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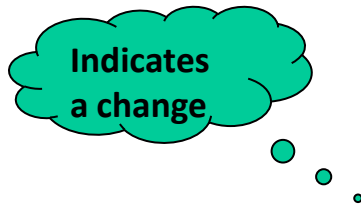
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Tertiary Education & Job Series

March 2011

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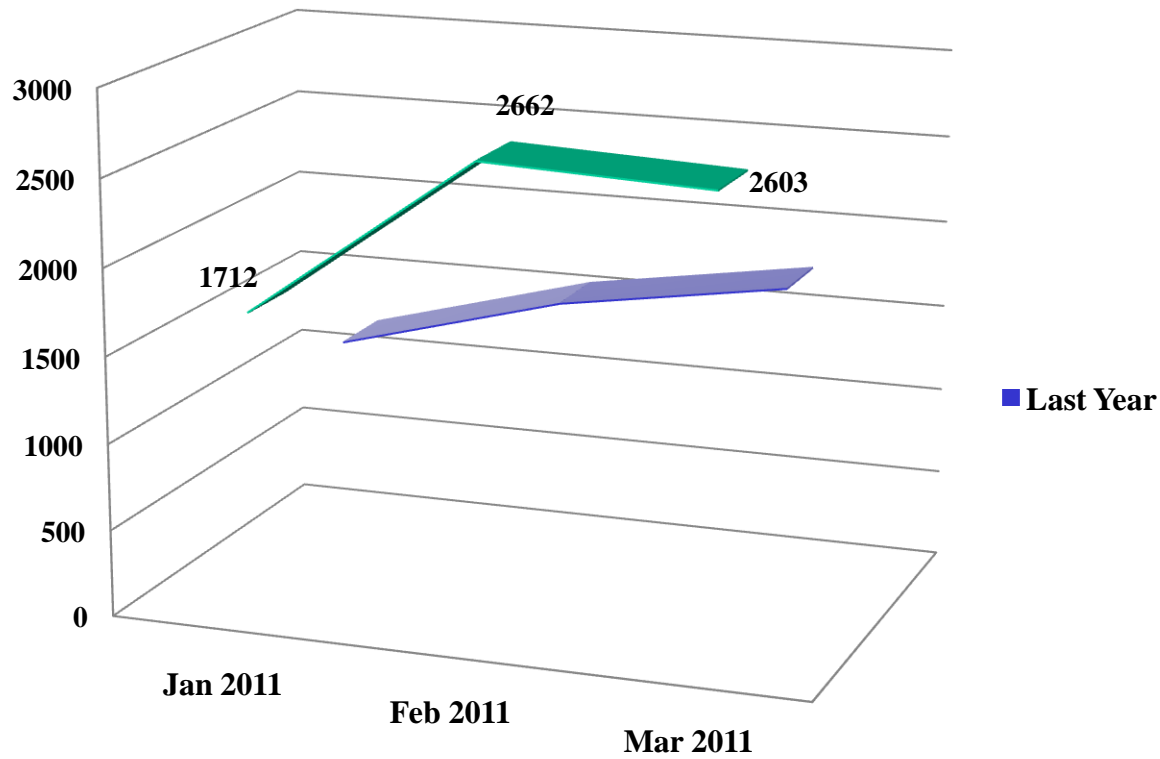
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Recent Insights

