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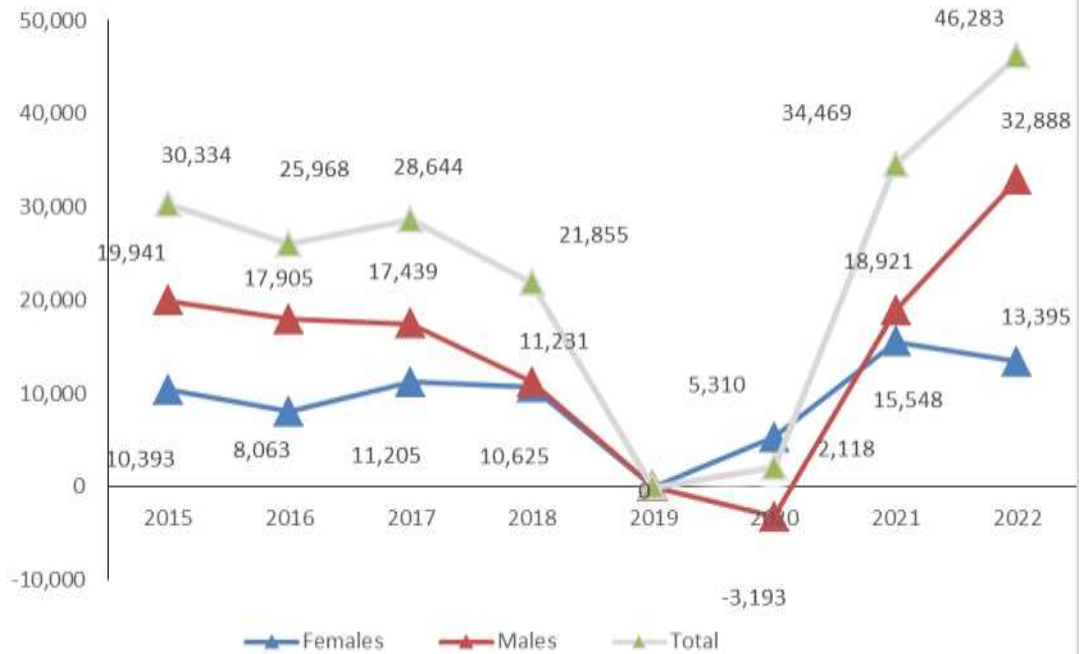
The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

Department of Statistics: 46,283 is the net newly created jobs during the second half of 2022

The Department Statistics issued its semi-annual report on the newly created jobs in the Kingdom for the second half of 2022, and the following is a review of the most important results:

- The net number of the newly created jobs in the Jordanian labor market during the second half of 2022 has reached (46,283) jobs, an increase of (3,062) jobs over the first half of the same year. The number of the newly created jobs during the second half of 2022 has reached (86,284) jobs and the number of job quits has reached (40,001).
- The results showed that the net newly created jobs for males has reached (32,888) jobs, which constituted 71.1% of the total net job opportunities, while the net newly created jobs for females has reached (13,395) jobs with a percentage of 28.9%.
- The net newly created jobs for males has decreased by (3,178) jobs and increased for females by (6,240) jobs compared to the first half of 2022.

