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JOB VACANCIES: 2nd QUARTER 2023

Job Vacancy Rate 2,9%

The number of job vacancies in the 2nd quarter of 2023 reached 13.027, recording an increase of 1.914 vacancies (17,2%) compared to the same quarter of the previous year where the number was 11.113. Compared to the 1st quarter of 2023 the number of job vacancies increased by 699 (5,7%). (Table 1)

The job vacancy rate in the 2nd quarter of 2023 was 2,9%, while the job vacancy rate in the previous quarter and the 2nd quarter of 2022 was 2,8% and 2,7% respectively. The largest job vacancy rates in the 2nd quarter of 2023 were observed in the Sectors of Accommodation and Food Service Activities (7,3%), Transportation and Storage (4,5%) and Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply (4,1%). (Table 2)

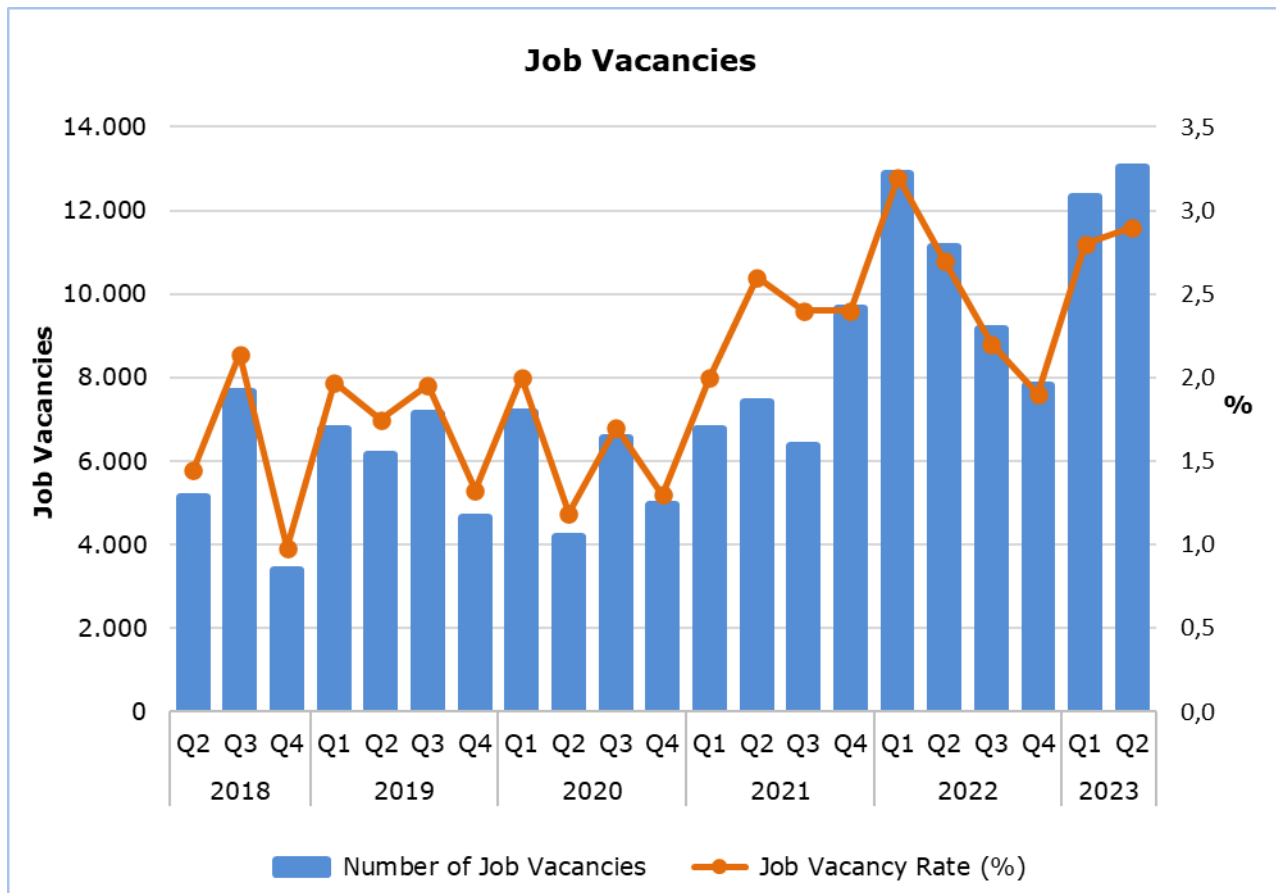


Table 1

Nace Rev.2	Economic Activity	Number of Job Vacancies			% Change	
		Q2 2022	Q1 2023	Q2 2023	Q2 2023/ Q1 2023	Q2 2023/2022
B	Mining and Quarrying	1	3	15	400,0	1.400,0
C	Manufacturing	881	924	524	-43,3	-40,5
D	Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply	0	1	70	6.900,0	n.a.
E	Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	103	42	73	73,8	-29,1
F	Construction	408	858	628	-26,8	53,9
G	Wholesale and Retail Trade, Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	1.650	2.126	2.069	-2,7	25,4
H	Transportation and Storage	716	717	857	19,5	19,7
I	Accommodation and Food Service Activities	3.625	3.422	4.080	19,2	12,6
J	Information and Communication	331	478	582	21,8	75,8
K	Financial and Insurance Activities	462	548	533	-2,7	15,4
L	Real Estate Activities	78	71	109	53,5	39,7
M	Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	669	714	759	6,3	13,5
N	Administrative and Support Service Activities	583	553	586	6,0	0,5
O	Public Administration and Defense, Compulsory Social Security	166	347	295	-15,0	77,7
P	Education	526	411	892	117,0	69,6
Q	Human Health and Social Work Activities	581	463	524	13,2	-9,8
R	Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	124	99	245	147,5	97,6
S	Other Service Activities	209	551	186	-66,2	-11,0
Total		11.113	12.328	13.027	5,7	17,2

n.a.: Not applicable

Table 2

Nace Rev.2	Economic Activity	Job Vacancy Rate (%)		
		Q2 2022	Q1 2023	Q2 2023
B	Mining and Quarrying	0,2	0,7	2,7
