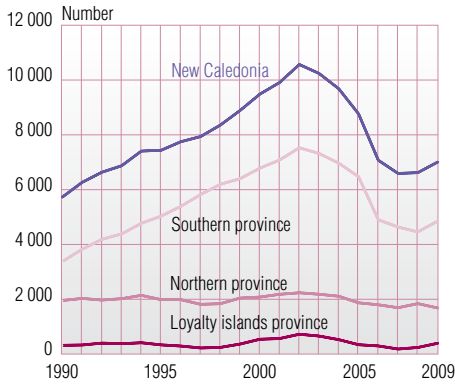


## 11.4 Job seekers

**Annual number of job seekers  
(end-of-month average) [1]**



**End-of-month job seekers  
by gender and age in 2009 [1]**

	Number	%
<b>Males</b>	<b>2 802</b>	<b>40.1</b>
Under 26 years	688	9.9
from 26 to 35 years	941	13.5
Over 36 years	1 173	16.8
<b>Females</b>	<b>4 179</b>	<b>59.9</b>
Under 26 years	1 224	17.5
from 26 to 35 years	1 497	21.4
Over 36 years	1 458	20.9
<b>All</b>	<b>6 981</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**End-of-month job seekers  
by qualification in 2009 [1]**

	%
<b>Qualified</b>	<b>51.4</b>
Management	3.2
Supervisors	2.8
Technicians	2.9
Highly qualified employees	3.7
Qualified employees	26.5
Highly qualified labourers	2.5
Qualified labourers	9.8
<b>Unqualified</b>	<b>48.6</b>
Unqualified employees	21.5
Specialised workers	8.3
Labourers	18.8
<b>All</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**End-of-month\* job seeker  
numbers by province [1]**

	Loyalty islands province	Northern province	Southern province	New Caledonia
1990	356	1 977	3 386	5 719
1995	372	2 008	5 029	7 410
1996	330	2 007	5 382	7 719
1997	260	1 839	5 808	7 906
1998	281	1 861	6 179	8 321
1999	402	2 065	6 383	8 849
2000	576	2 101	6 762	9 439
2001	601	2 201	7 058	9 860
2002	757	2 256	7 498	10 511
2003	691	2 203	7 293	10 187
2004	561	2 131	6 940	9 632
2005	378	1 893	6 454	8 725
2006	334	1 822	4 893	7 049
2007	222	1 716	4 634	6 572
2008	278	1 864	4 458	6 600
2009	430	1 707	4 845	6 981

\* Annual average.

Unit : number

**End-of-month job seekers  
by diplomas in 2009 [1]**

	Number	%
No diplomas	2 533	36.3
BEPC	474	6.8
CAP, BEP	2 173	31.1
Baccalaureat	1 337	19.1
Higher education diploma	465	6.7
<b>All</b>	<b>6 981</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**Total unemployment beneficiaries  
(annual average) [2]**

	2002	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Beneficiaries	1 825	1 647	1 379	1 127	1 190	1 338	1 700
End-of-month job seekers	10 511	9 632	8 725	7 049	6 572	6 600	6 981
Percentage of beneficiaries	17.4	17.1	15.8	16.0	18.1	20.3	24.4

Units : number, %

SOURCES [1] IDC. [2] CAFAT.