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INTRODUCTION

On 07th December 2020, the Director General of General Statistics Office (GSO) issued Decision No 1750/QĐ-TCTK on the 2021 labor force survey, along with its survey plan. The purpose of the survey was to collect the information on 2021 labor market participation of people aged 15 years old and above currently residing in Vietnam regarded as a basic for aggregating and compiling national statistical indicators on labor, employment, unemployment and earnings. This result would support for ministries and branches assessing and comparing the changes in labor market among quarters within the reference year as well as with those of previous annual labor force survey conducted by GSO. These results would be also considered as a basic to develop and plan policies on human resource development; activities of investment, production and business accordant with the development trend on labor market.

In 2021, based on the recommendations of the International Labour Organization (ILO), the General Statistics Office has organized the collection and calculation of labour and employment indicators using the new conceptual framework agreed by the member states at the 19th International Conference on Labour Statistics (ICLS 19) held in October 2013 in Geneva, Switzerland. This conceptual framework is commonly referred to as the ICLS 19 standard, promulgated to replace the ICLS 13, 1982. The birth of the ICLS 19 standard was meant to replace the ICLS 13 standard in the context of strong development of science and technology, and the positive transformation to modern market economies by most countries in the world with virtually negligible dependence on subsistence products. Under the new ICLS 19 standard, those who work for the purpose of making subsistence products in the agriculture, forestry and fishery sector will not be identified as employed as previously defined by the ICLS 13. The ICLS 19 standard is recommended for worldwide use with the aim of ensuring international comparability among market economies with different levels of development globally.

As from Q1/2021, the General Statistics Office will officially publish the labour and employment indicators based on ICLS 19 standard. Furthermore, to allow for the full assessment of the fluctuations of the labour market over time, the General Statistics Office will concurrently calculate and re-publish the labour and employment indicators using the ICLS 19 standard for all the quarters of 2019 until present as a basis for comparison. Information on workers engaged in subsistence employment in the agriculture, forestry and fishery sector is also recorded and made publicly available in this report.

This report would present major findings of labor force survey in quarter 1 2021 in order to provide information on labor and employment for users. As a result

of the survey coverage on labor market only relating to those people aged 15 years and old, currently residing in Vietnam at the survey period. Therefore, the indicators on labor and employment presented in this report would mainly be calculated for those persons aged 15 and above. However, to meet the needs of researching, assessing and analyzing information about the labor market and employment situation for the statutory working age (from 2020 and earlier: male from 15 to 59 and female from 15 to 54; in 2021: male from 15 to 60 years old 3 months and female from 15 to 55 years old 4 months- according to Labor Code 2019), this report would also provide some basic indicators on labor and employment for this group.

The 2021 labor force survey has received technical supports of International Labor Organization (ILO). GSO highly appreciates these supports and wishes to continuously receive more supports from ILO in succeeding surveys.

GSO hopes that report will meet requirements of basic information for social economic policy makers, especially for those who are engaging into the field of labor and employment. We warmly welcome all constructive comments from readers.

Sincere thanks./.

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I. SUMMARY

- As of Quarter 1/2021, there were 51.0 million persons joined in the labor force, decreasing by 1.1 million persons against the previous quarter and decreasing by 180.9 thousand persons against the same period last year (It is not included those people aged 15 and above who were currently not residing in Vietnam in the survey period time).
- The labor force participation rate of Quarter 1/2021 stood at 68.7%, down 1.6 percentage points from the previous quarter and 1.1 percentage points from the same period last year. The labor force participation in urban areas was 66.7%, while this rate in rural areas was 69.9%.
- The trained labor force rate with certificate from elementary level in Quarter I 2021 was 26.0%, 0.2 percentage points higher compared to previous quarter and 0.8 percentage points higher than same period last year.
- In quarter I 2021, the employment persons aged 15 and above were 49.9 million persons, a decrease of 959.6 thousand persons compared to previous quarter and a decrease of 177.8 thousand persons compared to same period last year.
- Of the total 49.9 million employed workers, the service sector accounted for the largest proportion with 39.5%, equivalent to 19.7 million people, followed by the industry and construction sector, accounting for 32.3%, equivalent to 16.1 million people.
- The prevalence of informal workers in Q1/2021 was 57.1%, an increase of 1.1 percentage points from the previous quarter and 1.8 percentage points against the same period last year.
- The time related underemployment rate of statutory working-age persons in Q1/2021 was 2.20%; an increase by 0.38 percentage points against the previous quarter and 0.22 percentage points over the same period last year.
- The average monthly earnings of wage workers in Q1/2021 reached 7.2 million VND, an increase of 556 thousand VND against the previous quarter and 132 thousand VND over the same period last year. Male workers earned on average 1.2 times higher than female workers (with 7.6 million VND versus 6.6 million VND, respectively).
- The statutory working-age unemployment rate in Q1/2021 was 2.42%, down 0.21 percentage points from the previous quarter and up 0.08 percentage points against the same period last year. This rate in urban areas was 3.19%, down 0.51 percentage points from the previous quarter and up 0.1 percentage points over the same period last year.

Selected indicators relating to the labor market in Quarter I, IV of 2020 and quarter I of 2021

	Quarter I 2020*	Quarter IV 2020*	Quarter I 2021
Labor force (Thousand persons)	51 202.6	52 139.9	51 021.7
<i>By areas:</i>			
- Urban	17 903.3	18 050.6	18 240.0
- Rural	33 299.3	34 089.3	32 781.7
<i>By sex:</i>			
- Male	27 659.4	27 813.0	27 042.3
- Female	23 543.2	24 326.9	23 979.4
Labor force participation rate (%)	69.8	70.3	68.7
Employed population (Thousand persons)	50 081.8	50 863.6	49 904.0
<i>By areas:</i>			
- Urban	17 385.6	17 432.3	17 699.3
- Rural	32 696.2	33 431.3	32 204.7
<i>By sex:</i>			
- Male	27 113.2	27 325.8	26 399.8
- Female	22 968.6	23 537.8	23 504.2
<i>By economic sectors:</i>			
- Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries	14 038.6	13 958.8	14 096.6
- Industry and Construction	16 528.5	17 064.8	16 100.4
- Services	19 514.7	19 840.0	19 707.0
Subsistence workers in the AFF sector (Thousand persons)	4 131.5	3 087.6	3 498.8
<i>By areas:</i>			
- Urban	253.1	193.9	321.4
- Rural	3 878.4	2 893.7	3 177.4
<i>By sex:</i>			
- Male	1 602.4	1 166.4	1 274.9
- Female	2 529.1	1 921.2	2 223.9
Time related under-employment rate (%)	1.85	1.75	2.09
<i>By areas:</i>			
- Urban	1.03	1.08	1.50
- Rural	2.28	2.10	2.41
<i>By sex:</i>			
- Male	1.75	1.85	2.35
- Female	1.96	1.64	1.79
Time related under-employment rate of the statutory working age (%)	1.98	1.82	2.20
<i>By areas:</i>			
- Urban	1.07	1.10	1.52
- Rural	2.47	2.20	2.60

	Quarter I 2020*	Quarter IV 2020*	Quarter I 2021
<i>By sex:</i>			
Male	1.85	1.91	2.47
Female	2.14	1.70	1.87
Unemployed population (thousand persons)	1 120.8	1 276.3	1 117.7
<i>In which:</i>			
Underemployment population of the statutory working age (thousand persons)	1 083.4	1 232.5	1 095.5
Unemployment youth (thousand persons)	481.9	433.4	407.9
Unemployment rate (%)	2.19	2.45	2.19
<i>By areas:</i>			
- Urban	2.89	3.43	2.96
- Rural	1.81	1.93	1.76
<i>By sex:</i>			
- Male	1.97	1.75	2.38
- Female	2.44	3.24	1.98
Unemployment rate in statutory working age (%)	2.34	2.63	2.42
<i>By areas:</i>			
- Urban	3.09	3.70	3.19
- Rural	1.94	2.06	1.98
<i>By sex:</i>			
- Male	2.07	1.86	2.54
- Female	2.69	3.58	2.27
Youth unemployment rate (%)	7.61	7.94	7.44
<i>By areas:</i>			
- Urban	9.81	10.90	10.34
- Rural	6.53	6.65	5.99
<i>By sex:</i>			
- Male	6.86	5.87	7.66
- Female	8.53	10.36	7.17
Rate of trained labor force (%)	25.2	25.8	26.0
Informal employment rate (%)	55.3	56.0	57.1
<i>By areas:</i>			
- Urban	47.3	48.0	48.4
- Rural	61.7	62.2	64.3
<i>By sex:</i>			
- Male	59.6	60.3	60.8
- Female	50.4	51.1	52.9
Average monthly earnings of wage worker from the main job (thousand VND)	7 073.0	6 649.1	7 205.4

(*) The data was recalculated according to the new conceptual framework of the International Labor Organization, ICLS 19

II. MAJOR FINDINGS

In the first quarter of 2021, the Vietnamese labor market has suffered negatively affected due to the third wave of the Covid-19 pandemic. The results of the labor and employment survey in the first quarter of 2021 recorded the number of people participating in the labor market decreased compared to the previous quarter and compared with the same period last year. In the first quarter of 2021, 9.1 million people aged 15 and over adversely affected by the Covid-19 pandemic. The rate of informally employed and underemployed workers have both increased compared to the previous quarter and the same period last year. The most notable bright spot in the first quarter of the labor market was the increase in earnings of employees compared to the previous quarter and the same period last year.

1. Labor force

The labour force aged 15 and over in Q1/2021 was 51.0 million people, down 180.9 thousand people from the same period last year. Compared with the previous quarter, the decline in the labour force is a trend that is often observed in many years including those prior to the pandemic because of the “January is a fun month” mind-set among many workers following the Tet holiday. However, the resurgence of the Covid-19 pandemic just before the Lunar New Year has changed the usually observed uptrend compared to the same period of previous years. Usually, the labour force in the following year is always higher than the same period of the previous year due to population growth. However, the labour force in Q1/2021 was nearly 200,000 people lower than the same period last year and about 600,000 lower than the same period as when there was no pandemic attacking (i.e., in 2019).

The labor force participation rate in the first quarter of 2021 was estimated at 68.7%, down 1.6 percentage points from the previous quarter and down 1.1 percentage points from the same period last year. The labor force participation rate of women was 62.6%, 12.7 percentage points lower than that of men (75.3%). The labor force participation rate in urban areas was 66.7%, while that in rural areas was 69.9%. By age groups, the labor force participation rate in urban areas was lower than in rural areas in most age groups, with the largest difference being observed in the 15-24 age group (urban areas: 41.2%; rural: 48.0%) and the age group 55 and older (urban: 35.0%; rural: 47.9%). This shows that people in rural areas enter the labor market earlier and leave the market much later than in urban areas. This is a

typical feature of the labor market with a high proportion of laborers participating in the agricultural sector.

The proportion of trained workers with certificate from elementary or higher in the first quarter of 2021 was 26.0%, 0.2 percentage points higher than the previous quarter and 0.8 percentage points higher than that of the same period last year. There is still a significant difference between the proportion of trained workers in urban and rural areas. This rate in urban areas reached 40.7%, 2.3 times higher than in rural areas (17.8%).

Out of a total of 23.2 million people aged 15 and over who did not participate in the labor market (outside the labor force) in the first quarter of 2021, 60.8% were in rural areas. They are mainly of the age of going to school and retirement. Most of them have not attended any training courses from elementary level or higher (only 10.8% of workers who do not participate in the labor market with certificates from elementary level or higher).

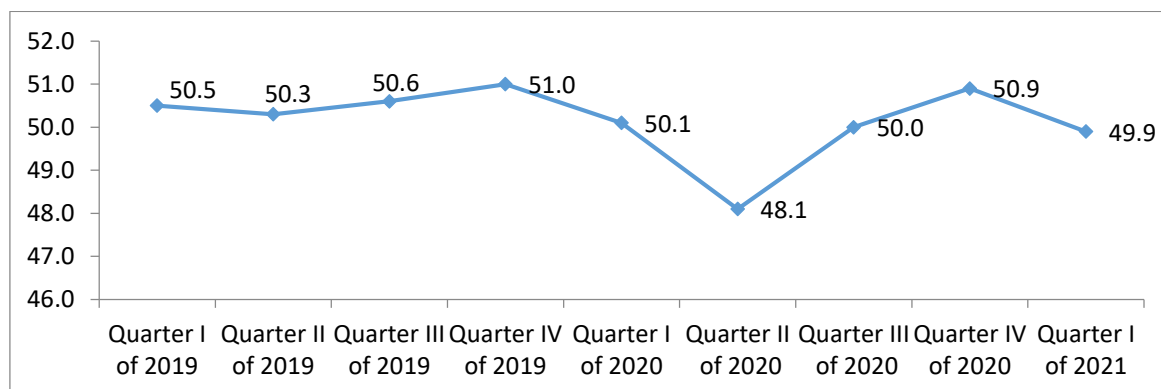
2. Employment

In Q1/2021, the number of employed people aged 15 and over was 49.9 million, down 959.6 thousand from the previous quarter and 177.8 thousand people from the same period last year. The decrease was mainly in rural areas and among men (with the respective decrease of 491.5 thousand people and 713.4 thousand men compared to the same period last year).

In 2020, the strong surge of the Covid-19 pandemic caused a sharp decline in the labour market in the second quarter, with the number of employed workers decreasing from 50.1 million in the first quarter to 48.1 million, or by nearly 2 million people. In the next two quarters of the same year, due to effective measures in place and the relaxation of social distancing measures plus relief policies set out by the government, the labour market rebounded, with the employed workers increasing to 50.9 million, almost reaching the pre-Covid-19 level of 51.0 million. However, by Q1/2021, the resurgence of the Covid-19 pandemic with complicated developments on the occasion of the Lunar New Year has reduced the momentum of the previously achieved labour market recovery. The number of employed workers decreased to 49.9 million people, down 1.8% from the previous quarter and 0.36% from the same period last year.

