

Table S1. The history of the Japan Standard Occupational Classification^a

1st revision, 1970		2nd revision, 1979		3rd revision, 1986		4th revision, 1997	
No.	Occupation (major group)	No.	Occupation (major group)	No.	Occupation (major group)	No.	Occupation (major group)
(1)	[1] Professional and technical workers	(1)	[1] Professional and technical workers	(1)	[1] Professional and technical workers	(1)	[1] Specialist and technical workers
(2)	[2] Managers and officials	(2)	[2] Managers and officials	(2)	[2] Managers and officials	(2)	[2] Administrative and managerial workers
(3)	[3] Clerical and related workers	(3)	[3] Clerical and related workers	(3)	[3] Clerical and related workers	(3)	[3] Clerical workers
(4)	[4] Sales workers	(4)	[4] Sales workers	(4)	[4] Sales workers	(4)	[4] Sales workers
(5)	[7] Farmers, Lumbermen and fishermen	(5)	[7] Agricultural, forestry and fisheries workers	(5)	[5] Service workers	(5)	[5] Service workers
(6)	[9] Workers in mining and quarrying occupations	(6)	[9] Mining workers	(6)	[6] Protective service workers	(6)	[6] Security workers
(7)	[8] Workers in transport and communications occupations	(7)	[8] Workers in transport and communications occupations	(7)	[7] Agricultural, forestry and fisheries workers	(7)	[7] Agriculture, forestry and fishery workers
(8)	[9] Craftsmen, production process workers and labourers	(8)	[9] Craftsmen, production process workers and labours	(8)	[8] Workers in transport and communications occupations	(8)	[8] Transport and communication workers
(9)	[6] Protective service workers	(9)	[6] Protective service workers	(9)	[9] Craftsmen, mining, production process and construction workers and laborers	(9)	[9] Production process and related workers
(10)	[5] Service workers	(10)	[5] Service workers	(10)	[10] Workers not classifiable by occupation	(10)	[10] Workers not classifiable by occupation
(11)	[10] Unclassifiable	(11)	[10] Workers not classifiable by occupation	(11)	[11] Non-employed ^b	(11)	[11] Non-employed ^b
(12)	[11] Non-employed ^b	(11)	[11] Non-employed ^b				

^a We consistently used occupation (major group) of the 4th revision. The number in square brackets is the classification used in this present study.

^b Non-employed includes the unemployed as well as the non-labor force in line with the *Report of Vital Statistics: Occupational and Industrial Aspects*.