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# INTRODUCTION

On 10 November 2014, the General Director of General Statistic Office issued Decision No 1287/QĐ-TCTK on the 2015 Labour force survey, along with its survey plan. The purpose of the survey was to collect the information on 2015 labor market participation from those people who are 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 income. These results would support for ministries and branches assessing and comparing the changes in labour market among quarters within the reference year as well as with those of previous annual labour force surveys 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; as well as to access and apply International Labor Organization's updated recommendations on labor and employment, especially in term of "labor under-utilization" into the reality of Vietnam. The statistics would be aggregated quarterly for the national and regional levels; and yearly for the provincial level.

This report would present major findings of labour force survey in quarter 1, 2015 in order to provide information about labour market and employment for users. As a result of the survey coverage on labor market only relating to those people who were 15 years 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, due to the demand of researching, assessing and analyzing information about the labour market and employment situation for the working age group (including males aged from 15 to 59 and females aged from 15 to 54), the report would also provide some basic indicators on labor and employment for this group.

The 2015 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 this report will meet requirements of basic information for social economic policy markers, 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, 2015 Vietnam has reached to 70 million persons aged 15 and above, of which 53.6 million people joined into the labour force. Even the fact that the urbanization process has been going on, the rural labour force is continuously considered as dominant, currently accounting for 68.4% of total labour force.
- The labour force participation rate stood at 77.3%. The considerable difference on labour force participation between rural and urban areas has remained, standing at 10 percentage points (70.9% against with 80.7%). Besides, the sex gap on labour force participation has also been found. This participation rate of females was 72.4%, with 10.2 percentage points lower than that of males (82.6%).
- As of Quarter 1, 2015 the labour force of whole country was constituted by 52.4 million employed labourers and more than 1.2 million unemployed labourers.
- The employment to population ratio of those people aged 15 and above was 75.6%. There was a considerable gap on this ratio between urban and rural. The employment to population ratio in urban areas reached to 68.6%, with 10.7 percentage points lower than that of rural areas.
- Based on number of working hours, at the whole country, there were 1.2 million underemployed labourers. The underemployed population was added about 21.9 thousand labourers, as compared to that of Quarter 4 in 2014. 84.7% of total underemployed population was currently residing in rural areas.
- In Quarter 1, 2015, the general unemployment rate has increased slightly (standing at 2.27%). The unemployed population was supplemented to 162.2 thousand labourers, as compared to that of the same period of 2014, currently reaching to 1214.9 thousand labourers.
- The young unemployment rate (for those people aged from 15 to 24) was 6.60%. Number of unemployed youth accounted for 48.2% of total unemployed population. Of which, the urban share was found lower than that of rural areas (44.9% verse 55.1%). Meanwhile, the underemployed youth just accounted for one fourth of total underemployed population.

## Some key indicators of the labor market

Indicator	Quarter 2, 2014	Quarter 3, 2014	Quarter 4, 2014	Quarter 1, 2015
<b>1. Population aged 15+ ('000 persons)</b>	<b>69313,3</b>	<b>69 691,5</b>	<b>70 057,9</b>	<b>69 750,2</b>
Male	33695,9	33 974,4	34 022,3	33 928,5
Female	35617,4	35 717,1	36 035,6	35 821,7
Urban	22911,6	23 149,6	23 250,2	23 957,0
Rural	46401,7	46 541,9	46 807,6	45 793,2
<b>2. Labour force ('000 persons)</b>	<b>53714,5</b>	<b>54 307,2</b>	<b>54 426,5</b>	<b>53 643,9</b>
Male	27584,8	28 042,5	27 968,9	27 819,3
Female	26129,8	26 264,7	26 457,5	25 824,6
Urban	16030,2	16 296,3	16 357,2	16 941,2
Rural	37684,4	38 010,9	38 069,3	36 702,7
<b>3. Labour force participation rate (%)</b>	<b>77,5</b>	<b>77,9</b>	<b>78,0</b>	<b>77,3</b>
Male	81,9	82,5	82,6	82,6
Female	73,4	73,5	73,6	72,4
Urban	70,0	70,4	70,5	70,9
Rural	81,2	81,7	81,7	80,7
<b>4. Employed population ('000 persons)</b>	<b>52838,4</b>	<b>53258,4</b>	<b>53440 ,2</b>	<b>52 427,0</b>
Male	27104,6	27 464,0	27461 ,8	27 174,2
Female	25733,8	25 794,4	25978 ,4	25 252,9
Urban	15548,9	15805,9	15877 ,6	16 387,9
Rural	37289,5	37452,5	37562 ,5	36 039,2
<b>5. Employment to population ratio (%)</b>	<b>76,2</b>	<b>76,4</b>	<b>76,5</b>	<b>75,6</b>
Male	80,4	80,8	81,1	80,7
Female	72,3	72,2	72,2	70,8
Urban	67,9	68,3	68,4	68,6
Rural	80,4	80,5	80,6	79,2
<b>6. Average monthly earnings of wage workers (thousand VND)</b>	<b>4335</b>	<b>4439</b>	<b>4397</b>	<b>4895</b>
Male	4509	4631	4576	5034
Female	4092	4164	4144	4706
Urban	5119	5179	5139	5723
Rural	3700	3835	3807	4190
<b>7. Time related underemployed population population ('000 persons)</b>	<b>1140,2</b>	<b>1161,9</b>	<b>1185,4</b>	<b>1 217,3</b>
Male	627,3	631,6	625,7	658,4
Female	513,0	530,3	559,6	558,9
Urban	155,7	167,2	185,6	185,8
Rural	984,5	994,7	999,8	1 031,5



Indicator	Quarter 2, 2014	Quarter 3, 2014	Quarter 4, 2014	Quarter 1, 2015
<b>8. Time related underemployment rate (%)</b>	<b>2,16</b>	<b>2,18</b>	<b>2,22</b>	<b>2,33</b>
Male	2,31	2,3	2,28	2,43
Female	1,99	2,06	2,15	2,22
Urban	1,00	1,06	1,17	1,14
Rural	2,64	2,66	2,66	2,87
<b>9. Time related underemployment rate for working age population (%)</b>	<b>2,25</b>	<b>2,30</b>	<b>2,32</b>	<b>2,43</b>
Male	2,42	2,4	2,35	2,52
Female	2,05	2,18	2,29	2,34
Urban	1,05	1,12	1,20	1,15
Rural	2,77	2,83	2,82	3,05
<b>10. Unemployed population ('000 persons)</b>	<b>876,1</b>	<b>1048,8</b>	<b>986,3</b>	<b>1 216,9</b>
Male	480,1	578,5	507,1	645,1
Female	396,0	470,3	479,2	571,8
Urban	481,2	490,4	479,6	553,3
Rural	394,8	558,4	506,8	663,6
<b>11. Unemployment rate (%)</b>	<b>1,63</b>	<b>1,93</b>	<b>1,81</b>	<b>2,27</b>
Male	1,74	2,06	1,81	2,32
Female	1,52	1,79	1,81	2,21
Urban	3,00	3,01	2,93	3,27
Rural	1,05	1,47	1,33	1,81
<b>12. Working age underemployment rate (%)</b>	<b>1,84</b>	<b>2,17</b>	<b>2,05</b>	<b>2,43</b>
Male	1,88	2,22	1,96	2,42
Female	1,79	2,11	2,15	2,45
Urban	3,26	3,27	3,21	3,43
Rural	1,20	1,67	1,52	1,95
<b>13. Unemployed youth ('000 persons)</b>	<b>384,7</b>	<b>543,8</b>	<b>448,4</b>	<b>586,2</b>
Male	201,1	275,7	195,8	300,5
Female	183,6	268,1	252,6	285,7
Urban	191,4	216,6	195,2	263,4
Rural	193,3	327,2	253,2	322,8
<b>14. Youth's unemployment rate (%)</b>	<b>5,09</b>	<b>7,02</b>	<b>6,17</b>	<b>6,60</b>
Male	4,85	6,48	4,97	6,25
Female	5,38	7,68	7,59	7,03
Urban	10,65	11,27	10,43	10,95
Rural	3,35	5,62	4,69	4,99

*Note: These above indicators were calculated for those persons aged 15+, except for the working age unemployment and underemployment rates that were calculated for men aged from 15 to 59 and for women aged from 15 to 54 and also except for youth's indicators that were calculated for those persons aged from 15 to 24.*

## II. MAJOR FINDINGS

### 1. Labour force

#### 1.1 Size and distribution of labour force and labour force participation rate

As of Quarter 1 2015, the labour force aged 15 and above in Vietnam reached to 53.6 million people. Despite of the increase on share for urban labour force, approximately 68.4% of the labour force in Vietnam has been residing in rural areas. Three regions occupying the highest relevant proportions namely in descending order as Red River Delta, North and South Central Coast and Mekong River Delta accounted for 63.0% of total labour force. As of Quarter 1, 2015, females constituted about 48.1% (equivalent to 25.82 million persons) to total labour force.

**Table 1: Percentage distribution of labour force and labour force participation rate classified by urban/rural, social-economic regions in quarter 1, 2015**

Unit: %

Basic characteristic	Proportion of Labor force				Labor force participation rate		
	Total	Male	Female	% Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>Whole country</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>48.1</b>	<b>77.3</b>	<b>82.6</b>	<b>72.4</b>
Urban	31.6	31.5	31.7	48.3	70.9	76.9	65.5
Rural	68.4	68.5	68.3	48.1	80.7	85.5	76.1
<b>Social-economic region</b>							
Northern Midlands and Mountains	13.5	13.1	13.9	49.6	84.6	87.0	82.4
Red River Delta	21.9	21.1	22.8	50.1	74.5	77.4	71.8
<i>Of which:</i> Hanoi city	7.0	6.8	7.2	49.7	70.0	73.1	67.1
North and South Central Coast	21.8	21.5	22.1	48.9	77.9	82.0	74.0
Central Highlands	6.2	6.2	6.2	48.4	83.5	87.9	79.3
Southeast	17.2	17.6	16.8	46.9	74.1	82.0	66.8
<i>Of which:</i> Hochiminh city	8.2	8.3	8.1	47.4	69.9	78.2	62.5
Mekong River Delta	19.3	20.4	18.1	45.1	76.5	85.3	67.9

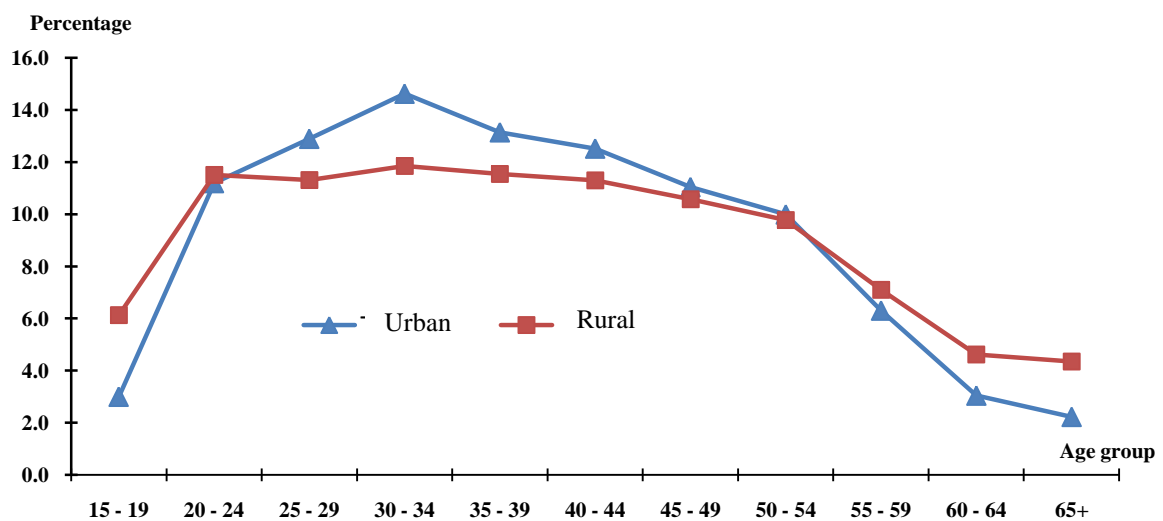
At the national level, the labour force participation rate was 77.3%. The considerable difference on labour force participation between rural and urban has remained about 9.8 percentage points (70.9% against with 80.7%).

The labour force participation rate for females stood at 72.4%, with 9.8 percentage points lower than that for males (82.6%). Notably, the highest labour force participation rates were for two mountainous regions, including Northern Midlands and Mountains (84.6%) and Central Highlands (83.5%). Meanwhile, the lowest ones belonged to two most developed social-economic centres of Vietnam, namely Hanoi and Hochiminh city.

### ***1.2 Age structure of labour force***

The distribution of the labour force by age group reveals not only the context of demographic fact but also of social-economic situation. The labour force of Vietnam is considered as relatively young, with the considerable share of the 15-39 year old group (currently accounting for 53.1% of total labour force).

**Figure 1: Percentage distribution of labour force classified by age group and urban/rural in quarter 1, 2015**



There was considerable difference in age structure of the labour force between urban and rural areas (as shown in Figure 1). The shares of youth (aged 15-24) and elderly (aged 55 and above) living in urban areas were found lower than those of rural areas. In contrast, the proportion of prime working age group (aged 25-54) in urban areas was higher than that of rural areas. This pattern could reflect the fact that the urban youth has joined into the labour market more lately than the rural youth, due to their longer period of schooling. Meanwhile, the rural residents has joined earlier but stayed longer in the labour market, as a result of characteristics on rural jobs.

## 2. Employment

Table 2 shows the employment proportion and the employment-to-population ratio for those people aged 15+, classified by sex and 8 sampling domains (including 6 social-economic regions and 2 biggest cities) in the first quarter of 2015. Out of 52.4 million employed labourers, 68.7% (equivalent to 36.0 million persons) was residing in rural areas and 48.2% (equivalent to 25.3 million persons) was employed females. Making a comparison among social economic regions, the Red River Delta has currently occupied the largest relevant proportion, about 21.9% of total employed population, followed by the North and South Central Coast, and Mekong River Delta (21.7% and 19.2% respectively).

**Table 2: Employment proportion and employment to population ratio for those people aged 15+, classified by urban/rural and social economic regions in quarter 1, 2015**

*Unit: %*

Basic characteristic	Proportion of employed pop.				Employment to pop. ratio		
	Total	Male	Female	% Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>Entire country</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>48.2</b>	<b>75.6</b>	<b>80.7</b>	<b>70.8</b>
Urban	31.3	31.2	31.4	48.3	68.6	74.3	63.4
Rural	68.7	68.8	68.6	48.1	79.2	83.9	74.7
<b>Social-economic region</b>							
Northern Midlands and Mountains	13.7	13.3	14.1	49.7	83.7	86.0	81.6
Red River Delta	21.9	21.0	22.9	50.3	72.8	75.2	70.5
<i>Of which:</i> Hanoi city	7.1	6.8	7.3	49.9	68.7	71.4	66.2
North and South Central Coast	21.7	21.4	22.1	48.9	75.9	79.8	72.2
Central Highlands	6.3	6.3	6.3	48.2	82.6	87.1	78.2
Southeast	17.1	17.6	16.6	46.8	72.0	79.8	64.8
<i>Of which:</i> Hochiminh city	8.2	8.3	8.0	47.3	67.8	76.0	60.5
Mekong River Delta	19.2	20.4	17.9	44.9	74.6	83.5	66.0

In details, as of Quarter 1, 2015, the employed population was estimated about 52.4 million people, lowering nearly 1 million people (equivalent to minus 1.9%) as compared to that of Quarter 4, 2014. Among 6 social economic

regions, 5 regions had number of employed persons decreased, (ranging from 1% to 3.5% lower than that of Quarter 4, 2014. The highest employment decline was for the Northern Midlands and Mountains (-3.5%), followed by the Red River Delta (-3.3%). Particularly for the Southeast, there was an increase of employed laborers, about 2.1% higher as compared to that of Quarter 4, 2014. 84.4% of that addition was contributed by Hochiminh city.

