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Employment Increased by 767 Thousand in a Year, Decreased by 46 Thousand in a Month

Using the Social Security Institution (SGK) data for March 2018 and İSKUR data for April 2018, the 73th issue of TEPAV's Employment Monitoring Bulletin indicates that while the number of employees in formal employment increased by 767 thousand, number of companies increased by 132 thousand in March 2018 compared to in March 2017.

The sector with the highest increase in the number of employees in formal employment (4/a) is the education sector with an increase of 70 thousand. This sector is followed by construction of buildings with an increase of 66 thousand, public administration and defence; compulsory social security with an increase of 64 thousand, human health activities with an increase of 59 thousand and retail trade with an increase of 48 thousand.

The province in which the number of employees increased the most is İstanbul with an increase of 121 thousand. İstanbul is followed by Ankara with an increase of 58 thousand, Antalya and İzmir with an increase of 54 thousand, Bursa with an increase of 30 thousand.

Construction of buildings sector is the sector where the number of companies increased the most (10 thousand). This sector is followed by the wholesale trade sector, the land transport and transport via pipelines sector and retail trade sector with 9 thousand, and the food and beverage service activities with 8 thousand.

The highest increase took place in İstanbul with 27 thousand. İstanbul is followed by İzmir with 12 thousand, Ankara with 11 thousand, Bursa with 6 thousand and Antalya with 5 thousand.

Table 1. Top 5 Sectors in which Number of Employees Increased the Most (Mar 2018 – 2017)

Sectors	Mar 2018 – 2017
Education	69.734
Construction of Buildings	66.038
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	64.463
Human Health Activities	59.484
Retail Trade	48.169
All Sectors	767.023

Table 2. Top 5 Provinces where the Number of Employees Increased the Fastest (Mar 2018 – 2017)

Provinces	Mar 2018 – 2017
İstanbul	120.641
Ankara	57.989
Antalya	54.316
İzmir	53.952
Bursa	29.511
All Provinces	767.023

Table 3. Top 5 Sectors in which Number of Companies Increased the Most (Mar 2018 – 2017)

Sectors	Mar 2018 – 2017
Construction of Buildings	10.240
Wholesale Trade	9.147
Land Transport and Transport via Pipelines	8.800
Retail Trade	8.629
Food and Beverage Service Activities	7.814
All Sectors	131.980

Table 4. Top 5 Provinces where the Number of Companies Increased the Fastest (Mar 2018 – 2017)

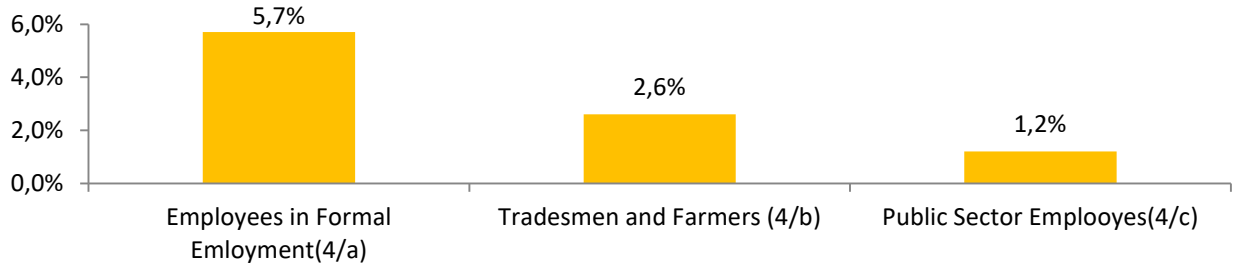
Provinces	Mar 2018 – 2017
İstanbul	26.961
İzmir	11.664
Ankara	10.933
Bursa	6.288
Antalya	5.388
All Provinces	131.980

General Evaluation – March 2018

Using the Social Security Institution (SSI) data for March 2018 and İSKUR data for April 2018, TEPAV's Employment Monitoring Bulletin's 73th issue analyzes monthly and annual changes in the total formal employment, companies, SME, tradesmen, farmers and public sector employees.

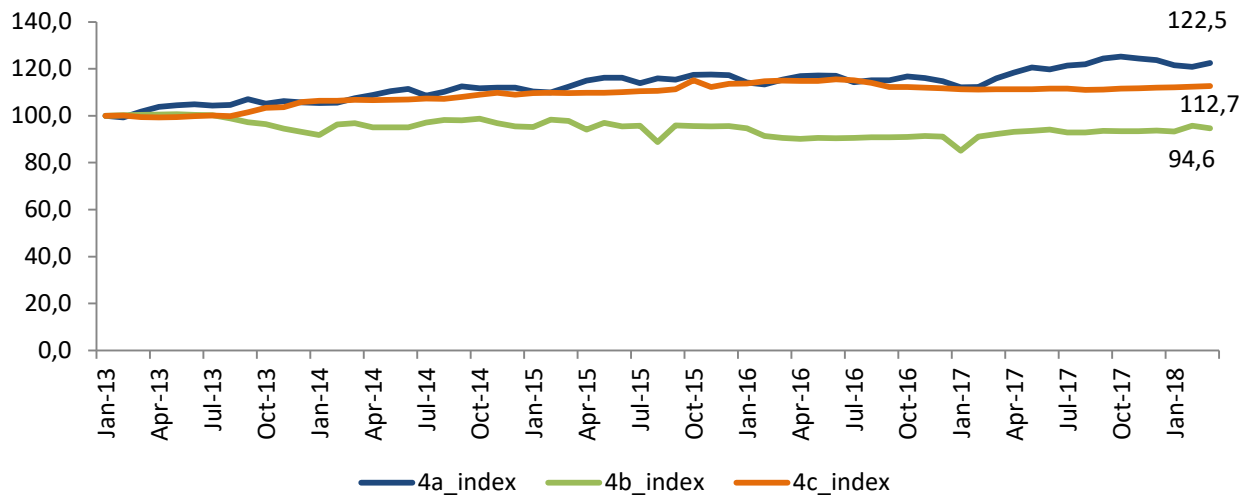
Looking at the changes in the last year, the highest increase in March 2018 is seen in the number of employees in formal employment with an increase of 5,7 percent. In the last year, the self-employed tradesman and farmers increased by 2,6 percent, and the number of public sector employees increased by 1,2 percent.

Figure 1. The number of employee change (March 2018 - March 2017)



When the number of employees in formal employment (4/a), self-employed tradesmen (4/b), farmers (4/b) and public sector employees (4/c) are taken as equal to 100 in January 2013, the values become 122,5 for employees in formal employment (4/a), 94,6 for self-employed merchants and farmers (4/b), and 112,7 for public servants in March 2018.

Figure 2. The number of employee according to months (January 2013=100)



Employment Increased by 767 Thousand in One Year

The number of employees in formal employment increased by 5,7 percent in March 2018 compared to March 2017 and to 14 million 326 thousand. Seasonally adjusted values show that the number of employees in formal employment decreased by 45 thousand compared to February 2018.*

In March 2018, the number of tradesmen and farmers increased by 2,6 percent compared to March 2017 and became 2 million 805 thousand. Considering the seasonally adjusted values, decrease in the number of tradesmen and farmers was 22 thousand compared to February 2018.

