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- r revised
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# **Highlights**

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Employment and unemployment rates, Canada, seasonally adjusted

#### **Employment**



#### **Unemployment rate**



## Analysis — November 2014

Following two months of notable gains, employment was little changed in November. The unemployment rate increased 0.1 percentage points to 6.6%.

Compared with November 2013, employment increased by 146,000 (+0.8%) with part-time and full-time work up 1.9% and 0.6% respectively. Over the same period, the total number of hours worked was little changed (+0.1%).

In the six months to November, employment grew by an average of 21,300 per month, compared with an average of 3,000 per month for December 2013 to May 2014.

Provincially, employment declined in Ontario and Saskatchewan, and increased in Quebec as well as Newfoundland and Labrador.

Fewer men aged 55 and over were employed in November, while there was little change for men and women in the other major age groups.

Employment decreased in retail and wholesale trade as well as professional, scientific and technical services. At the same time, there were more people employed in natural resources and agriculture.

In November, the number of private sector employees declined, while the number of public sector and self-employed workers edged up.

#### **Employment declines in Ontario, increases in Quebec**

Following two months of increases, employment in Ontario declined by 34,000 in November. This decline pushed the unemployment rate in the province up 0.5 percentage points to 7.0%. Compared with 12 months earlier, employment in Ontario rose by 53,000 (+0.8%).

In November, employment decreased by 3,900 in Saskatchewan, but the unemployment rate was little changed at 3.4%, as fewer people participated in the labour market. The unemployment rate remained the lowest among the provinces. On a year-over-year basis, employment in Saskatchewan increased by 15,000 (+2.7%), the fastest growth rate in the country.

In Quebec, employment increased by 20,000 in November, following six months without growth. However, the unemployment rate was virtually unchanged at 7.6%, as more people participated in the labour market. Compared with 12 months earlier, employment in the province was little changed.

In November, employment in Newfoundland and Labrador increased by 3,100, pushing the unemployment rate down 1.3 percentage points to 10.7%. On a year-over-year basis, employment in the province was little changed, the result of losses observed in the first half of 2014 being offset by gains recorded since the beginning of the summer.

Employment was unchanged in Alberta and British Columbia in November. However, on a year-over-year basis, the provinces posted growth of 2.2% and 2.0% respectively, above the national average of 0.8%.

#### Fewer men aged 55 and over employed in November

Employment among men aged 55 and over declined by 17,000 in November, pushing their unemployment rate up 0.3 percentage points to 6.2%. However, compared with 12 months earlier, employment for this group increased by 36,000 (+1.9%), the result of population ageing. For women in the same age group, there was little employment change in November, or on a year-over-year basis.

In November, employment was little changed among people aged 25 to 54. On a year-over-year basis, men aged 25 to 54 saw an employment increase of 35,000 (+0.6%) and their unemployment rate declined 0.5 percentage points to 5.7%. For women in the same age group, employment was unchanged compared with 12 months earlier, and their unemployment rate was virtually unchanged at 5.2%.

Among youths aged 15 to 24, employment was stable in November, but there was a marked increase of 56,000 (+2.3%) compared with November 2013. The employment rate was 56.5% in November, which was unchanged from October and the highest since February 2009.

#### **Industry perspective**

In November, employment declined by 42,000 in retail and wholesale trade, offsetting an increase the month before. Compared with 12 months earlier, employment in this industry was virtually unchanged.

Employment in professional, scientific and technical services decreased by 33,000 in November. Despite this decline, the number of people employed in the industry was similar to that of November 2013.

In November, the number of people employed in natural resources increased by 15,000, partly offsetting the decline observed the month before. Employment in the industry was little changed compared with a year earlier.

Agricultural employment rose by 8,000 in November, but was little changed compared with November 2013.

The number of private sector employees declined by 46,000 in November, leaving employment for this category of workers slightly above the level of November 2013.

The number of public sector and self-employed workers edged up in November, as well as on a year-over-year basis.

#### Note to readers

The Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates for November 2014 are for the week of November 9 to 15.

The LFS estimates are based on a sample and are therefore subject to sampling variability. As a result, monthly estimates will show more variability than trends observed over longer time periods. For more information, see "Interpreting Monthly Changes in Employment from the Labour Force Survey." Estimates for smaller geographic areas or industries also have more variability. For an explanation of sampling variability of estimates and how to use standard errors to assess this variability, consult the "Data quality" section of the publication Labour Force Information (71-001-X).

This analysis focuses on differences between estimates that are statistically significant at the 68% confidence level.

The employment rate is the number of employed persons as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The rate for a particular group (for example, youths aged 15 to 24) is the number employed in that group as a percentage of the population for that group.

The unemployment rate is the number unemployed as a percentage of the labour force (employed and unemployed).

The participation rate is the number of employed and unemployed as a percentage of the population. For more detailed information, see the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G).

#### Seasonal adjustment

Unless otherwise stated, this release presents seasonally adjusted estimates, which facilitates comparisons by removing the effects of seasonal variations. For more information on seasonal adjustment, see Seasonally adjusted data - Frequently asked questions.

Each year, LFS estimates are revised using the latest seasonal factors.

#### Note to readers, continuation

#### **Upcoming revisions**

Following the release of final population estimates from each census, a standard revision is applied to the Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates. The revised estimates are scheduled to be released on CANSIM in early February 2015, and will include the following:

- LFS data will be adjusted to reflect the 2011 Census population estimates and will be revised back to 2001. LFS data are currently based on estimates from the 2006 Census.
- Geographic boundaries will be updated to the 2011 Standard Geographical Classification (SGC) from the current 2006 SGC. This change will slightly modify the boundaries of some Census Metropolitan Areas (CMAs) and Economic Regions (ERs).
- · Three ERs will be combined for data quality reasons.
- New CANSIM tables will be created for all sub-provincial areas based on the 2011 census boundaries and the data series will be available for 2001 onward. A concordance table for the CANSIM vectors will be provided prior to release.

While the overall imputation strategy will not be changed, the revisions will include an update to the variables used to create the imputation groups to reflect both current response patterns and relationships between key variables. In early February 2015, these changes will be implemented historically, starting in January 2008.

Key labour market trends as well as rates of unemployment, employment and participation will be essentially unchanged as a result of these updates, and most changes to estimates will be minor.

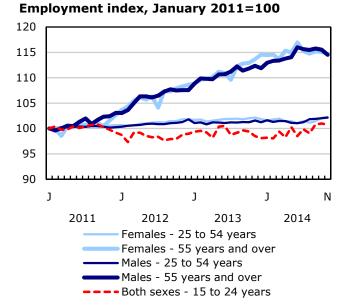
Note that these revisions will not include updates to the classification structures for industry and occupation. These updates will take place in January 2016.

#### Sample redesign

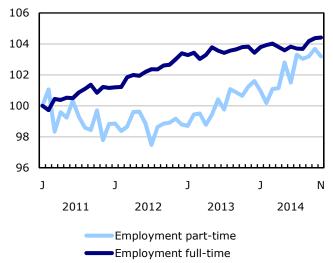
Every ten years, the LFS undergoes a sample redesign to reflect changes in population and labour market characteristics, as well as new definitions of geographical boundaries. The redesigned sample will be introduced starting in January 2015 and will be fully implemented by June 2015.

Chart 1 Employment and unemployment indicators, Canada, seasonally adjusted





#### Employment index, January 2011=100



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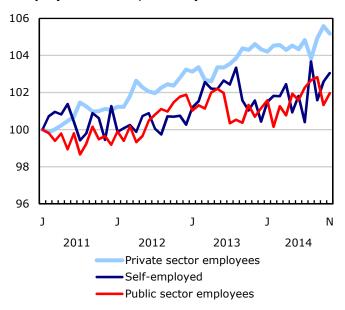
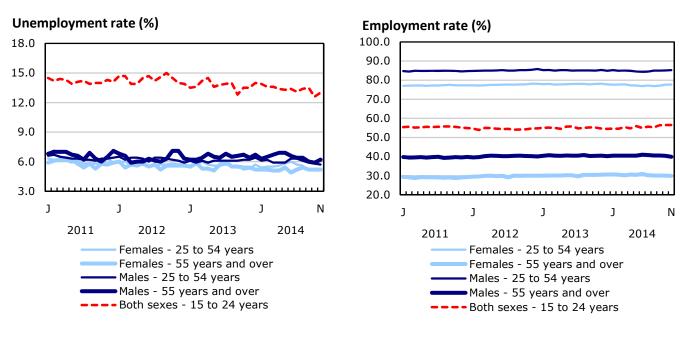
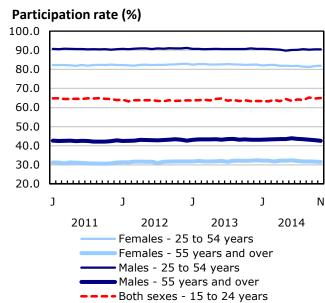


Chart 2 Employment and unemployment indicators, Canada, seasonally adjusted







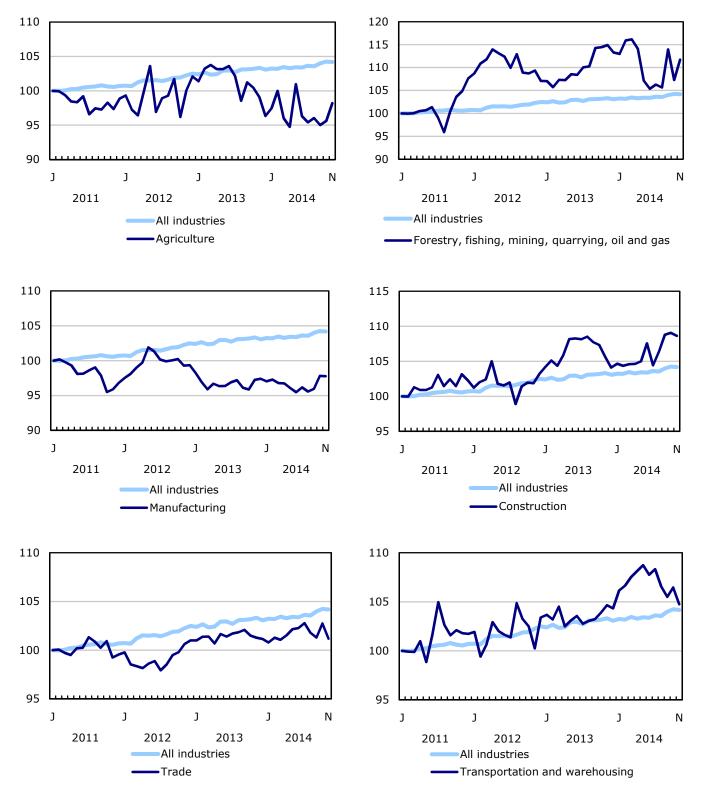
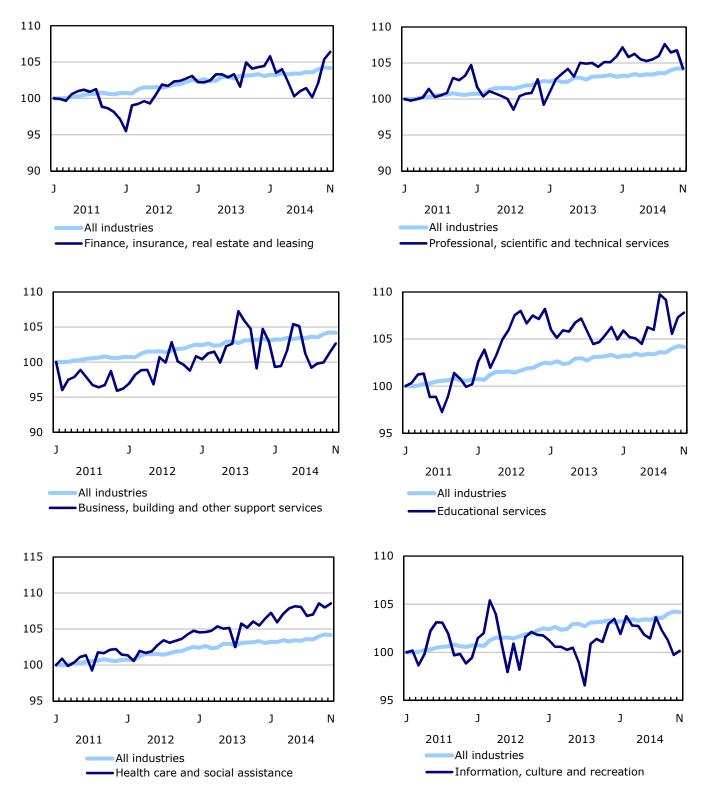


Chart 4 Index of employment by industry, Canada, seasonally adjusted, January 2011=100





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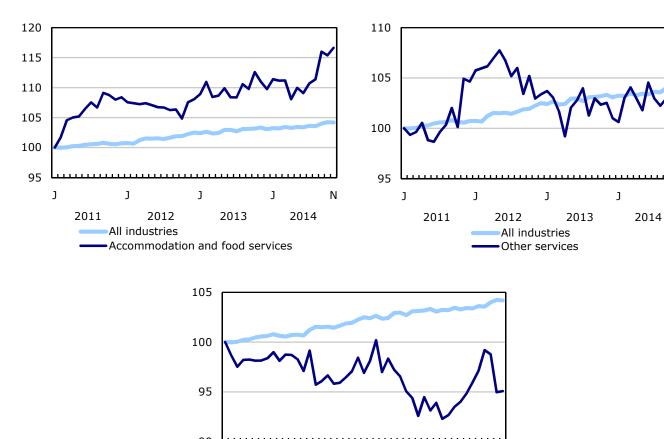
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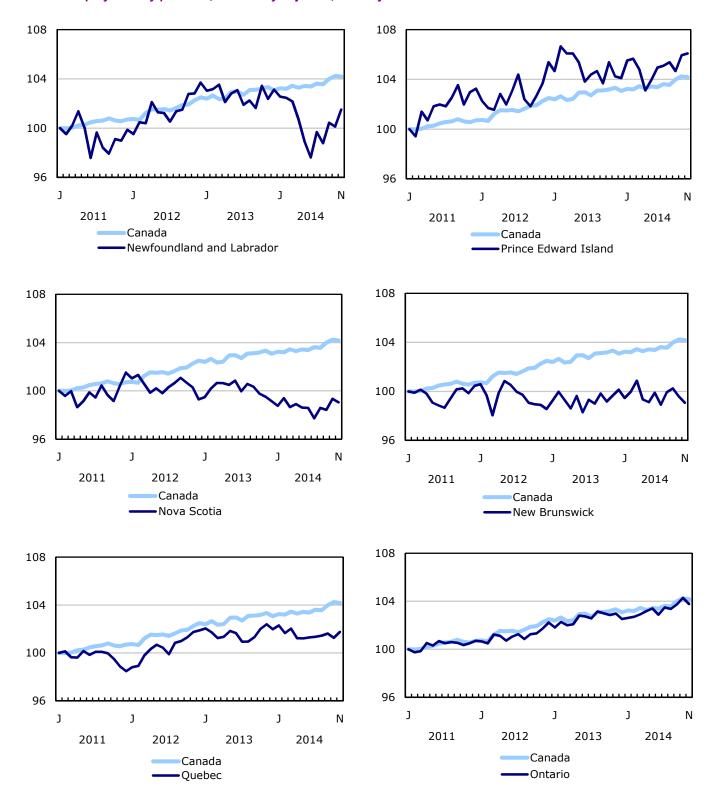
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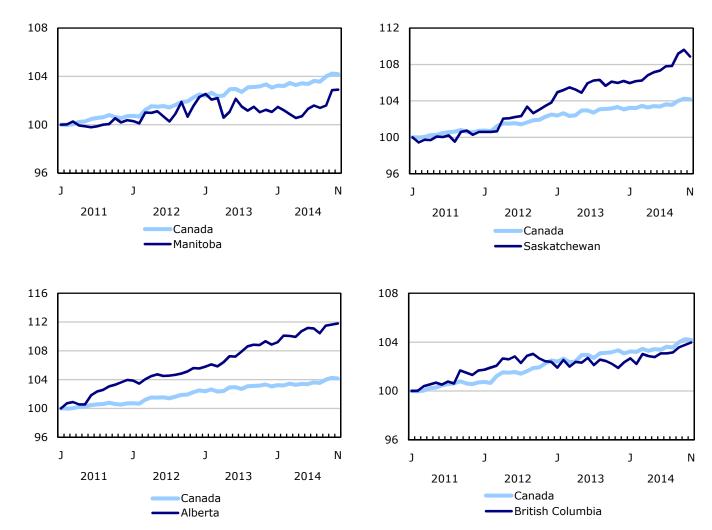


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Chart 6 Index of employment by province, seasonally adjusted, January 2011=100







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282-0109	Labour force survey estimates (LFS), by census metropolitan area based on 2006 census boundaries, sex and age group, 3-month moving average, unadjusted for seasonality, monthly
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282-0204	Labour force survey estimates (LFS), hourly wage distributions of employees by type of work, North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) and sex, unadjusted for seasonality, monthly
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# **Statistical tables**

