



Employment Survey

The annual Employment Survey is a tool used by the Department of Statistics to track and evaluate current employment levels in Bermuda. The purpose of the Employment survey is to provide a count of all jobs in the Bermuda labour market. An analysis of each job is described by occupation, industry and special demographics such as the age, race and sex of the job holder.

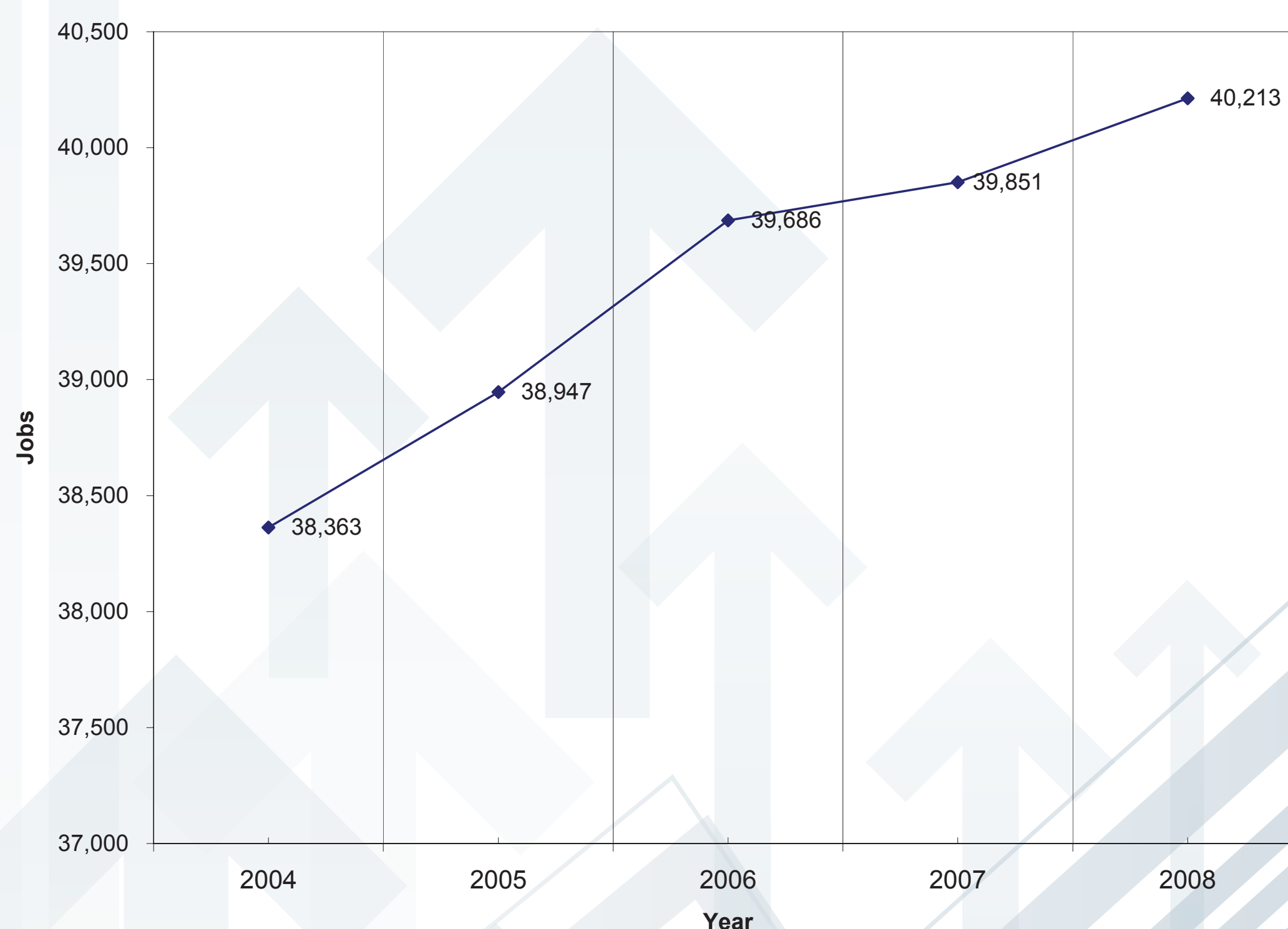
The information collected from the Employment Survey is the primary source used for analyzing employment trends in Bermuda and is disseminated as an objective source of employment information for use by government, business and the general public.



Highlights

- **Total Jobs Continue to Rise – Overall employment increased by 362 jobs from 39,851 in 2007 to 40,213 in 2008.**
- **3% Increase for Median Annual Income – The median annual income for all job holders was \$54,867, a 3% rise from 2007. This means that half the number of job holders earned more than \$54,867 a year and half made less.**
- **Overseas Workers Continue to Flock to Bermuda for Labour – There were 330 more non-Bermudian workers in 2008.**

Total Filled Jobs, 2004-2008



Shortages of Bermudians in Selected Occupations, 2008

	TOTAL JOBS 2008	OTHER NON-BERMUDIANS 2008	% JOBS FILLED BY OTHER NON-BERMUDIANS 2008
Senior Officials and Managers			
Finance (Ins. Banking Accounting) - Gen. Manager	159	90	57%
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Director and chief executive	121	56	46%
Corporate / Legal - Manager	12	5	42%
Professionals			
Actuary	141	126	89%
Accountant I	801	575	72%
Pharmacist	30	20	67%
Floral arranger	21	14	67%
Accountant II	488	322	66%
Radiological technologist	44	28	64%
Meteorologist	8	5	63%
Nurse Registered	461	288	62%
Quantity surveyor	39	23	59%
Other teaching professionals not elsewhere classified	24	14	58%
Technicians and Associate Professionals			
Civil engineering technician	7	4	57%
Broker	104	59	57%
Architectural assistant/technician	48	27	56%
Dispensing optician	2	1	50%
Fitness instructor/Physical trainer	48	24	50%
Underwriter	400	194	49%
Dental hygienist (Oral)	33	16	48%
Draughtsperson (General)	14	6	43%
Police officer/Detective	340	139	41%
Clerks			
Telegrapher	7	4	57%
Legal secretary	184	83	45%
Service Workers and Shop and Market Sales Workers			
Nursemaid/Nanny	162	139	86%
Sous chef/Second chef	119	100	84%
Waiter/Chef de Rang	263	221	84%
Chef de partie/Cook	664	544	82%
Waiter/Waitress general	645	459	71%
Beautician	167	112	67%
Dish and pot washer	202	129	64%
Executive Chef/Head cook	99	62	63%
Housekeeper (Private Service)	276	161	58%
Skilled Agricultural and Fishery Workers Craft and related Trades Workers			
Farm worker (General)	36	34	94%
Landscape gardener	414	284	69%
Gardener (General)	204	101	50%
Craft and Related Trades Workers			
Dental mechanic	3	3	100%
Tailor/Dressmaker	10	9	90%
Butcher/Fish butcher	65	54	83%
Wood furniture finisher	10	8	80%
Baker/Mixer	51	40	78%
Upholsterer	12	9	75%
Dairy products processor	9	6	67%
Mason	759	469	62%
Watch Clock Precision and Optical Instrument Assembler and Repairer	5	3	60%
Tiler	57	30	53%