The number of public sector employees became 3 million 7 thousand with a increase of 1,2 percent compared to March 2017. Considering the seasonally adjusted values, the number of public sector employees increased by 4 thousand compared to February 2018.

*The Social Security Institution (SSI) announces its new monthly insurance statistics from April 2017. The newly announced dataset does not include interns and trainees in the in the scope of 4/a.

Table 5. Annual and Monthly Change in the numbers of 4/a Number of Employees, 4/b Number of Tradesman and Farmers, 4/c Public Sector Employees; (March 2018)

	Annual Change**	Monthly Change***
4/a Employees in Formal Employment	767.023	-45.572
4/b Tradesmen and Farmers	70.805	-22.268
4/c Public Sector Employees	36.018	3.942
* **Seasonally unadjusted value ** *Seasonally adjusted value		
Source: SGK, TEPAV	Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.	

Employment Increased by 767 Thousand in One Year

The number of employees in formal employment in March 2018 is 14 million 326 thousand with an 5,7 percent increase compared to March 2017. The seasonally adjusted series indicate that the number of employees decreased by 46 thousand compared to February 2018.

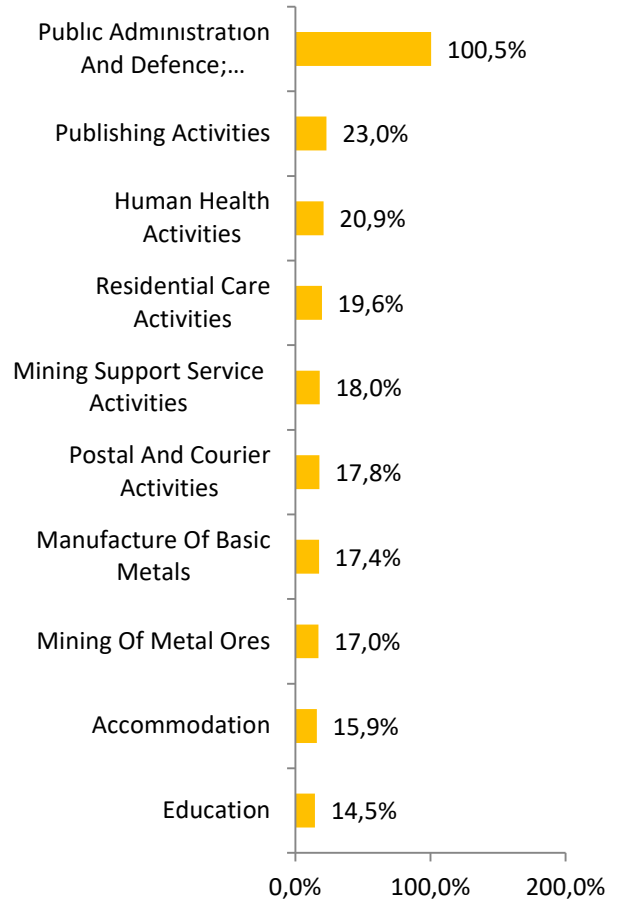
The highest increase was in the education sector with 70 thousand. Education sector is followed by construction of buildings with an increase of 66 thousand, public administration and defence; compulsory social security with an increase of 64 thousand. The sector with the fastest increase in the number of its employees is public administration and defence; compulsory social security with a 100,5 percent. This sector is followed by publishing activities with a 23 percent increase, human health activities with a 20,9 percent increase.

Table 6. Top 10 Sectors with the Largest Increase in the Number of Employees (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)

Sectors	Annual change*
Education	69.734
Construction of Buildings	66.038
Public Administration and Defence; Compulsory Social Security	64.463
Human Health Activities	59.484
Retail Trade	48.169
Food and Beverage Service Activities	45.017
Wholesale Trade	38.948
Manufacture of Wearing Apparel	35.557
Accommodation	32.564
Civil Engineering	31.257
All Sectors	767.023

* Seasonally *unadjusted* value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 3. Top 10 Sectors with the Fastest Increase in the Number of Employees (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

Services to Buildings and Landscape Activities is the Sector with the Highest Decrease in Employment in One Year

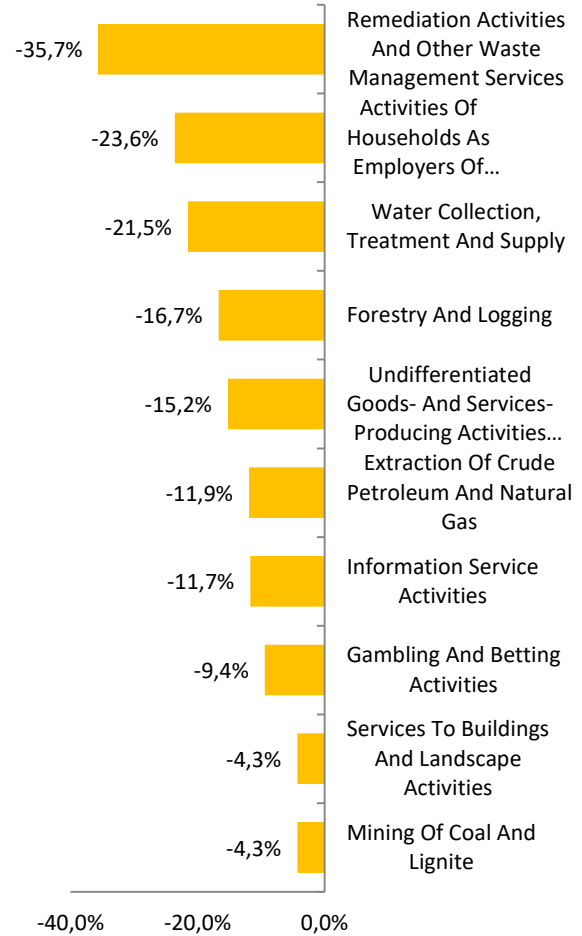
In March 2018, although the sectors in total witnessed a increase of 767 thousand, the number of employees in formal employment saw an decrease in 21 sectors in comparison to the figures of March 2017. Among the 21 sectors with a decrease in the number of employees in formal employment, the 10 sectors with the largest decreases are shown in Table 7. The highest decrease was in services to buildings and landscape activities sector with 29 thousand. Manufacturing industry sectors constitute 1 out of the 10 sectors where employment decreased the most in a year. The fastest decrease is in remediation activities and other waste management services sector with 35,7 percent.

Table 7. 10 Sectors where the Number of Employees (4/a) Decreased the Most (March; 2018- 2017)

Sectors	Annual change*
Services to Buildings and Landscape Activities	-29.399
Information Service Activities	-6.255
Forestry and Logging	-6.064
Activities of Households as Employers of Domestic Personnel	-5.277
Water Collection, Treatment and Supply	-3.532
Activities of Head Offices; Management Consultancy Activities	-3.399
Repair of Computers and Personal and Household Goods	-2.543
Repair and Installation of Machinery and Equipment	-2.469
Crop and Animal Production, Hunting and Related Service Activities	-2.446
Mining of Coal and Lignite	-1.619
All Sectors	767.023

* Seasonally unadjusted value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 4. 10 Sectors where the Number of Employees (4/a) Decreased the Fastest (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

Employment Increased by 186 Thousand in One Year in the Manufacturing Industry

In March 2018, the number of employees in the manufacturing industry increased by 186 thousand (5,3 percent) compared to March 2017. The number of employees increased by 28 thousand in the number of employees in the manufacturing industry compared to February 2018.

