 23.3 | 29.9 |
| 40-49years old | 44.9 | 48.0 | 46.1 | 47.6 | 53.1 | 23.5 | 27.0 | 25.0 | 23.3 | 25.7 |
| 50-59years old | 36.6 | 44.1 | 43.0 | 43.0 | 45.6 | 22.0 | 23.4 | 22.6 | 24.6 | 22.2 |
| 60-69years old | 36.1 | 40.8 | 42.1 | 41.9 | 41.9 | 18.6 | 23.9 | 23.1 | 22.3 | 19.4 |
| Over 70years old | 26.6 | 29.7 | 35.6 | 34.0 | 35.7 | 16.4 | 15.2 | 18.1 | 18.2 | 21.4 |
| Employed | 44.7 | 50.4 | 48.9 | 49.0 | 50.8 | 24.7 | 25.2 | 24.3 | 24.3 | 24.6 |
| Professional or specialist position | 53.0 | 61.6 | 57.4 | 56.2 | 57.5 | 28.9 | 27.1 | 27.1 | 20.0 | 24.8 |
| Managerial post | 56.8 | 57.9 | 56.2 | 58.3 | 60.2 | 26.5 | 30.1 | 20.4 | 27.8 | 30.9 |
| Clerical post | 46.3 | 50.2 | 47.6 | 50.6 | 48.4 | 17.5 | 19.8 | 21.4 | 23.6 | 21.3 |
| Sales and marketing post | 49.6 | 54.8 | 46.3 | 57.1 | 48.9 | 27.7 | 29.4 | 32.3 | 33.7 | 25.5 |
| Sales/service post | 44.0 | 46.9 | 48.8 | 45.7 | 45.2 | 26.1 | 21.7 | 24.8 | 22.3 | 23.2 |
| Maintenance occupations | 58.3 | 47.4 | 35.3 | 62.5 | 27.3 | 8.3 | 31.6 | 11.8 | 37.5 | 18.2 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 37.5 | 45.5 | 40.7 | 36.1 | 64.1 | 26.8 | 34.1 | 27.8 | 31.1 | 25.6 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 34.6 | 42.9 | 43.7 | 36.1 | 44.8 | 26.0 | 25.3 | 21.2 | 22.4 | 26.1 |
| Unemployed | 31.6 | 36.5 | 38.8 | 36.4 | 38.1 | 17.2 | 21.5 | 22.6 | 21.3 | 22.8 |

| | Anxiety over competition for status | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 27.1 | 32.3 | 34.3 | 30.0 | 32.1 |
| Male | 31.1 | 36.3 | 35.8 | 31.2 | 35.2 |
| Female | 23.7 | 29.0 | 33.1 | 29.0 | 29.7 |
| 20-29years old | 33.2 | 37.7 | 44.9 | 42.1 | 42.9 |
| 30-39years old | 34.9 | 37.7 | 39.7 | 33.6 | 40.5 |
| 40-49years old | 29.4 | 36.3 | 35.5 | 32.5 | 34.7 |
| 50-59years old | 26.2 | 32.7 | 33.6 | 28.5 | 30.4 |
| 60-69years old | 21.0 | 29.8 | 30.6 | 25.8 | 25.2 |
| Over 70years old | 16.1 | 19.4 | 23.7 | 23.1 | 28.0 |
| Employed | 31.3 | 34.3 | 35.7 | 32.2 | 32.3 |
| Professional or specialist position | 34.8 | 37.9 | 37.5 | 30.0 | 32.4 |
| Managerial post | 30.3 | 39.8 | 32.1 | 31.1 | 35.8 |
| Clerical post | 26.3 | 29.4 | 34.5 | 33.2 | 32.4 |
| Sales and marketing post | 38.7 | 37.1 | 37.3 | 44.0 | 36.9 |
| Sales/service post | 27.2 | 29.0 | 39.9 | 30.9 | 30.7 |
| Maintenance occupations | 25.0 | 26.3 | 29.4 | 25.0 | 36.4 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 28.6 | 45.5 | 42.6 | 29.5 | 23.1 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 32.8 | 36.0 | 32.6 | 28.7 | 32.5 |
| Unemployed | 19.8 | 29.4 | 32.0 | 26.8 | 31.8 |

Total of "Strongly agree" and "Somewhat agree"

Self-worth: "I have things other than work, about which I can be proud in front of others"

Anxiety over loss of status: "I feel anxious that I might lose what I have gained to date if I drop my guard"

Anxiety over competition for status: "I feel anxious that others might overtake me if I am not careful"

10-1 Life focus (1)

| | Family | | | | | Community activities | | | | |
|---|--------|------|------|-------|-------|----------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 90.8 | 90.4 | 89.1 | 90.8 | 90.1 | 60.5 | 59.6 | 59.9 | 58.3 | 64.8 |
| Male | 91.4 | 90.9 | 90.7 | 90.8 | 90.9 | 61.8 | 59.7 | 62.2 | 60.2 | 67.0 |
| Female | 90.3 | 90.0 | 87.7 | 90.7 | 89.4 | 59.3 | 59.5 | 58.0 | 56.6 | 63.0 |
| 20-29years old | 85.9 | 86.1 | 86.8 | 85.2 | 89.3 | 55.1 | 54.3 | 56.1 | 48.7 | 58.7 |
| 30-39years old | 93.5 | 94.2 | 90.9 | 93.9 | 92.8 | 64.6 | 64.2 | 63.0 | 52.5 | 67.2 |
| 40-49years old | 94.7 | 94.3 | 91.7 | 94.0 | 92.6 | 66.1 | 64.1 | 61.7 | 65.7 | 70.3 |
| 50-59years old | 92.3 | 91.4 | 92.6 | 92.2 | 90.7 | 62.7 | 62.5 | 65.7 | 63.0 | 67.1 |
| 60-69years old | 90.4 | 89.7 | 88.8 | 89.7 | 91.5 | 58.3 | 60.3 | 59.8 | 64.0 | 68.7 |
| Over 70years old | 83.6 | 85.0 | 79.1 | 86.7 | 83.9 | 50.0 | 48.8 | 47.2 | 48.8 | 53.9 |
| Employed | 92.3 | 91.7 | 90.9 | 91.5 | 91.0 | 63.0 | 61.5 | 62.2 | 59.8 | 66.3 |
| Professional or specialist position | 91.6 | 87.2 | 91.0 | 92.9 | 92.5 | 70.7 | 71.9 | 67.5 | 66.5 | 69.2 |
| Managerial post | 93.2 | 95.5 | 94.4 | 96.7 | 92.7 | 78.0 | 75.2 | 74.1 | 67.5 | 75.6 |
| Clerical post | 91.9 | 93.2 | 91.1 | 93.4 | 93.3 | 64.9 | 65.9 | 66.1 | 62.9 | 66.7 |
| Sales and marketing post | 92.9 | 91.4 | 91.0 | 89.1 | 91.5 | 56.7 | 51.6 | 56.2 | 56.0 | 61.0 |
| Sales/service post | 94.8 | 90.6 | 87.2 | 89.7 | 87.7 | 64.9 | 61.5 | 59.7 | 57.0 | 63.2 |
| Maintenance occupations | 91.7 | 89.5 | 94.1 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 75.0 | 42.1 | 47.1 | 25.0 | 72.7 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 92.9 | 95.5 | 90.7 | 91.8 | 92.3 | 57.1 | 47.7 | 53.7 | 60.7 | 71.8 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 91.1 | 91.5 | 91.3 | 90.0 | 90.1 | 55.7 | 56.3 | 58.5 | 53.9 | 64.5 |
| Unemployed | 88.1 | 88.4 | 85.8 | 89.7 | 88.7 | 56.0 | 56.7 | 56.0 | 56.1 | 62.5 |

| | Income | | | | | Hobbies and leisure | | | | |
|---|--------|------|------|------|------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 60.3 | 58.9 | 60.7 | 64.7 | 63.3 | 35.5 | 36.6 | 34.8 | 33.3 | 36.4 |
| Male | 63.7 | 65.4 | 66.4 | 69.6 | 68.1 | 42.1 | 40.8 | 41.4 | 39.3 | 43.9 |
| Female | 57.3 | 53.6 | 55.8 | 60.2 | 59.5 | 29.7 | 33.2 | 29.2 | 27.9 | 30.5 |
| 20-29years old | 69.0 | 66.0 | 69.6 | 76.0 | 73.5 | 42.7 | 42.5 | 38.3 | 37.6 | 41.8 |
| 30-39years old | 68.9 | 71.0 | 68.3 | 73.9 | 73.6 | 38.1 | 41.4 | 38.8 | 32.2 | 39.9 |
| 40-49years old | 68.2 | 68.6 | 69.9 | 70.3 | 70.6 | 35.6 | 36.5 | 34.7 | 34.5 | 34.0 |
| 50-59years old | 60.0 | 56.6 | 61.4 | 65.4 | 62.7 | 34.5 | 36.1 | 32.8 | 31.7 | 37.1 |
| 60-69years old | 49.9 | 52.3 | 51.8 | 57.7 | 57.1 | 34.7 | 36.2 | 38.1 | 37.5 | 35.9 |
| Over 70years old | 40.5 | 39.6 | 42.1 | 48.8 | 52.0 | 26.0 | 27.6 | 25.7 | 27.2 | 33.0 |
| Employed | 66.1 | 65.2 | 66.4 | 70.7 | 68.4 | 38.0 | 39.8 | 36.1 | 35.0 | 38.1 |
| Professional or specialist position | 72.1 | 62.6 | 66.4 | 69.7 | 68.2 | 44.6 | 46.8 | 40.1 | 38.2 | 44.3 |
| Managerial post | 68.9 | 66.9 | 67.3 | 79.5 | 72.4 | 50.8 | 49.6 | 46.3 | 45.0 | 43.1 |
| Clerical post | 65.6 | 65.5 | 66.8 | 70.7 | 67.1 | 34.7 | 41.6 | 33.5 | 30.1 | 32.0 |
| Sales and marketing post | 63.9 | 69.7 | 66.7 | 77.2 | 70.9 | 42.0 | 36.7 | 38.8 | 35.3 | 35.5 |
| Sales/service post | 62.7 | 62.9 | 62.4 | 64.9 | 65.8 | 32.1 | 37.8 | 38.8 | 32.3 | 31.1 |
| Maintenance occupations | 41.7 | 63.2 | 82.4 | 87.5 | 54.5 | 41.7 | 42.1 | 47.1 | 12.5 | 45.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 66.1 | 75.0 | 66.7 | 80.3 | 74.4 | 39.3 | 36.4 | 25.9 | 44.3 | 38.5 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 68.0 | 64.8 | 67.0 | 67.6 | 69.0 | 34.4 | 36.8 | 30.1 | 32.4 | 43.8 |
| Unemployed | 49.9 | 49.5 | 50.8 | 55.7 | 56.2 | 31.0 | 31.9 | 32.6 | 30.7 | 33.9 |

Total of "Important" and "Somewhat important"

Family: Securing the trust and respect of your family

Community activities: Making a significant contribution through social activities, such as volunteer activities and activities as part of your neighborhood association

Income: Securing a high income

Hobbies and leisure: Playing a central role in clubs focused on hobbies or leisure activities

10-2 Life focus (2)

| | Property | | | | | Occupation | | | | |
|---|----------|------|------|------|------|------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 34.4 | 33.1 | 34.3 | 39.1 | 38.1 | 28.2 | 29.9 | 31.0 | 34.1 | 34.3 |
| Male | 37.4 | 35.6 | 36.7 | 41.6 | 39.4 | 32.0 | 34.2 | 35.8 | 38.0 | 37.9 |
| Female | 31.8 | 31.1 | 32.2 | 36.8 | 37.1 | 24.8 | 26.4 | 26.9 | 30.6 | 31.6 |
| 20-29years old | 39.6 | 40.9 | 43.6 | 48.0 | 54.6 | 29.4 | 31.0 | 37.3 | 39.1 | 43.9 |
| 30-39years old | 37.4 | 38.9 | 40.4 | 46.8 | 48.9 | 32.4 | 33.6 | 27.7 | 35.5 | 36.8 |
| 40-49years old | 39.8 | 35.5 | 35.3 | 42.7 | 42.7 | 26.1 | 29.5 | 32.8 | 31.7 | 37.1 |
| 50-59years old | 33.6 | 28.8 | 36.1 | 33.3 | 36.2 | 24.5 | 29.3 | 29.7 | 33.1 | 27.6 |
| 60-69years old | 29.5 | 30.7 | 28.7 | 34.8 | 31.9 | 30.5 | 30.5 | 31.7 | 33.5 | 31.5 |
| Over 70years old | 23.4 | 26.2 | 22.6 | 34.5 | 27.5 | 27.3 | 25.5 | 28.5 | 34.2 | 35.9 |
| Employed | 36.7 | 35.0 | 37.4 | 40.9 | 42.6 | 29.0 | 31.4 | 31.3 | 34.0 | 34.8 |
| Professional or specialist position | 36.6 | 32.5 | 34.3 | 36.2 | 47.8 | 38.0 | 33.0 | 33.9 | 38.8 | 39.9 |
| Managerial post | 48.5 | 38.3 | 38.3 | 49.0 | 43.9 | 38.6 | 42.9 | 38.3 | 47.0 | 41.5 |
| Clerical post | 37.9 | 32.4 | 41.9 | 40.2 | 43.6 | 30.5 | 33.4 | 31.0 | 33.2 | 34.2 |
| Sales and marketing post | 37.8 | 39.4 | 40.8 | 42.9 | 44.7 | 29.8 | 31.7 | 33.8 | 35.3 | 27.7 |
| Sales/service post | 29.9 | 33.6 | 35.3 | 39.9 | 39.5 | 19.4 | 25.5 | 25.6 | 27.1 | 34.6 |
| Maintenance occupations | 8.3 | 26.3 | 58.8 | 25.0 | 36.4 | 25.0 | 31.6 | 29.4 | 75.0 | 9.1 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 35.7 | 40.9 | 35.2 | 49.2 | 33.3 | 17.9 | 36.4 | 40.7 | 37.7 | 23.1 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 37.0 | 35.5 | 34.9 | 41.1 | 38.4 | 27.3 | 29.1 | 28.5 | 27.4 | 31.5 |
| Unemployed | 30.1 | 30.3 | 28.8 | 36.4 | 31.9 | 26.6 | 27.7 | 30.6 | 34.3 | 33.8 |

