

NOTATIONS

- : Nil or negligible
- %-pt : Percentage point
- a : Adjusted figures for 2007
- n.a. : Not available/not applicable
- s : Data suppressed due to small number covered

ABBREVIATIONS

- BCA** : Building and Construction Authority
- Below Sec** : Below Secondary
- BEST** : Basic Education for Skills Training
- CDAC** : Chinese Development Assistance Council
- CDC** : Community Development Council
- CLFS** : Comprehensive Labour Force Survey
- CPF** : Central Provident Fund
- CPI** : Consumer Price Index
- Dip & Prof Qual** : Diploma & Professional Qualification
- DOS** : Department of Statistics
- e2i** : Employment and Employability Institute
- ES** : Employability Skills
- ESS** : Employability Skills System
- GCE** : General Certificate of Education
- H2** : Higher 2
- iMSS** : Integrated Manpower Survey System
- ISC** : ITE Skills Certificate
- ITE** : Institute of Technical Education
- LFPR** : Labour Force Participation Rate
- MOM** : Ministry of Manpower

NAFA	: Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts
NIE	: National Institute of Education
NITEC	: National ITE Certificate
NS	: National Service
NTUC	: National Trades Union Congress
OJT	: On-the-Job Training
p.a.	: Per Annum
PMETs	: Professionals, Managers, Executives & Technicians
Post-Sec	: Post-Secondary (Non-Tertiary)
PSLE	: Primary School Leaving Examination
Sec	: Secondary
SIA	: Singapore Airlines
SIM	: Singapore Institute of Management
SINDA	: Singapore Indian Development Association
SSEC	: Singapore Standard Educational Classification
SSIC	: Singapore Standard Industrial Classification
SSOC	: Singapore Standard Occupational Classification
WISE	: Worker Improvement through Secondary Education
WPLN	: Workplace Literacy and Numeracy
WSQ	: Workforce Skills Qualifications
Yrs	: Years