Figure 1: Employed workers aged 15 and over across quarters, for the 2019-2021 period

Unit: Million people



Of the total 49.9 million employed workers, the service sector accounted for the largest proportion with 39.5%, equivalent to 19.7 million people, followed by the industry and construction sector, accounting for 32.3%, equivalent to 16.1 million people. Employed people in agriculture, forestry and fishery accounted for the lowest proportion, 28.2%, equivalent to 14.1 million people. Compared to the previous quarter and the same period last year, the proportion of employees in the agriculture, forestry and fishery sectors increased. In contrast, the proportion of workers in the industry and construction sector in this quarter showed signs of decreasing, compared with both the previous quarter and the same period last year (the proportion of employees in the agricultural sector increased by 0.8 percentage points and 0.2 percentage points, respectively; the proportion of workers in industry and construction decreased by 1.3 percentage points and 0.7 percentage points, respectively).

In Q1/2021, the number of informal workers¹ was 20.7 million, an decrease of 251.7 thousand people over the previous quarter and an increase of 525.4 thousand people over the same period last year. The prevalence of informal workers in Q1/2021 was 57.1%², an increase of 1.1 percentage points from the previous quarter and 1.8 percentage points against the same period last year. This

¹ *Informal workers (also referred to as informal economy workers) refer to those who work in non-agricultural employment and those who work for agricultural, forestry and fisheries households with business registration, falling under one of the following four categories of work: (i) Family-contributing workers; (ii) Employers/owners and own-account workers involved in their own business production units in the informal economic sector; (iii) Salaried workers without labour contracts or with definite-term labour contracts but no compulsory social insurance contributions made by their employers on their behalf; (iv) Members of producer's cooperatives without compulsory social insurance.*

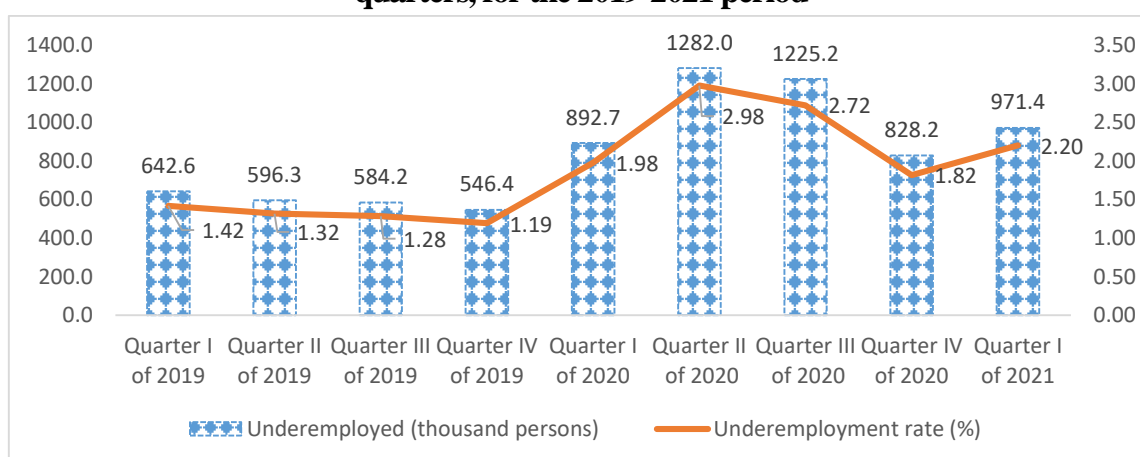
² *If including workers work for agricultural, forestry and fishery employment households, the informal workers rate was 68.8%.*

prevalence has increased significantly in rural areas (increased by 2.1 and 2.6 percentage points compared to the previous quarter and the same period last year, respectively) and among women (increased by 1.8 and 2.5 percentage points compared to the previous quarter and the same period last year, respectively).

3. Time related underemployment in statutory working age

The number of time-related underemployed statutory working-age³ persons in Q1/2021 was 971.4 thousand people; an increase of 143.2 thousand people against the previous quarter and an increase of 78.7 thousand people over the same period last year. The time related underemployment rate of statutory working-age persons in Q1/2021 was 2.20%; an increase by 0.38 percentage points against the previous quarter and 0.22 percentage points over the same period last year.

Figure 2: Time related underemployment statutory working age persons and rate across quarters, for the 2019-2021 period



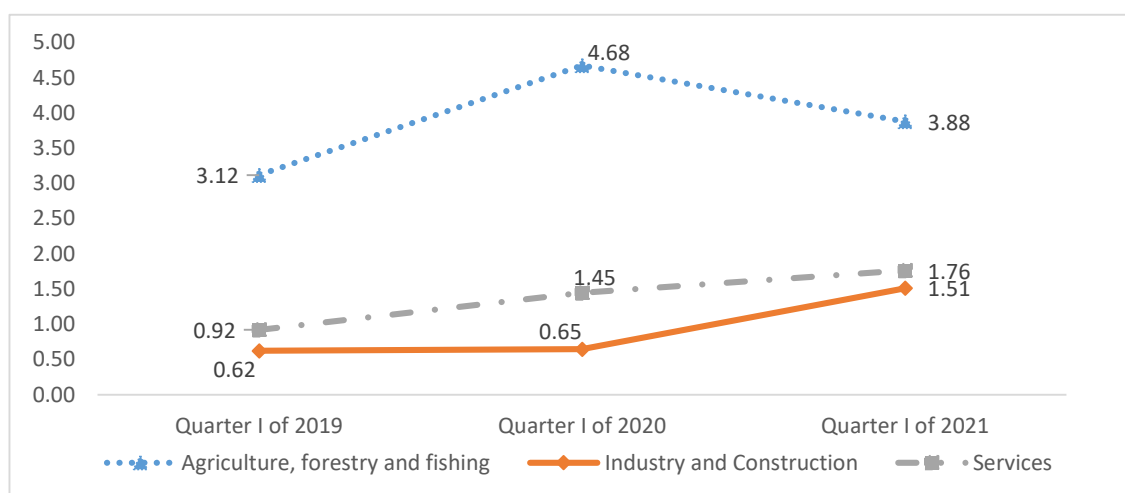
The underemployment rate of statutory working-age workers in Q1/2021 in the agriculture, forestry and fishery sector was 3.88%, the industry and construction sector 1.51%, and the service sector 1.76%. Although the agriculture, forestry and fishery sector still experiences the highest underemployment rate among statutory working-age workers, compared to the same period last year, the underemployment rate in this sector has decreased by 0.8 percentage points. Meanwhile, the rate in the industrial and construction sector has increased by 0.86 percentage points and the service sector increased by 0.31 percentage points. It is apparent that the resurgence of Covid-19

³ Statutory working-age persons include, from 2020 and earlier, men from 15 to 59 years and women from 15 to 54 years; in 2021, men from 15 to 60 years and 3 months and women from 15 to 55 years and 4 months (according to the Labour Code 2019).

pandemic has caused the underemployment to spread to the industrial, construction and service sectors.

Figure 3: Time related underemployment rate among statutory working-age persons by economic sector in quarter I, for the 2019-2021 period

Unit: %



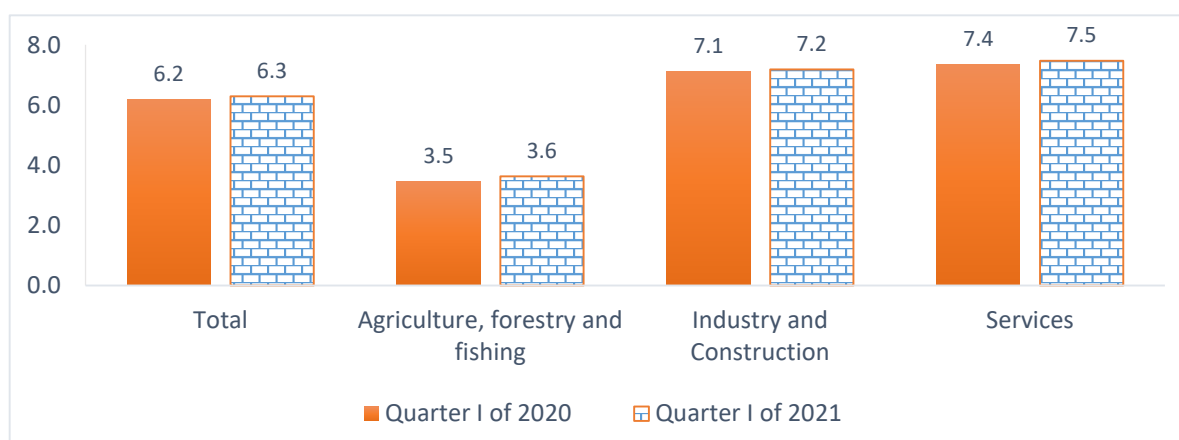
4. Average monthly earnings

The average monthly earnings by workers in Q1/2021 reached 6.3 million VND, an increase of 339 thousand VND against the previous quarter and an increase of 106 thousand VND over the same period last year. Average monthly earnings by male workers were 1.4 times higher than that of female workers (equivalent to 7.3 million VND compared to 5.2 million VND); average monthly wages by workers in urban areas were 1.5 times higher than that of rural areas (equivalent to 7.9 million VND compared to 5.4 million VND).

In Q1/2021 on the whole, compared to the same period last year, the agriculture, forestry and fishery sector recorded the highest growth rate in average earnings, up 5.2%; the service sector witnessed the growth rate of 1.5% and the industry and construction sector had the lowest growth rate in average earnings, up 0.8%.

Figure 4: Average monthly wages among workers by economic sector, first quarter of 2020 and 2021

Unit: Million VND



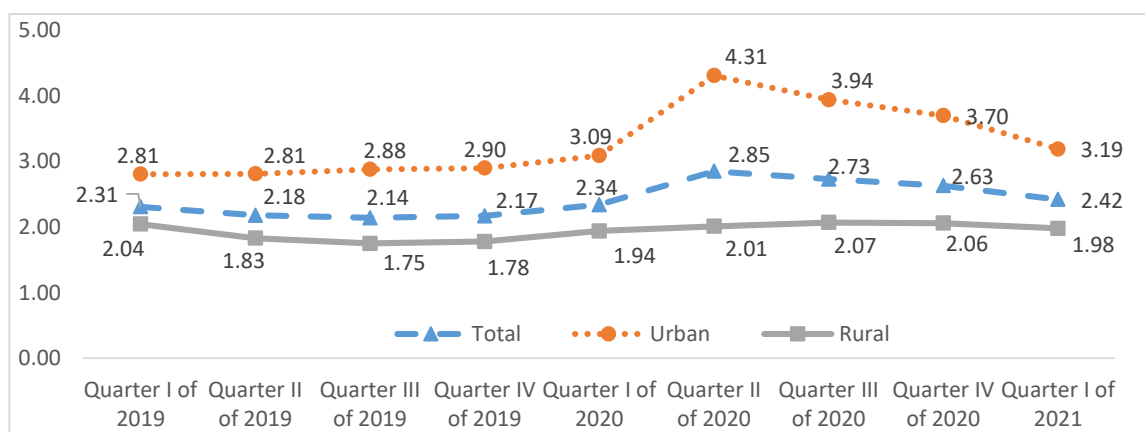
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5. Unemployed in statutory working age

The number of unemployed in statutory working-age persons in Q1/2021 was nearly 1.1 million, decreasing by 137.0 thousand people against the previous quarter and increasing by 12.1 thousand people against the same period last year. The statutory working-age unemployment rate in Q1/2021 was 2.42%, down 0.21 percentage points from the previous quarter and up 0.08 percentage points against the same period last year.