| | Educational attainment | | | | |
|---|------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 27.1 | 27.2 | 28.2 | 29.9 | 32.4 |
| Male | 26.7 | 28.3 | 28.8 | 30.7 | 32.7 |
| Female | 27.4 | 26.4 | 27.7 | 29.2 | 32.1 |
| 20-29years old | 24.1 | 22.2 | 17.8 | 22.1 | 29.6 |
| 30-39years old | 29.1 | 28.0 | 26.1 | 27.7 | 29.0 |
| 40-49years old | 28.5 | 27.5 | 28.5 | 29.5 | 33.7 |
| 50-59years old | 25.4 | 30.9 | 31.3 | 32.1 | 32.9 |
| 60-69years old | 26.5 | 27.8 | 31.5 | 32.6 | 32.3 |
| Over 70years old | 29.6 | 24.9 | 29.1 | 31.3 | 34.8 |
| Employed | 27.0 | 26.7 | 26.7 | 28.7 | 31.0 |
| Professional or specialist position | 33.8 | 25.1 | 25.6 | 29.4 | 35.8 |
| Managerial post | 34.1 | 39.1 | 32.7 | 35.1 | 31.7 |
| Clerical post | 31.2 | 30.7 | 28.4 | 34.0 | 32.9 |
| Sales and marketing post | 24.8 | 25.3 | 26.9 | 32.6 | 25.5 |
| Sales/service post | 22.4 | 21.3 | 27.5 | 23.4 | 29.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 16.7 | 31.6 | 41.2 | 25.0 | 18.2 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 12.5 | 29.5 | 27.8 | 27.9 | 17.9 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 23.4 | 24.5 | 22.3 | 24.3 | 27.6 |
| Unemployed | 27.2 | 28.1 | 30.8 | 31.7 | 34.4 |

Total of "Important" and "Somewhat important"

Property: Having a great deal of property

Occupation: Finding an occupation with a high level of social approval

Educational attainment: Attaining a high level of education

11 Sense of fulfillment in life

| | Work | | | | | Work (People with jobs) | | | | |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 52.6 | 52.1 | 55.4 | 53.6 | 54.3 | 73.9 | 75.2 | 76.9 | 77.9 | 79.8 |
| Male | 60.8 | 60.7 | 65.2 | 61.2 | 61.3 | 74.1 | 75.9 | 78.8 | 78.7 | 77.9 |
| Female | 45.5 | 45.0 | 47.0 | 46.7 | 48.9 | 73.6 | 74.4 | 74.6 | 76.9 | 81.9 |
| 20–29years old | 48.8 | 49.7 | 54.8 | 55.4 | 60.7 | 66.1 | 67.1 | 67.6 | 71.7 | 74.6 |
| 30–39years old | 57.4 | 56.2 | 61.0 | 59.9 | 62.1 | 72.1 | 70.4 | 73.8 | 74.1 | 75.7 |
| 40–49years old | 67.3 | 65.6 | 67.4 | 67.2 | 70.8 | 76.0 | 74.9 | 78.5 | 78.5 | 80.3 |
| 50–59years old | 62.0 | 63.6 | 66.1 | 64.7 | 66.2 | 75.7 | 78.7 | 78.5 | 80.9 | 79.2 |
| 60–69years old | 42.1 | 45.6 | 46.1 | 47.8 | 46.4 | 77.1 | 81.5 | 81.2 | 81.9 | 84.1 |
| 70years old or older | 23.4 | 25.5 | 26.6 | 21.6 | 28.2 | 72.5 | 83.1 | 86.6 | 79.7 | 92.6 |
| Employed | 73.9 | 75.2 | 76.9 | 77.9 | 79.8 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Professional or specialist position | 81.5 | 79.8 | 82.7 | 84.4 | 86.2 | 81.5 | 79.8 | 82.7 | 84.4 | 86.2 |
| Managerial post | 84.8 | 88.0 | 86.4 | 92.1 | 86.2 | 84.8 | 88.0 | 86.4 | 92.1 | 86.2 |
| Clerical post | 70.2 | 71.7 | 76.0 | 77.2 | 79.6 | 70.2 | 71.7 | 76.0 | 77.2 | 79.6 |
| Sales and marketing post | 76.9 | 75.6 | 71.6 | 72.8 | 77.3 | 76.9 | 75.6 | 71.6 | 72.8 | 77.3 |
| Sales/service post | 75.7 | 71.7 | 75.6 | 74.6 | 76.3 | 75.7 | 71.7 | 75.6 | 74.6 | 76.3 |
| Maintenance occupations | 66.7 | 68.4 | 76.5 | 50.0 | 81.8 | 66.7 | 68.4 | 76.5 | 50.0 | 81.8 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 64.3 | 75.0 | 68.5 | 70.5 | 69.2 | 64.3 | 75.0 | 68.5 | 70.5 | 69.2 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 65.6 | 73.6 | 74.7 | 73.5 | 72.9 | 65.6 | 73.6 | 74.7 | 73.5 | 72.9 |
| Unemployed | 14.9 | 17.3 | 18.0 | 17.3 | 18.8 | - | - | - | - | - |

| | Family life | | | | | Community activities | | | | |
|---|-------------|------|------|------|------|----------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 78.5 | 80.0 | 79.4 | 78.7 | 82.3 | 29.4 | 31.7 | 33.1 | 33.2 | 35.9 |
| Male | 76.5 | 77.7 | 78.9 | 77.8 | 80.7 | 30.1 | 32.0 | 34.4 | 33.4 | 38.7 |
| Female | 80.1 | 81.9 | 79.9 | 79.6 | 83.6 | 28.9 | 31.5 | 32.0 | 33.1 | 33.7 |
| 20–29years old | 69.8 | 71.7 | 73.9 | 68.3 | 74.5 | 15.0 | 14.4 | 15.8 | 14.8 | 20.4 |
| 30–39years old | 80.0 | 82.0 | 79.6 | 81.3 | 82.5 | 27.7 | 30.7 | 26.5 | 28.3 | 28.4 |
| 40–49years old | 81.2 | 83.0 | 79.6 | 79.7 | 83.8 | 32.1 | 33.0 | 36.4 | 39.0 | 34.2 |
| 50–59years old | 79.9 | 84.6 | 82.2 | 80.8 | 85.8 | 31.9 | 32.9 | 32.1 | 34.5 | 39.3 |
| 60–69years old | 80.4 | 80.3 | 81.0 | 80.7 | 85.1 | 35.5 | 38.1 | 43.6 | 41.8 | 43.7 |
| 70years old or older | 75.7 | 74.8 | 76.6 | 76.2 | 77.7 | 29.9 | 37.3 | 37.3 | 31.6 | 37.7 |
| Employed | 80.4 | 82.2 | 79.8 | 80.7 | 84.4 | 29.9 | 30.5 | 32.3 | 32.8 | 35.0 |
| Professional or specialist position | 83.3 | 82.3 | 79.8 | 82.1 | 83.3 | 34.5 | 34.0 | 35.4 | 35.0 | 34.3 |
| Managerial post | 87.9 | 91.7 | 86.4 | 88.7 | 86.2 | 37.9 | 39.8 | 43.8 | 32.5 | 37.4 |
| Clerical post | 78.2 | 81.9 | 82.1 | 82.6 | 86.2 | 23.2 | 33.1 | 27.5 | 29.7 | 36.9 |
| Sales and marketing post | 81.1 | 80.5 | 75.1 | 77.7 | 80.1 | 28.6 | 22.6 | 26.9 | 28.8 | 34.8 |
| Sales/service post | 79.5 | 79.4 | 78.3 | 80.4 | 86.0 | 34.3 | 25.9 | 31.8 | 34.0 | 32.5 |
| Maintenance occupations | 66.7 | 78.9 | 82.4 | 50.0 | 81.8 | 16.7 | 26.3 | 23.5 | 0.0 | 36.4 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 75.0 | 77.3 | 74.1 | 72.1 | 76.9 | 14.3 | 27.3 | 18.5 | 34.4 | 30.8 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 78.1 | 82.7 | 79.3 | 79.4 | 85.7 | 25.0 | 30.1 | 34.4 | 35.2 | 32.5 |
| Unemployed | 74.9 | 76.6 | 78.7 | 75.8 | 79.5 | 28.7 | 33.6 | 34.6 | 33.9 | 37.2 |

| | Leisure time | | | | | Overall life | | | | |
|---|--------------|------|------|------|------|--------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 56.9 | 56.9 | 59.0 | 56.9 | 60.0 | 74.2 | 76.0 | 75.6 | 75.6 | 78.1 |
| Male | 58.8 | 57.7 | 63.9 | 58.4 | 63.5 | 72.5 | 73.2 | 76.6 | 75.7 | 75.3 |
| Female | 55.1 | 56.2 | 54.8 | 55.6 | 57.2 | 75.7 | 78.4 | 74.8 | 75.5 | 80.4 |
| 20–29years old | 64.5 | 65.2 | 68.0 | 60.9 | 71.4 | 71.7 | 74.6 | 71.3 | 70.8 | 75.0 |
| 30–39years old | 55.0 | 57.2 | 57.4 | 59.0 | 58.9 | 73.9 | 75.2 | 73.5 | 75.6 | 79.0 |
| 40–49years old | 55.1 | 54.5 | 54.1 | 55.0 | 53.1 | 76.8 | 77.0 | 74.8 | 77.8 | 73.7 |
| 50–59years old | 57.0 | 58.0 | 57.5 | 57.0 | 60.4 | 74.5 | 78.8 | 78.3 | 75.0 | 79.1 |
| 60–69years old | 58.9 | 56.0 | 66.4 | 60.9 | 62.7 | 73.1 | 77.8 | 79.7 | 79.0 | 80.8 |
| 70years old or older | 50.0 | 50.9 | 52.0 | 49.0 | 58.0 | 74.0 | 70.3 | 72.9 | 72.6 | 78.6 |
| Employed | 56.9 | 57.6 | 59.2 | 57.9 | 59.7 | 74.9 | 78.1 | 76.4 | 77.6 | 78.5 |
| Professional or specialist position | 63.4 | 62.1 | 68.6 | 59.4 | 64.2 | 77.7 | 80.3 | 81.6 | 80.9 | 80.8 |
| Managerial post | 65.9 | 62.4 | 59.3 | 62.9 | 57.7 | 85.6 | 87.2 | 83.3 | 91.4 | 82.9 |
| Clerical post | 58.9 | 64.5 | 59.7 | 64.1 | 57.8 | 75.4 | 77.5 | 78.0 | 81.1 | 78.7 |
| Sales and marketing post | 58.0 | 51.1 | 56.2 | 51.6 | 55.3 | 73.1 | 79.6 | 72.1 | 74.5 | 73.0 |
| Sales/service post | 53.7 | 54.9 | 54.3 | 57.4 | 60.1 | 73.1 | 74.1 | 73.6 | 74.6 | 80.3 |
| Maintenance occupations | 41.7 | 68.4 | 64.7 | 37.5 | 72.7 | 66.7 | 78.9 | 76.5 | 50.0 | 90.9 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 44.6 | 56.8 | 46.3 | 59.0 | 53.8 | 60.7 | 72.7 | 59.3 | 75.4 | 61.5 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 53.1 | 53.6 | 57.4 | 53.6 | 59.1 | 72.9 | 77.9 | 74.7 | 72.0 | 77.3 |
| Unemployed | 56.7 | 55.8 | 58.7 | 55.6 | 60.3 | 73.0 | 72.9 | 74.3 | 72.6 | 77.5 |

Total of "I have a sense of fulfillment" and "I have somewhat a sense of fulfillment"