Table 1 Labour force characteristics by age and sex, Canada, seasonally adjusted

		November	S.E.1		Change from		Perc	ent change fro	
	2014	2014		last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in t	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
15 years and over, both sexes Population Labour force Employment Employment full-time Employment part-time Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	29,148.0 19,227.3 17,968.6 14,505.3 3,463.2 1,258.8 66.0 6.5 61.6	29,165.9 19,236.6 17,957.9 14,511.0 3,446.9 1,278.6 66.0 6.6 61.6	29.0 28.5 38.8 36.0 24.6 0.1 0.1 0.1	17.9 9.3 -10.7 5.7 -16.3 19.8 0.0 0.1	322.2 85.2 190.0 136.8 53.2 -104.9 -0.4 -0.6 0.0	349.2 98.5 146.0 80.8 65.3 -47.6 -0.4 -0.3 -0.2	0.1 0.0 -0.1 0.0 -0.5 1.6	1.1 0.4 1.1 1.0 1.6 -7.6 	1.2 0.5 0.8 0.6 1.9 -3.6
Part-time rate	19.3	19.2	0.2	-0.1	0.1	0.2			
15 to 24 years, both sexes Population Labour force Employment Employment full-time Employment part-time Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate Part-time rate Part-time rate	4,408.3 2,851.4 2,492.8 1,272.3 1,220.5 358.6 64.7 12.6 56.5 49.0	4,403.2 2,860.2 2,487.7 1,258.2 1,229.5 372.6 65.0 13.0 56.5 49.4	17.0 15.8 18.7 19.7 14.5 0.4 0.5 0.4	-5.1 8.8 -5.1 -14.1 9.0 14.0 0.3 0.4 0.0	-36.7 44.1 65.8 8.8 57.0 -21.7 1.6 -1.0 2.0 1.0	-38.9 50.2 56.4 -12.7 69.1 -6.1 1.7 -0.5 1.8 1.7	-0.1 0.3 -0.2 -1.1 0.7 3.9	-0.8 1.6 2.7 0.7 4.9 -5.5	-0.9 1.8 2.3 -1.0 6.0 -1.6
25 years and over, men Population Labour force Employment Employment full-time Employment part-time Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate Part-time rate	12,121.1 8,697.9 8,192.2 7,544.4 647.8 505.7 71.8 67.6 7.9	12,132.3 8,688.8 8,182.9 7,541.9 641.0 506.0 71.6 5.8 67.4 7.8	15.3 16.3 21.9 18.1 14.5 0.1 0.2 0.1	11.2 -9.1 -9.3 -2.5 -6.8 0.3 -0.2 0.0 -0.2	181.1 50.6 100.6 100.8 -0.2 -49.8 -0.7 -0.6 -0.2 -0.1	196.2 37.5 71.3 71.4 -0.1 -33.7 -0.9 -0.4 -0.6 -0.1	0.1 -0.1 -0.1 0.0 -1.0 0.1	1.5 0.6 1.2 1.4 0.0 -9.0 	1.6 0.4 0.9 1.0 0.0 -6.2 
25 years and over, women Population Labour force Employment Employment full-time Employment part-time Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate Part-time rate Part-time rate	12,618.6 7,678.0 7,283.5 5,688.6 1,595.0 394.5 60.8 5.1 57.7 21.9	12,630.4 7,687.5 7,287.4 5,711.0 1,576.5 400.1 60.9 5.2 57.7 21.6	16.8 16.3 25.3 23.9 13.5 0.1 0.2 0.1	11.8 9.5 3.9 22.4 -18.5 5.6 0.1 0.1 0.0 -0.3	177.8 -9.6 23.6 27.3 -3.6 -33.2 -0.9 -0.4 -0.6 -0.1	191.9 10.7 18.4 22.1 -3.6 -7.7 -0.8 -0.1 -0.7 -0.1	0.1 0.1 0.1 0.4 -1.2 1.4	1.4 -0.1 0.3 0.5 -0.2 -7.7 	1.5 0.1 0.3 0.4 -0.2 -1.9 
25 to 54 years, both sexes Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	14,719.0 12,666.8 11,973.4 693.3 86.1 5.5 81.3	14,718.4 12,682.1 11,990.1 692.0 86.2 5.5 81.5	22.1 23.5 18.5 0.2 0.1 0.2	-0.6 15.3 16.7 -1.3 0.1 0.0	78.0 2.4 78.9 -76.5 -0.4 -0.6 0.1	84.5 1.1 39.5 -38.5 -0.5 -0.3 -0.2	0.0 0.1 0.1 -0.2 	0.5 0.0 0.7 -10.0 	0.6 0.0 0.3 -5.3 
25 to 54 years, men Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	7,369.2 6,658.5 6,272.7 385.7 90.4 5.8 85.1	7,368.7 6,659.2 6,280.1 379.1 90.4 5.7 85.2	14.2 15.9 13.4 0.2 0.2 0.2	-0.5 0.7 7.4 -6.6 0.0 -0.1	41.1 13.7 56.7 -42.9 -0.3 -0.7	44.9 1.5 35.0 -33.5 -0.5 -0.1	0.0 0.0 0.1 -1.7 	0.6 0.2 0.9 -10.2 	0.6 0.0 0.6 -8.1 

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 1 – continued Labour force characteristics by age and sex, Canada, seasonally adjusted

	October		S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	m
	2014	2014		last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	ousands (e	xcept rates	)				
25 to 54 years, women									
Population	7,349.8	7,349.7		-0.1	36.9	39.7	0.0	0.5	0.5
Labour force	6,008.3	6,022.8	16.2	14.5	-11.4	-0.6	0.2	-0.2	0.0
Employment	5,700.7	5,710.0	16.4	9.3	22.3	4.5	0.2	0.4	0.1
Unemployment	307.6	312.9	12.5	5.3	-33.6	-4.9	1.7	-9.7	-1.5
Participation rate	81.7	81.9	0.2	0.2	-0.6	-0.5			
Unemployment rate	5.1	5.2	0.2	0.1	-0.5	-0.1			
Employment rate	77.6	77.7	0.2	0.1	-0.1	-0.4		***	
55 years and over, both sexes									
Population	10,020.7	10,044.3		23.6	280.9	303.5	0.2	2.9	3.1
Labour force	3,709.1	3,694.2	18.0	-14.9	38.7	47.2	-0.4	1.1	1.3
Employment	3,502.3	3,480.2	17.9	-22.1	45.3	50.2	-0.6	1.3	1.5
Unemployment	206.8	214.0	9.6	7.2	-6.6	-3.0	3.5	-3.0	-1.4
Participation rate	37.0	36.8	0.2	-0.2	-0.6	-0.6			
Unemployment rate	5.6	5.8	0.3	0.2	-0.2	-0.2			
Employment rate	35.0	34.6	0.2	-0.4	-0.6	-0.6			
55 years and over, men									
Population	4,751.9	4,763.6		11.7	140.0	151.3	0.2	3.0	3.3
Labour force	2,039.5	2,029.6	11.8	-9.9	36.9	36.0	-0.5	1.9	1.8
Employment	1,919.5	1,902.7	11.9	-16.8	43.8	36.2	-0.9	2.4	1.9
Unemployment	119.9	126.8	7.0	6.9	-7.0	-0.3	5.8	-5.2	-0.2
Participation rate	42.9	42.6	0.3	-0.3	-0.5	-0.6			
Unemployment rate	5.9	6.2	0.3	0.3	-0.5	-0.2			
Employment rate	40.4	39.9	0.3	-0.5	-0.3	-0.6			
55 years and over, women									
Population	5,268.8	5,280.7		11.9	140.9	152.3	0.2	2.7	3.0
Labour force	1,669.7	1,664.7	12.3	-5.0	1.8	11.3	-0.3	0.1	0.7
Employment	1,582.8	1,577.5	12.2	-5.3	1.5	14.0	-0.3	0.1	0.9
Unemployment	86.9	87.2	6.3	0.3	0.4	-2.8	0.3	0.5	-3.1
Participation rate	31.7	31.5	0.2	-0.2	-0.9	-0.7			
Unemployment rate	5.2	5.2	0.4	0.0	0.0	-0.2			
Employment rate	30.0	29.9	0.2	-0.1	-0.8	-0.6			

<sup>1.</sup> Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations). **Note(s):** Related CANSIM table 282-0087. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 2 Employment by class of worker and industry, Canada, seasonally adjusted

	October	November	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
			in thous	ands					
Class of worker Employees Self-employed <sup>2</sup>	15,243.2 2,725.4	15,220.2 2,737.7	35.6 25.9	-23.0 12.3	120.5 69.5	107.0 39.1	-0.2 0.5	0.8 2.6	0.7 1.4
Public/private sector employees Public sector employees Private sector employees	3,628.2 11,615.0	3,650.8 11,569.4	25.0 38.2	22.6 -45.6	28.5 92.0	45.2 61.8	0.6 -0.4	0.8 0.8	1.3 0.5
Industry	17,968.6	17,957.9	28.5	-10.7	190.0	146.0	-0.1	1.1	0.8
Goods-producing sector Agriculture Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and	3,915.5 297.1	3,932.8 305.1	26.0 7.8	17.3 8.0	58.7 5.8	30.8 -2.7	0.4 2.7	1.5 1.9	0.8 -0.9
gas extraction <sup>3</sup> Utilities Construction Manufacturing	357.7 152.1 1,355.8 1,752.7	372.5 152.6 1,350.5 1,752.3	7.9 5.3 17.6 18.9	14.8 0.5 -5.3 -0.4	-5.2 -4.6 56.1 6.8	-10.5 -2.8 37.3 9.7	4.1 0.3 -0.4 0.0	-1.4 -2.9 4.3 0.4	-2.7 -1.8 2.8 0.6
Services-producing sector Trade Transportation and warehousing Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing Professional, scientific and technical	14,053.1 2,738.9 886.7 1,144.3	14,025.1 2,697.3 872.4 1,155.6	34.4 24.3 14.6 16.7	-28.0 -41.6 -14.3 11.3	131.3 1.0 3.5 21.4	115.3 -2.5 0.8 23.0	-0.2 -1.5 -1.6 1.0	0.9 0.0 0.4 1.9	0.8 -0.1 0.1 2.0
services Business, building and other support	1,380.1	1,347.2	18.7	-32.9	-21.6	-11.7	-2.4	-1.6	-0.9
services Educational services Health care and social assistance Information, culture and recreation Accommodation and food services Other services Public administration	704.3 1,308.6 2,236.9 776.7 1,190.4 749.6 936.7	713.4 1,314.5 2,248.4 780.1 1,203.5 754.7 937.9	14.2 16.2 19.4 14.8 17.1 13.5 12.4	9.1 5.9 11.5 3.4 13.1 5.1 1.2	-2.3 34.8 43.8 -25.9 71.1 -6.2 11.6	-14.5 18.7 63.2 -21.6 58.3 -17.7 19.2	1.3 0.5 0.5 0.4 1.1 0.7 0.1	-0.3 2.7 2.0 -3.2 6.3 -0.8 1.3	-2.0 1.4 2.9 -2.7 5.1 -2.3 2.1

3. Also referred to as Natural resources.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0089, 282-0089. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).
 Includes both incorporated and unincorporated working owners, self-employed persons who do not have a business and persons working in a family business without pay.

Table 3 Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted

		November	S.E.¹	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014		last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Newfoundland and Labrador									
Population Labour force	426.9 258.3	426.8 257.8	1.8	-0.1 -0.5	-2.8 -4.6	-2.9 -6.1	0.0 -0.2	-0.7 -1.8	-0.7 -2.3
Employment	227.2	230.3	2.0	3.1	-3.7	-2.0	1.4	-1.6	-0.9
Employment full-time	191.4	193.3	2.4	1.9	-5.5	-5.9	1.0	-2.8	-3.0
Employment part-time	35.8	36.9	1.9	1.1	1.8	3.8	3.1	5.1	11.5
Unemployment	31.1	27.5	1.8	-3.6	-0.9	-4.1	-11.6	-3.2	-13.0
Participation rate	60.5	60.4	0.4	-0.1	-0.7	-1.0			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	12.0 53.2	10.7 54.0	0.7 0.5	-1.3 0.8	-0.1 -0.5	-1.3 -0.1			
Prince Edward Island									
Population	121.8	121.8		0.0	0.8	0.9	0.0	0.7	0.7
Labour force	82.5	83.8	0.6	1.3	0.5	0.4	1.6	0.6	0.5
Employment	74.9	75.0	0.7	0.1	1.4	1.3	0.1	1.9	1.8
Employment full-time	63.7	63.3	0.9	-0.4	1.5	2.3	-0.6	2.4	3.8
Employment part-time	11.2	11.7	0.7	0.5	-0.1	-1.0	4.5	-0.8	-7.9
Unemployment Participation rate	7.6 67.7	8.8 68.8	0.7 0.5	1.2 1.1	-0.9 0.0	-0.9 -0.2	15.8	-9.3	-9.3
Unemployment rate	9.2	10.5	0.5	1.1	-1.1	-0.2 -1.1			
Employment rate	61.5	61.6	0.6	0.1	0.8	0.6			
Nova Scotia									
Population	781.2	781.1		-0.1	-0.4	-0.5	0.0	-0.1	-0.1
Labour force	492.7	492.6	2.6	-0.1	-2.3	-2.5	0.0	-0.5	-0.5
Employment	450.4	449.1	2.7	-1.3	-0.4	-2.1	-0.3	-0.1	-0.5
Employment full-time Employment part-time	366.4 83.9	366.8 82.3	3.5 3.3	0.4 -1.6	6.9 -7.3	4.1 -6.1	0.1 -1.9	1.9 -8.1	1.1 -6.9
Unemployment	42.4	43.5	2.3	1.1	-7.3 -1.9	-0.1 -0.4	2.6	-6.1 -4.2	-0.9
Participation rate	63.1	63.1	0.3	0.0	-0.2	-0.2	2.0	-7.2	-0.5
Unemployment rate	8.6	8.8	0.5	0.2	-0.4	-0.1			
Employment rate	57.7	57.5	0.3	-0.2	0.0	-0.2			
New Brunswick									
Population	620.2	620.2		0.0	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.1
Labour force	388.0	387.1 349.9	2.2 2.3	-0.9 -1.9	-4.6 -3.8	-3.0	-0.2 -0.5	-1.2	-0.8
Employment Employment full-time	351.8 295.7	349.9 294.1	2.3 3.0	-1.9 -1.6	-3.6 -2.0	-2.1 -2.0	-0.5 -0.5	-1.1 -0.7	-0.6 -0.7
Employment part-time	56.2	55.8	2.5	-0.4	-2.0 -1.8	-2.0 -0.1	-0.5	-0.7 -3.1	-0.7
Unemployment	36.2	37.1	2.2	0.9	-0.9	-0.9	2.5	-2.4	-2.4
Participation rate	62.6	62.4	0.4	-0.2	-0.8	-0.5			
Unemployment rate	9.3	9.6	0.5	0.3	-0.1	-0.1			
Employment rate	56.7	56.4	0.4	-0.3	-0.7	-0.4			
Quebec	6.750.6	6 760 4		2.5	40.4	E4 0	0.0	0.7	0.0
Population Labour force	6,759.6 4,353.8	6,762.1 4,369.3	15.0	2.5 15.5	48.1 -14.7	51.9 -9.8	0.0 0.4	0.7 -0.3	0.8 -0.2
Employment	4,333.6	4,036.4	14.9	19.6	-14.7 -9.1	-9.6 -25.2	0.4	-0.3 -0.2	-0.2
Employment full-time	3.184.1	3,213.3	19.8	29.2	-26.6	-41.3	0.9	-0.8	-1.3
Employment part-time	832.7	823.1	18.5	-9.6	17.6	16.1	-1.2	2.2	2.0
Unemployment	337.0	332.9	12.9	-4.1	-5.7	15.4	-1.2	-1.7	4.9
Participation rate	64.4	64.6	0.2	0.2	-0.7	-0.7			
Unemployment rate	7.7	7.6	0.3	-0.1	-0.1	0.3			
Employment rate	59.4	59.7	0.2	0.3	-0.6	-0.8	•••		•••
Ontario Population	11,376.7	11,384.2		7.5	116.6	127.1	0.1	1.0	1.1
Labour force	7,484.2	7,481.2	19.8	-3.0	14.9	27.1	0.0	0.2	0.4
Employment	6,994.1	6,960.2	18.7	-33.9	83.4	53.1	-0.5	1.2	0.8
Employment full-time	5,649.3	5,622.1	26.0	-27.2	44.6	27.9	-0.5	0.8	0.5
Employment part-time	1,344.8	1,338.0	24.2	-6.8	38.8	25.1	-0.5	3.0	1.9
Unemployment	490.1	521.0	17.1	30.9	-68.5	-26.0	6.3	-11.6	-4.8
Participation rate	65.8	65.7	0.2	-0.1	-0.6	-0.5			
Unemployment rate	6.5	7.0 61.1	0.2	0.5	-0.9	-0.3	•••		
Employment rate	61.5	61.1	0.2	-0.4	0.1	-0.3			

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 3 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted

	October November S.E.¹ Change from				Percent change from				
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	ousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Manitoba	_								
Population	989.6	990.3		0.7	11.4	12.3	0.1	1.2	1.3
Labour force	675.6	676.3	2.7	0.7	8.8	7.0	0.1	1.3	1.0
Employment	641.8	642.0	2.7	0.2	11.5	10.4	0.0	1.8	1.6
Employment full-time	521.1	523.1	3.8	2.0	12.8	14.6	0.4	2.5	2.9
Employment part-time	120.7	119.0	3.5	-1.7	-1.1	-4.1	-1.4	-0.9	-3.3
Unemployment	33.8	34.3	2.1	0.5	-2.7	-3.4	1.5	-7.3	-9.0
Participation rate	68.3	68.3	0.3	0.0	0.1	-0.1			
Unemployment rate	5.0	5.1	0.3	0.1	-0.4	-0.5			
Employment rate	64.9	64.8	0.3	-0.1	0.4	0.2		***	
Saskatchewan									
Population	846.1	846.8		0.7	12.6	13.8	0.1	1.5	1.7
Labour force	597.0	592.5	2.5	-4.5	12.1	11.6	-0.8	2.1	2.0
Employment	576.0	572.1	2.6	-3.9	14.1	15.2	-0.7	2.5	2.7
Employment full-time	475.0	472.1	3.5	-2.9	14.6	11.5	-0.6	3.2	2.5
Employment part-time	101.1	99.9	3.2	-1.2	-0.6	3.6	-1.2	-0.6	3.7
Unemployment	20.9	20.4	1.8	-0.5	-2.0	-3.6	-2.4	-8.9	-15.0
Participation rate	70.6	70.0	0.3	-0.6	0.4	0.3			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	3.5 68.1	3.4 67.6	0.3 0.3	-0.1 -0.5	-0.5 0.7	-0.7 0.7			•••
	00.1	07.0	0.5	-0.5	0.1	0.7			
Alberta	2 200 0	3.312.5		4.5	00.0	07.2	0.4	2.0	2.0
Population	3,308.0 2,400.7	3,312.5 2,404.6	9.4	4.5 3.9	90.2 55.6	97.3 46.4	0.1 0.2	2.8 2.4	3.0 2.0
Labour force Employment	2,400.7	2,404.6	10.0	3.9	60.2	50.5	0.2	2.4	2.0
Employment full-time	1.912.0	1.915.3	12.8	3.2	41.7	30.4	0.1	2.7	1.6
Employment part-time	381.7	381.7	11.5	0.0	18.6	20.2	0.2	5.1	5.6
Unemployment	107.0	107.6	7.4	0.6	-4.6	-4.2	0.6	-4.1	-3.8
Participation rate	72.6	72.6	0.3	0.0	-0.3	-0.7			
Unemployment rate	4.5	4.5	0.3	0.0	-0.3	-0.2			
Employment rate	69.3	69.3	0.3	0.0	-0.1	-0.6			
British Columbia									
Population	3.918.0	3.920.1		2.1	45.3	48.9	0.1	1.2	1.3
Labour force	2.494.6	2,491.5	10.3	-3.1	45.5 19.5	27.4	-0.1	0.8	1.3
Employment	2,494.0	2,346.0	10.3	4.2	36.3	46.9	0.2	1.6	2.0
Employment full-time	1,846.7	1,847.7	14.7	1.0	49.1	39.3	0.2	2.7	2.0
Employment part-time	495.1	498.4	13.8	3.3	-12.7	7.7	0.7	-2.5	1.6
Unemployment	152.8	145.5	8.3	-7.3	-16.8	-19.5	-4.8	-10.4	-11.8
Participation rate	63.7	63.6	0.3	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	-4.0		
Unemployment rate	6.1	5.8	0.3	-0.3	-0.8	-0.9			
Employment rate	59.8	59.8	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.4			

