Mar 2022

+1,300 from last year

EMPLOYMENT		UNDERUTILISATION			Labour Force Participation Rate	
Employment Rate 64.4% To	otal 395,600	Ur	nderutilisation Rate 15.49	% Total 68,7	700	Participation Rate 68.8% Total 422,300
	m last year +21,700		om last year -3.2p	-		from last year +0.3pp from last year +12,500
from last 5 years +1.1pp from	m last 5 years +55,300	fro	om last 5 years -6.8p	from last 5 years -21,	800	from last 5 years -1.9pp from last 5 years +42,500
Male Employment Rate 67.9% Ag Total 203,700 Tot	tal 163,600	Male Underutilisation Rate	e 13.1% 29,600 <sup>30</sup>	Underutilisation Rat	te	Male Participation Rate72.1%Aged 25-44 Participation Rate78.9%Total216,300Total174,800
+9,700 from last year	+5,100 from last year	-6,800 from last				+2,700 from last year +3,200 from last year
+25,200 from last 5 years +20,600 from last 5 years		-5,700 from last 5 years 25				+20,500 from last 5 years +16,400 from last 5 years
Female Employment Rate         61.1%         Aged 45+ Employment Rate         60.7%		Female Underutilisation Rate 17.8%				Female Participation Rate 65.6% Aged 45+ Participation rate 61.9%
Total 191,800 Total 142,600		Total 39,100 5 20 17.8				Total         206,100         Total         145,400
+11,900 from last year +30,000 from last 5 years +17,100 from last 5 years		-5,200 from last year 15.4 -16,100 from last 5 years 15				+9,900 from last year +22,100 from last 5 years +10,900 from last 5 years
		15.1				
Employment Rate		10 Mar 17 Mar 18 Mar 19 Mar 20 Mar 21 Mar 22				Labour Force Participation Rate
					Female	
70 65 65 65		UNDERUTILISATION				
						70
64.4						
60	61.1	Underemployed	Uner	nployed Pot	ential Labour Force	65.6
55						60
	Mar 20 Mar 21 Mar 22	Total	Unemployment Rate 6.3%	Total	Total	Mar 17 Mar 18 Mar 19 Mar 20 Mar 21 Mar 22
Total Male	e Female	<b>18,100</b> -2,300 from last year	-2.4pp from last year	<b>26,800</b> -9,100 from last year	<b>23,900</b> -500 from last year	Total Male Female
		-5,200 from last 5 years	-4.1pp from last 5 years	-12,700 from last 5 years	-3,800 from last 5 years	
Full Time 320,400 Par	rt Time 75,100					NOT IN EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT OR
+15,400 from last year	+6,200 from last year	Male Total	Male Unemployment Rate         Aged 25-44 Unemployment Rate         Male Total		TRAINING (Aged 15-24 years)	
+52,500 from last 5 years	+2,700 from last 5 years	6,600	5.8%	<b>6.5%</b>	10,500	
Occupatio		+300 from last year	Total 12,500	Total 11,300	+100 from last year	
		-300 from last 5 years	-/.100 from last year	-1.900 from last year	-600 from last 5 years	NEET Rate         19.2%         Total         30,200
	<b>69,200</b> +8,600 from last year <b>67,800</b> +9,400 from last year	-300 from last 5 years	-7,100 from last year -4,800 from last 5 years	-1,900 from last year	-600 from last 5 years	from last year -1.0pp from last year -300
Professionals	69,200         +8,600 from last year           67,800         +9,400 from last year           42,400         +1,400 from last year		-4,800 from last 5 years			
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# SEASONALLY ADJUSTED SERIES

All data provided apart from regional, industry, age group and NEET breakdowns is seasonally adjusted. This process removes the seasonal component present when dealing with quarterly data. Seasonal patterns obscure the underlying behaviour of the series. For the unadjusted series, only annual changes are reported to avoid seasonal effects.