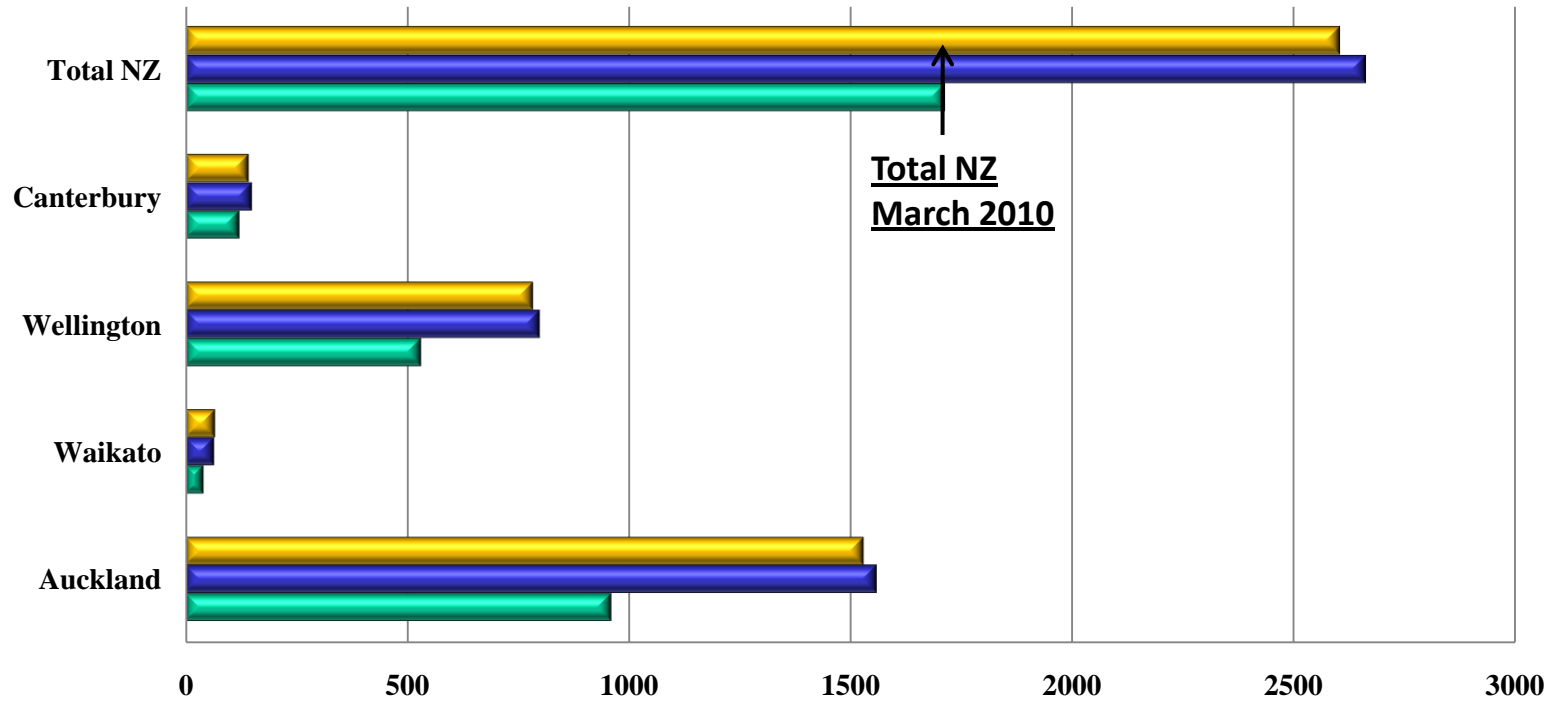
- ICT jobs advertised on Seek & Trademe for March 2011 are trending ahead of this time last year
- ICT jobs advertised on Seek dropped slightly [2%] over the last month
- Full time ICT job advertisements increased 4% [at the expense of part-time/contract job advertisements], over the same period
- Java programming skills in demand, both in NZ & the UK [where demand is increasing]
- Continuing demand for Linux skills evident [Almost 200% increase in Waikato over the last month]

Seek IT Job Trends NZ 2011



Source: [Seek ICT](#) (Accessed March 2011)