Figure 5: Unemployment rate in statutory working age by urban/rural across quarters, for the 2019-2021 period

Unit: %



III. TABULATED TABLES

Table 1

POPULATION AGED 15 AND ABOVE BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND AGE GROUP

Unit: Thousand persons

Age group	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Whole country	74,120.9	36,446.5	37,674.5	73,783.2	35,817.3	37,966.0	74,754.0	36,497.6	38,256.4	74,741.7	36,239.7	38,501.9
15 - 19	5,642.1	2,921.6	2,720.5	5,485.6	2,832.0	2,653.6	6,015.6	3,192.3	2,823.3	6,755.8	3,437.3	3,318.5
20 - 24	5,361.7	2,753.4	2,608.3	5,044.9	2,586.3	2,458.6	5,482.8	2,741.8	2,741.0	5,487.2	2,814.7	2,672.5
25 - 29	7,104.6	3,608.0	3,496.6	7,004.5	3,493.5	3,511.0	7,003.7	3,545.6	3,458.1	6,872.6	3,448.5	3,424.1
30 - 34	7,933.7	3,961.9	3,971.8	7,874.6	3,938.6	3,936.1	7,958.4	4,062.7	3,895.8	7,842.0	3,997.7	3,844.3
35 - 39	8,023.6	4,072.3	3,951.3	8,172.1	4,094.4	4,077.6	8,234.5	4,086.9	4,147.6	7,905.1	3,969.9	3,935.2
40 - 44	7,154.4	3,597.7	3,556.7	7,247.8	3,583.1	3,664.7	7,352.1	3,683.1	3,669.0	6,972.5	3,468.8	3,503.7
45 - 49	6,548.8	3,312.2	3,236.6	6,947.9	3,527.9	3,420.0	6,856.8	3,470.5	3,386.3	6,594.9	3,269.1	3,325.8
50 - 54	6,137.7	3,056.1	3,081.6	6,251.5	3,074.0	3,177.6	6,272.6	3,112.4	3,160.1	6,175.7	3,048.7	3,127.0
55 - 59	5,538.4	2,792.0	2,746.4	5,485.2	2,763.5	2,721.7	5,436.3	2,714.2	2,722.1	5,847.7	2,754.6	3,093.0
60 - 64	4,683.3	2,179.5	2,503.8	4,554.4	2,025.7	2,528.7	4,690.9	2,081.1	2,609.8	5,060.3	2,325.7	2,734.7
65 and over	9,992.7	4,191.8	5,801.0	9,714.7	3,898.3	5,816.4	9,450.3	3,807.0	5,643.3	9,227.9	3,704.8	5,523.1
URBAN	27,294.6	13,196.6	14,098.0	27,082.8	12,956.0	14,126.8	27,416.8	13,160.6	14,256.2	27,422.2	13,201.4	14,220.8
15 - 19	1,966.1	1,024.1	942.0	2,241.4	1,152.5	1,089.0	2,549.1	1,336.6	1,212.5	2,317.0	1,166.6	1,150.4
20 - 24	2,042.3	995.6	1,046.7	1,963.4	998.1	965.3	2,185.4	1,053.1	1,132.3	2,143.2	1,093.8	1,049.4
25 - 29	2,654.6	1,300.3	1,354.2	2,657.8	1,277.8	1,380.0	2,589.5	1,255.5	1,334.1	2,575.5	1,244.1	1,331.3
30 - 34	2,993.2	1,415.1	1,578.1	2,895.8	1,370.1	1,525.7	2,875.8	1,398.6	1,477.3	2,926.2	1,451.3	1,474.8
35 - 39	3,077.3	1,528.5	1,548.8	3,087.3	1,511.1	1,576.2	3,066.0	1,473.9	1,592.1	3,129.6	1,523.1	1,606.5
40 - 44	2,613.1	1,278.2	1,335.0	2,597.2	1,257.6	1,339.5	2,677.7	1,316.4	1,361.3	2,602.8	1,283.7	1,319.2
45 - 49	2,349.8	1,188.5	1,161.3	2,459.6	1,229.8	1,229.7	2,374.2	1,182.5	1,191.7	2,429.7	1,204.2	1,225.5
50 - 54	2,141.0	1,047.2	1,093.8	2,174.0	1,038.8	1,135.2	2,147.8	1,055.4	1,092.4	2,219.8	1,070.1	1,149.7
55 - 59	2,054.8	1,004.7	1,050.1	2,001.3	979.0	1,022.3	1,958.5	940.4	1,018.1	2,035.2	984.7	1,050.5
60 - 64	1,863.0	894.7	968.3	1,793.1	817.0	976.2	1,790.5	808.4	982.1	1,873.3	866.4	1,006.9
65 and over	3,539.5	1,519.6	2,019.9	3,212.0	1,324.3	1,887.8	3,202.3	1,340.0	1,862.3	3,169.8	1,313.3	1,856.6
RURAL	46,826.3	23,249.8	23,576.4	46,700.4	22,861.2	23,839.2	47,337.1	23,336.9	24,000.2	47,319.5	23,038.3	24,281.2
15 - 19	3,676.0	1,897.5	1,778.5	3,244.1	1,679.5	1,564.6	3,466.5	1,855.7	1,610.8	4,438.8	2,270.6	2,168.2
20 - 24	3,319.4	1,757.8	1,561.6	3,081.5	1,588.2	1,493.3	3,297.4	1,688.7	1,608.7	3,344.0	1,720.9	1,623.1
25 - 29	4,450.0	2,307.7	2,142.3	4,346.7	2,215.7	2,131.0	4,414.1	2,290.1	2,124.0	4,297.1	2,204.3	2,092.8
30 - 34	4,940.5	2,546.8	2,393.7	4,978.9	2,568.5	2,410.4	5,082.6	2,664.1	2,418.5	4,915.9	2,546.4	2,369.5
35 - 39	4,946.3	2,543.8	2,402.5	5,084.8	2,583.4	2,501.5	5,168.5	2,613.0	2,555.5	4,775.5	2,446.8	2,328.6
40 - 44	4,541.3	2,319.5	2,221.7	4,650.6	2,325.4	2,325.1	4,674.4	2,366.7	2,307.7	4,369.6	2,185.2	2,184.5
45 - 49	4,199.0	2,123.6	2,075.3	4,488.3	2,298.1	2,190.3	4,482.6	2,288.0	2,194.6	4,165.1	2,064.8	2,100.3
50 - 54	3,996.7	2,008.9	1,987.8	4,077.5	2,035.1	2,042.4	4,124.7	2,057.0	2,067.7	3,955.9	1,978.6	1,977.3
55 - 59	3,483.5	1,787.3	1,696.3	3,483.9	1,784.5	1,699.4	3,477.8	1,773.8	1,704.0	3,812.5	1,769.9	2,042.5
60 - 64	2,820.3	1,284.8	1,535.5	2,761.3	1,208.7	1,552.6	2,900.4	1,272.7	1,627.7	3,187.1	1,459.3	1,727.8
65 and over	6,453.2	2,672.1	3,781.1	6,502.7	2,574.0	3,928.7	6,248.1	2,467.1	3,781.0	6,058.1	2,391.5	3,666.6

Note: Population aged 15 and over included those who were not current residing in Vietnam at the survey period

Table 2

LABOR FORCE AGED 15 AND ABOVE BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND AGE GROUP

Unit: Thousand Persons

Age group	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Whole country	49,410.2	26,783.1	22,627.2	51,294.4	27,372.7	23,921.7	52,139.9	27,813.0	24,326.9	51,021.7	27,042.3	23,979.4
15 - 19	1,517.4	882.2	635.1	1,415.8	815.2	600.7	1,477.4	894.5	582.9	1,617.5	922.0	695.4
20 - 24	3,845.8	2,120.6	1,725.3	3,842.4	2,058.6	1,783.8	3,983.5	2,056.6	1,926.9	3,867.4	2,077.3	1,790.1
25 - 29	6,007.4	3,243.0	2,764.4	6,344.5	3,311.3	3,033.2	6,243.3	3,267.0	2,976.3	5,903.5	3,123.7	2,779.8
30 - 34	6,951.8	3,653.3	3,298.5	7,207.8	3,752.1	3,455.6	7,275.1	3,832.7	3,442.5	6,956.7	3,716.2	3,240.5
35 - 39	7,208.9	3,809.2	3,399.7	7,545.4	3,925.4	3,620.0	7,607.7	3,912.8	3,694.9	7,158.4	3,732.1	3,426.3
40 - 44	6,350.7	3,351.2	2,999.4	6,571.2	3,396.5	3,174.7	6,734.5	3,511.4	3,223.2	6,218.5	3,250.8	2,967.7
45 - 49	5,612.6	3,041.6	2,571.1	6,081.9	3,291.2	2,790.7	6,084.5	3,265.0	2,819.5	5,711.8	3,007.5	2,704.3
50 - 54	4,785.5	2,643.7	2,141.8	5,077.8	2,734.6	2,343.2	5,187.0	2,803.7	2,383.3	4,879.6	2,648.1	2,231.5
55 - 59	3,395.8	2,046.1	1,349.7	3,569.0	2,173.3	1,395.7	3,625.4	2,206.9	1,418.5	3,934.0	2,103.5	1,830.5
60 - 64	2,027.8	1,075.8	952.0	1,994.5	1,049.6	944.8	2,196.0	1,137.0	1,058.9	2,610.3	1,356.2	1,254.1
65 and over	1,706.4	916.3	790.2	1,644.2	864.8	779.4	1,725.5	925.4	800.1	2,164.1	1,105.0	1,059.1
URBAN	17,560.5	9,310.4	8,250.1	17,958.0	9,387.8	8,570.2	18,050.6	9,419.9	8,630.6	18,240.0	9,560.9	8,679.1
15 - 19	373.8	195.1	178.7	327.3	179.6	147.7	332.2	193.6	138.6	416.8	230.8	186.0
20 - 24	1,392.2	708.1	684.1	1,295.7	670.4	625.4	1,324.8	651.8	673.0	1,409.2	729.7	679.4
25 - 29	2,316.9	1,208.3	1,108.6	2,437.2	1,223.3	1,213.9	2,361.7	1,186.7	1,175.0	2,287.9	1,150.9	1,137.0
30 - 34	2,697.8	1,357.6	1,340.2	2,681.1	1,325.5	1,355.6	2,669.5	1,350.6	1,319.0	2,663.3	1,394.6	1,268.7
35 - 39	2,817.0	1,464.9	1,352.1	2,865.9	1,468.2	1,397.7	2,856.9	1,432.1	1,424.9	2,854.1	1,451.7	1,402.3
40 - 44	2,347.8	1,210.4	1,137.5	2,342.8	1,257.6	1,141.9	2,480.1	1,283.9	1,196.1	2,333.4	1,219.4	1,114.0
45 - 49	2,023.0	1,107.9	915.1	2,116.4	1,161.4	955.0	2,081.2	1,124.1	957.2	2,122.4	1,121.0	1,001.4
50 - 54	1,622.7	895.7	726.9	1,661.4	897.5	764.0	1,669.3	930.2	739.1	1,709.7	932.6	777.1
55 - 59	1,040.4	660.4	379.9	1,137.6	687.0	450.6	1,140.4	684.9	455.5	1,216.1	689.9	526.2
60 - 64	539.2	300.8	238.4	638.0	344.8	293.3	667.0	348.0	319.0	714.2	370.4	343.8
65 and over	389.6	201.2	188.5	454.6	229.4	225.2	467.4	234.2	233.2	513.1	270.0	243.1
RURAL	31,849.8	17,472.7	14,377.1	33,336.4	17,984.9	15,351.5	34,089.4	18,393.1	15,696.3	32,781.7	17,481.4	15,300.3
15 - 19	1,143.6	687.2	456.4	1,088.6	635.6	452.9	1,145.2	700.8	444.3	1,200.7	691.3	509.4
20 - 24	2,453.6	1,412.5	1,041.1	2,546.7	1,388.2	1,158.4	2,658.7	1,404.8	1,253.9	2,458.2	1,347.6	1,110.6
25 - 29	3,690.5	2,034.7	1,655.8	3,907.4	2,088.1	1,819.3	3,881.6	2,080.3	1,801.3	3,615.6	1,972.8	1,642.9
30 - 34	4,254.0	2,295.7	1,958.3	4,526.7	2,426.7	2,100.0	4,605.6	2,482.1	2,123.5	4,293.4	2,321.6	1,971.8
35 - 39	4,391.9	2,344.4	2,047.6	4,679.6	2,457.2	2,222.3	4,750.8	2,480.8	2,270.0	4,304.3	2,280.4	2,024.0
40 - 44	4,002.9	2,140.9	1,862.0	4,228.4	2,195.6	2,032.8	4,254.5	2,227.4	2,027.0	3,885.1	2,031.4	1,853.7
45 - 49	3,589.6	1,933.6	1,656.0	3,965.4	2,129.7	1,835.7	4,003.3	2,141.0	1,862.3	3,589.4	1,886.5	1,702.9
50 - 54	3,162.8	1,748.0	1,414.9	3,416.3	1,837.1	1,579.2	3,517.7	1,873.6	1,644.2	3,169.9	1,715.5	1,454.4
55 - 59	2,355.4	1,385.7	969.7	2,431.4	1,486.3	945.1	2,485.0	1,522.0	963.0	2,717.9	1,413.6	1,304.3
60 - 64	1,488.6	775.0	713.6	1,356.4	704.8	651.6	1,529.0	789.1	739.9	1,896.1	985.8	910.3
65 and over	1,316.8	715.1	601.7	1,189.6	635.5	554.2	1,258.1	691.2	566.9	1,651.0	835.0	816.0

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire)

The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

Table 3

LABOR FORCE AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND SOCIAL-ECONOMIC REGION

