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- .. not available for a specific reference period
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- p preliminary
- r revised
- x suppressed to meet the confidentiality requirements of the *Statistics Act*
- E use with caution
- F too unreliable to be published
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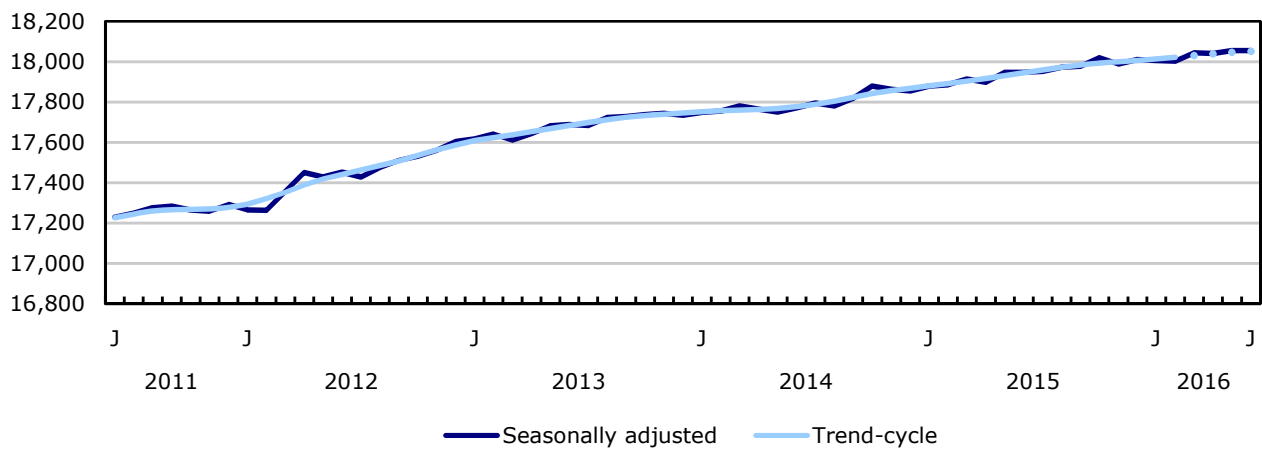
Highlights

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Chart 1
Employment and unemployment rate, Canada, seasonally adjusted

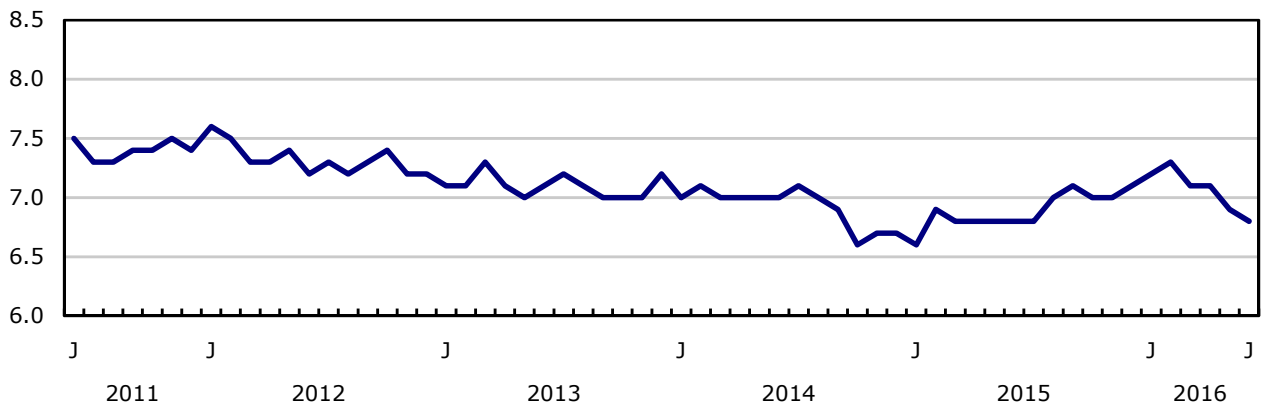
Employment

thousands



Unemployment rate

percent



Analysis — June 2016

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In the second quarter of 2016, employment was little changed (+11,000 or +0.1%). This is the smallest change in employment on a quarterly basis in two years.

In the 12 months to June, the number of people employed rose by 108,000 (+0.6%), with most of the gains in part time (+77,000 or +2.3%). Over the same period, the total number of hours worked fell slightly (-0.1%).

In June, employment fell among men 55 and older, while it increased for youths aged 15 to 24 and changed little for the other demographic groups.

British Columbia was the only province with employment growth. The other provinces showed little change.

Fewer people worked in construction, manufacturing, and in the “other services” industry. On the other hand, employment increased in accommodation and food services as well as in information, culture and recreation.

The number of employees fell in the public sector and was little changed in the private sector. At the same time, self-employment increased.

Employment down for men 55 and older, and up for youth

Employment fell by 15,000 for men aged 55 and older, and the unemployment rate increased 0.5 percentage points to 6.5%. Over the 12 months to June, employment for this group was up 35,000 (+1.7%), mostly a result of growth in their population (+153,000).

For women 55 and older, employment was little changed in June, and the unemployment rate was 5.2%. Compared with a year earlier, however, employment gains for this group totalled 101,000 (+6.4%) — partly a result of an increase in their population (+155,000).

Employment for men and women aged 25 to 54 was little changed on both a monthly and year-over-year basis. Nevertheless, their unemployment rate fell 0.2 percentage points to 5.8% in June, as fewer of them searched for work.

There were 18,000 more youths aged 15 to 24 working in June, with increases in part-time work. The youth unemployment rate was 13.0% in June. On a year-over-year basis, youth employment was down 46,000 (-1.9%) and their population declined 47,000.

Summer employment for students

From May to August, the Labour Force Survey collects labour market data about youths aged 15 to 24 who were attending school full time in March and who intend to return full time in the fall. The June survey results provide an early indication of the summer job market, especially for students aged 20 to 24, as many students aged 15 to 19 are still in school. The data for July and August will provide further insight into the summer job market for students. The published data are not seasonally adjusted; therefore, comparisons can only be made from one year to another.

Among students aged 20 to 24 who intend to return to school full time in the fall, the employment rate was 64.0% in June, 3.2 percentage points lower than 12 months earlier. The unemployment rate for this group of returning students was 10.5%, little changed from June 2015.

Employment gains in British Columbia

British Columbia was the lone province with employment gains in June (+16,000 or +0.7%), continuing an upward trend going back to spring 2015. The unemployment rate in the province was 5.9%, the lowest rate in the country. On a year-over-year basis, employment in British Columbia was up 70,000 or 3.0%, the fastest rate of growth among the provinces.