<sup>1.</sup> Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations). **Note(s):** Related CANSIM Table 282-0087. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 4-1 Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Newfoundland and Labrador

		November	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Both sexes, 15 years and over	400.0	400.0		0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7
Population Labour force	426.9 258.3	426.8 257.8	1.8	-0.1 -0.5	-2.8 -4.6	-2.9 -6.1	0.0 -0.2	-0.7 -1.8	-0.7 -2.3
Employment	227.2	230.3	2.0	3.1	-3.7	-2.0	1.4	-1.6	-0.9
Employment full-time	191.4	193.3	2.4	1.9	-5.5	-5.9	1.0	-2.8	-3.0
Unemployment	31.1	27.5	1.8 0.4	-3.6	-0.9	-4.1	-11.6	-3.2	-13.0
Participation rate Unemployment rate	60.5 12.0	60.4 10.7	0.4	-0.1 -1.3	-0.7 -0.1	-1.0 -1.3			•••
Employment rate	53.2	54.0	0.5	0.8	-0.5	-0.1			
Part-time rate	15.8	16.0	0.8	0.3	1.0	1.8			
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	55.8	55.7		-0.1	-2.2	-2.3	-0.2	-3.8	-4.0
Labour force	34.3	34.8	1.0	0.5	1.0	-0.1 2.5	1.5	3.0	-0.3 9.4
Employment Unemployment	28.8 5.5	29.0 5.8	1.1 0.9	0.2 0.3	1.2 -0.2	-2.6	0.7 5.5	4.3 -3.3	-31.0
Participation rate	61.5	62.5	1.7	1.0	4.1	2.3		0.0	
Unemployment rate	16.0	16.7	2.6	0.7	-1.1	-7.4			
Employment rate	51.6	52.1	1.8	0.5	4.1	6.4			
Part-time rate	43.4	45.2	3.6	1.8	3.8	2.5			
Men, 25 years and over	179.0	179.0		0.0	-0.5	-0.6	0.0	0.3	0.2
Population Labour force	179.0	179.0 117.5	1.1	0.0 -0.3	-0.5 -1.4	-0.6 -0.9	0.0 -0.3	-0.3 -1.2	-0.3 -0.8
Employment	102.1	104.8	1.2	2.7	-0.9	-0.6	2.6	-0.9	-0.6
Unemployment	15.7	12.8	1.1	-2.9	-0.4	-0.2	-18.5	-3.0	-1.5
Participation rate	65.8	65.6	0.6	-0.2	-0.6	-0.3			
Unemployment rate	13.3	10.9	0.9	-2.4	-0.2	-0.1			
Employment rate Part-time rate	57.0 6.2	58.5 5.6	0.7 0.8	1.5 -0.5	-0.4 0.6	-0.2 1.5			
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	192.1	192.1		0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.1
Labour force	106.1	105.4	1.0	-0.7	-4.3	-5.1	-0.7	-3.9	-4.6
Employment	96.2	96.5	1.1	0.3	-4.0	-3.9	0.3	-4.0	-3.9
Unemployment Participation rate	9.9 55.2	8.9 54.9	1.0 0.5	-1.0 -0.3	-0.3 -2.2	-1.2 -2.6	-10.1	-3.3	-11.9
Unemployment rate	9.3	8.4	0.5	-0.9	0.0	-0.7			
Employment rate	50.1	50.2	0.6	0.1	-2.1	-2.0			
Part-time rate	17.7	18.5	1.4	0.9	0.2	1.1			
Industry	227.2	230.3	2.0	3.1	-3.7	-2.0	1.4	-1.6	-0.9
Goods-producing sector	55.0	54.4	1.8	-0.6	-2.5	-3.2	-1.1	-4.4	-5.6
Agriculture	1.5	2.0	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.3	33.3	11.1	17.6
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and	15.5	16.2	1.0	0.7	1.0	-2.5	4.5	10 F	12.4
gas extraction <sup>2</sup> Utilities	15.5 2.4	2.9	1.0 0.3	0.7	-1.9 0.6	-2.5 0.8	4.5 20.8	-10.5 26.1	-13.4 38.1
Construction	22.9	21.7	1.3	-1.2	0.8	0.7	-5.2	3.8	3.3
Manufacturing	12.5	11.6	1.0	-0.9	-2.2	-2.4	-7.2	-15.9	-17.1
Services-producing sector	172.2	175.9	2.1	3.7	-1.2	1.1	2.1	-0.7	0.6
Trade	37.0	39.6	1.4	2.6	1.5	2.1	7.0	3.9	5.6
Transportation and warehousing Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing Professional existific and technical	11.1 8.5	10.4 9.2	0.7 0.7	-0.7 0.7	0.0 -0.2	0.1 -0.1	-6.3 8.2	0.0 -2.1	1.0 -1.1
Professional, scientific and technical services	11.3	11.3	0.8	0.0	2.1	1.8	0.0	22.8	18.9
Business, building and other support									
services	5.6	6.2	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	10.7	12.7	14.8
Educational services Health care and social assistance	15.3 33.4	14.4 33.6	1.0 1.2	-0.9 0.2	-3.8 -3.0	-4.2 -1.8	-5.9 0.6	-20.9 -8.2	-22.6 -5.1
Information, culture and recreation	6.7	6.8	0.7	0.2	-0.6	-1.0 -1.0	1.5	-8.1	-12.8
Accommodation and food services	15.0	15.8	1.0	0.8	2.0	2.9	5.3	14.5	22.5
Other services	12.4	12.3	0.8	-0.1	1.4	0.9	-0.8	12.8	7.9
Public administration	15.9	16.4	0.9	0.5	-1.1	-0.2	3.1	-6.3	-1.2

<sup>1.</sup> Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 4-2 Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Prince Edward Island

		November		(	Change from		Perc	Percent change from		
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago	
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)					
Both sexes, 15 years and over	101.0	404.0		0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.7	
Population Labour force	121.8 82.5	121.8 83.8	0.6	0.0 1.3	0.6 0.5	0.9 0.4	0.0 1.6	0.7 0.6	0.7 0.5	
Employment	74.9	75.0	0.7	0.1	1.4	1.3	0.1	1.9	1.8	
Employment full-time	63.7	63.3	0.9	-0.4	1.5	2.3	-0.6	2.4	3.8	
Unemployment	7.6	8.8	0.7	1.2	-0.9	-0.9	15.8	-9.3	-9.3	
Participation rate	67.7	68.8	0.5	1.1	0.0	-0.2	•••			
Unemployment rate	9.2	10.5	0.8	1.3	-1.1	-1.1				
Employment rate Part-time rate	61.5 15.0	61.6 15.6	0.6 1.0	0.1 0.6	0.8 -0.4	0.6 -1.6				
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years										
Population	19.3	19.2		-0.1	-0.4	-0.4	-0.5	-2.0	-2.0	
Labour force	13.2	13.4	0.4	0.2	-0.1	0.2	1.5	-0.7	1.5	
Employment	11.2	10.9	0.4	-0.3	-0.4	0.0	-2.7	-3.5	0.0	
Unemployment Participation rate	2.0 68.4	2.5 69.8	0.3 1.9	0.5 1.4	0.2 0.9	0.2 2.5	25.0	8.7	8.7	
Unemployment rate	15.2	18.7	2.4	3.5	1.7	1.3				
Employment rate	58.0	56.8	1.8	-1.2	-0.9	1.2				
Part-time rate	41.1	41.3	3.7	0.2	2.3	0.0				
Men, 25 years and over	40.0	40.0		0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	4.4	4.0	
Population	49.3 35.6	49.3 36.2	0.3	0.0 0.6	0.7 0.5	0.8 0.1	0.0 1.7	1.4 1.4	1.6 0.3	
Labour force Employment	32.8	32.9	0.3	0.6	1.4	1.0	0.3	4.4	3.1	
Unemployment	2.8	3.3	0.4	0.1	-0.9	-1.0	17.9	-21.4	-23.3	
Participation rate	72.2	73.4	0.7	1.2	-0.1	-1.0				
Unemployment rate	7.9	9.1	1.1	1.2	-2.7	-2.8				
Employment rate	66.5	66.7	0.9	0.2	1.9	0.9				
Part-time rate	5.8	5.5	1.0	-0.3	-2.8	-2.4				
Women, 25 years and over Population	53.2	53.3		0.1	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.9	0.9	
Labour force	33.7	34.1	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.5	1.2	0.3	0.9	
Employment	30.9	31.1	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.6	1.0	0.3	
Unemployment	2.8	3.0	0.3	0.2	-0.2	-0.1	7.1	-6.2	-3.2	
Participation rate	63.3	64.0	0.6	0.7	-0.4	-0.4				
Unemployment rate	8.3	8.8	1.0	0.5	-0.6	-0.3				
Employment rate	58.1	58.3	0.7	0.2	0.0	-0.4				
Part-time rate	15.2	17.7	1.5	2.5	2.4	-0.4			•••	
Industry	74.9	75.0	0.7	0.1	1.4	1.3	0.1	1.9	1.8	
Goods-producing sector	18.0	18.3 3.7	0.6 0.3	0.3	1.9 0.7	1.4 0.5	1.7	11.6 23.3	8.3	
Agriculture Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and	3.7	3.1	0.3	0.0	0.7	0.5	0.0	23.3	15.6	
gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	2.3	2.4	0.3	0.1	-0.3	-0.2	4.3	-11.1	-7.7	
Utilities	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-25.0	-25.0	
Construction	6.0	6.0	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.5	0.0	11.1	9.1	
Manufacturing	5.7	5.9	0.4	0.2	1.0	0.8	3.5	20.4	15.7	
Services-producing sector	56.8	56.7	0.7	-0.1	-0.5	-0.1	-0.2	-0.9	-0.2	
Trade Transportation and warehousing	11.2 2.9	11.6 3.0	0.5 0.2	0.4 0.1	0.6 0.2	1.1 -0.2	3.6 3.4	5.5 7.1	10.5 -6.2	
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing Professional, scientific and technical	2.4	2.6	0.2	0.2	-0.6	-0.4	8.3	-18.8	-13.3	
services Business, building and other support	3.4	3.2	0.3	-0.2	0.1	0.5	-5.9	3.2	18.5	
services	2.2	2.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	13.6	19.0	19.0	
Educational services	5.5	5.5	0.4	0.0	-0.7	-0.8	0.0	-11.3	-12.7	
Health care and social assistance	9.2	8.5	0.4	-0.7	-1.5	-1.7	-7.6	-15.0	-16.7	
Information, culture and recreation	2.7	2.4	0.3	-0.3	-0.2	-0.4	-11.1	-7.7	-14.3	
Accommodation and food services	5.3	5.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	3.8	5.8	1.9	
Other services Public administration	4.3 7.6	4.2 7.7	0.3 0.3	-0.1 0.1	0.4 0.5	0.7 0.5	-2.3 1.3	10.5 6.9	20.0 6.9	
i ubiio autiiiiibii auoti	1.0	1.1	0.5	0.1	0.5	0.5	1.3	0.5	0.9	

<sup>1.</sup> Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 4-3 Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Nova Scotia

	October		S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in t	housands (e	xcept rates	)				
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population Labour force	781.2 492.7	781.1 492.6	2.6	-0.1 -0.1	-0.4 -2.3	-0.5 -2.5	0.0 0.0	-0.1 -0.5	-0.1 -0.5
Employment	450.4	449.1	2.7	-1.3	-0.4	-2.1	-0.3	-0.1	-0.5
Employment full-time	366.4	366.8	3.5	0.4	6.9	4.1	0.1	1.9	1.1
Unemployment Participation rate	42.4 63.1	43.5 63.1	2.3 0.3	1.1 0.0	-1.9 -0.2	-0.4 -0.2	2.6	-4.2 	-0.9 
Unemployment rate	8.6	8.8	0.5	0.2	-0.4	-0.1			
Employment rate	57.7	57.5	0.3	-0.2	0.0	-0.2			
Part-time rate	18.6	18.3	0.7	-0.3	-1.6	-1.3			•••
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years	112.2	112.0		-0.2	-3.0	-3.2	-0.2	-2.6	-2.8
Population Labour force	73.7	73.0	1.6	-0.2	-3.0 -2.4	-3.2 -1.4	-0.2	-2.0 -3.2	-2.6 -1.9
Employment	61.4	61.8	1.5	0.4	1.1	0.5	0.7	1.8	0.8
Unemployment	12.4 65.7	11.1 65.2	1.5 1.4	-1.3 -0.5	-3.6 -0.4	-2.0 0.6	-10.5	-24.5	-15.3
Participation rate Unemployment rate	16.8	15.2	1.4	-0.5 -1.6	-0.4 -4.3	-2.4			
Employment rate	54.7	55.2	1.3	0.5	2.4	2.0			
Part-time rate	46.1	46.0	2.7	-0.1	0.2	-1.5			
Men, 25 years and over									
Population  Labour force	316.9 212.1	316.9 211.6	 1.4	0.0 -0.5	1.0 -1.2	1.1 -1.5	0.0 -0.2	0.3 -0.6	0.3 -0.7
Employment	194.5	192.6	1.6	-1.9	-0.9	-1.5 -1.7	-1.0	-0.5	-0.7
Unemployment	17.5	19.0	1.4	1.5	-0.3	0.2	8.6	-1.6	1.1
Participation rate	66.9	66.8	0.4	-0.1	-0.6	-0.7			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	8.3 61.4	9.0 60.8	0.6 0.5	0.7 -0.6	-0.1 -0.5	0.2 -0.7			
Part-time rate	8.3	7.8	0.8	-0.5	-1.7	-1.3			
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	352.1	352.2	.==	0.1	1.5	1.7	0.0	0.4	0.5
Labour force Employment	206.9 194.5	208.0 194.7	1.5 1.5	1.1 0.2	1.3 -0.6	0.4 -0.9	0.5 0.1	0.6 -0.3	0.2 -0.5
Unemployment	12.5	13.3	1.2	0.2	1.9	1.3	6.4	16.7	10.8
Participation rate	58.8	59.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	-0.1		***	
Unemployment rate	6.0	6.4	0.5	0.4	0.9	0.6			
Employment rate Part-time rate	55.2 20.3	55.3 20.0	0.4 1.1	0.1 -0.3	-0.4 -2.3	-0.5 -1.4			
	20.0			0.0					•••
Industry	450.4	449.1	2.7	-1.3	-0.4	-2.1	-0.3	-0.1	-0.5
Goods-producing sector Agriculture	79.0 4.3	79.5 4.2	2.2 0.7	0.5 -0.1	-5.0 -1.1	-6.3 -1.6	0.6 -2.3	-5.9 -20.8	-7.3 -27.6
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and	1.0		0.1	<b>U</b>		1.0		20.0	27.0
gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	11.7	13.6	0.9	1.9	2.3	2.4	16.2	20.4	21.4
Utilities Construction	3.1 32.2	3.7 28.5	0.5 1.6	0.6 -3.7	-0.6 -4.6	-0.5 -5.7	19.4 -11.5	-14.0 -13.9	-11.9 -16.7
Manufacturing	27.7	29.5	1.3	1.8	-1.0	-0.9	6.5	-3.3	-3.0
Services-producing sector	371.3	369.6	2.9	-1.7	4.6	4.2	-0.5	1.3	1.1
Trade	73.2	70.5	1.9	-2.7	-2.1	-1.6	-3.7	-2.9	-2.2
Transportation and warehousing Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	20.2 23.2	21.3 24.0	1.1 1.1	1.1 0.8	2.9 1.2	3.4 1.5	5.4 3.4	15.8 5.3	19.0 6.7
Professional, scientific and technical	23.2	24.0	1.1	0.0	1.2	1.5	3.4	5.5	0.7
services	28.2	27.8	1.3	-0.4	2.4	1.4	-1.4	9.4	5.3
Business, building and other support	40 -	40 =	4.0	4.0	4 -	- 1	• •	22.2	04.0
services Educational services	19.7 35.5	18.5 36.0	1.3 1.5	-1.2 0.5	-4.7 -0.3	-5.1 -0.1	-6.1 1.4	-20.3 -0.8	-21.6 -0.3
Health care and social assistance	73.1	73.3	1.7	0.3	2.0	3.7	0.3	2.8	5.3
Information, culture and recreation	20.5	21.2	1.2	0.7	1.3	2.2	3.4	6.5	11.6
Accommodation and food services Other services	32.1 17.2	29.8 18.6	1.6 1.0	-2.3 1.4	1.4 1.0	-0.1 0.8	-7.2 8.1	4.9 5.7	-0.3 4.5
Public administration	28.2	28.6	1.0	0.4	-0.5	-1.9	8.1 1.4	5.7 -1.7	-6.2
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Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).
 Also referred to as Natural resources.
 Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 4-4 Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — New Brunswick

