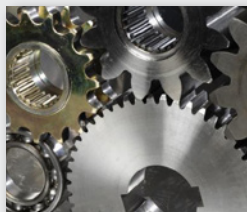


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Employment rose by nearly one million in June. Nevertheless, employment was 1.8 million lower than in February. Just over one-quarter of the potential labour force was fully or partially underutilized in June, down from more than one-third in May.



Source: [Labour Force Survey, June 2020](#)

Over one-third of Canadians do not feel safe returning to work

Over one-third of Canadians who have not returned to their regular workplace said that they did not feel safe returning to work, according to a crowdsourcing survey in June. The most commonly-reported reasons for not feeling safe were fear of contracting the virus and fear of infecting family members.

Source: [Canadian Perspectives Survey Series 3: Resuming economic and social activities during COVID-19](#)

Most participants to a crowdsourcing survey say they will get the COVID-19 vaccine when it becomes available



Over two-thirds of participants to a recent crowdsourcing survey said that they were very likely to voluntarily get vaccinated. Just over one in ten participants said they were somewhat (4.1%) or very unlikely (7.9%) to get the COVID-19 vaccine.

Source: [Canadians' willingness to get a COVID-19 vaccine when one becomes available: What role does trust play?](#)

Spending by foreign travellers declines in Canada's top earning tourist destination in the fourth quarter



The Vancouver, coast and mountains region (\$758 million) was the top-earning tourist destination in Canada in the fourth quarter. However, spending was down 9.1% from the same quarter a year earlier and spending by visitors from China declined by almost half.

Source: [Visitor Travel Survey, fourth quarter 2019](#)