Unit: Thousand Persons

Social-economic region	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	49,410.2	26,783.1	22,627.2	51,294.4	27,372.7	23,921.7	52,139.9	27,813.0	24,326.9	51,021.7	27,042.3	23,979.4
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	5,637.6	3,013.4	2,624.2	5,852.9	3,109.0	2,743.9	6,110.2	3,251.7	2,858.5	5,725.2	3,029.5	2,695.7
R2 Red River Delta (*)	7,132.8	3,735.3	3,397.5	7,519.1	3,788.5	3,730.6	7,728.5	3,883.1	3,845.4	7,632.2	3,786.5	3,845.8
R3 North and South Central Coast	10,225.0	5,472.5	4,752.5	10,583.3	5,560.5	5,022.8	10,689.3	5,659.0	5,030.3	10,591.8	5,564.6	5,027.2
R4 Central Highland	3,280.4	1,755.6	1,524.8	3,374.5	1,780.9	1,593.6	3,466.4	1,827.8	1,638.5	3,403.6	1,789.8	1,613.8
R5 Southeast (*)	5,277.6	2,865.1	2,412.6	5,423.4	2,939.0	2,484.4	5,425.7	2,954.4	2,471.3	5,460.0	2,961.9	2,498.1
R6 Mekong River Delta	9,177.8	5,317.5	3,860.3	9,585.2	5,480.7	4,104.5	9,612.0	5,468.0	4,144.0	9,394.4	5,303.8	4,090.6
R7 Ha Noi city	3,903.0	2,022.8	1,880.1	4,044.4	2,085.4	1,959.1	4,189.5	2,150.2	2,039.3	3,953.5	2,033.9	1,919.6
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	4,776.1	2,601.0	2,175.1	4,911.6	2,628.8	2,282.8	4,918.3	2,618.7	2,299.6	4,861.0	2,572.3	2,288.7
URBAN	17,560.5	9,310.4	8,250.1	17,958.0	9,387.8	8,570.2	18,050.6	9,419.9	8,630.6	18,240.0	9,560.9	8,679.1
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	1,063.9	538.4	525.5	1,141.7	560.6	581.1	1,177.9	583.5	594.4	1,173.0	578.7	594.3
R2 Red River Delta (*)	2,042.0	1,057.3	984.8	2,114.5	1,054.7	1,059.8	2,131.2	1,072.3	1,058.9	2,189.2	1,106.9	1,082.3
R3 North and South Central Coast	2,834.3	1,488.9	1,345.4	2,991.2	1,535.1	1,456.0	3,008.2	1,550.2	1,458.0	3,057.7	1,571.0	1,486.6
R4 Central Highland	887.2	469.8	417.3	896.2	458.0	438.2	892.9	460.6	432.3	892.8	462.8	430.0
R5 Southeast (*)	2,996.7	1,590.2	1,406.5	2,912.8	1,569.3	1,343.5	2,920.3	1,563.1	1,357.2	3,014.8	1,642.0	1,372.8
R6 Mekong River Delta	2,196.0	1,243.4	952.6	2,262.8	1,262.8	1,000.1	2,284.8	1,264.7	1,020.1	2,325.0	1,283.5	1,041.5
R7 Ha Noi city	1,834.6	940.0	894.6	1,835.8	934.6	901.2	1,862.3	946.6	915.7	1,765.1	903.6	861.5
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	3,705.7	1,982.4	1,723.3	3,802.9	2,012.7	1,790.3	3,772.9	1,978.8	1,794.1	3,822.4	2,012.3	1,810.1
RURAL	31,849.8	17,472.7	14,377.1	33,336.4	1,257.6	15,351.5	34,089.4	18,393.1	15,696.3	32,781.7	17,481.4	15,300.3
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	4,573.7	2,475.0	2,098.7	4,711.2	2,548.4	2,162.8	4,932.3	2,668.1	2,264.1	4,552.3	2,450.8	2,101.5
R2 Red River Delta (*)	5,090.7	2,678.0	2,412.7	5,404.6	2,733.8	2,670.8	5,597.3	2,810.8	2,786.5	5,443.0	2,679.6	2,763.4
R3 North and South Central Coast	7,390.6	3,983.6	3,407.1	7,592.1	4,025.4	3,566.7	7,681.2	4,108.8	3,572.4	7,534.1	3,993.6	3,540.6
R4 Central Highland	2,393.2	1,285.7	1,107.4	2,478.3	1,322.9	1,155.4	2,573.4	1,367.2	1,206.2	2,510.7	1,327.0	1,183.7
R5 Southeast (*)	2,280.9	1,274.9	1,006.1	2,510.6	1,369.6	1,140.9	2,505.4	1,391.3	1,114.1	2,445.2	1,319.9	1,125.3
R6 Mekong River Delta	6,981.8	4,074.1	2,907.7	7,322.4	4,217.9	3,104.5	7,327.2	4,203.3	3,123.8	7,069.3	4,020.2	3,049.1
R7 Ha Noi city	2,068.4	1,082.8	985.6	2,208.6	1,150.8	1,057.9	2,327.2	1,203.6	1,123.6	2,188.5	1,130.3	1,058.2
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	1,070.4	618.6	451.7	1,108.7	616.2	492.5	1,145.4	639.9	505.5	1,038.6	560.0	478.6

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire)

The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

(*) Red River Delta excluded Hanoi city and Southeast excluded Ho Chi Minh city

Table 4

LABOUR FORCE AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND PROFESSIONAL/TECHNICAL QUALIFICATION

Unit: Thousand persons

Technical qualification	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Whole country	49,410.2	26,783.1	22,627.2	51,294.4	27,372.7	23,921.7	52,139.9	27,813.0	24,326.9	51,021.7	27,042.3	23,979.4
1 No qualification	36,901.6	19,248.4	17,653.2	38,258.2	19,727.9	18,530.4	38,708.5	19,958.3	18,750.2	37,765.1	19,172.7	18,592.4
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	2,449.6	2,297.7	152.0	2,510.3	2,339.4	171.0	2,714.8	2,488.7	226.1	3,150.9	2,691.8	459.1
3 Intermediate	2,220.5	1,318.8	901.8	2,275.6	1,318.5	957.1	2,356.2	1,366.0	990.2	2,187.3	1,313.8	873.4
4 College	1,949.4	923.6	1,025.7	2,065.0	924.6	1,140.4	2,097.7	942.7	1,155.0	1,859.7	886.2	973.5
5 University and higher	5,889.1	2,994.6	2,894.5	6,185.3	3,062.4	3,122.9	6,262.7	3,057.3	3,205.4	6,058.8	2,977.9	3,080.9
URBAN	17,560.5	9,310.4	8,250.1	17,958.0	9,387.8	8,570.2	18,050.6	9,419.9	8,630.6	18,240.0	9,560.9	8,679.1
1 No qualification	10,576.0	5,304.3	5,271.6	10,793.0	5,387.0	5,406.0	10,619.8	5,291.7	5,328.2	10,820.9	5,298.0	5,522.9
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	1,094.9	1,016.4	78.6	1,078.9	989.0	89.9	1,154.3	1,042.0	112.3	1,388.2	1,217.6	170.6
3 Intermediate	1,013.2	546.9	466.3	1,031.6	543.8	487.7	1,051.1	569.1	482.0	1,038.1	562.3	475.8
4 College	967.3	463.2	504.1	1,024.5	459.8	564.7	1,053.2	475.4	577.7	938.3	446.4	491.9
5 University and higher	3,909.1	1,979.6	1,929.5	4,030.1	2,008.2	2,021.9	4,172.2	2,041.7	2,130.5	4,054.5	2,036.6	2,017.9
RURAL	31,849.8	17,472.7	14,377.1	33,336.4	17,984.9	15,351.5	34,089.4	18,393.1	15,696.3	32,781.7	17,481.4	15,300.3
1 No qualification	26,325.6	13,944.0	12,381.6	27,465.2	14,340.8	13,124.4	28,088.6	14,666.6	13,422.0	26,944.2	13,874.7	13,069.6
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	1,354.7	1,281.3	73.4	1,431.5	1,350.4	81.1	1,560.5	1,446.7	113.9	1,762.6	1,474.1	288.5
3 Intermediate	1,207.4	771.9	435.5	1,244.0	774.7	469.3	1,305.1	796.9	508.2	1,149.2	751.6	397.6
4 College	982.1	460.5	521.6	1,040.5	464.8	575.7	1,044.6	467.3	577.3	921.4	439.8	481.6
5 University and higher	1,980.1	1,015.0	965.1	2,155.2	1,054.3	1,100.9	2,090.5	1,015.6	1,074.9	2,004.3	941.3	1,063.0

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire). The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

Table 5

EMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND SOCIAL-ECONOMIC REGION

Unit: Thousand Persons

Social economic region	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	48,083.8	26,073.4	22,010.4	49,990.4	26,827.3	23,163.1	50,863.6	27,325.8	23,537.8	49,904.0	26,399.8	23,504.2
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	5,490.9	2,932.1	2,558.8	5,712.2	3,041.7	2,670.5	5,946.9	3,173.0	2,773.9	5,602.7	2,953.2	2,649.5
R2 Red River Delta (*)	7,002.6	3,662.1	3,340.5	7,392.0	3,729.7	3,662.3	7,609.9	3,833.6	3,776.3	7,494.7	3,694.4	3,800.3
R3 North and South Central Coast	9,915.1	5,307.0	4,608.2	10,224.5	5,408.6	4,815.8	10,370.8	5,534.3	4,836.5	10,277.4	5,390.0	4,887.5
R4 Central Highland	3,234.2	1,728.8	1,505.4	3,328.6	1,768.7	1,560.0	3,418.4	1,813.2	1,605.2	3,384.7	1,781.3	1,603.4
R5 Southeast (*)	5,124.0	2,779.8	2,344.2	5,297.4	2,881.8	2,415.6	5,327.1	2,922.0	2,405.1	5,315.2	2,881.9	2,433.3
R6 Mekong River Delta	8,942.6	5,196.9	3,745.8	9,365.9	5,396.2	3,969.7	9,376.5	5,383.3	3,993.2	9,226.9	5,217.3	4,009.6
R7 Ha Noi city	3,797.9	1,971.6	1,826.3	3,956.2	2,052.0	1,904.2	4,083.8	2,112.2	1,971.6	3,867.1	1,984.7	1,882.4
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	4,576.5	2,495.2	2,081.4	4,713.5	2,548.6	2,164.9	4,730.1	2,554.1	2,176.0	4,735.2	2,497.0	2,238.2
URBAN	16,829.6	8,935.7	7,893.9	17,292.9	9,111.9	8,181.0	17,432.3	9,199.4	8,232.9	17,699.3	9,255.6	8,443.7
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	1,029.9	519.2	510.6	1,109.4	547.1	562.3	1,145.7	569.5	576.2	1,151.0	564.6	586.4
R2 Red River Delta (*)	1,991.1	1,032.7	958.4	2,062.5	1,034.4	1,028.2	2,075.6	1,050.5	1,025.0	2,146.6	1,082.5	1,064.1
R3 North and South Central Coast	2,659.1	1,396.0	1,263.2	2,820.8	1,459.2	1,361.6	2,868.3	1,493.7	1,374.6	2,917.6	1,494.3	1,423.3
R4 Central Highland	870.8	462.1	408.7	871.9	451.8	420.0	870.4	452.9	417.5	883.9	457.6	426.4
R5 Southeast (*)	2,894.7	1,536.2	1,358.5	2,832.5	1,531.6	1,300.9	2,867.1	1,548.5	1,318.6	2,918.4	1,589.4	1,329.0
R6 Mekong River Delta	2,105.2	1,197.8	907.4	2,192.6	1,233.3	959.3	2,206.7	1,236.3	970.4	2,274.0	1,254.7	1,019.3
R7 Ha Noi city	1,747.2	897.4	849.8	1,768.9	909.2	859.7	1,790.7	923.2	867.5	1,700.2	868.6	831.7
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	3,531.6	1,894.3	1,637.3	3,634.4	1,945.4	1,689.0	3,607.8	1,924.8	1,683.0	3,707.6	1,944.0	1,763.6
RURAL	31,254.2	17,137.7	14,116.6	32,697.5	1,257.6	14,982.1	33,431.3	18,126.4	15,304.9	32,204.7	17,144.2	15,060.5
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	4,461.0	2,412.9	2,048.2	4,602.9	2,494.6	2,108.3	4,801.2	2,603.5	2,197.7	4,451.7	2,388.6	2,063.1
R2 Red River Delta (*)	5,011.4	2,629.4	2,382.1	5,329.5	2,695.3	2,634.2	5,534.4	2,783.1	2,751.3	5,348.1	2,611.9	2,736.2
R3 North and South Central Coast	7,256.0	3,911.0	3,345.0	7,403.6	3,949.4	3,454.2	7,502.5	4,040.6	3,461.9	7,359.9	3,895.7	3,464.2
R4 Central Highland	2,363.4	1,266.7	1,096.7	2,456.8	1,316.8	1,140.0	2,548.0	1,360.3	1,187.7	2,500.8	1,323.7	1,177.0
R5 Southeast (*)	2,229.3	1,243.6	985.7	2,464.9	1,350.3	1,114.7	2,460.0	1,373.5	1,086.5	2,396.8	1,292.5	1,104.3
R6 Mekong River Delta	6,837.4	3,999.0	2,838.4	7,173.3	4,162.8	3,010.5	7,169.9	4,147.1	3,022.8	6,952.9	3,962.6	2,990.3
R7 Ha Noi city	2,050.8	1,074.2	976.6	2,187.3	1,142.8	1,044.5	2,293.1	1,189.0	1,104.1	2,166.9	1,116.2	1,050.7
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	1,044.9	600.9	444.0	1,079.2	603.3	475.9	1,122.3	629.3	493.0	1,027.5	553.0	474.6

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(*) Red River Delta excluded Hanoi city and Southeast excluded Ho Chi Minh city

Table 6

EMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND PROFESSIONAL/TECHNICAL QUALIFICATION

Unit: Thousand Persons

Technical qualification	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	48,083.8	26,073.4	22,010.4	49,990.4	26,827.3	23,163.1	50,863.6	27,325.8	23,537.8	49,904.0	26,399.8	23,504.2
1 No qualification	35,950.1	18,755.4	17,194.7	37,605.6	19,404.1	18,201.4	38,025.2	19,657.2	18,368.1	37,011.6	18,735.7	18,275.8
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	2,373.7	2,223.6	150.1	2,465.0	2,299.7	165.3	2,660.2	2,447.9	212.3	3,081.9	2,628.3	453.6
3 Intermediate	2,168.0	1,290.7	877.3	2,165.0	1,290.0	874.9	2,247.4	1,343.9	903.5	2,144.4	1,293.2	851.3
4 College	1,871.0	885.2	985.8	1,901.5	882.1	1,019.4	1,966.8	904.3	1,062.5	1,781.2	839.2	942.0
5 University and higher	5,721.1	2,918.6	2,802.5	5,853.4	2,951.3	2,902.1	5,964.0	2,972.5	2,991.5	5,884.9	2,903.4	2,981.5
URBAN	16,829.6	8,935.7	7,893.9	17,292.9	9,111.9	8,181.0	17,432.3	9,199.4	8,232.9	17,699.3	9,255.6	8,443.7
1 No qualification	10,105.3	5,073.4	5,031.8	10,521.7	5,243.9	5,277.8	10,393.2	5,186.9	5,206.3	10,507.3	5,119.4	5,387.9
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	1,045.6	968.4	77.2	1,054.0	965.7	88.3	1,124.7	1,018.6	106.1	1,354.7	1,186.6	168.1
3 Intermediate	975.8	529.5	446.3	976.4	527.9	448.6	989.2	556.2	433.0	1,009.9	550.3	459.6
4 College	921.4	440.3	481.1	934.8	438.8	496.0	972.5	452.6	519.9	891.7	420.8	471.0
5 University and higher	3,781.6	1,924.1	1,857.4	3,806.0	1,935.7	1,870.2	3,952.7	1,985.2	1,967.6	3,935.7	1,978.6	1,957.1
RURAL	31,254.2	17,137.7	14,116.6	32,697.5	17,715.4	14,982.1	33,431.3	18,126.4	15,304.9	32,204.7	17,144.2	15,060.5
1 No qualification	25,844.8	13,681.9	12,162.9	27,083.9	14,160.3	12,923.6	27,632.1	14,470.3	13,161.8	26,504.3	13,616.3	12,888.0
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	1,328.2	1,255.2	72.9	1,411.0	1,334.0	77.0	1,535.5	1,429.3	106.2	1,727.2	1,441.8	285.4
3 Intermediate	1,192.2	761.2	431.0	1,188.5	762.2	426.4	1,258.3	787.7	470.5	1,134.5	742.9	391.6
4 College	949.6	444.9	504.7	966.7	443.3	523.4	994.3	451.7	542.6	889.4	418.4	471.0
5 University and higher	1,939.5	994.4	945.1	2,047.4	1,015.6	1,031.9	2,011.2	987.3	1,023.9	1,949.3	924.8	1,024.4

