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Economically Active Population Survey in June 2023

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<Economically active population and labor force participation rate>

- The economically active population marked 29.618 million persons in June, which grew 252 thousand persons or 0.9% year-on-year.
- The labor force participation rate stood at 65.3% in June, up 0.4%p year-on-year.

<Employed persons and employment to population ratio>

- The number of employed persons totaled 28.812 million persons in June, which went up 333 thousand persons or 1.2% year-on-year.
- The employment to population ratio recorded 63.5% in June, up 0.6%p year-on-year.

<Unemployed persons and unemployment rate>

- The number of unemployed persons totaled 807 thousand people in June, which decreased 81 thousand persons or 9.1% year-on-year.
- The unemployment rate marked 2.7% in June, down 0.3%p year-on-year.

<Economically inactive population>

- The economically inactive population totaled 15.765 million people in June, decreasing 118 thousand persons or 0.7% year-on-year.

Economically Active Population Survey (EAPS) in June, 2023

(Not seasonally adjusted)

(thousand persons, %, year-on-year)

	June 2022		May 2023		June 2023		
		Change rate		Change rate		Change	Change rate
◎ Population 15 years & over	45,249	0.4	45,379	0.3	45,383	135	0.3
■ Economically active population (Participation rate)	29,366 (64.9)	2.2	29,623 (65.3)	0.8	29,618 (65.3)	252 (0.4)	0.9
◆ Male (Labor Force Participation rate)	16,592 (74.5)	1.9	16,562 (74.1)	-0.2	16,556 (74.1)	-36 (-0.4)	-0.2
◆ Female (Labor Force Participation rate)	12,775 (55.6)	2.6	13,060 (56.7)	2.2	13,063 (56.7)	288 (1.1)	2.3
◦ Employment-population ratio (15 years & over) (Seasonally adjusted)	62.9 (62.2)		63.5 (62.8)		63.5 (62.7)	0.6	
◆ Employment-population ratio (15~64 years) (Seasonally adjusted)	69.1 (68.6)		69.9 (69.4)		69.9 (69.4)	0.8	
◦ Employed persons	28,478	3.0	28,835	1.2	28,812	333	1.2
◆ Agriculture, forestry & fishing	1,677	5.6	1,654	-0.9	1,663	-14	-0.8
◆ Mining & manufacturing	4,508	3.6	4,474	-0.9	4,498	-10	-0.2
· Manufacturing	4,498	3.6	4,464	-0.9	4,488	-10	-0.2
◆ Construction	2,185	2.4	2,117	-3.0	2,123	-62	-2.8
◆ Wholesale & retail trade, accommodation & food	5,492	-0.2	5,611	1.8	5,581	89	1.6
◆ Electricity, transport, communication & finance	3,523	4.5	3,558	1.5	3,563	40	1.1
◆ Business, personal, public service & others	11,095	3.8	11,422	2.9	11,385	290	2.6
◆ Regular employees	15,729	6.1	16,310	3.8	16,275	546	3.5
◆ Temporary employees	4,813	-1.1	4,681	-3.3	4,680	-133	-2.8
◆ Daily workers	1,202	-6.2	1,085	-10.9	1,087	-115	-9.6
◆ Employers	1,401	9.5	1,435	3.8	1,416	15	1.1
◆ Own account workers	4,307	0.1	4,356	0.9	4,387	81	1.9
◆ Unpaid family workers	1,027	-4.9	968	-4.3	967	-60	-5.8
◦ Unemployed persons	888	-18.7	787	-11.5	807	-81	-9.1
Unemployment rate (Seasonally adjusted)	3.0 (2.9)		2.7 (2.5)		2.7 (2.6)	-0.3	
◆ Male Unemployment rate (Seasonally adjusted)	483 2.9 (2.8)	-21.2	447 2.7 (2.5)	-6.7	446 2.7 (2.5)	-37 -0.2	-7.7
◆ Female Unemployment rate (Seasonally adjusted)	405 3.2 (3.1)	-15.5	341 2.6 (2.5)	-17.0	361 2.8 (2.7)	-44 -0.4	-10.8
◆ Middle school graduates & under (Unemployment rate)	86 (2.1)	-29.7	79 (2.1)	-5.2	82 (2.2)	-5 (0.1)	-5.3
◆ High school graduates (Unemployment rate)	366 (3.3)	-24.5	281 (2.6)	-17.9	305 (2.8)	-61 (-0.5)	-16.7
◆ College, univ. graduates & over (Unemployment rate)	436 (3.0)	-10.2	428 (2.9)	-7.8	420 (2.8)	-16 (-0.2)	-3.6
■ Economically inactive population	15,882	-2.8	15,756	-0.7	15,765	-118	-0.7



