

Reference 9. Occupational Classification

Used in the 2005 Population Census of Japan

A. SPECIALIST AND TECHNICAL WORKERS

(1) SCIENCE RESEARCHERS

- 1 Natural science researchers
- 2 Humanities and social science researchers

(2) ENGINEERS AND TECHNICIANS

- 3 Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and food technicians
- 4 Metal smelting technicians
- 5 Mechanical engineers, aircraft and shipbuilding technicians
- 6 Electrical and electronic engineers
- 7 Chemical technicians
- 8 Architectural engineers
- 9 Civil engineers and surveyors
- 10 System engineers
- 11 Programmers
- 12 Other engineers and technicians

(3) HEALTH CARE WORKERS

- 13 Doctors
- 14 Dental surgeons
- 15 Veterinary surgeons
- 16 Pharmacists
- 17 Public health nurses
- 18 Midwives
- 19 Nurses
- 20 Diagnostic radiographers and X-ray technicians
- 21 Clinical laboratory and medical technicians
- 22 Dental hygienists
- 23 Dental technicians
- 24 Nutritionists
- 25 Masseurs, chiropractors, acupuncturists, moxocauterists and *judo*-orthopedists
- 26 Other health care workers

(4) SOCIAL WELFARE SPECIALIST PROFESSIONALS

- 27 Childcare workers
- 28 Other social welfare specialist profes-

sionals

(5) LEGAL WORKERS

- 29 Judges, public prosecutors and attorneys
- 30 Patent attorneys and judicial scriveners
- 31 Other legal workers

(6) MANAGEMENT SPECIALISTS

- 32 Certified public accountants and licensed tax accountants
- 33 Certified social insurance and labor consultant
- 34 Other management specialists

(7) TEACHERS

- 35 Kindergarten teachers
- 36 Elementary school teachers
- 37 Junior high school teachers
- 38 Senior high school teachers
- 39 University professors
- 40 Teachers at schools for the blind, deaf or handicapped
- 41 Other teachers

(8) WORKERS IN RELIGION

- 42 Workers in religion

(9) WRITERS, JOURNALISTS AND EDITORS

- 43 Writers and authors
- 44 Journalists and editors

(10) ARTISTS, PHOTOGRAPHERS AND DESIGNERS

- 45 Sculptors, painters and industrial artists
- 46 Designers
- 47 Photographers

(11) MUSICIANS AND STAGE DESIGNERS

- 48 Musicians (except for private lessons)
- 49 Musicians (for private lessons)
- 50 Actors, dancers and performers (except for private lessons)

- 51 Actors, dancers and performers (for private lessons)