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently no: 1257.6391

The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

Table 7

EMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND ECONOMIC SECTOR

Unit: Thousand Persons

Economic sector	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Whole country	48,083.8	26,073.4	22,010.4	49,990.4	26,827.3	23,163.1	50,863.6	27,325.8	23,537.8	49,904.0	26,399.8	23,504.2
1 State	4,162.7	2,020.6	2,142.1	4,415.5	2,133.9	2,281.6	4,469.5	2,126.6	2,342.9	4,720.4	2,251.8	2,468.6
2 Non-state	40,241.9	22,650.3	17,591.6	41,826.2	23,321.0	18,505.2	42,577.3	23,780.2	18,797.1	41,793.7	22,839.5	18,954.2
3 Foreign investment	3,679.3	1,402.5	2,276.8	3,748.7	1,372.4	2,376.3	3,816.8	1,419.0	2,397.8	3,389.9	1,308.5	2,081.5
URBAN	16,829.6	8,935.7	7,893.9	17,292.9	9,111.9	8,181.0	17,432.3	9,199.4	8,232.9	17,699.3	9,255.6	8,443.7
1 State	2,181.0	1,083.6	1,097.4	2,280.7	1,144.2	1,136.5	2,337.2	1,140.3	1,196.9	2,588.2	1,265.3	1,322.9
2 Non-state	13,096.8	7,190.5	5,906.3	13,588.0	7,388.1	6,199.9	13,595.8	7,429.0	6,166.8	13,602.5	7,354.7	6,247.8
3 Foreign investment	1,551.8	661.6	890.1	1,424.3	579.7	844.6	1,499.3	630.1	869.3	1,508.6	635.6	873.0
RURAL	31,254.2	17,137.7	14,116.6	32,697.5	17,715.4	14,982.1	33,431.3	18,126.4	15,304.9	32,204.7	17,144.2	15,060.5
1 State	1,981.6	937.0	1,044.6	2,134.8	989.7	1,145.0	2,132.3	986.3	1,146.0	2,132.3	986.5	1,145.7
2 Non-state	27,145.1	15,459.8	11,685.3	28,238.3	15,932.9	12,305.4	28,981.5	16,351.2	12,630.3	28,191.1	15,484.8	12,706.4
3 Foreign investment	2,127.5	740.9	1,386.7	2,324.5	792.7	1,531.7	2,317.5	788.9	1,528.6	1,881.3	672.9	1,208.5

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Table 8

EMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS

Unit: Thousand Persons

Employment status	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	48,083.8	26,073.4	22,010.4	49,990.4	26,827.3	23,163.1	50,863.6	27,325.8	23,537.8	49,904.0	26,399.8	23,504.2
1 Employer	1,472.1	1,075.1	397.1	1,421.3	1,032.4	389.0	1,325.3	958.0	367.4	1,306.5	978.8	327.7
2 Own-account worker	16,121.6	8,859.5	7,262.2	17,672.0	9,406.9	8,265.1	17,666.5	9,534.6	8,131.9	17,059.8	9,029.1	8,030.7
3 Unpaid family worker	5,562.4	1,846.3	3,716.1	4,903.2	1,611.0	3,292.2	5,017.2	1,631.0	3,386.2	5,931.8	2,072.6	3,859.2
4 Wage worker	24,921.2	14,288.5	10,632.8	25,984.6	14,769.1	11,215.4	26,841.5	15,191.2	11,650.2	25,591.8	14,311.7	11,280.1
5 Member of cooperative	6.4	4.1	2.3	9.3	7.9	1.4	13.0	11.0	2.0	14.2	7.6	6.5
URBAN	16,829.6	8,935.7	7,893.9	17,292.9	9,111.9	8,181.0	17,432.3	9,199.4	8,232.9	17,699.3	9,255.6	8,443.7
1 Employer	769.9	507.9	262.0	769.5	513.3	256.2	743.1	480.8	262.3	674.8	464.1	210.7
2 Own-account worker	4,266.5	2,140.7	2,125.8	4,694.5	2,283.8	2,410.6	4,617.6	2,266.9	2,350.8	4,685.3	2,284.6	2,400.7
3 Unpaid family worker	1,155.2	436.2	719.0	1,072.4	407.9	664.5	1,089.8	445.2	644.5	1,291.2	526.0	765.3
4 Wage worker	10,636.8	5,850.0	4,786.8	10,753.0	5,904.2	4,848.8	10,976.0	6,001.8	4,974.3	11,043.7	5,978.1	5,065.6
5 Member of cooperative	1.2	1.0	0.2	3.6	2.8	0.8	5.8	4.7	1.1	4.2	2.8	1.4
RURAL	31,254.2	17,137.7	14,116.6	32,697.5	17,715.4	14,982.1	33,431.3	18,126.4	15,304.9	32,204.7	17,144.2	15,060.5
1 Employer	702.3	567.2	135.1	651.8	519.1	132.8	582.3	477.1	105.1	631.6	514.7	116.9
2 Own-account worker	11,855.1	6,718.8	5,136.3	12,977.5	7,123.1	5,854.4	13,048.9	7,267.7	5,781.2	12,374.5	6,744.5	5,630.0
3 Unpaid family worker	4,407.3	1,410.2	2,997.1	3,830.9	1,203.1	2,627.8	3,927.5	1,185.8	2,741.7	4,640.6	1,546.6	3,094.0
4 Wage worker	14,284.4	8,438.4	5,845.9	15,231.6	8,865.0	6,366.6	15,865.5	9,189.5	6,676.0	14,548.1	8,333.6	6,214.5
5 Member of cooperative	5.2	3.1	2.1	5.7	5.2	0.6	7.2	6.3	0.9	10.0	4.8	5.2

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Table 9

EMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL, AND MAIN OCCUPATIONAL GROUP

Unit: Thousand Persons

Main occupation group	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	48,083.8	26,073.4	22,010.4	49,990.4	26,827.3	23,163.1	50,863.6	27,325.8	23,537.8	49,904.0	26,399.8	23,504.2
1 Leaders, managers and administrators	526.1	389.8	136.2	547.9	405.8	142.1	559.2	412.6	146.7	509.3	374.4	134.9
2 High-level technicians and professionals	4,266.5	1,961.4	2,305.1	4,260.1	1,925.9	2,334.2	4,332.2	1,942.4	2,389.8	3,642.6	1,595.4	2,047.2
3 Mid- level technicians and associate	1,640.4	731.4	909.1	1,715.9	737.9	978.1	1,781.8	773.4	1,008.4	1,793.8	770.5	1,023.4
4 Clerks	1,008.8	548.7	460.1	991.0	524.9	466.1	1,013.3	530.9	482.4	1,226.5	600.4	626.1
5 Service workers and sales workers Skilled agri., forestry and fishery	9,297.4	3,671.7	5,625.7	9,667.0	3,762.5	5,904.5	9,860.4	3,836.7	6,023.7	9,921.8	3,835.5	6,086.3
6 workers	3,480.7	2,327.2	1,153.5	3,514.6	2,367.8	1,146.8	3,532.6	2,395.1	1,137.5	5,280.1	3,348.1	1,931.9
7 Craft and related workers	7,263.7	5,465.0	1,798.7	7,217.9	5,454.5	1,763.3	7,357.9	5,585.5	1,772.4	7,330.5	5,279.1	2,051.4
8 Plant, machine operators and assemblers	6,778.8	3,724.7	3,054.1	7,180.6	3,901.1	3,279.4	7,474.6	4,065.4	3,409.3	6,725.2	3,780.7	2,944.5
9 Elementary occupations	13,711.9	7,156.8	6,555.0	14,796.6	7,656.3	7,140.3	14,845.7	7,690.7	7,155.0	13,222.8	6,602.8	6,620.0
10 Not stated	109.7	96.7	13.0	98.9	90.7	8.2	105.9	93.1	12.8	251.5	212.9	38.6
URBAN	16,829.6	8,935.7	7,893.9	17,292.9	9,111.9	8,181.0	17,432.3	9,199.4	8,232.9	17,699.3	9,255.6	8,443.7
1 Leaders, managers and administrators	316.7	231.4	85.3	332.2	243.8	88.4	351.4	262.0	89.4	321.8	240.3	81.5
2 High-level technicians and professionals	2,879.3	1,362.6	1,516.7	2,847.5	1,335.1	1,512.4	2,969.8	1,363.6	1,606.2	2,478.1	1,132.4	1,345.6
3 Mid- level technicians and associate	882.1	404.1	478.0	924.3	416.0	508.4	956.4	427.8	528.5	1,044.2	465.7	578.5
4 Clerks	579.0	296.2	282.8	560.5	284.3	276.2	558.2	281.1	277.0	726.8	335.4	391.4
5 Service workers and sales workers Skilled agri., forestry and fishery	4,529.3	1,803.5	2,725.8	4,816.2	1,901.7	2,914.5	4,884.7	1,966.9	2,917.8	5,007.8	1,977.9	3,029.9
6 workers	441.1	315.1	126.0	454.4	326.1	128.3	447.2	326.9	120.3	595.9	404.6	191.3
7 Craft and related workers	2,299.3	1,723.9	575.4	1,257.6	1,760.7	573.7	2,242.1	1,708.1	534.1	2,376.3	1,695.7	680.5
8 Plant, machine operators and assemblers	2,699.7	1,632.6	1,067.2	2,603.1	1,602.4	1,000.7	2,628.9	1,606.3	1,022.6	2,676.6	1,694.6	982.0
9 Elementary occupations	2,131.5	1,102.8	1,028.7	2,356.1	1,183.2	1,173.0	2,334.2	1,204.0	1,130.2	2,327.0	1,188.5	1,138.5
10 Not stated	71.6	63.5	8.0	64.3	58.8	5.5	59.4	52.5	6.8	145.0	120.4	24.6

Main occupation group	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
RURAL	31,254.2	17,137.7	14,116.6	32,697.5	17,715.4	14,982.1	33,431.3	18,126.4	15,304.9	32,204.7	17,144.2	15,060.5
1 Leaders, managers and administrators	209.4	158.4	51.0	215.7	162.0	53.7	207.8	150.5	57.3	187.6	134.1	53.4
2 High-level technicians and professionals	1,387.2	598.8	788.4	1,412.6	590.7	821.8	1,362.4	578.8	783.6	1,164.5	463.0	701.5
3 Mid- level technicians and associate	758.3	327.3	431.0	791.6	321.9	469.7	825.4	345.6	479.8	749.6	304.7	444.9
4 Clerks	429.8	252.5	177.3	430.6	240.6	189.9	455.1	249.7	205.4	499.7	265.0	234.8
5 Service workers and sales workers Skilled agri., forestry and fishery	4,768.1	1,868.2	2,899.9	4,850.8	1,860.8	2,990.0	4,975.7	1,869.8	3,105.9	4,914.0	1,857.7	3,056.4
6 workers	3,039.6	2,012.1	1,027.5	3,060.1	2,041.6	1,018.5	3,085.4	2,068.2	1,017.2	4,684.2	2,943.5	1,740.6
7 Craft and related workers	4,964.4	3,741.1	1,223.3	4,883.5	3,693.9	1,189.7	5,115.7	3,877.4	1,238.3	4,954.2	3,583.4	1,370.8
8 Plant, machine operators and assemblers	4,079.0	2,092.1	1,986.9	4,577.5	2,298.8	2,278.7	4,845.7	2,459.0	2,386.7	4,048.6	2,086.1	1,962.5
9 Elementary occupations	11,580.4	6,054.0	5,526.3	12,440.5	6,473.2	5,967.3	12,511.5	6,486.7	6,024.8	10,895.8	5,414.3	5,481.6
10 Not stated	38.1	33.1	5.0	34.6	31.9	2.7	46.5	40.6	5.9	106.4	92.4	14.0