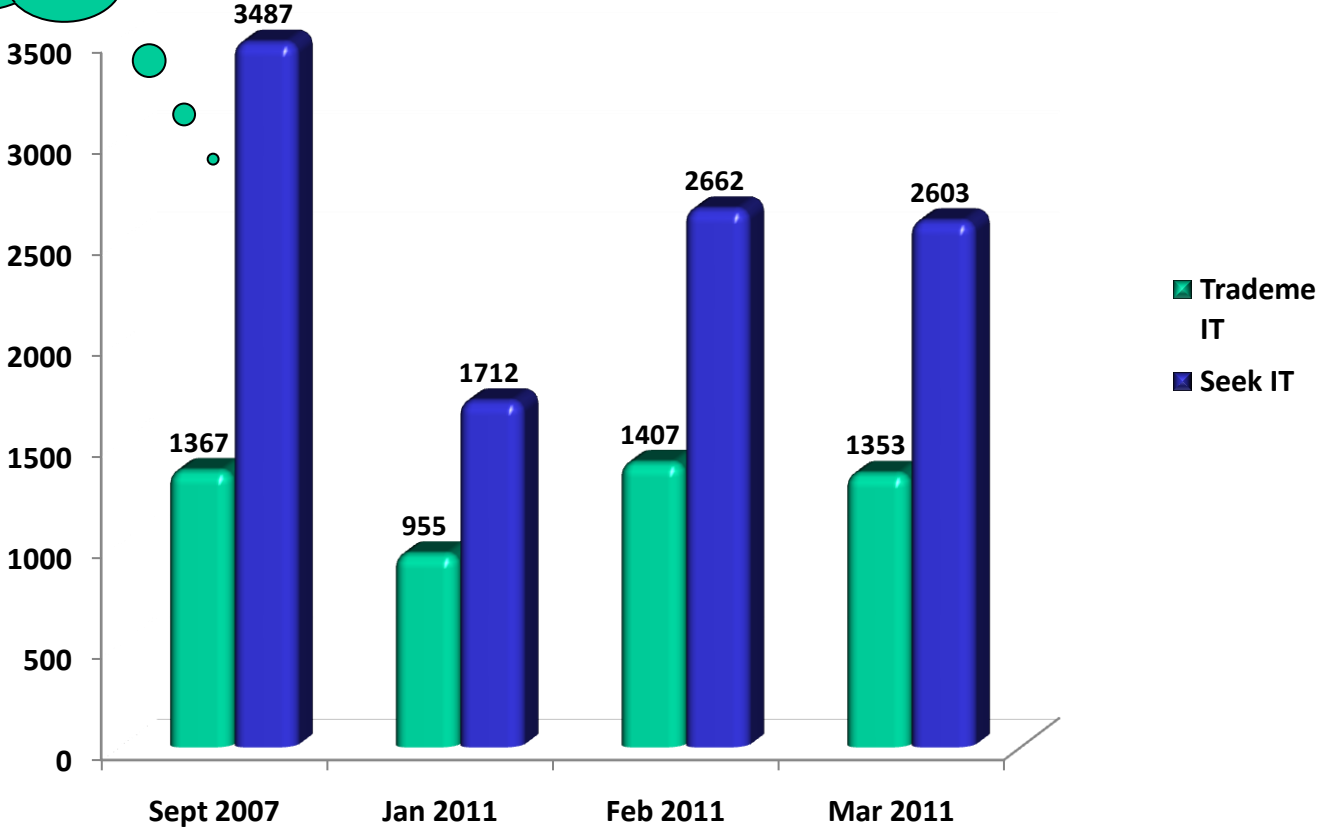
Seek ICT Jobs NZ January - March 2011



	Auckland	Waikato	Wellington	Canterbury	Total NZ
■ Mar-11	1530	68	785	144	2603
■ Feb-11	1559	66	800	151	2662
■ Jan-11	960	42	532	123	1712