(12) OTHER SPECIALIST AND TECH-

- NICAL WORKERS
- 52 Private tutors (for study)
- 53 Private tutors (not classified elsewhere)
- 54 Sports professionals (except for private lessons)
- 55 Sports professionals (for private lessons)
- 56 Specialist and technical workers not classified elsewhere
- B. ADMINISTRATIVE AND MANAGERIAL WORKERS
- (13) MANAGEMENT PUBLIC SERVANTS
- 57 Management public servants
- (14) OFFICERS OF COMPANIES, ORGANIZATIONS, etc.
- 58 Company officers
- 59 Officers of other corporations and organizations
- (15) OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE AND MANAGERIAL WORKERS
- 60 Managers of companies and corporations
- 61 Administrative and managerial workers not classified elsewhere
- C. CLERICAL WORKERS
- (16) GENERAL CLERICAL WORKERS
- 62 General clerical workers
- 63 Accountancy clerks
- (17) OUTDOOR SERVICE WORKERS
- 64 Money collectors
- 65 Other outdoor service workers
- (18) TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION CLERICAL WORKERS
- 66 Transport clerical workers
- 67 Post and communications clerical workers
- (19) OFFICE APPLIANCE OPERATORS
- 68 Stenographers, typists and word processor operators
- 69 Key punchers
- 70 Computer operators
- D. SALES WORKERS
- (20) MERCHANDISE SALES WORKERS
- 71 Retailers
- 72 Wholesalers
- 73 Restaurateurs
- 74 Shop assistants
- 75 Home visit and mobile sales workers
- 76 Recycled resources wholesale and collection workers
- 77 Goods sales canvassers
- 78 Commodity brokers
- (21) QUASI-SALES WORKERS
- 79 Real estate agents and dealers
- 80 Insurance brokers and salesmen
- 81 Salesmen (except merchandise, insurance and real estate)
- 82 Other quasi-sales workers
- E. SERVICE WORKERS
- (22) DOMESTIC SUPPORT SERVICE WORKERS
- 83 Housekeepers and home helpers
- 84 Home helpers
- 85 Other domestic support service workers
- (23) DOMESTIC HYGIENE SERVICE WORKERS
- 86 Hairdressers
- 87 Beauticians
- 88 Bath workers
- 89 Launderers and fullers
- (24) FOOD AND DRINK PREPARATORY WORKERS
- 90 Cooks
- 91 Bartenders
- (25) CUSTOMER SERVICE WORKERS
- 92 Food and drink service and personal assistance workers
- 93 Customer entertainment workers
- 94 *Geisha* and dancers
- 95 Service workers in places of entertainment, etc.
- 96 Masters, managers and *Banto* (attendants) of hotel
- (26) RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES, OFFICE BUILDINGS AND OTHER MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL
- 97 Condominiums, apartment buildings, lodgings houses, hostel and dormitory management personnel
- 98 Office building management personnel
- 99 Car park management personnel

(27) OTHER SERVICE WORKERS

- 100 Travel and tourist guides
- 101 Left luggage handlers
- 102 Commodity hire workers
- 103 Advertisers
- 104 Undertakers and crematorium workers
- 105 Care workers (treatment and welfare institution)
- 106 Service workers not classified elsewhere

F. SECURITY WORKERS

(28) PUBLIC SECURITY WORKERS

- 107 Self - defence officials
- 108 Police officers and maritime safety officials
- 109 Prison guards and other judicial police staff
- 110 Firefighters
- 111 Security staff
- 112 Other public security workers

G. AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHERY WORKERS

(29) AGRICULTURE WORKERS

- 113 Crop farming and sericulture workers
- 114 Livestock farm workers
- 115 Landscape gardeners and nursery workers
- 116 Other agricultural workers

(30) FORESTRY WORKERS

- 117 Forest nursery workers
- 118 Tree-felling, logging and timber transportation workers
- 119 Other forestry workers

(31) FISHERY WORKERS

- 120 Fishery workers
- 121 Ships' captains, navigation officers, chief engineers and engineers (fishing boats)
- 122 Seaweed and shellfish harvesting workers
- 123 Aquaculture workers
- 124 Other fishery workers

H. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION WORKERS

(32) RAILWAY DRIVERS

- 125 Railway drivers

(33) MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVERS

- 126 Motor vehicle drivers

(34) SHIP AND AIRCRAFT OPERATORS

- 127 Ship captains, navigation officers, navigators (except fishing boats) and pilots
- 128 Ships' chief engineers and engineers (except fishing boats)
- 129 Aircraft pilots and aviation engineers

(35) OTHER TRANSPORT WORKERS

- 130 Conductors
- 131 Deckhands, dual purpose crew and stokers
- 132 Forklift (vehicle) driver
- 133 Transport workers not classified elsewhere

(36) COMMUNICATION WORKERS

- 134 Communications technology workers
- 135 Telephone exchange operators
- 136 Mail and telegram collection and delivery workers
- 137 Other communication workers

I. PRODUCTION PROCESS AND RELATED WORKERS

I-1 MANUFACTURING AND PRODUCTION WORKERS

(37) METAL MATERIAL MANUFACTURING WORKERS

- 138 Pig-iron forging and steelmaking workers
- 139 Non-ferrous metal smelting workers
- 140 Cast metal manufacturing workers
- 141 Forging workers
- 142 Metal heat treatment workers
- 143 Rolling workers
- 144 Wire drawing workers
- 145 Other metal material manufacturing workers