12 New perception on work

| | Looking after elderly parents | | | | | Child care | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 42.5 | 45.1 | 45.8 | 42.7 | 42.1 | 44.8 | 45.8 | 43.8 | 42.6 | 42.7 |
| Male | 41.1 | 44.4 | 45.0 | 41.3 | 42.3 | 42.7 | 45.6 | 42.7 | 40.3 | 44.0 |
| Female | 43.8 | 45.6 | 46.5 | 44.0 | 42.0 | 46.6 | 45.9 | 44.8 | 44.7 | 41.8 |
| 20–29years old | 38.8 | 38.8 | 32.7 | 31.4 | 32.1 | 42.7 | 41.2 | 36.3 | 35.4 | 36.7 |
| 30–39years old | 37.8 | 41.1 | 39.9 | 35.9 | 41.1 | 48.6 | 49.9 | 44.7 | 41.4 | 46.0 |
| 40–49years old | 46.4 | 52.3 | 48.7 | 45.5 | 41.9 | 48.2 | 51.0 | 46.1 | 46.6 | 48.5 |
| 50–59years old | 43.5 | 50.9 | 52.9 | 52.1 | 47.1 | 43.5 | 48.2 | 47.0 | 45.5 | 44.9 |
| 60–69years old | 45.7 | 46.1 | 49.7 | 46.4 | 45.0 | 44.5 | 43.4 | 44.2 | 44.8 | 41.7 |
| 70years old or older | 39.8 | 36.2 | 42.1 | 36.4 | 39.1 | 38.5 | 38.8 | 40.1 | 37.4 | 36.8 |
| Employed | 43.2 | 47.9 | 45.8 | 43.0 | 40.3 | 45.4 | 48.6 | 43.2 | 42.9 | 41.9 |
| Professional or specialist position | 44.3 | 46.8 | 43.3 | 46.8 | 41.5 | 50.9 | 46.8 | 40.8 | 45.0 | 42.1 |
| Managerial post | 37.9 | 50.4 | 41.4 | 43.7 | 40.7 | 38.6 | 51.9 | 37.0 | 39.7 | 43.9 |
| Clerical post | 42.5 | 42.7 | 43.1 | 44.8 | 42.7 | 47.7 | 49.1 | 43.8 | 46.3 | 47.1 |
| Sales and marketing post | 42.4 | 43.9 | 49.8 | 41.8 | 39.7 | 44.5 | 49.8 | 44.8 | 45.7 | 45.4 |
| Sales/service post | 40.3 | 50.7 | 47.3 | 38.8 | 39.5 | 41.4 | 47.2 | 42.2 | 36.8 | 37.7 |
| Maintenance occupations | 58.3 | 52.6 | 35.3 | 62.5 | 45.5 | 58.3 | 52.6 | 41.2 | 87.5 | 27.3 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 46.4 | 50.0 | 46.3 | 42.6 | 30.8 | 42.9 | 43.2 | 50.0 | 41.0 | 35.9 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 45.1 | 50.9 | 49.0 | 42.1 | 37.4 | 45.3 | 49.1 | 46.0 | 43.6 | 41.4 |
| Unemployed | 41.2 | 40.8 | 45.8 | 42.2 | 44.6 | 43.7 | 41.5 | 44.9 | 42.2 | 43.8 |

| | Housekeeping | | | | | Volunteer activities | | | | |
|---|--------------|------|------|------|------|----------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 58.9 | 57.8 | 57.9 | 56.7 | 56.0 | 34.0 | 34.8 | 35.7 | 32.5 | 34.3 |
| Male | 50.2 | 52.1 | 49.7 | 47.8 | 50.0 | 32.7 | 35.0 | 37.0 | 33.1 | 35.3 |
| Female | 66.5 | 62.4 | 64.9 | 64.8 | 60.8 | 35.1 | 34.6 | 34.6 | 32.0 | 33.6 |
| 20–29years old | 57.1 | 50.3 | 51.8 | 51.3 | 48.5 | 29.4 | 26.7 | 36.0 | 28.8 | 35.2 |
| 30–39years old | 61.7 | 61.8 | 56.5 | 52.7 | 53.4 | 37.6 | 37.0 | 34.0 | 32.0 | 37.4 |
| 40–49years old | 60.4 | 61.5 | 58.4 | 58.0 | 57.8 | 34.7 | 38.3 | 34.9 | 34.1 | 35.3 |
| 50–59years old | 58.3 | 61.8 | 61.9 | 62.3 | 60.0 | 31.3 | 35.9 | 35.6 | 34.0 | 30.9 |
| 60–69years old | 59.9 | 56.4 | 59.2 | 58.4 | 59.1 | 37.3 | 35.6 | 39.7 | 34.1 | 35.1 |
| 70years old or older | 53.9 | 52.2 | 55.6 | 53.2 | 52.3 | 32.6 | 32.8 | 33.1 | 29.9 | 33.4 |
| Employed | 56.4 | 58.4 | 56.0 | 54.3 | 53.8 | 33.9 | 34.8 | 35.6 | 32.1 | 32.4 |
| Professional or specialist position | 56.4 | 51.2 | 56.0 | 54.1 | 55.0 | 38.3 | 41.4 | 33.9 | 37.1 | 36.8 |
| Managerial post | 49.2 | 58.6 | 41.4 | 44.4 | 51.2 | 28.0 | 45.1 | 38.9 | 37.7 | 33.3 |
| Clerical post | 60.7 | 56.3 | 59.1 | 60.2 | 61.3 | 37.5 | 37.2 | 41.5 | 34.0 | 32.9 |
| Sales and marketing post | 57.1 | 62.0 | 55.2 | 56.5 | 51.1 | 33.6 | 35.3 | 37.3 | 30.4 | 31.2 |
| Sales/service post | 55.2 | 59.4 | 58.1 | 52.2 | 50.9 | 31.0 | 30.1 | 31.0 | 27.5 | 32.5 |
| Maintenance occupations | 66.7 | 57.9 | 41.2 | 62.5 | 54.5 | 41.7 | 31.6 | 35.3 | 37.5 | 27.3 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 58.9 | 54.5 | 50.0 | 45.9 | 43.6 | 30.4 | 31.8 | 27.8 | 37.7 | 25.6 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 55.2 | 60.8 | 59.2 | 56.4 | 55.7 | 31.5 | 30.4 | 34.4 | 27.4 | 27.1 |
| Unemployed | 63.4 | 56.9 | 61.4 | 60.4 | 59.0 | 34.1 | 34.8 | 35.9 | 33.2 | 37.0 |

| | Taking part in consumer or civic movement | | | | | Contributing to the regional community | | | | |
|---|---|------|------|------|------|--|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 22.3 | 24.4 | 24.9 | 22.9 | 21.6 | 32.4 | 32.4 | 34.6 | 32.1 | 33.9 |
| Male | 23.1 | 25.1 | 25.4 | 23.3 | 22.3 | 34.8 | 35.5 | 38.2 | 34.1 | 37.0 |
| Female | 21.7 | 23.8 | 24.5 | 22.6 | 21.1 | 30.2 | 29.9 | 31.7 | 30.3 | 31.4 |
| 20–29years old | 19.4 | 19.0 | 19.8 | 24.4 | 22.4 | 29.4 | 26.7 | 32.0 | 31.0 | 33.2 |
| 30–39years old | 24.3 | 25.8 | 26.5 | 24.6 | 23.6 | 32.9 | 33.3 | 34.9 | 32.0 | 38.5 |
| 40–49years old | 23.5 | 24.6 | 23.9 | 23.3 | 21.2 | 35.4 | 34.6 | 33.9 | 33.0 | 33.7 |
| 50–59years old | 19.5 | 26.1 | 25.5 | 20.5 | 19.3 | 29.8 | 33.6 | 36.6 | 29.7 | 32.7 |
| 60–69years old | 25.3 | 25.5 | 28.5 | 23.6 | 23.6 | 34.9 | 35.1 | 36.8 | 35.0 | 35.3 |
| 70years old or older | 21.1 | 23.6 | 22.3 | 22.3 | 20.2 | 30.6 | 28.6 | 31.1 | 31.3 | 30.2 |
| Employed | 23.2 | 24.1 | 24.6 | 22.0 | 20.9 | 33.8 | 33.0 | 34.9 | 31.0 | 33.5 |
| Professional or specialist position | 27.9 | 27.1 | 23.1 | 26.2 | 26.4 | 40.1 | 36.9 | 36.5 | 35.9 | 38.7 |
| Managerial post | 22.7 | 30.1 | 26.5 | 23.2 | 21.1 | 34.8 | 48.1 | 42.0 | 36.4 | 35.0 |
| Clerical post | 25.3 | 24.6 | 28.4 | 23.9 | 18.7 | 35.8 | 33.4 | 35.5 | 35.9 | 36.4 |
| Sales and marketing post | 20.2 | 22.6 | 22.9 | 19.6 | 20.6 | 31.1 | 29.0 | 33.8 | 27.2 | 29.8 |
| Sales/service post | 23.1 | 23.4 | 22.9 | 18.6 | 19.7 | 31.7 | 30.8 | 29.8 | 27.1 | 30.7 |
| Maintenance occupations | 16.7 | 31.6 | 35.3 | 37.5 | 18.2 | 50.0 | 36.8 | 47.1 | 37.5 | 27.3 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 21.4 | 25.0 | 22.2 | 26.2 | 7.7 | 32.1 | 29.5 | 25.9 | 32.8 | 23.1 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 20.1 | 21.6 | 23.7 | 19.3 | 19.2 | 28.9 | 29.6 | 35.3 | 25.2 | 31.0 |
| Unemployed | 20.8 | 24.7 | 25.4 | 24.3 | 22.6 | 29.8 | 31.6 | 34.3 | 33.7 | 34.3 |

Total of "Yes" Somewhat yes"

13-1 Anxiety in life(1)

| | Their own health | | | | | Family's health | | | | |
|---|------------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 62.6 | 60.0 | 63.1 | 63.1 | 67.1 | 70.2 | 68.3 | 73.1 | 71.5 | 76.2 |
| Male | 62.6 | 60.0 | 63.3 | 63.6 | 67.6 | 70.3 | 65.7 | 71.6 | 69.9 | 74.9 |
| Female | 62.6 | 60.0 | 63.0 | 62.6 | 66.8 | 70.2 | 70.5 | 74.3 | 73.0 | 77.1 |
| 20–29years old | 35.5 | 36.4 | 35.0 | 35.4 | 45.9 | 60.1 | 60.7 | 61.7 | 63.8 | 76.0 |
| 30–39years old | 51.4 | 50.4 | 52.8 | 49.0 | 57.8 | 68.5 | 67.9 | 73.2 | 65.8 | 73.9 |
| 40–49years old | 63.3 | 62.9 | 66.5 | 63.4 | 65.0 | 72.6 | 73.0 | 76.9 | 70.9 | 74.5 |
| 50–59years old | 69.7 | 64.5 | 69.9 | 70.8 | 71.6 | 74.6 | 70.5 | 76.4 | 76.4 | 81.3 |
| 60–69years old | 74.5 | 69.0 | 69.4 | 70.8 | 68.8 | 73.9 | 70.0 | 74.0 | 74.7 | 76.6 |
| 70years old or older | 76.6 | 70.1 | 74.3 | 75.7 | 79.3 | 66.1 | 64.6 | 69.5 | 72.3 | 73.6 |
| Employed | 60.3 | 57.7 | 60.6 | 59.4 | 64.9 | 71.2 | 67.7 | 72.6 | 69.7 | 76.0 |
| Professional or specialist position | 60.3 | 53.2 | 61.4 | 61.2 | 67.0 | 69.3 | 64.0 | 75.1 | 70.9 | 76.1 |
| Managerial post | 63.6 | 71.4 | 61.7 | 64.9 | 69.1 | 75.0 | 72.9 | 64.2 | 69.5 | 73.2 |
| Clerical post | 54.7 | 54.3 | 53.7 | 53.7 | 57.8 | 72.3 | 68.9 | 75.1 | 66.8 | 79.1 |
| Sales and marketing post | 55.0 | 51.1 | 64.7 | 60.3 | 68.8 | 69.3 | 61.1 | 73.1 | 65.8 | 79.4 |
| Sales/service post | 66.4 | 59.4 | 64.3 | 59.1 | 66.2 | 73.5 | 71.3 | 76.7 | 72.9 | 78.1 |
| Maintenance occupations | 75.0 | 63.2 | 58.8 | 62.5 | 63.6 | 83.3 | 57.9 | 64.7 | 87.5 | 63.6 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 66.1 | 56.8 | 59.3 | 57.4 | 71.8 | 78.6 | 65.9 | 68.5 | 65.6 | 74.4 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 60.9 | 59.2 | 60.8 | 60.4 | 61.1 | 70.6 | 68.3 | 70.8 | 71.0 | 72.4 |
| Unemployed | 66.5 | 63.5 | 67.5 | 68.6 | 70.2 | 68.5 | 69.3 | 73.7 | 74.1 | 76.3 |

| | Income and assets | | | | | Human relations with family and relatives | | | | |
|---|-------------------|------|------|------|------|---|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 58.3 | 57.0 | 60.5 | 61.6 | 62.3 | 37.2 | 35.7 | 35.5 | 33.7 | 38.0 |
| Male | 57.7 | 58.2 | 61.6 | 60.9 | 64.0 | 36.5 | 35.8 | 39.4 | 33.4 | 40.1 |
| Female | 58.8 | 56.1 | 59.6 | 62.2 | 61.0 | 37.7 | 35.7 | 32.2 | 34.0 | 36.3 |
| 20–29years old | 50.7 | 55.3 | 54.5 | 63.5 | 62.8 | 29.4 | 36.9 | 28.1 | 26.6 | 37.8 |
| 30–39years old | 63.3 | 62.8 | 67.8 | 68.8 | 67.5 | 38.1 | 36.0 | 37.6 | 33.1 | 40.8 |
| 40–49years old | 66.1 | 66.6 | 66.9 | 71.1 | 69.2 | 44.3 | 43.9 | 36.2 | 39.0 | 40.1 |
| 50–59years old | 63.9 | 61.4 | 66.1 | 65.0 | 69.8 | 40.0 | 36.3 | 41.0 | 39.4 | 43.3 |
| 60–69years old | 54.3 | 53.5 | 55.6 | 58.1 | 60.7 | 34.7 | 32.3 | 34.9 | 31.3 | 35.9 |
| 70years old or older | 42.4 | 38.8 | 45.2 | 41.0 | 46.4 | 30.9 | 28.1 | 29.4 | 27.9 | 30.9 |
| Employed | 62.4 | 61.2 | 63.6 | 65.9 | 67.5 | 37.8 | 38.3 | 37.4 | 34.5 | 41.3 |
| Professional or specialist position | 54.4 | 55.2 | 60.6 | 65.9 | 66.0 | 39.7 | 30.5 | 37.5 | 32.9 | 39.9 |
| Managerial post | 58.3 | 58.6 | 53.7 | 55.0 | 62.6 | 37.1 | 36.8 | 30.2 | 33.1 | 48.0 |
| Clerical post | 55.8 | 59.4 | 58.8 | 62.9 | 66.7 | 39.6 | 41.3 | 34.5 | 32.8 | 42.7 |
| Sales and marketing post | 68.1 | 62.0 | 68.7 | 71.2 | 68.8 | 35.3 | 33.5 | 40.3 | 38.6 | 39.7 |
| Sales/service post | 67.2 | 67.5 | 68.6 | 68.0 | 68.0 | 40.7 | 43.4 | 38.8 | 35.4 | 39.0 |
| Maintenance occupations | 58.3 | 57.9 | 70.6 | 75.0 | 63.6 | 50.0 | 31.6 | 41.2 | 37.5 | 45.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 73.2 | 59.1 | 68.5 | 65.6 | 79.5 | 42.9 | 36.4 | 46.3 | 31.1 | 38.5 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 68.5 | 64.0 | 66.3 | 68.2 | 70.9 | 34.4 | 39.5 | 38.3 | 36.4 | 44.3 |
| Unemployed | 51.1 | 50.7 | 55.2 | 55.1 | 55.1 | 36.0 | 31.7 | 32.2 | 32.5 | 33.4 |