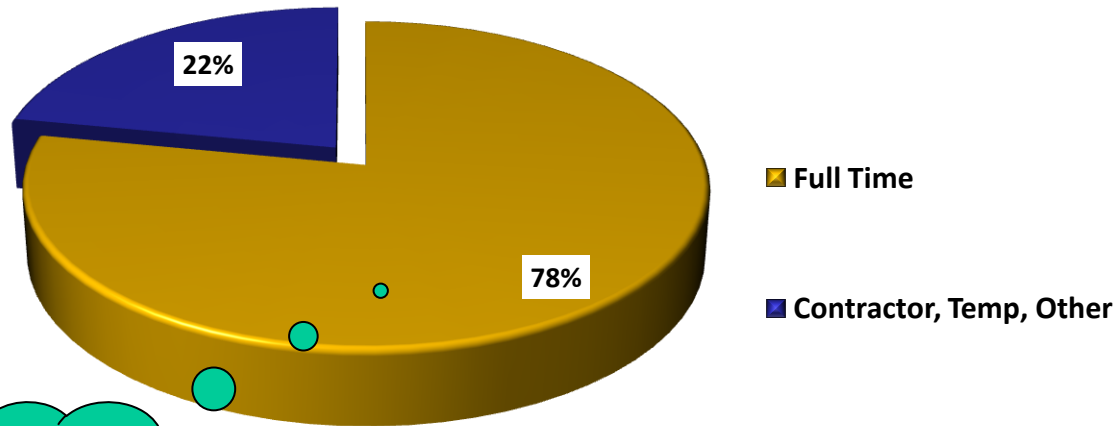
ICT Jobs NZ Seek & Trademe

2007 Peaks
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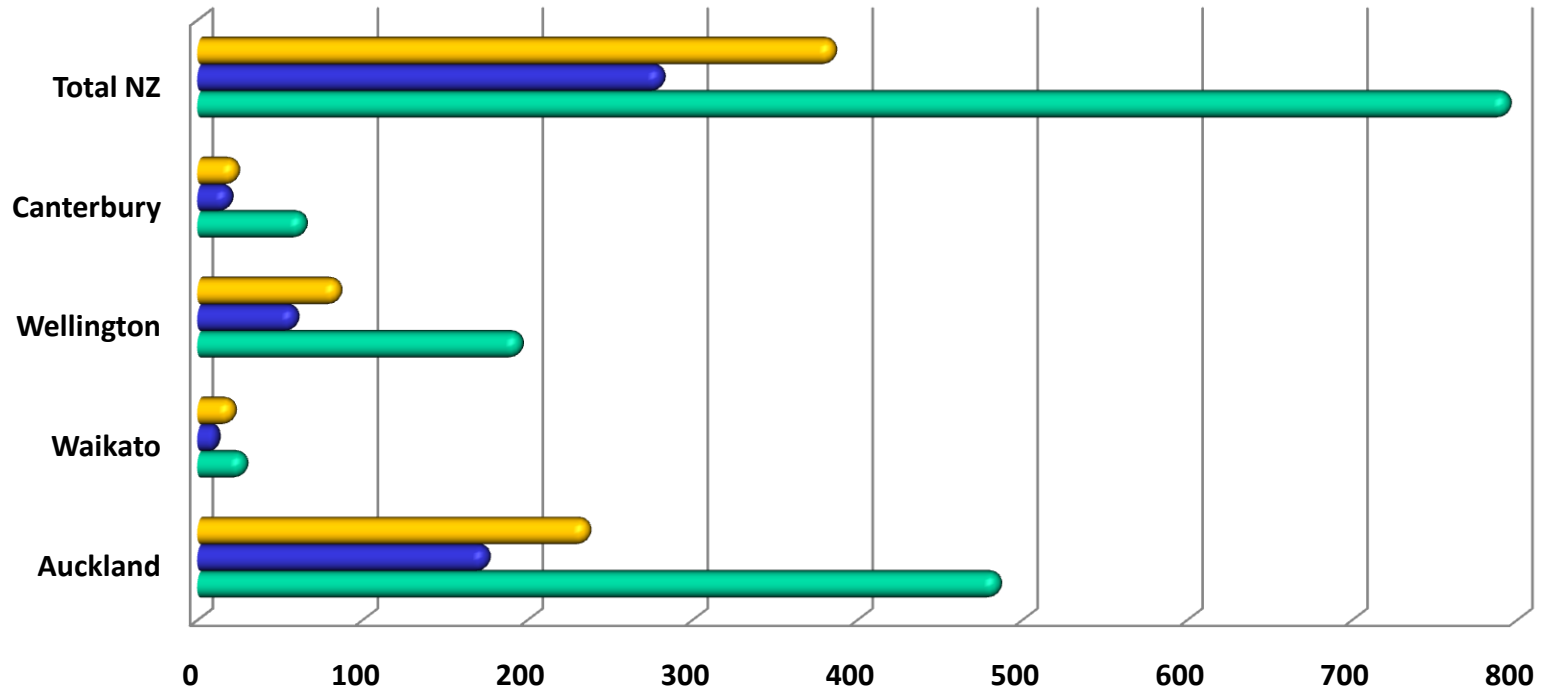
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Seek ICT Work Type NZ February 2011