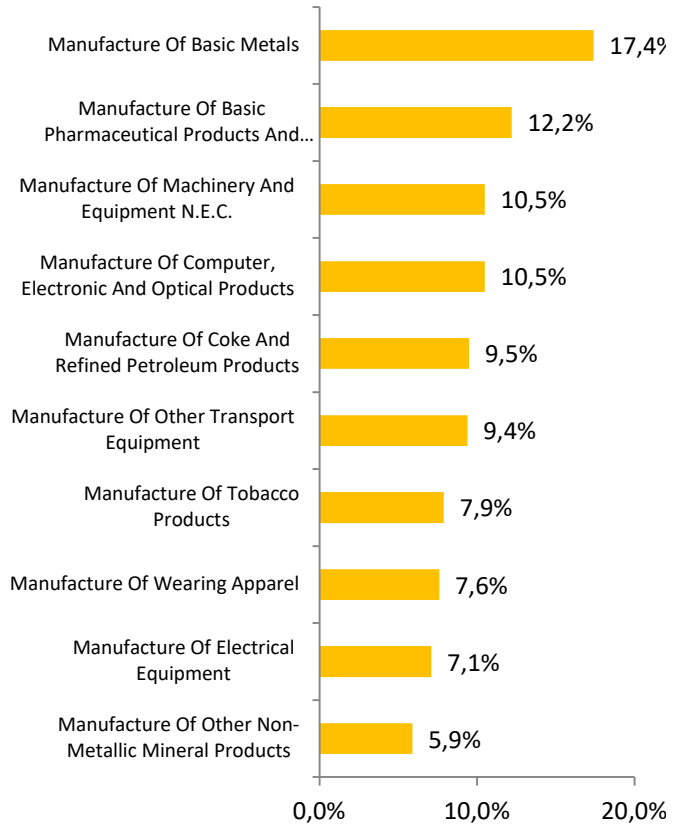
There was a decrease in the number of employees 2 of the 24 manufacturing industry sectors, compared to March 2017. The highest increase was in the manufacture of wearing apparel with 36 thousand. This sector is followed manufacture of basic metals with 25 thousand and the manufacture of textiles sector with 23 thousand. The number of employees increased the fastest in the manufacture of basic metals with 17,4 percent.

Table 8. 10 Manufacturing Sectors where the Number of Employees (4/a) Increased the Most (March; 2018 - 2017)

Sectors	Annual change*
Manufacture of Wearing Apparel	35.557
Manufacture of Basic Metals	24.583
Manufacture of Textiles	22.595
Manufacture of Machinery and Equipment N.E.C.	15.480
Manufacture of Other Non-Metallic Mineral Products	12.864
Manufacture of Rubber and Plastic Products	11.518
Manufacture of Motor Vehicles, Trailers and Semi-Trailers	10.956
Manufacture of Fabricated Metal Products	10.708
Manufacture of Electrical Equipment	9.771
Manufacture of Food Products	7483
All Manufacturing Sectors	185.583

* Seasonally unadjusted value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 5. 10 Manufacturing Sectors where the Number of Employees (4/a) Increased the Fastest (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

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Hakkari is the Province with the fastest Employment Increase

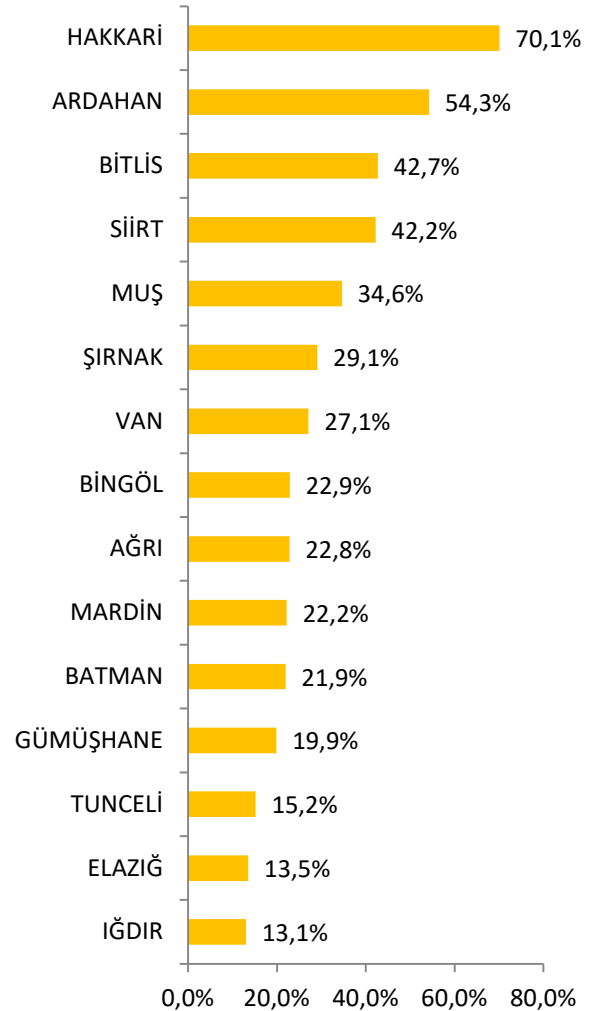
Compared to last year, the number of employees increased in 75 provinces and decreased in 6 provinces in March 2018. The highest increase took place in İstanbul with 121 thousand. Ankara (58 thousand), Antalya (54 thousand) and İzmir (54 thousand) follow İstanbul. Employment increased the fastest in Hakkari with 70,1 percent. Hakkari is followed by Ardahan, Bitlis, Siirt, and Muş.

Table 9. 15 Provinces where the Number of Employees (4/a) Increased the Most (March; 2018-2017)

Provinces	Annual change*
İstanbul	120.641
Ankara	57.989
Antalya	54.316
İzmir	53.952
Bursa	29.511
Gaziantep	26.313
Kocaeli	24.312
Muğla	20.553
Manisa	18.755
Konya	17.796
Van	17.688
Tekirdağ	17.068
Urfa	15.279
Mardin	13.976
Mersin	12.118
All Provinces	767.023

* Seasonally *unadjusted* value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 6. 15 Provinces where the Number of Employees (4/a) Increased the Fastest (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

Female Employment Increased by 352 Thousand in a Year

In March 2018, the number of female employees in formal employment increased by 352 thousand (9,5 percent). The number of female employees in formal employment increased by 38 thousand compared to February 2018.