Total of "I am concerned" and "I am somewhat concerned"

13-2 Anxiety in life(2)

| | Human relations at the workplace | | | | | Human relations at the workplace(People with jobs) | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|------|------|------|------|--|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 23.8 | 22.7 | 25.5 | 23.2 | 24.1 | 37.2 | 33.7 | 37.0 | 35.2 | 36.4 |
| Male | 28.6 | 27.1 | 32.0 | 26.6 | 28.3 | 36.9 | 34.8 | 39.3 | 34.4 | 36.4 |
| Female | 19.6 | 19.1 | 20.0 | 20.1 | 20.8 | 37.5 | 32.4 | 34.1 | 36.3 | 36.5 |
| 20-29years old | 26.6 | 30.7 | 35.0 | 32.8 | 35.2 | 41.2 | 38.7 | 44.4 | 41.7 | 44.0 |
| 30-39years old | 30.4 | 28.0 | 31.5 | 30.5 | 34.5 | 40.5 | 36.4 | 39.9 | 37.5 | 42.9 |
| 40-49years old | 35.0 | 30.9 | 34.1 | 32.5 | 34.2 | 41.2 | 35.0 | 40.1 | 38.6 | 39.4 |
| 50-59years old | 27.6 | 28.6 | 30.1 | 27.7 | 29.8 | 36.0 | 37.0 | 36.8 | 36.4 | 35.6 |
| 60-69years old | 12.0 | 11.7 | 14.0 | 12.7 | 15.1 | 26.9 | 20.2 | 25.9 | 25.1 | 26.2 |
| 70years old or older | 2.6 | 6.3 | 6.2 | 5.1 | 6.8 | 15.7 | 23.1 | 19.4 | 11.6 | 19.1 |
| Employed | 37.2 | 33.7 | 37.0 | 35.2 | 36.4 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Professional or specialist position | 41.1 | 36.0 | 37.5 | 33.5 | 34.9 | 41.1 | 36.0 | 37.5 | 33.5 | 34.9 |
| Managerial post | 40.9 | 41.4 | 40.1 | 38.4 | 42.3 | 40.9 | 41.4 | 40.1 | 38.4 | 42.3 |
| Clerical post | 41.1 | 36.5 | 40.6 | 34.7 | 37.8 | 41.1 | 36.5 | 40.6 | 34.7 | 37.8 |
| Sales and marketing post | 31.9 | 25.8 | 36.8 | 40.8 | 35.5 | 31.9 | 25.8 | 36.8 | 40.8 | 35.5 |
| Sales/service post | 36.9 | 33.6 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 35.1 | 36.9 | 33.6 | 33.7 | 34.0 | 35.1 |
| Maintenance occupations | 58.3 | 31.6 | 52.9 | 37.5 | 27.3 | 58.3 | 31.6 | 52.9 | 37.5 | 27.3 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 48.2 | 43.2 | 46.3 | 29.5 | 38.5 | 48.2 | 43.2 | 46.3 | 29.5 | 38.5 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 35.9 | 34.9 | 33.3 | 34.3 | 40.9 | 35.9 | 34.9 | 33.3 | 34.3 | 40.9 |
| Unemployed | 0.0 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 5.2 | 6.9 | - | - | - | - | - |

| | Human relations within the local community | | | | | Life after retirement | | | | |
|---|--|------|------|------|------|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 26.3 | 25.5 | 26.6 | 24.0 | 26.3 | 64.2 | 63.3 | 65.6 | 66.0 | 70.8 |
| Male | 28.2 | 27.1 | 29.2 | 24.5 | 28.6 | 63.3 | 62.6 | 65.3 | 64.4 | 70.8 |
| Female | 24.6 | 24.2 | 24.5 | 23.5 | 24.5 | 65.0 | 63.9 | 66.0 | 67.4 | 70.7 |
| 20-29years old | 17.7 | 21.9 | 17.8 | 15.1 | 19.9 | 33.8 | 38.2 | 37.3 | 40.6 | 51.5 |
| 30-39years old | 27.3 | 24.8 | 28.6 | 23.3 | 23.9 | 60.4 | 59.4 | 63.7 | 62.7 | 71.8 |
| 40-49years old | 32.8 | 30.7 | 26.4 | 28.7 | 28.1 | 74.8 | 75.4 | 74.8 | 75.6 | 78.8 |
| 50-59years old | 29.2 | 28.4 | 33.3 | 26.3 | 27.3 | 77.8 | 77.0 | 79.1 | 76.7 | 83.1 |
| 60-69years old | 25.5 | 25.7 | 26.2 | 26.4 | 30.8 | 68.9 | 69.0 | 67.6 | 70.8 | 70.4 |
| 70years old or older | 19.1 | 18.6 | 21.8 | 18.7 | 23.4 | 53.3 | 48.3 | 53.4 | 53.6 | 59.3 |
| Employed | 28.9 | 27.0 | 27.6 | 24.9 | 26.2 | 66.7 | 65.9 | 68.2 | 68.3 | 75.2 |
| Professional or specialist position | 30.3 | 23.6 | 27.8 | 20.9 | 25.5 | 63.8 | 61.6 | 61.4 | 68.5 | 72.0 |
| Managerial post | 33.3 | 28.6 | 28.4 | 25.2 | 36.6 | 68.2 | 67.7 | 63.0 | 66.2 | 73.2 |
| Clerical post | 28.4 | 29.4 | 23.0 | 20.8 | 23.1 | 64.6 | 62.8 | 65.5 | 62.9 | 75.1 |
| Sales and marketing post | 23.9 | 22.2 | 27.9 | 23.4 | 24.8 | 66.4 | 65.6 | 74.6 | 69.6 | 80.9 |
| Sales/service post | 28.7 | 28.7 | 29.8 | 27.5 | 26.3 | 73.9 | 69.9 | 73.3 | 71.5 | 76.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 41.7 | 15.8 | 41.2 | 37.5 | 27.3 | 75.0 | 78.9 | 82.4 | 62.5 | 81.8 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 33.9 | 29.5 | 35.2 | 23.0 | 28.2 | 67.9 | 70.5 | 66.7 | 65.6 | 76.9 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 28.9 | 28.0 | 27.8 | 31.2 | 26.1 | 65.6 | 67.7 | 69.5 | 71.3 | 78.8 |
| Unemployed | 21.7 | 23.4 | 25.0 | 22.6 | 26.5 | 59.7 | 59.4 | 61.4 | 62.4 | 64.7 |

Total of "I am concerned" and "I am somewhat concerned"

14 Rules on corporate restructuring

| | Those with shorter length of service | | | | | Those with less vocational skills | | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 12.9 | 13.0 | 13.5 | 14.0 | 18.2 | 48.9 | 51.0 | 54.2 | 57.5 | 67.5 |
| Male | 14.8 | 14.5 | 15.0 | 15.3 | 18.0 | 52.1 | 56.6 | 58.4 | 60.3 | 68.8 |
| Female | 11.2 | 11.7 | 12.2 | 12.9 | 18.3 | 46.2 | 46.4 | 50.5 | 54.9 | 66.4 |
| 20–29years old | 8.9 | 10.4 | 8.6 | 12.5 | 16.3 | 58.7 | 57.2 | 66.3 | 66.8 | 70.4 |
| 30–39years old | 11.3 | 9.7 | 10.9 | 10.9 | 13.5 | 56.1 | 53.3 | 64.6 | 67.5 | 80.2 |
| 40–49years old | 10.4 | 12.7 | 13.9 | 14.0 | 17.8 | 51.1 | 59.2 | 52.6 | 63.8 | 73.2 |
| 50–59years old | 14.6 | 13.6 | 12.7 | 14.9 | 16.4 | 45.1 | 47.7 | 51.7 | 56.7 | 68.2 |
| 60–69years old | 16.2 | 15.1 | 16.1 | 15.9 | 22.0 | 45.9 | 48.9 | 50.3 | 49.4 | 62.3 |
| 70years old or older | 15.8 | 15.2 | 18.1 | 14.8 | 20.5 | 35.2 | 39.9 | 42.9 | 44.4 | 56.4 |
| Employed | 12.6 | 12.3 | 13.1 | 13.9 | 18.1 | 53.7 | 55.5 | 58.3 | 62.8 | 72.2 |
| Professional or specialist position | 8.0 | 7.9 | 10.5 | 11.2 | 17.6 | 57.1 | 62.1 | 59.9 | 64.7 | 73.0 |
| Managerial post | 18.9 | 11.3 | 13.0 | 9.9 | 17.9 | 66.7 | 70.7 | 64.8 | 72.2 | 74.8 |
| Clerical post | 12.3 | 12.3 | 10.5 | 10.0 | 12.4 | 53.7 | 55.3 | 60.1 | 64.5 | 74.7 |
| Sales and marketing post | 13.0 | 11.8 | 17.4 | 17.9 | 13.5 | 55.5 | 61.1 | 59.7 | 60.9 | 70.2 |
| Sales/service post | 13.8 | 14.3 | 12.0 | 17.5 | 24.1 | 50.7 | 54.2 | 57.4 | 63.9 | 76.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 8.3 | 0.0 | 5.9 | 37.5 | 9.1 | 58.3 | 57.9 | 35.3 | 75.0 | 45.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 10.7 | 13.6 | 27.8 | 11.5 | 23.1 | 46.4 | 63.6 | 63.0 | 55.7 | 76.9 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 13.8 | 13.9 | 14.1 | 15.9 | 22.2 | 51.0 | 48.3 | 53.8 | 56.7 | 67.0 |
| Unemployed | 13.3 | 14.0 | 14.2 | 14.2 | 18.4 | 40.5 | 44.2 | 47.0 | 49.5 | 60.9 |

| | Younger employees | | | | | Older employees | | | | |
|---|-------------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 8.6 | 8.6 | 10.0 | 7.7 | 9.7 | 23.6 | 21.5 | 24.9 | 26.6 | 27.7 |
| Male | 9.7 | 9.3 | 11.6 | 8.6 | 10.3 | 28.2 | 26.1 | 28.9 | 29.7 | 32.7 |
| Female | 7.6 | 8.0 | 8.7 | 6.9 | 9.2 | 19.5 | 17.8 | 21.4 | 23.9 | 23.7 |
| 20–29years old | 6.4 | 7.0 | 7.9 | 6.3 | 10.7 | 16.6 | 19.0 | 16.5 | 19.6 | 18.4 |
| 30–39years old | 8.1 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 6.3 | 8.6 | 15.1 | 14.6 | 18.1 | 22.4 | 19.8 |
| 40–49years old | 7.8 | 9.4 | 10.4 | 9.7 | 9.3 | 21.7 | 18.4 | 18.9 | 21.6 | 22.5 |
| 50–59years old | 10.2 | 10.0 | 8.6 | 8.5 | 10.4 | 23.1 | 23.0 | 27.5 | 26.7 | 31.1 |
| 60–69years old | 10.2 | 8.0 | 12.5 | 8.1 | 10.3 | 35.5 | 27.5 | 34.5 | 33.1 | 31.5 |
| 70years old or older | 7.6 | 9.4 | 13.6 | 6.6 | 9.1 | 28.9 | 24.4 | 30.2 | 33.3 | 34.5 |
| Employed | 8.3 | 8.9 | 10.0 | 8.4 | 9.9 | 23.6 | 21.9 | 24.2 | 26.3 | 27.6 |
| Professional or specialist position | 7.7 | 9.4 | 7.2 | 7.6 | 12.3 | 21.6 | 16.3 | 22.0 | 24.4 | 22.6 |
| Managerial post | 12.9 | 8.3 | 8.6 | 10.6 | 8.9 | 29.5 | 24.8 | 29.6 | 23.8 | 40.7 |
| Clerical post | 10.2 | 10.2 | 7.3 | 6.6 | 6.7 | 19.6 | 19.8 | 19.8 | 20.8 | 23.6 |
| Sales and marketing post | 5.0 | 10.0 | 10.4 | 10.3 | 7.1 | 32.8 | 21.7 | 25.4 | 23.9 | 25.5 |
| Sales/service post | 9.3 | 8.7 | 11.2 | 6.2 | 12.7 | 20.5 | 24.8 | 20.9 | 30.2 | 32.9 |
| Maintenance occupations | 8.3 | 0.0 | 5.9 | 50.0 | 0.0 | 50.0 | 31.6 | 35.3 | 25.0 | 45.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 7.1 | 13.6 | 18.5 | 8.2 | 15.4 | 19.6 | 31.8 | 37.0 | 27.9 | 30.8 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 7.3 | 7.5 | 12.3 | 9.3 | 10.3 | 23.4 | 23.5 | 26.4 | 32.4 | 25.6 |
| Unemployed | 9.1 | 8.2 | 10.1 | 6.8 | 9.4 | 23.5 | 21.0 | 26.0 | 27.1 | 27.9 |