	October		S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Both sexes, 15 years and over	200.0				0.0	0.4		0.0	0.4
Population Labour force	620.2 388.0	620.2 387.1	2.2	0.0 -0.9	0.3 -4.6	0.4 -3.0	0.0 -0.2	0.0 -1.2	0.1 -0.8
Employment	351.8	349.9	2.2	-1.9	-4.0 -3.8	-3.0 -2.1	-0.2	-1.2 -1.1	-0.6
Employment full-time	295.7	294.1	3.0	-1.6	-2.0	-2.0	-0.5	-0.7	-0.7
Unemployment	36.2	37.1	2.2	0.9	-0.9	-0.9	2.5	-2.4	-2.4
Participation rate	62.6	62.4	0.4	-0.2	-0.8	-0.5			
Unemployment rate	9.3	9.6	0.5	0.3	-0.1	-0.1			
Employment rate Part-time rate	56.7 16.0	56.4 15.9	0.4 0.7	-0.3 0.0	-0.7 -0.3	-0.4 0.1			
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	85.3	85.2		-0.1	-2.3	-2.5	-0.1	-2.6	-2.9
Labour force	54.7	54.8	1.3	0.1	-1.1	0.1	0.2	-2.0	0.2
Employment Unemployment	45.9 8.9	45.6 9.3	1.3 1.2	-0.3 0.4	-2.5 1.4	-0.1 0.3	-0.7 4.5	-5.2 17.7	-0.2 3.3
Participation rate	64.1	64.3	1.5	0.2	0.4	1.9			
Unemployment rate	16.3	17.0	2.0	0.7	2.9	0.5			
Employment rate	53.8	53.5	1.5	-0.3	-1.5	1.4			
Part-time rate	43.6	43.2	3.0	-0.4	2.2	4.3			
Men, 25 years and over Population	256.7	256.8		0.1	1.4	1.6	0.0	0.5	0.6
Labour force	170.6	170.2	1.3	-0.4	-3.7	-3.0	-0.2	-2.1	-1.7
Employment	153.9	152.5	1.4	-1.4	-2.9	-3.4	-0.9	-1.9	-2.2
Unemployment	16.7	17.7	1.4	1.0	-0.9	0.3	6.0	-4.8	1.7
Participation rate	66.5 9.8	66.3 10.4	0.5 0.8	-0.2	-1.8	-1.6 0.4			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	9.6 60.0	59.4	0.6	0.6 -0.6	-0.3 -1.4	-1.7			
Part-time rate	6.0	6.4	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.7			
Women, 25 years and over	070.0								
Population	278.2	278.3		0.1	1.3	1.4	0.0	0.5	0.5
Labour force Employment	162.6 152.0	162.0 151.9	1.2 1.3	-0.6 -0.1	0.2 1.7	-0.1 1.4	-0.4 -0.1	0.1 1.1	-0.1 0.9
Unemployment	10.6	10.2	1.1	-0.1	-1.4	-1.5	-3.8	-12.1	-12.8
Participation rate	58.4	58.2	0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.3			
Unemployment rate	6.5	6.3	0.7	-0.2	-0.9	-0.9			
Employment rate	54.6	54.6	0.5	0.0	0.4	0.2			
Part-time rate	17.7	17.4	1.0	-0.3	-1.3	-2.1	***		•••
Industry	351.8	349.9	2.3	-1.9	-3.8	-2.1	-0.5	-1.1	-0.6
Goods-producing sector Agriculture	75.6 4.5	72.6 4.1	1.9 0.5	-3.0 -0.4	-5.3 0.2	-7.4 -0.3	-4.0 -8.9	-6.8 5.1	-9.2 -6.8
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and	4.5	4.1	0.5	-0.4	0.2	-0.5	-0.5	5.1	-0.0
gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	12.4	12.1	0.8	-0.3	-0.6	-0.4	-2.4	-4.7	-3.2
Utilities	3.5	3.5	0.4	0.0	-0.6	-0.5	0.0	-14.6	-12.5
Construction	25.3	23.0	1.3	-2.3	-6.1	-7.5	-9.1	-21.0	-24.6
Manufacturing	30.0	30.0	1.2	0.0	1.9	1.4	0.0	6.8	4.9
Services-producing sector Trade	276.2 50.9	277.3 54.2	2.3 1.6	1.1 3.3	1.5 -4.9	5.2 -1.0	0.4 6.5	0.5 -8.3	1.9 -1.8
Transportation and warehousing	15.5		0.9	0.9	-0.2	-0.6	5.8	-0.3 -1.2	-3.5
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing Professional, scientific and technical	13.9		0.8	0.2	-3.0	-3.4	1.4	-17.5	-19.4
services	19.4	19.1	0.9	-0.3	3.8	4.6	-1.5	24.8	31.7
Business, building and other support		19.3							32.2
services Educational services	20.8 28.3	19.3 29.3	1.1 1.2	-1.5 1.0	2.6 2.0	4.7 1.5	-7.2 3.5	15.6 7.3	32.2 5.4
Health care and social assistance	52.8		1.4	-0.7	2.7	2.8	-1.3	7.5 5.5	5.7
Information, culture and recreation	11.5	11.9	0.8	0.4	0.6	-0.2	3.5	5.3	-1.7
Accommodation and food services	20.0	20.7	1.2	0.7	-2.6	-4.0	3.5	-11.2	-16.2
Other services	18.1	15.7	0.9	-2.4	0.3	0.6	-13.3	1.9	4.0
Public administration	25.0	24.6	1.0	-0.4	0.2	0.3	-1.6	0.8	1.2

<sup>1.</sup> Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 4-5 Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Quebec

	October		S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change from	om
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Both sexes, 15 years and over	0.750.0	0.700.4		0.5	40.4	54.0	0.0	0.7	0.0
Population Labour force	6,759.6 4,353.8	6,762.1 4,369.3	15.0	2.5 15.5	48.1 -14.7	51.9 -9.8	0.0 0.4	0.7 -0.3	0.8 -0.2
Employment	4,016.8	4,036.4	14.9	19.6	-9.1	-25.2	0.5	-0.2	-0.6
Employment full-time	3,184.1	3,213.3	19.8	29.2	-26.6	-41.3	0.9	-0.8	-1.3
Unemployment	337.0	332.9	12.9	-4.1	-5.7	15.4	-1.2	-1.7	4.9
Participation rate Unemployment rate	64.4 7.7	64.6 7.6	0.2 0.3	0.2 -0.1	-0.7 -0.1	-0.7 0.3			
Employment rate	59.4		0.2	0.3	-0.6	-0.8			
Part-time rate	20.7	20.4	0.4	-0.3	0.5	0.5			
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years					40.4	40 =			
Population	963.2	961.5	 0 <i>E</i>	-1.7	-13.1	-13.7	-0.2	-1.3	-1.4
Labour force Employment	648.8 557.4	650.1 564.1	8.5 8.0	1.3 6.7	1.8 -0.5	5.8 4.1	0.2 1.2	0.3 -0.1	0.9 0.7
Unemployment	91.4	86.0	7.2	-5.4	2.3	1.7	-5.9	2.7	2.0
Participation rate	67.4	67.6	0.9	0.2	1.1	1.5			
Unemployment rate	14.1	13.2	1.0	-0.9	0.3	0.1			
Employment rate	57.9	58.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.3			•••
Part-time rate	56.0	55.8	1.6	-0.2	2.1	2.9			
Men, 25 years and over Population	2,855.5	2,857.7		2.2	32.2	34.6	0.1	1.1	1.2
Labour force	1,962.8	1,966.4	8.3	3.6	-12.3	-13.0	0.2	-0.6	-0.7
Employment	1,812.9	1,822.3	8.9	9.4	-8.7	-23.0	0.5	-0.5	-1.2
Unemployment	149.9	144.1	7.7	-5.8	-3.6	10.0	-3.9	-2.4	7.5
Participation rate	68.7	68.8	0.3	0.1	-1.2	-1.3			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	7.6 63.5	7.3 63.8	0.4 0.3	-0.3 0.3	-0.2 -1.0	0.5 -1.6		•••	•••
Part-time rate	8.9		0.5	-0.1	-0.3	-0.4			
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	2,940.8	2,943.0		2.2	29.1	31.2	0.1	1.0	1.1
Labour force	1,742.2	1,752.9	8.3	10.7	-4.1	-2.5	0.6	-0.2	-0.1
Employment	1,646.5	1,650.1	8.4	3.6	0.2	-6.1	0.2	0.0	-0.4
Unemployment Participation rate	95.7 59.2	102.8 59.6	7.1 0.3	7.1 0.4	-4.3 -0.7	3.7 -0.7	7.4	-4.0 	3.7
Unemployment rate	5.5	5.9	0.4	0.4	-0.2	0.3			
Employment rate	56.0	56.1	0.3	0.1	-0.5	-0.8			
Part-time rate	21.8	21.1	0.7	-0.7	0.7	0.5			
Industry	4,016.8	4,036.4	14.9	19.6	-9.1	-25.2	0.5	-0.2	-0.6
Goods-producing sector	867.5	864.0	13.0	-3.5	4.5	-3.7	-0.4	0.5	-0.4
Agriculture	51.9	51.2	3.5	-0.7	-1.5	-3.0	-1.3	-2.8	-5.5
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and	20.7	20.0	2.4	<b>.</b> .	0.6	2.7	47.2	24.4	44.5
gas extraction <sup>2</sup> Utilities	30.7 34.6	36.0 35.5	2.4 2.8	5.3 0.9	8.6 1.0	3.7 0.8	17.3 2.6	31.4 2.9	11.5 2.3
Construction	264.5	265.3	7.9	0.8	13.5	9.5	0.3	5.4	3.7
Manufacturing	485.8	475.9	10.2	-9.9	-17.3	-14.9	-2.0	-3.5	-3.0
Services-producing sector	3,149.3	3,172.5	17.3	23.2	-13.4	-21.4	0.7	-0.4	-0.7
Trade	642.0	642.6	12.3	0.6	9.0	9.3	0.1	1.4	1.5
Transportation and warehousing Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	174.1 225.4	181.4 216.0	6.9 7.6	7.3 -9.4	-11.4 -13.2	-11.6 -13.5	4.2 -4.2	-5.9 -5.8	-6.0 -5.9
Professional, scientific and technical									
services Business, building and other support	294.3	283.8	9.3	-10.5	-25.5	-29.5	-3.6	-8.2	-9.4
services	155.1	153.2	6.7	-1.9	4.3	1.3	-1.2	2.9	0.9
Educational services	279.8	281.7	8.3	1.9	-6.3	-10.4	0.7	-2.2	-3.6
Health care and social assistance	550.0	552.7	10.9	2.7	-10.0	-4.1	0.5	-1.8	-0.7
Information, culture and recreation	180.6		7.8	3.8	-6.1	-6.0	2.1	-3.2 11.1	-3.2
Accommodation and food services Other services	258.1 154.0	278.9 159.7	8.8 7.0	20.8 5.7	27.8 -8.9	28.2 -7.6	8.1 3.7	11.1 -5.3	11.2 -4.5
Public administration	235.9	238.0	6.3	2.1	26.7	22.5	0.9	12.6	10.4
	_00.0		0.0				5.5		

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 Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 4-6 Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Ontario

	October		S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Both sexes, 15 years and over	44.070.7	44 004 0			440.0	407.4	0.4	4.0	4.4
Population Labour force	11,376.7 7,484.2	11,384.2 7,481.2	19.8	7.5 -3.0	116.6 14.9	127.1 27.1	0.1 0.0	1.0 0.2	1.1 0.4
Employment	6,994.1	6,960.2	18.7	-33.9	83.4	53.1	-0.5	1.2	0.8
Employment full-time	5,649.3	5,622.1	26.0	-27.2	44.6	27.9	-0.5	0.8	0.5
Unemployment	490.1	521.0	17.1	30.9	-68.5	-26.0	6.3	-11.6	-4.8
Participation rate	65.8 6.5	65.7 7.0	0.2 0.2	-0.1 0.5	-0.6 -0.9	-0.5 -0.3		•••	•••
Unemployment rate Employment rate	61.5	7.0 61.1	0.2	-0.4	-0.9 0.1	-0.3 -0.3			
Part-time rate	19.2	19.2	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.2			
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	1,768.5	1,767.0		-1.5	-14.8	-15.6	-0.1	-0.8	-0.9
Labour force Employment	1,092.4 945.7	1,106.5 934.3	11.9 10.8	14.1 -11.4	29.8 37.8	28.1 24.0	1.3 -1.2	2.8 4.2	2.6 2.6
Unemployment	945.7 146.7	934.3 172.2	10.6	-11.4 25.5	-7.9	4.2	-1.2 17.4	4.2 -4.4	2.5
Participation rate	61.8	62.6	0.7	0.8	2.2	2.1			
Unemployment rate	13.4	15.6	0.9	2.2	-1.1	0.0			
Employment rate	53.5	52.9	0.6	-0.6	2.6	1.8			
Part-time rate	52.9	53.7	1.3	0.8	1.9	1.7			
Men, 25 years and over Population	4,659.9	4,664.2		4.3	63.0	68.6	0.1	1.4	1.5
Labour force	3,366.4	3,355.3	10.1	-11.1	15.9	6.6	-0.3	0.5	0.2
Employment	3,178.1	3,159.1	10.5	-19.0	46.6	32.9	-0.6	1.5	1.1
Unemployment	188.4	196.2	9.8	7.8	-30.6	-26.4	4.1	-13.5	-11.9
Participation rate	72.2	71.9	0.2	-0.3	-0.7	-1.0			
Unemployment rate	5.6 68.2	5.8 67.7	0.3 0.2	0.2 -0.5	-1.0 0.1	-0.8 -0.3	•••	***	•••
Employment rate Part-time rate	7.9	7.8	0.2	-0.5 -0.1	0.1	0.1			
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	4,948.3	4,953.0		4.7	68.4	74.1	0.1	1.4	1.5
Labour force	3,025.3	3,019.3	11.5	-6.0	-30.9	-7.7	-0.2	-1.0	-0.3
Employment Unemployment	2,870.3 155.0	2,866.8 152.5	11.0 9.5	-3.5 -2.5	-0.9 -30.0	-3.7 -3.9	-0.1 -1.6	0.0 -16.4	-0.1 -2.5
Participation rate	61.1	61.0	0.2	-0.1	-1.4	-1.0	-1.0	-10.4	-2.5
Unemployment rate	5.1	5.1	0.3	0.0	-0.9	-0.1			
Employment rate	58.0	57.9	0.2	-0.1	-0.8	-0.9			
Part-time rate	20.6	20.6	0.5	-0.1	-0.3	-0.3			
Industry	6,994.1	6,960.2	18.7	-33.9	83.4	53.1	-0.5	1.2	0.8
Goods-producing sector	1,422.0	1,435.2	17.0	13.2	38.4	18.2	0.9	2.7	1.3
Agriculture	89.1	88.7	4.0	-0.4	6.0	2.2	-0.4	7.3	2.5
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	36.7	40.4	2.6	3.7	2.2	0.4	10.1	5.8	1.0
Utilities	58.2	56.6	3.3	-1.6	-4.1	-4.3	-2.7	-6.8	-7.1
Construction	465.9	465.8	11.4	-0.1	18.5	11.2	0.0	4.1	2.5
Manufacturing	772.1	783.7	13.4	11.6	15.7	8.7	1.5	2.0	1.1
Services-producing sector	5,572.1	5,525.0	22.9	-47.1	45.0	35.0	-0.8	0.8	0.6
Trade Transportation and warehousing	1,062.3	1,011.0 299.6	16.4	-51.3	-13.6 -13.7	-10.9 -17.8	-4.8 5.9	-1.3	-1.1 -5.6
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	317.9 540.5	299.6 558.7	10.1 12.5	-18.3 18.2	-13.7 36.0	-17.8 30.7	-5.8 3.4	-4.4 6.9	-5.6 5.8
Professional, scientific and technical									
services Business, building and other support	579.5	573.8	13.1	-5.7	-12.9	5.0	-1.0	-2.2	0.9
services	306.5	315.0	10.3	8.5	-1.1	-11.9	2.8	-0.3	-3.6
Educational services	532.3	535.9	11.0	3.6	25.1	21.5	0.7	4.9	4.2
Health care and social assistance	815.3	821.5	12.5	6.2	27.9	24.2	0.8	3.5	3.0
Information, culture and recreation	321.8	329.5	10.3	7.7	-4.3	-1.8	2.4	-1.3	-0.5
Accommodation and food services	455.4	450.8	11.2	-4.6 4.2	37.1	30.4	-1.0	9.0	7.2
Other services Public administration	271.3 369.3	272.5 356.7	8.8 8.4	1.2 -12.6	-17.4 -18.1	-26.2 -8.3	0.4 -3.4	-6.0 -4.8	-8.8 -2.3
i dono administration	309.3	330.1	0.4	-12.0	-10.1	-0.5	-3.4	-4.0	-2.3

<sup>1.</sup> Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 4-7 Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Manitoba

	October		S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	m
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Both sexes, 15 years and over	000.6	000.2		0.7	44.4	10.0	0.4	1.0	1.0
Population Labour force	989.6 675.6	990.3 676.3	2.7	0.7 0.7	11.4 8.8	12.3 7.0	0.1 0.1	1.2 1.3	1.3 1.0
Employment	641.8	642.0	2.7	0.7	11.5	10.4	0.0	1.8	1.6
Employment full-time	521.1	523.1	3.8	2.0	12.8	14.6	0.4	2.5	2.9
Unemployment	33.8	34.3	2.1	0.5	-2.7	-3.4	1.5	-7.3	-9.0
Participation rate	68.3	68.3	0.3	0.0	0.1	-0.1			
Unemployment rate	5.0	5.1	0.3	0.1	-0.4	-0.5			
Employment rate Part-time rate	64.9 18.8	64.8 18.5	0.3 0.5	-0.1 -0.3	0.4 -0.5	0.2 -1.0			
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	164.1	164.0		-0.1	-0.8	-0.8	-0.1	-0.5	-0.5
Labour force	113.1	112.4	1.6	-0.7	0.3	0.8	-0.6	0.3	0.7
Employment Unemployment	101.8 11.4	100.5 11.8	1.6 1.3	-1.3 0.4	0.3 -0.1	-1.0 1.6	-1.3 3.5	0.3 -0.8	-1.0 15.7
Participation rate	68.9	68.5	0.9	-0.4	0.5	0.8	3.5	-0.0	13.7
Unemployment rate	10.1	10.5	1.1	0.4	-0.1	1.4			
Employment rate	62.0	61.3	0.9	-0.7	0.5	-0.3			
Part-time rate	41.7	41.0	1.9	-0.7	-1.0	-1.5	•••		
Men, 25 years and over Population	405.4	405.8		0.4	6.5	7.0	0.1	1.6	1.8
Labour force	303.7	303.1	1.4	-0.6	7.5	5.3	-0.2	2.5	1.8
Employment	291.8	291.5	1.5	-0.3	9.3	7.8	-0.1	3.3	2.7
Unemployment	11.9	11.6	1.2	-0.3	-1.8	-2.5	-2.5	-13.4	-17.7
Participation rate	74.9	74.7 3.8	0.4 0.4	-0.2 -0.1	0.7 -0.7	0.0			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	3.9 72.0	3.6 71.8	0.4	-0.1	-0.7 1.1	-0.9 0.7			
Part-time rate	8.1	7.7	0.6	-0.4	1.0	0.6			
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	420.1	420.5		0.4	5.7	6.1	0.1	1.4	1.5
Labour force Employment	258.7 248.2	260.9 250.0	1.6 1.6	2.2 1.8	1.1 1.9	1.1 3.5	0.9 0.7	0.4 0.8	0.4 1.4
Unemployment	10.5	10.9	1.1	0.4	-0.8	-2.5	3.8	-6.8	-18.7
Participation rate	61.6	62.0	0.4	0.4	-0.6	-0.7			
Unemployment rate	4.1	4.2	0.4	0.1	-0.3	-1.0			
Employment rate	59.1	59.5	0.4	0.4	-0.3	0.0			
Part-time rate	22.0	22.2	0.9	0.2	-1.6	-2.2			
Industry	641.8	642.0	2.7	0.2	11.5	10.4	0.0	1.8	1.6
Goods-producing sector	153.8 22.7	153.0 22.8	2.4 1.2	-0.8	7.8	6.8	-0.5	5.4	4.7
Agriculture Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and	22.1	22.0	1.2	0.1	0.3	-0.4	0.4	1.3	-1.7
gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	7.8	7.1	0.6	-0.7	0.1	0.2	-9.0	1.4	2.9
Utilities	8.9	9.3	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.7	4.5	8.1	8.1
Construction	49.6	47.8	1.6	-1.8	5.8	5.7	-3.6	13.8	13.5
Manufacturing	64.8	66.1	1.7	1.3	1.0	0.5	2.0	1.5	0.8
Services-producing sector Trade	488.0 95.2	489.0 91.9	3.2 2.0	1.0 -3.3	3.8 -4.1	3.6 -0.1	0.2 -3.5	0.8 -4.3	0.7 -0.1
Transportation and warehousing	35.0	36.1	1.4	1.1	-2.9	-3.1	3.1	-7.4	-7.9
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing Professional, scientific and technical	33.4	34.8	1.2	1.4	0.6	1.0	4.2	1.8	3.0
services	24.8	26.3	1.1	1.5	-1.5	-1.2	6.0	-5.4	-4.4
Business, building and other support	19.1	20.0	1.2	0.9	0.5	-0.3	4.7	2.6	-1.5
services Educational services	52.0	52.0	1.6	0.9	3.3	-0.3 2.7	0.0	2.6 6.8	-1.5 5.5
Health care and social assistance	102.6	102.3	1.9	-0.3	5.8	6.0	-0.3	6.0	6.2
Information, culture and recreation	22.2	22.1	1.2	-0.1	-1.6	-1.6	-0.5	-6.8	-6.8
Accommodation and food services	37.9	38.7	1.6	0.8	0.4	-0.3	2.1	1.0	-0.8
Other services	28.3	27.9	1.2	-0.4	1.6	-0.1	-1.4	6.1	-0.4
Public administration	37.5	36.9	1.2	-0.6	1.7	0.5	-1.6	4.8	1.4

Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).
 Also referred to as Natural resources.
 Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 4-8 Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Saskatchewan

	October		S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014		last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Both sexes, 15 years and over	0404	040.0			40.0	40.0		4.5	4 =
Population Labour force	846.1 597.0	846.8 592.5	2.5	0.7 -4.5	12.6 12.1	13.8 11.6	0.1 -0.8	1.5 2.1	1.7 2.0
Employment	576.0	572.1	2.5	-3.9	14.1	15.2	-0.6 -0.7	2.5	2.7
Employment full-time	475.0	472.1	3.5	-2.9	14.6	11.5	-0.6	3.2	2.5
Unemployment	20.9	20.4	1.8	-0.5	-2.0	-3.6	-2.4	-8.9	-15.0
Participation rate	70.6	70.0	0.3	-0.6	0.4	0.3			
Unemployment rate	3.5	3.4	0.3	-0.1	-0.5	-0.7			
Employment rate Part-time rate	68.1 17.6	67.6 17.5	0.3 0.6	-0.5 -0.1	0.7 -0.5	0.7 0.2			
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	136.0	135.9		-0.1	-0.9	-0.9	-0.1	-0.7	-0.7
Labour force	94.6	91.6	1.4	-3.0	-0.7	-1.6	-3.2	-0.8	-1.7
Employment	88.6	85.2	1.4	-3.4	-1.1	-2.4	-3.8	-1.3	-2.7
Unemployment Participation rate	6.0 69.6	6.4 67.4	1.1 1.1	0.4 -2.2	0.4 -0.1	0.7 -0.7	6.7	6.7	12.3
Participation rate Unemployment rate	6.3	67.4 7.0	1.1	-2.2 0.7	-0.1 0.5	-0.7 0.9			•••
Employment rate	65.1	62.7	1.1	-2.4	-0.4	-1.3			
Part-time rate	40.3	38.8	1.9	-1.4	-0.8	1.5			
Men, 25 years and over Population	352.7	353.2		0.5	7.8	8.5	0.1	2.3	2.5
Labour force	272.2	270.2	1.3	-2.0	4.0	3.8	-0.7	1.5	1.4
Employment	264.2	263.3	1.4	-0.9	5.0	6.1	-0.3	1.9	2.4
Unemployment	8.1	6.9	1.0	-1.2	-1.1	-2.3	-14.8	-13.8	-25.0
Participation rate	77.2	76.5	0.4	-0.7	-0.6	-0.8			
Unemployment rate	3.0	2.6	0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-0.9			
Employment rate Part-time rate	74.9 5.9	74.5 6.6	0.4 0.6	-0.4 0.7	-0.3 0.2	-0.1 0.6			
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	357.4	357.7		0.3	5.6	6.1	0.1	1.6	1.7
Labour force	230.2	230.7	1.5	0.5	8.9	9.4	0.2	4.0	4.2
Employment	223.3	223.6	1.5	0.3	10.1	11.4	0.1	4.7	5.4
Unemployment	6.9	7.1	1.0	0.2	-1.3	-2.0	2.9	-15.5	-22.0
Participation rate	64.4 3.0	64.5 3.1	0.4 0.4	0.1 0.1	1.5 -0.7	1.6 -1.0	•••	•••	•••
Unemployment rate Employment rate	62.5	62.5	0.4	0.1	-0.7 1.9	2.1			
Part-time rate	22.3	22.1	1.0	-0.2	-1.1	-0.5			
Industry	576.0	572.1	2.6	-3.9	14.1	15.2	-0.7	2.5	2.7
Goods-producing sector	163.9	159.6	2.6	-4.3	6.9	8.4	-2.6	4.5	5.6
Agriculture	45.9	43.7	1.7	-2.2	-0.5	0.3	-4.8	-1.1	0.7
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and									
gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	27.9	28.9	1.2	1.0	6.0	4.9	3.6	26.2	20.4
Utilities	6.5	6.2	0.5	-0.3	-0.5	-0.1	-4.6	-7.5	-1.6
Construction Manufacturing	54.7 28.8	52.1 28.7	1.8 1.3	-2.6 -0.1	3.4 -1.5	3.6 -0.3	-4.8 -0.3	7.0 -5.0	7.4 -1.0
Services-producing sector	412.1	412.5	3.2	0.4	7.2	6.8	0.1	1.8	1.7
Trade	83.6	86.3	2.1	2.7	3.6	5.4	3.2	4.4	6.7
Transportation and warehousing	26.3	25.3 22.5	1.2	-1.0	-4.3 3.9	-5.6	-3.8	-14.5	-18.1
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing Professional, scientific and technical	32.5	33.5	1.3	1.0		4.4	3.1	13.2	15.1
services Business, building and other support	29.5	27.8	1.3	-1.7	-2.1	-0.8	-5.8	-7.0	-2.8
services	13.7	15.6	1.0	1.9	2.1	2.1	13.9	15.6	15.6
Educational services	44.3	44.6	1.4	0.3	-0.7	-1.7	0.7	-1.5	-3.7
Health care and social assistance	71.8	70.6	1.7	-1.2	-0.5	-1.1	-1.7	-0.7	-1.5
Information, culture and recreation Accommodation and food services	16.7	16.2	1.1	-0.5 -2.2	-4.5 3.3	-4.8 1.6	-3.0	-21.7 10.5	-22.9
Other services	36.8 24.7	34.6 25.9	1.6 1.2	-2.2 1.2	3.3 3.2	1.6 4.4	-6.0 4.9	10.5 14.1	4.8 20.5
Public administration	32.3	32.0	1.2	-0.3	3.2	2.8	-0.9	11.1	9.6
	02.0	02.0		0.0	V. <u>-</u>	2.0	0.0		0.0

<sup>1.</sup> Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 4-9 Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Alberta

	October		S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Both sexes, 15 years and over	2 200 0	2 240 5		4.5	00.0	07.0	0.4	2.0	2.0
Population Labour force	3,308.0 2,400.7	3,312.5 2,404.6	9.4	4.5 3.9	90.2 55.6	97.3 46.4	0.1 0.2	2.8 2.4	3.0 2.0
Employment	2,293.7	2,296.9	10.0	3.2	60.2	50.5	0.1	2.7	2.2
Employment full-time	1,912.0	1,915.3	12.8	3.3	41.7	30.4	0.2	2.2	1.6
Unemployment	107.0	107.6	7.4	0.6	-4.6	-4.2	0.6	-4.1	-3.8
Participation rate	72.6 4.5	72.6 4.5	0.3 0.3	0.0 0.0	-0.3 -0.3	-0.7 -0.2			•••
Unemployment rate Employment rate	69.3	69.3	0.3	0.0	-0.3 -0.1	-0.2			
Part-time rate	16.6	16.6	0.5	0.0	0.4	0.5			
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	519.0	518.7		-0.3	2.4	2.5	-0.1	0.5	0.5
Labour force Employment	361.6 329.6	359.6 328.5	5.3 5.3	-2.0 -1.1	11.6 11.8	8.0 7.7	-0.6 -0.3	3.3 3.7	2.3 2.4
Unemployment	329.0	31.1	4.2	-0.9	-0.1	0.2	-0.3 -2.8	-0.3	0.6
Participation rate	69.7	69.3	1.0	-0.4	1.9	1.2	-2.0	0.0	
Unemployment rate	8.8	8.6	1.1	-0.2	-0.4	-0.2			
Employment rate	63.5	63.3	1.0	-0.2	2.0	1.2			
Part-time rate	35.1	36.7	1.8	1.5	0.3	-0.5			
Men, 25 years and over Population	1,419.6	1,421.9		2.3	46.5	50.3	0.2	3.4	3.7
Labour force	1,139.7	1,138.7	4.9	-1.0	29.9	28.0	-0.1	2.7	2.5
Employment	1,102.9	1,101.5	5.8	-1.4	41.9	38.5	-0.1	4.0	3.6
Unemployment	36.7	37.2	4.7	0.5	-12.0	-10.5	1.4	-24.4	-22.0
Participation rate	80.3 3.2	80.1 3.3	0.4 0.4	-0.2 0.1	-0.5 -1.1	-0.9 -1.0			•••
Unemployment rate Employment rate	77.7	77.5	0.4	-0.2	0.5	0.0			
Part-time rate	5.7	5.5	0.5	-0.2	-0.4	-0.7			
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	1,369.4	1,371.8		2.4	41.2	44.3	0.2	3.1	3.3
Labour force	899.4 861.2	906.3 867.0	5.6 5.4	6.9 5.8	14.1 6.6	10.4 4.4	0.8 0.7	1.6 0.8	1.2 0.5
Employment Unemployment	38.2	39.4	3.4	1.2	7.6	6.2	3.1	23.9	18.7
Participation rate	65.7	66.1	0.4	0.4	-1.0	-1.4		20.0	
Unemployment rate	4.2	4.3	0.4	0.1	0.7	0.6			
Employment rate	62.9	63.2	0.4	0.3	-1.5	-1.8			
Part-time rate	23.5	23.1	0.9	-0.4	1.6	2.6			
Industry	2,293.7	2,296.9	10.0	3.2	60.2	50.5	0.1	2.7	2.2
Goods-producing sector	635.0	650.9	10.2	15.9	14.8	13.9	2.5	2.3	2.2
Agriculture	58.6	64.0	4.3	5.4	6.6	5.1	9.2	11.5	8.7
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	165.0	169.7	5.9	4.7	-15.5	-16.2	2.8	-8.4	-8.7
Utilities	20.3	20.6	2.3	0.3	-13.5 -2.1	-1.8	1.5	-9.3	-8.0
Construction	237.0	246.1	7.7	9.1	13.9	13.2	3.8	6.0	5.7
Manufacturing	154.1	150.5	5.3	-3.6	11.9	13.6	-2.3	8.6	9.9
Services-producing sector	1,658.8	1,646.0	12.8	-12.8	45.4	36.7	-0.8	2.8	2.3
Trade Transportation and warehousing	329.0 129.6	324.9 136.2	8.5 5.3	-4.1 6.6	-2.2 16.4	-8.3 18.8	-1.2 5.1	-0.7 13.7	-2.5 16.0
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing Professional, scientific and technical	106.3	110.3	4.8	4.0	4.4	5.7	3.8	4.2	5.4
services	193.3	182.3	6.2	-11.0	0.4	-0.9	-5.7	0.2	-0.5
Business, building and other support			4.5				0.4		
services Educational services	79.5 144.8	79.6 138.4	4.5 5.2	0.1 -6.4	4.4 10.6	4.9 7.2	0.1 -4.4	5.9 8.3	6.6 5.5
Health care and social assistance	244.7	251.2	6.5	6.5	10.0	19.6	2.7	6.3 4.1	8.5
Information, culture and recreation	75.9	71.1	4.2	-4.8	-2.7	-3.8	-6.3	-3.7	-5.1
Accommodation and food services	153.8	154.3	6.0	0.5	5.3	6.7	0.3	3.6	4.5
Other services	116.2	113.7	5.2	-2.5	5.9	-3.7	-2.2	5.5	-3.2
Public administration	85.8	84.1	4.2	-1.7	-6.9	-9.5	-2.0	-7.6	-10.1

Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).
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 Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

**Table 4-10** Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — British Columbia

		November	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Both sexes, 15 years and over	2.040.0	2 222 4		0.4	45.0	40.0	0.4	4.0	4.0
Population Labour force	3,918.0 2,494.6	3,920.1 2,491.5	10.3	2.1 -3.1	45.3 19.5	48.9 27.4	0.1 -0.1	1.2 0.8	1.3 1.1
Employment	2,341.8	2,346.0	10.3	4.2	36.3	46.9	0.2	1.6	2.0
Employment full-time	1,846.7	1,847.7	14.7	1.0	49.1	39.3	0.1	2.7	2.2
Unemployment	152.8	145.5	8.3	-7.3	-16.8	-19.5	-4.8	-10.4	-11.8
Participation rate Unemployment rate	63.7 6.1	63.6 5.8	0.3 0.3	-0.1 -0.3	-0.2 -0.8	-0.1 -0.9		•••	
Employment rate	59.8	59.8	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.4			
Part-time rate	21.1	21.2	0.6	0.1	-0.9	-0.1			
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	584.9	584.0		-0.9	-1.9	-2.0	-0.2	-0.3	-0.3
Labour force	364.8	364.2	6.0	-0.6	4.1	10.6	-0.2	1.1	3.0
Employment	322.4	327.8 36.3	5.6	5.4 6.1	18.1	21.0	1.7	5.8 28.1	6.8
Unemployment Participation rate	42.4 62.4	36.3 62.4	4.8 1.0	-6.1 0.0	-14.2 0.9	-10.5 2.1	-14.4	-28.1	-22.4
Unemployment rate	11.6	10.0	1.0	-1.6	-4.0	-3.2			
Employment rate	55.1	56.1	0.9	1.0	3.2	3.7			
Part-time rate	46.1	46.6	2.1	0.5	-2.0	3.0			
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	1,626.1	1,627.5		1.4	22.5	24.3	0.1	1.4	1.5
Labour force	1,117.0 1,058.9	1,119.6 1,062.5	5.4 5.6	2.6 3.6	11.5 9.8	12.3 13.8	0.2 0.3	1.0 0.9	1.1 1.3
Employment Unemployment	58.1	57.1	4.9	-1.0	1.7	-1.4	-1.7	3.1	-2.4
Participation rate	68.7	68.8	0.3	0.1	-0.2	-0.3	-1.7	J. I	-2.4
Unemployment rate	5.2	5.1	0.4	-0.1	0.1	-0.2			
Employment rate	65.1	65.3	0.3	0.2	-0.3	-0.1			
Part-time rate	9.3	9.5	0.6	0.2	-0.4	0.2			
Women, 25 years and over	4 707 0	4 700 0		4.0	04.0	00.7		4.5	4.0
Population	1,707.0 1,012.9	1,708.6 1,007.8	 6.1	1.6 -5.1	24.8 4.0	26.7 4.6	0.1 -0.5	1.5 0.4	1.6 0.5
Labour force Employment	960.5	955.7	6.0	-5.1 -4.8	8.3	12.1	-0.5	0.4	1.3
Unemployment	52.3	52.0	4.7	-0.3	-4.4	-7.6	-0.6	-7.8	-12.8
Participation rate	59.3	59.0	0.4	-0.3	-0.6	-0.6			
Unemployment rate	5.2	5.2	0.5	0.0	-0.4	-0.7			
Employment rate	56.3	55.9	0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-0.2			
Part-time rate	25.8	25.6	1.0	-0.2	-1.4	-1.9			
Industry	2,341.8	2,346.0	10.3	4.2	36.3	46.9	0.2	1.6	2.0
Goods-producing sector	451.4	450.1	9.5	-1.3	-2.5	2.0	-0.3	-0.6	0.4
Agriculture	21.4	22.5	2.6	1.1	-2.9	-3.0	5.1	-11.4	-11.8
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and	45.7	50.0	3.4	4.3	-0.8	-1.0	9.4	-1.6	-2.0
gas extraction <sup>2</sup> Utilities	13.5	14.8	1.7	1.3	1.8	2.2	9.6	13.8	17.5
Construction	194.2	192.2	6.8	-2.0	0.1	2.8	-1.0	0.1	1.5
Manufacturing	176.5	170.6	6.0	-5.9	-0.6	1.1	-3.3	-0.4	0.6
Services-producing sector	1,890.5	1,896.0	12.4	5.5	38.9	45.0	0.3	2.1	2.4
Trade	352.1	361.5	8.8	9.4	7.6	0.1	2.7	2.1	0.0
Transportation and warehousing Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	153.9 154.2	146.8 150.6	5.3 5.7	-7.1 -3.6	22.4 -0.7	19.3 -2.1	-4.6 -2.3	18.0 -0.5	15.1 -1.4
Professional, scientific and technical									
services Business, building and other support	195.4	187.4	6.8	-8.0	6.7	8.7	-4.1	3.7	4.9
services	87.3	86.4	4.9	-0.9	-9.9 4.6	-7.2	-1.0	-10.3	-7.7 1 0
Educational services Health care and social assistance	172.5 279.0	178.2 279.4	6.1 6.7	5.7 0.4	4.6 6.2	3.2 12.8	3.3 0.1	2.6 2.3	1.8 4.8
Information, culture and recreation	113.7	116.3	5.4	2.6	-5.3	-3.3	2.3	-4.4	-2.8
Accommodation and food services	173.9	171.5	6.6	-2.4	-4.5	-7.7	-1.4	-2.6	-4.3
Other services	106.4	103.2	4.7	-3.2	5.7	11.2	-3.0	5.8	12.2
Public administration	102.0	114.6	4.4	12.6	6.0	9.9	12.4	5.5	9.5

<sup>1.</sup> Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 5-1 Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

