



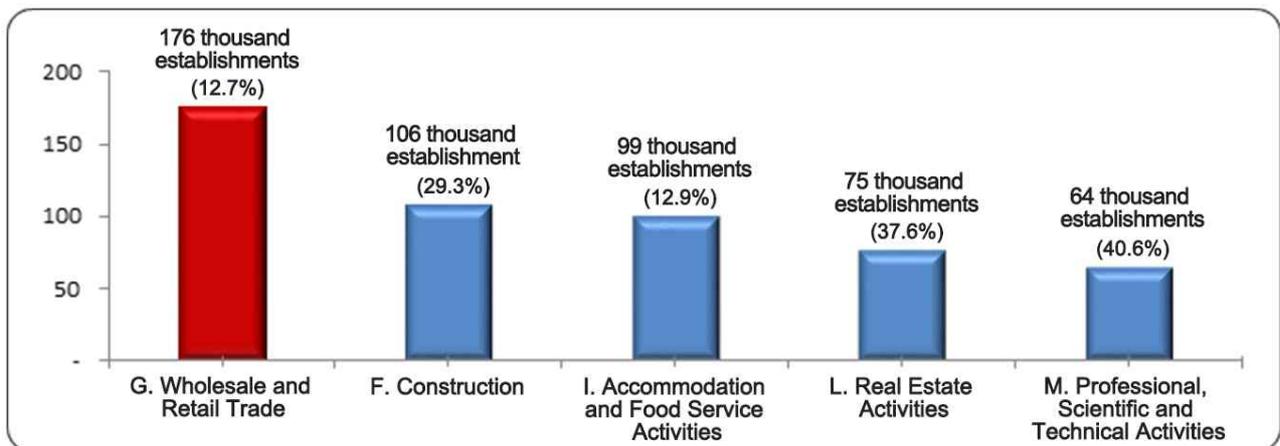
Preliminary Results of the 2020 Economic Census

1. Number of establishments by industry

◇ All industries excluding 'Mining and Quarrying' recorded an increase in establishments.

- As of the end of 2020, the number of establishments was 6.013 million entities, which increased by 17.8% from 5.103 million entities in 2015.
- Compared to 2015, as for establishments by industry, only one industry of 'Mining and Quarrying' recorded a decrease. Whereas, the other industries including 'Wholesale and Retail Trade' (176 thousand establishments), 'Construction' (106 thousand establishments) and 'Accommodation and Food Service Activities' (99 thousand establishments) recorded an increase.

<Major industries recording an increase in establishments>



(Unit: thousand establishments, %, %p)

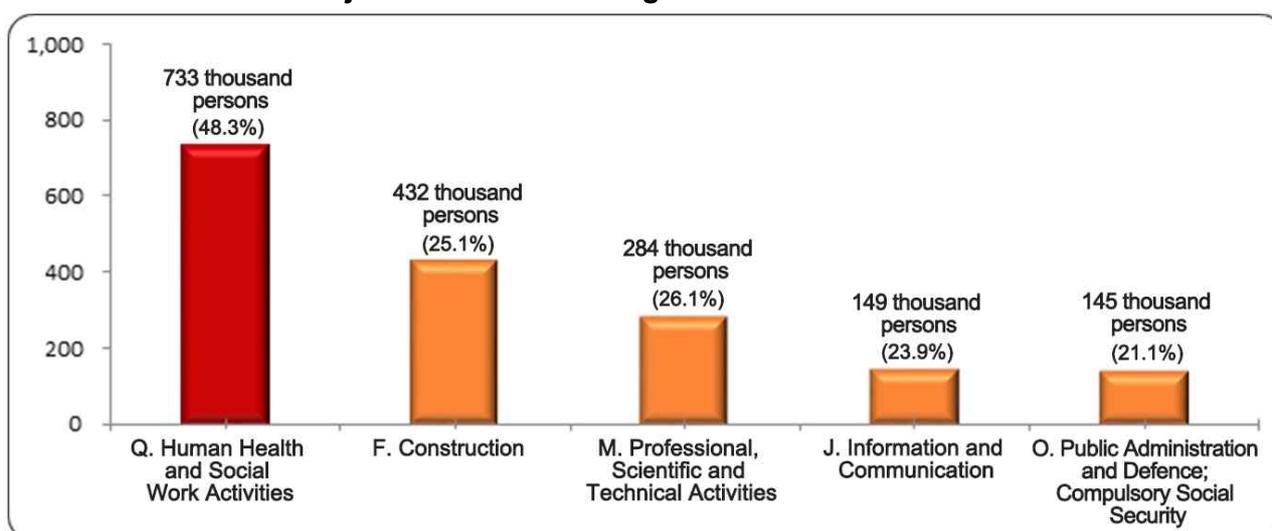
Industrial classification		2015	Compo- sition	2020	Compo- sition	Change	Change in the share	Percent change
Total		5,103	100.0	6,013	100.0	909	-	17.8
Top 5 industries recording an increase	G. Wholesale and Retail Trade	1,386	27.2	1,562	26.0	176	-1.2	12.7
	F. Construction	364	7.1	470	7.8	106	0.7	29.3
	I. Accommodation and Food Service Activities	767	15.0	867	14.4	99	-0.6	12.9
	L. Real Estate Activities	200	3.9	275	4.6	75	0.7	37.6
	M. Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	157	3.1	220	3.7	64	0.6	40.6
Industry recording a decrease	B. Mining and Quarrying	2	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	-12.4