## \* STATISTICAL SIGNIFICANCE

Statistically significant changes for the region and industry series are indicated by an \*. All other reported changes for these series are not statistically significant, and so should be treated with caution.

### DEFINITIONS

**EMPLOYED:** People in the working-age population who, during the reference week, did one of the following:

- worked for one hour or more for pay or profit in the context of an employee/employer relationship or selfemployment
- worked without pay for one hour or more in work which contributed directly to the operation of a farm, business, or professional practice owned or operated by a relative
- had a job but were not at work due to own illness or injury, personal or family responsibilities, bad weather or mechanical breakdown, direct involvement in an industrial dispute, or leave or holiday.

**EMPLOYMENT RATE:** The number of employed people expressed as a percentage of the working-age population. The employment rate is closely linked to the working-age population definition.

**FULL-TIME/PART-TIME STATUS:** Full-time workers usually work 30 hours or more per week, even if they did not do so in the survey reference week because of sickness, holidays, or other reasons. Part-time workers usually work fewer than 30 hours per week.

**FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE) JOBS:** The total number of full-time jobs plus half the number of part-time jobs. Does not include working proprietors.

HOURS WORKED: Average weekly paid hours (FTE) are calculated by dividing total ordinary hours paid by total FTEs.

**HOURLY EARNINGS:** Average hourly earnings are calculated by dividing total gross earnings by total paid hours.

LABOUR FORCE: Members of the working-age population, who during the survey reference week, were classified as 'employed' or 'unemployed.'

**LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE:** The total labour force expressed as a percentage of the working-age population. Labour force participation is closely linked to how the working-age population is defined.

**NEET (NOT IN EMPLOYMENT, EDUCATION, OR TRAINING):** Young people aged 15–24 years who are unemployed (part of the labour force) and not engaged in education or training, and those not in the labour force and not engaged in education or training for many reasons.

**NEET RATE:** The total number of youth (aged 15–24 years) who are not in education, employment, or training (NEET), as a proportion of the total youth working-age population.

NOT IN THE LABOUR FORCE: Any person in the workingage population who is neither employed nor unemployed. For example, this residual category includes people who: • are retired

- are retired
- have personal or family responsibilities such as unpaid housework and childcare
- attend educational institutions
- are permanently unable to work due to physical or mental disabilities,
- were temporarily unavailable for work in the survey reference week
- are not actively seeking work.

**POTENTIAL LABOUR FORCE:** The potential labour force consists of people who are not in the labour force but can be considered to be 'just outside it'. They meet two of the three criteria needed to be considered unemployed. Two main groups of individuals are in the potential labour force:

- UNAVAILABLE JOBSEEKERS People who were actively seeking work, were not available to have started work in the reference week, but would become available within a short subsequent period
- AVAILABLE POTENTIAL JOBSEEKERS People who are not actively seeking work but were available in the reference week and want a job.

**UNDEREMPLOYMENT:** People who are in part-time employment who would like to, and are available to, work more hours.

**UNDERUTILISATION:** The sum of those unemployed, underemployed, who are not actively seeking but are available and wanting a job and people who are actively seeking but not currently available, but will be available to work in the next four weeks.

**UNEMPLOYED:** All people in the working-age population who, during the reference week, were without a paid job, available for work, and had either actively sought work in the past four weeks ending with the reference week, or had a new job to start within the next four weeks.

**UNEMPLOYMENT RATE:** The number of unemployed people expressed as a percentage of the labour force.

**WORKING-AGE POPULATION:** The usually resident, noninstitutionalised population of New Zealand aged 15 years and over.

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### <sup>1</sup>Coverage difference

Average weekly paid hours and average hourly earnings are calculated from the Quarterly Employment Survey (QES), which has different coverage than the Household Labour Force Survey (HLFS). The QES is a survey of employers that excludes self-employed people, the Agriculture industry, unpaid family workers and New Zealand Defence Force, while the HLFS is a survey of households that only includes usually resident New Zealanders, so can exclude some temporary seasonal labourers.

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