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Table 10

EMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND INDUSTRIAL SECTOR

Unit: Thousand Persons

Industrial group	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	48,083.8	26,073.4	22,010.4	49,990.4	27,067.2	23,163.1	50,863.6	27,325.8	23,537.8	49,904.0	26,399.8	23,504.2
1. Agriculture, forestry and fishery sector	13,317.1	7,278.5	6,038.6	13,973.1	7,508.1	6,465.0	13,970.1	7,608.1	6,362.1	14,096.6	7,557.2	6,539.4
A. Argriculture, forestry and fishery	13,317.1	7,278.5	6,038.6	13,973.1	7,508.1	6,465.0	13,970.1	7,608.1	6,362.1	14,096.6	7,557.2	6,539.4
2. Industry and construction sector	16,030.1	9,598.1	6,432.0	16,621.7	9,869.1	6,752.7	17,083.4	10,089.2	6,994.2	16,100.4	9,398.7	6,701.7
B. Mining and quarrying	171.2	140.7	30.5	182.8	151.0	31.8	177.8	147.0	30.8	183.5	149.5	34.0
C. Manufacturing	10,950.2	5,101.5	5,848.7	11,317.8	5,153.3	6,164.5	11,709.5	5,336.0	6,373.5	11,195.1	5,085.8	6,109.3
D. Production and distribution of electricity, gas, steam and hot water and air-conditioners	172.0	140.1	31.9	167.1	141.5	25.7	167.9	140.3	27.5	149.3	123.2	26.1
E. Distribution of water, management and processing activities of sewage and waste	168.6	95.6	73.0	156.8	88.7	68.1	172.5	98.3	74.2	181.0	100.0	81.0
F. Construction	4,568.1	4,120.2	447.9	4,797.2	4,334.6	462.6	4,855.8	4,367.6	488.2	4,391.5	3,940.3	451.3
3. Services sector	18,736.6	9,196.8	9,539.8	19,395.6	9,690.0	9,945.5	19,810.1	9,628.5	10,181.6	19,707.0	9,443.9	10,263.2
G. Wholesale and retail trade, repair of cars, motorcycles and other motor vehicles	7,109.3	3,185.0	3,924.3	7,427.7	3,346.0	4,081.7	7,428.6	3,256.7	4,171.9	7,438.3	3,307.0	4,131.2
H. Transport and storage	1,926.3	1,747.9	178.4	1,895.8	1,730.0	165.9	2,064.8	1,886.7	178.1	1,952.0	1,734.9	217.1
I. Hotels and restaurants	2,608.4	885.4	1,723.0	2,686.1	880.5	1,805.6	2,721.3	895.8	1,825.5	2,802.1	918.8	1,883.3
J. Information and communication	329.2	217.1	112.1	341.8	222.2	119.7	343.9	230.6	113.3	306.5	203.2	103.3
K. Financial intermediation, banking and insurance	451.9	220.6	231.2	420.4	191.8	228.6	469.9	206.7	263.1	471.0	210.0	260.9
L. Real estate activities	294.2	173.1	121.1	325.4	205.7	119.7	347.5	219.5	128.0	346.3	196.2	150.1
M. Technological, scientific and spicilized activities	335.6	205.5	130.1	341.9	198.1	143.8	374.4	230.4	144.0	342.5	223.5	119.0
N. Administrative activities and supporting services	325.5	210.1	115.3	352.8	236.2	116.6	403.8	261.6	142.2	366.2	246.9	119.2
O. Activities of communist party, social-political organizations, governmental management, national	1,426.2	1,001.8	424.4	1,461.3	1,257.6	443.6	1,440.0	995.8	444.2	1,400.5	973.7	426.7
P. Training and education	1,910.8	486.8	1,424.0	1,992.5	510.0	1,482.5	2,025.4	512.2	1,513.2	2,000.6	496.7	1,503.9
Q. Health and social work	585.5	220.0	365.5	628.6	239.0	389.6	599.4	217.5	381.9	617.0	223.2	393.8
R. Recreational cultural and sporting activities	256.0	132.8	123.2	250.1	125.0	125.2	282.2	157.0	125.2	327.0	172.6	154.4
S. Other service activities	979.9	503.9	476.0	1,064.9	538.7	526.2	1,084.5	545.2	539.3	1,109.4	528.5	580.8
T. Activities of domestic hired labourers in households which producing products and services consuming by	193.9	4.5	189.3	201.8	7.6	194.2	220.9	11.6	209.3	224.3	7.9	216.4
U. Extra territorial organizations and bodies	4.1	2.1	2.0	4.2	1.5	2.7	3.5	1.3	2.2	3.7	0.6	3.1

Industrial group	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
URBAN	16,829.6	8,935.7	7,893.9	17,292.9	9,111.9	8,181.0	17,432.3	9,199.4	8,232.9	17,699.3	9,255.6	8,443.7
1. Agriculture, forestry and fishery sector	1,242.5	744.6	497.8	1,369.8	776.1	593.7	1,316.7	787.1	529.5	1,339.2	790.9	548.3
A. Argriculture, forestry and fishery	1,242.5	744.6	497.8	1,369.8	776.1	593.7	1,316.7	787.1	529.5	1,339.2	790.9	548.3
2. Industry and construction sector	5,703.0	3,354.1	2,348.9	5,591.7	3,309.7	2,282.0	5,588.7	3,297.0	2,291.7	5,664.9	3,302.7	2,362.1
B. Mining and quarrying	83.2	69.6	13.6	71.3	56.1	15.2	79.8	64.1	15.6	96.3	76.3	20.0
C. Manufacturing	4,140.1	2,034.9	2,105.2	3,999.0	1,954.6	2,044.4	4,017.7	1,969.0	2,048.7	4,139.6	2,011.1	2,128.4
D. Production and distribution of electricity, gas, steam and hot water and air-conditioners	103.7	82.7	21.0	88.3	73.4	14.9	93.0	73.8	19.2	82.3	67.0	15.3
E. Distribution of water, management and processing activities of sewage and waste	98.4	55.4	43.0	98.3	57.1	41.2	99.8	54.2	45.6	91.8	56.2	35.6
F. Construction	1,277.5	1,111.5	166.0	1,334.8	1,168.4	166.4	1,298.5	1,135.9	162.6	1,254.9	1,092.1	162.8
3. Services sector	9,884.2	4,837.1	5,047.2	10,331.5	5,026.2	5,305.3	10,526.9	5,115.2	5,411.6	10,695.3	5,162.0	5,533.3
G. Wholesale and retail trade, repair of cars, motorcycles and other motor vehicles	3,307.9	1,479.3	1,828.5	3,494.1	1,571.4	1,922.8	3,481.3	1,550.7	1,930.6	3,525.5	1,592.3	1,933.2
H. Transport and storage	1,036.2	915.7	120.5	1,014.6	902.7	111.8	1,037.8	923.2	114.7	1,113.9	955.9	158.0
I. Hotels and restaurants	1,492.0	534.1	957.9	1,587.8	545.9	1,041.9	1,625.2	567.4	1,057.8	1,665.7	562.5	1,103.3
J. Information and communication	250.7	159.6	91.1	252.7	164.5	88.2	255.1	172.1	83.1	218.7	147.0	71.7
K. Financial intermediation, banking and insurance	338.7	154.5	184.2	314.4	140.6	173.9	347.2	153.3	193.8	381.6	171.5	210.1
L. Real estate activities	221.9	127.4	94.5	258.1	158.0	100.1	271.8	166.8	104.9	264.7	151.5	113.2
M. Technological, scientific and spicilized activities	249.9	148.1	101.8	248.9	137.6	111.3	285.9	162.2	123.7	270.2	169.5	100.7
N. Administrative activities and supporting services	196.4	123.2	73.2	216.2	138.9	77.3	247.9	154.7	93.2	228.1	154.7	73.3
O. Activities of communist party, social-political organizations, governmental management, national defence security; compulsory social security	762.6	515.3	247.3	787.7	527.1	260.6	820.5	539.4	281.1	781.9	505.3	276.6
P. Training and education	923.7	234.8	688.9	963.3	260.3	703.0	977.7	254.8	722.9	991.4	246.4	745.0
Q. Health and social work	351.5	137.4	214.1	380.9	143.2	237.7	356.4	125.2	231.2	374.8	137.2	237.6
R. Recreational cultural and sporting activities	144.9	74.9	70.1	148.5	76.0	72.5	161.9	88.4	73.5	175.8	92.6	83.1
S. Other service activities	501.7	228.5	273.2	545.5	256.7	288.8	530.0	252.0	278.0	589.9	270.7	319.2
T. Activities of domestic hired labourers in households which producing products and services consuming by themselves	102.4	2.2	100.2	116.0	2.7	113.3	124.9	3.9	121.0	110.0	4.3	105.7
U. Extra territorial organizations and bodies	3.8	2.1	1.7	2.7	0.6	2.1	3.3	1.0	2.2	3.2	0.6	2.6

Industrial group	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
RURAL	31,254.2	17,137.7	14,116.6	32,697.5	17,715.4	14,982.1	33,431.3	18,126.4	15,304.9	32,204.7	17,144.2	15,060.5
1. Agriculture, forestry and fishery sector	12,074.7	6,533.9	5,540.8	12,603.3	6,732.0	5,871.3	12,653.4	6,820.9	5,832.5	12,757.5	6,766.3	5,991.1
A. Argriculture, forestry and fishery	12,074.7	6,533.9	5,540.8	12,603.3	6,732.0	5,871.3	12,653.4	6,820.9	5,832.5	12,757.5	6,766.3	5,991.1
2. Industry and construction sector	10,327.2	6,244.1	4,083.1	11,030.0	6,559.4	4,470.6	11,494.7	6,792.2	4,702.5	10,435.5	6,096.0	4,339.5
B. Mining and quarrying	88.0	71.1	17.0	111.5	94.9	16.6	98.0	82.9	15.1	87.2	73.2	14.0
C. Manufacturing	6,810.1	3,066.6	3,743.5	7,318.8	3,198.7	4,120.1	7,691.8	3,367.0	4,324.8	7,055.5	3,074.7	3,980.9
D. Production and distribution of electricity, gas, steam and hot water and air-conditioners	68.3	57.5	10.8	78.8	68.0	10.8	74.9	66.6	8.4	67.0	56.2	10.8
E. Distribution of water, management and processing activities of sewage and waste	70.2	40.2	30.0	58.5	31.6	26.9	72.7	44.1	28.6	89.1	43.7	45.4
F. Construction	3,290.6	3,008.7	281.8	3,462.4	3,166.2	296.2	3,557.3	3,231.7	325.6	3,136.6	2,848.2	288.4
3. Services sector	8,852.4	4,359.7	4,492.7	9,064.1	4,424.0	4,640.2	9,283.2	4,513.3	4,769.9	9,011.7	4,281.9	4,729.9
G. Wholesale and retail trade, repair of cars, motorcycles and other motor vehicles	3,801.4	1,705.7	2,095.7	3,933.6	1,774.6	2,159.0	3,947.2	1,706.0	2,241.3	3,912.7	1,714.7	2,198.0
H. Transport and storage	890.1	832.2	57.9	881.3	827.2	54.0	1,027.0	963.6	63.4	838.0	779.0	59.0
I. Hotels and restaurants	1,116.4	351.3	765.1	1,098.3	334.7	763.7	1,096.1	328.4	767.7	1,136.3	356.3	780.0
J. Information and communication	78.4	57.5	21.0	89.1	57.6	31.5	88.8	58.6	30.3	87.8	56.2	31.6
K. Financial intermediation, banking and insurance	113.2	66.2	47.1	105.9	51.3	54.7	122.7	53.4	69.3	89.4	38.6	50.8
L. Real estate activities	72.3	45.7	26.6	67.3	47.7	19.5	75.7	52.7	23.1	81.6	44.7	36.9
M. Technological, scientific and spicilized activities	85.7	57.4	28.3	93.0	60.5	32.5	88.5	68.2	20.3	72.3	54.0	18.3
N. Administrative activities and supporting services	129.0	86.9	42.1	136.6	97.3	39.3	155.9	106.9	49.0	138.1	92.2	45.9
O. Activities of communist party, social-political organizations, governmental management, national defence security; compulsory social security	663.6	486.5	177.1	673.7	490.7	183.0	619.5	456.3	163.1	618.5	468.5	150.1
P. Training and education	987.2	252.1	735.1	1,029.2	249.7	779.5	1,047.7	257.4	790.3	1,009.2	250.3	758.9
Q. Health and social work	234.0	82.6	151.3	247.8	95.9	151.9	243.0	92.3	150.7	242.2	86.0	156.2
R. Recreational cultural and sporting activities	111.0	57.9	53.1	101.6	48.9	52.7	120.3	68.6	51.7	151.2	79.9	71.2
S. Other service activities	478.2	275.4	202.8	519.5	282.0	237.5	554.5	293.2	261.4	519.5	257.9	261.6
T. Activities of domestic hired labourers in households which producing products and services consuming by themselves	91.5	2.4	89.1	85.8	5.0	80.8	96.0	7.7	88.3	114.3	3.6	110.7
U. Extra territorial organizations and bodies	0.3	0.0	0.3	1.5	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.5

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire)

The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

Table 11

AVERAGE MONTHLY EARNINGS OF WAGE WORKERS AGED 15 AND OVER
BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND SOCIAL-ECONOMIC REGION