2. Number of workers by industry

◇ 'Human Health and Social Work Activities' showed the highest increase in workers, which was followed by 'Construction' and 'Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities'.

- As of the end of 2020, the number of workers was 24.834 million persons, which increased by 8.9% from 22.796 million persons in 2015.
- Compared to 2015, 'Human Health and Social Work Activities' (733 thousand persons), 'Construction' (432 thousand persons) and 'Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities' (284 thousand persons) marked an increase in workers. Whereas, 'Accommodation and Food Service Activities' (-95 thousand persons) marked a decrease in workers.

<Major industries recording an increase in workers>



(Unit: thousand persons, %, %p)

Industrial classification		2015	Compo- sition	2020	Compo- sition	Change	Change in the share	Percent change
Total		22,796	100.0	24,834	100.0	2,037	-	8.9
Top 5 industries recording an increase	Q. Human Health and Social Work Activities	1,518	6.7	2,251	9.1	733	2.4	48.3
	F. Construction	1,722	7.6	2,154	8.7	432	1.1	25.1
	M. Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	1,089	4.8	1,373	5.5	284	0.8	26.1
	J. Information and Communication	625	2.7	774	3.1	149	0.4	23.9
	O. Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	688	3.0	833	3.4	145	0.3	21.1
Industry recording a decrease	I. Accommodation and Food Service Activities	2,190	9.6	2,095	8.4	-95	-1.2	-4.3

3. Number of establishments by type of legal organization

◇ As for establishments by type of legal organization, individual establishments showed the highest increase in establishments, which was followed by company corporations.

○ Compared to 2015, as for establishments by type of legal organization, individual establishments (652 thousand entities) recorded the highest increase, which was followed by company corporations (223 thousand entities) and 'Others*' (34 thousand entities).

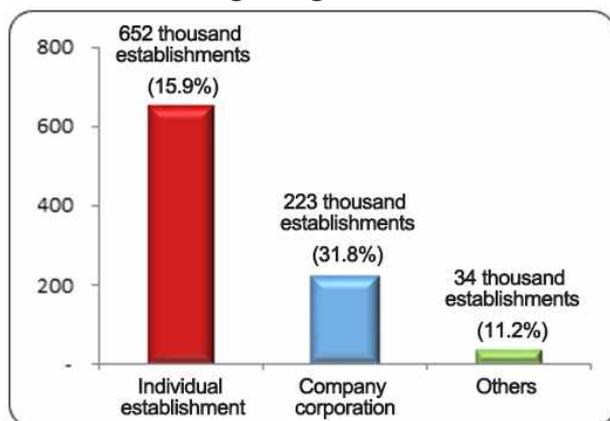
- Compared to 2015, as for the percent change in establishments by type of legal organization, company corporations recorded the highest increase of 31.8%, which was followed by individual establishments (15.9%) and 'Others*' (11.2%).

* Others: Non-company corporation, non-corporate organization

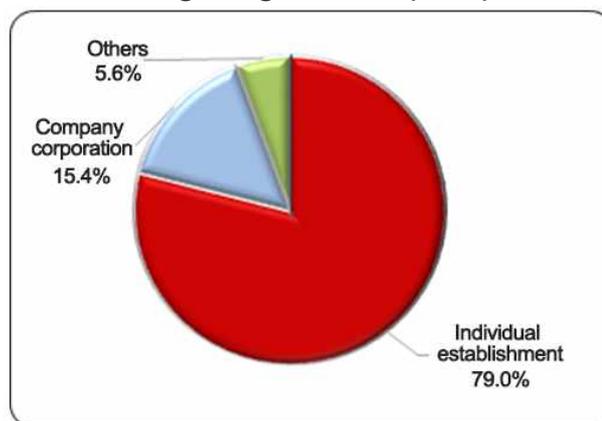
○ As of the end of 2020, as for the composition of establishments by type of legal organization, individual establishments occupied the highest share at 79.0%, which was followed by company corporations (15.4%) and 'Others' (5.6%).