		November	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador	160.7	469.0		0.2	1.4	1.6	0.1	0.0	1.0
Population Labour force	168.7 117.1	168.9 117.7	0.8	0.2 0.6	1.4 1.4	1.6 1.6	0.1	0.8 1.2	1.0 1.4
Employment	110.0	110.9	0.8	0.9	1.4	1.6	0.8	1.3	1.5
Unemployment	7.1	6.8	0.4	-0.3	-0.1	-0.1	-4.2	-1.4	-1.4
Participation rate Unemployment rate	69.4 6.1	69.7 5.8	0.5 0.3	0.3 -0.3	0.3 -0.1	0.3 -0.1		•••	
Employment rate	65.2	65.7	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4			
Halifax, Nova Scotia									
Population	351.7	352.1		0.4	3.0	3.3	0.1	0.9	0.9
Labour force Employment	243.6 229.0	245.5 230.6	1.2 1.2	1.9 1.6	0.5 2.4	0.6 1.9	0.8 0.7	0.2 1.1	0.2 0.8
Unemployment	14.6	14.9	0.7	0.3	-1.9	-1.3	2.1	-11.3	-8.0
Participation rate	69.3	69.7	0.3	0.4	-0.5	-0.5			
Unemployment rate	6.0	6.1	0.3 0.3	0.1	-0.8	-0.5			
Employment rate	65.1	65.5	0.3	0.4	0.1	-0.1			
Moncton, New Brunswick Population	121.1	121.3		0.2	1.8	1.9	0.2	1.5	1.6
Labour force	79.3	79.5	0.8	0.2	-0.3	-0.3	0.3	-0.4	-0.4
Employment	73.8	74.0	0.8	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.5
Unemployment Participation rate	5.4 65.5	5.5 65.5	0.4 0.7	0.1 0.0	-0.6 -1.3	-0.7 -1.3	1.9	-9.8	-11.3
Unemployment rate	6.8	6.9	0.7	0.0	-0.7	-0.9			
Employment rate	60.9	61.0	0.7	0.1	-0.6	-0.6			
Saint John, New Brunswick	100.0								
Population Labour force	106.9 69.7	107.0 70.7	0.6	0.1 1.0	0.2 -1.1	0.2 -0.5	0.1 1.4	0.2 -1.5	0.2 -0.7
Employment	64.3	64.7	0.0	0.4	-2.2	-1.0	0.6	-3.3	-1.5
Unemployment	5.4	5.9	0.4	0.5	1.0	0.4	9.3	20.4	7.3
Participation rate	65.2	66.1	0.6	0.9	-1.1 1.5	-0.6			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	7.7 60.1	8.3 60.5	0.6 0.7	0.6 0.4	1.5 -2.1	0.6 -1.0			
Saguenay, Quebec									
Population	126.3	126.3		0.0	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	-0.2	-0.2
Labour force	80.6	81.5	0.8	0.9	2.5	2.1	1.1	3.2	2.6
Employment Unemployment	72.7 7.9	73.6 8.0	0.8 0.4	0.9 0.1	0.4 2.2	0.3 1.9	1.2 1.3	0.5 37.9	0.4 31.1
Participation rate	63.8	64.5	0.4	0.7	2.0	1.7		37.9	
Unemployment rate	9.8	9.8	0.5	0.0	2.5	2.1			
Employment rate	57.6	58.3	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.4			
Québec, Quebec Population	654.8	655.2		0.4	5.3	5.7	0.1	0.8	0.9
Labour force	447.0	444.4	3.4	-2.6	-2.5	1.1	-0.6	-0.6	0.9
Employment	422.8	421.3	3.4	-1.5	-4.6	-0.8	-0.4	-1.1	-0.2
Unemployment Participation rate	24.2	23.1	1.5	-1.1	2.1	1.8	-4.5	10.0	8.5
Participation rate Unemployment rate	68.3 5.4	67.8 5.2	0.5 0.3	-0.5 -0.2	-1.0 0.5	-0.5 0.4			
Employment rate	64.6		0.5	-0.3	-1.2	-0.7			
Sherbrooke, Quebec									
Population	172.5	172.7		0.2	2.5	2.7	0.1	1.5	1.6
Labour force Employment	107.3 99.6	108.4 100.7	1.2 1.2	1.1 1.1	7.3 6.7	7.7 7.2	1.0 1.1	7.2 7.1	7.6 7.7
Unemployment	7.7	7.7	0.5	0.0	0.6	0.6	0.0	8.5	8.5
Participation rate	62.2	62.8	0.7	0.6	3.4	3.6			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	7.2 57.7		0.4 0.7	-0.1 0.6	0.1 3.1	0.0 3.3		•••	
Employment rate	51.1	30.3	0.7	0.0	J. I	3.3			

Table 5-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

		October November S. 2014 S.	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perd	Percent change from	
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in t	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Trois-Rivières, Quebec Population	127.7	127.8	.":	0.1	0.9	0.9	0.1	0.7	0.7
Labour force Employment Unemployment	74.2 69.5 4.7	73.9 69.2 4.7	0.8 0.8 0.4	-0.3 -0.3 0.0	1.4 2.7 -1.3	1.7 2.9 -1.2	-0.4 -0.4 0.0	1.9 4.1 -21.7	2.4 4.4 -20.3
Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	58.1 6.3 54.4	57.8 6.4 54.1	0.7 0.5 0.6	-0.3 0.1 -0.3	0.7 -1.9 1.7	0.9 -1.8 1.9		  	
Montréal, Quebec Population	3,339.0	3,341.4		2.4	34.9	37.6	0.1	1.1	1.1
Labour force	2,210.1	2,217.6	7.7	7.5	-2.2	1.6	0.3	-0.1	0.1
Employment Unemployment	2,028.6 181.4	2,032.6 185.0	7.9 4.8	4.0 3.6	-9.4 7.3	-8.7 10.3	0.2 2.0	-0.5 4.1	-0.4 5.9
Participation rate	66.2	66.4	0.2	0.2	-0.7	-0.7			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	8.2 60.8	8.3 60.8	0.2 0.2	0.1 0.0	0.3 -1.0	0.4 -1.0			
Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario/Quebec Population	1,084.4	1,085.5		1.1	13.1	14.2	0.1	1.2	1.3
Labour force	758.3	757.3	3.8	-1.0	14.0	18.5	-0.1	1.9	2.5
Employment Unemployment	708.6 49.7	710.2 47.1	3.9 1.8	1.6 -2.6	13.2 0.8	15.4 3.1	0.2 -5.2	1.9 1.7	2.2 7.0
Participation rate	69.9	69.8	0.4	-2.6 -0.1	0.5	0.8	-5.2	1.7	7.0
Unemployment rate Employment rate	6.6 65.3	6.2 65.4	0.2 0.4	-0.4 0.1	0.0 0.4	0.2 0.5		***	
Ottawa-Gatineau, Quebec part,	00.5	03.4	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.5			
Ontario/Quebec	000.0	070.4			0.0	0.0		4.0	
Population Labour force	269.8 184.3	270.1 183.7	1.4	0.3 -0.6	3.3 1.0	3.6 2.8	0.1 -0.3	1.2 0.5	1.4 1.5
Employment	171.2	170.7	1.4	-0.5	0.7	1.7	-0.3	0.4	1.0
Unemployment	13.1 68.3	13.0 68.0	0.6 0.5	-0.1 -0.3	0.3 -0.5	1.1 0.1	-0.8	2.4	9.2
Participation rate Unemployment rate	7.1	7.1	0.3	0.0	-0.5 0.1	0.1			
Employment rate	63.5	63.2	0.5	-0.3	-0.5	-0.2			
Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part, Ontario/Quebec									
Population	814.6	815.5		0.9	9.9	10.8	0.1	1.2	1.3
Labour force Employment	574.0 537.3	573.6 539.5	3.5 3.7	-0.4 2.2	13.0 12.5	15.7 13.7	-0.1 0.4	2.3 2.4	2.8 2.6
Unemployment	36.7	34.1	1.7	-2.6	0.5	2.0	-7.1	1.5	6.2
Participation rate Unemployment rate	70.5 6.4	70.3 5.9	0.4 0.3	-0.2 -0.5	0.7 -0.1	1.0 0.1			
Employment rate	66.0	66.2	0.5	0.2	0.8	0.9			
Kingston, Ontario	407.4	427.4		0.0	1.2	1.4	0.0	1.0	1.0
Population Labour force	137.1 87.1	137.1 85.6	0.8	0.0 -1.5	1.3 -3.6	1.4 -4.6	0.0 -1.7	1.0 -4.0	1.0 -5.1
Employment	80.6	79.8	0.8	-0.8	-3.9	-5.0	-1.0	-4.7	-5.9
Unemployment Participation rate	6.5 63.5	5.8 62.4	0.3 0.6	-0.7 -1.1	0.4 -3.3	0.4 -4.1	-10.8	7.4	7.4
Unemployment rate	7.5	6.8	0.4	-0.7	0.7	8.0			
Employment rate	58.8	58.2	0.6	-0.6	-3.4	-4.3			
Peterborough, Ontario Population	103.7	103.7		0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.2
Labour force	67.0	66.0	1.0	-1.0	4.7	4.4	-1.5	7.7	7.1
Employment Unemployment	62.6 4.3	62.0 3.9	1.1 0.5	-0.6 -0.4	4.4 0.2	3.9 0.4	-1.0 -9.3	7.6 5.4	6.7 11.4
Participation rate	64.6	63.6	1.0	-1.0	4.4	4.1	-9.5		
Unemployment rate	6.4 60.4	5.9 59.8	0.8 1.1	-0.5 -0.6	-0.1 4.1	0.2 3.7			
Employment rate	00.4	33.0	1.1	-0.0	4.1	3.1			

Table 5-1 – continued Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

	October		S.E.¹	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om	
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago	
		in t	nousands (e	xcept rates	)					
Oshawa, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate	320.9 223.1 206.6 16.5 69.5	321.3 223.9 208.8 15.2 69.7	1.6 1.6 0.8 0.5	0.4 0.8 2.2 -1.3 0.2	4.8 10.9 10.7 0.3 2.4	5.2 11.7 10.8 1.0 2.6	0.1 0.4 1.1 -7.9	1.5 5.1 5.4 2.0	1.6 5.5 5.5 7.0	
Unemployment rate Employment rate	7.4 64.4	6.8 65.0	0.4 0.5	-0.6 0.6	-0.2 2.4	0.1 2.4				
Toronto, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	5,087.9 3,380.4 3,112.9 267.5 66.4 7.9 61.2	5,095.1 3,385.2 3,120.2 265.0 66.4 7.8 61.2	10.3 10.6 6.3 0.2 0.2 0.2	7.2 4.8 7.3 -2.5 0.0 -0.1 0.0	81.3 -38.8 -13.3 -25.4 -1.9 -0.7 -1.3	88.4 -38.8 -20.4 -18.3 -2.0 -0.5 -1.5	0.1 0.1 0.2 -0.9	1.6 -1.1 -0.4 -8.7 	1.8 -1.1 -0.6 -6.5 	
Hamilton, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	639.2 411.6 388.4 23.2 64.4 5.6 60.8	639.7 408.2 385.5 22.7 63.8 5.6 60.3	3.2 3.3 1.4 0.5 0.4 0.5	0.5 -3.4 -2.9 -0.5 -0.6 0.0 -0.5	5.9 9.4 13.1 -3.8 0.9 -1.0 1.5	6.4 12.1 16.1 -4.0 1.3 -1.1 2.0	0.1 -0.8 -0.7 -2.2	0.9 2.4 3.5 -14.3 	1.0 3.1 4.4 -15.0 	
St. Catharines-Niagara, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate Employment rate	342.1 209.6 195.1 14.4 61.3 6.9 57.0	342.2 210.3 196.8 13.4 61.5 6.4 57.5	1.7 1.8 0.8 0.5 0.4	0.1 0.7 1.7 -1.0 0.2 -0.5	0.9 -2.1 3.3 -5.5 -0.7 -2.5 0.8	1.0 0.2 4.9 -4.8 -0.1 -2.3 1.3	0.0 0.3 0.9 -6.9	0.3 -1.0 1.7 -29.1 	0.3 0.1 2.6 -26.4 	
Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	425.4 310.0 290.6 19.4 72.9 6.3 68.3	425.9 311.4 292.5 18.8 73.1 6.0 68.7	2.0 2.1 1.1 0.5 0.3 0.5	0.5 1.4 1.9 -0.6 0.2 -0.3 0.4	5.2 -0.7 -0.1 -0.7 -1.1 -0.2 -0.9	5.7 -2.0 -1.8 -0.2 -1.5 -0.1 -1.3	0.1 0.5 0.7 -3.1	1.2 -0.2 0.0 -3.6 	1.4 -0.6 -0.6 -1.1 	
Brantford, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	110.1 72.1 67.3 4.8 65.5 6.7 61.1	110.1 72.9 68.4 4.5 66.2 6.2 62.1	 0.8 0.8 0.3 0.8 0.5	0.0 0.8 1.1 -0.3 0.7 -0.5 1.0	0.6 2.3 1.5 0.9 1.7 1.1	0.6 1.7 0.1 1.6 1.2 2.1	0.0 1.1 1.6 -6.2 	0.5 3.3 2.2 25.0 	0.5 2.4 0.1 55.2 	
Guelph, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	119.5 85.2 80.4 4.9 71.3 5.8 67.3	119.7 85.5 81.1 4.4 71.4 5.1	0.9 0.9 0.5 0.8 0.6 0.8	0.2 0.3 0.7 -0.5 0.1 -0.7	1.8 7.3 8.9 -1.6 5.1 -2.6 6.6	2.0 6.8 8.3 -1.4 4.5 -2.3 5.9	0.2 0.4 0.9 -10.2	1.5 9.3 12.3 -26.7 	1.7 8.6 11.4 -24.1 	

Table 5-1 - continued  ${\bf Labour\ force\ characteristics\ by\ census\ metropolitan\ area\ (seasonally\ adjusted)-3\ month\ moving\ average}$ 

		October November S.E.¹ Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om			
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in t	housands (e	xcept rates	)				
London, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	424.8 266.3 246.1 20.1 62.7 7.5 57.9	425.0 267.7 247.0 20.8 63.0 7.8 58.1	2.2 2.1 1.0 0.5 0.4 0.5	0.2 1.4 0.9 0.7 0.3 0.3	3.6 4.2 3.8 0.5 0.5 0.1	3.9 4.7 3.8 1.0 0.5 0.3	0.0 0.5 0.4 3.5 	0.9 1.6 1.6 2.5 	0.9 1.8 1.6 5.1 
Windsor, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	270.9 168.5 153.5 15.0 62.2 8.9 56.7	271.0 169.0 153.8 15.2 62.4 9.0 56.8	1.6 1.6 0.8 0.6 0.5	0.1 0.5 0.3 0.2 0.2 0.1	1.2 1.9 -0.5 2.4 0.5 1.3 -0.4	1.3 3.0 1.8 1.3 0.9 0.6 0.4	0.0 0.3 0.2 1.3	0.4 1.1 -0.3 18.8 	0.5 1.8 1.2 9.4 
Barrie, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	168.1 125.0 118.5 6.5 74.4 5.2 70.5	168.3 122.8 117.3 5.5 73.0 4.5 69.7	1.3 1.3 0.7 0.8 0.5	0.2 -2.2 -1.2 -1.0 -1.4 -0.7 -0.8	2.2 6.3 6.9 -0.6 2.9 -0.7 3.2	2.3 5.2 5.7 -0.5 2.2 -0.6 2.5	0.1 -1.8 -1.0 -15.4 	1.3 5.4 6.2 -9.8 	1.4 4.4 5.1 -8.3 
Greater Sudbury, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	138.1 87.8 82.4 5.4 63.6 6.2 59.7	138.1 88.2 82.8 5.4 63.9 6.1 60.0	0.8 0.8 0.4 0.6 0.4	0.0 0.4 0.4 0.0 0.3 -0.1	-0.1 -1.0 -0.3 -0.7 -0.6 -0.7 -0.1	-0.1 -1.2 -0.4 -0.7 -0.8 -0.7 -0.2	0.0 0.5 0.5 0.0 	-0.1 -1.1 -0.4 -11.5 	-0.1 -1.3 -0.5 -11.5 
Thunder Bay, Ontario Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	103.6 64.1 60.9 3.3 61.9 5.1 58.8	103.6 63.3 59.8 3.4 61.1 5.4 57.7	0.6 0.6 0.3 0.6 0.4 0.6	0.0 -0.8 -1.1 0.1 -0.8 0.3 -1.1	0.2 -2.3 -2.0 -0.4 -2.3 -0.4 -2.1	0.2 -3.0 -2.4 -0.7 -3.0 -0.8 -2.5	0.0 -1.2 -1.8 3.0 	0.2 -3.5 -3.2 -10.5 	0.2 -4.5 -3.9 -17.1 
Winnipeg, Manitoba Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	657.0 447.3 420.5 26.8 68.1 6.0 64.0	657.8 448.1 422.9 25.2 68.1 5.6 64.3	1.3 1.4 0.8 0.2 0.2	0.8 0.8 2.4 -1.6 0.0 -0.4 0.3	11.0 3.1 3.5 -0.5 -0.7 -0.2 -0.5	11.9 2.0 2.9 -0.9 -1.0 -0.3 -0.7	0.1 0.2 0.6 -6.0	1.7 0.7 0.8 -1.9 	1.8 0.4 0.7 -3.4 
Regina, Saskatchewan Population Labour force Employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	191.6 139.7 135.6 4.2 72.9 3.0 70.8	73.1	0.8 0.8 0.3 0.4 0.2	0.3 0.6 0.4 0.1 0.2 0.1	4.6 0.9 2.6 -1.7 -1.3 -1.2 -0.3	5.0 1.2 2.5 -1.3 -1.3 -0.9	0.2 0.4 0.3 2.4	2.5 0.6 1.9 -28.3 	2.7 0.9 1.9 -23.2 