Unit: Thousand VND

Social-economic region	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	6,340	6,682	5,881	6,525	6,850	6,097	6,649	6,925	6,290	7,205	7,649	6,643
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	5,832	5,854	5,800	6,191	6,225	6,145	6,155	6,290	5,972	6,611	6,748	6,436
R2 Red River Delta (*)	6,012	6,375	5,581	6,448	6,840	6,012	6,686	7,061	6,266	7,026	7,527	6,486
R3 North and South Central Coast	5,551	5,913	4,978	5,826	6,196	5,253	5,732	6,014	5,297	6,201	6,678	5,493
R4 Central Highland	5,385	5,786	4,801	5,561	5,867	5,120	5,244	5,584	4,784	5,921	6,313	5,418
R5 Southeast (*)	6,883	7,297	6,382	6,938	7,355	6,444	7,594	7,972	7,130	8,097	8,623	7,443
R6 Mekong River Delta	5,523	5,960	4,819	5,579	5,992	4,929	5,683	5,932	5,303	6,155	6,688	5,346
R7 Ha Noi city	7,452	7,889	6,961	7,733	8,157	7,257	7,680	8,194	7,114	8,738	9,226	8,191
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	8,224	8,821	7,510	8,167	8,623	7,623	8,259	8,608	7,845	8,951	9,640	8,186
URBAN	7,184	7,637	6,629	7,315	7,729	6,814	7,264	7,613	6,843	8,207	8,793	7,516
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	6,695	6,902	6,468	6,825	6,962	6,681	6,418	6,651	6,172	7,280	7,632	6,920
R2 Red River Delta (*)	6,655	7,197	6,012	7,008	7,536	6,426	6,761	7,190	6,274	7,685	8,405	6,923
R3 North and South Central Coast	5,930	6,324	5,415	6,274	6,756	5,654	5,979	6,313	5,545	6,800	7,349	6,107
R4 Central Highland	6,413	6,945	5,712	6,574	6,970	6,078	6,049	6,617	5,385	6,869	7,360	6,255
R5 Southeast (*)	7,187	7,630	6,659	7,252	7,683	6,730	7,806	8,193	7,330	8,539	9,133	7,774
R6 Mekong River Delta	5,905	6,324	5,243	6,008	6,395	5,406	5,679	5,899	5,345	6,479	6,945	5,784
R7 Ha Noi city	8,502	9,101	7,865	8,795	9,343	8,215	8,654	9,129	8,154	10,201	10,885	9,488
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	8,444	9,046	7,732	8,449	1,258	7,910	8,446	8,880	7,940	9,388	10,187	8,512
RURAL	5,713	6,020	5,268	5,971	6,272	5,553	6,224	6,475	5,878	6,445	6,827	5,932
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	5,516	5,526	5,500	5,958	5,994	5,902	6,063	6,181	5,888	6,344	6,442	6,206
R2 Red River Delta (*)	5,732	6,017	5,392	6,219	6,558	5,843	6,654	7,007	6,263	6,723	7,129	6,282
R3 North and South Central Coast	5,365	5,734	4,725	5,604	5,948	5,017	5,608	5,879	5,153	5,910	6,383	5,148
R4 Central Highland	4,619	4,983	4,049	4,808	5,127	4,298	4,713	4,971	4,325	5,282	5,621	4,842
R5 Southeast (*)	6,388	6,765	5,920	6,503	6,890	6,059	7,295	7,661	6,847	7,410	7,797	6,951
R6 Mekong River Delta	5,377	5,822	4,655	5,416	5,840	4,745	5,685	5,945	5,287	6,021	6,584	5,164
R7 Ha Noi city	6,400	6,738	5,998	6,796	7,165	6,358	6,847	7,425	6,186	7,285	7,689	6,795
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	7,442	8,038	6,704	7,224	7,695	6,654	7,672	7,782	7,532	7,342	7,682	6,946

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire)

The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

() Red River Delta excluded Hanoi city and Southeast excluded Ho Chi Minh city*

Table 12

AVERAGE MONTHLY EARNINGS OF WAGE WORKERS AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND PROFESSIONAL/TECHNICAL QUALIFICATION

Unit: Thousand VND

Technical qualification	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	6,340	6,682	5,881	6,525	6,850	6,097	6,649	6,925	6,290	7,205	7,649	6,643
1 No qualification	5,351	5,618	4,984	5,721	5,997	5,352	6,027	6,182	5,820	6,213	6,542	5,790
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	7,128	7,152	6,592	7,423	7,493	5,991	7,586	7,677	6,318	8,094	8,394	6,700
3 Intermediate	6,606	7,141	5,835	6,736	7,234	6,027	7,000	7,413	6,403	7,266	7,726	6,578
4 College	6,724	7,341	6,204	6,944	7,583	6,432	7,178	7,905	6,599	7,660	8,613	6,897
5 University and higher	9,072	10,044	8,125	8,787	9,563	8,063	8,171	8,960	7,436	9,816	10,969	8,770
URBAN	7,184	7,637	6,629	7,315	7,729	6,814	7,264	7,613	6,843	8,207	8,793	7,516
1 No qualification	5,671	5,972	5,304	6,101	6,445	5,680	6,322	6,491	6,116	6,716	7,046	6,337
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	7,297	7,297	7,286	7,503	7,555	6,628	7,996	8,102	6,558	8,455	8,702	6,706
3 Intermediate	6,861	7,471	6,138	7,091	7,736	6,319	7,226	7,541	6,799	7,670	8,313	6,907
4 College	7,156	7,942	6,433	7,371	8,112	6,741	7,449	8,029	6,963	8,191	9,158	7,372
5 University and higher	9,665	10,681	8,661	9,340	10,110	8,599	8,558	9,339	7,820	10,585	11,865	9,371
RURAL	5,713	6,020	5,268	5,971	6,272	5,553	6,224	6,475	5,878	6,445	6,827	5,932
1 No qualification	5,187	5,451	4,804	5,538	5,793	5,181	5,891	6,048	5,674	5,955	6,303	5,481
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	6,978	7,024	5,752	7,353	7,439	5,189	7,231	7,310	6,104	7,779	8,091	6,696
3 Intermediate	6,374	6,884	5,491	6,425	6,851	5,719	6,812	7,312	6,053	6,867	7,246	6,148
4 College	6,296	6,685	5,996	6,532	7,038	6,148	6,913	7,776	6,259	7,112	8,014	6,432
5 University and higher	7,912	8,768	7,103	7,768	8,508	7,113	7,414	8,203	6,699	8,267	9,030	7,636

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Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire)

The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

Table 13

**AVERAGE MONTHLY EARNINGS OF WAGE WORKERS AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL,
ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL SECTORS**

Unit: Thousand VND

Economic/ Industrial sector	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
WHOLE COUNTRY	6,340	6,682	5,881	6,525	6,850	6,097	6,649	6,925	6,290	7,205	7,649	6,643
<i>Economic sector</i>												
1 State	7,539	8,155	6,924	7,332	7,833	6,868	7,118	7,692	6,575	8,032	8,626	7,491
2 Non State	5,897	6,246	5,289	6,273	6,613	5,693	6,374	6,647	5,914	6,819	7,302	6,049
3 Foreign investment	6,858	7,583	6,411	6,776	7,298	6,479	7,370	7,900	7,056	8,049	8,824	7,563
<i>Industrial sector</i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	4,345	4,837	3,374	4,404	4,831	3,553	3,966	4,290	3,370	4,878	5,504	3,757
2 Industry and construction	6,154	6,455	5,714	6,403	6,707	5,969	6,634	6,798	6,402	7,139	7,534	6,587
3 Services	6,947	7,442	6,392	7,075	7,540	6,570	7,163	7,726	6,548	7,705	8,294	7,083
URBAN	7,184	7,637	6,629	7,315	7,729	6,814	7,264	7,613	6,843	8,207	8,793	7,516
<i>Economic sector</i>												
1 State	8,259	8,975	7,506	7,943	8,500	7,391	7,442	7,984	6,902	8,843	9,661	8,062
2 Non State	6,716	7,120	6,127	7,129	7,510	6,579	7,109	7,418	6,659	7,846	8,409	7,046
3 Foreign investment	7,453	8,122	6,956	7,229	7,802	6,842	7,671	8,119	7,346	8,784	9,542	8,236
<i>Industrial sector</i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	4,968	5,467	3,742	5,350	5,833	4,079	4,629	5,031	3,641	5,728	6,361	3,997
2 Industry and construction	6,927	7,315	6,387	7,033	7,398	6,519	6,973	7,132	6,749	8,102	8,643	7,364
3 Services	7,496	8,075	6,881	1,258	8,156	7,084	7,608	8,206	6,985	8,387	9,067	7,693
RURAL	5,713	6,020	5,268	5,971	6,272	5,553	6,224	6,475	5,878	6,445	6,827	5,932
<i>Economic sector</i>												
1 State	6,685	7,124	6,273	6,683	7,070	6,350	6,741	7,332	6,217	7,049	7,301	6,833
2 Non State	5,360	5,734	4,622	5,717	6,088	5,006	5,928	6,219	5,387	6,141	6,624	5,307
3 Foreign investment	6,424	7,101	6,062	6,503	6,935	6,282	7,175	7,725	6,891	7,461	8,150	7,077
<i>Industrial sector</i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	4,251	4,734	3,328	4,262	4,666	3,489	3,869	4,169	3,338	4,754	5,358	3,732
2 Industry and construction	5,722	5,989	5,319	6,085	6,361	5,688	6,469	6,636	6,230	6,609	6,934	6,152
3 Services	6,207	6,638	5,690	6,337	6,764	5,843	6,565	7,113	5,928	6,732	7,235	6,174

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The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

Table 14

**UNDEREMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL
AND SOCIAL-ECONOMIC REGION**

Unit: Thousand Persons

Social-economic region	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	1,384.6	767.8	616.8	1,399.9	775.0	624.9	972.6	533.6	439.0	1,040.9	620.1	420.9
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	132.5	75.4	57.0	180.7	101.6	79.1	118.3	61.1	57.2	113.7	70.2	43.4
R2 Red River Delta (*)	171.8	87.9	83.9	121.1	59.0	62.2	73.4	40.1	33.3	106.7	62.1	44.5
R3 North and South Central Coast	300.1	166.6	133.5	307.3	159.1	148.1	263.8	132.1	131.7	298.9	174.8	124.1
R4 Central Highland	190.2	101.4	88.8	213.4	124.1	89.3	163.1	93.7	69.4	111.5	65.9	45.6
R5 Southeast (*)	159.2	94.4	64.8	149.9	75.5	74.5	53.2	27.4	25.9	74.1	42.8	31.3
R6 Mekong River Delta	313.3	183.7	129.7	326.0	192.8	133.2	243.1	148.4	94.7	268.1	171.7	96.4
R7 Ha Noi city	57.2	27.9	29.2	33.3	20.0	13.3	23.4	11.4	11.9	27.3	14.9	12.3
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	60.4	30.6	29.8	68.3	43.0	25.3	34.3	19.4	14.9	40.7	17.5	23.2
URBAN	393.5	219.5	174.1	332.3	182.4	149.9	193.0	104.9	88.1	265.2	155.1	110.1
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	27.9	13.3	14.7	26.3	15.5	10.8	15.0	8.6	6.4	17.4	9.9	7.5
R2 Red River Delta (*)	42.1	22.8	19.3	25.7	14.0	11.7	12.8	8.3	4.5	31.1	19.2	12.0
R3 North and South Central Coast	85.3	47.1	38.2	58.3	31.2	27.1	53.9	30.4	23.5	77.7	45.1	32.5
R4 Central Highland	30.4	17.5	12.9	26.6	13.2	13.4	26.5	13.2	13.3	25.6	16.1	9.4
R5 Southeast (*)	91.0	56.5	34.5	82.8	38.8	44.0	19.2	8.9	10.3	20.4	11.0	9.5
R6 Mekong River Delta	43.3	24.3	19.0	47.0	27.4	19.7	30.3	18.2	12.0	49.2	32.2	17.0
R7 Ha Noi city	18.0	8.8	9.2	8.1	6.4	1.7	7.9	3.5	4.4	8.4	5.3	3.2
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	55.5	29.2	26.3	57.5	1,257.6	21.5	27.4	13.8	13.6	35.3	16.4	19.0
RURAL	991.1	548.4	442.7	1,067.6	592.5	475.1	779.6	428.7	350.9	775.7	464.9	310.8
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	104.5	62.2	42.4	154.3	86.0	68.3	103.3	52.5	50.8	96.2	60.4	35.9
R2 Red River Delta (*)	129.8	65.1	64.6	95.5	45.0	50.5	60.6	31.8	28.8	75.6	43.0	32.6
R3 North and South Central Coast	214.8	119.5	95.3	249.0	128.0	121.0	209.9	101.7	108.2	221.3	129.7	91.6
R4 Central Highland	159.7	83.8	75.9	186.8	110.9	75.8	136.5	80.4	56.1	85.9	49.7	36.2
R5 Southeast (*)	68.2	37.9	30.3	67.1	36.7	30.4	34.0	18.5	15.5	53.6	31.8	21.8
R6 Mekong River Delta	270.1	159.3	110.7	279.0	165.4	113.6	212.9	130.1	82.7	218.9	139.5	79.4
R7 Ha Noi city	39.2	19.2	20.0	25.2	13.6	11.6	15.5	8.0	7.5	18.8	9.7	9.2
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	4.8	1.4	3.4	10.8	7.0	3.8	6.9	5.6	1.3	5.4	1.1	4.2

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire) and underemployment based on actual working hours;

The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

() Red River Delta excluded Hanoi city and Southeast excluded Ho Chi Minh city*

Table 15

**UNDEREMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL,
ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL SECTORS**