In Quebec, employment was little changed in June. Compared with 12 months earlier, employment in the province was up 33,000 (+0.8%), and the unemployment rate was down 1.0 percentage point to 7.0%.

Employment was virtually unchanged in Ontario. With fewer people participating in the labour market, the unemployment rate fell from 6.6% to 6.4%, the lowest rate since September 2008. On a year-over-year-basis, employment in the province grew by 63,000 (+0.9%).

In Alberta, employment was also virtually unchanged in June, and the unemployment rate was 7.9%. In the 12 months to June, overall employment in the province fell by 52,000 (-2.2%), with full-time losses totalling 91,000 (-4.8%). Over the same period, the unemployment rate was up 2.1 percentage points.

Employment increases in all three territories

The Labour Force Survey also collects labour market information on the territories. This information is produced monthly in the form of three-month moving averages.

In the second quarter of 2016, employment in Yukon increased by 800 from the first quarter. Over the same period, the unemployment rate was little changed at 5.2%.

Employment in the Northwest Territories rose by 400 in the second quarter of 2016. Over the same period, the unemployment rate increased by 0.7 percentage points to 8.0% as more people searched for work.

In Nunavut, employment increased by 800 in the second quarter of 2016. During the same period, the unemployment rate fell by 3.9 percentage points to 13.5%.

Industry perspective

Following an increase in May, employment in construction was down 29,000 in June. Before adjusting for seasonal factors, the number of people working in this industry increased from May to June. However, the increase was less than usual, resulting in a seasonally-adjusted decrease. On a year-over-year basis, employment in construction was little changed.

Also following an increase in May, employment in manufacturing declined by 13,000 in June, bringing losses to 30,000 (-1.8%) on a year-over-year basis. Employment in manufacturing has been on a downward trend since the start of 2016.

The number of people working in the “other services”— such as those related to religious, grant-making, civic, and professional organizations — also decreased in June (-9,300). On a year-over-year basis, however, employment in this industry was up 23,000 (+3.1%).

On the other hand, employment rose 20,000 in accommodation and food services. This was the third increase in four months for the industry.

Employment also rose in information, culture and recreation (+14,000), bringing gains to 44,000 over the 12 months to June, or +5.9%—the strongest rate of employment growth among all industries.

While employment in natural resources was little changed in June, it was down 11.4% from 12 months earlier, with most of this decrease occurring since the start of 2016.

Employment in public administration was virtually unchanged in June, following an increase of 19,000 in May. Over the two months, employment increased in federal public administration, coinciding with activities related to the 2016 Census. The increase was concentrated among survey interviewers and statistical clerks, an occupational group that corresponds with the type of work done during federal elections and censuses.

In June, public sector employment fell by 28,000, while the number of private sector employees was little changed. On the other hand, self-employment increased by 38,000 (+1.4%).

Compared with 12 months earlier, public sector employment was unchanged, while the number of private sector employees was slightly up (+62,000 or +0.5%) and self-employment edged up by 46,000 (+1.7%).

Impact of the wildfires in the area of Fort McMurray on the LFS collection and estimates

As a result of the wildfires affecting northern Alberta that led to the evacuation of residents from the Fort McMurray area, data for the Labour Force Survey (LFS) for the census agglomeration of Wood Buffalo were not collected in either May or June.

Using standard statistical techniques, missing data for Wood Buffalo were replaced by substituted values taken from similar respondents from surrounding areas.

The population of Wood Buffalo represents 2% of the population of Alberta. Therefore, the impact of this interruption in data collection is minimal on provincial estimates and negligible on national estimates.

The impact is larger for sub-provincial areas, specifically for the economic region of Wood Buffalo–Cold Lake, where approximately 60% of the population are residents of Wood Buffalo. As a result, separate estimates for this economic region – which are normally available in the form of three-month moving averages – will not be published for June.

Regular LFS collection in all other areas of Canada was unaffected, and occurred from Sunday, June 19 until Tuesday, June 28. The LFS reference week for the month of June was Sunday, June 12 to Saturday, June 18.

Statistics Canada is aware of the ongoing difficult circumstances of residents of the Fort McMurray area. The decision to resume collection for the LFS in Fort McMurray will be taken in collaboration with Alberta provincial and local governments.

Note to readers

The Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates for June are for the week of June 12 to 18.

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 LFS estimates are the first in a series of labour market indicators released by Statistics Canada, which includes indicators from programs such as the Survey of Payroll Employment, Earnings and Hours (SEPH), Employment Insurance statistics, and the Job Vacancy and Wage Survey. For more information on the conceptual differences between employment measures from the LFS and SEPH, refer to *section 8* of the *Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G)*.

The **employment rate** is the number of employed people as a percentage of the population aged 15 and older. 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 of 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.

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*.

Chart 1 shows trend-cycle data on employment. These data represent a smoothed version of the seasonally adjusted time series, which provides information on longer-term movements, including changes in direction underlying the series. These data are available in CANSIM table 282-0087 for the national level employment series. For more information, see the *StatCan Blog* and *Trend-cycle estimates – Frequently asked questions*.

Next release

The next release of the LFS will be on August 5.

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Employment indexes, Canada, seasonally adjusted