| | Those whose posts are no longer needed | | | | |
|---|--|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 41.0 | 41.7 | 43.8 | 47.2 | 51.4 |
| Male | 45.7 | 46.3 | 49.7 | 51.5 | 55.0 |
| Female | 36.8 | 37.9 | 38.7 | 43.4 | 48.5 |
| 20–29years old | 47.9 | 47.9 | 48.8 | 51.7 | 52.0 |
| 30–39years old | 37.8 | 38.2 | 48.1 | 49.5 | 54.3 |
| 40–49years old | 39.2 | 45.5 | 41.2 | 49.1 | 50.1 |
| 50–59years old | 42.3 | 40.0 | 43.5 | 46.9 | 55.3 |
| 60–69years old | 42.3 | 41.3 | 43.5 | 45.9 | 51.0 |
| 70years old or older | 35.9 | 37.5 | 38.7 | 42.0 | 46.1 |
| Employed | 44.0 | 44.5 | 46.1 | 49.8 | 53.9 |
| Professional or specialist position | 40.4 | 51.7 | 47.7 | 50.9 | 56.6 |
| Managerial post | 55.3 | 55.6 | 53.7 | 56.3 | 56.1 |
| Clerical post | 43.9 | 41.3 | 38.7 | 48.6 | 55.1 |
| Sales and marketing post | 54.2 | 46.2 | 46.8 | 48.9 | 47.5 |
| Sales/service post | 39.2 | 43.4 | 44.6 | 52.2 | 54.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 83.3 | 42.1 | 52.9 | 50.0 | 45.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 41.1 | 50.0 | 64.8 | 45.9 | 56.4 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 40.6 | 40.8 | 45.3 | 46.7 | 49.8 |
| Unemployed | 35.6 | 37.5 | 39.7 | 43.4 | 47.8 |

Total of those who "Agree" and "Somewhat agree" with staff adjustments or dismissals as a result of poor business performance by a company.

Those with shorter length of service : Those with the shortest length of continuous service should be the first to lose their jobs

Those with less vocational skills : Those with the lowest level of vocational ability should be the first to lose their jobs

Younger employees : Those who are youngest should be the first to lose their jobs

Older employees : Those who are oldest should be the first to lose their jobs

Those whose posts are no longer needed : Those whose duties are no longer required should be the first to lose their jobs

15 Image of unemployment

| | Economic difficulty | | | | | Loss of social ties | | | | |
|---|---------------------|------|-------|-------|------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 95.1 | 94.6 | 96.4 | 96.9 | 96.5 | 56.3 | 58.9 | 60.2 | 59.1 | 63.2 |
| Male | 94.9 | 94.0 | 96.1 | 97.3 | 96.4 | 55.4 | 58.5 | 59.4 | 58.9 | 61.6 |
| Female | 95.2 | 95.1 | 96.6 | 96.5 | 96.6 | 57.1 | 59.1 | 60.8 | 59.4 | 64.5 |
| 20–29years old | 95.0 | 94.9 | 94.4 | 97.4 | 95.4 | 48.5 | 50.3 | 49.8 | 48.0 | 59.2 |
| 30–39years old | 95.5 | 97.1 | 98.0 | 97.6 | 97.4 | 54.7 | 58.2 | 63.3 | 51.9 | 64.7 |
| 40–49years old | 97.4 | 95.7 | 97.7 | 98.7 | 97.6 | 55.8 | 58.0 | 61.5 | 61.6 | 66.3 |
| 50–59years old | 96.5 | 95.7 | 98.0 | 98.0 | 97.6 | 59.3 | 63.4 | 61.0 | 63.0 | 66.7 |
| 60–69years old | 93.4 | 94.7 | 96.6 | 95.7 | 96.0 | 59.3 | 61.2 | 62.2 | 63.9 | 60.9 |
| 70years old or older | 90.5 | 88.5 | 91.0 | 93.7 | 94.8 | 57.9 | 59.1 | 58.8 | 60.2 | 60.2 |
| Employed | 95.7 | 95.2 | 96.9 | 97.5 | 97.4 | 55.6 | 58.3 | 60.1 | 58.1 | 64.4 |
| Professional or specialist position | 96.5 | 93.6 | 98.2 | 97.4 | 99.7 | 55.1 | 55.7 | 58.8 | 57.6 | 66.0 |
| Managerial post | 93.2 | 93.2 | 95.1 | 96.0 | 98.4 | 50.8 | 63.2 | 58.6 | 52.3 | 63.4 |
| Clerical post | 96.8 | 95.6 | 97.4 | 98.1 | 97.3 | 58.9 | 56.7 | 62.9 | 62.2 | 66.2 |
| Sales and marketing post | 95.4 | 97.3 | 97.5 | 97.8 | 96.5 | 51.7 | 57.9 | 62.2 | 61.4 | 61.7 |
| Sales/service post | 95.9 | 95.8 | 95.3 | 97.9 | 95.6 | 59.0 | 58.0 | 60.9 | 55.7 | 65.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 91.7 | 94.7 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 90.9 | 66.7 | 63.2 | 70.6 | 50.0 | 45.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 96.4 | 93.2 | 90.7 | 98.4 | 97.4 | 53.6 | 68.2 | 53.7 | 65.6 | 64.1 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 95.6 | 96.0 | 97.5 | 97.5 | 96.6 | 55.5 | 58.7 | 58.5 | 57.3 | 61.6 |
| Unemployed | 94.0 | 93.7 | 95.4 | 96.0 | 95.2 | 57.5 | 59.7 | 60.3 | 60.8 | 61.4 |

| | Loss of identity | | | | | An opportunity to reset one's career | | | | |
|---|------------------|------|------|------|------|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 29.5 | 27.1 | 27.4 | 28.0 | 28.4 | 58.0 | 59.1 | 62.8 | 57.9 | 58.8 |
| Male | 30.6 | 26.5 | 28.0 | 30.6 | 28.2 | 60.4 | 59.7 | 64.9 | 58.3 | 58.1 |
| Female | 28.5 | 27.5 | 26.9 | 25.6 | 28.5 | 55.9 | 58.6 | 61.0 | 57.4 | 59.3 |
| 20–29years old | 23.8 | 18.7 | 17.2 | 19.6 | 20.9 | 65.4 | 71.1 | 71.0 | 68.3 | 65.8 |
| 30–39years old | 27.0 | 24.3 | 23.8 | 23.1 | 21.3 | 63.5 | 63.7 | 70.7 | 63.4 | 66.7 |
| 40–49years old | 28.6 | 28.5 | 25.6 | 29.7 | 31.8 | 58.0 | 65.0 | 62.0 | 55.4 | 56.5 |
| 50–59years old | 30.5 | 29.1 | 32.6 | 30.9 | 27.1 | 57.2 | 55.4 | 61.9 | 58.9 | 62.4 |
| 60–69years old | 32.7 | 29.8 | 31.5 | 30.5 | 30.6 | 54.7 | 55.0 | 59.8 | 52.4 | 57.5 |
| 70years old or older | 34.5 | 29.4 | 28.5 | 29.6 | 33.2 | 48.0 | 46.5 | 53.1 | 53.2 | 49.1 |
| Employed | 29.2 | 26.1 | 27.4 | 28.7 | 27.9 | 59.6 | 62.6 | 65.1 | 58.4 | 60.8 |
| Professional or specialist position | 31.7 | 19.7 | 24.5 | 26.2 | 28.3 | 59.9 | 66.5 | 70.4 | 56.8 | 62.6 |
| Managerial post | 29.5 | 30.1 | 30.9 | 27.8 | 26.0 | 64.4 | 66.9 | 60.5 | 62.3 | 59.3 |
| Clerical post | 24.9 | 25.3 | 24.9 | 29.0 | 25.8 | 62.8 | 64.5 | 66.8 | 58.7 | 61.3 |
| Sales and marketing post | 27.3 | 20.8 | 22.4 | 30.4 | 29.1 | 65.5 | 65.2 | 66.7 | 64.7 | 62.4 |
| Sales/service post | 31.3 | 28.7 | 32.9 | 28.9 | 29.8 | 59.7 | 61.5 | 71.7 | 59.1 | 62.7 |
| Maintenance occupations | 33.3 | 31.6 | 29.4 | 50.0 | 18.2 | 50.0 | 63.2 | 58.8 | 87.5 | 54.5 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 26.8 | 27.3 | 24.1 | 34.4 | 28.2 | 66.1 | 75.0 | 42.6 | 47.5 | 66.7 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 29.9 | 30.1 | 29.4 | 30.2 | 27.6 | 53.1 | 58.4 | 61.0 | 55.5 | 55.2 |
| Unemployed | 30.0 | 28.6 | 27.5 | 26.9 | 29.0 | 55.2 | 53.9 | 58.8 | 57.0 | 55.9 |

Total of "Agree" and "Somewhat agree"

Economic difficulty: Life becomes more difficult economically

Loss of social ties: Social links are lost

Loss of identity: Life loses its meaning

An opportunity to reset one's career: It becomes the catalyst for starting one's life again

16 Response to unemployment

| | Anxiety about employment | | | | | Anxiety about employment (the employed only) | | | | |
|---|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|--|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 13.8 | 12.5 | 13.8 | 13.7 | 13.1 | 19.0 | 18.3 | 19.2 | 19.7 | 19.2 |
| Male | 16.7 | 15.1 | 15.8 | 16.6 | 15.7 | 19.6 | 19.1 | 19.6 | 20.4 | 20.2 |
| Female | 11.2 | 10.3 | 12.1 | 11.0 | 11.1 | 18.2 | 17.3 | 18.5 | 18.7 | 18.1 |
| 20-29years old | 9.4 | 11.5 | 15.2 | 15.1 | 10.7 | 12.9 | 16.5 | 19.9 | 17.6 | 13.4 |
| 30-39years old | 14.9 | 11.7 | 15.9 | 13.7 | 12.4 | 17.1 | 15.6 | 18.0 | 15.6 | 13.4 |
| 40-49years old | 16.4 | 18.2 | 16.6 | 15.7 | 20.2 | 17.8 | 20.4 | 18.6 | 18.4 | 21.6 |
| 50-59years old | 18.1 | 15.5 | 17.5 | 19.4 | 20.4 | 21.6 | 18.2 | 21.1 | 23.1 | 23.1 |
| 60-69years old | 13.8 | 11.9 | 11.0 | 12.2 | 10.9 | 26.9 | 21.4 | 19.7 | 25.1 | 22.9 |
| 70years old or older | 4.6 | 3.1 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 3.9 | 13.7 | 12.3 | 10.4 | 14.5 | 10.3 |
| Employed | 19.0 | 18.3 | 19.2 | 19.7 | 19.2 | - | - | - | - | - |
| Professional or specialist position | 13.9 | 13.3 | 23.1 | 15.0 | 13.8 | 13.9 | 13.3 | 23.1 | 15.0 | 13.8 |
| Managerial post | 12.1 | 15.0 | 12.3 | 16.6 | 17.9 | 12.1 | 15.0 | 12.3 | 16.6 | 17.9 |
| Clerical post | 17.5 | 14.3 | 15.0 | 16.6 | 16.4 | 17.5 | 14.3 | 15.0 | 16.6 | 16.4 |
| Sales and marketing post | 16.4 | 20.4 | 22.4 | 25.0 | 23.4 | 16.4 | 20.4 | 22.4 | 25.0 | 23.4 |
| Sales/service post | 20.9 | 17.5 | 21.7 | 21.6 | 20.2 | 20.9 | 17.5 | 21.7 | 21.6 | 20.2 |
| Maintenance occupations | 16.7 | 42.1 | 23.5 | 50.0 | 27.3 | 16.7 | 42.1 | 23.5 | 50.0 | 27.3 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 21.4 | 27.3 | 25.9 | 21.3 | 23.1 | 21.4 | 27.3 | 25.9 | 21.3 | 23.1 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 28.4 | 23.5 | 18.7 | 23.4 | 27.6 | 28.4 | 23.5 | 18.7 | 23.4 | 27.6 |
| Unemployed | 4.6 | 3.7 | 4.6 | 4.8 | 4.7 | - | - | - | - | - |