Unit: Thousand Persons

Economic/ Industrial sector	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
WHOLE COUNTRY	1,384.6	767.8	616.8	1,399.9	775.0	624.9	972.6	533.6	439.0	1,040.9	620.1	420.9
<i>Economic sector</i>												
1 State	34.1	13.2	20.8	43.1	18.3	24.8	31.7	17.6	14.2	28.2	12.1	16.1
2 Non State	1262.5	718.5	544.1	1,263.5	724.1	539.4	926.0	511.3	414.8	995.2	602.3	392.9
3 Foreign investment	88.1	36.1	51.9	93.3	32.5	60.8	14.8	4.8	10.0	17.6	5.7	11.9
<i>Industrial sector</i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	579.9	315.8	264.1	701.8	376.8	325.0	561.6	289.1	272.5	465.1	272.3	192.8
2 Industry and construction	368.6	216.0	152.7	352.0	205.9	146.1	154.6	105.0	49.5	240.1	156.3	83.9
3 Services	436.1	236.1	200.0	346.1	192.3	153.9	256.4	139.5	116.9	335.7	191.4	144.2
URBAN	393.5	219.5	174.1	332.3	182.4	149.9	193.0	104.9	88.1	265.2	155.1	110.1
<i>Economic sector</i>												
1 State	17.2	6.5	10.7	16.2	6.4	9.7	16.0	8.9	7.1	15.0	6.2	8.8
2 Non State	341.6	197.9	143.7	258.6	151.5	107.2	174.0	94.4	79.6	240.5	145.0	95.5
3 Foreign investment	34.7	15.1	19.6	57.5	24.5	33.0	2.9	1.6	1.4	9.7	3.9	5.9
<i>Industrial sector</i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	46.2	28.1	18.1	51.8	29.7	22.1	43.6	24.2	19.4	36.6	22.0	14.6
2 Industry and construction	134.1	78.6	55.5	131.4	73.0	58.4	38.0	23.1	14.9	67.6	41.1	26.5
3 Services	213.3	112.9	100.4	149.1	79.7	69.3	111.4	57.6	53.8	161.0	92.1	69.0
RURAL	991.1	548.4	442.7	1,257.6	592.5	475.1	779.6	428.7	350.9	775.7	464.9	310.8
<i>Economic sector</i>												
1 State	16.9	6.8	10.1	26.9	11.9	15.0	15.8	8.7	7.1	13.2	5.8	7.3
2 Non State	920.9	520.6	400.3	1,004.9	572.6	432.2	752.0	416.8	335.2	754.7	457.3	297.4
3 Foreign investment	53.3	21.0	32.3	35.8	8.0	27.8	11.9	3.2	8.7	7.8	1.8	6.0
<i>Industrial sector</i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	533.7	287.7	246.0	650.0	347.1	302.9	518.0	264.9	253.1	428.5	250.3	178.2
2 Industry and construction	234.6	137.4	97.1	220.6	132.9	87.7	116.6	82.0	34.6	172.6	115.2	57.3
3 Services	222.8	123.2	99.6	197.1	112.5	84.5	145.0	81.8	63.2	174.6	99.4	75.3

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire) and underemployment based on actual working hours;

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Table 16

UNEMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND SOCIAL-ECONOMIC REGION

Unit: Thousand Persons

Sociol-economic region	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
WHOLE COUNTRY	1,326.4	709.6	616.7	1,304.0	545.4	758.6	1,276.3	487.2	789.1	1,117.7	642.5	475.2
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	146.7	81.3	65.5	140.7	67.3	73.4	163.3	78.7	84.6	122.5	76.3	46.2
R2 Red River Delta (*)	130.2	73.2	57.0	127.1	58.8	68.3	118.6	49.5	69.1	137.5	92.1	45.4
R3 North and South Central Coast	309.9	165.5	144.4	358.8	151.9	206.9	318.5	124.8	193.8	314.4	174.7	139.7
R4 Central Highland	46.2	26.8	19.4	45.9	12.2	33.6	47.9	14.6	33.3	18.8	8.5	10.4
R5 Southeast (*)	153.6	85.2	68.4	126.0	57.1	68.8	98.6	32.4	66.2	144.8	80.0	64.8
R6 Mekong River Delta	235.2	120.6	114.6	219.3	84.5	134.8	235.5	84.7	150.8	167.5	86.5	81.0
R7 Ha Noi	105.1	51.2	53.8	88.3	33.4	54.9	105.7	38.0	67.7	86.4	49.2	37.2
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	199.5	105.8	93.7	198.0	80.2	117.9	188.2	64.6	123.6	125.8	75.3	50.5
URBAN	730.8	374.6	356.2	665.1	275.8	389.2	618.3	220.5	397.7	540.7	305.3	235.4
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	34.1	19.2	14.9	32.4	13.5	18.9	32.2	14.0	18.2	21.9	14.1	7.8
R2 Red River Delta (*)	50.9	24.6	26.4	52.0	20.3	31.7	55.6	21.8	33.9	42.7	24.4	18.2
R3 North and South Central Coast	175.2	92.9	82.3	170.3	75.9	94.4	139.9	56.5	83.3	140.1	76.7	63.4
R4 Central Highland	16.4	7.7	8.7	24.3	6.2	18.2	22.5	7.7	14.8	8.9	5.2	3.7
R5 Southeast (*)	102.0	54.0	48.0	80.3	37.8	42.6	53.2	14.6	38.6	96.4	52.6	43.8
R6 Mekong River Delta	90.8	45.5	45.2	70.2	29.5	40.8	78.2	28.4	49.7	51.1	28.8	22.2
R7 Ha Noi	87.4	42.6	44.8	66.9	25.4	41.5	71.6	23.4	48.2	64.8	35.0	29.8
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	174.1	88.1	86.0	168.6	67.3	101.2	165.1	54.0	111.0	114.8	68.3	46.5
RURAL	595.5	335.0	260.5	1,257.6	269.6	369.3	658.0	266.7	391.4	577.0	337.2	239.7
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	112.7	62.1	50.6	108.3	53.8	54.5	131.1	64.6	66.5	100.5	62.2	38.3
R2 Red River Delta (*)	79.3	48.6	30.6	75.1	38.5	36.6	62.9	27.7	35.2	94.9	67.7	27.2
R3 North and South Central Coast	134.7	72.6	62.1	188.5	76.0	112.5	178.7	68.2	110.5	174.3	97.9	76.3
R4 Central Highland	29.8	19.1	10.7	21.5	6.0	15.5	25.4	6.9	18.5	9.9	3.2	6.7
R5 Southeast (*)	51.6	31.2	20.4	45.6	19.4	26.2	45.4	17.7	27.7	48.3	27.4	21.0
R6 Mekong River Delta	144.4	75.0	69.4	149.1	55.1	94.0	157.3	56.2	101.1	116.4	57.6	58.8
R7 Ha Noi	17.6	8.6	9.0	21.3	8.0	13.4	34.1	14.6	19.5	21.6	14.2	7.4
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	25.5	17.8	7.7	29.5	12.9	16.6	23.1	10.6	12.5	11.0	7.0	4.0

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(*) Red River Delta excluded Hanoi city and Southeast excluded Ho Chi Minh city

Table 17

**UNEMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL
AND PROFESSIONAL/TECHNICAL QUALIFICATION**

Unit: Thousand Persons

Technical qualification	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
ENTIRE COUNTRY	1,326.4	709.6	616.7	1,304.0	545.4	758.6	1,276.3	487.2	789.1	1,117.7	642.5	475.2
1 No qualification	951.5	493.0	458.5	652.7	323.7	329.0	683.3	301.1	382.1	753.5	437.0	316.6
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	75.9	74.0	1.9	45.3	39.7	5.7	54.6	40.8	13.8	68.9	63.4	5.5
3 Intermediate	52.5	28.1	24.4	110.6	28.5	82.1	108.7	22.1	86.7	42.8	20.7	22.2
4 College	78.3	38.4	39.9	163.5	42.5	121.0	130.9	38.4	92.5	78.5	47.0	31.5
5 University and higher	168.1	76.1	92.0	331.9	111.1	220.8	298.7	84.8	213.9	173.9	74.5	99.4
URBAN	730.8	374.6	356.2	665.1	275.8	389.2	618.3	220.5	397.7	540.7	305.3	235.4
1 No qualification	470.7	230.9	239.8	271.3	143.2	128.1	226.7	104.8	121.9	313.6	178.6	135.0
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	49.4	48.0	1.4	24.8	23.2	1.6	29.5	23.4	6.1	33.5	31.1	2.5
3 Intermediate	37.4	17.4	20.0	55.1	16.0	39.1	61.9	12.9	49.0	28.2	12.0	16.2
4 College	45.9	22.9	23.0	89.7	21.0	68.7	80.7	22.9	57.8	46.6	25.6	21.0
5 University and higher	127.5	55.5	72.0	224.1	72.4	151.7	219.5	56.5	162.9	118.8	58.0	60.8
RURAL	595.5	335.0	260.5	638.9	269.6	369.3	658.0	266.7	391.4	577.0	337.2	239.7
1 No qualification	480.8	262.1	218.7	381.4	180.5	200.9	456.6	196.3	260.3	439.9	258.4	181.6
2 Pre-intermediate from 3 months and longer	26.5	26.1	0.4	20.5	16.4	4.1	25.1	17.4	7.7	35.4	32.4	3.1
3 Intermediate	15.2	10.7	4.5	55.5	12.5	43.0	46.8	9.1	37.7	14.7	8.7	6.0
4 College	32.5	15.5	16.9	73.8	21.5	52.3	50.3	15.5	34.7	31.9	21.4	10.6
5 University and higher	40.6	20.6	20.0	1,257.6	38.7	69.1	79.3	28.3	51.0	55.0	16.5	38.6

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaires). The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.

Table 18

UNEMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL AND AGE GROUP

Unit: Thousand Persons

Age group	Quarter 2 2020			Quarter 3 2020			Quarter 4 2020			Quarter 1 2021		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
WHOLE COUNTRY	1,326.4	709.6	616.7	1,304.0	545.4	758.6	1,304.0	545.4	758.6	1,117.7	642.5	475.2
15 - 19	138.4	81.7	56.6	84.3	49.1	35.3	84.3	49.1	35.3	129.7	71.4	58.3
20 - 24	269.0	152.4	116.7	343.9	138.2	205.7	343.9	138.2	205.7	278.3	158.4	119.9
25 - 29	228.4	124.6	103.8	311.5	132.2	179.3	311.5	132.2	179.3	207.5	125.0	82.4
30 - 34	181.1	92.3	88.8	210.8	63.5	147.4	210.8	63.5	147.4	142.0	81.7	60.3
35 - 39	129.8	57.2	72.7	156.2	57.5	98.7	156.2	57.5	98.7	109.8	60.9	48.9
40 - 44	107.6	60.3	47.4	66.6	29.7	37.0	66.6	29.7	37.0	84.9	42.9	42.0
45 - 49	95.9	44.4	51.4	45.9	27.9	18.0	45.9	27.9	18.0	65.6	40.6	25.1
50 - 54	82.0	40.5	41.5	28.7	15.1	13.6	28.7	15.1	13.6	51.9	28.9	23.1
55 - 59	52.2	32.4	19.8	27.6	17.2	10.4	27.6	17.2	10.4	28.3	23.2	5.1
60 - 64	25.8	13.7	12.1	15.3	7.0	8.2	15.3	7.0	8.2	12.5	7.2	5.3
65 and over	16.1	10.0	6.1	13.1	8.1	5.0	13.1	8.1	5.0	7.2	2.4	4.9
URBAN	730.8	374.6	356.2	665.1	275.8	389.2	665.1	275.8	389.2	540.7	305.3	235.4
15 - 19	50.1	29.8	20.3	23.8	14.1	9.7	23.8	14.1	9.7	55.8	30.6	25.2
20 - 24	140.2	70.3	69.9	157.7	68.1	89.6	157.7	68.1	89.6	133.0	69.2	63.8
25 - 29	125.3	65.9	59.4	164.1	69.3	94.8	164.1	69.3	94.8	107.7	62.3	45.4
30 - 34	102.1	49.6	52.5	116.5	27.8	88.7	116.5	27.8	88.7	67.7	39.8	27.9
35 - 39	82.2	36.6	45.6	91.7	33.1	58.6	91.7	33.1	58.6	55.7	28.0	27.7
40 - 44	72.5	40.2	32.3	39.8	1,257.6	21.5	39.8	18.3	21.5	34.3	20.0	14.3
45 - 49	58.9	28.8	30.1	27.9	18.7	9.2	27.9	18.7	9.2	40.4	23.8	16.6
50 - 54	49.8	22.0	27.7	15.2	8.1	7.1	15.2	8.1	7.1	23.7	15.9	7.7
55 - 59	28.6	18.7	9.9	13.8	10.9	2.9	13.8	10.9	2.9	16.5	13.6	2.8
60 - 64	12.5	6.7	5.8	9.1	4.4	4.7	9.1	4.4	4.7	4.4	1.6	2.8
65 and over	8.6	5.9	2.7	5.5	3.1	2.4	5.5	3.1	2.4	1.7	0.4	1.2
RURAL	595.5	335.0	260.5	638.9	269.6	369.3	638.9	269.6	369.3	577.0	337.2	239.7
15 - 19	88.2	51.9	36.3	60.5	34.9	25.6	60.5	34.9	25.6	73.9	40.8	33.1
20 - 24	128.9	82.1	46.7	186.2	70.1	116.0	186.2	70.1	116.0	145.3	89.2	56.1
25 - 29	103.1	58.7	44.4	147.4	62.9	84.5	147.4	62.9	84.5	99.8	62.8	37.1
30 - 34	79.0	42.7	36.3	94.3	35.7	58.7	94.3	35.7	58.7	74.3	41.8	32.4
35 - 39	47.6	20.6	27.0	64.5	24.4	40.1	64.5	24.4	40.1	54.1	33.0	21.1
40 - 44	35.1	20.0	15.1	26.8	11.4	15.5	26.8	11.4	15.5	50.7	23.0	27.7
45 - 49	36.9	15.6	21.3	18.1	9.2	8.8	18.1	9.2	8.8	25.3	16.8	8.5
50 - 54	32.3	18.5	13.8	13.5	7.0	6.5	13.5	7.0	6.5	28.3	13.0	15.3
55 - 59	23.7	13.7	9.9	13.8	6.3	7.5	13.8	6.3	7.5	11.8	9.6	2.3
60 - 64	13.3	7.0	6.3	6.1	2.6	3.5	6.1	2.6	3.5	8.1	5.6	2.5
65 and over	7.5	4.1	3.4	7.6	5.0	2.6	7.6	5.0	2.6	5.6	1.9	3.6

Note: It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in VietNam at the survey period;

The data for all quarters in 2020 are recalculated as per the new conceptual framework of the International Labour Organization, ICLS 19.