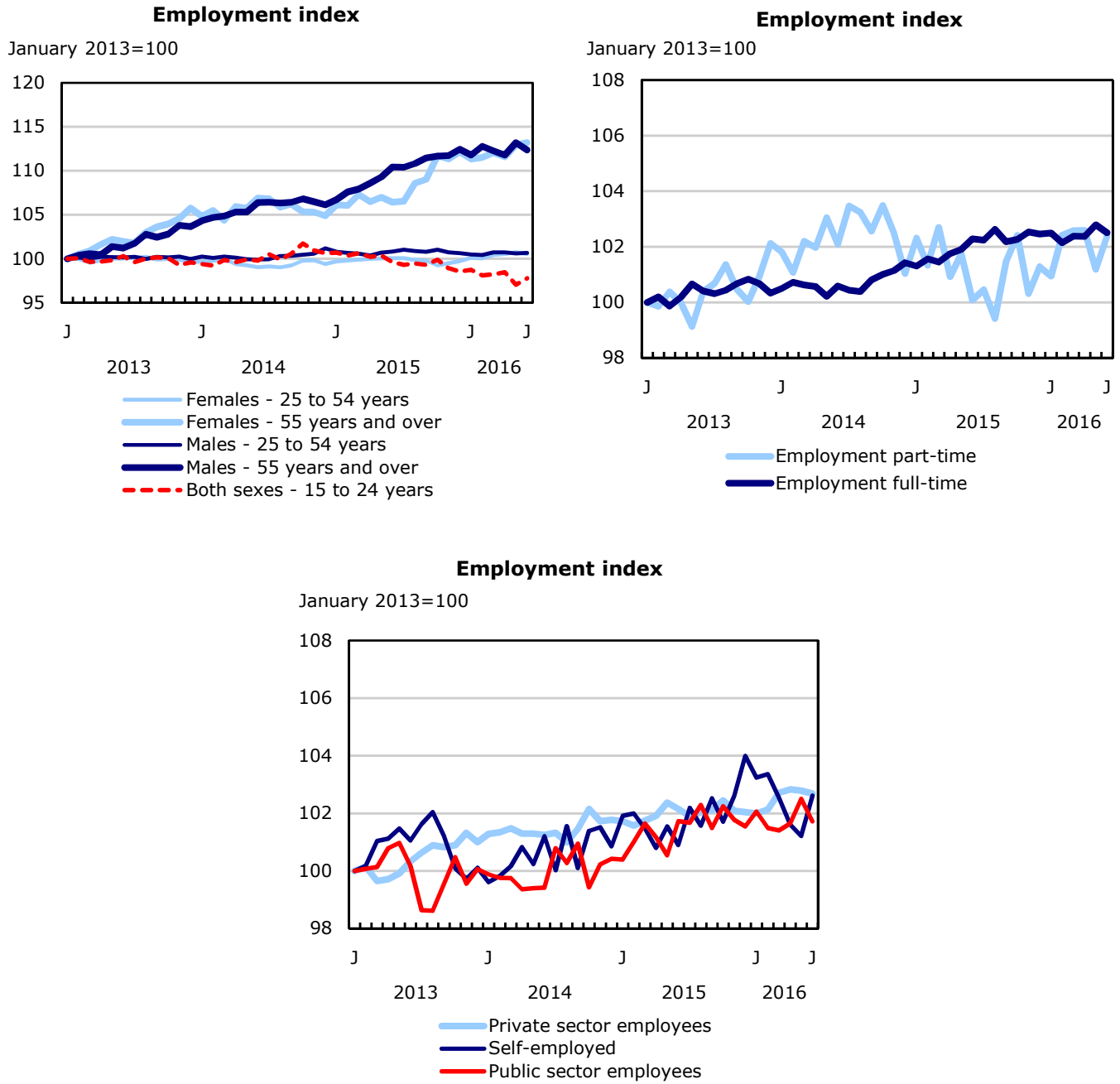


Chart 2
Unemployment, employment, and participation rates, Canada, seasonally adjusted

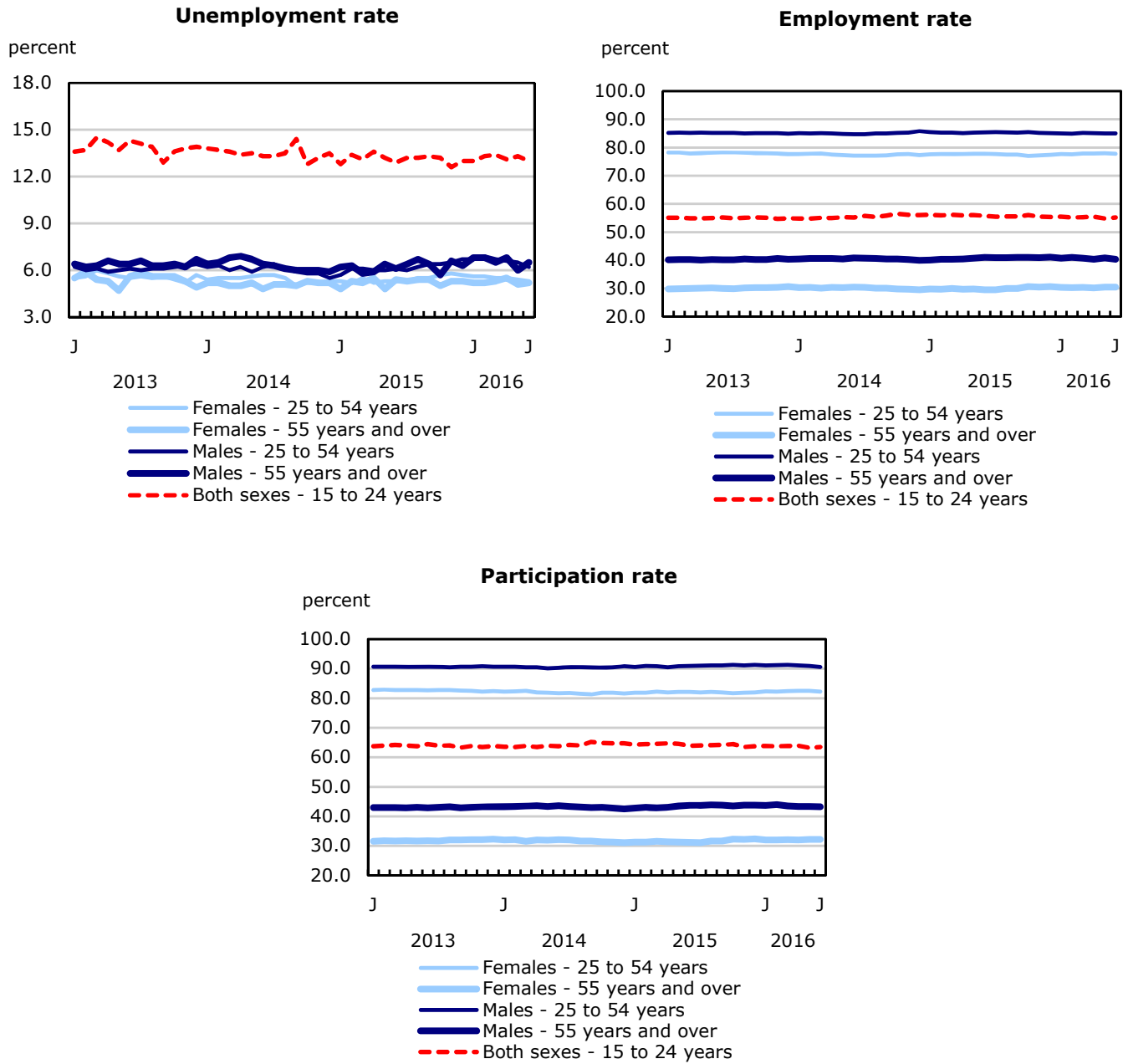


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Employment indexes by industry, Canada, seasonally adjusted

