## **NOTATIONS**

Nil or negligible

**%-pt** : Percentage point

**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

**CPF** : Central Provident Fund

**CPI** : Consumer Price Index

**CSSWs** : Clerical, Sales & Service Workers

**Dip & Prof Qual**: Diploma & Professional Qualification

e2i : Employment and Employability Institute

**ES** : Employability Skills

**ESS** : Employability Skills System

**FWA** : Flexible Work Arrangement

**GCE** : General Certificate of Education

H2: Higher 2

**ILO** : International Labour Organisation

**iMSS** : Integrated Manpower Survey System

**Incl.** : Including

ISC : ITE Skills Certificate

: Institute of Technical Education

**LFPR**: Labour Force Participation Rate

**MOM** : Ministry of Manpower

MRSD : Manpower Research and Statistics Department

MTI : Ministry of Trade and Industry

**NAFA** : Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts

NIE : National Institute of Education

**NITEC** : National ITE Certificate

NS : National Service

NTUC : National Trades Union Congress

**OECD** : Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

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

**PTOCLs**: Production & Transport Operators, Cleaners & Labourers

Sec : Secondary

SIA : Singapore Airlines

SIM : Singapore Institute of Management

SINDA : Singapore Indian Development Association

: Singapore Standard Educational Classification

: Singapore Standard Industrial Classification

: Singapore Standard Occupational Classification

**US** : United States

**WISE** : Worker Improvement through Secondary Education

**WPLN** : Workplace Literacy and Numeracy

**WSQ** : Workforce Skills Qualifications

**Yrs** : Years