4% increase in Full Time Jobs from last month

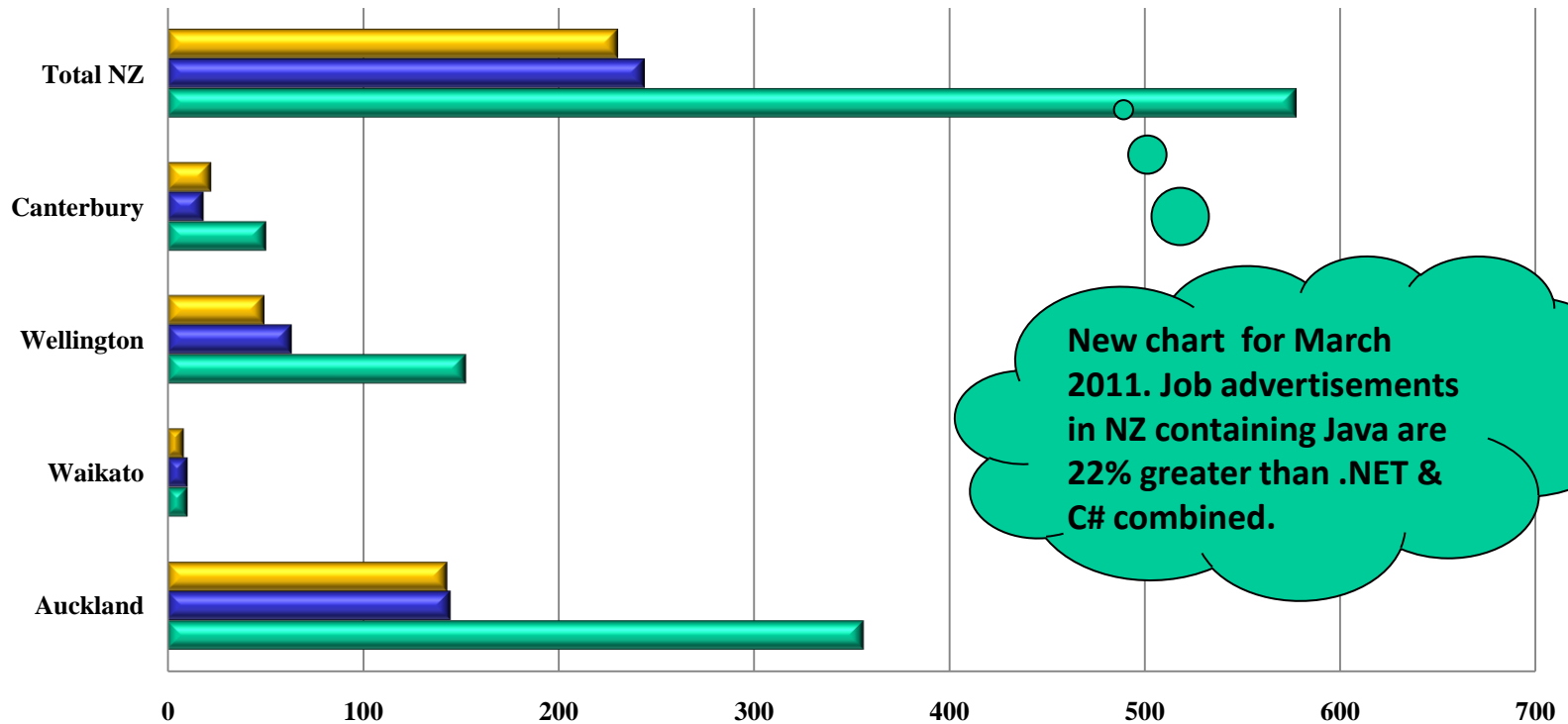
Seek ICT Jobs by Industry Certification March 2011



	Auckland	Waikato	Wellington	Canterbury	Total NZ
■ Microsoft	236	21	85	23	385
■ Cisco	175	11	59	19	281
■ Linux	485	28	195	64	794

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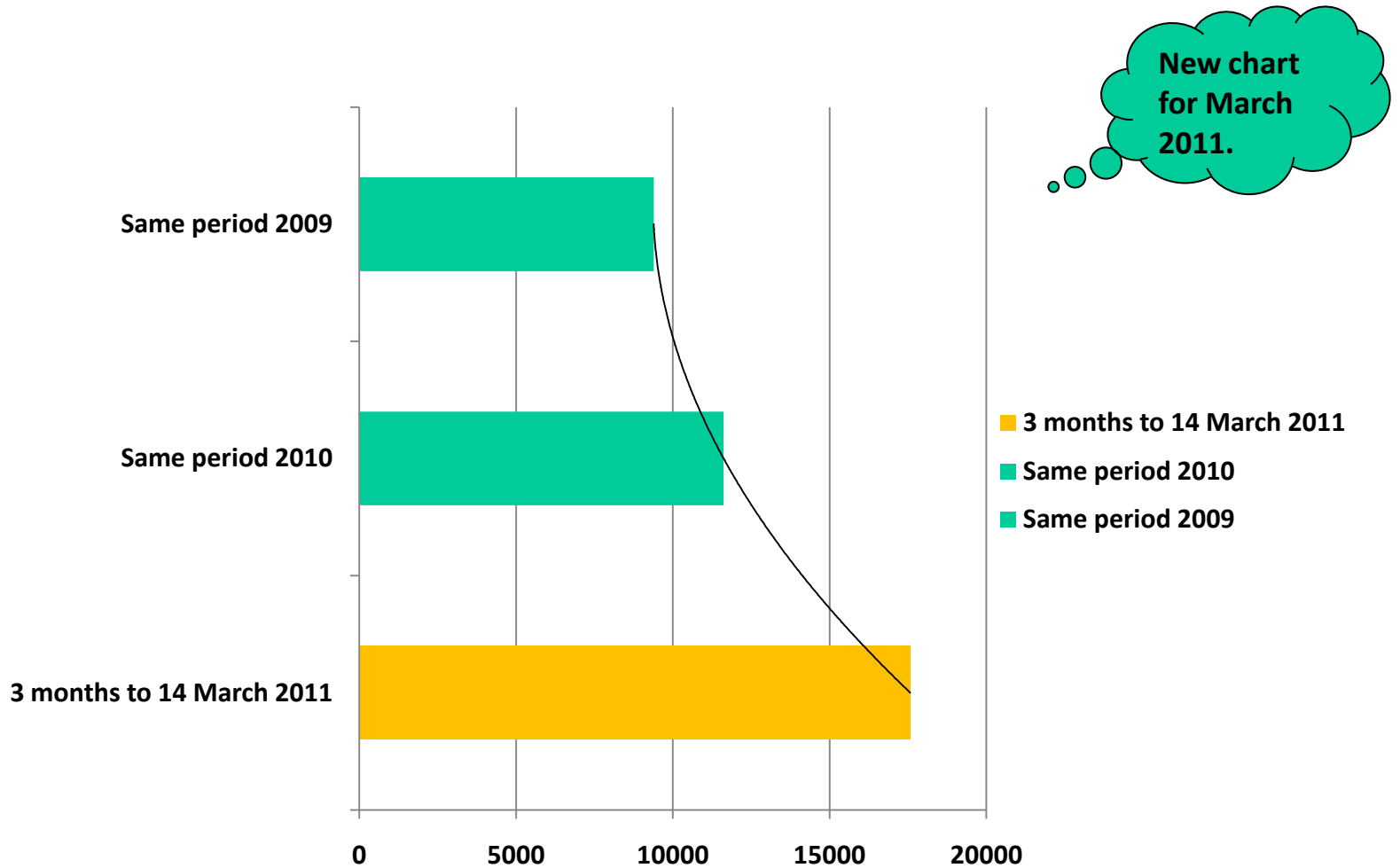
Seek ICT Jobs by Programming Language March 2011