| | To avoid unemployment | | | | | Unavoidable under certain circumstances | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|---|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 41.0 | 41.5 | 42.7 | 40.6 | 35.7 | 34.0 | 35.2 | 36.4 | 34.6 | 37.2 |
| Male | 46.9 | 47.2 | 45.6 | 44.0 | 42.7 | 37.4 | 37.4 | 38.1 | 35.8 | 38.1 |
| Female | 35.9 | 36.9 | 40.2 | 37.5 | 30.3 | 31.1 | 33.4 | 34.9 | 33.5 | 36.5 |
| 20-29years old | 29.9 | 29.9 | 32.3 | 31.7 | 26.0 | 46.8 | 46.5 | 53.8 | 52.4 | 55.1 |
| 30-39years old | 39.2 | 42.3 | 39.7 | 41.2 | 35.3 | 40.5 | 41.6 | 47.6 | 46.0 | 49.1 |
| 40-49years old | 50.0 | 48.8 | 49.1 | 42.0 | 39.3 | 38.5 | 41.2 | 35.8 | 40.1 | 40.8 |
| 50-59years old | 53.5 | 51.1 | 50.2 | 51.6 | 49.6 | 32.6 | 33.6 | 35.6 | 34.3 | 40.2 |
| 60-69years old | 38.7 | 44.0 | 43.6 | 40.4 | 34.5 | 27.9 | 30.3 | 29.4 | 27.0 | 31.7 |
| 70years old or older | 21.4 | 24.9 | 31.4 | 28.6 | 24.5 | 14.1 | 19.2 | 20.1 | 14.6 | 19.8 |
| Employed | 47.3 | 47.1 | 48.7 | 45.3 | 41.9 | 39.0 | 40.4 | 41.9 | 42.3 | 45.1 |
| Professional or specialist position | 44.6 | 38.9 | 50.2 | 46.8 | 41.5 | 43.2 | 41.9 | 46.6 | 41.2 | 43.7 |
| Managerial post | 63.6 | 66.2 | 54.9 | 50.3 | 56.1 | 48.5 | 51.9 | 39.5 | 41.7 | 45.5 |
| Clerical post | 51.6 | 44.7 | 47.3 | 43.6 | 39.1 | 40.0 | 42.7 | 44.4 | 43.2 | 48.4 |
| Sales and marketing post | 45.4 | 47.5 | 46.3 | 43.5 | 36.9 | 40.3 | 42.5 | 42.8 | 47.8 | 44.0 |
| Sales/service post | 44.4 | 48.3 | 47.3 | 44.3 | 39.5 | 35.1 | 40.6 | 45.7 | 42.6 | 52.2 |
| Maintenance occupations | 50.0 | 63.2 | 47.1 | 75.0 | 45.5 | 33.3 | 26.3 | 23.5 | 75.0 | 9.1 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 53.6 | 47.7 | 46.3 | 41.0 | 46.2 | 39.3 | 31.8 | 38.9 | 44.3 | 41.0 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 47.9 | 48.8 | 48.7 | 45.5 | 46.8 | 37.2 | 37.3 | 36.0 | 35.8 | 42.4 |
| Unemployed | 29.9 | 33.1 | 32.3 | 33.6 | 27.1 | 25.2 | 27.4 | 26.8 | 23.2 | 26.2 |

Total of "Agree" and "Somewhat agree"

Anxiety about employment : I am anxious that I might become unemployed in the near future (within the next year)

To avoid unemployment : I would not mind a wage decrease in order to avoid unemployment

Unavoidable under certain circumstances : Unemployment is inevitable if you are dissatisfied with wages or how rewarding you find the job

17 Response After Unemployment

| | Early reemployment | | | | | An emphasis on wages | | | | |
|---|--------------------|------|-------|-------|------|----------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 83.7 | 82.9 | 84.2 | 83.7 | 84.7 | 52.7 | 51.9 | 55.2 | 57.3 | 60.7 |
| Male | 87.9 | 85.6 | 87.9 | 86.8 | 89.2 | 56.0 | 54.4 | 57.3 | 58.2 | 63.1 |
| Female | 80.0 | 80.7 | 81.0 | 80.9 | 81.1 | 49.9 | 49.8 | 53.4 | 56.5 | 58.8 |
| 20–29years old | 91.4 | 92.2 | 92.4 | 93.0 | 94.9 | 65.9 | 63.4 | 63.7 | 65.7 | 81.1 |
| 30–39years old | 93.5 | 93.7 | 91.6 | 92.8 | 92.2 | 65.3 | 71.3 | 68.3 | 72.1 | 75.3 |
| 40–49years old | 90.1 | 90.4 | 91.7 | 90.3 | 91.5 | 59.1 | 59.2 | 65.9 | 68.1 | 72.1 |
| 50–59years old | 82.9 | 84.8 | 85.0 | 86.2 | 85.3 | 44.9 | 52.0 | 50.6 | 56.0 | 54.9 |
| 60–69years old | 75.4 | 74.8 | 76.9 | 73.6 | 79.4 | 40.1 | 37.4 | 45.2 | 42.5 | 49.0 |
| 70years old or older | 63.8 | 61.7 | 66.4 | 69.7 | 73.6 | 42.4 | 31.8 | 39.0 | 44.2 | 49.5 |
| Employed | 87.9 | 87.1 | 87.8 | 88.1 | 87.5 | 55.7 | 56.2 | 56.7 | 62.0 | 63.7 |
| Professional or specialist position | 90.2 | 88.7 | 92.4 | 89.4 | 90.9 | 59.9 | 55.7 | 57.8 | 60.9 | 70.4 |
| Managerial post | 86.4 | 81.2 | 79.0 | 86.8 | 87.0 | 60.6 | 57.9 | 54.3 | 55.6 | 54.5 |
| Clerical post | 88.4 | 87.0 | 88.8 | 88.0 | 88.9 | 59.3 | 65.2 | 56.9 | 64.1 | 68.0 |
| Sales and marketing post | 87.4 | 91.0 | 88.1 | 87.5 | 87.9 | 55.9 | 57.9 | 53.7 | 67.4 | 63.1 |
| Sales/service post | 86.9 | 88.8 | 90.3 | 87.6 | 81.1 | 53.4 | 51.4 | 56.6 | 60.5 | 60.1 |
| Maintenance occupations | 91.7 | 94.7 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 90.9 | 41.7 | 47.4 | 52.9 | 75.0 | 27.3 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 94.6 | 90.9 | 88.9 | 91.8 | 92.3 | 66.1 | 65.9 | 74.1 | 54.1 | 76.9 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 89.3 | 86.1 | 85.9 | 88.2 | 87.7 | 51.6 | 54.9 | 56.0 | 63.2 | 59.6 |
| Unemployed | 76.3 | 76.6 | 78.0 | 77.2 | 80.8 | 47.5 | 45.4 | 52.6 | 50.3 | 56.7 |

| | An emphasis on the kind of jobs | | | | | Jobs different from their previous jobs | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------|------|------|------|------|---|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 68.9 | 69.0 | 71.4 | 73.8 | 76.2 | 35.7 | 30.4 | 32.4 | 28.9 | 30.4 |
| Male | 70.0 | 70.8 | 72.7 | 74.4 | 76.4 | 35.8 | 32.6 | 34.8 | 29.7 | 31.8 |
| Female | 67.9 | 67.5 | 70.3 | 73.3 | 76.1 | 35.6 | 28.7 | 30.3 | 28.1 | 29.4 |
| 20–29years old | 84.8 | 85.0 | 83.5 | 86.0 | 88.8 | 47.1 | 44.1 | 40.3 | 36.9 | 40.8 |
| 30–39years old | 83.8 | 86.1 | 85.5 | 85.0 | 89.7 | 41.7 | 38.9 | 37.9 | 34.4 | 35.9 |
| 40–49years old | 73.9 | 76.4 | 80.0 | 83.4 | 85.9 | 41.6 | 32.4 | 34.1 | 29.7 | 33.2 |
| 50–59years old | 64.3 | 66.4 | 68.2 | 75.2 | 77.3 | 34.3 | 29.6 | 34.4 | 31.6 | 34.2 |
| 60–69years old | 57.5 | 57.1 | 63.6 | 64.0 | 70.6 | 26.3 | 22.7 | 27.5 | 23.2 | 26.2 |
| 70years old or older | 46.4 | 46.7 | 48.0 | 53.4 | 57.0 | 20.7 | 17.8 | 19.8 | 19.9 | 20.0 |
| Employed | 73.4 | 73.6 | 74.9 | 79.1 | 80.7 | 36.8 | 31.5 | 34.5 | 30.3 | 32.9 |
| Professional or specialist position | 81.9 | 82.8 | 85.2 | 86.2 | 86.2 | 31.0 | 29.1 | 31.0 | 23.8 | 30.8 |
| Managerial post | 75.8 | 75.2 | 73.5 | 77.5 | 85.4 | 45.5 | 36.1 | 34.0 | 23.8 | 26.0 |
| Clerical post | 80.0 | 79.9 | 81.5 | 84.6 | 87.6 | 42.8 | 36.2 | 38.3 | 37.5 | 37.3 |
| Sales and marketing post | 74.4 | 76.5 | 68.2 | 82.1 | 73.8 | 34.5 | 33.9 | 43.3 | 36.4 | 39.0 |
| Sales/service post | 70.5 | 68.9 | 73.6 | 75.9 | 78.1 | 36.2 | 28.7 | 33.7 | 29.9 | 36.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 75.0 | 84.2 | 64.7 | 62.5 | 72.7 | 41.7 | 42.1 | 35.3 | 62.5 | 36.4 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 71.4 | 75.0 | 79.6 | 73.8 | 84.6 | 37.5 | 29.5 | 33.3 | 34.4 | 25.6 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 65.9 | 68.0 | 67.9 | 69.8 | 73.4 | 36.5 | 30.1 | 31.0 | 29.6 | 30.5 |
| Unemployed | 60.9 | 62.1 | 65.2 | 66.1 | 70.1 | 33.7 | 28.8 | 28.6 | 26.7 | 26.9 |

Total of "Agree" and "Somewhat agree"

18-1 Important unemployment assistance (3 answers allowed for the maximum) (1)

| | Support for maintaining employment at the company | | | | | Support for creating new employment opportunities | | | | |
|---|---|------|------|------|------|---|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 34.3 | 34.4 | 32.7 | 39.8 | 38.8 | 22.5 | 23.4 | 22.2 | 26.9 | 22.3 |
| Male | 37.8 | 38.6 | 39.0 | 43.8 | 43.0 | 28.6 | 29.2 | 30.0 | 31.4 | 30.5 |
| Female | 31.3 | 31.0 | 27.4 | 36.1 | 35.6 | 17.1 | 18.7 | 15.5 | 22.9 | 15.9 |
| 20–29years old | 33.5 | 32.6 | 30.4 | 38.0 | 40.3 | 23.5 | 23.0 | 19.5 | 35.8 | 27.6 |
| 30–39years old | 34.2 | 33.8 | 31.3 | 41.4 | 41.1 | 25.5 | 32.4 | 26.3 | 31.8 | 24.4 |
| 40–49years old | 36.7 | 38.3 | 34.9 | 43.1 | 42.2 | 27.7 | 27.0 | 27.6 | 30.2 | 23.9 |
| 50–59years old | 39.1 | 35.9 | 35.1 | 44.0 | 42.0 | 21.1 | 25.4 | 25.2 | 27.0 | 22.7 |
| 60–69years old | 31.5 | 34.9 | 35.7 | 36.7 | 37.3 | 21.0 | 17.9 | 17.3 | 21.0 | 22.4 |
| 70years old or older | 26.6 | 28.9 | 24.9 | 33.5 | 32.0 | 12.2 | 15.0 | 13.6 | 19.7 | 16.6 |
| Employed | 36.7 | 36.6 | 35.0 | 42.4 | 42.7 | 25.1 | 28.1 | 25.5 | 30.2 | 24.9 |
| Professional or specialist position | 33.4 | 36.9 | 33.6 | 44.1 | 43.4 | 32.4 | 31.5 | 27.8 | 34.7 | 25.8 |
| Managerial post | 43.2 | 40.6 | 43.2 | 46.4 | 47.2 | 40.2 | 40.6 | 45.1 | 46.4 | 36.6 |
| Clerical post | 32.3 | 36.9 | 31.9 | 46.3 | 40.9 | 25.3 | 30.0 | 24.3 | 29.3 | 28.4 |
| Sales and marketing post | 42.4 | 35.3 | 33.3 | 36.4 | 46.8 | 28.6 | 38.9 | 29.4 | 35.9 | 22.7 |
| Sales/service post | 36.9 | 36.4 | 35.3 | 36.4 | 39.9 | 22.0 | 21.3 | 20.9 | 24.1 | 18.0 |
| Maintenance occupations | 58.3 | 47.4 | 64.7 | 75.0 | 54.5 | 33.3 | 52.6 | 11.8 | 12.5 | 18.2 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 33.9 | 43.2 | 37.0 | 54.1 | 56.4 | 25.0 | 18.2 | 44.4 | 24.6 | 25.6 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 37.0 | 34.4 | 34.2 | 41.7 | 39.9 | 16.4 | 20.5 | 17.1 | 22.1 | 19.7 |
| Unemployed | 30.0 | 31.1 | 28.8 | 35.9 | 33.3 | 17.7 | 16.4 | 16.5 | 22.1 | 18.7 |