- Compared to 2015, the share of company corporations went up by 1.6%p. In the meantime, the share of individual establishments and 'Others' went down by 1.3%p and 0.3%p, respectively.

<Change in establishments by type of legal organization>



<Composition of establishments by type of legal organization (2020)>



(Unit: thousand establishments, %, %p)

Type of legal organization	2015	Compo- sition	2020	Compo- sition	Change	Change in the share	Percent change
Individual establishment	4,097	80.3	4,750	79.0	652	-1.3	15.9
Company corporation	702	13.8	925	15.4	223	1.6	31.8
Others	304	6.0	338	5.6	34	-0.3	11.2

4. Number of workers by type of legal organization

◇ As for workers by type of legal organization, 'Company corporations' recorded the highest increase, which was followed by 'Others'.

○ Compared to 2015, as for workers by type of legal organization, company corporations (964 thousand persons) recorded the highest increase, which was followed by others* (907 thousand persons) and individual establishments (167 thousand persons).

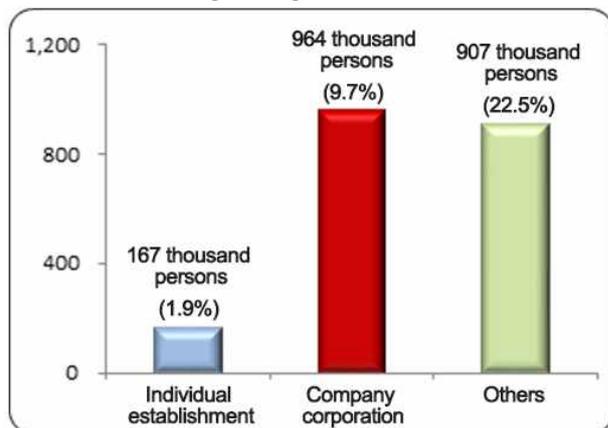
- Compared to 2015, as for the percent change in workers by type of legal organization, 'Others*' recorded the highest increase of 22.5%, which was followed by company corporations (9.7%) and individual establishments (1.9%).

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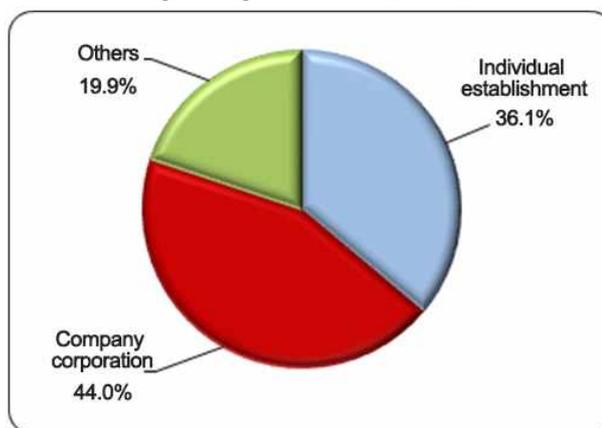
○ As of the end of 2020, as for the composition of workers by type of legal organization, company corporations occupied the highest share at 44.0%, which was followed by individual establishments (36.1%) and 'Others' (19.9%).

- Compared to 2015, the share of workers in 'Others' and company corporations went up by 2.2%p and 0.3%p, respectively. In the meantime, the share of workers in individual establishments went down by 2.5%p.