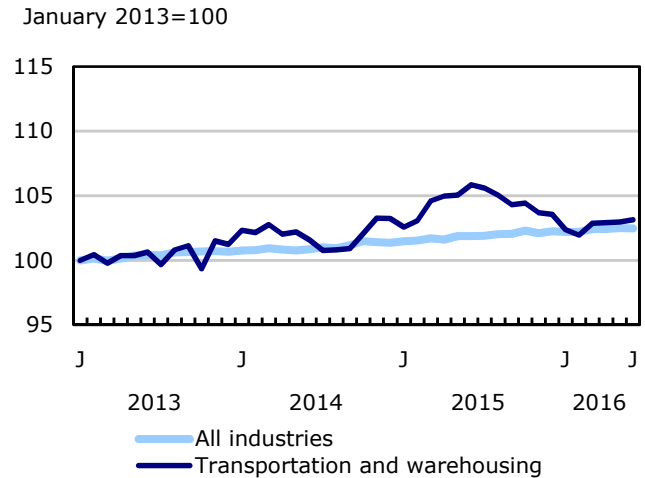
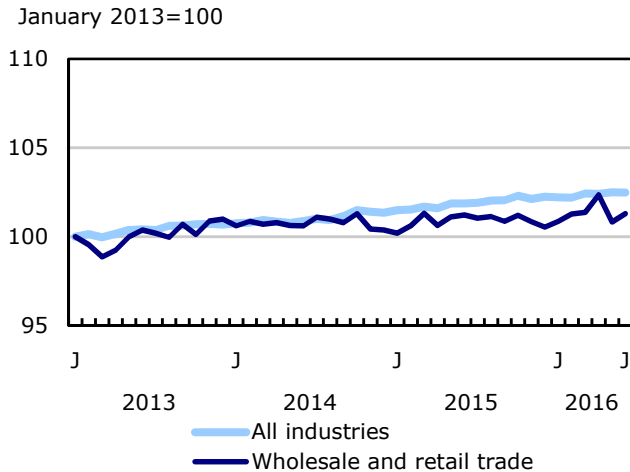
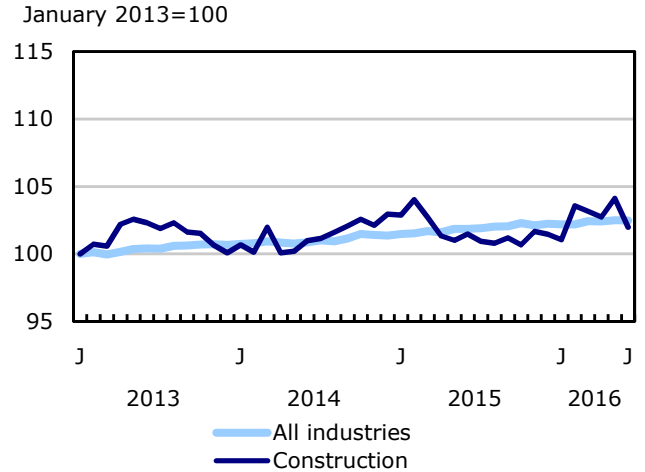
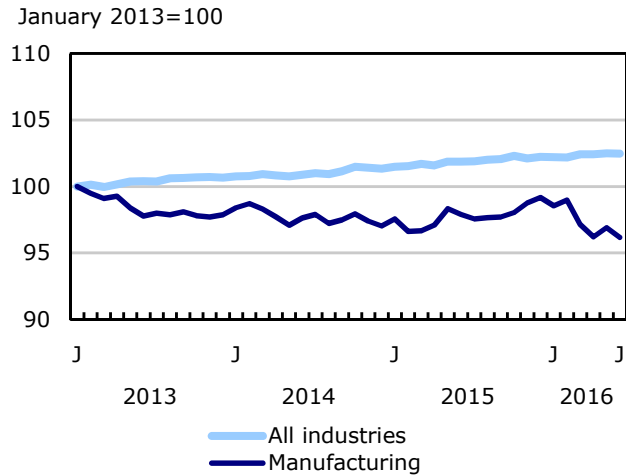
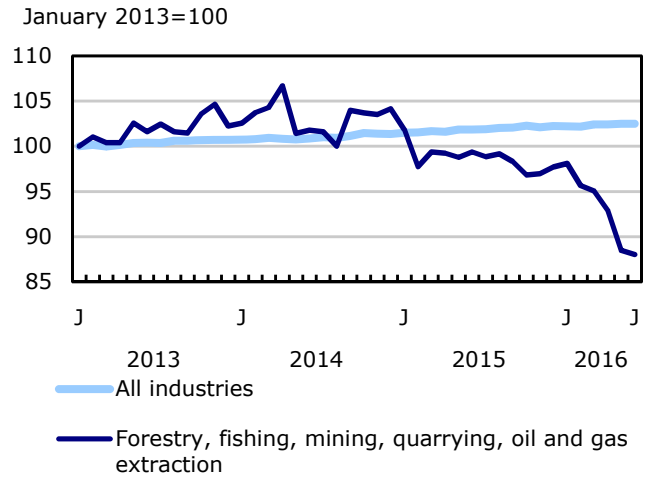
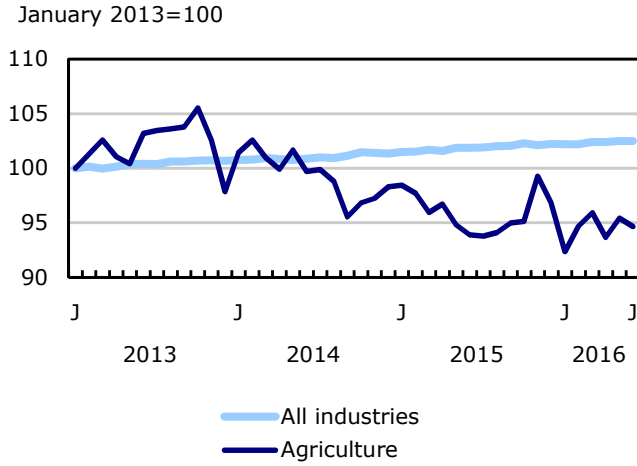