| | Support for re-employment (employment referral, provision of information) | | | | | Advice concerning suitable occupations or vocational ability (counseling) | | | | |
|---|---|------|------|------|------|---|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 67.8 | 68.9 | 67.8 | 68.1 | 70.9 | 29.9 | 25.6 | 28.7 | 22.6 | 25.7 |
| Male | 66.4 | 69.2 | 63.7 | 68.3 | 72.5 | 31.2 | 25.4 | 28.1 | 22.9 | 24.7 |
| Female | 69.0 | 68.6 | 71.3 | 68.0 | 69.7 | 28.7 | 25.8 | 29.2 | 22.4 | 26.6 |
| 20–29years old | 71.7 | 70.6 | 71.3 | 68.3 | 76.0 | 35.7 | 32.6 | 37.6 | 24.0 | 33.2 |
| 30–39years old | 72.3 | 71.0 | 75.1 | 72.8 | 74.7 | 37.6 | 30.2 | 36.3 | 25.7 | 27.0 |
| 40–49years old | 73.0 | 75.0 | 71.5 | 69.2 | 75.9 | 29.0 | 27.7 | 27.6 | 26.1 | 31.3 |
| 50–59years old | 69.9 | 70.2 | 71.3 | 69.8 | 74.9 | 28.9 | 27.5 | 26.4 | 22.8 | 23.8 |
| 60–69years old | 60.7 | 64.9 | 61.5 | 66.1 | 72.2 | 27.1 | 21.1 | 27.9 | 22.8 | 26.2 |
| 70years old or older | 54.6 | 60.9 | 54.0 | 61.9 | 55.9 | 19.7 | 15.0 | 18.4 | 14.1 | 18.2 |
| Employed | 70.3 | 71.5 | 69.8 | 69.5 | 73.2 | 32.6 | 28.5 | 30.1 | 23.8 | 27.1 |
| Professional or specialist position | 67.6 | 68.0 | 71.8 | 69.4 | 75.2 | 43.6 | 32.0 | 38.6 | 25.6 | 31.8 |
| Managerial post | 62.1 | 67.7 | 64.8 | 59.6 | 76.4 | 25.0 | 30.8 | 25.3 | 23.2 | 30.9 |
| Clerical post | 75.4 | 75.4 | 74.8 | 70.7 | 76.0 | 33.7 | 34.1 | 33.2 | 26.3 | 28.9 |
| Sales and marketing post | 71.0 | 69.7 | 62.7 | 69.6 | 68.8 | 31.1 | 27.1 | 30.8 | 23.4 | 25.5 |
| Sales/service post | 72.8 | 74.5 | 74.8 | 72.5 | 71.5 | 31.7 | 28.0 | 29.1 | 24.7 | 23.2 |
| Maintenance occupations | 66.7 | 47.4 | 88.2 | 62.5 | 54.5 | 33.3 | 47.4 | 17.6 | 37.5 | 27.3 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 78.6 | 63.6 | 68.5 | 67.2 | 76.9 | 35.7 | 38.6 | 22.2 | 26.2 | 15.4 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 70.1 | 74.1 | 66.3 | 70.7 | 75.9 | 29.4 | 21.9 | 26.2 | 19.3 | 24.1 |
| Unemployed | 63.2 | 64.8 | 64.4 | 66.1 | 67.8 | 25.1 | 21.3 | 26.2 | 20.9 | 23.8 |

18-2 Important unemployment assistance (3 answers allowed as the maximum) (2)

| | Support for those who are having difficulty in finding employment (long-term unemployed, elderly people, etc.) | | | | | Vocational training | | | | |
|---|--|------|------|------|------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 35.1 | 32.4 | 33.9 | 35.7 | 36.8 | 22.4 | 21.6 | 24.2 | 22.8 | 23.1 |
| Male | 33.9 | 29.4 | 31.1 | 35.4 | 35.6 | 23.5 | 24.3 | 25.5 | 23.9 | 23.7 |
| Female | 36.2 | 34.9 | 36.3 | 36.0 | 37.8 | 21.5 | 19.3 | 23.1 | 21.9 | 22.6 |
| 20-29years old | 33.0 | 27.5 | 33.0 | 32.5 | 27.0 | 27.1 | 29.1 | 24.8 | 26.2 | 26.0 |
| 30-39years old | 33.6 | 33.1 | 29.9 | 31.8 | 35.1 | 21.8 | 22.4 | 22.2 | 24.4 | 27.6 |
| 40-49years old | 34.5 | 32.8 | 30.3 | 32.8 | 34.7 | 22.8 | 20.3 | 27.0 | 24.6 | 22.8 |
| 50-59years old | 35.9 | 34.3 | 38.1 | 38.0 | 42.2 | 21.1 | 21.8 | 23.2 | 21.2 | 23.3 |
| 60-69years old | 39.3 | 34.4 | 38.3 | 39.5 | 43.5 | 22.8 | 20.0 | 24.3 | 22.7 | 21.0 |
| 70years old or older | 32.9 | 30.4 | 31.4 | 37.4 | 31.1 | 18.8 | 16.8 | 23.4 | 19.4 | 20.5 |
| Employed | 33.1 | 30.7 | 34.3 | 35.2 | 36.4 | 23.5 | 23.3 | 24.5 | 23.5 | 23.3 |
| Professional or specialist position | 30.7 | 27.1 | 27.1 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 25.1 | 29.1 | 30.0 | 23.5 | 21.7 |
| Managerial post | 34.1 | 24.8 | 30.2 | 30.5 | 28.5 | 28.0 | 27.1 | 25.9 | 20.5 | 23.6 |
| Clerical post | 30.5 | 31.7 | 34.5 | 34.7 | 31.6 | 30.2 | 23.5 | 21.4 | 27.8 | 22.7 |
| Sales and marketing post | 33.2 | 27.1 | 37.8 | 35.3 | 39.0 | 16.4 | 25.8 | 26.4 | 25.0 | 27.7 |
| Sales/service post | 36.6 | 32.5 | 35.7 | 36.8 | 37.7 | 17.2 | 20.3 | 20.5 | 23.0 | 26.3 |
| Maintenance occupations | 25.0 | 21.1 | 29.4 | 37.5 | 54.5 | 25.0 | 21.1 | 23.5 | 12.5 | 27.3 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 35.7 | 40.9 | 27.8 | 32.8 | 38.5 | 21.4 | 20.5 | 25.9 | 14.8 | 17.9 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 34.1 | 32.5 | 39.4 | 36.1 | 42.4 | 22.1 | 21.3 | 24.1 | 23.4 | 19.7 |
| Unemployed | 38.8 | 35.1 | 33.3 | 36.5 | 37.3 | 20.6 | 18.9 | 23.5 | 21.8 | 22.8 |

| | Livelihood protection in the event of unemployment | | | | | None/don't know | | | | |
|---|--|------|------|------|------|-----------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 60.0 | 61.0 | 60.0 | 58.4 | 54.7 | 6.4 | 6.5 | 5.6 | 4.9 | 5.6 |
| Male | 57.6 | 57.1 | 57.0 | 57.5 | 50.5 | 4.1 | 4.7 | 4.0 | 2.4 | 2.9 |
| Female | 62.1 | 64.2 | 62.5 | 59.3 | 58.0 | 8.3 | 7.9 | 6.9 | 7.3 | 7.7 |
| 20-29years old | 60.4 | 62.6 | 63.4 | 57.9 | 57.7 | 2.2 | 3.2 | 2.3 | 3.3 | 1.5 |
| 30-39years old | 64.4 | 65.0 | 66.0 | 60.1 | 61.5 | 1.8 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 0.9 |
| 40-49years old | 62.4 | 66.8 | 63.4 | 60.6 | 58.9 | 2.6 | 1.4 | 2.7 | 2.2 | 1.3 |
| 50-59years old | 63.6 | 61.6 | 59.8 | 62.3 | 56.9 | 4.4 | 3.6 | 3.8 | 1.9 | 2.2 |
| 60-69years old | 54.7 | 55.7 | 55.4 | 56.0 | 50.0 | 9.8 | 10.6 | 6.6 | 7.1 | 4.6 |
| 70years old or older | 51.0 | 54.6 | 51.7 | 51.9 | 47.7 | 22.7 | 19.9 | 20.6 | 15.0 | 19.3 |
| Employed | 62.0 | 61.7 | 61.4 | 59.8 | 57.3 | 3.3 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 2.1 | 2.2 |
| Professional or specialist position | 57.8 | 62.1 | 57.8 | 54.7 | 54.7 | 1.0 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 0.6 |
| Managerial post | 59.1 | 53.4 | 53.1 | 60.9 | 45.5 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 1.6 |
| Clerical post | 61.1 | 59.4 | 66.8 | 56.4 | 62.2 | 2.1 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 1.2 | 1.3 |
| Sales and marketing post | 61.3 | 59.7 | 65.2 | 58.7 | 61.7 | 2.9 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 0.0 |
| Sales/service post | 67.9 | 64.7 | 58.9 | 64.6 | 58.8 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 3.1 | 2.1 | 4.4 |
| Maintenance occupations | 50.0 | 63.2 | 64.7 | 62.5 | 45.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 57.1 | 56.8 | 59.3 | 72.1 | 61.5 | 1.8 | 4.5 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 67.7 | 67.7 | 63.1 | 61.7 | 63.1 | 4.9 | 4.0 | 5.2 | 4.4 | 2.0 |
| Unemployed | 56.5 | 60.0 | 57.6 | 56.4 | 51.2 | 11.7 | 12.1 | 10.9 | 9.2 | 10.3 |

19-1 The most important unemployment assistance (only 1 response allowed) (1)

| | Support for maintaining employment at the company | | | | | Support for creating new employment opportunities | | | | |
|---|---|------|------|------|------|---|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 9.5 | 8.6 | 9.9 | 11.8 | 13.0 | 5.7 | 6.8 | 5.7 | 7.1 | 4.8 |
| Male | 11.8 | 11.3 | 13.1 | 14.0 | 16.3 | 9.2 | 9.6 | 9.3 | 9.2 | 7.9 |
| Female | 7.5 | 6.5 | 7.2 | 9.8 | 10.3 | 2.6 | 4.5 | 2.7 | 5.2 | 2.5 |
| 20-29years old | 8.6 | 5.9 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 8.0 | 5.9 | 5.3 | 12.5 | 7.1 |
| 30-39years old | 9.9 | 9.5 | 9.3 | 12.2 | 15.8 | 5.6 | 9.0 | 5.4 | 7.0 | 4.9 |
| 40-49years old | 11.5 | 9.4 | 9.2 | 16.2 | 14.1 | 8.0 | 8.0 | 7.5 | 8.0 | 5.3 |
| 50-59years old | 9.0 | 10.5 | 9.6 | 12.1 | 15.3 | 4.4 | 7.3 | 7.7 | 6.6 | 4.7 |
| 60-69years old | 8.6 | 9.4 | 12.7 | 9.2 | 12.5 | 5.4 | 5.9 | 4.6 | 6.2 | 5.0 |
| 70years old or older | 8.9 | 5.5 | 10.2 | 12.4 | 10.5 | 1.6 | 4.2 | 2.3 | 4.9 | 3.4 |
| Employed | 10.1 | 10.6 | 10.1 | 12.9 | 14.9 | 7.1 | 8.1 | 6.8 | 8.3 | 5.5 |
| Professional or specialist position | 8.0 | 13.3 | 11.2 | 15.0 | 18.6 | 10.1 | 7.9 | 9.7 | 8.5 | 5.7 |
| Managerial post | 13.6 | 20.3 | 14.2 | 18.5 | 17.1 | 15.9 | 15.8 | 15.4 | 16.6 | 13.8 |
| Clerical post | 10.5 | 10.2 | 9.3 | 13.9 | 15.1 | 8.8 | 9.6 | 6.4 | 8.5 | 2.7 |
| Sales and marketing post | 8.8 | 6.3 | 9.5 | 10.9 | 14.2 | 7.1 | 13.6 | 7.5 | 8.2 | 5.7 |
| Sales/service post | 10.8 | 10.1 | 9.7 | 12.0 | 11.0 | 3.7 | 5.6 | 5.0 | 6.9 | 2.6 |
| Maintenance occupations | 0.0 | 10.5 | 23.5 | 0.0 | 18.2 | 8.3 | 5.3 | 5.9 | 12.5 | 9.1 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 16.1 | 11.4 | 14.8 | 11.5 | 17.9 | 3.6 | 0.0 | 9.3 | 8.2 | 2.6 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 9.4 | 9.1 | 8.4 | 10.0 | 11.8 | 3.9 | 5.6 | 3.0 | 5.6 | 5.4 |
| Unemployed | 8.5 | 5.7 | 9.4 | 10.2 | 10.3 | 3.3 | 4.8 | 3.9 | 5.4 | 4.0 |