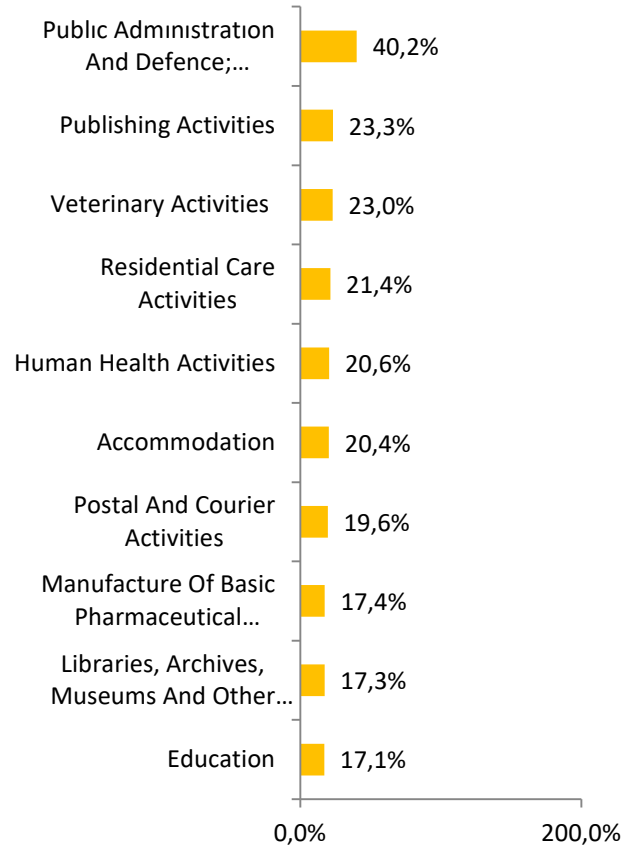
Compared to last year, the highest increase took place in the education sector with 54 thousand, followed by retail trade with 43 thousand, human health activities with 37 thousand. The number of female employees in formal employment increased the fastest in the public administration and defence, compulsory social security with 40,2 percent.

Table 10. Top 10 Sectors with the Largest Increase in the Number of Female Employees (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)

Sectors	Annual change*
Education	53.530
Retail Trade	42.981
Human Health Activities	37.241
Food and Beverage Service Activities	24.799
Manufacture of Wearing Apparel	24.711
Office Administrative, Office Support and Other Business Support Activities	20.203
Wholesale Trade	16.344
Accommodation	13.680
Manufacture of Food Products	11.327
Manufacture of Textiles	7.686
All Sectors	351.762

* Seasonally *unadjusted* value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 7. Top 10 Sectors with the Fastest Increase in the Number of Female Employees (4/a) (March; 2018- 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

Female Employment Increased by 76 Thousand in a Year In the Manufacturing Industry

In March 2018, the number of female employees in formal employment increased in the all sectors compared to March 2017. The number of female employees increased by 76 thousand compared to March 2017. The number of female employees increased by 8 thousand compared to February 2018.

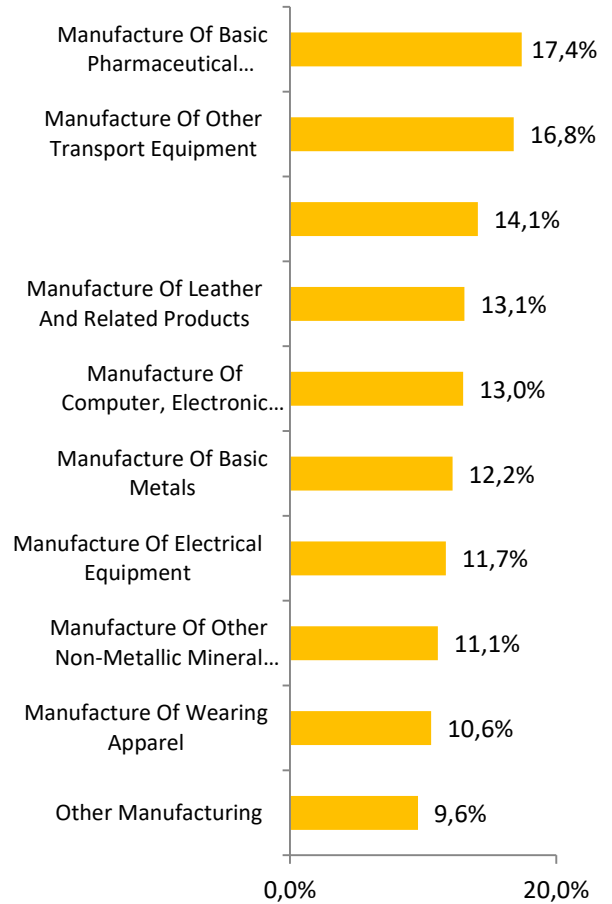
The highest increase took place in the manufacture of wearing apparel sector with 25 thousand, followed by manufacture of food products, and manufacture of textiles. Compared to March 2017, the number of female employees increased the fastest in manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations sector with 17,4 percent.

Table 11. 10 Manufacturing Sectors with the Largest Increase in the Number of Female Employees (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)

Sectors	Annual change*
Manufacture of Wearing Apparel	24.711
Manufacture of Food Products	11.327
Manufacture of Textiles	7.686
Manufacture of Fabricated Metal Products	3.942
Manufacture of Rubber and Plastic Products	3.742
Manufacture of Electrical Equipment	3.527
Manufacture of Other Non-Metallic Mineral Products	2.991
Manufacture of Machinery and Equipment N.E.C.	2.764
Manufacture of Motor Vehicles, Trailers and Semi-Trailers	2.667
Manufacture of Leather and Related Products	1.715
All Manufacture Sectors	75.572

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Sorted by annual change.

Figure 8. 10 Manufacturing Sectors with the Fastest Increase in the Number of Female Employees (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)



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İstanbul is the Province where the Number of Female Employees in Formal Employment Increased the Most in One Year

In March 2018, the number of female employees in formal employment increased by 352 thousand compared to March 2017. The number of female employees increased by 38 thousand compared to February 2018.

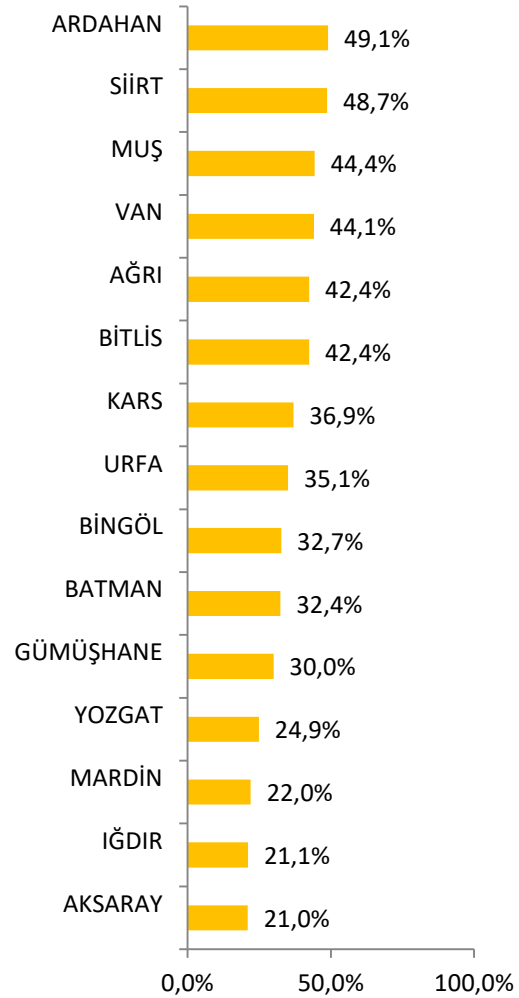
The highest increase took place in the provinces of İstanbul with 87 thousand. İstanbul is followed by Ankara (29 thousand), İzmir (27 thousand), and Antalya (23 thousand). The number of female employees increased the fastest in Ardahan with 49,1percent, followed by Siirt, Muş, Van, and Ağrı.