The employed-to-population ratio for those who are 15 years old and above was at 75.6% in quarter 1, 2015. Urban-rural and sex gaps on this ratio were nearly 10.7 and 9.9 percentage points, respectively. Comparing among social economic regions indicated that the highest employment-to-population ratios belonged to two mountainous regions, namely the Northern Midlands and Mountains (83.7%) and the Central Highlands (82.6%), while two most developed social- economic centres, including Hanoi city and Hochiminh city occupied the lowest ones.

**Table 3: Percentage distribution of employed population classified by industrial sector and economic sector in quarter 1, 2015**

*Unit: %*

Basic characteristic	Industrial sector			Economic sector		
	Agriculture, forestry and fishery	Industry and construction	Services	State	Non-state	Foreign investment
<b>Entire country</b>	<b>45.0</b>	<b>21.5</b>	<b>33.5</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>85.3</b>	<b>4.5</b>
Urban	12.5	25.3	62.2	18.6	75.4	6.0
Rural	59.8	19.8	20.4	6.3	89.9	3.8
<b>Sex</b>						
Male	43.5	24.5	32.0	10.3	86.9	2.9
Female	46.6	18.3	35.1	10.1	83.7	6.2
<b>Social-economic region</b>						
Northern Midlands and Mountains	68.8	13.8	17.4	9.6	88.1	2.3
Red River Delta	32.5	27.4	40.1	13.5	82.1	4.4
Of which: Hanoi city	18.3	24.2	57.5	19.9	77.1	2.9
North and South Central Coast	52.7	17.3	30.0	10.1	88.2	1.6
Central Highland	76.5	6.8	16.7	8.8	90.9	0.3
Southeast	13.8	35.4	50.8	10.7	75.3	14.1
Of which: Hochiminh city	2.3	32.6	65.1	12.9	81.6	5.5
Mekong River Delta	50.9	17.5	31.6	6.8	91.0	2.1

Table 3 presents the proportion of employed population classified by industrial sector for each sampling domain. The data shows that the Southeast

region, especially including Hochiminh city has the most advanced economic structure, proportion of industrial, constructional or service workers (about 86.2% and 97.7%). % respectively). Contrarily, for the mountainous and coastal areas, the proportion of employed labourers engaging into agriculture, forestry and fishery, has remained quite high. The Central Highlands has been regarded as the region occupying this largest proportion (about 76.5%), followed by the Northern Midlands and Mountains and the North and South Central Coast (68.8% and 52.7%, respectively).

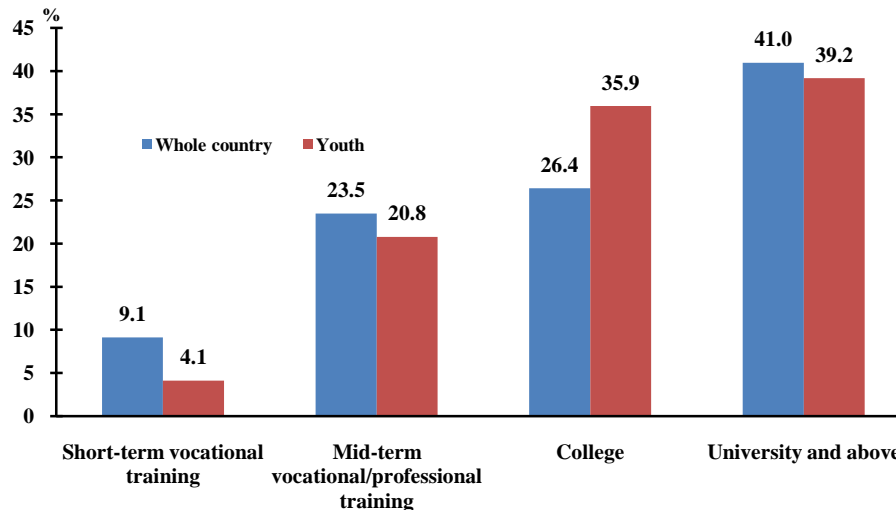
### **3. Underemployment and unemployment**

#### ***3.1 Underemployed and unemployed labourers***

As of Quarter 1, 2015, the labour force aged 15 and above was constituted by more than 1.2 million underemployed labourers and a nearly similar number of unemployed labourers. As compared to Quarter 4, 2014, the underemployed population increased slightly with the addition of 32 thousand persons and particularly, about 230.6 thousand new unemployed persons were added. The underemployment has been considered as more popular in rural areas. At present, about 84.7% of total underemployed population was residing in rural areas. Besides, the share of underemployed males was found higher than that of females (54.1% as compared to 45.9% of total underemployed population). On the other hand, the unemployment in urban areas should be concerned more even that the proportion of urban unemployed population was found lower, just accounting for 45.5% of total unemployed population (see part 3.2 – unemployment and underemployment rates for more reference). Moreover, the data of Quarter 1, 2015 also shows that unemployed males were more crowded than females (accounting for 53.0% verse 47.0% of total unemployed population).

Observing the unemployment by the technical/qualification attainment reveals that in Quarter 1 2015, more than one third of unemployed population have undergone technical/qualification training from 3 months or more. Among this group, those unemployed laborers, who have graduated from universities or above, occupied the largest share (about 41.0%).

**Figure 3: Percentage distribution of unemployed population aged 15+ and unemployed youth who have undergone technical/qualification training from 3 months or more. classified by levels of training in quarter 1. 2015**



Youth is considered as one labour group most vulnerable to the fluctuations in labour market. Thus, youth's unemployment has become important issue that should be paid attention in the society. In quarter 1, 2015 the unemployed youth aged from 15-24 accounted for 48.2% of total unemployed population throughout the country. Remarkably, the share of unemployed youth residing in urban areas was found lower than that of rural areas (accounting for 44.9% against with 55.1% of total unemployed population). as a result of more educational opportunities given by urban areas. In term of technical/qualification attainment, about 60.7% of total unemployed laborers who have undergone technical/qualification training from 3 months or more (equivalent to 268.9 thousand persons) were young ones. Of which, a dominant share (accounting for 75.1%) was formed by the young laborers who have graduated from college or above.

In addition, about 25.9% (equivalent to 315 thousand persons) of total 1.2 million under-employed workers throughout the country were young persons aged 15 - 24.

**Table 4: Number of underemployed and unemployed persons aged 15+.  
classified by quarter. 2014 and 2015**

*Unit: Thousand persons*

Basic characteristic	Underemployed persons				Unemployed persons			
	Quarter 2/2014	Quarter 3/2014	Quarter 4/2014	Quarter 1/2015	Quarter 2/2014	Quarter 3/2014	Quarter 4/2014	Quarter 1/2015
<b>Whole country</b>	<b>1140.2</b>	<b>1 161.9</b>	<b>1 185.4</b>	<b>1 217.3</b>	<b>876.1</b>	<b>1 048.8</b>	<b>986.3</b>	<b>1 216.9</b>
Urban	155.7	167.2	185.6	185.8	481.2	490.4	479.6	553.3
Rural	984.5	994.7	999.8	1 031.5	394.8	558.4	506.8	663.6
<b>Sex</b>								
Male	627.3	631.6	625.7	658.4	480.1	578.5	507.1	645.1
Female	513.0	530.3	559.6	558.9	396.0	470.3	479.2	571.8
<b>Social-economic region</b>								
Northern Midlands and Mountains	94.6	81.2	108.5	135.0	44.5	57.2	48.8	78.1
Red River Delta	331.8	245.7	261.1	230.7	246.9	318.4	301.6	280
North and South Central Coast	229.8	249.6	318.7	367.8	190.4	243.4	220.4	304.6
Central Highland	74.3	118.3	47.3	55.7	28.1	39.7	39.3	38.1
Southeast	32.8	59.3	50.8	65.5	197.5	200.3	179.3	260.5
Mekong River Delta	377.0	407.8	399.0	362.6	168.6	189.7	196.8	255.5

**Table 5: Percentage distribution of underemployed and unemployed population aged 15 +. classified by age group in quarter 1. 2015**

*Unit: %*

Age group	Proportion of underemployed pers.				Proportion of unemployed pers.			
	Total	Male	Female	% Female	Total	Male	Female	% Female
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>45.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>47.0</b>
15-24	25.9	29.2	22.0	39.0	48.2	46.6	50.0	48.7
25-54	64.0	61.4	67.1	48.1	45.2	46.3	44.0	45.7
55-59	5.6	5.2	6.2	50.5	3.5	3.7	3.4	45.1
60 and over	4.4	4.2	4.7	48.3	3.1	3.5	2.7	40.4
<b>Urban</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>49.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>46.9</b>
15-24	20.1	21.3	18.8	45.9	47.6	43.1	52.6	51.9
25-54	69.7	68.6	70.8	49.8	47.2	51.3	42.5	42.3
55-59	5.8	6.0	5.5	46.9	3.4	3.3	3.6	49.5
60 and over	4.5	4.1	4.9	53.5	1.8	2.3	1.2	32.3
<b>Rural</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>45.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>47.0</b>
15-24	26.9	30.5	22.6	38.0	48.6	49.4	47.7	46.2
25-54	63.0	60.2	66.4	47.8	43.5	42.0	45.2	48.8
55-59	5.6	5.0	6.4	51.2	3.7	4.0	3.2	41.6
60 and over	4.4	4.3	4.6	47.4	4.2	4.5	3.9	43.3

### 3.2 Underemployment rate and unemployment rate

The working age underemployment and unemployment rates are referred



to those females who are from 15 to 54 years old and those males who are from 15 to 59 years old.

As of quarter 1. 2015. the working age unemployment rate for the whole country reached to 2.43%. Of which. the urban unemployment rate (standing at 3.43%) was found higher than that of rural areas (1.95%). Sex gap on unemployment rate was not considerable. just 0.03% percentage points. However. among sampling domains. the unemployment rate was quite different. The region occupying the lowest rate was the Northern Midlands and Mountains (1.15%). followed by the Central Highland (1.18%). North and South Central Coast and The Southeast are two regions had the highest unemployment rate. respectively. 2.89% and 2.86%.

**Table 6: Working age underemployment and unemployment rates classified by quarter. 2014 and 2015**

*Unit: %*

Basic characteristic	Underemployment rate				Unemployment rate			
	Quarter 2/2014	Quarter 3/2014	Quarter 4/2014	Quarter 1/2015	Quarter 2/2014	Quarter 3/2014	Quarter 4/2014	Quarter 1/2015
<b>Whole country</b>	<b>2.25</b>	<b>2.30</b>	<b>2.32</b>	<b>2.43</b>	<b>1.84</b>	<b>2.17</b>	<b>2.05</b>	<b>2.43</b>
Urban	1.05	1.12	1.20	1.15	3.26	3.27	3.21	3.43
Rural	2.77	2.83	2.82	3.04	1.20	1.67	1.52	1.95
<b>Sex</b>								
Male	2.42	2.40	2.35	2.51	1.88	2.22	1.96	2.42
Female	2.05	2.18	2.29	2.33	1.79	2.11	2.15	2.45
<b>Social-economic region</b>								
Northern Midlands and Mountains	1.36	1.19	1.60	1.98	0.65	0.83	0.74	1.15
Red River Delta	2.86	2.24	2.25	2.07	2.35	3.02	2.90	2.59
North and South Central Coast	2.15	2.24	2.88	3.55	1.86	2.38	2.14	2.89
Central Highland	2.49	3.72	1.50	1.67	0.94	1.23	1.25	1.18
Southeast	0.42	0.71	0.62	0.74	2.44	2.42	2.16	2.86
Mekong River Delta	3.86	4.26	4.12	3.78	1.85	2.04	2.08	2.69

The working age under-employment rate for the whole country increased slightly in Quarter 1. 2015 in a comparison with that of Quarter 4. 2014 (2.43% against with 2.32%. respectively). The under-employment rate in rural areas stood at 3.04%. equal to nearly 2.7 times higher than that of urban areas (1.15%). Among regions. the Mekong River Delta has remained occupying the highest rate (about 3.78%). (equivalent to 1.6 times higher than that of whole country – standing at 2.43%).

At present. even that Vietnam's economy has met difficulties. the unemployment rate in Vietnam has not changed much. Particularly. the working

age unemployment rate in urban areas has almost unchanged. just slightly declining from 3.72% in Quarter 1. 2014 to 3.43% in Quarter 1. 2015. This could be explained in part by the fact that Vietnam is an agricultural country. characterized with the less developed economy. resulting to the people's low living standards and the insufficiently developed social security system. Therefore. people prefer involving into any kind of jobs. even into the informal ones giving unstable. low earnings and indecent working conditions. in order to support themselves and their families. rather than being into long-term unemployment to look for better jobs.

**Table 7: Working age underemployment and unemployment rates. 2009-2015**

*Unit: %*

Survey period	Underemployment rate			Unemployment rate		
	Total	Urban	Rural	Total	Urban	Rural
<b>2009</b>	5.41	3.19	6.30	2.90	4.60	2.25
<b>2010</b>	3.57	1.82	4.26	2.88	4.29	2.30
<b>2011</b>	2.96	1.58	3.56	2.22	3.60	1.60
<b>2012</b>	2.74	1.56	3.27	1.96	3.21	1.39
<b>2013</b>	2.75	1.48	3.31	2.18	3.59	1.54
<b>2014</b>	2.40	1.20	2.96	2.10	3.40	1.49
Quarter 1 in 2014	2.78	1.45	3.37	2.21	3.72	1.53
Quarter 2 in 2014	2.25	1.05	2.77	1.84	3.26	1.20
Quarter 3 in 2014	2.30	1.12	2.83	2.17	3.27	1.67
Quarter 4 in 2014	2.32	1.20	2.82	2.05	3.21	1.52
<b>2015</b>						
Quarter 1 in 2015	2.43	1.15	3.04	2.43	3.43	1.95

The young unemployment rate calculated for those persons aged 15-24. In urban areas. the youth's unemployment rate was found 5.5 times higher than that of those people aged 25 and above (10.95% verse 1.99%). In quarter 1 2015. the young unemployment rate has almost unchanged. just 0.74 percentage points lower than that of the same period last year.