New chart for March 2011. Job advertisements in NZ containing Java are 22% greater than .NET & C# combined.

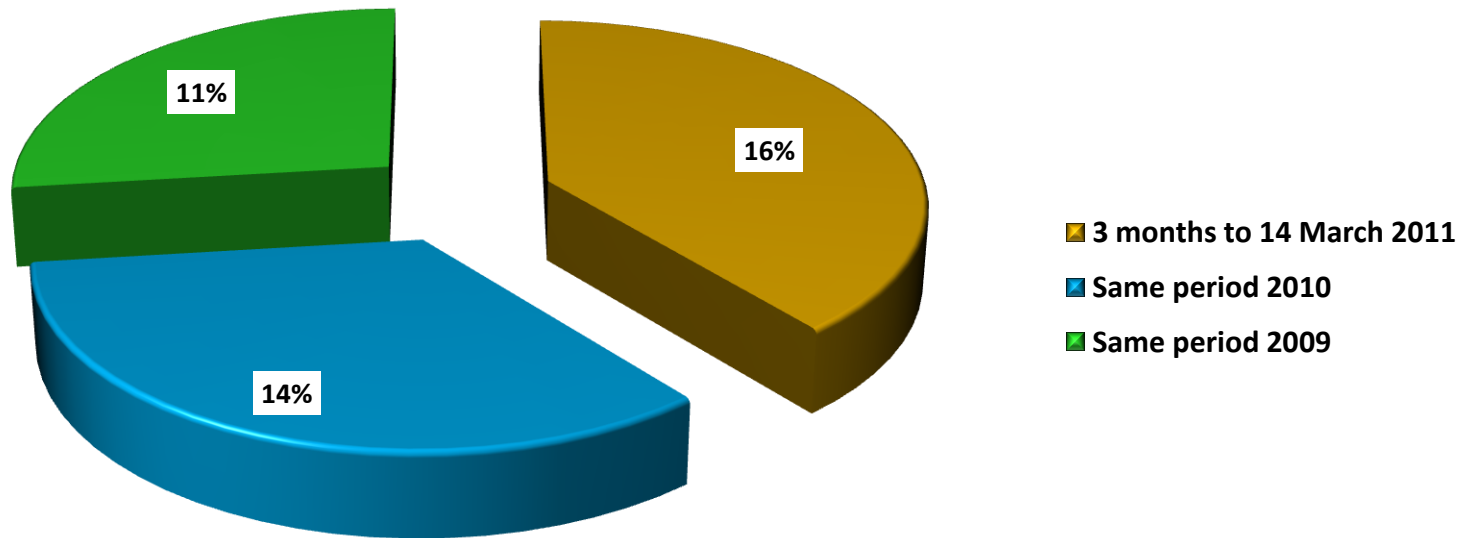
	Auckland	Waikato	Wellington	Canterbury	Total NZ
C#	143	9	50	23	230
.NET	145	11	64	19	244
Java	356	11	153	51	577