Table 12. Provinces with the Largest Increase in the Number of Female Employees (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)

Provinces	Annual change*
İstanbul	87.105
Ankara	28.745
İzmir	27.020
Antalya	23.188
Bursa	16.370
Kocaeli	9.205
Gaziantep	7.647
Manisa	7.420
Adana	7.023
Tekirdağ	6.931
Balıkesir	6.398
Urfa	6.354
Samsun	6.129
Konya	5.692
Mersin	5.446
All Provinces	351.762

* Seasonally unadjusted value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 9. Provinces with the Fastest Increase in the Number of Female Employees (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

The Number of Companies Increased in 74 out of 88 Sectors in a Year

The number of companies was 1 million 869 thousand with a 7,6 percent (132 thousand) increase compared to March 2017 in March 2018.

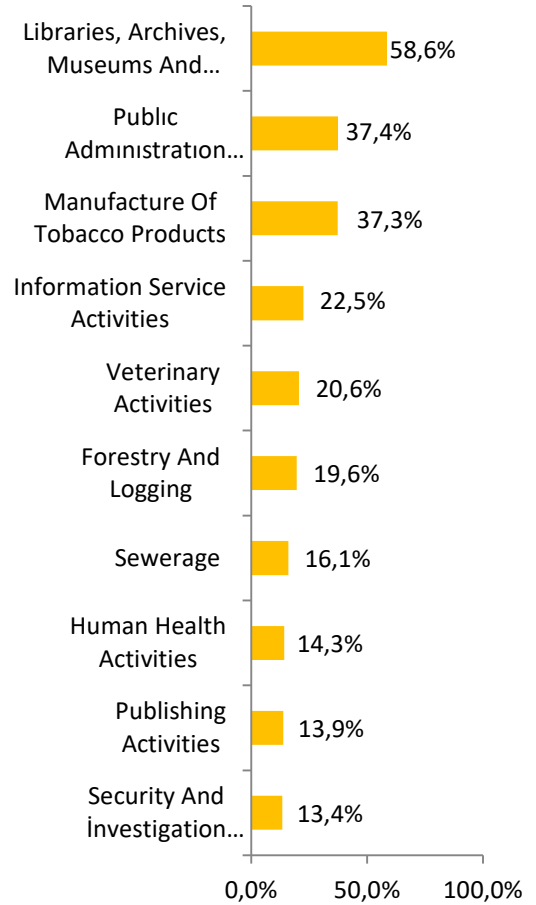
The highest increase took place in construction of buildings with 10 thousand in comparison to March 2017, followed by wholesale trade, land transport and transport via pipelines, retail trade and food and beverage service activities sectors. The number of companies increased the fastest in libraries, archives, museums and other cultural activities with 58,6 percent. This sector is followed by public administration and defence, compulsory social security, and manufacture of tobacco products sectors.

Table 13. Top 10 Sectors with the Largest Increase In the Number of Companies (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)

Sectors	Annual change*
Construction of Buildings	10.240
Wholesale Trade	9.147
Land Transport and Transport via Pipelines	8.800
Retail Trade	8.629
Food and Beverage Service Activities	7.814
Real Estate Activities	5.904
Wholesale and Retail Trade and Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles	4.890
Specialised Construction Activities	3.365
Legal and Accounting Activities	3.365
Human Health Activities	3.127
All Sectors	131.980

* Seasonally *unadjusted* value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 10. Top 10 Sectors with the Fastest Increase In the Number of Companies (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

The Number of Companies Increased in All Provinces in One Year

Compared to March 2017, the number of companies increased in all provinces in March 2018. The number of companies increased by 132 thousand (7,6 percent).

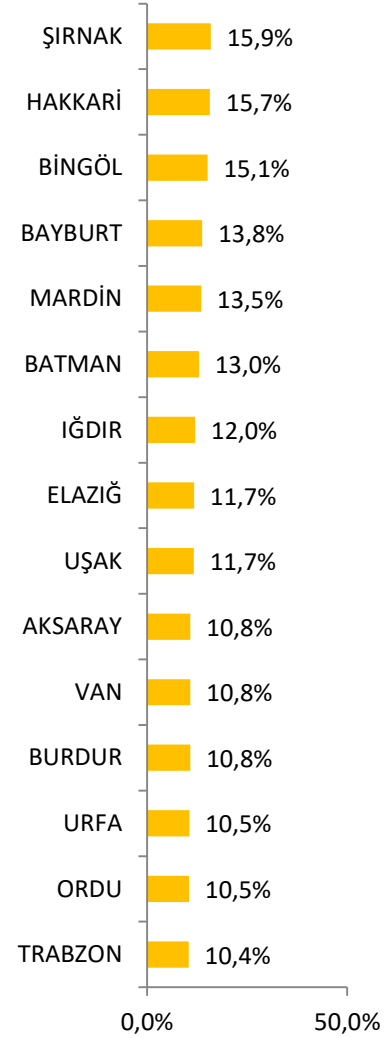
The largest increase took place in İstanbul with 27 thousand, followed by İzmir, Ankara, Bursa, and Antalya. The number of companies increased the fastest in Şırnak with 15,9 percent, followed by Hakkari, Bingöl, Bayburt, Mardin, and Batman.

Table 14. 15 Provinces with the Largest Increase in the Number of Companies (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)

Provinces	Annual change*
İstanbul	26.961
İzmir	11.664
Ankara	10.933
Bursa	6.288
Antalya	5.388
Kocaeli	3.686
Mersin	2.971
Muğla	2.965
Konya	2.867
Adana	2.654
Balıkesir	2.581
Denizli	2.389
Samsun	2.367
Manisa	2.284
Tekirdağ	2.257
All Provinces	131.980

* Seasonally unadjusted value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 11. 15 Provinces with the Fastest Increase in the Number of Companies (4/a) (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

The Number of SMEs Increased by 132 Thousand in One Year

The number of small and medium sized enterprises was 1 million 865 thousand with a 132 thousand increase in March 2018 compared to last year.