<Change in workers by type of legal organization>



<Composition of workers by type of legal organization (2020)>



(Unit: thousand persons, %, %p)

Type of legal organization	2015		2020		Change	Change in the share	Percent change
	Total	Compo-sition	Total	Compo-sition			
Total	22,796	100.0	24,834	100.0	2,037	-	8.9
Individual establishment	8,796	38.6	8,963	36.1	167	-2.5	1.9
Company corporation	9,974	43.8	10,938	44.0	964	0.3	9.7
Others	4,026	17.7	4,933	19.9	907	2.2	22.5

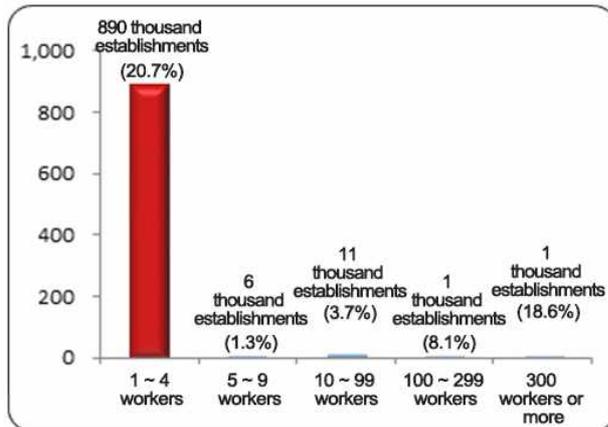
5. Number of establishments by size of workers

◇ **As for establishments by size of workers, establishments with 1 ~ 4 workers showed the highest increase in establishments, which was followed by those with 10 ~ 99 workers and those with 5 ~ 9 workers.**

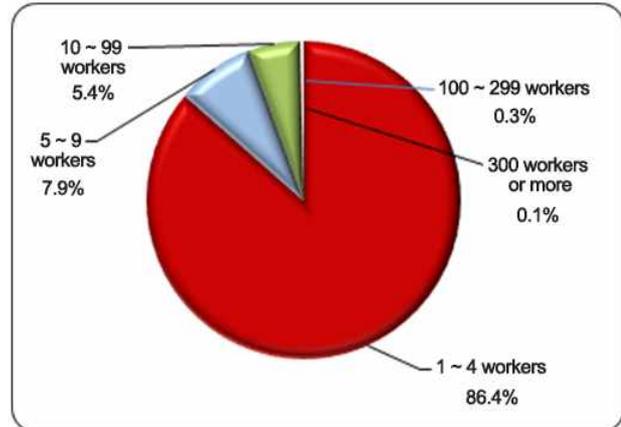
○ Compared to 2015, as for establishments by size of workers, establishments with 1 ~ 4 workers (890 thousand establishments) recorded the highest increase in establishments, which was followed by those with 10 ~ 99 workers (11 thousand establishments) and those with 5 ~ 9 workers (6 thousand establishments).

- Compared to 2015, as for the percent change in establishments by size of workers, establishments with 1 ~ 4 workers recorded the highest increase of 20.7%, which was followed by those with 300 workers or more (18.6%) and those with 100 ~ 299 workers (8.1%).
- As of the end of 2020, as for the composition of establishments by size of workers, establishments with 1 ~ 4 workers occupied the highest share at 86.4%, which was followed by those with 5 ~ 9 workers (7.9%) and those with 10 ~ 99 workers (5.4%).

<Change in establishments by size of workers>



<Composition of establishments by size of workers (2020)>



(Unit: thousand establishments, %, %p)

Size of workers	2015		2020		Change	Change in the share	Percent change
		Compo-sition		Compo-sition			
Total	5,103	100.0	6,013	100.0	909	-	17.8
1 ~ 4 workers	4,304	84.3	5,194	86.4	890	2.0	20.7
5 ~ 9 workers	470	9.2	476	7.9	6	-1.3	1.3
10 ~ 99 workers	311	6.1	322	5.4	11	-0.7	3.7
100 ~ 299 workers	15	0.3	16	0.3	1	0.0	8.1
300 workers or more	4	0.1	5	0.1	1	0.0	18.6

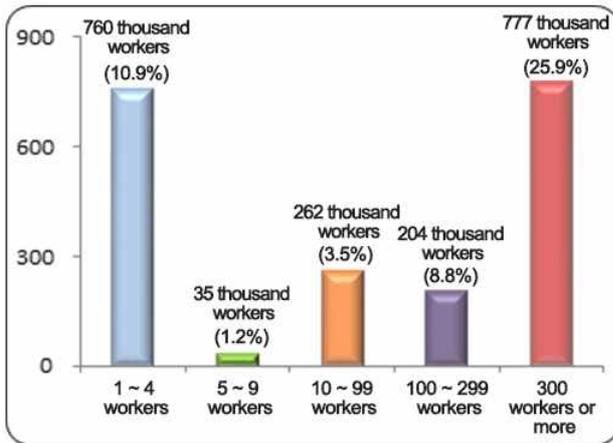
6. Number of workers by size of workers

◇ As for workers by size of workers, establishments with 300 workers or more showed the highest increase in workers, which was followed by those with 1 ~ 4 workers and those with 10 ~ 99 workers.

