Data Dictionary for Other Establishments with Testing Activities - Persons Engaged by Occupation

Data are compiled by Census and Statistics Department as from 2010.

Data source: Annual Survey of Economic Activities, and special data collection exercise for laboratories in Government departments/ public organisations

Other establishments refer to in-house laboratories in large manufacturers and exporters engaging 100 persons or more, and laboratories in Government departments/public organisations.

Figures are rounded to the nearest 10.

Item	Description	Data Type	Remark
Year	Reporting year	Numeric	In yyyy format
Professional staff engaged in testing, inspection and certification services	Number of professional staff engaged in testing, inspection and certification services	Numeric	Professional staff refer to those staff engaging in the practical application of scientific concepts and theories (e.g. physicists, biologists, chemists, biochemists, etc.).
Associate professional staff engaged in testing, inspection and certification services	Number of associate professional staff engaged in testing, inspection and certification services	Numeric	Associate professional staff refer to those staff assuming operational responsibility and giving technical support to professionals in engineering and natural sciences (e.g. life science technicians, medical science technicians, medical laboratory technicians, etc.).
Other staff	Number of other staff	Numeric	Other staff include managers and administrators; other professional and associate professional staff and sales workers.