

3-1 Number of business institutions

3-1-1 Number of business institutions classified by industry (as of October 1, each year)

Classification	1993	1996	1999	2001	2004
Total	2,640	2,411	2,508	2,359	2,333
Agriculture/ Forestry/Fisheries	2	2	2	3	2
Construction	208	196	201	194	173
Manufacture	356	317	315	304	292
Wholesale/Retail	1,122	1,044	1,060	655	626
Finance/Insurance	33	31	31	24	26
Real estate	181	176	174	182	181
Transportation/Information/Telecommunication	46	45	51	42	41
Electricity/Gas/Waterworks industry	3	-	2	-	2
Service	679	600	663	955	982
Civil Service	10	...	9	...	8

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Source: Business institution/Organization statistical research

3-1-2 Number of business institutions classified by scale (as of October 1, each year)

Classification		1993	1996	1999	2001	2004
Total		2,563	2,640	2,411	2,508	2,359
Private	1 ~ 4	1,578	1,597	1,501	1,461	1,398
	5 ~ 9	484	492	458	491	467
	10~19	235	263	241	271	243
	20~29	72	94	78	92	93
	30~49	63	62	} 133	} 131	} 154
	50~99	41	45			
	100~299	} 29	} 27			
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	Temporary employees/Subcontract workers only	-	-			
Government, Local authority		61	60	...	61	...

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