Table 5-1 - continued Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

	October		S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ercent change from	
	2014	2014	_	last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	047.0	047.5		0.5	0.4	0.0	0.0	2.4	0.7
Population Labour force	247.0 178.6	247.5 179.0	1.0	0.5 0.4	8.1 6.9	8.9 7.3	0.2 0.2	3.4 4.0	3.7 4.3
Employment	170.8	172.6	1.0	1.8	7.7	8.1	1.1	4.7	4.9
Unemployment	7.8	6.4	0.5	-1.4	-0.8	-0.8	-17.9	-11.1	-11.1
Participation rate	72.3	72.3	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.3			
Unemployment rate	4.4	3.6	0.3	-0.8	-0.6	-0.6			
Employment rate	69.1	69.7	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.8			
Calgary, Alberta									
Population	1,150.6	1,152.8		2.2	38.4	41.5	0.2	3.4	3.7
Labour force	838.8	842.1	3.5	3.3	12.3	16.4	0.4	1.5	2.0
Employment	800.7 38.2	805.4 36.7	3.8 2.0	4.7 -1.5	14.8 -2.5	17.4 -1.0	0.6 -3.9	1.9 -6.4	2.2 -2.7
Unemployment Participation rate	36.2 72.9	73.0	0.3	0.1	-2.5 -1.5	-1.0 -1.3			
Unemployment rate	4.6	4.4	0.3	-0.2	-0.3	-0.2			
Employment rate	69.6	69.9	0.3	0.3	-1.0	-1.0			
Edmonton, Alberta									
Population	1,075.4	1,077.5		2.1	33.6	36.4	0.2	3.2	3.5
Labour force	784.2	784.4	3.8	0.2	16.4	19.5	0.0	2.1	2.5
Employment	741.6	742.7	3.9	1.1	17.0	17.7	0.1	2.3	2.4
Unemployment	42.5	41.8	2.1	-0.7	-0.5	2.0	-1.6	-1.2	5.0
Participation rate	72.9	72.8	0.4	-0.1	-0.8	-0.7 0.1			
Unemployment rate Employment rate	5.4 69.0	5.3 68.9	0.3 0.4	-0.1 -0.1	-0.2 -0.6	-0.7			
Kelowna, British Columbia Population	153.7	153.8		0.1	1.9	2.1	0.1	1.3	1.4
Labour force	99.7	100.0	1.8	0.3	1.9	-2.2	0.3	1.9	-2.2
Employment	93.8	94.8	1.8	1.0	3.6	-1.0	1.1	3.9	-1.0
Unemployment	5.9	5.2	8.0	-0.7	-1.7	-1.2	-11.9	-24.6	-18.8
Participation rate	64.9	65.0	1.2	0.1	0.4	-2.4			
Unemployment rate	5.9	5.2	0.8	-0.7	-1.8	-1.1			
Employment rate	61.0	61.6	1.2	0.6	1.6	-1.6		•••	
Abbotsford-Mission, British Columbia	440.0								
Population	149.8	149.9		0.1	2.0	2.1	0.1	1.4	1.4
Labour force Employment	96.6 89.6	96.3 89.8	0.8 0.8	-0.3 0.2	-5.9 -4.3	-5.7 -4.5	-0.3 0.2	-5.8 -4.6	-5.6 -4.8
Unemployment	7.0	6.5	0.8	-0.5	- <del>1</del> .5	-4.3 -1.2	-7.1	-19.8	-15.6
Participation rate	64.5	64.2	0.6	-0.3	-4.9	-4.8	-7.1	10.0	10.0
Unemployment rate	7.2	6.7	0.4	-0.5	-1.2	-0.8			
Employment rate	59.8	59.9	0.6	0.1	-3.7	-3.9			
Vancouver, British Columbia									
Population	2,148.3	2,150.7		2.4	38.5	41.4	0.1	1.8	2.0
Labour force	1,403.3	1,410.3	5.1	7.0	43.7	52.4	0.5	3.2	3.9
Employment	1,318.4	1,325.7	5.2	7.3	46.3	55.6	0.6	3.6	4.4
Unemployment	85.0	84.6	2.9	-0.4	-2.6	-3.2	-0.5	-3.0	-3.6
Participation rate	65.3 6.1	65.6 6.0	0.2 0.2	0.3 -0.1	0.9 -0.4	1.2 -0.5		•••	
Unemployment rate Employment rate	61.4	61.6	0.2	0.1	-0. <del>4</del> 1.0	-0.5 1.4			
Victoria, British Columbia									
Population	307.8	308.0		0.2	2.5	2.6	0.1	0.8	0.9
Labour force	187.6	187.6	1.6	0.0	-3.0	-4.9	0.0	-1.6	-2.5
Employment	178.0	178.4	1.7	0.4	-3.7	-5.8	0.2	-2.0	-3.1
Unemployment	9.6	9.2	0.6	-0.4	0.7	0.9	-4.2	8.2	10.8
Participation rate	60.9	60.9	0.5	0.0	-1.5	-2.1			
Unemployment rate	5.1	4.9	0.3	-0.2	0.4	0.6			
Employment rate	57.8	57.9	0.5	0.1	-1.7	-2.4			

Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

Note(s): Estimates in this table are based on 2006 census boundaries. Related CANSIM Table 282-0116. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 5-2 Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — Monthly

	October	November	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	(	Change from		Perc	ent change fro	om
	2014	2014		last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
		in th	nousands (e	xcept rates	)				
Montréal, Quebec	_								
Population	3,341.5	3,343.4		1.9	34.1	36.9	0.1	1.0	1.1
Labour force	2,215.6	2,216.8	15.5	1.2	-5.5	0.4	0.1	-0.2	0.0
Employment	2,028.8	2,032.9	15.5	4.1	-1.3	-15.4	0.2	-0.1	-0.8
Unemployment	186.8	183.9	11.1	-2.9	-4.2	15.8	-1.6	-2.2	9.4
Participation rate	66.3	66.3	0.5	0.0	-0.9	-0.7			
Unemployment rate	8.4	8.3	0.5	-0.1	-0.2	0.7			
Employment rate	60.7	60.8	0.5	0.1	-0.7	-1.1			
Toronto, Ontario									
Population	5,095.3	5,101.4		6.1	80.5	87.6	0.1	1.6	1.7
Labour force	3,384.1	3,397.8	21.6	13.7	-35.8	-26.7	0.4	-1.0	-0.8
Employment	3,128.4	3,125.6	21.0	-2.8	-6.9	-13.8	-0.1	-0.2	-0.4
Unemployment	255.7	272.2	15.2	16.5	-28.9	-12.9	6.5	-9.6	-4.5
Participation rate	66.4	66.6	0.4	0.2	-1.8	-1.7			
Unemployment rate	7.6	8.0	0.4	0.4	-0.8	-0.3			
Employment rate	61.4	61.3	0.4	-0.1	-1.1	-1.3			
Vancouver, British Columbia									
Population	2,150.8	2,152.8		2.0	37.7	40.8	0.1	1.8	1.9
Labour force	1,412.3	1,409.1	10.8	-3.2	25.6	44.3	-0.2	1.9	3.2
Employment	1,325.9	1,327.3	10.7	1.4	31.1	51.9	0.1	2.4	4.1
Unemployment	86.5	81.8	7.1	-4.7	-5.5	-7.7	-5.4	-6.3	-8.6
Participation rate	65.7	65.5	0.5	-0.2	0.1	0.9			
Unemployment rate	6.1	5.8	0.5	-0.3	-0.5	-0.8			
Employment rate	61.6	61.7	0.5	0.1	0.4	1.3			

<sup>1.</sup> Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

Note(s): Estimates in this table are based on 2006 census boundaries. Related CANSIM Table 282-0117. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 6-1 Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2013 and November 2014

	Population		Labour force			Unemployment	Employment
	_	Labour force	Employment	Unemployment	rate	rate	rate
		in thous	sands				
<b>Canada</b> 2013 2014	28,790.4 29,146.9	19,053.1 19,171.2	17,825.8 17,997.3	1,227.3 1,174.0	66.2 65.8	6.4 6.1	61.9 61.7
Newfoundland and Labrador 2013 2014	429.8 426.9	260.1 256.8	233.0 229.4	27.0 27.4	60.5 60.2	10.4 10.7	54.2 53.7
Avalon Peninsula <i>[1010]</i> 2013 2014	225.2 225.4	146.8 146.8	135.6 135.9	11.1 10.9	65.2 65.1	7.6 7.4	60.2 60.3
South Coast-Burin Peninsula [1020] 2013 2014	29.6 28.9	16.6 16.1	14.3 13.1	2.3 2.9	56.1 55.7	13.9 18.0	48.3 45.3
West Coast-Northern Peninsula-Labrador [1030]							
2013 2014	85.7 84.7	49.0 48.6	42.0 42.9	7.0 5.7	57.2 57.4	14.3 11.7	49.0 50.6
Notre Dame-Central Bonavista Bay [1040] 2013 2014	89.3 87.9	47.7 45.2	41.1 37.4	6.6 7.8	53.4 51.4	13.8 17.3	46.0 42.5
Prince Edward Island 2013 2014	121.0 121.8	82.9 82.4	74.1 74.9	8.9 7.5	68.5 67.7	10.7 9.1	61.2 61.5
Nova Scotia 2013 2014	781.7 781.0	494.0 489.3	453.5 450.3	40.5 39.0	63.2 62.7	8.2 8.0	58.0 57.7
Cape Breton [1210] 2013 2014	109.3 107.7	60.7 59.7	53.7 50.3	7.0 9.4	55.5 55.4	11.5 15.7	49.1 46.7
North Shore [1220] 2013 2014	128.4 127.7	76.8 70.7	69.2 64.3	7.6 6.4	59.8 55.4	9.9 9.1	53.9 50.4
Annapolis Valley [1230] 2013 2014	99.2 98.6	59.3 58.6	53.9 54.8	5.3 3.8	59.8 59.4	8.9 6.5	54.3 55.6
Southern [1240] 2013 2014	96.0 94.9	52.8 54.1	47.8 49.0	5.0 5.0	55.0 57.0	9.5 9.2	49.8 51.6
Halifax <i>[1250]</i> 2013 2014	348.8 352.1	244.5 246.2	228.9 231.8	15.6 14.3	70.1 69.9	6.4 5.8	65.6 65.8
New Brunswick 2013 2014	620.1 620.2	390.1 387.8	354.5 354.2	35.6 33.6	62.9 62.5	9.1 8.7	57.2 57.1
Campbellton-Miramichi [1310] 2013 2014	125.7 124.2	70.8 68.7	59.6 58.8	11.2 9.9	56.3 55.3	15.8 14.4	47.4 47.3
Moncton-Richibucto [1320] 2013 2014	175.2 176.6	114.1 115.0	105.0 106.9	9.1 8.1	65.1 65.1	8.0 7.0	59.9 60.5
Saint John-St. Stephen [1330] 2013 2014	144.4 144.3	93.0 93.0	86.0 85.6	7.0 7.4	64.4 64.4	7.5 8.0	59.6 59.3

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2013 and November 2014

	Population Labour force			Unemployment	Employment		
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment	rate	rate	rate
	·	in thous	sands				
Fredericton-Oromocto [1340] 2013 2014	111.4 112.3	72.4 72.4	67.7 67.5	4.7 4.9	65.0 64.5	6.5 6.8	60.8 60.1
Edmundston-Woodstock [1350] 2013 2014	63.4 62.8	39.8 38.7	36.2 35.4	3.5 3.3	62.8 61.6	8.8 8.5	57.1 56.4
<b>Quebec</b> 2013 2014	6,706.7 6,759.6	4,357.4 4,352.9	4,063.6 4,052.0	293.8 300.9	65.0 64.4	6.7 6.9	60.6 59.9
Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine [2410] 2013 2014	78.1 77.6	41.8 42.9	35.6 36.5	6.2 6.4	53.5 55.3	14.8 14.9	45.6 47.0
Bas-Saint-Laurent [2415] 2013 2014	165.5 164.6	93.2 85.9	85.2 81.7	7.9 4.2	56.3 52.2	8.5 4.9	51.5 49.6
Capitale-Nationale [2420] 2013 2014	600.4 605.3	400.8 395.8	383.7 375.9	17.2 19.9	66.8 65.4	4.3 5.0	63.9 62.1
Chaudière-Appalaches [2425] 2013 2014	336.9 337.6	226.7 225.6	218.0 216.5	8.7 9.1	67.3 66.8	3.8 4.0	64.7 64.1
Estrie [2430] 2013 2014	263.3 265.6	165.4 168.0	156.2 159.3	9.1 8.7	62.8 63.3	5.5 5.2	59.3 60.0
Centre-du-Québec [2433] 2013 2014	193.5 194.5	114.9 114.7	106.5 108.3	8.4 6.4	59.4 59.0	7.3 5.6	55.0 55.7
Montérégie <i>[2435]</i> 2013 2014	1,217.5 1,228.3	801.5 826.2	755.6 780.5	45.9 45.7	65.8 67.3	5.7 5.5	62.1 63.5
Montréal [2440] 2013 2014	1,652.4 1,668.4	1,067.3 1,060.5	976.8 956.3	90.5 104.2	64.6 63.6	8.5 9.8	59.1 57.3
Laval [2445] 2013 2014	345.5 350.4	238.6 246.1	224.7 232.4	13.9 13.7	69.1 70.2	5.8 5.6	65.0 66.3
Lanaudière <i>[2450]</i> 2013 2014	403.8 408.5	273.5 272.6	253.3 255.1	20.1 17.5	67.7 66.7	7.3 6.4	62.7 62.4
Laurentides [2455] 2013 2014	478.4 484.1	333.0 320.8	307.6 298.1	25.4 22.7	69.6 66.3	7.6 7.1	64.3 61.6
Outaouais <i>[2460]</i> 2013 2014	315.6 319.5	208.7 208.2	195.3 192.8	13.4 15.4	66.1 65.2	6.4 7.4	61.9 60.3
Abitibi-Témiscamingue [2465] 2013 2014	118.0 118.0	79.6 78.1	75.4 73.4	4.2 4.7	67.5 66.2	5.3 6.0	63.9 62.2
Mauricie [2470] 2013 2014	222.1 222.0	120.6 117.6	111.4 110.3	9.1 7.3	54.3 53.0	7.5 6.2	50.2 49.7

Table 6-1 – continued Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2013 and November 2014

	Population		Labour force			Unemployment	Employment
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment	rate	rate	rate
_		in thous	sands				
Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean <i>[2475]</i> 2013 2014	224.7 224.0	133.6 136.6	123.8 125.2	9.8 11.4	59.5 61.0	7.3 8.3	55.1 55.9
Côte-Nord and Nord-du-Québec [2480, 2490] 2013 2014	91.0 91.1	58.2 53.2	54.4 49.7	3.9 3.5	64.0 58.4	6.7 6.6	59.8 54.6
<b>Ontario</b> 2013 2014	11,246.8 11,375.9	7,423.2 7,454.2	6,910.3 6,977.9	512.9 476.3	66.0 65.5	6.9 6.4	61.4 61.3
Ottawa <i>[3510]</i> 2013 2014	1,078.6 1,089.7	727.2 741.6	687.2 700.3		67.4 68.1	5.5 5.6	63.7 64.3
Kingston-Pembroke <i>[3515]</i> 2013 2014	373.6 375.1	227.8 229.0	213.5 212.7		61.0 61.1	6.3 7.1	57.1 56.7
Muskoka-Kawarthas <i>[3520]</i> 2013 2014	321.7 323.0	181.0 198.8	171.6 189.4	9.4 9.4	56.3 61.5	5.2 4.7	53.3 58.6
Toronto [3530] 2013 2014	5,266.6 5,355.7	3,578.0 3,555.2	3,295.1 3,290.4	282.9 264.8	67.9 66.4	7.9 7.4	62.6 61.4
Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie [3540] 2013 2014	1,069.4 1,083.9	751.3 764.2	710.9 727.9	40.4 36.2	70.3 70.5	5.4 4.7	66.5 67.2
Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula <i>[3550]</i> 2013 2014	1,191.6 1,200.4	747.0 753.7	699.4 714.0	47.6 39.7	62.7 62.8	6.4 5.3	58.7 59.5
London <i>[3560]</i> 2013 2014	550.8 555.4	348.8 347.9	327.5 326.7	21.3 21.3	63.3 62.6	6.1 6.1	59.5 58.8
Windsor-Sarnia <i>[3570]</i> 2013 2014	519.2 519.2	321.5 323.8	299.3 301.0		61.9 62.4	6.9 7.0	57.6 58.0
Stratford-Bruce Peninsula [3580] 2013 2014	245.6 245.5	162.9 159.2	153.5 153.3	9.3 5.9	66.3 64.8	5.7 3.7	62.5 62.4
Northeast [3590] 2013 2014	456.8 455.2	268.6 273.5	251.4 260.3	17.2 13.2	58.8 60.1	6.4 4.8	55.0 57.2
Northwest [3595] 2013 2014	172.9 172.9	109.1 107.3	100.8 101.8	8.2 5.6	63.1 62.1	7.5 5.2	58.3 58.9
<b>Manitoba</b> 2013 2014	977.0 989.7	666.7 672.2	631.8 640.2		68.2 67.9	5.2 4.8	64.7 64.7
Southeast [4610] 2013 2014	85.7 87.1	60.9 60.1	58.2 57.7		71.1 69.0	4.6 4.0	67.9 66.2
South Central [4620] 2013 2014	49.2 50.0	32.9 36.3	32.0 35.3		66.9 72.6	2.7 2.5	65.0 70.6

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2013 and November 2014

	Population Labour force				Unemployment	Employment	
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment	rate	rate	rate
-		in thous	sands				
Southwest [4630] 2013 2014	84.3 84.7	58.9 58.7	56.8 57.1	2.1 1.6	69.9 69.3	3.6 2.7	67.4 67.4
North Central <i>[4640]</i> 2013 2014	37.0 37.3	25.4 24.8	24.6 24.3	0.8 0.5	68.6 66.5	3.1 2.0	66.5 65.1
Winnipeg [4650] 2013 2014	589.1 599.2	401.0 403.4	377.4 380.8	23.6 22.6	68.1 67.3	5.9 5.6	64.1 63.6
Interlake [4660] 2013 2014	73.8 74.5	50.0 52.2	47.3 49.8	2.6 2.4	67.8 70.1	5.2 4.6	64.1 66.8
Parklands and North [4670, 4680] 2013 2014	57.9 57.0	37.6 36.8	35.4 35.1	2.2 1.6	64.9 64.6	5.9 4.3	61.1 61.6
Saskatchewan 2013 2014	831.5 846.1	575.3 590.5	554.8 572.9	20.5 17.6	69.2 69.8	3.6 3.0	66.7 67.7
Regina-Moose Mountain [4710] 2013 2014	249.2 254.6	181.4 185.8	175.3 180.6	6.2 5.1	72.8 73.0	3.4 2.7	70.3 70.9
Swift Current-Moose Jaw [4720] 2013 2014	81.5 81.5	52.4 53.0	51.3 52.5		64.3 65.0	2.1 1.1	62.9 64.4
Saskatoon-Biggar <i>[4730]</i> 2013 2014	282.4 290.7	199.9 206.2	193.1 199.9	6.9 6.3	70.8 70.9	3.5 3.1	68.4 68.8
Yorkton-Melville [4740] 2013 2014	62.4 62.2	38.4 40.1	37.0 38.7	1.4 1.4	61.5 64.5	3.6 3.5	59.3 62.2
Prince Albert and Northern [4750, 4760] 2013 2014	156.0 157.1	103.1 105.4	98.1 101.2	5.0 4.2	66.1 67.1	4.8 4.0	62.9 64.4
<b>Alberta</b> 2013 2014	3,207.6 3,307.9	2,339.6 2,395.0	2,241.0 2,297.5	98.6 97.5	72.9 72.4	4.2 4.1	69.9 69.5
Lethbridge-Medicine Hat [4810] 2013 2014	228.9 233.1	145.5 153.8	142.2 150.7	3.2 3.1	63.6 66.0	2.2 2.0	62.1 64.7
Camrose-Drumheller <i>[4820]</i> 2013 2014	160.9 163.3	111.8 113.1	107.0 110.3	4.7 2.9	69.5 69.3	4.2 2.6	66.5 67.5
Calgary <i>[4830]</i> 2013 2014	1,194.4 1,237.6	885.8 896.4	846.4 860.6	39.4 35.9	74.2 72.4	4.4 4.0	70.9 69.5
Banff-Jasper-Rocky Mountain House [4840] 2013 2014	74.8 77.0	54.9 59.6	53.0 57.3		73.4 77.4	3.5 3.9	70.9 74.4

Table 6-1 – continued Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2013 and November 2014

	Population		Labour force			Unemployment	Employment
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment	rate	rate	rate
		in thous					
Red Deer [4850] 2013 2014	163.4 167.6	121.0 125.9	116.3 121.7	4.7 4.2	74.1 75.1	3.9 3.3	71.2 72.6
Edmonton [4860] 2013 2014	1,077.1 1,113.4	791.4 810.8	755.2 771.2	36.2 39.6	73.5 72.8	4.6 4.9	70.1 69.3
Athabasca-Grande Prairie-Peace River [4870] 2013 2014	196.8 200.0	141.8 145.2	136.4 139.1	5.4 6.1	72.1 72.6	3.8 4.2	69.3 69.6
Wood Buffalo-Cold Lake [4880] 2013 2014	111.3 116.0	87.5 90.1	84.4 86.7	3.2 3.4	78.6 77.7	3.7 3.8	75.8 74.7
British Columbia 2013 2014	3,868.2 3,917.8	2,463.9 2,490.2	2,309.3 2,348.1	154.6 142.1	63.7 63.6	6.3 5.7	59.7 59.9
Vancouver Island and Coast [5910] 2013 2014	662.3 666.6	389.7 384.2	367.9 363.9	21.7 20.3	58.8 57.6	5.6 5.3	55.5 54.6
Lower Mainland-Southwest [5920] 2013 2014	2,402.8 2,448.2	1,545.4 1,597.0	1,444.7 1,503.5	100.7 93.5	64.3 65.2	6.5 5.9	60.1 61.4
Thompson-Okanagan <i>[5930]</i> 2013 2014	434.3 435.5	277.2 266.4	256.3 250.4	20.9 16.1	63.8 61.2	7.5 6.0	59.0 57.5
Kootenay [5940] 2013 2014	126.1 125.8	80.0 74.8	76.2 69.8	3.8 5.0	63.4 59.5	4.8 6.7	60.4 55.5
Cariboo [5950] 2013 2014	125.6 125.0	88.2 88.0	84.3 83.9	3.9 4.1	70.2 70.4	4.4 4.7	67.1 67.1
North Coast and Nechako [5960, 5970] 2013 2014	64.7 63.7	42.1 41.3	40.0 39.2	2.1 2.1	65.1 64.8	5.0 5.1	61.8 61.5
Northeast [5980] 2013 2014	52.4 53.0	41.3 38.4	39.7 37.3	1.5 x	78.8 72.5	3.6 x	75.8 70.4

<sup>1.</sup> For geographic descriptions of economic regions, refer to the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (catalogue number 71-543-GIE). Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0054.