**Table 8: Youth’s unemployment rate and Unemployment rate of those who are 25 years old and above classified by quarter in 2014 and 2015**

*Unit: %*

Basic characteristics	Youth’s unemployment rate (15 -24)				Unemployment rate of those persons aged 25+			
	Quarter 2/2014	Quarter 3/2014	Quarter 4/2014	Quarter 1/2015	Quarter 2/2014	Quarter 3/2014	Quarter 4/2014	Quarter 1/2015
<b>Whole country</b>	<b>5.09</b>	<b>7.02</b>	<b>6.17</b>	<b>6.60</b>	<b>1.06</b>	<b>1.08</b>	<b>1.14</b>	<b>1.41</b>
Urban	10.65	11.27	10.43	10.95	2.04	1.90	1.96	1.99
Rural	3.35	5.62	4.69	4.99	0.63	0.72	0.78	1.13
<b>Sex</b>								
Male	4.85	6.48	4.97	6.25	1.19	1.27	1.30	1.50
Female	5.38	7.68	7.59	7.03	0.93	0.89	0.98	1.31
<b>Social-economic region</b>								
Northern Midlands and Mountains	1.37	2.23	1.85	2.60	0.43	0.43	0.41	0.70
Red River Delta	7.06	11.53	10.67	8.22	1.42	1.49	1.51	1.48
North and South Central Coast	6.14	7.87	7.03	7.97	0.82	1.03	1.02	1.45
Central Highland	2.51	4.28	2.74	3.07	0.51	0.45	0.79	0.62
Southeast	6.16	7.68	6.18	7.89	1.67	1.35	1.36	1.77
Mekong River Delta	5.58	6.94	6.39	7.20	1.01	1.08	1.25	1.67

In Quarter 1. 2015. the unemployment rate of young group who have completed technical/qualification training from 3 months or more. stood at 14.1%. of which the unemployment for young females was considerably higher than that for young males (16.3% verse 11.6%). This was similar when comparing the unemployment between urban and rural (16.5% against with 12.3%). Notably. the youth’s unemployment is likely increased along with their level of technical/qualification attainment. that is. more concerns on unemployment should be paid for those young people who have attained high technical/qualification level. For example. the unemployment rates of those young people who have graduated from college or university and above were found about 15.1% and 19.9%. respectively. Whereas this rate was much lower for those groups who have just completed “short-term vocational education” or “mid-term vocational/professional education (standing at 4.6% and 11.3%). The reason could be that those young people having high educational attainment (such as college. university or above) are often from 20 to 24 years old. have just graduated and lack of experiences. Therefore. they will meet difficult to find suitable jobs.

**Table 9: Unemployment rate of the youth who have undergone technical/qualification training from 3 months and more. classified by level of training. Quarter 1. 2015**

*Unit: %*

<b>Technical/qualification level</b>	<b>Whole country</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Urban</b>	<b>Rural</b>
Total	14.09	11.56	16.34	16.47	12.31
Short-term vocational training	4.55	4.68	4.05	8.96	2.93
Mid-term vocational/professional training	11.26	8.51	13.69	12.43	10.58
College	15.13	12.88	16.77	17.11	13.74
University and above	19.89	20.07	19.78	19.87	19.91

### **III. TABULATED TABLES**

Table 1

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Age group	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>69313.3</b>	<b>33695.9</b>	<b>35617.4</b>	<b>69 691.5</b>	<b>33 974.4</b>	<b>35 717.1</b>	<b>70 057.9</b>	<b>34 022.3</b>	<b>36 035.6</b>	<b>69 750.2</b>	<b>33 928.5</b>	<b>35 821.7</b>
15 - 19	6587.6	3450.4	3137.2	6 579.0	3 459.9	3 119.2	6 409.1	3 416.4	2 992.7	7 060.4	3 607.5	3 452.9
20 - 24	6495.2	3343.7	3151.5	6 363.7	3 343.1	3 020.7	6 198.1	3 160.4	3 037.6	7 782.9	3 969.8	3 813.1
25 - 29	6779.5	3410.8	3368.7	6 758.2	3 459.0	3 299.2	6 667.5	3 425.4	3 242.0	6 977.4	3 525.0	3 452.4
30 - 34	6944.9	3376.4	3568.5	7 007.3	3 422.1	3 585.3	7 059.1	3 435.9	3 623.2	7 302.0	3 557.6	3 744.5
35 - 39	6915.2	3382.8	3532.4	6 878.7	3 386.8	3 491.9	6 888.2	3 364.9	3 523.3	6 859.4	3 465.7	3 393.8
40 - 44	7019.2	3525.1	3494.1	7 023.5	3 499.7	3 523.7	7 018.8	3 455.4	3 563.5	6 663.8	3 337.5	3 326.4
45 - 49	6530.3	3231.2	3299.1	6 464.1	3 187.2	3 276.9	6 741.7	3 338.0	3 403.7	6 246.6	3 088.2	3 158.4
50 - 54	6288.7	3012.2	3276.6	6 468.9	3 146.1	3 322.7	6 488.6	3 141.6	3 347.0	5 966.4	2 922.9	3 043.6
55 - 59	4944.5	2381.9	2562.6	5 160.1	2 447.1	2 713.0	5 400.9	2 535.4	2 865.4	4 787.5	2 225.6	2 561.9
60 - 64	3416.7	1552.7	1864	3 508.0	1 616.2	1 891.9	3 622.5	1 691.3	1 931.3	3 388.6	1 569.7	1 818.9
65 and over	7391.4	3028.8	4362.7	7 479.9	3 007.2	4 472.7	7 563.3	3 057.6	4 505.8	6 715.1	2 659.0	4 056.1
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>22 911.6</b>	<b>11 012.7</b>	<b>11 899.0</b>	<b>23 149.6</b>	<b>11 197.0</b>	<b>11 952.6</b>	<b>23 250.2</b>	<b>11 269.2</b>	<b>11 981.0</b>	<b>23 957.0</b>	<b>11 439.2</b>	<b>12 517.8</b>
15 - 19	1 898.1	991	907	1 909.5	985.3	924.2	1 862.9	966.60	0 896.3	2 186.2	1 083.3	1 102.8
20 - 24	2 065.1	1 016.1	1 049.0	2 106.3	1 067.5	1 038.8	2 096.7	1 048.2	1 048.5	2 699.1	1 262.2	1 436.9
25 - 29	2 270.5	1 073.5	1 197.0	2 290.1	1 102.6	1 187.5	2 247.8	1 115.6	1 132.2	2 412.1	1 179.6	1 232.5
30 - 34	2 395.0	1 171.4	1 223.6	2 393.5	1 194.3	1 199.2	2 413.4	1 169.8	1 243.5	2 680.1	1 288.3	1 391.8
35 - 39	2 309.0	1 091.3	1 217.8	2 273.5	1 087.5	1 186.0	2 304.5	1 128.5	1 176.0	2 409.4	1 191.4	1 218.1
40 - 44	2 353.8	1 180.5	1 173.3	2 334.1	1 158.1	1 176.0	2 311.1	1 128.7	1 182.4	2 326.6	1 154.8	1 171.8
45 - 49	2 195.3	1 096.6	1 098.7	2 160.1	1 065.1	1 095.0	2 252.8	1 109.9	1 142.8	2 128.0	1 029.3	1 098.8
50 - 54	2 155.2	1 020.1	1 135.1	2 212.7	1 067.5	1 145.2	2 154.5	1 058.7	1 095.7	2 069.7	1 037.7	1 032.0
55 - 59	1 758.9	852	908	1 877.8	905.4	972.4	1 933.5	928.40	1 005.1	1 724.3	804.3	920
60 - 64	1 180.5	532	648	1 171.8	550.9	620.8	1 219.3	570.30	0 649.0	1 158.2	535.9	622.4
65 and over	2 330.2	989	1 341.6	2 420.2	1 012.9	1 407.3	2 453.9	1 044.4	1 409.5	2 163.3	872.4	1 290.9
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>46 401.7</b>	<b>22 683.3</b>	<b>23 718.4</b>	<b>46 541.9</b>	<b>22 777.4</b>	<b>23 764.5</b>	<b>46 807.6</b>	<b>22 753.1</b>	<b>24 054.5</b>	<b>45 793.2</b>	<b>22 489.3</b>	<b>23 303.9</b>
15 - 19	4 689.6	2 459.6	2 230.0	4 669.5	2 474.5	2 195.0	4 546.2	2 449.8	2 096.4	4 874.3	2 524.2	2 350.1
20 - 24	4 430.1	2 327.6	2 102.5	4 257.4	2 275.6	1 981.9	4 101.3	2 112.2	1 989.2	5 083.8	2 707.6	2 376.2
25 - 29	4 509.0	2 337.3	2 171.7	4 468.1	2 356.4	2 111.7	4 419.7	2 309.8	2 109.8	4 565.2	2 345.4	2 219.8
30 - 34	4 549.9	2 205.0	2 344.9	4 613.8	2 227.8	2 386.1	4 645.7	2 266.1	2 379.6	4 621.9	2 269.3	2 352.6
35 - 39	4 606.2	2 291.5	2 314.7	4 605.2	2 299.3	2 305.9	4 583.7	2 236.4	2 347.3	4 450.0	2 274.3	2 175.7
40 - 44	4 665.4	2 344.6	2 320.8	4 689.3	2 341.6	2 347.7	4 707.8	2 326.7	2 381.1	4 337.3	2 182.7	2 154.6
45 - 49	4 334.9	2 134.5	2 200.4	4 304.0	2 122.2	2 181.9	4 488.9	2 228.0	2 260.8	4 118.6	2 058.9	2 059.6
50 - 54	4 133.6	1 992.1	2 141.5	4 256.2	2 078.7	2 177.5	4 334.2	2 082.9	2 251.3	3 896.8	1 885.2	2 011.6
55 - 59	3 185.6	1 530.4	1 655.2	3 282.3	1 541.7	1 740.6	3 467.4	1 607.1	1 860.3	3 063.2	1 421.3	1 641.9
60 - 64	2 236.2	1 020.4	1 215.8	2 336.3	1 065.2	1 271.0	2 403.3	1 121.0	1 282.3	2 230.3	1 033.8	1 196.5
65 and over	5 061.2	2 040.2	3 021.0	5 059.8	1 994.4	3 065.4	5 109.5	2 013.2	3 096.3	4 551.8	1 786.6	2 765.2

Note: Population aged 15 and over included those who were not current residing in Vietnam at the survey period (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire)

Table 2

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Nhóm tuổi	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNT RY</b>	<b>53714.5</b>	<b>27584.8</b>	<b>26129.8</b>	<b>54 307.2</b>	<b>28 042.5</b>	<b>26 264.7</b>	<b>54 426.5</b>	<b>27 968.9</b>	<b>26 457.5</b>	<b>53 643.9</b>	<b>27 819.3</b>	<b>25 824.6</b>
15 - 19	2488.3	1434.5	1053.7	2 669.9	1 507.1	1 162.8	2 389.8	1 370.4	1 019.4	2 756.7	1 546.6	1 210.1
20 - 24	5070.8	2711.6	2359.3	5 074.1	2 746.0	2 328.1	4 881.6	2 573.1	2 308.5	6 118.2	3 265.0	2 853.2
25 - 29	6276.3	3263.3	3013	6 305.3	3 318.5	2 986.8	6 220.6	3 281.5	2 939.1	6 334.9	3 338.1	2 996.8
30 - 34	6553.7	3277.8	3275.9	6 613.1	3 344.3	3 268.8	6 667.5	3 349.8	3 317.7	6 825.7	3 462.5	3 363.2
35 - 39	6572.7	3291.9	3280.8	6 523.4	3 299.9	3 223.5	6 531.3	3 294.5	3 236.8	6 460.9	3 361.2	3 099.7
40 - 44	6631.3	3431.4	3199.9	6 652.0	3 408.2	3 243.9	6 639.7	3 370.1	3 269.6	6 265.3	3 230.7	3 034.7
45 - 49	6074.5	3127.3	2947.2	6 038.4	3 100.6	2 937.8	6 293.8	3 226.9	3 067.0	5 748.9	2 964.4	2 784.5
50 - 54	5646.7	2814	2832.7	5 754.3	2 925.5	2 828.8	5 812.9	2 942.0	2 871.0	5 280.8	2 702.4	2 578.4
55 - 59	3968.4	2106.1	1862.3	4 101.2	2 134.4	1 966.9	4 349.4	2 244.7	2 104.7	3 671.3	1 872.9	1 798.4
60 - 64	2276.4	1122.5	1153.9	2 384.4	1 204.0	1 180.4	2 480.4	1 249.1	1 231.3	2 208.6	1 098.4	1 110.3
65 and over	2155.5	1004.4	1151.1	2 191.1	1 054.1	1 137.0	2 159.4	1 066.9	1 092.5	1 972.5	977.2	995.4
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>16030.2</b>	<b>8352.8</b>	<b>7677.4</b>	<b>16 296.3</b>	<b>8 560.3</b>	<b>7 736.0</b>	<b>16 357.2</b>	<b>8 638.1</b>	<b>7 719.1</b>	<b>16 941.2</b>	<b>8 764.4</b>	<b>8 176.7</b>
15 - 19	411	224	187	441.1	238.1	203.1	422.3	231.2	191.1	508.2	278.4	229.8
20 - 24	1386.8	706	681	1 480.4	775.9	704.6	1 449.2	753	696.2	1 896.8	893.3	1 003.5
25 - 29	2058.6	1013.4	1045.2	2 098.9	1 043.8	1 055.1	2 058.1	1 062.6	995.5	2 184.9	1 120.1	1 064.8
30 - 34	2214.7	1137.4	1077.3	2 205.3	1 168.4	1 036.9	2 228.0	1 135.0	1 093.0	2 477.8	1 256.1	1 221.7
35 - 39	2128.2	1052.6	1075.6	2 096.0	1 055.2	1 040.7	2 113.9	1 092.1	1 021.8	2 227.0	1 154.4	1 072.6
40 - 44	2137.4	1136.6	1000.9	2 135.1	1 116.0	1 019.1	2 110.5	1 093.1	1 017.4	2 121.1	1 114.4	1 006.7
45 - 49	1928	1045.3	883	1 918.4	1 021.5	896.9	1 993.4	1 048.6	944.8	1 871.1	975	896
50 - 54	1763.5	914	850	1 790.8	947.2	843.6	1 748.6	952.9	795.8	1 693.1	915.1	778
55 - 59	1139.4	691	449	1 209.8	714.6	495.2	1 283.4	753.7	529.7	1 068.2	606.7	461.4
60 - 64	503	252	251	526.4	285.8	240.6	538	299.7	238.3	515.7	264.7	251
65 and over	359	181	178	394.1	193.9	200.2	411.8	216.2	195.6	377.3	186.2	191.1
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>37684.4</b>	<b>19232</b>	<b>18452.4</b>	<b>38 010.9</b>	<b>19 482.2</b>	<b>18 528.7</b>	<b>38 069.3</b>	<b>19 330.9</b>	<b>18 738.4</b>	<b>36 702.7</b>	<b>19 054.8</b>	<b>17 647.9</b>
15 - 19	2077.4	1210.3	867	2 228.8	1 269.0	959.8	1 967.5	1 139.2	828.3	2 248.5	1 268.2	980.3
20 - 24	3684.1	2006	1678	3 593.7	1 970.1	1 623.5	3 432.4	1 820.1	1 612.3	4 221.4	2 371.7	1 849.7
25 - 29	4217.7	2249.9	1967.9	4 206.4	2 274.7	1 931.7	4 162.5	2 218.8	1 943.7	4 150.0	2 218.0	1 932.1
30 - 34	4339	2140.4	2198.6	4 407.8	2 176.0	2 231.9	4 439.5	2 214.8	2 224.7	4 347.9	2 206.4	2 141.5
35 - 39	4444.5	2239.2	2205.2	4 427.4	2 244.7	2 182.7	4 417.3	2 202.4	2 215.0	4 233.9	2 206.8	2 027.1
40 - 44	4493.8	2294.8	2199	4 516.9	2 292.2	2 224.7	4 529.2	2 277.0	2 252.2	4 144.2	2 116.3	2 027.9
45 - 49	4146.5	2082	2064.5	4 120.0	2 079.1	2 040.9	4 300.5	2 178.3	2 122.2	3 877.8	1 989.4	1 888.5
50 - 54	3883.2	1900.2	1983.1	3 963.5	1 978.3	1 985.2	4 064.3	1 989.1	2 075.2	3 587.7	1 787.3	1 800.4
55 - 59	2829	1415.3	1413.7	2 891.4	1 419.8	1 471.7	3 066.0	1 491.0	1 575.1	2 603.2	1 266.2	1 337.0
60 - 64	1773.1	871	903	1 858.0	918.2	939.7	1 942.4	949.4	993	1 692.9	833.7	859.3
65 and over	1796.1	823	973	1 797.0	860.2	936.8	1 747.6	850.7	896.9	1 595.2	791	804.2