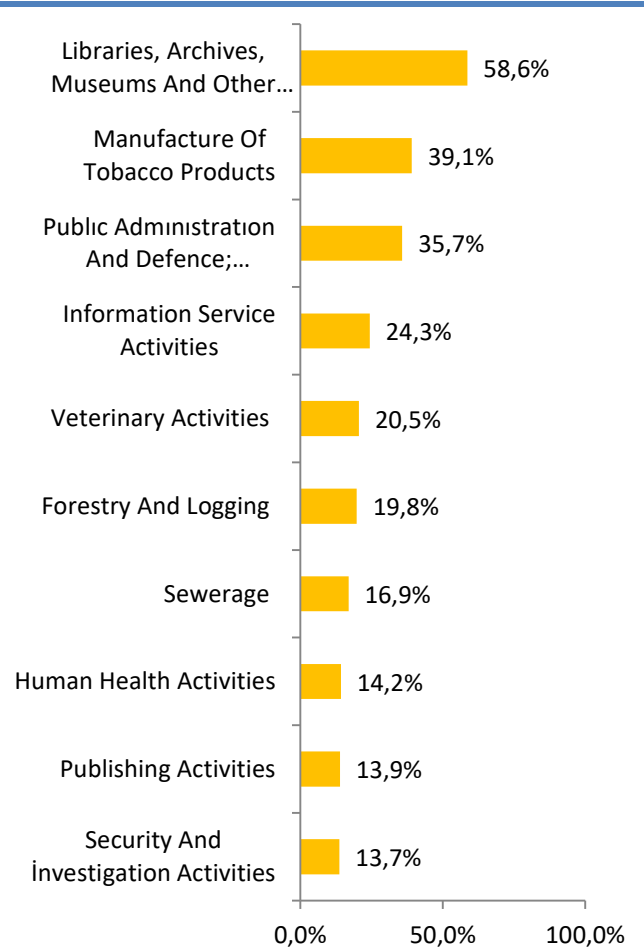
The highest increase took place in İstanbul with 27 thousand, followed by İzmir, Ankara, Bursa, and Antalya. Sectoral data show that the fastest increase took place in libraries, archives, museum and other cultural activities sector with 58,6 percent. This sector is followed by manufacture of tobacco products and public administration and defence, compulsory social security sectors.

Table 15. 15 Provinces where the Number of SMEs Increased the Most (March; 2018 - 2017)

Provinces	Annual change*
İstanbul	26.934
İzmir	11.632
Ankara	10.935
Bursa	6.274
Antalya	5.347
Kocaeli	3.672
Mersin	2.975
Muğla	2.953
Konya	2.874
Adana	2.648
Balıkesir	2.580
Denizli	2.387
Samsun	2.364
Manisa	2.278
Tekirdağ	2.247
All Provinces	131.685

* Seasonally *unadjusted* value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 12. 10 Sectors in which the Number of SMEs Increased the Fastest (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

The Number of SME Employees Increased by 640 Thousand in One Year

The number of small and medium sized enterprises employee increased by 640 thousand in March 2018 compared to March 2017. The number of SME employees increased by 173 thousand compared to February 2018.

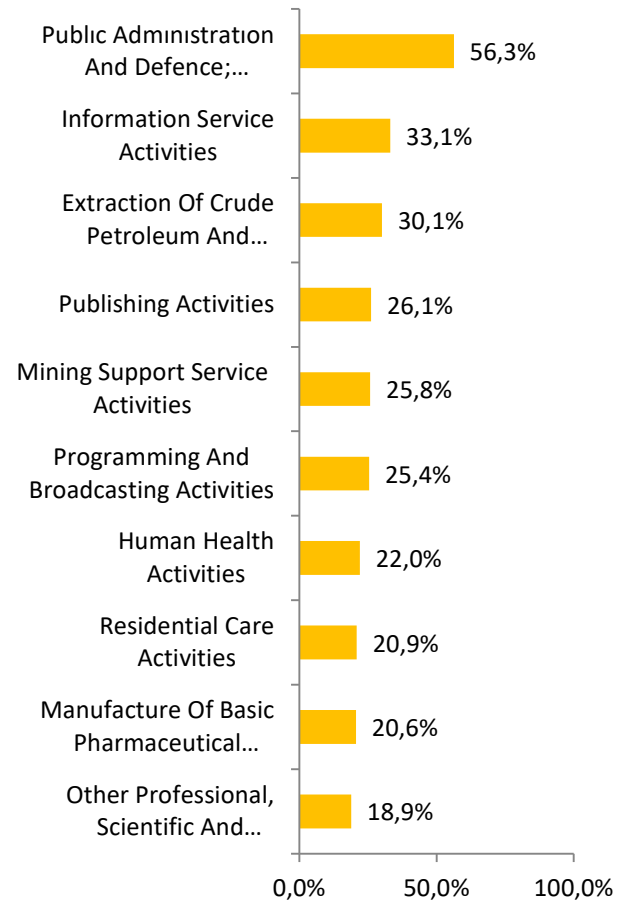
The highest increase took place in İstanbul with 118 thousand, İstanbul is followed by Ankara and İzmir (44 thousand), Antalya (40 thousand), and Bursa (27 thousand). Sectoral data show that the fastest increase took place in public administration and defence, compulsory social security sector with 56,3 percent. This sector is followed by information service activities, and extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas sectors.

Table 16. 15 Provinces where the Number of SME Employees Increased the Most (March; 2018 - 2017)

Provinces	Annual change*
İstanbul	117.605
Ankara	44.262
İzmir	43.872
Antalya	39.667
Bursa	27.118
Gaziantep	22.360
Kocaeli	21.032
Konya	17.429
Manisa	16.337
Tekirdağ	16.254
Adana	15.027
Mersin	14.761
Samsun	12.519
Muğla	11.984
Diyarbakır	11.808
All Provinces	639.599

* Seasonally unadjusted value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 13. 10 Sectors where the Number of SME Employees Increased the Fastest (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

The Number of Tradesmen Increased by 90 Thousand in One Year

The recorded number of tradesmen are 2 million 97 thousand with a 90 thousand (4,5 percent) increase in March 2018 when compared to March 2017. The number of tradesmen decreased by 26 thousand compared to February 2018.

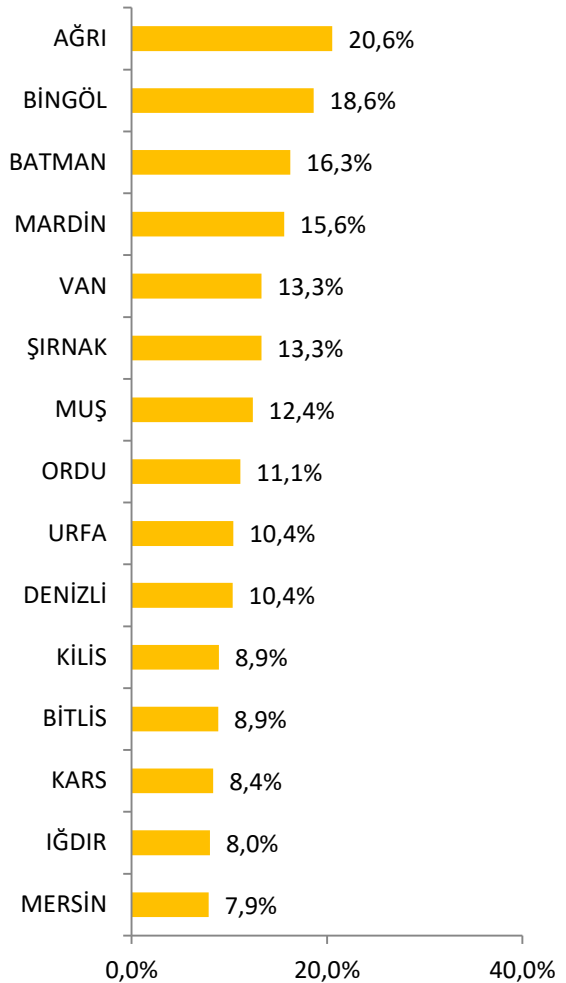
The highest decrease took place in İzmir with 8 thousand, followed by Ankara, İstanbul, Mersin, and Konya. The number of tradesman increased the fastest in Ağrı with 20,6 percent, followed by Bingöl, Batman, Mardin, and Van.