Java Skills in IT Jobs Advertised across the UK



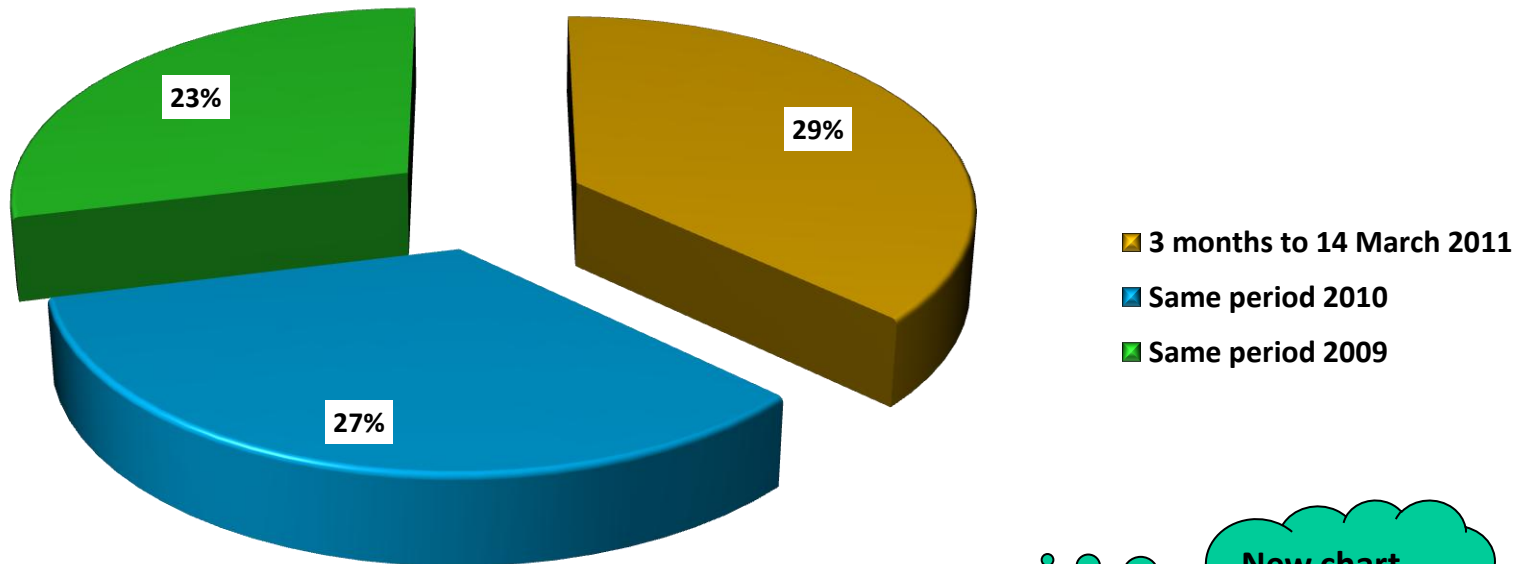
Source: [The IT Job Board](#) [Accessed March 2011]

Java Skills as % of all Permanent IT Jobs Located in the UK



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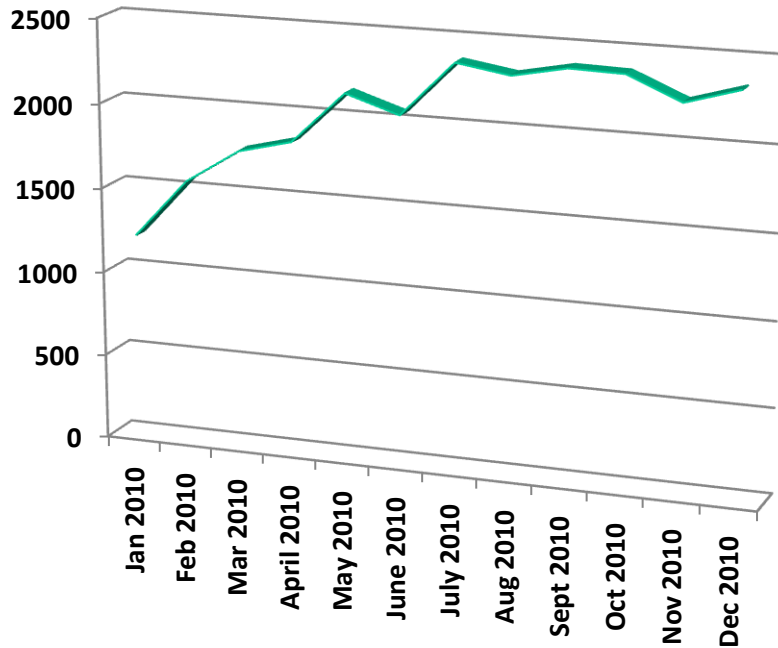
Java Skills in the UK as % of the Programming Languages Category