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

Table 3

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Social-economic region	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>53 714.5</b>	<b>27 584.8</b>	<b>26 129.8</b>	<b>54 307.2</b>	<b>28 042.5</b>	<b>26 264.7</b>	<b>54 426.5</b>	<b>27 968.9</b>	<b>26 457.5</b>	<b>53 643.9</b>	<b>27 819.3</b>	<b>25 824.6</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	7 420.9	3 697.0	3 723.9	7 557.9	3 781.8	3 776.1	7 477.2	3 732.0	3 745.2	7 250.2	3 654.2	3 596.1
R2 Red River Delta (*)	8 224.2	4 059.5	4 164.7	8 274.9	4 066.6	4 208.3	8 249.9	4 005.3	4 244.5	8 013.9	3 982.0	4 031.9
R3 North and South Central Coast	11 912.8	5 990.2	5 922.6	11 956.9	6 053.7	5 903.2	11 955.3	5 993.7	5 961.7	11 703.1	5 985.0	5 718.1
R4 Central Highland	3 272.1	1 721.8	1 550.3	3 382.6	1 781.5	1 601.1	3 440.2	1 795.8	1 644.4	3 335.5	1 722.1	1 613.4
R5 Southeast (*)	4 483.4	2 345.0	2 138.4	4 702.5	2 460.4	2 242.1	4 707.0	2 436.0	2 271.0	4 819.0	2 582.6	2 236.4
R6 Mekong River Delta	10 400.8	5 623.4	4 777.4	10 310.4	5 636.6	4 673.8	10 394.8	5 616.8	4 777.9	1 338.9	5 674.9	4 664.0
R7 Ha Noi city	3 804.6	1 930.8	1 873.8	3 868.2	1 969.8	1 898.4	3 944.5	2 007.4	1 937.0	3 768.7	1 896.7	1 871.9
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	4 195.7	2 217.0	1 978.6	4 253.8	2 292.0	1 961.8	4 257.6	2 381.7	1 875.9	4 414.7	2 321.8	2 092.9
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>16 030.2</b>	<b>8 352.8</b>	<b>7 677.4</b>	<b>16 296.3</b>	<b>8 560.3</b>	<b>7 736.0</b>	<b>16 357.2</b>	<b>8 638.1</b>	<b>7 719.1</b>	<b>16 941.2</b>	<b>8 764.4</b>	<b>8 176.7</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	1 156.1	574	582	1 167.8	583	584.9	1 169.7	580	589.7	1 134.2	563.3	570.9
R2 Red River Delta (*)	1 945.2	973	973	1 982.3	999.4	982.9	2 023.7	1 032.1	991.6	1 879.8	910.7	969.1
R3 North and South Central Coast	2 926.7	1 488.1	1 438.6	2 897.0	1 488.4	1 408.7	2 892.6	1 481.9	1 410.7	2 945.4	1 497.6	1 447.9
R4 Central Highland	915	485	430	944.7	509	435.8	948	505.9	442	965	511.2	453.8
R5 Southeast (*)	1 734.5	903	832	1 879.4	971.8	907.6	1 876.3	962	914.3	2 193.0	1 214.5	978.5
R6 Mekong River Delta	2 441.4	1 343.1	1 098.3	2 415.4	1 330.5	1 084.9	2 426.1	1 311.1	1 115.0	2 430.3	1 338.1	1 092.2
R7 Ha Noi city	1 476.5	774	702	1 496.7	788	708.6	1 504.2	794.5	709.7	1 866.9	925.5	941.4
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	3 435.1	1 813.2	1 622.0	3 513.0	1 890.2	1 622.8	3 516.7	1 970.5	1 546.1	3 526.6	1 803.6	1 723.0
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>37 684.4</b>	<b>19 232.0</b>	<b>18 452.4</b>	<b>38 010.9</b>	<b>19 482.2</b>	<b>18 528.7</b>	<b>38 069.3</b>	<b>19 330.9</b>	<b>18 738.4</b>	<b>36 702.7</b>	<b>19 054.8</b>	<b>17 647.9</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	6 264.8	3 122.8	3 142.0	6 390.1	3 198.9	3 191.2	6 307.5	3 152.1	3 155.5	6 116.0	3 090.9	3 025.1
R2 Red River Delta (*)	6 279.0	3 086.8	3 192.3	6 292.6	3 067.3	3 225.4	6 226.2	2 973.2	3 253.0	6 134.1	3 071.3	3 062.8
R3 North and South Central Coast	8 986.1	4 502.1	4 484.0	9 059.9	4 565.3	4 494.6	9 062.7	4 511.8	4 550.9	8 757.7	4 487.4	4 270.2
R4 Central Highland	2 357.5	1 237.0	1 120.5	2 437.9	1 272.6	1 165.3	2 492.4	1 289.9	1 202.4	2 370.5	1 210.9	1 159.6
R5 Southeast (*)	2 748.9	1 442.5	1 306.5	2 823.1	1 488.6	1 334.5	2 830.7	1 474.0	1 356.7	2 626.0	1 368.0	1 257.9
R6 Mekong River Delta	7 959.4	4 280.3	3 679.1	7 895.0	4 306.1	3 588.9	7 968.7	4 305.7	3 662.9	7 908.6	4 336.8	3 571.9
R7 Ha Noi city	2 328.2	1 156.7	1 171.5	2 371.5	1 181.7	1 189.8	2 440.2	1 212.9	1 227.3	1 901.8	971.2	930.5
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	761	404	357	740.8	401.8	339	741	411.2	329.7	888	518.2	369.9

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

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)



Table 4

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Professional/Technical qualification	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	53 714.5	27 584.8	26 129.8	54 307.2	28 042.5	26 264.7	54 426.5	27 968.9	26 457.6	53 643.9	27 819.3	25 824.6
1 No qualification	43 760.2	21 830.4	21 929.8	44 188.4	22 157.2	22 031.2	44 249.6	22 116.0	22 133.6	42 028.9	21 119.1	20 909.8
2 Vocational training from 3 months and	2 562.3	2 028.5	533.8	2 673.8	2 120.9	552.9	2 723.4	2 157.7	565.7	3 137.6	2 573.6	563.9
3 Professional secondary school	1 971.0	952.8	1 018.2	2 014.2	950.1	1 064.0	2 005.9	942.1	1 063.9	2 136.7	1 004.5	1 132.2
4 Professional college	1 148.5	459.4	689.1	1 145.5	457.7	687.8	1 179.8	449.8	729.9	1 454.8	582.7	872.1
5 University and above	4 123.4	2 233.8	1 889.6	4 144.3	2 277.5	1 866.8	4 104.3	2 214.4	1 889.9	4 664.6	2 425.6	2 239.0
6 Not stated	149.2	79.9	69.2	141	79	62	163.5	88.9	74.7	221.4	113.8	107.6
<b>URBAN</b>	16 030.2	8 352.8	7 677.4	16 296.3	8 560.3	7 736.0	16 357.2	8 638.1	7 719.1	16 941.2	8 764.4	8 176.7
1 No qualification	10 427.9	5 173.0	5 254.9	10 684.2	5 385.1	5 299.1	10 708.7	5 419.0	5 289.7	10 597.7	5 223.5	5 374.2
2 Vocational training from 3 months and	1 221.6	951.5	270.1	1 239.1	952.3	286.8	1 350.2	1 030.8	319.4	1 438.9	1 159.5	279.5
3 Professional secondary school	900.8	414.9	485.9	933.9	412.5	521.4	901.9	394.4	507.5	972	413.8	558.2
4 Professional college	518.8	201.1	317.7	521.8	215.2	306.7	535.6	223.7	312	653.5	262.9	390.6
5 University and above	2 923.7	1 591.5	1 332.2	2 879.5	1 576.0	1 303.5	2 812.5	1 545.0	1 267.5	3 251.1	1 693.1	1 558.0
6 Not stated	37.3	20.7	16.6	37.8	19.3	18.5	48.3	25.2	23	28	11.8	16.2
<b>RURAL</b>	37 684.4	19 232.0	18 452.4	38 010.9	19 482.2	18 528.7	38 069.3	19 330.9	18 738.4	36 702.7	19 054.8	17 647.9
1 No qualification	33 332.2	16 657.4	16 674.9	33 504.2	16 772.1	16 732.1	33 540.9	16 697.0	16 843.9	31 431.1	15 895.6	15 535.6
2 Vocational training from 3 months and	1 340.7	1 077.0	263.7	1 434.7	1 168.6	266.1	1 373.2	1 126.9	246.3	1 698.6	1 414.2	284.5
3 Professional secondary school	1 070.2	537.9	532.4	1 080.3	537.7	542.6	1 104.0	547.7	556.3	1 164.8	590.7	574.1
4 Professional college	629.7	258.3	371.4	623.7	242.6	381.1	644.1	226.2	417.9	801.3	319.8	481.5
5 University and above	1 199.7	642.3	557.4	1 264.8	701.5	563.3	1 291.8	669.5	622.3	1 413.5	732.6	680.9
6 Not stated	111.9	59.2	52.6	103.2	59.8	43.4	115.3	63.6	51.6	193.4	102	91.4

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)

Table 5

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Social-economic region	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>52 838.4</b>	<b>27 104.6</b>	<b>25 733.8</b>	<b>53 258.4</b>	<b>27 464.0</b>	<b>25 794.4</b>	<b>53 440.2</b>	<b>27 461.8</b>	<b>25 978.4</b>	<b>52 427.0</b>	<b>27 174.2</b>	<b>25 252.9</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	7376.4	3670	3706.4	7500.7	3748	3752.7	7428.4	3702.8	3725.6	7172.1	3611.1	3561
R2 Red River Delta	11782	5822.7	5959.2	11824.6	5840.7	5983.9	11892.7	5839	6053.7	11502.5	5713	5789.5
R3 North and South Central Coast	11722.3	5905.9	5816.4	11713.5	5921.8	5791.7	11734.9	5888	5847	11398.5	5819.4	5579.1
R4 Central Highland	3,244.0	1710.5	1533.5	3342.9	1761.8	1581.2	3400.8	1778.7	1622.2	3297.4	1706.4	1590.9
R5 Southeast	8481.6	4438.6	4043	8755.9	4629.4	4126.6	8785.3	4716.4	4068.8	8973.2	4773.2	4199.9
R6 Mekong River Delta	10232.2	5556.9	4675.3	10120.7	5562.5	4558.3	10198	5536.8	4661.2	1083.4	5551	4532.4
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>15 548.9</b>	<b>8 061.7</b>	<b>7 487.2</b>	<b>15 805.9</b>	<b>8 261.0</b>	<b>7 544.9</b>	<b>15 877.6</b>	<b>8 365.1</b>	<b>7 512.5</b>	<b>16 387.9</b>	<b>8 470.7</b>	<b>7 917.2</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	1,134.6	561.1	573.5	1,141.0	567.4	573.6	1,144.5	564.9	579.7	1,102.3	546.3	556.0
R2 Red River Delta	3,281.1	1,654.8	1,626.3	3,327.6	1,685.5	1,642.1	3,384.2	1,733.0	1,651.1	3,636.0	1,774.6	1,861.4
R3 North and South Central Coast	2,839.9	1,446.4	1,393.6	2,798.4	1,438.0	1,360.4	2,802.5	1,440.2	1,362.4	2,819.3	1,424.5	1,394.7
R4 Central Highland	899.4	476.4	423.0	932.1	502.5	429.6	932.2	499.8	432.4	945.6	501.5	444.1
R5 Southeast	5,016.0	2,611.7	2,404.2	5,250.6	2,767.7	2,482.9	5,250.4	2,846.5	2,403.9	5,534.1	2,925.5	2,608.6
R6 Mekong River Delta	2,378.0	1,311.4	1,066.6	2,356.1	1,299.9	1,056.2	2,363.8	1,280.9	1,082.9	2,350.6	1,298.2	1,052.3
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>37 289.5</b>	<b>19 042.9</b>	<b>18 246.6</b>	<b>37 452.5</b>	<b>19 203.0</b>	<b>18 249.5</b>	<b>37 562.5</b>	<b>19 096.7</b>	<b>18 465.9</b>	<b>36 039.2</b>	<b>18 703.5</b>	<b>17 335.7</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	6241.9	3108.9	3133	6359.7	3180.5	3179.1	6283.9	3138	3145.9	6069.9	3064.9	3005
R2 Red River Delta	8500.8	4167.9	4332.9	8497	4155.3	4341.8	8508.6	4106	4402.5	7866.5	3938.5	3928.1
R3 North and South Central Coast	8882.4	4459.6	4422.8	8915	4483.7	4431.3	8932.4	4447.8	4484.6	8579.2	4394.9	4184.3
R4 Central Highland	2344.6	1234.1	1110.5	2410.8	1259.2	1151.6	2468.6	1278.9	1189.8	2351.7	1204.9	1146.8
R5 Southeast	3465.6	1826.8	1638.8	3505.3	1861.7	1643.7	3534.9	1870	1664.9	3439	1847.7	1591.4
R6 Mekong River Delta	7854.2	4245.5	3608.7	7764.6	4262.6	3502.1	7834.2	4255.9	3578.2	7732.8	4252.7	3480.1

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)

Table 6

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Trình độ CMKT	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>52 838.4</b>	<b>27 104.6</b>	<b>25 733.8</b>	<b>53 258.4</b>	<b>27 464.0</b>	<b>25 794.4</b>	<b>53 440.2</b>	<b>27 461.8</b>	<b>25 978.4</b>	<b>52 427.0</b>	<b>27 174.2</b>	<b>25 252.9</b>
1 No qualification	43 241.4	21 548.3	21 693.1	43 573.0	21 813.0	21 760.0	43 641.4	21 787.6	21 853.8	41 257.3	20 684.6	20 572.7
2 Vocational training from 3 months	2 492.3	1 970.6	522	2 594.0	2 051.8	542.2	2 662.4	2 106.8	555.6	3 054.3	2 509.4	0 544.9
3 Professional secondary school	1 897.8	922	976	1 925.7	915.7	1 010.0	1 932.5	915	1 017.5	2 059.7	976.8	1 082.8
4 Professional college	1 086.5	428	659	1 055.4	423.9	631.5	1 105.0	427.2	677.8	1 353.8	549.7	804.1
5 University and above	3 975.6	2 158.7	1 816.9	3 969.8	2 180.7	1 789.1	3 938.7	2 139.1	1 799.6	4 483.2	2 342.2	2 141.0
6 Not stated	145	78	67	140.5	79	61.5	160.1	86.1	74	218.8	111.4	107.4
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>15 548.9</b>	<b>8 061.7</b>	<b>7 487.2</b>	<b>15 805.9</b>	<b>8 261.0</b>	<b>7 544.9</b>	<b>15 877.6</b>	<b>8 365.1</b>	<b>7 512.5</b>	<b>16 387.9</b>	<b>8 470.7</b>	<b>7 917.2</b>
1 No qualification	10 168.0	5 018.1	5 149.8	10 417.0	5 216.1	5 200.9	10 434.0	5 252.0	5 182.0	10 289.1	5 045.1	5 244.1
2 Vocational training from 3 months	1 175.7	913	262	1 195.2	915.6	279.6	1 314.5	1 001.7	312.8	1 398.9	1 130.6	0 268.2
3 Professional secondary school	857	393	464	895.6	395	500.7	866.8	377.9	488.9	930.3	396.8	533.5
4 Professional college	4,869	1,844	3,025	488.4	200.1	288.3	505.6	212.1	293.5	602.9	248	354.9
5 University and above	2 827.1	1 535.0	1 292.1	2 772.2	1 515.1	1 257.1	2 711.0	1 498.3	1 212.7	3 139.5	1 639.1	1 500.5
6 Not stated	35	19	16	37.5	19.2	18.3	45.8	23.1	22.6	27.1	11.1	16
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>37 289.5</b>	<b>19 042.9</b>	<b>18 246.6</b>	<b>37 452.5</b>	<b>19 203.0</b>	<b>18 249.5</b>	<b>37 562.5</b>	<b>19 096.7</b>	<b>18 465.9</b>	<b>36 039.2</b>	<b>18 703.5</b>	<b>17 335.7</b>
1 No qualification	33 073.4	16 530.1	16 543.3	33 156.1	16 596.9	16 559.2	33 207.4	16 535.6	16 671.8	30 968.2	15 639.6	15 328.6
2 Vocational training from 3 months	1 316.6	1 057.3	259	1 398.8	1 136.2	262.6	1 347.9	1 105.0	242.8	1 655.4	1 378.8	0 276.6
3 Professional secondary school	1 041.1	529	512	1 030.0	520.7	509.3	1 065.8	537.1	528.6	1 129.4	580	549.4
4 Professional college	600	243	356	567	223.8	343.2	599.5	215.1	384.3	750.9	301.6	449.2
5 University and above	1 148.5	624	525	1 197.6	665.6	532	1 227.7	640.8	586.9	1 343.7	703.2	640.5
6 Not stated	110	59	51	103	59.8	43.2	114.3	63	51.4	191.7	100.3	91.4