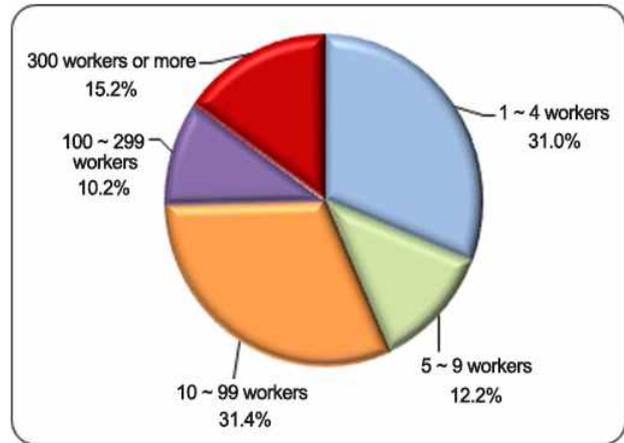
- Compared to 2015, as for workers by size of workers, establishments with 300 workers or more recorded the highest increase in workers (777 thousand workers), which was followed by those with 1 ~ 4 workers (760 thousand workers) and those with 10 ~ 99 workers (262 thousand workers).
- Compared to 2015, as for the percent change in workers by size of workers, establishments with 300 workers or more recorded the highest increase of 25.9%, which was followed by those with 1 ~ 4 workers (10.9%) and those with 100 ~ 299 workers (8.8%).

- As of the end of 2020, as for the composition of workers by size of workers, establishments with 10 ~ 99 workers occupied the highest share at 31.4%, which was followed by those with 1 ~ 4 workers (31.0%) and those with 300 workers or more (15.2%).

<Change in workers by size of workers>



<Composition of establishments with workers by size of workers (2020)>



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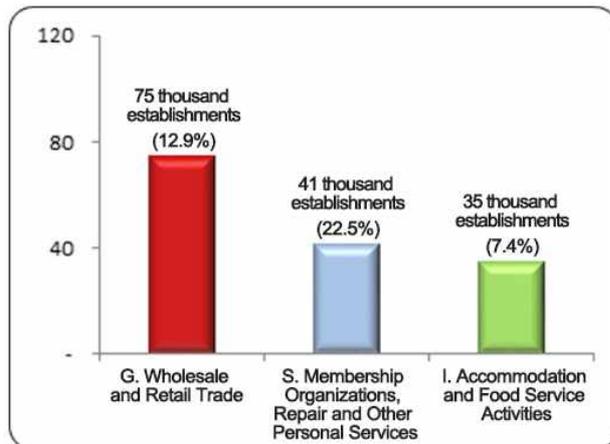
Size of workers	2015		2020		Change	Change in the share	Percent change
	Number	Composition	Number	Composition			
Total	22,796	100.0	24,834	100.0	2,037	-	8.9
1 ~ 4 workers	6,942	30.5	7,702	31.0	760	0.6	10.9
5 ~ 9 workers	3,005	13.2	3,039	12.2	35	-0.9	1.2
10 ~ 99 workers	7,530	33.0	7,792	31.4	262	-1.7	3.5
100 ~ 299 workers	2,317	10.2	2,521	10.2	204	0.0	8.8
300 workers or more	3,002	13.2	3,779	15.2	777	2.0	25.9

7. Number of establishments by industry and gender of CEO

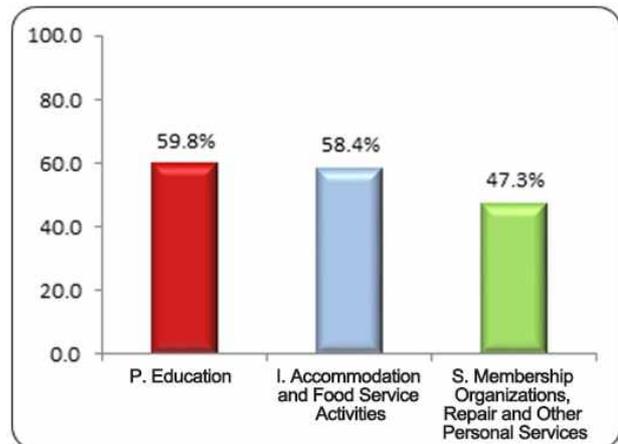
◇ Establishments with a male and female CEO occupied 63.3% and 36.7% of the total establishments, respectively.