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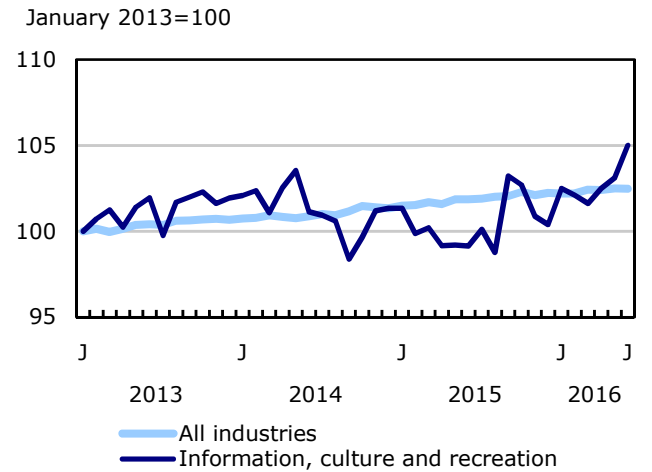
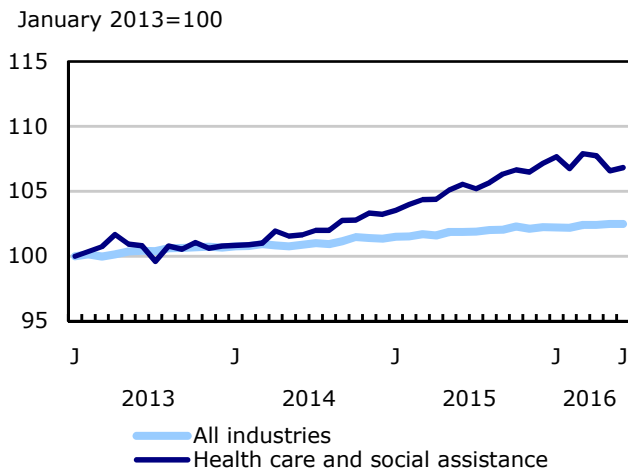
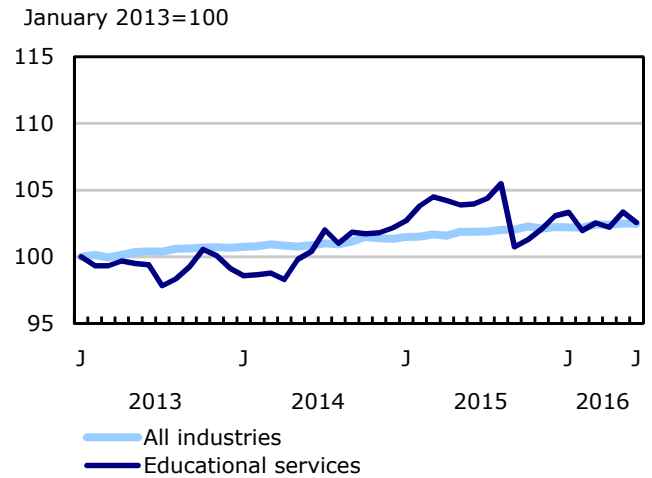
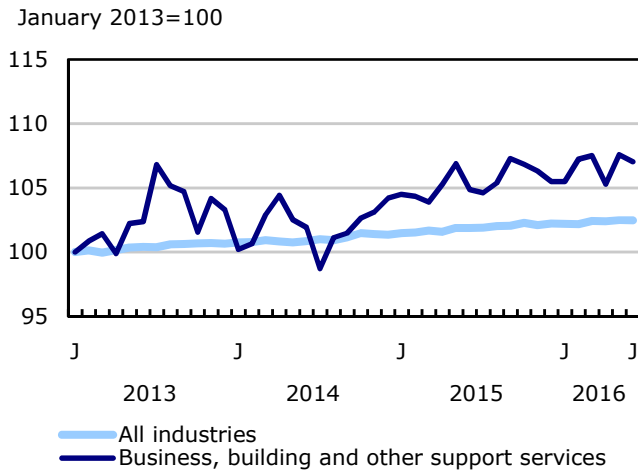
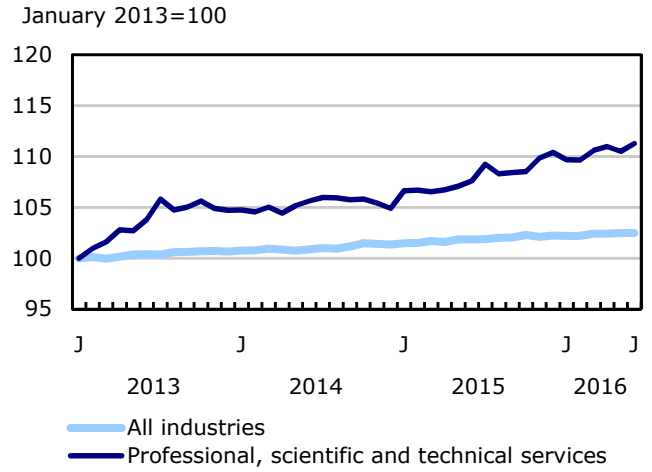
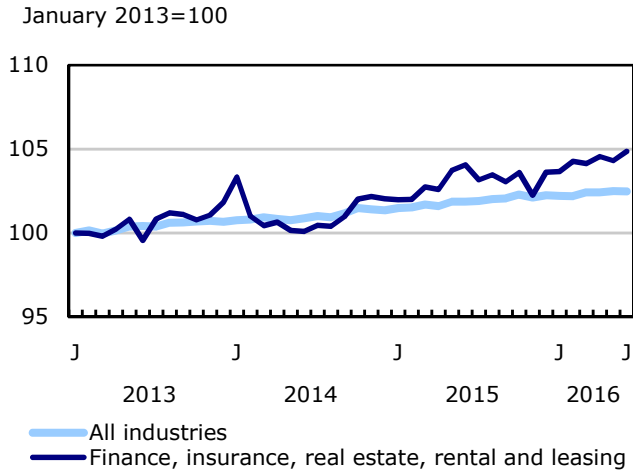