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)

Table 7

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Economic sector	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>52 838.4</b>	<b>27 104.6</b>	<b>25 733.8</b>	<b>53 258.4</b>	<b>27 464</b>	<b>25 794.4</b>	<b>53 440.2</b>	<b>27 461.8</b>	<b>25 978.4</b>	<b>52 427.0</b>	<b>27 174.2</b>	<b>25 252.9</b>
1 State	5 389.9	2 920.6	2 469.3	5 349.4	2 938.5	2 410.9	5 531.9	2 967.0	2 564.9	5 334.1	2 789.9	2 544.2
2 Non-state	45 348.7	23 426.0	21 922.7	45 609.4	23 727.7	21 881.7	45 573.5	23 685.4	21 888.1	44 736.4	23 604.5	21 131.9
3 Foreign investment economic	1 903.9	669	1 235.0	2 094.9	702.4	1 392.5	2 143.3	716.2	1 427.1	2 345.8	774.8	1 571.0
4 Not stated	196	89	107	204.6	95.4	109.3	191.5	93.2	98.3	10.7	5	5.8
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>15 548.9</b>	<b>8 061.7</b>	<b>7 487.2</b>	<b>15 805.9</b>	<b>8 261.0</b>	<b>7 544.9</b>	<b>15 877.6</b>	<b>8 365.1</b>	<b>7 512.5</b>	<b>16 387.9</b>	<b>8 470.7</b>	<b>7 917.2</b>
1 State	3 096.8	1 689.6	1 407.2	3 083.7	1 704.5	1 379.2	3 119.6	1 699.3	1 420.3	3 052.5	1 599.8	1 452.6
2 Non-state	11 462.2	5 983.1	5 479.2	11 686.2	6 148.9	5 537.3	11 723.9	6 241.8	5 482.1	12 356.2	6 523.4	5 832.7
3 Foreign investment economic	938	365	573	996.3	387.9	608.3	982.6	396.1	586.5	976.8	346.8	629.9
4 Not stated	52	24	28	39.8	19.8	20	51.5	27.9	23.6	2.5	0.6	1.9
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>37 289.5</b>	<b>19 042.9</b>	<b>18 246.6</b>	<b>37 452.5</b>	<b>19 203.0</b>	<b>18 249.5</b>	<b>37 562.5</b>	<b>19 096.7</b>	<b>18 465.9</b>	<b>36 039.2</b>	<b>18 703.5</b>	<b>17 335.7</b>
1 State	2 293.2	1 231.0	1 062.2	2 265.7	1 234.0	1 031.7	2 412.3	1 267.7	1 144.6	2 281.6	1 190.1	1 091.6
2 Non-state	33 886.5	17 442.9	16 443.6	33 923.3	17 578.9	16 344.4	33 849.6	17 443.6	16 406.0	32 380.3	17 081.1	15 299.1
3 Foreign investment economic	966	304	663	1 098.6	314.5	784.2	1 160.7	320.1	840.6	1 369.1	428	941.1
4 Not stated	144	65	78	164.9	75.6	89.3	140	65.3	74.7	8.2	4.3	3.9

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)

Table 8

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Employment status	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>52 838.4</b>	<b>27 104.6</b>	<b>25 733.8</b>	<b>53 258.4</b>	<b>27 464.0</b>	<b>25 794.4</b>	<b>53 440.2</b>	<b>27 461.8</b>	<b>25 978.4</b>	<b>52 427.0</b>	<b>27 174.2</b>	<b>25 252.9</b>
1 Employer	1 117.8	809.6	308.2	1 037.9	742.1	295.8	1 073.2	771.4	301.8	1 564.4	1 073.0	491.4
2 Own-account worker	21 783.5	10 944.1	10 839.4	21 981.1	11 091.5	10 889.5	21 599.2	10 846.9	10 752.3	22 084.3	11 533.7	10 550.6
3 Unpaid family worker	11 325.4	4 457.3	6 868.2	11 501.1	4 606.7	6 894.4	11 282.7	4 431.7	6 851.0	8 944.6	3 140.8	5 803.8
4 Wage worker	18 585.9	10 882.2	7 703.7	18 713.4	11 009.9	7 703.5	19 462.5	11 397.9	8 064.6	19 814.1	11 410.6	8 403.4
5 Member of cooperative	6.6	1.6	5	8.9	5.8	3.1	10.2	6.7	3.5	15.5	14.1	1.4
6 Not stated	19.2	9.8	9.4	16	8	8.1	12.3	7.1	5.2	4.3	2	2.3
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>15 548.9</b>	<b>8 061.7</b>	<b>7 487.2</b>	<b>15 805.9</b>	<b>8 261.0</b>	<b>7 544.9</b>	<b>15 877.6</b>	<b>8 365.1</b>	<b>7 512.5</b>	<b>16 387.9</b>	<b>8 470.7</b>	<b>7 917.2</b>
1 Employer	642.4	431.3	211.2	580.6	375.6	205	584	375	209	840.6	534.5	306.1
2 Own-account worker	5 041.3	2 318.5	2 722.8	5 142.8	2 406.8	2 736.0	5 043.5	2 383.2	2 660.2	4 842.9	2 310.1	2 532.8
3 Unpaid family worker	1 626.2	712.3	913.8	1 690.3	759.6	930.7	1 652.9	751.9	901	1 561.5	634.7	926.8
4 Wage worker	8 231.3	4 595.8	3 635.6	8 388.3	4 716.7	3 671.6	8 592.7	4 852.1	3 740.5	9 133.1	4 983.1	4 150.0
5 Member of cooperative	2	0.6	1.4	2.4	1.9	0.5	2.5	2.3	0.2	8.8	8	0.8
6 Not stated	5.7	3.2	2.5	1.6	0.5	1	2	0.5	1.5	0.9	0.2	0.7
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>37 289.5</b>	<b>19 042.9</b>	<b>18 246.6</b>	<b>37 452.5</b>	<b>19 203.0</b>	<b>18 249.5</b>	<b>37 562.5</b>	<b>19 096.7</b>	<b>18 465.9</b>	<b>36 039.2</b>	<b>18 703.5</b>	<b>17 335.7</b>
1 Employer	475.4	378.4	97	457.3	366.6	90.7	489.1	396.4	92.7	723.8	538.4	185.3
2 Own-account worker	16 742.1	8 625.6	8 116.5	16 838.3	8 684.8	8 153.5	16 555.8	8 463.7	8 092.1	17 241.4	9 223.6	8 017.8
3 Unpaid family worker	9 699.3	3 744.9	5 954.4	9 810.8	3 847.1	5 963.7	9 629.8	3 679.7	5 950.0	7 383.1	2 506.0	4 877.0
4 Wage worker	10 354.6	6 286.5	4 068.2	10 325.1	6 293.2	4 031.9	10 869.8	6 545.8	4 324.0	10 681.0	6 427.5	4 253.4
5 Member of cooperative	4.6	1	3.6	6.5	3.9	2.6	7.7	4.4	3.3	6.6	6.1	0.5
6 Not stated	13.5	6.6	6.9	14.5	7.5	7	10.3	6.6	3.7	3.4	1.8	1.6

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)

Table 9

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Occupational group	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>52 838.4</b>	<b>27 104.6</b>	<b>25 733.8</b>	<b>53 258.4</b>	<b>27 464.0</b>	<b>25 794.4</b>	<b>53 440.2</b>	<b>27 461.8</b>	<b>25 978.4</b>	<b>52 427.0</b>	<b>27 174.2</b>	<b>25 252.9</b>
1. Leaders, managers and administrators	572.1	436.3	135.8	527.7	409.2	118.5	600.6	466.1	134.5	681	505	176
2. High level technicians and professionals	3 193.8	1 520.8	1 673.0	3 161.9	1 493.1	1 668.8	3 175.6	1 511.8	1 663.8	3 468.9	1 628.3	1 840.7
3. Mid level technicians and associate professionals	1 592.2	761.9	830.2	1 554.9	753.4	801.4	1 703.0	776.9	926.1	1 756.7	792	964.6
4. Clerks	877.4	468.5	408.9	925.8	491.8	434	901	500.3	400.7	967	489.2	477.8
5. Service workers and sales workers	8 423.6	3 105.4	5 318.1	8 468.4	3 169.6	5 298.8	8 723.8	3 291.9	5 431.9	8 755.4	3 386.9	5 368.5
6. Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers	6 566.3	3 756.6	2 809.6	6 601.0	3 857.5	2 743.6	6 498.7	3 742.1	2 756.6	5 076.2	3 030.9	2 045.3
7. Craft and related workers	6 301.5	4 360.2	1 941.3	6 535.8	4 511.7	2 024.1	6 673.7	4 633.6	2 040.1	6 820.2	4 755.6	2 064.6
8. Plant, machine operators and assemblers	3 736.3	2 340.3	1 396.0	3 999.1	2 466.6	1 532.5	4 122.6	2 509.2	1 613.5	4 641.2	2 694.1	1 947.0
9. Elementary workers	21 439.5	10 241.7	11 197.8	21 341.0	10 191.2	11 149.8	20 923.2	9 927.7	10 995.5	20 183.0	9 820.6	10 362.4
10 Not stated (including army force and )	135.9	113	22.9	142.7	120.1	22.7	118	102.3	15.7	77.5	71.6	5.8
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>15 548.9</b>	<b>8 061.7</b>	<b>7 487.2</b>	<b>15 805.9</b>	<b>8 261.0</b>	<b>7 544.9</b>	<b>15 877.6</b>	<b>8 365.1</b>	<b>7 512.5</b>	<b>16 387.9</b>	<b>8 470.7</b>	<b>7 917.2</b>
1. Leaders, managers and administrators	348.7	257.4	91.4	321.5	247.1	74.4	335.3	257.2	78.1	406.4	296.8	109.6
2. High level technicians and professionals	2 231.3	1 095.2	1 136.0	2 192.0	1 077.5	1 114.6	2 182.8	1 091.2	1 091.6	2 395.6	1 138.2	1 257.4
3. Mid level technicians and associate professionals	792.9	394.3	398.6	789.5	373.4	416.1	860.6	400.6	460	920.9	418.1	502.8
4. Clerks	531.2	261.5	269.6	525.3	249.4	275.9	504.9	252.2	252.7	562.9	262.1	300.8
5. Service workers and sales workers	4 306.8	1 593.7	2 713.1	4 389.3	1 663.2	2 726.1	4 378.6	1 670.1	2 708.5	4 588.2	1 769.5	2 818.7
6. Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers	766.8	479.1	287.7	797.9	493.5	304.3	774.5	498.6	275.9	647.2	437.2	210
7. Craft and related workers	2 096.4	1 431.7	664.7	2 163.7	1 492.4	671.3	2 190.2	1 527.3	662.9	2 266.6	1 576.5	690.1
8. Plant, machine operators and assemblers	1 739.1	1 131.5	607.6	1 844.0	1 216.1	628	1 890.5	1 253.2	637.3	2 030.6	1 269.3	761.3
9. Elementary workers	2 650.8	1 345.4	1 305.4	2 700.3	1 377.5	1 322.8	2 680.1	1 345.4	1 334.7	2 513.3	1 252.7	1 260.6
10 Not stated (including army force)	85	71.9	13.1	82.4	70.9	11.5	80	69.3	10.7	56.1	50.3	5.8
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>37 289.5</b>	<b>19 042.9</b>	<b>18 246.6</b>	<b>37 452.5</b>	<b>19 203.0</b>	<b>18 249.5</b>	<b>37 562.5</b>	<b>19 096.7</b>	<b>18 465.9</b>	<b>36 039.2</b>	<b>18 703.5</b>	<b>17 335.7</b>
1. Leaders, managers and administrators	223.4	178.9	44.4	206.2	162	44.1	265.3	208.9	56.4	274.6	208.2	66.4
2. High level technicians and professionals	962.5	425.6	537	969.9	415.6	554.3	992.8	420.6	572.2	1 073.3	490	583.3
3. Mid level technicians and associate professionals	799.3	367.6	431.7	765.4	380	385.4	842.3	376.3	466	835.8	374	461.8
4. Clerks	346.2	206.9	139.3	400.5	242.4	158.1	396.1	248.1	148	404.1	227.1	177
5. Service workers and sales workers	4 116.8	1 511.7	2 605.1	4 079.0	1 506.4	2 572.7	4 345.1	1 621.7	2 723.4	4 167.2	1 617.4	2 549.8
6. Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers	5 799.4	3 277.5	2 521.9	5 803.2	3 363.9	2 439.3	5 724.2	3 243.6	2 480.7	4 429.0	2 593.7	1 835.4
7. Craft and related workers	4 205.1	2 928.5	1 276.7	4 372.2	3 019.3	1 352.9	4 483.5	3 106.3	1 377.2	4 553.6	3 179.1	1 374.5
8. Plant, machine operators and assemblers	1 997.2	1 208.8	788.4	2 155.0	1 250.5	904.6	2 232.1	1 256.0	976.1	2 610.6	1 424.8	1 185.7
9. Elementary workers	18 788.7	8 896.3	9 892.4	18 640.7	8 813.6	9 827.0	18 243.1	8 582.3	9 660.8	17 669.7	8 567.9	9 101.8
10 Not stated (including army force)	50.9	41.1	9.8	60.5	49.2	11.3	38	33	5	21.4	21.4	0.0