- As of the end of 2020, establishments with a female CEO amounted to 2.207 million establishments, which took up 36.7% of the total establishments (6.013 million establishments). Establishments with a male CEO amounted to 3.805 million establishments, which took up 63.3% of the total establishments. The share of establishments with a female CEO went up by 0.6%p from 36.1% in 2015.
 - Compared to 2015, 'Wholesale and Retail Trade' (75 thousand establishments) showed the highest increase in establishments with a female CEO, which was followed by 'Membership Organizations, Repair and Other Personal Services' (41 thousand establishments) and 'Accommodation and Food Service Activities' (35 thousand establishments).
- As of the end of 2020, 'Education' (59.8%) showed the largest share of establishments with a female CEO, which was followed by 'Accommodation and Food Service Activities' (58.4%) and 'Membership Organizations, Repair and Other Personal Services' (47.3%).

<Major industries showing an increase in establishments with a female CEO>



<Major industries showing a high share of establishments with a female CEO (2020)>



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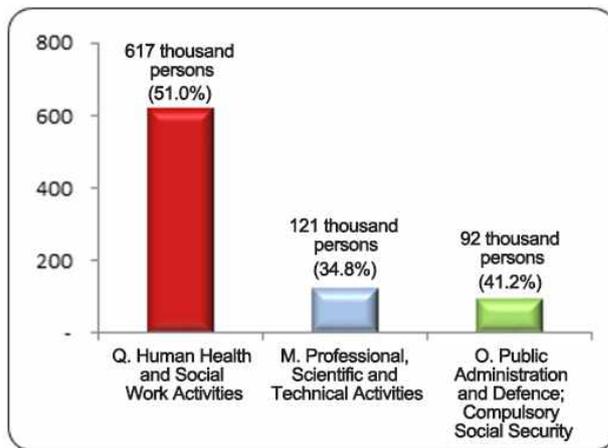
Industrial classification		2015	Establishments with a female CEO		2020	Establishments with a female CEO	
			Establishments with a female CEO	Share		Establishments with a female CEO	Share
Total		5,103	1,841	36.1	6,013	2,207	36.7
Major industries showing an increase in establishments with a female CEO	G. Wholesale and Retail Trade	1,386	576	41.6	1,562	651	41.7
	S. Membership Organizations, Repair and Other Personal Services	415	184	44.4	476	226	47.3
	I. Accommodation and Food Service Activities	767	471	61.4	867	506	58.4
Major industries showing a high share of establishments with a female (2020) CEO	P. Education	194	106	54.5	233	140	59.8
	I. Accommodation and Food Service Activities	767	471	61.4	867	506	58.4
	S. Membership Organizations, Repair and Other Personal Services	415	184	44.4	476	226	47.3
Industrial classification		Change in establishments with a female CEO		Percent change in establishments with a female CEO			
		Change in establishments with a female CEO	Change in the share	Change in establishments with a female CEO	Change in the share		
Total		366	0.6	19.9			
Major industries showing an increase in establishments with a female CEO	G. Wholesale and Retail Trade	75	0.1	12.9			
	S. Membership Organizations, Repair and Other Personal Services	41	3.0	22.5			
	I. Accommodation and Food Service Activities	35	-3.0	7.4			
Major industries showing a high share of establishments with a female (2020) CEO	P. Education	34	5.3	32.4			
	I. Accommodation and Food Service Activities	35	-3.0	7.4			
	S. Membership Organizations, Repair and Other Personal Services	41	3.0	22.5			

8. Number of workers by industry and gender

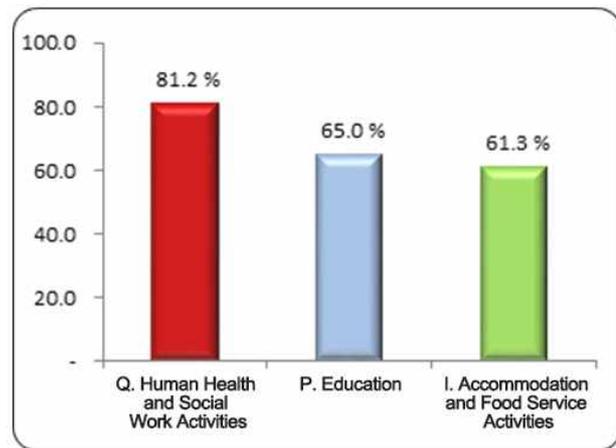
◇ Male and female workers accounted for 57.9% and 42.1%, respectively.