(38) CHEMICAL PRODUCTS MANUFACTURING WORKERS

- 146 Chemical products manufacturing workers
- 147 Other chemical products manufacturing workers

(39) CERAMIC, EARTH AND STONE PRODUCT MANUFACTURING

- WORKERS
- 148 Glass product shaping workers
 - 149 Brick, tile and clay pipe manufacturing workers
 - 150 Porcelain and ceramic manufacturing workers
 - 151 Ceramic painting workers
 - 152 Cement manufacturing workers
 - 153 Cement product manufacturing workers
 - 154 Stonemasons
 - 155 Other ceramic, earth and stone product manufacturing workers
- (40) METAL PROCESSING WORKERS
- 156 Metal machine tools workers
 - 157 Metal press workers
 - 158 Metal welding and fusion cutting workers
 - 159 Ironworkers and boilermakers
 - 160 Sheet metal workers
 - 161 Plating workers
 - 162 Other metal processing workers
- (41) GENERAL MECHANICAL APPARATUS ASSEMBLY AND REPAIR WORKERS
- 163 General mechanical apparatus assembly workers
 - 164 General mechanical apparatus repair workers
- (42) ELECTRO-MECHANICAL APPARATUS ASSEMBLY AND REPAIR WORKERS
- 165 Electro-mechanical apparatus assembly workers
 - 166 Electro-mechanical apparatus repair workers
 - 167 Light bulb and electron tube assembly workers
 - 168 Coated wire manufacturing workers
 - 169 Semi-conductor product manufacturing workers
 - 170 Other electro-mechanical apparatus assembly and repair workers
- (43) TRANSPORTATION MACHINERY ASSEMBLY AND REPAIR WORKERS
- 171 Automobile assembly workers
 - 172 Automobile maintenance workers
 - 173 Aircraft assembly and maintenance workers
 - 174 Railway vehicle assembly and repair workers
 - 175 Bicycle assembly and repair workers
 - 176 Ship rigging workers
 - 177 Other transportation machinery assembly and repair workers
- (44) WEIGHING AND MEASURING APPLIANCE, PHOTO-OPTIC MECHANICAL APPARATUS ASSEMBLY AND REPAIR WORKERS
- 178 Weighing and measuring appliance assembly and repair workers
 - 179 Clock assembly and repair workers
 - 180 Photo-optic mechanical apparatus assembly and repair workers
 - 181 Lens polishing and adjustment workers
 - 182 Other weighing and measuring appliance, photo-optic mechanical apparatus assembly and repair workers
- (45) FOOD MANUFACTURING WORKERS
- 183 Cereal polishing and flour milling workers
 - 184 *Miso* and soy sauce manufacturing workers
 - 185 Noodle manufacturing workers
 - 186 Bread and confectionery manufacturing workers
 - 187 *Tofu, konjak* jelly, wheat-gluten bread manufacturing workers
 - 188 Canned, bottled and seal-wrapped food manufacturing workers
 - 189 Milk and milk product manufacturing workers
 - 190 Fishery product processing workers
 - 191 Other food manufacturing workers
- (46) BEVERAGE AND CIGARETTE MANUFACTURING WORKERS
- 192 Tea manufacturing workers
 - 193 Liquor manufacturing workers
 - 194 Cold drinks manufacturing workers
 - 195 Cigarette manufacturing workers
 - 196 Other beverages and cigarettes manu-