Table 6-2
Labour force characteristics by territories, unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2013 and November 2014

	Population		Labour force		Participation	Unemployment	Employment
			Employment	Unemployment	rate	rate	rate
		in thous		percent			
<b>Yukon 1</b> 2013 2014	27.7 27.7	20.2 20.1	19.2 19.4	1.0 0.7	72.9 72.6	5.0 3.5	69.3 70.0
Northwest Territories <sup>2</sup> 2013 2014	31.9 31.8	24.2 22.9	22.1 21.3	2.1 1.7	75.9 72.0	8.7 7.4	69.3 67.0
Nunavut <sup>3</sup> 2013 2014	22.1 23.1	14.7 14.2	12.4 12.6	2.3 1.7	66.6 61.6	15.5 11.7	56.3 54.5

<sup>1.</sup> Since 1992, the Labour force survey (LFS) has been conducted in the Yukon, using an alternative methodology that accommodates some of the operational difficulties inherent to remote locales. These estimates are not included in the national totals. In 1995, the LFS in the Yukon underwent a sample redesign. One result of the redesign was that the covered population increased from 85% to 92%, which is reflected by the sharp increase in the three month moving averages estimates of January, February and March of 1995 for all the level estimates. Users are therefore warned to be cautious when comparing estimates before January 1995 to estimates for January 1995 and forward.

Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0100.

Since 2001, the Labour force survey (LFS) has been administered in the Northwest Territories, using an alternative methodology that accommodates some of
the operational difficulties inherent to remote locales. These estimates are not included in national totals.

<sup>3.</sup> Since 2004, the Labour force survey (LFS) has been administered in Nunavut, using an alternative methodology that accommodates some of the operational difficulties inherent to remote locales. These estimates are 3-month moving averages and are not included in national totals. From January 2004 to December 2007, estimates represent about 70% of all Nunavut residents aged 15 and over. Starting in January 2008, coverage was extended to 92%, so that by March 2008, the 3-month moving average is completely based on the extended coverage. Because of the large difference in coverage, users are recommended not to compare estimates prior to January 2008 with data afterwards. The January and February 2008 3-month moving average estimates are based on a mix of both coverages, since the extended coverage was introduced in January 2008. Estimates from January 2004 to December 2007 are based on the 10 largest communities in Nunavut: Iqaluit, Rankin Inlet, Cambridge Bay, Kugluktuk, Baker Lake, Arviat, Pond Inlet, Cape Dorset, Pangnirtung, Igloolik. Estimates from March 2008 to present cover the above communities as well as: Taloyoak, Gjoa Haven, Kugaaruk, Coral Harbour, Repulse Bay, Qikiqtarjuaq, Arctic Bay, Hall Beach, Clyde River.

Table 7 Average usual hours and wages of employees by selected characteristics, Canada, unadjusted for seasonality

		Emplo	yees		Full-time			Part-time		
	Number	Average weekly hours	Average weekly wages	Average hourly wages	Number	Average weekly hours	Average weekly wages	Number	Average weekly hours	Average weekly wages
	thousands		current (	dollars	thousands		current dollars	thousands		current dollars
November 2014										
15 years and over 15 to 24 years	15,223.4 2,322.7	35.1 26.1	906.35 408.73	24.83 14.55	12,361.1 1,077.9	39.3 39.0	1,044.10 662.73	2,862.3 1,244.8	17.1 14.9	311.44 188.78
25 years and over	12,900.8	36.8	995.94	26.68	11.283.2	39.4	1,080.54	1,617.5	18.8	405.83
Men	7,697.0	37.6	1,031.01	26.62	6,775.3	40.5	1,132.95	921.6	16.6	281.62
Women	7,526.5	32.6	778.86	23.00	5,585.8	37.9	936.34	1,940.7	17.4	325.60
Union coverage	4.007.0	05.0	4 0 4 0 0 7	00.00	0.000.7	00.0	4 440 00	704.4	40.7	450.40
Union coverage No union coverage	4,667.8 10,555.6	35.6 34.9	1,019.07 856.50	28.23 23.33	3,966.7 8,394.5	38.6 39.7	1,118.22 1,009.08	701.1 2,161.2	18.7 16.6	458.13 263.85
	10,000.0	01.0	000.00	20.00	0,001.0	00.7	1,000.00	2,101.2	10.0	200.00
Job permanency Permanent	13,261.5	36.1	949.22	25.52	11,254.0	39.3	1,059.36	2,007.5	18.1	331.78
Temporary	1,961.9	28.8	616.55	20.18	1,107.1	39.6	889.00	854.8	14.8	263.65
Occupation										
Management	877.3	39.8	1,586.56	40.01	852.8	40.3	1,612.40	24.5	20.0	686.19
Business, finance and administrative Natural and applied sciences	2,898.3 1,225.7	35.4 38.6	861.92 1,321.54	23.83 34.14	2,485.8 1,188.5	38.4 39.3	950.46 1,347.76	412.4 37.3	17.5 17.9	328.25 485.55
Health	1,045.0	33.2	956.60	28.44	784.8	37.7	1,094.36	260.3	19.6	541.19
Social science, education, government										
service and religion Art, culture, recreation and sport	1,568.5 355.1	33.5 30.2	1,070.95 801.34	31.47 24.89	1,251.8 242.1	37.8 38.6	1,221.77 1,055.27	316.6 113.0	16.7 12.2	474.71 257.28
Sales and service	3,980.9	30.2	545.92	16.80	2,479.8	38.4	739.29	1,501.1	16.9	226.49
Trades, transport and equipment										
operators	2,199.7 288.4	40.4 42.2	1,009.21 1,004.61	24.68 23.06	2,071.3 259.6	41.8 45.0	1,051.28 1,088.31	128.4 28.8	18.1 16.8	330.82 251.42
Occupations unique to primary industry Occupations unique to processing,	200.4	42.2	1,004.01	23.00	259.0	45.0	1,000.51	20.0	10.0	231.42
manufacturing and utilities	784.6	39.0	817.06	20.70	744.7	40.2	845.74	39.8	17.4	281.16
November 2013										
15 years and over	15,100.0	35.1	893.75	24.47	12,236.9	39.3	1,032.23	2,863.1	17.1	301.87
15 to 24 years	2,271.5	26.3	403.02	14.19	1,098.1	38.9	643.48	1,173.4	14.6	178.00
25 years and over	12,828.5	36.7	980.64	26.29	11,138.8	39.4	1,070.55	1,689.7	18.9	387.89
Men Women	7,620.0 7,480.0	37.6 32.6	1,018.60 766.56	26.31 22.58	6,688.3 5,548.6	40.6 37.8	1,122.50 923.41	931.7 1,931.4	16.2 17.6	272.71 315.93
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Union coverage Union coverage	4,684.3	35.8	1,017.17	28.06	4,009.7	38.6	1,113.92	674.6	18.8	442.13
No union coverage	10,415.7	34.8	838.24	22.85	8,227.2	39.7	992.42	2,188.5	16.6	258.63
Job permanency										
Permanent	13,176.3	36.1	934.54	25.11	11,151.4	39.3	1,045.96	2,024.9	18.1	320.95
Temporary	1,923.7	28.7	614.31	20.08	1,085.6	39.6	891.15	838.2	14.7	255.76
Occupation Management	944.2	40.0	1,537.76	38.56	922.5	40.5	1,560.44	21.6	20.3	570.05
Business, finance and administrative	2,857.0	35.3	844.22	23.41	2,447.3	38.3	932.02	409.8	17.6	319.85
Natural and applied sciences	1,209.5	38.6	1,297.57	33.66	1,170.6	39.2	1,321.26	38.8	18.5	583.55
Health	1,027.4	33.1	934.85	27.99	785.1	37.4	1,063.04	242.3	19.2	519.39
Social science, education, government service and religion	1,518.9	33.9	1,083.96	31.44	1,220.0	37.9	1,231.22	298.9	17.4	482.92
Art, culture, recreation and sport	361.6	29.3	780.93	24.41	236.3	38.4	1,067.13	125.3	12.2	241.39
Sales and service	3,921.5	30.2	534.87	16.50	2,421.8	38.4	728.56	1,499.7	16.9	222.08
Trades, transport and equipment operators	2,226.7	40.1	975.53	23.96	2,068.4	41.8	1,027.19	158.4	17.9	301.00
Occupations unique to primary industry	278.5	42.8	1,013.07	22.81	248.5	46.3	1,109.12	30.0	13.7	216.71
Occupations unique to processing,	7547	20.4	000.00	00.00	740 4	40.0	050.00	20.2	477	075.00
manufacturing and utilities	754.7	39.1	823.08	20.80	716.4	40.2	852.33	38.3	17.7	275.93

Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0023, 282-0069, 282-0073.

Table 8 Regional unemployment rates used by the Employment Insurance program 1, seasonally adjusted, 3 month moving average

Region	Effective from December 7, 2014 to January 10, 2015	
	percent	
Newfoundland and Labrador		
01. St. John's 02. Newfoundland and Labrador <sup>2</sup>	5.7 16.7	
Prince Edward Island <sup>3</sup> 65. Charlottetown	8.0	
66. Prince Edward Island <sup>4</sup>	11.9	
Nova Scotia 04. Eastern Nova Scotia	16.0	
05. Western Nova Scotia	10.2	
06. Halifax  New Brunswick	6.0	
07. Fredericton—Moncton—Saint John	7.4	
08. Madawaska—Charlotte 09. Restigouche—Albert	11.0 15.4	
Quebec		
10. Gaspésie—Îles-de-la-Madeleine 11. Québec	17.1 5.4	
12. Trois-Rivières 13. South Central Quebec	6.4 5.7	
14. Sherbrooke	7.3	
15. Montérégie 16. Montréal	6.6 8.6	
17. Central Quebec	7.3 9.6	
North Western Quebec     Bas-Saint-Laurent—Côte-Nord	9.6 9.7	
Hull     Chicoutimi—Jonquière	6.8 9.9	
Ontario	5.0	
22. Ottawa 23. Eastern Ontario	5.9 7.3	
24. Kingston 25. Central Ontario	6.8 6.3	
26. Oshawa	6.8	
27. Toronto 28. Hamilton	7.8 5.5	
29. St. Catharines	6.4	
30. London 31. Niagara	7.7 9.1	
32. Windsor 33. Kitchener	8.8 6.2	
34. Huron	7.5	
35. South Central Ontario 36. Sudbury	5.2 6.3	
37. Thunder Bay 38. Northern Ontario	5.7 10.1	
Manitoba		
39. Winnipeg 40. Southern Manitoba	5.6 5.4	
41. Northern Manitoba	32.0	
Saskatchewan 42. Regina	3.0	
43. Saskatoon	3.6	
<ul><li>44. Southern Saskatchewan</li><li>45. Northern Saskatchewan</li></ul>	6.2 16.4	
Alberta	A A	
46. Calgary 47. Edmonton	4.4 5.4	
48. Northern Alberta 49. Southern Alberta	7.7 4.7	
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### Table 8 - continued

## Regional unemployment rates used by the Employment Insurance program 1, seasonally adjusted, 3 month moving average

Region	Effective from December 7, 2014 to January 10, 2015	
	percent	
British Columbia		
50. Southern Interior British Columbia	7.6	
51. Abbotsford	6.9	
52. Vancouver	6.2	
53. Victoria	5.8	
54. Southern Coastal British Columbia	7.8	
55. Northern British Columbia	10.5	
Territories 3, 5		
59. Whitehorse	4.1	
60. Yukon <sup>6</sup>	9.1	
61. Yellowknife	4.4	
62. Northwest Territories 7	13.3	
63. Iqaluit	4.8	
64. Nunavut 8	16.8	

<sup>1.</sup> The boundaries of these regions are determined by Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC). For geographic descriptions and maps of employment insurance regions, see the ESDC website: http://srv129.services.gc.ca/eiregions/en/geocont.aspx.

Note(s): All regions are based on the 1996 Census boundaries, with the exception of those in Prince Edward Island and in the territories, which respect the 2011 Census boundaries.

This region excludes St. John's.

Prince Edward Island as well as the territories are each comprised of two regions effective October 12, 2014.

This region excludes Charlottetown.

<sup>5.</sup> The monthly regional unemployment rates for EI purposes in the territories are subject to the greater of a seasonally adjusted 3 month moving average or 12 month moving average.

<sup>6.</sup> This region excludes Whitehorse.

<sup>7.</sup> This region excludes Yellowknife.

This region excludes Iqaluit.

# **Data quality**

# **Definitions and explanations**

The **labour force** is composed of those members of the civilian non-institutional population 15 years of age and over who, during the reference week, were employed or unemployed.

Employed persons are those who, during the reference week:

- (a) did any work at all
- (b) had a job but were not at work

A person is considered to be **full-time** if his/her usual hours at the main job are 30 or more hours per week. When the number of hours worked at the main job is usually less than 30 hours per week then he/she is considered to be **part-time**.

**Unemployed** persons are those who, during the reference week:

- (a) were without work, had actively looked for work in the past four weeks (ending with reference week), and were available for work:
- (b) had not actively looked for work in the past four weeks but were on temporary layoff and were available for work;
- (c) had not actively looked for work in the past four weeks but had a new job to start in four weeks or less from the reference week, and were available for work.

Persons in the civilian non-institutional population 15 years of age and over who, during the reference week, were neither employed nor unemployed are classified as **not in the labour force**.

The **unemployment rate** represents the number of unemployed persons expressed as a percentage of the labour force. The unemployment rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the number unemployed in that group expressed as a percentage of the labour force for that group.

The **participation rate** represents the labour force expressed as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The participation rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the labour force in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group.

The employment rate (formerly the employment/population ratio) represents the number of persons employed expressed as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The employment rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the number employed in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group.

The **part-time rate** represents the number of persons employed part-time expressed as a percentage of the employed. The part-time rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the number employed part-time in that group expressed as a percentage of the employed for that group.

All geographic regions are based on the 2006 Census boundaries.

## Seasonal adjustment

Fluctuations in economic time series are caused by seasonal, cyclical and irregular movements. A seasonally adjusted series is one from which seasonal movements have been eliminated. Seasonal movements are defined as those which are caused by regular annual events such as climate, holidays, vacation periods and cycles related to crops, production and retail sales associated with Christmas and Easter. The seasonally adjusted series contains irregular as well as longer-term cyclical fluctuations.

The seasonally adjusted series are revised each year to take into account current data and to generate new forecast factors for the next twelve months. The data are therefore subject to slight revisions in future issues of this publication.

## Sampling variability of estimates

Estimates in this publication are based on the Labour Force Survey, a monthly survey of approximately 56,000 households across Canada. Because the entire population is not surveyed, the estimates are subject to sampling error. While the published estimate is the best available indicator of the real value, changes in the level of any estimates between two months can be the result of a true change or sampling variability. The sampling error can be estimated by calculating the standard error for the published estimate or statistic. These standard errors have been included in the publication tables, in order to assist users in interpreting the data. They are based on 12-month averages and are updated twice a year, in February and August.

#### Interpretation based on standard error

Two thirds of the time (68%), a change greater than the sampling error indicates a real change. The larger the change compared to the standard error, the better the chance that we are observing a real change, as opposed to a change due to sampling variability. At the 95% level, in order to ensure that change is real, the change in the estimate must be greater than twice the sampling error.

Movements in estimates that are smaller than the sampling error are less likely to reflect a real change and more likely to be due to sampling variability. While the above is true for monthly movements, one can have more confidence in a series of consecutive movements in the same direction, even though some of the monthly movements may be smaller than the sampling error.

#### Interpretation based on confidence intervals

Confidence intervals provide another way of looking at the variability inherent in estimates of sample surveys. To illustrate how to calculate the confidence interval, let us say that one month the published estimate for total employment rose by 16,000 to reach 16,500,000. The associated standard error for the movement estimate is 27,200. The standard error used to interpret the movement estimate indicates that:

- There are approximately two chances in three (68%) that the real value of the movement between the two months falls within the range -11,200 to +43,200 (16,000 + or - one standard error).
- There are approximately nine chances in ten (90%) that the real value of the movement between the two months falls within the range -27,520 to +59,520 (16,000 + or -1.6 times the standard error).
- There are approximately nineteen chances in twenty (95%) that the real value of the movement between the two months falls within the range -38,400 to +70,400 (16,000 + or – two standard errors).

For more detailed explanations on sampling variability of estimates, and in particular for information on how to assess the variability of level estimates, consult the Data quality section of the Guide to the Labour Force Survey, (71-543-G) on page 27.

## **Documentation**

For more detailed information about the Labour Force Survey, see the following documents:

- · Overview of the Labour Force Survey 3701
- Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G)
- Methodology of the Canadian Labour Force Survey (71-526-X)
- LFS geographical maps