- As of the end of 2020, female workers amounted to 10.445 million persons, which occupied 42.1% of the total workers (24.834 million persons). Male workers amounted to 14.388 million persons, which occupied 57.9% of the total workers. The share of female workers went up 0.8%p from 41.3% in 2015.
- Compared to 2015, 'Human Health and Social Work Activities' (617 thousand persons) showed the highest increase in female workers, which was followed by 'Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities' (121 thousand persons) and 'Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security' (92 thousand persons).
- As of the end of 2020, 'Human Health and Social Work Activities' (81.2%) showed the highest share of female workers, which was followed by 'Education' (65.0%) and 'Accommodation and Food Service Activities' (61.3%)

<Major industries showing an increase in female workers>



<Major industries showing a high share of female workers (2020)>



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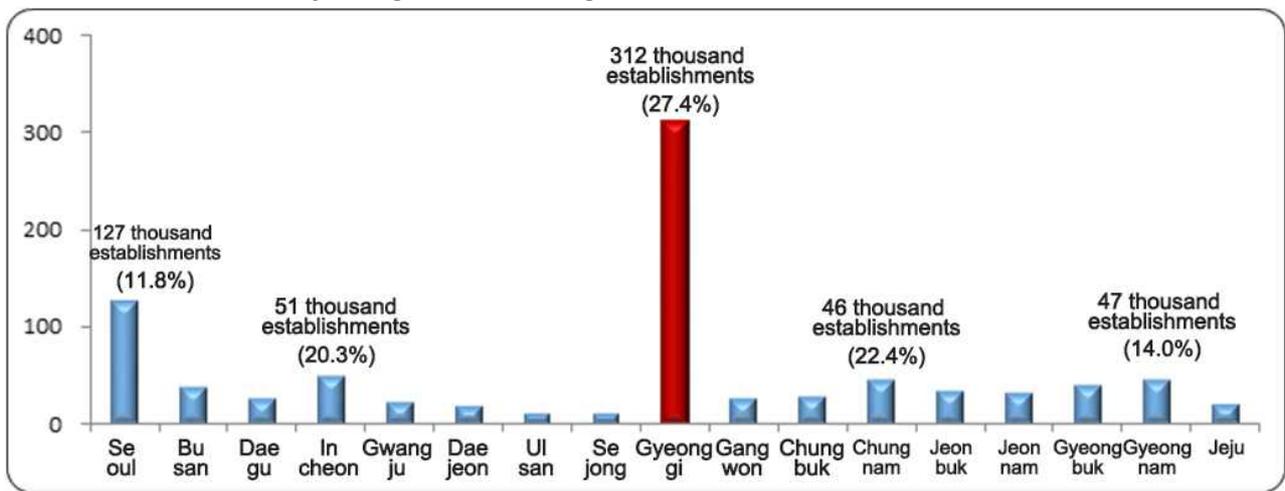
Industrial classification		2015			2020			Change in female workers	Change in the share	Percent change in female workers
		2015	Female workers	Share	2020	Female workers	Share			
Total		22,796	9,417	41.3	24,834	10,445	42.1	1,028	0.8	10.9
Major industries showing an increase in female workers	Q. Human Health and Social Work Activities	1,518	1,210	79.8	2,251	1,827	81.2	617	1.4	51.0
	M. Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities	1,089	346	31.8	1,373	467	34.0	121	2.2	34.8
	O. Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	688	224	32.5	833	316	37.9	92	5.4	41.2
Major industries showing a high share of female workers (2020)	Q. Human Health and Social Work Activities	1,518	1,210	79.8	2,251	1,827	81.2	617	1.4	51.0
	P. Education	1,586	1,002	63.2	1,654	1,076	65.0	74	1.9	7.4
	I. Accommodation and Food Service Activities	2,190	1,390	63.5	2,095	1,284	61.3	-106	-2.2	-7.6

9. Number of establishments by region

◇ Compared to 2015, Gyeonggi recorded the highest increase in establishments, which was followed by Seoul.

- Compared to 2015, Gyeonggi recorded the highest increase in establishments (312 thousand entities), which was followed by Seoul (127 thousand entities), Incheon (51 thousand entities), Gyeongnam (47 thousand entities) and Chungnam (46 thousand entities).
- As of the end of 2020, establishments in the Seoul Capital Area (Seoul, Incheon and Gyeonggi) recorded 2.961 million entities, which took up 49.2% of the total establishments. This share went up by 0.8%p from 48.4% in 2015.

