

## E-1 Labor Force & Employed

|  | Labor Force           |  | Employed<br>(Thousand<br>Persons) | Annual Rate<br>of Change<br>(%) | Unemployed            |                     | Ratio of No.<br>of Openings<br>to No. of<br>Applicants |
|--|-----------------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--|
|  | (Thousand<br>persons) | Labor Force<br>Participation<br>Rate (%) |                                   |                                 | (Thousand<br>Persons) | Unemployment<br>(%) |  |
| 2013   | 11 445                | 58.43                                    | 10 967                            | 0.99                            | 478                   | 4.18                | 1.69   |
| 2014   | 11 535                | 58.54                                    | 11 079                            | 1.02                            | 457                   | 3.96                | 2.00   |
| 2015   | 11 638                | 58.65                                    | 11 198                            | 1.07                            | 440                   | 3.78                | 2.00   |
| 2016   | 11 727                | 58.75                                    | 11 267                            | 0.62                            | 460                   | 3.92                | 1.80   |
| 2017   | 11 795                | 58.83                                    | 11 352                            | 0.75                            | 443                   | 3.76                | 1.76   |
| 2018   | 11 874                | 58.99                                    | 11 434                            | 0.72                            | 440                   | 3.71                | 1.77   |
| 2019   | 11 946                | 59.17                                    | 11 500                            | 0.58                            | 446                   | 3.73                | 1.69   |
| 2020   | 11 964                | 59.14                                    | 11 504                            | 0.03                            | 460                   | 3.85                | 1.59   |
| 2021   | 11 919                | 59.02                                    | 11 447                            | -0.50                           | 471                   | 3.95                | 1.62   |
| 2022   | 11 853                | 59.18                                    | 11 418                            | -0.25                           | 434                   | 3.67                | 1.66   |
| 2023   | 11 943                | 59.22                                    | 11 528                            | 0.96                            | 415                   | 3.48                | 1.61   |
| May  | 11 920                | 59.13                                    | 11 507                            | 1.20                            | 412                   | 3.46                | 1.62   |
| June   | 11 935                | 59.17                                    | 11 518                            | 1.28                            | 417                   | 3.49                | 1.59   |
| July   | 11 969                | 59.31                                    | 11 543                            | 1.28                            | 426                   | 3.56                | 1.73   |
| Aug.   | 11 972                | 59.30                                    | 11 546                            | 1.26                            | 426                   | 3.56                | 1.72   |
| Sep.   | 11 957                | 59.21                                    | 11 541                            | 1.26                            | 416                   | 3.48                | 1.57   |
| Oct.   | 11 969                | 59.24                                    | 11 558                            | 1.30                            | 411                   | 3.43                | 1.63   |
| Nov.   | 11 977                | 59.26                                    | 11 577                            | 1.29                            | 400                   | 3.34                | 1.41   |
| Dec.   | 11 982                | 59.26                                    | 11 583                            | 1.15                            | 399                   | 3.33                | 1.33   |
| 2024 Jan.  | 11 984                | 59.25                                    | 11 587                            | 1.01                            | 397                   | 3.31                | 1.74   |
| Feb.   | 11 978                | 59.21                                    | 11 572                            | 0.76                            | 406                   | 3.39                | 1.80   |
| Mar.   | 11 986                | 59.24                                    | 11 581                            | 0.76                            | 405                   | 3.38                | 1.66   |
| Apr.   | 11 982                | 59.21                                    | 11 579                            | 0.63                            | 403                   | 3.36                | 1.75   |
| May  | 11 980                | 59.20                                    | 11 580                            | 0.63                            | 400                   | 3.34                | 1.49   |
| Change from the<br>Same Period of<br>Last Year (%) | 0.59                  | (0.05)                                   | 0.76                              | --                              | -3.85                 | (-0.15)             | --   |

Source: DGBAS Executive Yuan.