- 3 months to 14 March 2011
- Same period 2010
- Same period 2009

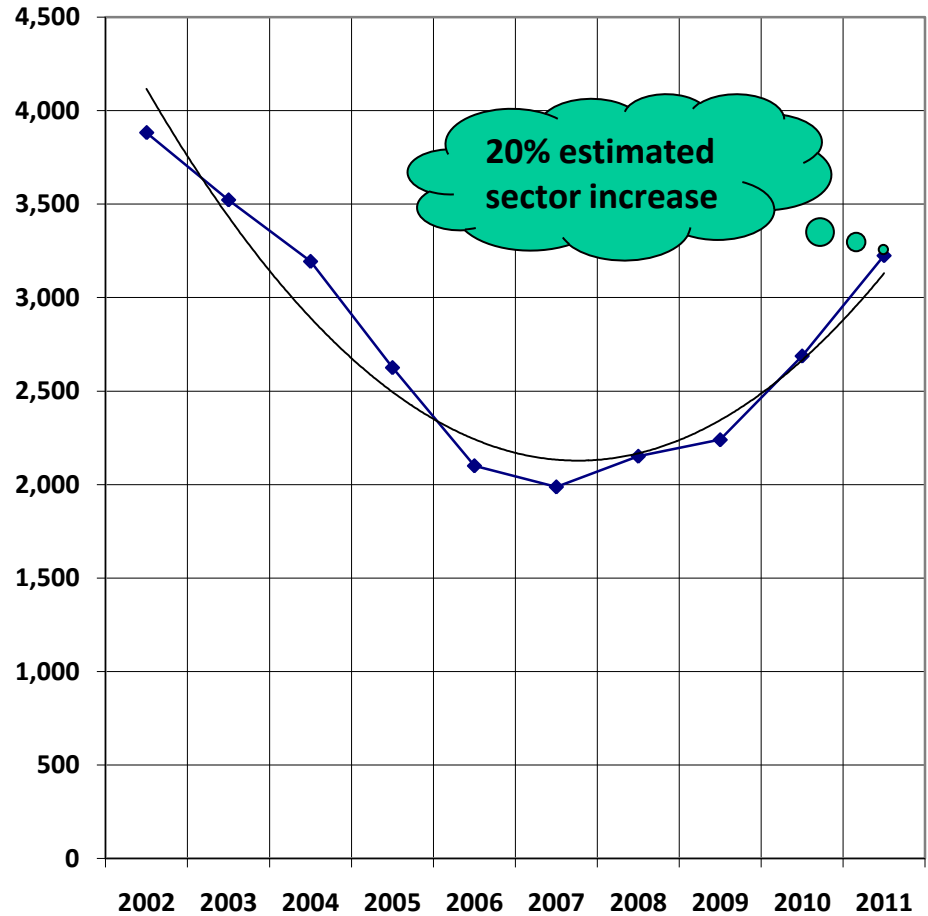


Seek ICT Job Trends NZ 2010



Source: Robertson, December 2010

Institutes of Technology & Polytechnics (ITP) IT Enrolment Trends (Diploma & Degree EFTS) 2002 to 2011



Source: NACCQ EFTS
(Accessed December 2010)



Recent News Items

Big Drop in Job Vacancies

- The Seek employment index (ratio of new job advertisements to the number of applications for those jobs) fell by 1% in February for the first time since September 2010; i.e. the index decrease reflects a 2.9% rise in the number of job applications
- Seek jobs listed for the Canterbury region has dropped 8.7% since the earthquake [*Seek ICT jobs advertised in Canterbury for March dropped 5% on February's figs.*]
- IT consultants are among the most sought after employees

Source: [NZ Herald 10/03/2011](#))

Conclusions:

- *Global demand for IT talent continuing*
- *Demand for industry certification still prevalent*
- *Demand for Java programming skills evident in job advertisements both here and in the UK*
- *Comments/feedback welcome - email:*
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