

14. Number of Employees by Occupation

職業別雇用者数

(10,000 persons)

Employees 雇用者		1970	1980	1990	2000	2005	2008	2009	2010	2011	(%) ⁴⁾
Professional and technical workers	専門的・技術的職業従事者	246	364	594	754	826	844	862	879	844	(16.2)
Administrative and managerial workers	管理的職業従事者	131	217	234	200	187	170	166	159	148	(2.8)
Clerical workers	事務従事者	723	867	1,088	1,233	1,197	1,252	1,257	1,247	1,144	(21.9)
Sales workers	販売従事者	344	497	680	736	754	753	744	745	764	(14.7)
Protective service workers and service workers ¹⁾	保安・サービス職業従事者	267	342	384	532	630	676	691	707	—	(—)
Service workers	サービス職業従事者	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	606	(11.6)
Security workers	保安職業従事者	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	117	(2.2)
Agricultural, forestry, and fishery workers	農林・漁業作業者	42	40	39	38	42	49	53	54	53	(1.0)
Manufacturing process workers	生産工程従事者	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	763	(14.6)
Workers in transportation and communications occupations	運輸・通信従事者	219	229	216	207	192	187	188	188	—	(—)
Mining workers ²⁾	採掘作業者	10	4	2	3	3	3	2	2	—	(—)
Construction workers, machine operators, manufacturing and production workers	製造・制作・機械運転及び建設作業者	1,123	1,260	1,342	1,318	1,191	1,202	1,122	1,104	—	(—)
Laborers ³⁾	労務作業者	199	148	245	315	331	348	340	345	—	(—)
Transportation and machine operation workers	輸送・機械運転従事者	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	199	(3.8)
Construction and mining workers	建設・採掘従事者	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	215	(4.1)
Carrying, cleaning, packaging, and related workers	運搬・清掃・包装等従事者	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	362	(6.9)

Source: Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications, **Labour Force Survey**

Notes: Occupational categories were revised in the 1980 national census, and Labour Force Survey accordingly changed as follows from January 1981:

1) Sanitation workers formerly included under the Protective service workers and service workers category were included among Laborers.

2) Mining and quarrying workers were renamed "Mining workers".

3) Unskilled workers were renamed "Laborers".

4) Figures in parentheses refers to the percentage of all employees in 2011.

5) Figures in 2011 do not include data from three prefectures (Iwate, Miyagi and Fukushima), because of the Great East Japan Earthquake.