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Table 10

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Industry	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>52 838.4</b>	<b>27 104.6</b>	<b>25 733.8</b>	<b>53 258.4</b>	<b>27 464.0</b>	<b>25 794.4</b>	<b>53 440.2</b>	<b>27 461.8</b>	<b>25 978.4</b>	<b>52 427.0</b>	<b>27 174.2</b>	<b>25 252.9</b>
<b>1. Agriculture, forestry and fishery sector</b>	<b>24 856.5</b>	<b>12 245.6</b>	<b>12 610.9</b>	<b>24 792.0</b>	<b>12 297.5</b>	<b>12 494.5</b>	<b>24 182.5</b>	<b>11 843.3</b>	<b>12 339.2</b>	<b>23 589.3</b>	<b>11 818.8</b>	<b>11 770.5</b>
A. Argriculture, forestry and fishery	24 856.5	12 245.6	12 610.9	24 792.0	12 297.5	12 494.5	24 182.5	11 843.3	12 339.2	23 589.3	11 818.8	11 770.5
<b>2. Industry and construction sector</b>	<b>11 144.0</b>	<b>6 784.9</b>	<b>4 359.1</b>	<b>11 574.6</b>	<b>6 960.1</b>	<b>4 614.5</b>	<b>11 942.7</b>	<b>7 211.6</b>	<b>4 731.1</b>	<b>11 270.5</b>	<b>6 660.2</b>	<b>4 610.2</b>
B. Mining and quarrying	275	202	73	233.8	176.2	57.6	248.6	201	47.5	200.9	163.7	37.2
C. Manufacturing	7 433.2	3 501.3	3 931.9	7 881.5	3 695.1	4 186.4	7 949.4	3 687.1	4 262.3	7 863.0	3 624.0	4 239.1
D. Production and distribution of electricity, gas, steam and hot water and air-conditioners	163	136	27	157.8	134.1	23.7	141.1	116.7	24.3	127.0	104.7	22.2
E. Distribution of water, management and processing activities of sewage and waste	103	54	49	127	72.5	54.5	100	53.9	46.1	119.0	68.2	50.8
F. Construction	3 170.0	2 891.8	278	3 174.5	2 882.2	292.3	3 503.6	3 152.8	350.8	2 960.6	2 699.5	261.1
<b>3. Services sector</b>	<b>16 805.3</b>	<b>8 054.0</b>	<b>8 751.3</b>	<b>16 849.0</b>	<b>8 178.0</b>	<b>8 670.9</b>	<b>17 308.1</b>	<b>8 402.4</b>	<b>8 905.7</b>	<b>17 560.9</b>	<b>8 538.7</b>	<b>9 022.2</b>
G. Wholesale and retail trade, repair of cars, motorcycles and other motor vehicles	6 511.0	2 704.6	3 806.4	6 471.2	2 724.5	3 746.7	6 762.2	2 918.1	3 844.1	6 671.4	2 907.2	3 764.2
H. Transport and storage	1 528.7	1 383.0	146	1 594.3	1 441.9	152.4	1 565.6	1 415.8	149.8	1 612.2	1 465.4	146.9
I. Hotels and restaurants	2 266.2	677	1 589.1	2 330.3	716.7	1 613.5	2 325.4	700.7	1 624.7	2 430.4	810.1	1 620.3
J. Information and communication	319	210	109	322.4	208.8	113.5	321.2	205.2	116.1	352.2	221.4	130.8
K. Financial intermediation, banking and insurance	316	148	168	313.4	142.4	170.9	364.8	182.1	182.7	346.8	164.6	182.2
L. Real estate activities	136	67	69	162.6	86.7	75.9	167.8	95.8	72	180.1	105.5	74.5
M. Technological, scientific and spicilized activities	224	144	80	224.8	144.8	80	218.3	148.9	69.4	228.2	145.6	82.6
N. Administrative activities and supporting services	270	166	104	252.3	158	94.3	263.1	177.7	85.4	268.0	167.4	100.6
O. Activities of communist party, social-political organizations, governmental management, national defence security; compulsory social	1 651.0	1 201.8	449	1 665.9	1 227.5	438.4	1 749.0	1 289.9	459.1	1 694.3	1 211.8	482.5
P. Training and education	1 842.7	578	1 264.9	1 819.1	547	1 272.1	1 877.8	510.6	1 367.2	1 863.4	511.6	1 351.9
Q. Health and social work	513	200	313	469.4	191.1	278.3	465.6	172	293.6	550.2	203.7	346.5
R. Recreational cultural and sporting activities	263	127	136	277.3	146.8	130.6	253.1	139.6	113.5	299.9	147.8	152.0
S. Other service activities	774	436	338	763.5	428	335.5	780.3	433.5	346.8	854.3	466.3	388.0
T. Activities of domestic hired labourers in households which producing products and services consuming by themselves	189	11	178	180	13.8	166.1	192.5	12.4	180.1	205.9	9.4	196.5
U. Extra territorial organizations and bodies	3	00	2	2.5	0	2.5	1.4	0	1.4	3.8	1.0	2.8
<b>4. Not stated</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>42.9</b>	<b>28.5</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>2.1</b>
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>15 548.9</b>	<b>8 061.7</b>	<b>7 487.2</b>	<b>15 805.9</b>	<b>8 261.0</b>	<b>7 544.9</b>	<b>15 877.6</b>	<b>8 365.1</b>	<b>7 512.5</b>	<b>16 387.9</b>	<b>8 470.7</b>	<b>7917.2</b>
<b>1. Agriculture, forestry and fishery sector</b>	<b>2 256.4</b>	<b>1 228.1</b>	<b>1 028.3</b>	<b>2 309.9</b>	<b>1 272.9</b>	<b>1 037.1</b>	<b>2 268.1</b>	<b>1 243.6</b>	<b>1 024.6</b>	<b>2 050.2</b>	<b>1 141.1</b>	<b>909.2</b>
A. Argriculture, forestry and fishery	2 256.4	1 228.1	1 028.3	2 309.9	1 272.9	1 037.1	2 268.1	1 243.6	1 024.6	2 050.2	1 141.1	909.2
<b>2. Industry and construction sector</b>	<b>4 146.0</b>	<b>2 445.2</b>	<b>1 700.8</b>	<b>4 265.9</b>	<b>2 498.0</b>	<b>1 767.9</b>	<b>4 347.3</b>	<b>2 572.8</b>	<b>1 774.4</b>	<b>4 147.4</b>	<b>2 380.7</b>	<b>1 766.6</b>
B. Mining and quarrying	133	86	46	128.9	92.5	36.5	127.9	93.6	34.2	94.6	68.4	26.2
C. Manufacturing	2 973.4	1 459.1	1 514.2	3 052.6	1 479.1	1 573.5	3 081.6	1 505.9	1 575.8	3 041.9	1 452.7	1 589.3
D. Production and distribution of electricity, gas, steam and hot water and air-conditioners	97	80	17	92.9	78.3	14.5	88.2	70.6	17.5	84.6	66.8	17.7
E. Distribution of water, management and processing activities of sewage and waste	65	34	31	74	40.4	33.6	64.7	36.7	27.9	79.3	45.5	33.9
F. Construction	879	786	93	917.5	807.7	109.8	984.9	866	119	847	747.4	99.6
<b>3. Services sector</b>	<b>9 133.7</b>	<b>4 379.0</b>	<b>4 754.7</b>	<b>9 220.6</b>	<b>4 486.2</b>	<b>4 734.4</b>	<b>9 259.5</b>	<b>4 547.0</b>	<b>4 712.5</b>	<b>10 187.9</b>	<b>4 947.8</b>	<b>5 240.1</b>
G. Wholesale and retail trade, repair of cars, motorcycles and other motor vehicles	3 150.0	1 326.3	1 823.8	3 169.0	1 371.2	1 797.8	3 232.0	1 421.5	1 810.5	3 519.8	1 559.3	1 957.7
H. Transport and storage	851	750	101	859.3	772.3	87.1	861.3	772.9	88.5	940.4	838.2	109.1
I. Hotels and restaurants	1 398.5	438	961	1 433.8	450.1	983.7	1 347.6	427.5	920.1	1 569.2	533.8	1 031.2
J. Information and communication	243	159	84	245.6	159.1	86.5	242.3	154.2	88	276	170.5	106.2
K. Financial intermediation, banking and insurance	250	113	137	254.2	114.5	139.7	290.9	136.8	154.2	292.3	133.5	158.6
L. Real estate activities	110	53	57	130.6	64.7	65.8	132.6	75.4	57.2	148.1	87.1	61.2
M. Technological, scientific and spicilized activities	175	107	68	174.1	105.2	68.9	168.5	113.8	54.7	186.3	113.3	73.5
N. Administrative activities and supporting services	176	105	71	172.5	103.5	69.1	190.8	126.2	64.6	187.5	112.5	75.4
O. Activities of communist party, social-political organizations, governmental management, national defence security; compulsory social	924	643	281	920.4	640.5	279.9	916.5	635.8	280.8	1 011.5	685.5	329.4
P. Training and education	915	284	630	911.9	285.4	626.4	919.5	271.7	647.8	964.3	261.2	699.3
Q. Health and social work	305	125	180	295.8	120.7	175.1	289.9	110.4	179.6	352.4	126.6	225
R. Recreational cultural and sporting activities	148	71	76	163.1	83.6	79.4	158.5	89.2	69.3	181.6	94	87.7
S. Other service activities	390	202	188	398.3	211.7	186.5	405.2	209.8	195.5	442.7	225.7	217.3
T. Activities of domestic hired labourers in households which producing products and services consuming by themselves	97	3	94	90.2	3.7	86.5	102.3	1.9	100.4	113.5	5.5	107.1
U. Extra territorial organizations and bodies	3	00	2	1.8	0	1.8	1.4	0	1.4	2.2	0.9	1.3
<b>4. Not stated</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.4</b>
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>37 289.5</b>	<b>19 042.9</b>	<b>18 246.6</b>	<b>37 452.5</b>	<b>19 203.0</b>	<b>18 249.5</b>	<b>37 562.5</b>	<b>19 096.7</b>	<b>18 465.9</b>	<b>36 039.1</b>	<b>18 703.5</b>	<b>17 335.7</b>
<b>1. Agriculture, forestry and fishery sector</b>	<b>22 600.1</b>	<b>11 017.5</b>	<b>11 582.6</b>	<b>22 482.0</b>	<b>11 024.6</b>	<b>11 457.4</b>	<b>21 914.4</b>	<b>10 599.8</b>	<b>11 314.6</b>	<b>21 539.1</b>	<b>10 677.8</b>	<b>10 861.3</b>
A. Argriculture, forestry and fishery	22 600.1	11 017.5	11 582.6	22 482.0	11 024.6	11 457.4	21 914.4	10 599.8	11 314.6	21 539.1	10 677.8	10 861.3
<b>2. Industry and construction sector</b>	<b>6 998.0</b>	<b>4 339.7</b>	<b>2 658.3</b>	<b>7 308.7</b>	<b>4 462.1</b>	<b>2 846.6</b>	<b>7 595.4</b>	<b>4 638.7</b>	<b>2 956.7</b>	<b>7 123.1</b>	<b>4 279.5</b>	<b>2 843.6</b>
B. Mining and quarrying	142	115	27	104.9	83.7	21.1	120.7	107.4	13.3	106.3	95.3	11
C. Manufacturing	4 459.8	2 042.2	2 417.7	4 828.9	2 216.0	2 612.9	4 867.7	2 181.2	2 686.5	4 821.1	2 171.4	2 649.9
D. Production and distribution of electricity, gas, steam and hot water and air-conditioners	66	56	10	64.9	55.7	9.2	52.9	46.1	6.8	42.4	37.9	4.4
E. Distribution of water, management and processing activities of sewage and waste	39	20	18	53	32.1	20.9	35.4	17.2	18.2	39.7	22.8	16.9
F. Construction	2 291.1	2 106.0	185	2 257.0	2 074.5	182.5	2 518.7	2 286.8	231.8	2 113.6	1 952.1	161.5
<b>3. Services sector</b>	<b>7 671.6</b>	<b>3 675.0</b>	<b>3 996.6</b>	<b>7 628.4</b>	<b>3 691.8</b>	<b>3 936.5</b>	<b>8 048.7</b>	<b>3 855.4</b>	<b>4 193.3</b>	<b>7 373.0</b>	<b>3 590.9</b>	<b>3 782.1</b>
G. Wholesale and retail trade, repair of cars, motorcycles and other motor vehicles	3 360.9	1 378.3	1 982.6	3 302.2	1 353.4	1 948.9	3 330.2	1 496.7	2 033.5	3 151.6	1 347.9	1 806.5
H. Transport and storage	678	633	45	735	669.6	65.4	704.3	643	61.3	671.8	627.2	37.8
I. Hotels and restaurants	868	239	629	896.5	266.7	629.8	977.8	273.2	704.6	861.2	276.2	589.1
J. Information and communication	77	52	25	76.8	49.8	27	79	50.9	28	76.1	50.9	24.5
K. Financial intermediation, banking and insurance	66	35	31	59.1	27.9	31.2	73.9	45.4	28.5	54.5	31.1	23.5
L. Real estate activities	26	15	12	32	21.9	10.1	35.2	20.4	14.8	32	18.4	13.3
M. Technological, scientific and spicilized activities	49	36	12	50.7	39.6	11.1	49.8	35	14.7	41.9	32.3	9.1
N. Administrative activities and supporting services	94	61	33	79.8	54.5	25.3	72.3	51.5	20.8	80.4	54.9	25.2
O. Activities of communist party, social-political organizations, governmental management, national defence security; compulsory social	727	559	168	745.5	587	158.5	832.4	654.1	178.3	682.8	526.3	153.1
P. Training and education	928	294	635	907.2	261.5	645.7	958.3	238.9	719.4	899.1	250.4	652.6
Q. Health and social work	209	76	133	173.7	70.4	103.3	175.6	61.6	114	197.8	77.1	121.5
R. Recreational cultural and sporting activities	115	56	59	114.3	63.2	51.1	94.6	50.4	44.2	118.2	53.8	64.3
S. Other service												

Table 11

## AVERAGE MONTHLY EARNINGS OF WAGE WORKERS AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX,

Unit: Thousand VND

Social-economic region	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>4 335</b>	<b>4 509</b>	<b>4 092</b>	<b>4 439</b>	<b>4 631</b>	<b>4 164</b>	<b>4397</b>	<b>4576</b>	<b>4144</b>	<b>4895</b>	<b>5034</b>	<b>4706</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	4 505	4 487	4 531	4 557	4 533	4 593	4581	4516	4676	4477	4485	4464
R2 Red River Delta (*)	4 228	4 490	3 881	4 323	4 543	4 037	4296	4542	3974	4435	4677	4113
R3 North and South Central Coast	3 956	4 138	3 643	4 114	4 340	3 706	3913	4097	3602	4501	4431	4609
R4 Central Highland	4 016	4 215	3 743	4 175	4 319	3 971	4100	4247	3884	4626	4811	4370
R5 Southeast (*)	4 533	4 715	4 316	4 689	4 951	4 386	4755	5053	4416	5528	5796	5209
R6 Mekong River Delta	3 323	3 575	2 932	3 452	3 703	3 047	3523	3716	3213	3947	4151	3622
R7 Ha Noi city	5 504	5 712	5 243	5 302	5 455	5 101	5334	5551	5051	6045	6433	5579
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	5 482	5 716	5 196	5 508	5 831	5 096	5302	5581	4929	5957	6264	5606
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>5 119</b>	<b>5 374</b>	<b>4 798</b>	<b>5 179</b>	<b>5 468</b>	<b>4 806</b>	<b>5139</b>	<b>5444</b>	<b>4743</b>	<b>5723</b>	<b>6070</b>	<b>5304</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	5 182	5 379	4 953	5 233	5 395	5 047	5217	5380	5028	5452	5778	5081
R2 Red River Delta (*)	4 990	5 419	4 479	5 051	5 397	4 622	5050	5450	4551	5316	5793	4769
R3 North and South Central Coast	4 511	4 798	4 115	4 529	4 853	4 061	4530	4842	4083	4825	5180	4384
R4 Central Highland	4 654	4 939	4 279	4 667	4 943	4 262	4673	4923	4303	5012	5231	4699
R5 Southeast (*)	5 067	5 357	4 738	5 286	5 669	4 867	5357	5760	4915	6108	6385	5762
R6 Mekong River Delta	3 932	4 133	3 604	3 996	4 210	3 644	3984	4257	3550	4508	4817	4008
R7 Ha Noi city	6 602	7 021	6 140	6 366	6 750	5 931	6479	6942	5948	7103	7700	6449
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	5 720	5 957	5 428	5 741	6 089	5 301	5467	5768	5065	6247	6640	5825
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>3 700</b>	<b>3 862</b>	<b>3 453</b>	<b>3 835</b>	<b>3 999</b>	<b>3 578</b>	<b>3807</b>	<b>3930</b>	<b>3621</b>	<b>4190</b>	<b>4233</b>	<b>4125</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	4 128	4 058	4 244	4 204	4 152	4 294	4273	4152	4469	4027	3982	4103
R2 Red River Delta (*)	3 871	4 084	3 575	3 989	4 163	3 758	3965	4154	3711	4056	4240	3794
R3 North and South Central Coast	3 611	3 780	3 275	3 863	4 069	3 436	3564	3715	3280	4297	4026	4786
R4 Central Highland	3 497	3 643	3 291	3 678	3 671	3 688	3594	3646	3520	4192	4326	4013
R5 Southeast (*)	3 995	4 097	3 869	4 069	4 245	3 855	4144	4360	3889	4823	5044	4575
R6 Mekong River Delta	3 046	3 314	2 637	3 200	3 466	2 777	3308	3466	3054	3674	3825	3436
R7 Ha Noi city	4 285	4 428	4 077	4 095	4 169	3 980	4093	4207	3922	4517	4782	4152
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	4 355	4 557	4 114	4 379	4 609	4 074	4443	4615	4209	4765	4922	4535