<Major regions recording an increase in establishments>



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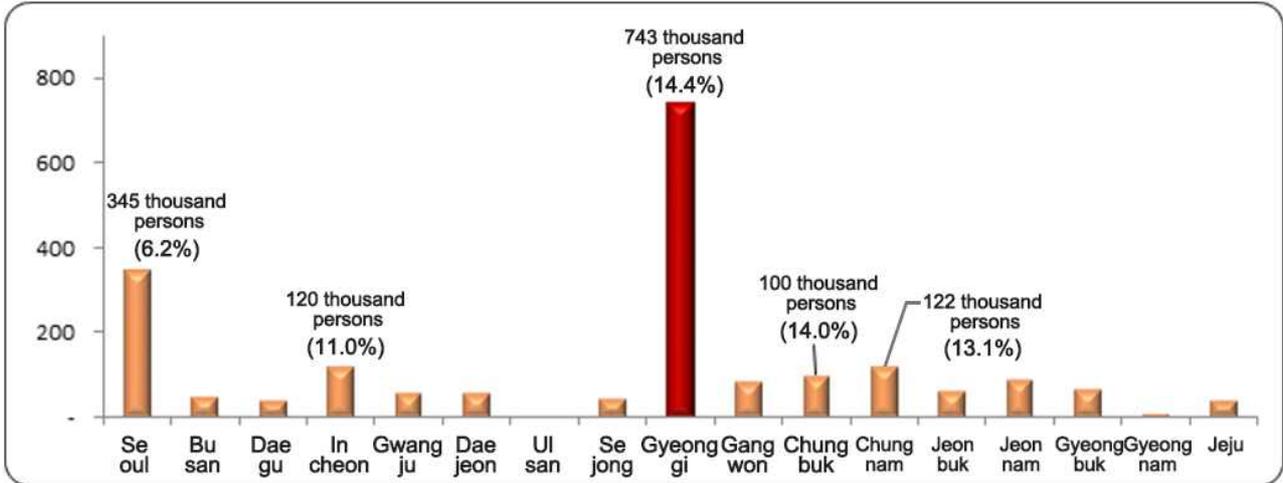
Area and regions		2015	Compo- sition	2020	Compo- sition	Change	Change in the share	Percent change
The nation		5,103	100.0	6,013	100.0	909	-	17.8
Area	Seoul Capital Area	2,471	48.4	2,961	49.2	490	0.8	19.8
	Other than Seoul Capital Area	2,632	51.6	3,051	50.8	419	-0.8	15.9
Regions showing an increase in establishments	Gyeonggi	1,138	22.3	1,450	24.1	312	1.8	27.4
	Seoul	1,079	21.1	1,206	20.1	127	-1.1	11.8
	Incheon	254	5.0	305	5.1	51	0.1	20.3
	Gyeongnam	339	6.6	387	6.4	47	-0.2	14.0
	Chungnam	206	4.0	252	4.2	46	0.2	22.4

10. Number of workers by region

◇ Compared to 2015, Gyeonggi recorded the highest increase in workers, which was followed by Seoul.

- Compared to 2015, Gyeonggi recorded the highest increase in workers (743 thousand persons), which was followed by Seoul (345 thousand persons), Chungnam (122 thousand persons), Incheon (120 thousand persons) and Chungbuk (100 thousand persons).
- As of the end of 2020, workers in the Seoul Capital Area (Seoul, Incheon and Gyeonggi) amounted to 12.979 million persons, which took up 52.3% of the total workers. This share went up by 0.6%p from 51.6% in 2015.

< Major regions recording an increase in workers >



(Unit: thousand persons, %, %p)

Area and regions		2015	Compo- sition	2020	Compo- sition	Change	Change in the share	Percent change
The nation		22,796	100.0	24,834	100.0	2,037	-	8.9
Area	Seoul Capital Area	11,771	51.6	12,979	52.3	1,208	0.6	10.3
	Other than Seoul Capital Area	11,025	48.4	11,855	47.7	830	-0.6	7.5
Regions showing an increase in workers	Gyeonggi	5,146	22.6	5,889	23.7	743	1.1	14.4
	Seoul	5,537	24.3	5,881	23.7	345	-0.6	6.2
	Chungnam	936	4.1	1,059	4.3	122	0.2	13.1
	Incheon	1,088	4.8	1,208	4.9	120	0.1	11.0
	Chungbuk	709	3.1	809	3.3	100	0.1	14.0