| | Support for re-employment (employment referral, provision of information) | | | | | Advice concerning suitable occupations or vocational ability (counseling) | | | | |
|---|---|------|------|------|------|---|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 22.8 | 24.6 | 23.5 | 24.4 | 28.3 | 5.6 | 4.8 | 5.2 | 4.3 | 4.9 |
| Male | 21.6 | 25.3 | 22.0 | 23.7 | 27.1 | 6.4 | 5.5 | 5.8 | 4.9 | 4.9 |
| Female | 23.7 | 24.1 | 24.7 | 25.2 | 29.3 | 4.9 | 4.1 | 4.7 | 3.8 | 4.9 |
| 20-29years old | 24.4 | 28.9 | 29.7 | 27.3 | 36.2 | 7.5 | 8.0 | 10.6 | 5.9 | 9.7 |
| 30-39years old | 23.4 | 28.0 | 26.3 | 25.1 | 31.3 | 9.2 | 4.4 | 5.7 | 4.8 | 5.7 |
| 40-49years old | 26.8 | 24.2 | 24.5 | 24.4 | 30.8 | 4.7 | 5.9 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 6.1 |
| 50-59years old | 23.6 | 24.3 | 22.9 | 25.6 | 26.7 | 6.0 | 5.5 | 3.5 | 5.1 | 4.4 |
| 60-69years old | 19.4 | 22.7 | 20.1 | 24.3 | 27.8 | 2.4 | 3.4 | 4.9 | 3.9 | 4.2 |
| 70years old or older | 16.4 | 20.7 | 19.2 | 20.4 | 22.7 | 4.3 | 1.3 | 3.4 | 1.2 | 2.3 |
| Employed | 24.0 | 25.7 | 24.8 | 24.4 | 28.5 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 5.0 | 5.7 |
| Professional or specialist position | 21.6 | 27.1 | 22.7 | 23.8 | 26.1 | 10.5 | 7.4 | 7.6 | 5.0 | 6.0 |
| Managerial post | 22.7 | 19.5 | 22.2 | 21.2 | 33.3 | 6.1 | 6.0 | 7.4 | 4.6 | 6.5 |
| Clerical post | 27.0 | 30.0 | 30.4 | 23.6 | 32.9 | 6.3 | 6.1 | 5.4 | 7.7 | 5.3 |
| Sales and marketing post | 29.8 | 31.2 | 23.9 | 27.2 | 29.8 | 5.5 | 5.4 | 4.0 | 7.1 | 6.4 |
| Sales/service post | 21.3 | 24.1 | 24.8 | 22.3 | 27.6 | 3.7 | 5.6 | 7.0 | 3.8 | 7.5 |
| Maintenance occupations | 33.3 | 15.8 | 11.8 | 12.5 | 27.3 | 8.3 | 21.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 26.8 | 20.5 | 38.9 | 24.6 | 28.2 | 7.1 | 9.1 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 2.6 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 22.4 | 22.1 | 21.6 | 26.2 | 29.1 | 4.9 | 3.5 | 4.6 | 4.0 | 4.9 |
| Unemployed | 20.6 | 23.0 | 21.3 | 24.5 | 28.0 | 4.6 | 3.4 | 4.5 | 3.2 | 3.6 |

19-2 The most important unemployment assistance (only 1 response allowed) (2)

| | Support for those who are having difficulty in finding employment (long-term unemployed, elderly people, etc.) | | | | | Vocational training | | | | |
|---|--|------|------|------|------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 8.0 | 8.2 | 7.6 | 8.1 | 8.1 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.9 | 4.5 | 3.5 |
| Male | 7.8 | 6.9 | 6.5 | 9.0 | 7.3 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 5.5 | 5.1 | 3.4 |
| Female | 8.1 | 9.2 | 8.6 | 7.3 | 8.8 | 4.0 | 3.8 | 4.4 | 3.9 | 3.6 |
| 20–29years old | 6.6 | 9.4 | 5.6 | 5.9 | 8.7 | 5.3 | 7.8 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 4.1 |
| 30–39years old | 6.8 | 7.5 | 5.7 | 6.1 | 6.9 | 3.4 | 2.7 | 4.1 | 6.3 | 4.0 |
| 40–49years old | 6.9 | 6.6 | 6.7 | 6.0 | 4.2 | 3.8 | 3.1 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 2.1 |
| 50–59years old | 9.2 | 8.0 | 9.6 | 8.8 | 9.3 | 3.9 | 4.3 | 4.9 | 3.6 | 2.9 |
| 60–69years old | 9.8 | 9.6 | 10.2 | 10.3 | 10.9 | 6.6 | 4.6 | 5.7 | 3.4 | 3.6 |
| 70years old or older | 7.9 | 8.1 | 5.9 | 10.2 | 7.7 | 2.6 | 4.2 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 4.8 |
| Employed | 7.6 | 7.4 | 7.4 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 4.6 | 4.3 | 5.2 | 4.6 | 3.6 |
| Professional or specialist position | 7.0 | 5.9 | 5.4 | 7.4 | 6.6 | 7.3 | 4.4 | 7.6 | 6.5 | 4.7 |
| Managerial post | 5.3 | 3.0 | 6.2 | 3.3 | 3.3 | 6.8 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 2.0 | 1.6 |
| Clerical post | 7.7 | 8.2 | 6.7 | 9.3 | 7.6 | 3.5 | 4.8 | 3.8 | 4.6 | 2.2 |
| Sales and marketing post | 9.2 | 6.3 | 11.9 | 5.4 | 7.8 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 5.0 | 5.4 | 1.4 |
| Sales/service post | 9.3 | 9.1 | 5.4 | 9.6 | 10.1 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 5.2 | 5.7 |
| Maintenance occupations | 16.7 | 15.8 | 5.9 | 12.5 | 9.1 | 8.3 | 10.5 | 5.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 7.1 | 9.1 | 1.9 | 3.3 | 5.1 | 5.4 | 11.4 | 5.6 | 1.6 | 2.6 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 7.3 | 7.5 | 9.6 | 8.7 | 8.9 | 4.4 | 4.5 | 5.2 | 3.7 | 2.5 |
| Unemployed | 8.7 | 9.5 | 8.0 | 8.9 | 8.8 | 3.8 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 4.3 | 3.5 |

| | Livelihood protection in the event of unemployment | | | | | None/don't know | | | | |
|---|--|------|------|------|------|-----------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 36.7 | 35.7 | 36.9 | 34.4 | 30.7 | 7.4 | 6.9 | 6.3 | 5.3 | 6.6 |
| Male | 33.6 | 31.2 | 33.4 | 31.7 | 29.1 | 4.8 | 5.2 | 4.4 | 2.5 | 3.9 |
| Female | 39.4 | 39.5 | 39.9 | 37.0 | 32.0 | 9.6 | 8.3 | 7.8 | 7.9 | 8.7 |
| 20–29years old | 36.8 | 30.5 | 33.0 | 31.0 | 23.0 | 2.8 | 3.7 | 2.3 | 3.7 | 4.1 |
| 30–39years old | 37.8 | 37.2 | 42.9 | 37.3 | 29.6 | 3.8 | 1.7 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 1.7 |
| 40–49years old | 34.5 | 41.0 | 39.5 | 34.1 | 34.5 | 3.6 | 1.8 | 3.5 | 2.6 | 2.9 |
| 50–59years old | 38.4 | 35.9 | 37.2 | 35.8 | 34.4 | 5.6 | 4.1 | 4.6 | 2.4 | 2.2 |
| 60–69years old | 37.3 | 33.3 | 34.5 | 35.2 | 30.2 | 10.4 | 11.2 | 7.2 | 7.5 | 6.0 |
| 70years old or older | 35.2 | 36.0 | 32.2 | 31.1 | 28.6 | 23.0 | 19.9 | 22.0 | 15.3 | 20.0 |
| Employed | 36.1 | 34.9 | 37.1 | 34.8 | 31.1 | 4.3 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 2.4 | 3.1 |
| Professional or specialist position | 32.4 | 31.0 | 34.7 | 32.4 | 30.5 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 1.9 |
| Managerial post | 28.8 | 30.1 | 28.4 | 32.5 | 22.0 | 0.8 | 1.5 | 2.5 | 1.3 | 2.4 |
| Clerical post | 33.0 | 29.4 | 37.4 | 30.9 | 32.0 | 3.2 | 1.7 | 0.6 | 1.5 | 2.2 |
| Sales and marketing post | 34.0 | 33.9 | 36.8 | 32.6 | 33.3 | 3.4 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 3.3 | 1.4 |
| Sales/service post | 44.0 | 38.1 | 39.9 | 37.8 | 30.7 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 3.5 | 2.4 | 4.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 25.0 | 21.1 | 47.1 | 62.5 | 36.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 30.4 | 34.1 | 25.9 | 49.2 | 41.0 | 3.6 | 4.5 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 41.4 | 43.5 | 41.2 | 37.1 | 34.5 | 6.3 | 4.3 | 6.4 | 4.7 | 3.0 |
| Unemployed | 37.9 | 37.0 | 36.6 | 33.9 | 30.2 | 12.8 | 12.2 | 11.9 | 9.6 | 11.5 |

20 Society that Japan should aim to achieve

| | Society of equality | | | | | Society of free competition | | | | |
|---|---------------------|------|------|------|------|-----------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 32.5 | 31.0 | 29.0 | 30.6 | 43.2 | 40.9 | 40.1 | 40.9 | 42.3 | 31.1 |
| Male | 26.9 | 25.9 | 24.7 | 27.4 | 41.8 | 50.0 | 48.8 | 49.8 | 50.6 | 37.4 |
| Female | 37.3 | 35.1 | 32.7 | 33.5 | 44.4 | 32.9 | 33.0 | 33.3 | 34.8 | 26.1 |
| 20-29years old | 26.0 | 27.8 | 24.8 | 23.2 | 38.3 | 50.1 | 43.9 | 49.8 | 50.2 | 43.9 |
| 30-39years old | 29.1 | 25.8 | 24.7 | 25.1 | 38.8 | 43.7 | 48.7 | 45.1 | 49.0 | 34.5 |
| 40-49years old | 30.8 | 27.3 | 28.3 | 32.5 | 38.7 | 47.3 | 44.1 | 42.4 | 42.5 | 35.0 |
| 50-59years old | 33.3 | 32.7 | 32.8 | 30.7 | 44.2 | 42.6 | 41.8 | 40.4 | 43.3 | 29.6 |
| 60-69years old | 36.7 | 35.5 | 31.1 | 32.6 | 48.2 | 33.5 | 33.7 | 39.3 | 40.8 | 28.6 |
| 70years old or older | 39.8 | 35.4 | 29.4 | 36.9 | 46.1 | 23.0 | 29.1 | 28.8 | 30.1 | 23.6 |
| Employed | 29.4 | 27.9 | 28.4 | 28.8 | 41.3 | 46.4 | 44.9 | 44.2 | 46.8 | 34.9 |
| Professional or specialist position | 23.0 | 22.7 | 24.5 | 27.6 | 38.7 | 54.0 | 52.7 | 50.2 | 50.3 | 41.8 |
| Managerial post | 16.7 | 18.8 | 17.9 | 17.9 | 29.3 | 66.7 | 71.4 | 65.4 | 65.6 | 46.3 |
| Clerical post | 29.5 | 29.7 | 23.0 | 29.3 | 34.7 | 50.5 | 40.3 | 46.6 | 43.6 | 35.6 |
| Sales and marketing post | 23.9 | 19.5 | 26.9 | 24.5 | 44.0 | 50.0 | 54.3 | 40.3 | 58.2 | 29.8 |
| Sales/service post | 35.1 | 32.5 | 32.2 | 32.6 | 46.5 | 36.9 | 39.5 | 47.7 | 40.5 | 29.4 |
| Maintenance occupations | 33.3 | 15.8 | 52.9 | 50.0 | 45.5 | 58.3 | 52.6 | 17.6 | 25.0 | 36.4 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 33.9 | 31.8 | 33.3 | 37.7 | 53.8 | 42.9 | 38.6 | 31.5 | 39.3 | 30.8 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 36.2 | 32.3 | 35.8 | 32.1 | 48.3 | 37.8 | 35.5 | 33.7 | 38.6 | 29.6 |
| Unemployed | 38.0 | 35.7 | 30.0 | 33.3 | 46.0 | 31.0 | 32.9 | 35.2 | 35.6 | 25.7 |

| | Neither | | | | |
|---|---------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2004 | 2007 |
| Total | 23.1 | 25.6 | 26.5 | 23.6 | 23.4 |
| Male | 21.2 | 23.4 | 23.2 | 19.6 | 20.0 |
| Female | 24.7 | 27.5 | 29.2 | 27.3 | 26.1 |
| 20-29years old | 20.8 | 25.7 | 21.1 | 21.4 | 16.8 |
| 30-39years old | 25.7 | 23.8 | 28.6 | 23.1 | 25.6 |
| 40-49years old | 20.4 | 26.6 | 26.8 | 23.5 | 25.5 |
| 50-59years old | 21.8 | 23.6 | 24.9 | 23.9 | 24.2 |
| 60-69years old | 24.8 | 27.5 | 26.6 | 22.7 | 22.2 |
| 70years old or older | 26.3 | 26.5 | 30.5 | 26.7 | 23.4 |
| Employed | 21.9 | 25.3 | 25.3 | 22.0 | 22.5 |
| Professional or specialist position | 21.3 | 22.7 | 24.2 | 20.9 | 17.9 |
| Managerial post | 16.7 | 9.8 | 16.7 | 15.9 | 23.6 |
| Clerical post | 18.2 | 29.0 | 28.1 | 24.7 | 29.3 |
| Sales and marketing post | 23.5 | 25.3 | 29.4 | 15.2 | 25.5 |
| Sales/service post | 25.0 | 25.9 | 18.6 | 23.7 | 22.8 |
| Maintenance occupations | 8.3 | 26.3 | 29.4 | 25.0 | 18.2 |
| Occupations in transport and communications | 17.9 | 27.3 | 33.3 | 19.7 | 15.4 |
| Occupations in skilled/manual labor | 23.7 | 28.5 | 27.3 | 25.9 | 19.7 |
| Unemployed | 25.2 | 26.1 | 28.5 | 26.1 | 24.6 |

Society of equality: An equal society with few wealth disparities

Society of free competition: A society in which one can compete freely according to one's motivation and abilities

Neither: Can't say either way