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

It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in Vietnam (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire)



Table 12

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

Unit: Thousand VND

Professional/Technical qualification	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>4 335</b>	<b>4 509</b>	<b>4 092</b>	<b>4 439</b>	<b>4 631</b>	<b>4 164</b>	<b>4397</b>	<b>4576</b>	<b>4144</b>	<b>4895</b>	<b>5034</b>	<b>4706</b>
1 No qualification	3 477	3 631	3 246	3 617	3 762	3 396	3636	3787	3408	4007	4070	3916
2 Vocational training from 3 months and longer	4 817	4 965	4 269	4 965	5 172	4 163	4889	5021	4377	5411	5579	4558
3 Professional secondary school	4 590	4 859	4 340	4 721	4 991	4 477	4610	4924	4335	4819	5226	4464
4 Professional college	4 994	5 100	4 929	4 966	5 213	4 814	4923	5147	4788	5033	5382	4812
5 University and above	6 633	7 221	5 983	6 675	7 302	5 961	6612	7177	5974	7278	7785	6752
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>5 119</b>	<b>5 374</b>	<b>4 798</b>	<b>5 179</b>	<b>5 468</b>	<b>4 806</b>	<b>5139</b>	<b>5444</b>	<b>4743</b>	<b>5723</b>	<b>6070</b>	<b>5304</b>
1 No qualification	3 897	4 042	3 709	4 045	4 209	3 825	4059	4242	3819	4493	4628	4331
2 Vocational training from 3 months and longer	5 231	5 376	4 711	5 200	5 387	4 542	5259	5464	4572	5941	6156	4928
3 Professional secondary school	4 970	5 323	4 654	4 961	5 286	4 692	4933	5356	4589	5383	5968	4937
4 Professional college	5 297	5 393	5 238	5 153	5 523	4 911	5053	5329	4865	5517	6032	5185
5 University and above	7 024	7 606	6 366	7 093	7 742	6 343	7059	7664	6334	7660	8407	6875
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>3 700</b>	<b>3 862</b>	<b>3 453</b>	<b>3 835</b>	<b>3 999</b>	<b>3 578</b>	<b>3807</b>	<b>3930</b>	<b>3621</b>	<b>4190</b>	<b>4233</b>	<b>4125</b>
1 No qualification	3 250	3 429	2 956	3 382	3 535	3 128	3408	3563	3156	3724	3783	3630
2 Vocational training from 3 months and longer	4 384	4 541	3 778	4 731	4 966	3 720	4465	4546	4090	4886	5023	4148
3 Professional secondary school	4 231	4 436	4 034	4 475	4 717	4 235	4306	4546	4079	4262	4591	3936
4 Professional college	4 733	4 847	4 664	4 792	4 902	4 729	4802	4950	4721	4609	4799	4492
5 University and above	5 664	6 232	5 071	5 658	6 205	5 059	5582	5946	5222	6359	6252	6465

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

**Table 13**  
**AVERAGE MONTHLY EARNING OF WAGE WORKERS AGED 15 AND ABOVE BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL, ECONOMIC SECTOR AND INDUSTRIAL SECTOR**

*Unit: Thousand VND*

Economic/ Industrial sector	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>4 335</b>	<b>4 509</b>	<b>4 092</b>	<b>4439</b>	<b>4631</b>	<b>4164</b>	<b>4397</b>	<b>4576</b>	<b>4144</b>	<b>4895</b>	<b>5034</b>	<b>4706</b>
<i><b>Economic sector</b></i>												
1 State	5 403	5 651	5 109	5413	5692	5072	5323	5571	5034	5872	6094	5630
2 Non-state	3 714	3 942	3 301	3861	4102	3404	3860	4104	3395	4349	4540	3997
3 Foreign investment	4 922	5 566	4 576	5051	5719	4713	4946	5527	4654	5529	6285	5158
<i><b>Industrial sector</b></i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	2 703	3 027	2 120	2777	3075	2160	2851	3147	2281	3802	3956	3430
2 Industry and construction	4 129	4 311	3 841	4251	4449	3942	4243	4416	3970	4639	4787	4423
3 Services	4 944	5 170	4 680	4998	5263	4679	4912	5163	4614	5278	5451	5068
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>5 119</b>	<b>5 374</b>	<b>4 798</b>	<b>5179</b>	<b>5468</b>	<b>4806</b>	<b>5139</b>	<b>5444</b>	<b>4743</b>	<b>5723</b>	<b>6070</b>	<b>5304</b>
<i><b>Economic sector</b></i>												
1 State	6 004	6 365	5 568	5999	6399	5503	5946	6393	5408	6568	7108	5973
2 Non-state	4 387	4 609	4 046	4461	4728	4043	4480	4773	4012	5094	5409	4628
3 Foreign investment	5 465	6 086	5 071	5739	6370	5335	5565	6025	5254	6387	7116	5987
<i><b>Industrial sector</b></i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	3 201	3 520	2 434	3428	3718	2655	3455	3793	2547	4551	4725	4053
2 Industry and construction	4 773	5 027	4 410	4895	5148	4532	4894	5162	4508	5583	5914	5150
3 Services	5 464	5 778	5 113	5474	5847	5044	5410	5794	4964	5852	6236	5425
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>3 700</b>	<b>3 862</b>	<b>3 453</b>	<b>3835</b>	<b>3999</b>	<b>3578</b>	<b>3807</b>	<b>3930</b>	<b>3621</b>	4190	4233	4125
<i><b>Economic sector</b></i>												
1 State	4 588	4 665	4 499	4611	4710	4494	4514	4463	4572	4941	4725	5175
2 Non-state	3 306	3 575	2 764	3488	3754	2914	3476	3731	2932	3810	3993	3413
3 Foreign investment	4 393	4 936	4 147	4423	4909	4229	4415	4902	4230	4917	5610	4603
<i><b>Industrial sector</b></i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	2 623	2 938	2 080	2658	2947	2086	2746	3020	2246	3641	3780	3314
2 Industry and construction	3 731	3 896	3 454	3864	4051	3556	3853	3994	3619	4084	4170	3951
3 Services	4 192	4 331	4 020	4299	4445	4112	4209	4289	4111	4460	4430	4500

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

Table 14

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Social-economic region	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>1140.2</b>	<b>627.3</b>	<b>513.0</b>	<b>1 161.9</b>	<b>631.6</b>	<b>530.3</b>	<b>1 185.4</b>	<b>625.7</b>	<b>559.6</b>	<b>1 217.3</b>	<b>658.4</b>	<b>558.9</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	94.6	63.2	31.4	81.2	49.0	32.2	108.5	60.8	47.7	135.0	68.2	66.8
R2 Red River Delta (*)	304.5	153.8	150.7	203.8	103.0	100.9	220.7	108.9	111.8	195.8	94.4	101.3
R3 North and South Central Coast	229.8	117.2	112.5	249.6	119.1	130.5	318.7	134.8	183.9	367.8	221.2	146.6
R4 Central Highland	74.3	48.4	25.9	118.3	69.4	48.9	47.3	24.9	22.4	55.7	31.0	24.7
R5 Southeast (*)	30.4	19.2	11.2	52.4	29.3	23.1	47.7	32.9	14.9	48.8	27.1	21.6
R6 Mekong River Delta	377.0	210.4	166.6	407.8	240.3	167.5	399.0	238.4	160.6	362.6	192.8	169.8
R7 Ha Noi city	27.3	13.5	13.8	41.9	17.1	24.8	40.4	24.0	16.4	34.9	14.1	20.8
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	2.4	1.5	0.8	6.9	4.4	2.5	3.1	1.1	2.0	16.7	9.5	7.2
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>155.7</b>	<b>93.7</b>	<b>62.0</b>	<b>167.2</b>	<b>93.7</b>	<b>73.5</b>	<b>185.6</b>	<b>106.7</b>	<b>78.9</b>	<b>185.8</b>	<b>94.7</b>	<b>91.1</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	10.3	6.9	3.4	10.5	5.7	4.8	11.1	5.7	5.4	12.6	7.1	5.4
R2 Red River Delta (*)	31.4	14.4	17.0	29.5	15.8	13.6	32.5	18.8	13.7	19.6	9.7	9.9
R3 North and South Central Coast	41.7	20.9	20.8	36.0	19.1	17.0	61.7	32.4	29.3	54.6	26.0	28.6
R4 Central Highland	13.4	9.3	4.1	21.5	11.0	10.5	15.9	10.0	5.9	7.7	4.6	3.1
R5 Southeast (*)	8.4	7.1	1.3	9.8	5.0	4.8	8.5	6.7	1.9	10.4	5.5	4.9
R6 Mekong River Delta	46.1	31.6	14.5	49.9	31.3	18.6	52.1	31.3	20.8	45.1	25.9	19.2
R7 Ha Noi city	2.1	2.1	0.0	3.3	1.6	1.7	0.6	0.6	0.0	19.1	6.4	12.7
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	2.4	1.5	0.8	6.7	4.2	2.5	3.1	1.1	2.0	16.7	9.5	7.2
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>984.5</b>	<b>533.5</b>	<b>451.0</b>	<b>994.7</b>	<b>537.9</b>	<b>456.8</b>	<b>999.8</b>	<b>519.0</b>	<b>480.8</b>	<b>1 031.5</b>	<b>563.7</b>	<b>467.8</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and Mountains	84.3	56.4	28.0	70.7	43.2	27.5	97.4	55.1	42.3	122.5	61.1	61.4
R2 Red River Delta (*)	273.1	139.4	133.7	174.3	87.1	87.2	188.2	90.1	98.2	176.2	84.7	91.4
R3 North and South Central Coast	188.1	96.4	91.7	213.5	100.0	113.5	256.9	102.3	154.6	313.2	195.2	118.0
R4 Central Highland	60.9	39.1	21.8	96.8	58.4	38.4	31.4	14.9	16.5	48.0	26.4	21.6
R5 Southeast (*)	22.0	12.0	9.9	42.6	24.3	18.3	39.2	26.2	13.0	38.4	21.6	16.7
R6 Mekong River Delta	330.8	178.8	152.0	357.9	209.0	148.9	346.9	207.1	139.8	317.5	166.9	150.6
R7 Ha Noi city	25.3	11.4	13.8	38.6	15.5	23.1	39.8	23.4	16.4	15.8	7.7	8.0
R8 Ho Chi Minh city	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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

It is not included those people aged 15 and over who were currently not residing in Vietnam (not regarded as the respondent for individual questionnaire)

Table 15

## UNDEREMPLOYED POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER BY SEX, URBAN/RURAL,

Unit: Thousand persons

Economic/Industrial sector	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>1140.2</b>	<b>627.3</b>	<b>513.0</b>	<b>1 161.9</b>	<b>631.6</b>	<b>530.3</b>	<b>1185.4</b>	<b>625.7</b>	<b>559.6</b>	<b>1217.3</b>	<b>658.4</b>	<b>558.9</b>
<i><b>Economic sector</b></i>												
1 State	23.0	10.4	12.6	13.0	8.2	4.8	21.9	16.7	5.2	20.6	10.0	10.6
2 Non-state	1109.8	615.2	494.7	1 147.7	622.3	525.4	1152.5	603.4	549.1	1 195.0	648.1	546.9
3 Foreign investment	2.5	1.7	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.1	0.6	1.4	0.0	1.4
4 Not stated	5.0	0.0	5.0	1.2	1.1	0.1	10.2	5.5	4.7	0.4	0.4	0.0
<i><b>Industrial sector</b></i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	811.0	415.3	395.7	868.9	438.9	430.0	920.8	459.9	460.9	922.0	496.8	425.2
2 Industry and construction	152.8	110.0	42.8	128.3	94.9	33.3	105.8	65.3	40.5	86.1	49.0	37.1
3 Services	174.9	101.7	73.2	164.8	97.8	67.0	158.8	100.6	58.2	209.3	112.6	96.7
4 Not stated	1.5	0.2	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>THÀNH THỊ</b>	<b>155.7</b>	<b>93.7</b>	<b>62.0</b>	<b>167.2</b>	<b>93.7</b>	<b>73.5</b>	<b>185.6</b>	<b>106.7</b>	<b>78.9</b>	<b>185.8</b>	<b>94.7</b>	<b>91.1</b>
<i><b>Economic sector</b></i>												
1 State	11.5	5.3	6.2	7.6	4.3	3.3	5.7	4.3	1.4	6.4	3.2	3.2
2 Non-state	141.9	86.7	55.2	159.5	89.4	70.1	178.5	102.1	76.4	179.0	91.6	87.4
3 Foreign investment	1.7	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.1	0.6	0.5	0.0	0.5
4 Not stated	0.6	0.0	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.7	0.2	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
<i><b>Industrial sector</b></i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	63.6	36.7	27.0	72.7	36.3	36.5	88.3	46.2	42.2	60.3	32.3	28.0
2 Industry and construction	31.7	23.8	7.9	33.0	23.2	9.8	31.2	21.4	9.8	27.4	14.1	13.3
3 Services	60.2	33.0	27.1	61.4	34.2	27.2	66.1	39.1	26.9	98.1	48.3	49.8
4 Not stated	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>984.5</b>	<b>533.5</b>	<b>451.0</b>	<b>994.7</b>	<b>537.9</b>	<b>456.8</b>	<b>999.8</b>	<b>519.0</b>	<b>480.8</b>	<b>1 031.5</b>	<b>563.7</b>	<b>467.8</b>
<i><b>Economic sector</b></i>												
1 State	11.5	5.1	6.4	5.4	3.9	1.5	16.2	12.3	3.9	14.2	6.8	7.4
2 Non-state	967.9	528.4	439.4	988.3	532.9	455.3	974.1	501.4	472.7	1 016.0	556.5	459.5
3 Foreign investment	0.8	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.0
4 Not stated	4.4	0.0	4.4	1.1	1.1	0.0	9.6	5.3	4.2	0.4	0.4	0.0
<i><b>Industrial sector</b></i>												
1 Agriculture, forestry and fishery	747.4	378.6	368.8	796.1	402.6	393.5	832.5	413.7	418.8	861.7	464.5	397.2
2 Industry and construction	121.1	86.2	34.9	95.3	71.7	23.6	74.6	43.9	30.7	58.7	34.9	23.8
3 Services	114.7	68.7	46.1	103.4	63.6	39.8	92.8	61.5	31.3	111.1	64.3	46.8
4 Not stated	1.2	0.0	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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