- facturing workers
- (47) SPINNERS AND WEAVERS
 - 197 Roving and spinning workers
 - 198 Double yarn, twisted yarn and processed yarn workers
 - 199 Loom preparation workers
 - 200 Woven fabric workers
 - 201 Refining, bleaching, dyeing and finishing workers
 - 202 Knitting and industrial knitting workers
 - 203 Rope and net manufacturing workers (fiber)
 - 204 Other spinners and weavers
- (48) APPAREL, FIBER PRODUCT MANUFACTURING WORKERS
 - 205 Adult women's and children's garment tailoring workers
 - 206 Adult men's garment tailoring workers
 - 207 Japanese garment tailoring workers
 - 208 Embroidery workers
 - 209 Machine sewing workers
 - 210 Cutting workers
 - 211 Other apparel, fiber product manufacturing workers
- (49) WOOD, BAMBOO, GRASS AND VINE PRODUCT MANUFACTURING WORKERS
 - 212 Timber and chip manufacturing workers
 - 213 Plywood workers
 - 214 Woodworking workers
 - 215 Wooden furniture and architectural furniture manufacturing workers
 - 216 Bamboo, grass and vine product manufacturing workers
 - 217 Other wood, bamboo, grass and vine product manufacturing workers
- (50) PULP, PAPER AND PAPER PRODUCT MANUFACTURING WORKERS
 - 218 Pulp and paper material manufacturing workers
 - 219 Papermaking workers
 - 220 Paper container manufacturing workers
 - 221 Paper product manufacturing workers
 - 222 Other pulp, paper and paper product manufacturing workers
- (51) PRINTING AND BOOKBINDING WORKERS
 - 223 Letter typesetting workers
 - 224 Platemaking workers
 - 225 Printing workers
 - 226 Bookbinding workers
 - 227 Other printing and bookbinding workers
- (52) RUBBER AND PLASTIC PRODUCT MANUFACTURING WORKERS
 - 228 Rubber product manufacturing workers
 - 229 Plastic product shapers, processors and finishers
 - 230 Other rubber and plastic product manufacturing workers
- (53) LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCT MANUFACTURING WORKERS
 - 231 Leather manufacturing workers
 - 232 Shoe manufacture and repair workers
 - 233 Other leather and leather product manufacturing workers
- (54) OTHER MANUFACTURING AND PRODUCTION WORKERS
 - 234 Briefcase and bag manufacturing workers
 - 235 Toy manufacturing workers
 - 236 Lacquerware manufacturing workers
 - 237 Precious metals, jewelry, tortoise shell, antler and other craft workers
 - 238 Seal engravers
 - 239 Lining workers
 - 240 Paper hangers
 - 241 Paint workers, painters, signboard production workers
 - 242 Photograph development, printing and enlargement workers
 - 243 Drafting, tracing and lofted drawing workers
 - 244 Packaging workers
 - 245 Manufacturing and production workers not classified elsewhere
- I-2 STATIONARY ENGINE AND CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY OPERATORS AND ELECTRICITY WORKERS
- (55) STATIONARY ENGINE, MACHINERY AND CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY

- OPERATORS
- 246 Boiler operators
- 247 Crane and winch operators
- 248 Construction machinery operators
- 249 Other stationary engine, machinery and construction machinery operators
- (56) ELECTRICITY WORKERS
- 250 Power plant and substation workers
- 251 Line hanging and laying workers
- 252 Telecommunication equipment construction workers
- 253 Electric construction workers
- 254 Other electricity workers
- I-3 MINE WORKERS, CONSTRUCTION WORKERS AND LABORERS
- (57) MINE WORKERS
- 255 Gravel sand, and clay quarrying workers
- 256 Other mine workers
- (58) CONSTRUCTION WORKERS
- 257 Carpenters
- 258 Scaffolding workers (*Tobishoku*)
- 259 Block and tile laying workers
- 260 Roofing workers
- 261 Plasterers
- 262 Pipe laying workers
- 263 *Tatami* workers
- 264 Civil engineering workers
- 265 Railway line construction workers
- 266 Other construction workers
- (59) TRANSPORT LABOR WORKERS
- 267 Onboard and quayside cargo handlers
- 268 Land-based cargo handling and transport workers
- 269 Warehouse workers
- 270 Delivery workers
- 271 Packing workers
- (60) OTHER LABOR WORKERS
- 272 Cleaners
- 273 Labor workers not classified elsewhere
- J. WORKERS NOT CLASSIFIABLE BY OCCUPATION
- (61) WORKERS NOT CLASSIFIABLE BY OCCUPATION
- 274 Workers not classifiable by occupation