Table 17. 15 Provinces where the Number of Tradesmen (4/b) Increased the Most (March; 2018-2017)

Provinces	Annual change*
İzmir	8.325
Ankara	5.656
İstanbul	5.225
Mersin	3.653
Konya	3.585
Denizli	3.341
Urfa	3.172
Antalya	3.135
Gaziantep	3.093
Kocaeli	2.771
Bursa	2.339
Muğla	2.059
Kayseri	1.983
Van	1.752
Ordu	1.690
All Provinces	89.752

* Seasonally unadjusted value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 14.15 Provinces where the Number of Tradesmen (4/b) Increased the Fastest (March; 2018-2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

The Number of Farmers Decreased by 19 Thousand in One Year

In March 2018, the number of farmers decreased by 19 thousand (2,6 percent) when compared to March 2017. The number of farmers decreased by 5 thousand compared to February 2018.

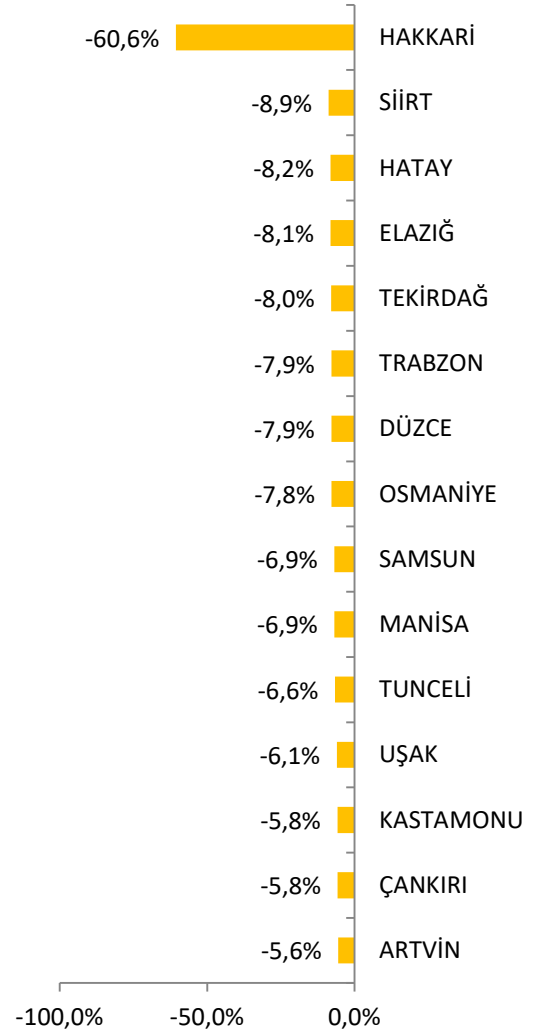
Compared to last year, the number of farmers decreased in 61 provinces. The highest decrease took place in Manisa with 2 thousand. Manisa is followed by Antalya, Hatay and Samsun. The number of farmers decreased the fastest in Hakkari with 60,6 percent. Hakkari is followed by Siirt, Hatay, and Elazığ.

Table 18. 15 Provinces where the Number of Farmers (4/b) Decreased the Most (March; 2018 - 2017)

Provinces	Annual change*
Manisa	-2.290
Antalya	-1.749
Hatay	-1.488
Samsun	-1.439
Hakkari	-1.427
Konya	-1.310
Balıkesir	-1.227
Aydın	-1.091
Denizli	-699
Mersin	-657
Tekirdağ	-585
Urfa	-559
Bursa	-555
Kastamonu	-520
Adana	-513
All Provinces	-18.947

* Seasonally unadjusted value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 15. 15 Provinces where the Number of Farmers (4/b) Decreased the Fastest (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

The Number of Public Sector Employees Increased by 36 Thousand in One Year

When compared to March 2017, the number of public sector employees increased by 36 thousand (1,2 percent) in March 2018. Seasonally adjusted series indicate that the number of public sector employees increased by 4 thousand compared to February 2018.

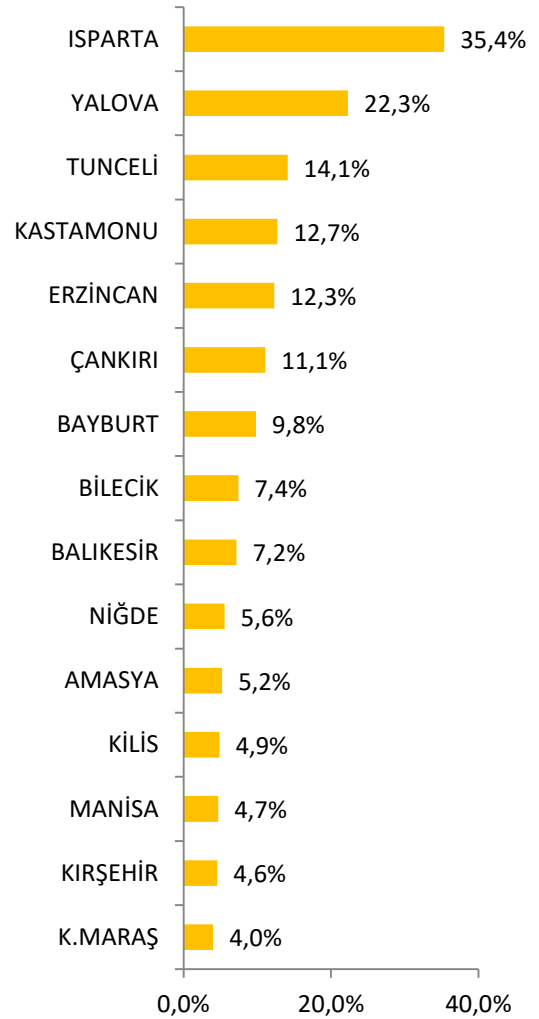
In comparison to March 2017, the highest increase took place in Isparta with 10 thousand, followed by Isparta, İzmir, Balıkesir and Kastamonu. The number of public sector employees increased in Isparta the fastest with 35,4 percent.