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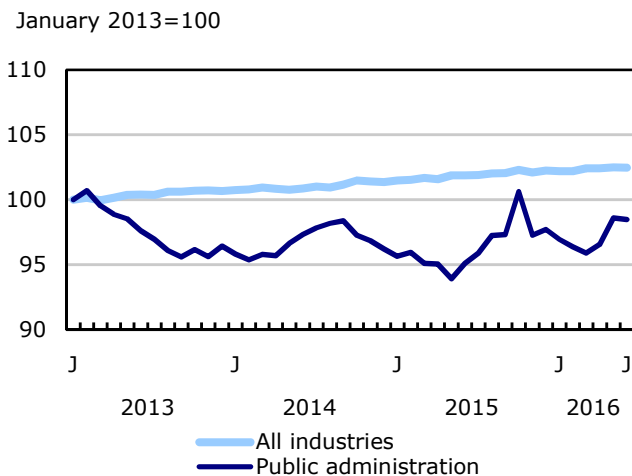
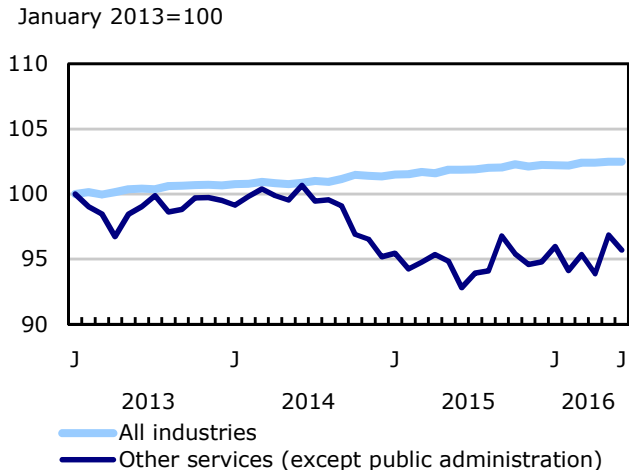
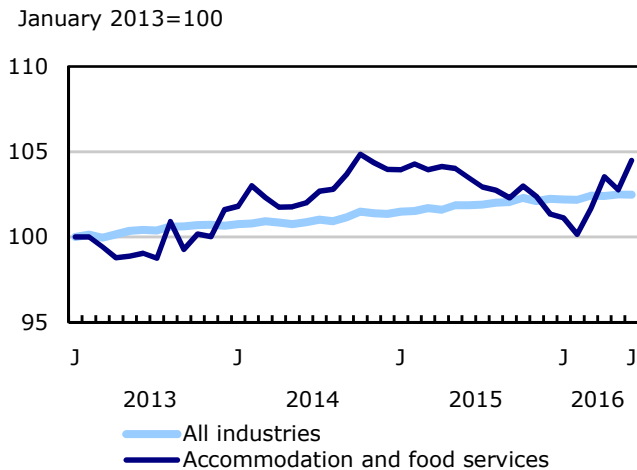


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Employment indexes by province, Canada, seasonally adjusted

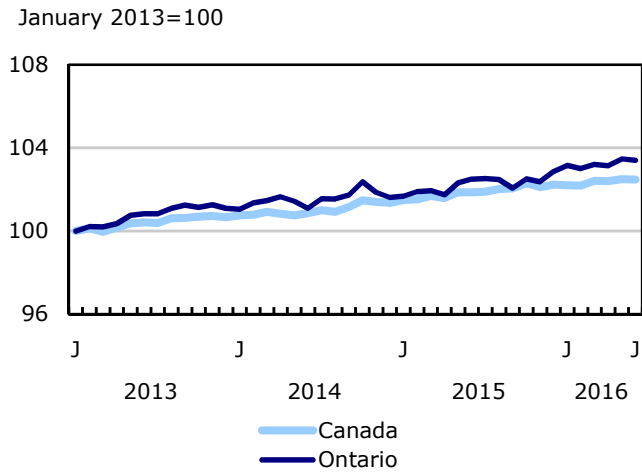
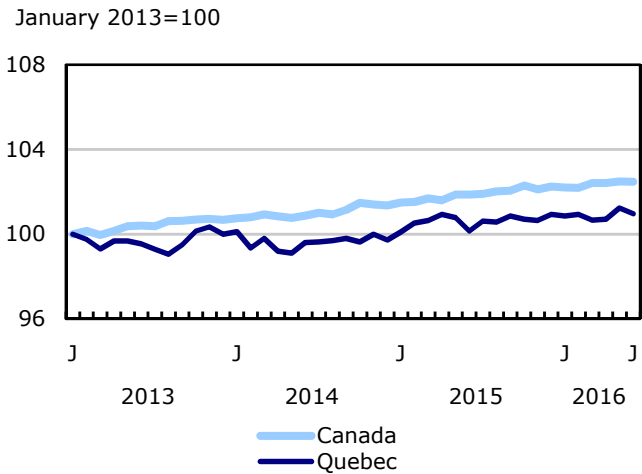
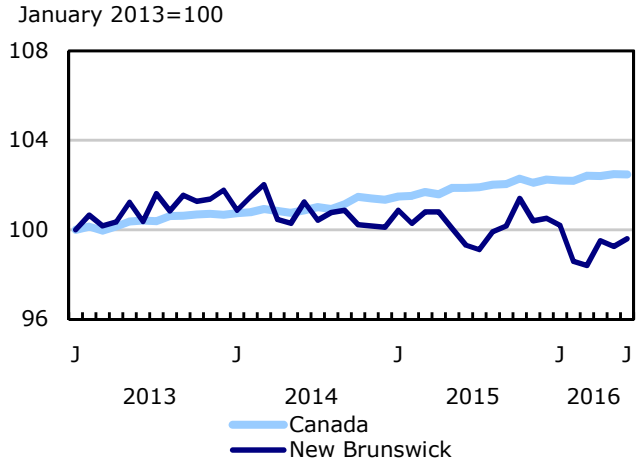
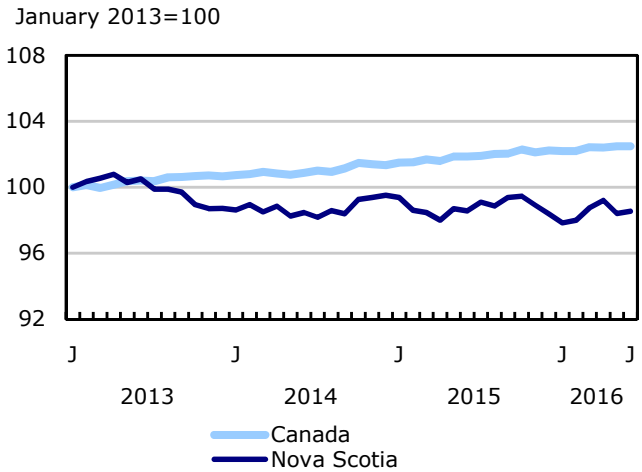
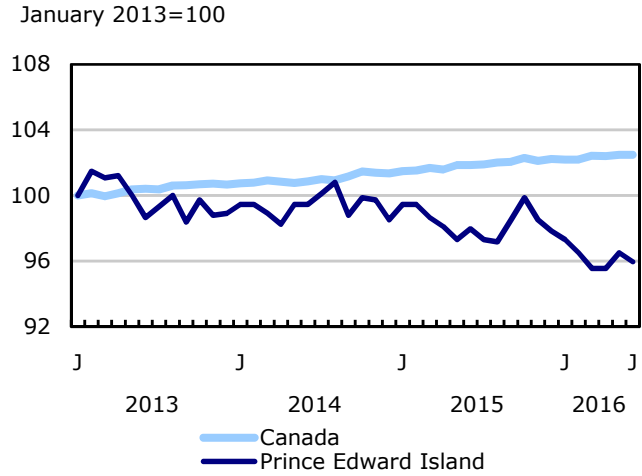
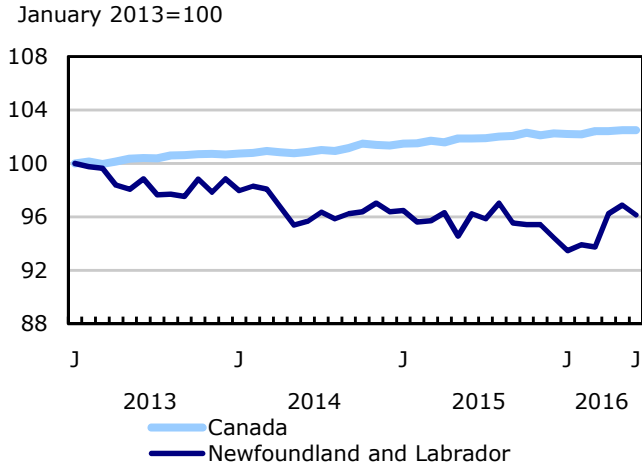