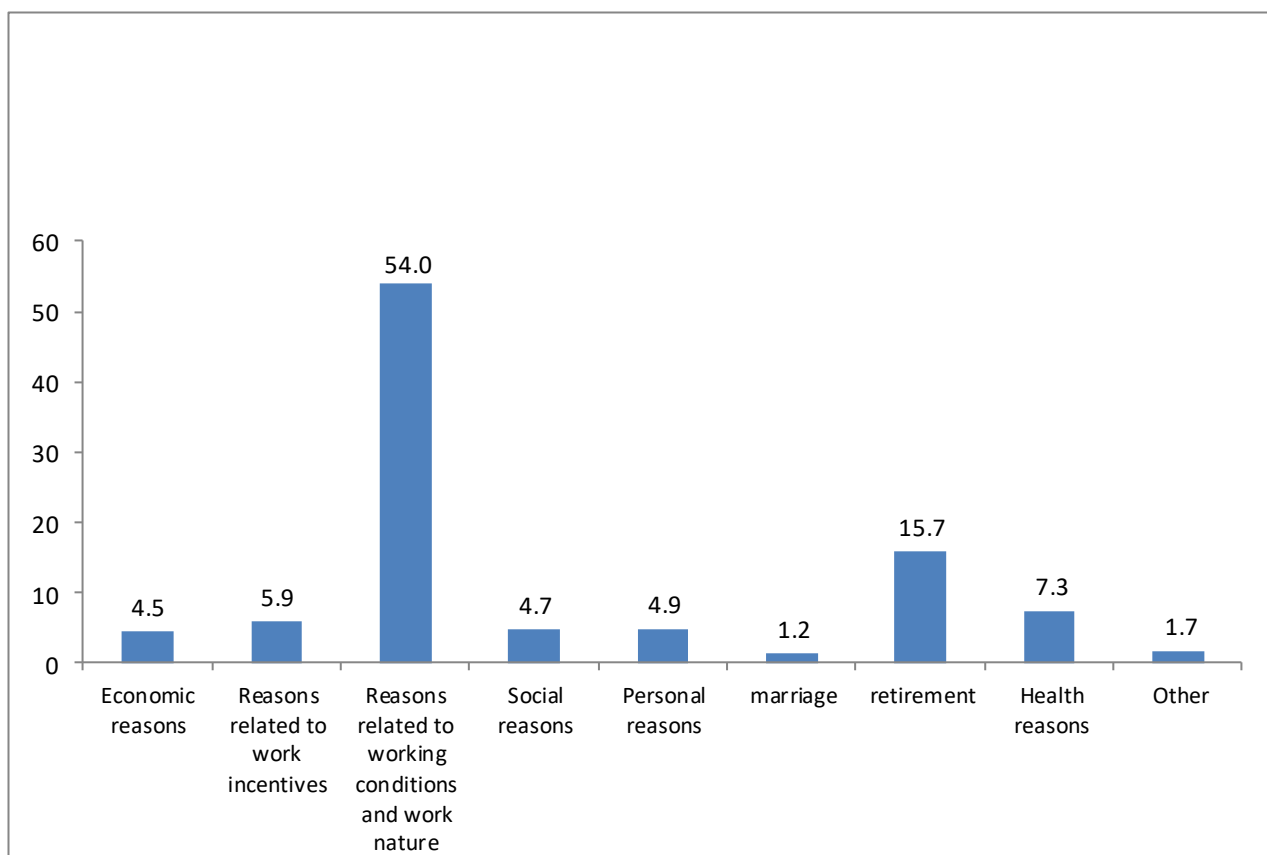
Figure2: Net newly created jobs by gender during the 2nd half of the years 2015-2022



- The results showed that the age group (20-29) years obtained the largest share of the net newly created jobs, amounting to (40,336) jobs, followed by the age group (30-39) years, with (6,983) jobs, then the age group (15-19) years with (2,436) jobs, noting that the age group (40+) years lost an amount of (3,471) job opportunities.
- The percentage of net newly created jobs has varied according to educational level and gender, as the percentage of the newly created jobs for males with a bachelor's degree or higher was 39.2% compared to 63.7% for females.
- The private sector contributed to the majority of the net newly created jobs, amounting to (36,405) jobs at a rate of 78.7%, while the contribution of the public sector was (9,453) jobs at a rate of 20.4%. As for the share of non-governmental organizations in the net number of jobs, it was very small at a rate of 0.7%.

- Amman was the highest in net newly created jobs, with a rate of 61% of the total net jobs created, while Ma'an recorded the lowest percentage in the newly created jobs, with a rate of 0.2% of the total net newly created jobs during the second half of 2022.
- As for the nationality, the results showed that the percentage of net newly created jobs for Jordanians in the second half of 2022 amounted to 88.6% of the total net job opportunities with (41,013) jobs compared to 87.9% with (38,003) during the first half of the same year.
- The survey results showed that the majority of net job opportunities were concentrated in the activity of wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles, amounting to (9,489) job opportunities, followed by education activity, where (7,150) job opportunities were created.
- In terms of profession, the results indicated that 39.3% of the total net newly created jobs were for specialists, followed by sales and service workers with a percentage of 33.2%.
- As for the reasons that lead the worker to quit his job and search for a new one, the results showed that the main reason was related to the inappropriate working conditions and the nature of the job, which accounted for the largest percentage with (54%), including the distance between home and workplace and the long working hours, while the percentage of (46%) was for other reasons. (See figure 2).

Figure (2): Relative distribution of job quits during the second half of 2022 according to the reason



- It should be noted that the survey of newly created jobs includes a sample size of about 50 thousand households distributed across all governorates of the Kingdom, and represents urban, rural and governorates. The newly created jobs survey is conducted semi-annually and provides data that reflects the reality of the entire half (July, August, September, October, November, and December), the individual is asked whether he got a new job, left his job or changed his job during the six months preceding the interview.