Table 19. 15 Provinces where the Number of Public Sector Employees (4/b) Increased the Most (March; 2018 - 2017)

Provinces	Annual change*
Ankara	9.578
Isparta	8.494
İzmir	4.467
Balıkesir	3.369
Kastamonu	2.249
Yalova	2.147
Manisa	2.071
İstanbul	2.009
Erzincan	1.671
Tunceli	1.439
K.Maraş	1.434
Samsun	1.394
Şırnak	1.069
Çankırı	1.002
Muğla	900
All Provinces	36.018

* Seasonally *unadjusted* value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 16. 15 Provinces where the Number of Public Sector Employees (4/b) Increased the Fastest (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

Ardahan is the Province where the Average Daily Earnings Increased the Most

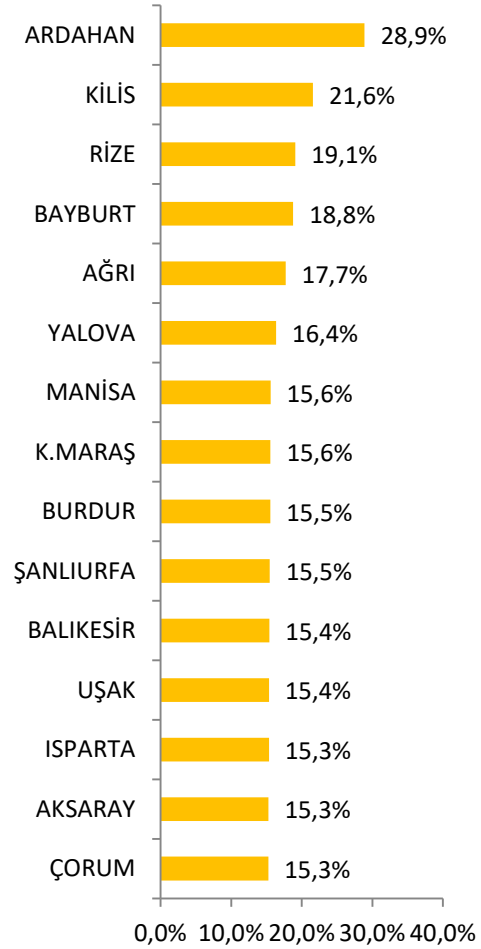
Average daily earnings for the employees (4/a) are given in the table below. The highest increase between March 2018 and March 2017 was in Ardahan with 25,76 TL, followed by Kocaeli, Kilis, İstanbul and Zonguldak. Average daily earnings increased the fastest in Ardahan with 28,9 percent, followed by Kilis, Rize and Bayburt.

Table 20. 15 Provinces where the Average Daily Earnings (TL) (4/a) Increased the Most (March; 2018 - 2017)

Provinces	Annual change*
Ardahan	25,76
Kocaeli	15,92
Kilis	15,35
İstanbul	14,84
Zonguldak	14,68
Rize	14,40
Tekirdağ	14,37
Ağrı	14,33
Bayburt	14,18
Eskişehir	14,11
Yalova	14,05
Bilecik	14,00
Manisa	13,90
Ankara	13,85
İzmir	13,69
All Provinces	12,95

* Seasonally *unadjusted* value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 17. 15 Provinces where the Average Daily Earnings (TL) (4/a) Increased the Fastest (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

Air Transport is the Sector where the Average Daily Earnings Increased the Most

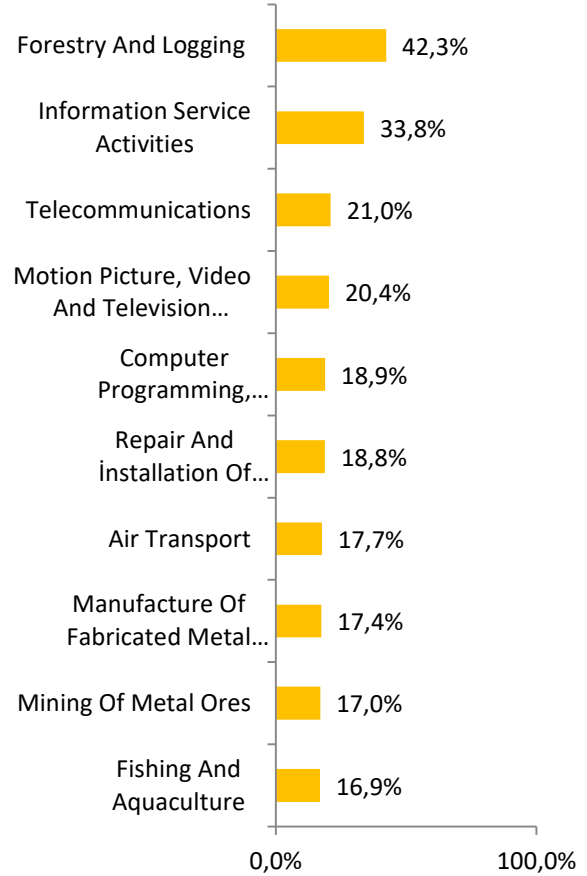
Average daily earnings for the employees (4/a) are given in the table below. The highest increase between March 2017 and March 2018 was in air transport with 53,88 TL, followed by forestry and logging and manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products sectors. Average daily earnings increased the fastest in forestry and logging with 42,3 percent.

Table 21. 10 Sectors where the Average Daily Earnings (TL) (4/a) Increased the Most (March; 2018 - 2017)

Sectors	Annual change*
Air Transport	53,88
Forestry and Logging	41,69
Manufacture of Coke and Refined Petroleum Products	39,92
Information Service Activities	34,07
Computer Programming, Consultancy and Related Activities	32,47
Telecommunications	32,10
Extraction of Crude Petroleum and Natural Gas	30,21
Financial Service Activities, Except Insurance and Pension Funding	29,04
Insurance, Reinsurance and Pension Funding, Except Compulsory Social Security	27,53
Activities of Extraterritorial Organisations and Bodies	26,75
All Sectors	12,95

* Seasonally *unadjusted* value
Sorted by annual change.

Figure 18. 10 Sectors where the Average Daily Earnings (TL) (4/a) Increased the Fastest (March; 2018 - 2017)



Source: SGK, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on March 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.

The Number of Applicants for Unemployment Compensation Increased by 10 Thousand in One Year

In April 2018, the number of applicants for unemployment compensation increased by 10 thousand (11,1 percent) compared to in April 2017. The highest increase was in Diyarbakır, İzmir, Manisa, Van, and Ankara. The number of unemployment compensation increased by 7 thousand (16,6 percent) in April 2018 compared to in April 2017. The highest increase was in İstanbul. İstanbul is followed by Diyarbakır, İzmir, and Ankara.

Table 22. 15 Provinces where the Number of Applicants for Unemployment Compensation Increased the Most (April; 2018 - 2017)

Provinces	Annual change*	Monthly change**
Diyarbakır	954	1.151
İzmir	647	375
Manisa	566	278
Van	547	820
Ankara	498	732
Mardin	477	296
İstanbul	461	-5
Gaziantep	421	127
Mersin	379	352
Adana	360	168
Samsun	284	75
Aydın	227	85
Hatay	216	182
Afyonkarahisar	193	149
Bursa	180	187
All Provinces		-5.106**
All Provinces	9.871*	-3.417*

Table 23. 15 Provinces where the Number of Unemployment Compensation Increased the Most (April; 2018 - 2017)

Provinces	Annual change*	Monthly change**
İstanbul	951	93
Diyarbakır	757	861
İzmir	607	367
Ankara	477	434
Van	314	394
Mardin	292	178
Bursa	282	254
Manisa	227	126
Kocaeli	205	57
Gaziantep	201	85
Adana	193	134
Mersin	183	143
Antalya	167	162
Samsun	163	58
Aydın	157	103
All Provinces		1.237**
All Provinces	7.125*	764*

* Seasonally unadjusted value

**Seasonally adjusted values
Sorted by annual change.

Source: İŞKUR, TEPAV

Detailed information and data on April 2018 are available in the accompanying Excel document.