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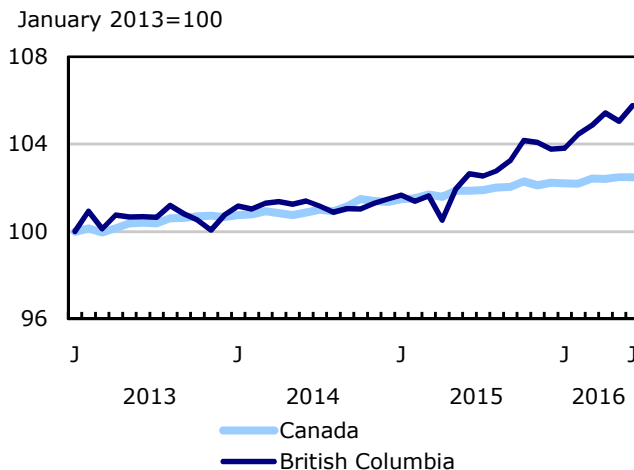
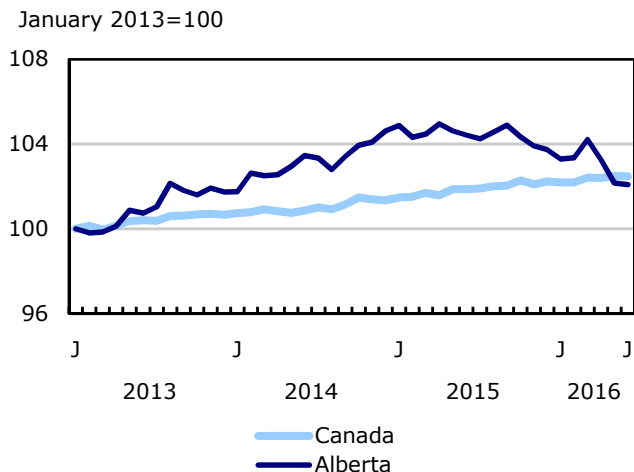
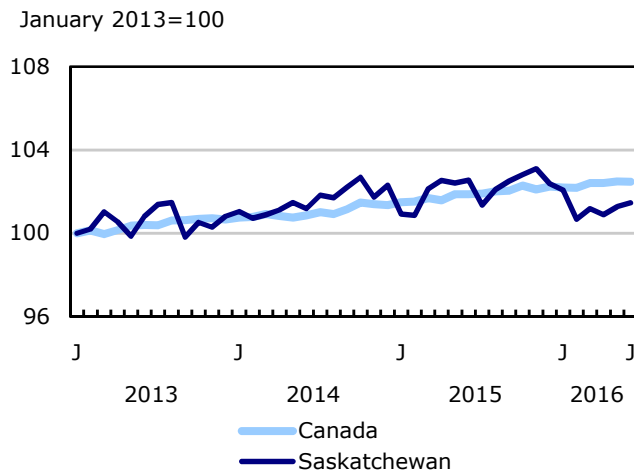
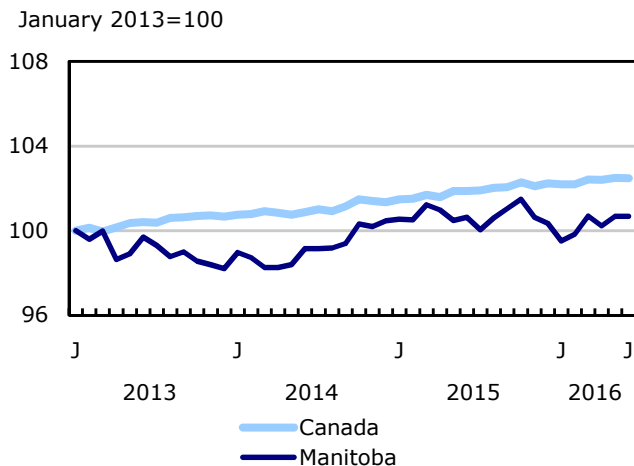
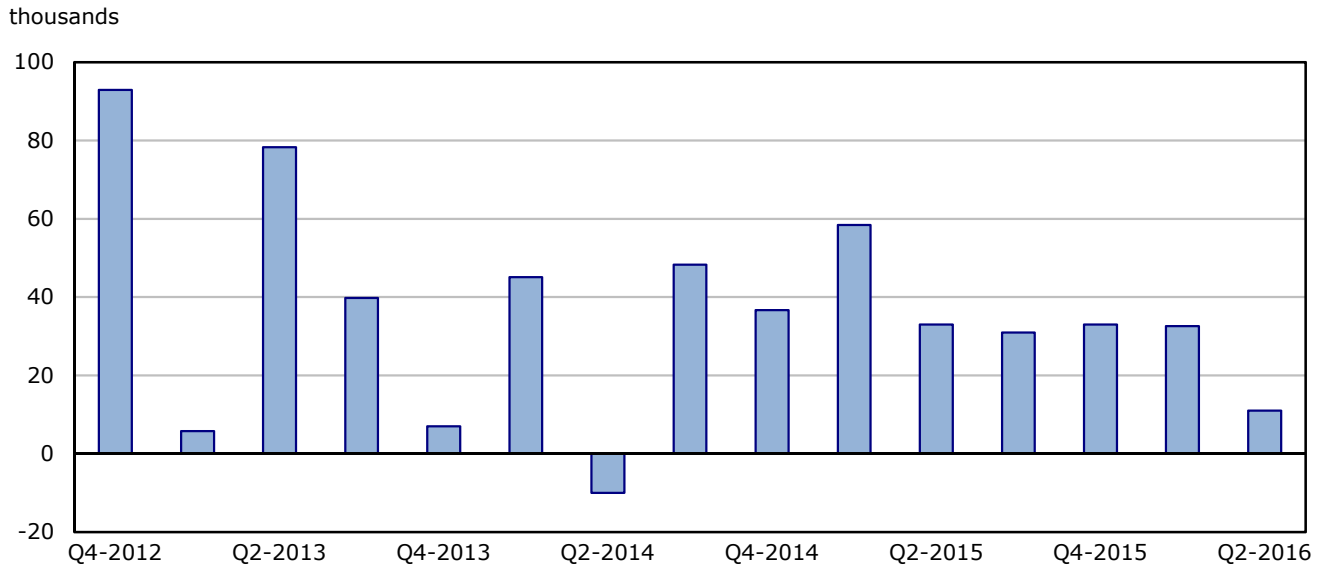


