

Bahrain: Terminated employment and dependent visas by sector of economic activity (Q2 2009 – Q2 2014)

Year	Quarter	Agriculture, hunting and forestry		Mining and quarrying		Manufacturing		Electricity, gas and water supply		Construction		Wholesale and retail trade, repair		Hotels and restaurants		Transport, storage, information and communication		Financial intermediation		Real estate, renting and business activities		Public administration		Education		Health and social work		Other social, personal and domestic services		Extra-territorial organizations, bodies		Not specified		Total
		Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent	Employment	Dependent			
2009	Q2	13	3	0	0	11	18	660	97	1	1	5,288	299	1,027	381	206	222	1,328	222	11	6	120	68	28	5	224	5	0	0	365	61	21,228	2,229	
2010	Q2	13	3	0	0	11	18	660	97	1	1	5,288	299	1,027	381	206	222	1,328	222	11	6	120	68	28	5	224	5	0	0	365	61	21,228	2,229	
2011	Q2	13	3	0	0	11	18	660	97	1	1	5,288	299	1,027	381	206	222	1,328	222	11	6	120	68	28	5	224	5	0	0	365	61	21,228	2,229	
2012	Q2	13	3	0	0	11	18	660	97	1	1	5,288	299	1,027	381	206	222	1,328	222	11	6	120	68	28	5	224	5	0	0	365	61	21,228	2,229	
2013	Q2	13	3	0	0	11	18	660	97	1	1	5,288	299	1,027	381	206	222	1,328	222	11	6	120	68	28	5	224	5	0	0	365	61	21,228	2,229	
2014	Q2	13	3	0	0	11	18	660	97	1	1	5,288	299	1,027	381	206	222	1,328	222	11	6	120	68	28	5	224	5	0	0	365	61	21,228	2,229	

Source: Labour Market Regulatory Authority (LMRA), Expatriate Management System (EMS)
ANNEXED NOTE

1. Technical Notes and Definitions

This table shows the flow of renewed permits (or visas) that are given to foreigners by the LMRA. These renewed visas combine those given for regular and temporary workers, investors and dependents. The LMRA Expatriate Management System (EMS) stores information and past history of sponsors and workers, and their dependents, within the scope of Law No. 19/2006 on regulating the labour market. The scope of the system covers regular, temporary and investor work visas for foreign workers, their dependents, in the commercial sector, the government sector and the non-commercial, non-government sector. It presently excludes domestic workers, and work visas for artists and certain other categories of workers in non-civilian organizations. It distinguishes four types of visas for operational purposes: regular work visas for workers with 24-month validity; temporary work visas issued for workers with 6-month validity; investor work visas issued for investors investing up to BD 100,000; and dependent visas issued for dependent members of eligible foreign workers. The system tracks visa applications, renewals, mobility of workers between employers and from one occupation to another as well as notification of termination and runaway workers, and in general all operations of LMRA including inspection and offence management. The system is updated continuously and linked with other labour-related databases of the Kingdom, including CIO, GDNPR, GOSI, PFC, CSB, Ministry of Labour (MoL), and Ministry of Industry and Commerce (MOIC). Termination refers to an employer's application to the LMRA announcing the end of employment of a foreign worker in the economic unit (CR/Branch) **Work Visa** is a legal certificate to allow a foreign worker to enter the country for working purposes for a period of two years with the possibility of renewal. **Worker** is a generic term that refers to an employed person in general, or to an employee, a self-employed, or a particular category of worker, such as full-time or part-time worker, depending on the context in which the term is used. Four major categories of workers in terms of their status in employment are employees, employers, own-account workers, and unpaid family workers. * When there is a discrepancy between the calculated total and that shown in the LMRA original table (such as in Q2 2014 for Dependent visas), the

calculated total is used.

2. Institution which provides data

Labour Market Regulatory Authority (LMRA).

3. Data availability

The LMRA publishes these data under its Bahrain Labour Market Indicators (BLMI) section. The BLMI dashboard can be found in: (http://blmi.lmra.bh/2014/03/mi_dashboard.xml). The general BLMI data with other non-LMRA sources can be found:

(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2014/03/mi_data.xml)

Figures and results are often reported in tables in both PDF and Excel formats.

Data for this LMRA table for 2009 can be found here:

(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2009/06/data/lmr/Table_37a.pdf),
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2009/09/data/lmr/Table_37a.pdf) and
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2009/12/data/lmr/Table_37a.pdf).

Data for 2010 can be found here:

(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2010/03/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf),
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2010/06/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf),
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2010/09/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf) and
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2010/12/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf)

Data for 2011 can be found here:

(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2011/03/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf),
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2011/06/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf),
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2011/09/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf) and
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2011/12/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf)

Data for 2012 can be found here:

(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2012/03/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf),
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2012/06/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf),
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2012/09/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf) and
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2012/12/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf).

Data for 2013 can be found here:

(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2013/03/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf),
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2013/06/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf),
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2013/09/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf) and
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2013/12/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf).

Data for 2014 can be found here:

(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2014/03/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf) and
(http://blmi.lmra.bh/2014/06/data/ems/Table_37a.pdf).

The definitions that the LMRA adopts for its data can be found in the Glossary section: (http://blmi.lmra.bh/mi_glossary.xml).

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