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<News Highlights>

### **The Preliminary Result of the 2021 Economic Census for Business Activity Released**

On 31 May 2022, the SBJ and the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) released the preliminary results of the 2021 Economic Census for Business Activity.

The objectives of the Economic Census for Business Activity are, by investigating the economic activity of establishments and enterprises, to identify the structure of establishments and enterprises in all industries on a national and regional level, and to obtain basic information for conducting various statistical surveys.

As for this survey, accounting matters, including the amount of sales (income) (hereinafter referred to as “sales”) and expenses, are the values for the year 2020, whereas matters other than accounting matters, including the number of establishments, “enterprises, etc.” and persons engaged, are the values as of June 1, 2021.

- The amount of sales in Japan was 1702.0201 trillion yen, and that of net added value was 337.1437 trillion yen.

- As of June 1, 2021, the number of “enterprises, etc.” in Japan was 3,674 thousand. The number of privately owned establishments was 5,079 thousand, and the number of persons engaged was 57,458 thousand.

- Looking at the number of “enterprises, etc.” by industrial division, the largest was “Wholesale and Retail Trade” at 740 thousand (20.1% of all industries), followed by “Construction” at 424 thousand (11.5%), and “Accommodations, Eating and Drinking Services” at 423 thousand (11.5%), resulting in the top three industries accounting for 43.2% of all industries. The number of “enterprises, etc.” from “Tertiary industries” accounted for 78.2% of all industries.

- Looking at sales by industrial division, the largest was “Wholesale and Retail Trade” at 481.4654 trillion yen (28.3% of all industries), followed by “Manufacturing” at 390.9934 trillion yen (23.0%), and “Medical, Health Care and Welfare” at 173.1927 trillion yen (10.2%), resulting in the top three industries accounting for 61.4% of all industries. The sales arising from “Tertiary industries” accounted for 69.5% of all industries.

- Looking at the amount of net added value by industrial division, the amount was the largest for “Medical, Health Care and Welfare” at 71.2916 trillion yen (21.1% of all industries), followed by “Manufacturing” at 65.1543 trillion yen (19.3%), and “Wholesale and Retail Trade” at 48.5584 trillion yen (14.4%), resulting in the top three industries accounting for 54.9% of all industries. The net added value arising from “Tertiary industries” accounted for 73.2% of all industries.

Website: <http://www.stat.go.jp/english/data/e-census/2021/index.html>

#### <Recent Releases>

Release | May 20, 2022

#### “Population Estimates” (Final estimates, Japan, December 1, 2021)

##### [Total Population]

- The total population was 125,380 thousand, a decrease of 709 thousand (0.56%) from the previous year.
- The population under 15 years old was 14,742 thousand, a decrease of 258 thousand (1.72%) from the previous year.
- The population aged 15 to 64 was 74, 411 thousand, a decrease of 624 thousand (0.83%) from the previous year.
- The population aged 65 and over was 36,227 thousand, an increase of 173 thousand (0.48%) from the previous year.

##### [Japanese Population]

- The Japanese population was 122,674 thousand, a decrease of 630 thousand (0.51%) from the previous year.

#### “Population Estimates” (Provisional estimates, Japan, May 1, 2022)

##### [Total Population]

- The total population was 125.05 million, a decrease of 0.73 million (0.58%) from the previous year.

<https://www.stat.go.jp/english/data/jinsui/2.html>

“Consumer Price Index” (2020-base, Japan, April 2022)

- The consumer price index for Japan was 101.5 (2020=100), up 2.5% over the year before seasonal adjustment, and up 0.4% from the previous month on a seasonally adjusted basis.

<https://www.stat.go.jp/english/data/cpi/index.html>

Release | May 26, 2022

“Monthly Report on Internal Migration” (Japan, April 2022)

[All nationalities]

- The number of internal migrants was 678,630, a decrease of 31,233 (4.4%) from the previous year.
- The number of inter-prefectural migrants was 365,222, a decrease of 8,877 (2.4%) from the previous year.
- The number of intra-prefectural migrants was 313,408, a decrease of 22,356 (6.7%) from the previous year.

[Japanese]

- The number of internal migrants was 630,331, a decrease of 32,370 (4.9%) from the previous year.
- The number of inter-prefectural migrants was 337,602, a decrease of 10,505 (3.0%) from the previous year.
- The number of intra-prefectural migrants was 292,729, a decrease of 21,865 (7.0%) from the previous year.

<https://www.stat.go.jp/english/data/idou/3.html>

Release | May 27, 2022

“Consumer Price Index” (Preliminary, 2020-base, Ku-area of Tokyo, May 2022)

- The consumer price index for Ku-area of Tokyo (preliminary) was 101.8 (2020=100), up 2.4% over the year before seasonal adjustment, and up 0.2% from the previous month on a seasonally adjusted basis.

<https://www.stat.go.jp/english/data/cpi/1581-t.html>

Release | May 31, 2022

“Monthly Survey on Service Industries” (Preliminary, Japan, March 2022)

- Monthly sales: 37.2 trillion yen, up 1.3% over the year.
- Number of persons working at the location of establishment: 29.06 million persons, down 0.5% over the year.

<https://www.stat.go.jp/english/data/mssi/kekka.html>

“Labour Force Survey” (Basic Tabulation, Japan, April 2022)

- The number of employed persons was 67.27 million, an increase of 0.24 million from the previous year.
- The number of unemployed persons was 1.88 million, a decrease of 0.23 million from the previous year.
- The unemployment rate, seasonally adjusted, was 2.5%.

<https://www.stat.go.jp/english/data/roudou/results/month/index.html>

Release | June 7, 2022

“Family Income and Expenditure Survey” (Two-or-more-person Households, Japan, April 2022)

[Expenditures for Two-or-more-person Households]

- The average of monthly consumption expenditures per household was 304,510 yen, up 1.2% in nominal terms and down 1.7% in real terms from the previous year.

[Income and Expenditures for Workers’ Households]

- The average of monthly income per household stood at 539,738 yen, down 0.6% in nominal terms and down 3.5% in real terms from the previous year.
- The average of consumption expenditures per household was 344,126 yen, up 1.6% in nominal terms and down 1.4% in real terms from the previous year.

<https://www.stat.go.jp/english/data/kakei/156.html>

“Survey of Household Economy” (Two-or-more-person Households, Japan, April 2022)

- Change over the year of monthly expenditure on goods and services ordered over the internet  
[Average expenditure on goods and services ordered over the internet]

- Average expenditure on goods and services ordered over the internet was 19,841 yen (up 11.0% in nominal terms).

[Main items contributed to the change of average expenditure on goods and services ordered over the internet]

- Travel-related costs: up 136.8% in nominal terms
- Food: up 14.1% in nominal terms
- Tickets: up 79.0% in nominal terms
- Private transportation: up 11.9% in nominal terms

<https://www.stat.go.jp/english/data/joukyou/12.html>

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