Summary of the Labor Force Survey in Thailand

MAY 2019

In May 2019, of these 38.42 million were in the labor force (37.64 million were employed, 426 thousand were unemployed and 334 thousand were seasonally inactive labor force).

Comparing to the labor force rate to the same period as in 2018 decreased of 330 thousand (from 37.97 million to 37.64 million), unemployed increased 24 thousand (from 402 thousand to 426 thousand).

Considering the number of underemployed workers (persons who were working less than 35 hours per week and available for additional work). there were 164 thousand persons or 0.4% of the total employed persons.

Work experience of unemployed person. Out of 426 thousand, there were 225 thousand never worked and 201 thousand have ever.

Looking at the distribution of unemployed persons who ever worked, it was found that worked in service and trade, manufacturing and agriculture sector respectively.

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