Table 16

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Social-economic region	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>876.1</b>	<b>480.1</b>	<b>396.0</b>	<b>1 048.8</b>	<b>578.5</b>	<b>470.3</b>	<b>986.3</b>	<b>507.1</b>	<b>479.2</b>	<b>1 216.9</b>	<b>645.1</b>	<b>571.8</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and	44.5	27.0	17.5	57.2	33.9	23.3	48.8	29.2	19.6	78.1	43.0	35.1
R2 Red River Delta	246.9	167.7	79.3	318.4	195.7	122.8	301.6	173.7	127.9	280.0	165.8	114.3
R3 North and South Central Coast	190.4	84.2	106.2	243.4	131.9	111.5	220.4	105.7	114.7	304.6	165.6	139.0
R4 Central Highland	28.1	11.3	16.8	39.7	19.8	19.9	39.3	17.1	22.2	38.1	15.7	22.4
R5 Southeast	197.5	123.5	74.1	200.3	123.1	77.3	179.3	101.3	78.0	260.5	131.2	129.3
R6 Mekong River Delta	168.6	66.5	102.1	189.7	74.2	115.5	196.8	80.0	116.8	255.5	123.9	131.6
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>481.2</b>	<b>291.0</b>	<b>190.2</b>	<b>490.4</b>	<b>299.2</b>	<b>191.2</b>	<b>479.6</b>	<b>272.9</b>	<b>206.6</b>	<b>553.3</b>	<b>293.7</b>	<b>259.6</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and	21.6	13.1	8.5	26.8	15.5	11.3	25.2	15.1	10.1	31.9	17.0	14.9
R2 Red River Delta	140.6	92.1	48.5	151.4	102.0	49.4	143.8	93.7	50.1	110.7	61.6	49.1
R3 North and South Central Coast	86.8	41.7	45.0	98.6	50.3	48.2	90.1	41.8	48.4	126.1	73.0	53.1
R4 Central Highland	15.3	8.4	6.8	12.6	6.4	6.2	15.6	6.1	9.6	19.4	9.7	9.7
R5 Southeast	153.6	104.0	49.7	141.8	94.3	47.4	142.6	86.1	56.4	185.5	92.6	92.9
R6 Mekong River Delta	63.5	31.7	31.8	59.3	30.6	28.7	62.3	30.2	32.1	79.7	39.9	39.9
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>394.8</b>	<b>189.1</b>	<b>205.8</b>	<b>558.4</b>	<b>279.2</b>	<b>279.1</b>	<b>506.8</b>	<b>234.2</b>	<b>272.6</b>	<b>663.6</b>	<b>351.4</b>	<b>312.2</b>
R1 Northern Midlands and	22.9	13.9	9.0	30.4	18.4	12.1	23.6	14.1	9.6	46.2	26.0	20.2
R2 Red River Delta	106.4	75.5	30.9	167.1	93.7	73.4	157.9	80.1	77.8	169.4	104.2	65.2
R3 North and South Central Coast	103.7	42.5	61.2	144.8	81.6	63.3	130.3	64.0	66.3	178.5	92.6	85.9
R4 Central Highland	12.9	2.9	10.0	27.1	13.3	13.7	23.7	11.1	12.7	18.8	6.0	12.7
R5 Southeast	43.9	19.5	24.4	58.6	28.7	29.8	36.8	15.3	21.5	75.0	38.7	36.3
R6 Mekong River Delta	105.1	34.8	70.4	130.4	43.5	86.8	134.5	49.8	84.7	175.8	84.0	91.8

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

Table 17

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Professional/Technical qualification	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE COUNTRY</b>	<b>876.1</b>	<b>480.1</b>	<b>396.0</b>	<b>1 048.8</b>	<b>578.5</b>	<b>470.3</b>	<b>986.3</b>	<b>507.1</b>	<b>479.2</b>	<b>1 216.9</b>	<b>645.1</b>	<b>571.8</b>
1 No qualification	518.8	282.1	236.7	615.4	344.2	271.1	608.2	328.3	279.8	771.5	434.3	337.1
2 Vocational training from 3 months	70.0	57.9	12.1	79.8	69.1	10.7	61.0	50.9	10.1	83.3	64.3	19.1
3 Professional secondary school	73.2	31.1	42.1	88.5	34.4	54.1	73.4	27.1	46.3	77.1	27.7	49.4
4 Professional college	62.0	31.6	30.4	90.1	33.8	56.3	74.7	22.7	52.1	101.0	33.0	68.0
5 University and above	147.8	75.1	72.7	174.5	96.8	77.7	165.6	75.3	90.2	181.4	83.4	98.0
6 Not stated	4.2	2.2	2.0	0.5	0.1	0.4	3.4	2.8	0.6	2.6	2.4	0.2
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>481.2</b>	<b>291.0</b>	<b>190.2</b>	<b>490.4</b>	<b>299.2</b>	<b>191.2</b>	<b>479.6</b>	<b>272.9</b>	<b>206.6</b>	<b>553.3</b>	<b>293.7</b>	<b>259.6</b>
1 No qualification	260.0	154.9	105.1	267.2	169.0	98.2	274.7	167.0	107.7	308.5	178.4	130.1
2 Vocational training from 3 months	46.0	38.3	7.7	43.9	36.7	7.2	35.7	29.1	6.6	40.1	28.9	11.2
3 Professional secondary school	44.0	22.4	21.6	38.2	17.5	20.7	35.2	16.5	18.7	41.6	17.0	24.7
4 Professional college	31.9	16.7	15.2	33.4	15.1	18.3	30.1	11.6	18.5	50.6	14.8	35.7
5 University and above	96.7	56.6	40.1	107.3	60.8	46.4	101.5	46.7	54.8	111.6	54.0	57.6
6 Not stated	2.7	2.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.2	2.5	2.1	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.2
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>394.8</b>	<b>189.1</b>	<b>205.8</b>	<b>558.4</b>	<b>279.2</b>	<b>279.1</b>	<b>506.8</b>	<b>234.2</b>	<b>272.6</b>	<b>663.6</b>	<b>351.4</b>	<b>312.2</b>
1 No qualification	258.8	127.2	131.6	348.1	175.2	172.9	333.5	161.3	172.1	463.0	256.0	207.0
2 Vocational training from 3 months	24.1	19.7	4.4	35.8	32.3	3.5	25.4	21.9	3.5	43.2	35.4	7.8
3 Professional secondary school	29.2	8.7	20.5	50.3	16.9	33.3	38.2	10.6	27.7	35.4	10.7	24.7
4 Professional college	30.1	14.9	15.1	56.7	18.8	37.9	44.7	11.1	33.6	50.4	18.2	32.3
5 University and above	51.1	18.5	32.6	67.2	35.9	31.3	64.1	28.7	35.4	69.8	29.4	40.4
6 Not stated	1.5	0.0	1.5	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.9	0.7	0.2	1.7	1.7	0.0

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

Table 18

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

Unit: Thousand persons

Age group	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>ENTIRE</b>	<b>876.1</b>	<b>480.1</b>	<b>396.0</b>	<b>1 048.8</b>	<b>578.5</b>	<b>470.3</b>	<b>986.3</b>	<b>507.1</b>	<b>479.2</b>	<b>1 216.9</b>	<b>645.1</b>	<b>571.8</b>
15 - 19	96.7	57.3	39.3	170.8	96.3	74.5	127.7	65.8	61.9	141.8	84.4	57.3
20 - 24	288.0	143.7	144.3	373.0	179.4	193.6	320.7	130.0	190.7	444.4	216.1	228.4
25 - 29	174.9	76.1	98.8	173.6	89.8	83.8	157.1	70.2	86.9	163.3	89.2	74.1
30 - 34	63.9	36.4	27.5	68.2	31.6	36.6	68.9	26.1	42.8	125.4	67.4	58.0
35 - 39	41.3	18.6	22.7	52.4	24.5	27.9	54.9	24.7	30.1	68.4	36.1	32.3
40 - 44	48.5	24.4	24.1	42.2	23.6	18.6	49.7	34.3	15.4	63.8	33.9	29.9
45 - 49	38.3	21.1	17.2	23.9	14.2	9.7	36.3	17.0	19.3	67.9	40.7	27.2
50 - 54	55.6	36.7	18.9	53.7	34.8	18.8	82.6	56.7	25.9	61.0	31.1	29.9
55 - 59	65.6	64.5	1.1	81.3	78.4	2.9	81.3	77.4	3.9	43.2	23.7	19.4
60 - 64	2.3	1.3	1.0	6.7	5.7	1.0	3.1	3.0	0.1	18.4	10.8	7.7
65 and over	0.9	0.0	0.9	2.9	0.0	2.9	4.1	1.9	2.1	19.3	11.7	7.6
<b>URBAN</b>	<b>481.2</b>	<b>291.0</b>	<b>190.2</b>	<b>490.4</b>	<b>299.2</b>	<b>191.2</b>	<b>479.6</b>	<b>272.9</b>	<b>206.6</b>	<b>553.3</b>	<b>293.7</b>	<b>259.6</b>
15 - 19	43.3	24.2	19.1	64.7	42.0	22.7	56.3	34.7	21.6	56.2	33.5	22.6
20 - 24	148.2	77.1	71.1	152.0	75.9	76.1	138.9	61.5	77.4	207.3	93.2	114.1
25 - 29	85.5	44.6	41.0	81.4	45.5	35.9	83.6	43.0	40.6	83.0	46.5	36.5
30 - 34	42.4	25.6	16.7	31.3	16.0	15.3	37.2	14.8	22.4	60.1	31.9	28.2
35 - 39	19.1	10.4	8.7	25.0	13.2	11.8	24.9	12.0	12.9	37.0	21.1	15.9
40 - 44	34.1	19.0	15.1	18.6	13.1	5.5	15.9	9.1	6.8	30.6	16.0	14.6
45 - 49	19.1	15.1	3.9	18.2	11.9	6.2	22.9	12.4	10.5	27.3	18.3	9.0
50 - 54	36.9	24.3	12.6	37.6	23.5	14.1	48.6	36.1	12.5	23.2	17.1	6.1
55 - 59	51.8	50.8	1.1	59.3	57.3	1.9	50.4	48.6	1.8	18.9	9.6	9.4
60 - 64	0.6	0.0	0.6	1.8	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.1	5.3	3.9	1.3
65 and over	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.7	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	2.7	1.9
<b>RURAL</b>	<b>394.8</b>	<b>189.1</b>	<b>205.8</b>	<b>558.4</b>	<b>279.2</b>	<b>279.1</b>	<b>506.8</b>	<b>234.2</b>	<b>272.6</b>	<b>663.6</b>	<b>351.4</b>	<b>312.2</b>
15 - 19	53.4	33.2	20.2	106.1	54.3	51.8	71.4	31.1	40.3	85.6	50.9	34.7
20 - 24	139.9	66.6	73.3	221.1	103.6	117.5	181.8	68.6	113.3	237.2	122.9	114.3
25 - 29	89.4	31.5	57.9	92.3	44.4	47.9	73.5	27.2	46.3	80.3	42.7	37.6
30 - 34	21.5	10.7	10.8	37.0	15.7	21.3	31.7	11.3	20.4	65.2	35.5	29.7
35 - 39	22.2	8.2	14.0	27.4	11.3	16.1	29.9	12.7	17.2	31.4	15.0	16.4
40 - 44	14.5	5.4	9.1	23.6	10.5	13.2	33.7	25.1	8.6	33.2	17.9	15.3
45 - 49	19.2	5.9	13.3	5.7	2.2	3.5	13.4	4.6	8.8	40.6	22.4	18.2
50 - 54	18.7	12.4	6.3	16.0	11.3	4.7	34.0	20.5	13.5	37.9	14.1	23.8
55 - 59	13.7	13.7	0.0	22.0	21.1	0.9	30.9	28.8	2.1	24.2	14.2	10.1
60 - 64	1.8	1.3	0.5	4.9	4.9	0.0	2.4	2.4	0.0	13.2	6.8	6.3
65 and over	0.5	0.0	0.5	2.2	0.0	2.2	4.1	1.9	2.1	14.7	9.0	5.7

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

Table 19

## ECONOMICALLY ACTIVE STATUS OF YOUTH (15-24 YEARS OLD) BY SEX AND URBAN/RURAL

Characteristic	Quarter 2, 2014			Quarter 3, 2014			Quarter 4, 2014			Quarter 1, 2015		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
<b>1. Youth population ('000 persons)</b>	<b>13082.8</b>	<b>6794.1</b>	<b>6288.8</b>	<b>12942.8</b>	<b>6802.9</b>	<b>6139.9</b>	<b>12511.5</b>	<b>6498.7</b>	<b>6012.9</b>	<b>14693.3</b>	<b>7473.5</b>	<b>7219.8</b>
Urban	3963.1	2006.9	1956.2	4015.9	2052.8	1963.1	3940.4	2001.3	1939.2	4858.5	2328.1	2530.4
Rural	9119.7	4787.2	4332.5	8926.9	4750.1	4176.8	8571.1	4497.4	4073.7	9834.8	5145.4	4689.4
<b>2. Number of employed youth ('000 persons)</b>	<b>7 174.4</b>	<b>3 945.0</b>	<b>3 229.4</b>	<b>7 200.2</b>	<b>3 977.4</b>	<b>3 222.9</b>	<b>6823.0</b>	<b>3747.7</b>	<b>3075.3</b>	<b>8 288.7</b>	<b>4 511.1</b>	<b>3 777.5</b>
Urban	1 606.2	828.5	777.7	1 705.0	896.1	808.9	1676.3	888.0	788.3	2 141.6	1 044.9	1 096.6
Rural	5 568.2	3 116.5	2 451.7	5 495.3	3 081.3	2 414.0	5146.7	2859.7	2287.0	6 147.1	3 466.2	2 680.9
<b>3. Number of unemployed youth ('000 persons)</b>	<b>384.7</b>	<b>201.1</b>	<b>183.6</b>	<b>543.8</b>	<b>275.7</b>	<b>268.1</b>	<b>448.4</b>	<b>195.8</b>	<b>252.6</b>	<b>586.2</b>	<b>300.5</b>	<b>285.7</b>
Urban	191.4	101.3	90.2	216.6	117.9	98.7	195.2	96.2	99.0	263.4	126.7	136.7
Rural	193.3	99.8	93.5	327.2	157.8	169.3	253.2	99.7	153.6	322.8	173.7	149.0
<b>4. Youth's labour force participation rate (%)</b>	<b>57.8</b>	<b>61.0</b>	<b>54.3</b>	<b>60.3</b>	<b>63.2</b>	<b>57.1</b>	<b>58.1</b>	<b>60.7</b>	<b>55.4</b>	<b>60.5</b>	<b>64.5</b>	<b>56.3</b>
Urban	45.4	46.3	44.4	48.1	49.7	46.4	47.5	49.2	45.8	49.5	50.4	48.8
Rural	63.2	67.2	58.8	65.8	69.0	62.1	63.0	65.8	59.9	65.9	70.8	60.4
<b>5. Youth's unemployment rate (%)</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>7.0</b>
Urban	10.7	10.9	10.4	11.3	11.6	10.9	10.4	9.8	11.2	11.0	10.8	11.1
Rural	3.4	3.1	3.7	5.6	4.9	6.6	4.7	3.4	6.3	5.0	4.8	5.3

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