C	Manufacturing	2,5	2,5	1,4
D	Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply	0,0	0,1	4,1
E	Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities	3,2	1,2	2,0
F	Construction	1,1	2,1	1,6
G	Wholesale and Retail Trade, Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	2,3	2,8	2,7
H	Transportation and Storage	4,0	3,8	4,5
I	Accommodation and Food Service Activities	7,2	7,1	7,3
J	Information and Communication	2,5	2,8	3,3
K	Financial and Insurance Activities	2,2	2,4	2,4
L	Real Estate Activities	2,4	1,9	2,8
M	Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	1,9	1,8	1,9
N	Administrative and Support Service Activities	3,8	3,0	3,1
O	Public Administration and Defense, Compulsory Social Security	0,5	1,1	0,9
P	Education	1,6	1,2	2,6
Q	Human Health and Social Work Activities	2,5	2,0	2,2
R	Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	1,8	1,3	3,2
S	Other Service Activities	1,8	4,4	1,5
Total		2,7	2,8	2,9

METHODOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Definitions

A **job vacancy** is a paid post that is newly created, unoccupied or about to become vacant, and for which the employer is taking active steps to find a suitable candidate from outside the enterprise concerned and intends to fill it either immediately or within a specific period of time.

The **job vacancy rate** is the number of job vacancies expressed as a percentage of the total number of occupied posts and job vacancies.

Coverage

The survey covers enterprises with 1 or more employees classified in all sectors of economic activities according to the Statistical Classification of Economic Activities NACE Rev. 2 of the European Union system, except Sectors A (Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing), T (Activities of Households as Employers; Undifferentiated Goods- and Services-Producing Activities of Households for own use) and U (Activities of Extraterritorial Organizations and Bodies).

Collection of Data

The data collection is carried out by telephone interviews every quarter.

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The data included in the Predefined Tables in Excel format are available up to 4th Quarter 2021. Data from the 1st Quarter 2022 onwards are available only in the CYSTAT-DB Online Database.

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