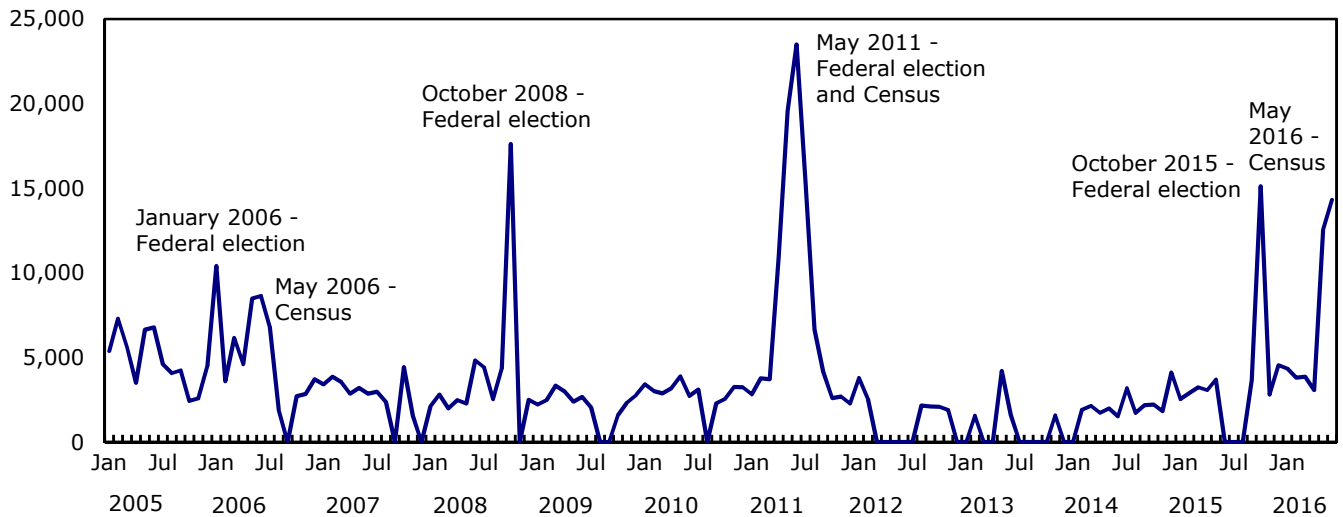
Chart 8
Quarterly change in employment



Source(s): CANSIM table 282-0087.

Chart 9
Federal public administration, survey interviewers and statistical clerks

employment (unadjusted for seasonality)



Note(s): The "survey interviewers and statistical clerks" group includes occupations such as census clerks, election enumerators and statistical assistants. Estimates below the confidentiality threshold of 1,500 are shown as "0."

Source(s): Labour Force Survey (3701).

Related products

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71-526-X	Methodology of the Canadian Labour Force Survey
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Labour force characteristics by age and sex, Canada, seasonally adjusted

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				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
15 years and over, both sexes									
Population	29,546.7	29,574.1	...	27.4	155.1	307.6	0.1	0.5	1.1
Labour force	19,401.7	19,380.8	29.8	-20.9	-16.5	124.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.6
Employment	18,055.2	18,054.5	29.5	-0.7	43.6	107.6	0.0	0.2	0.6
Employment full-time	14,665.0	14,624.9	42.5	-40.1	7.1	31.2	-0.3	0.0	0.2
Employment part-time	3,390.2	3,429.6	39.7	39.4	36.5	76.5	1.2	1.1	2.3
Unemployment	1,346.5	1,326.3	25.3	-20.2	-60.1	16.4	-1.5	-4.3	1.3
Participation rate	65.7	65.5	0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.9	6.8	0.1	-0.1	-0.3	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.1	61.0	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.8	19.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	...	...	...
15 to 24 years, both sexes									
Population	4,390.5	4,387.3	...	-3.2	-24.7	-46.9	-0.1	-0.6	-1.1
Labour force	2,773.4	2,785.5	17.4	12.1	-22.8	-49.6	0.4	-0.8	-1.7
Employment	2,404.9	2,422.7	16.4	17.8	-19.8	-45.8	0.7	-0.8	-1.9
Employment full-time	1,246.8	1,231.2	20.6	-15.6	-57.6	-57.9	-1.3	-4.5	-4.5
Employment part-time	1,158.1	1,191.5	21.4	33.4	37.8	12.1	2.9	3.3	1.0
Unemployment	368.5	362.9	14.9	-5.6	-2.9	-3.8	-1.5	-0.8	-1.0
Participation rate	63.2	63.5	0.4	0.3	-0.2	-0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	13.3	13.0	0.5	-0.3	0.0	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	54.8	55.2	0.4	0.4	-0.2	-0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	48.2	49.2	0.8	1.0	1.9	1.4	...	...	...
25 years and over, men									
Population	12,305.2	12,320.1	...	14.9	87.5	173.9	0.1	0.7	1.4
Labour force	8,798.4	8,779.8	16.0	-18.6	-32.6	42.9	-0.2	-0.4	0.5
Employment	8,239.5	8,228.9	16.7	-10.6	0.7	25.9	-0.1	0.0	0.3
Employment full-time	7,570.7	7,553.7	23.4	-17.0	-23.3	-21.9	-0.2	-0.3	-0.3
Employment part-time	668.8	675.2	19.2	6.4	24.0	47.8	1.0	3.7	7.6
Unemployment	558.9	550.9	14.9	-8.0	-33.3	17.0	-1.4	-5.7	3.2
Participation rate	71.5	71.3	0.1	-0.2	-0.7	-0.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.4	6.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.3	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	67.0	66.8	0.1	-0.2	-0.5	-0.7	...	...	...
Part-time rate	8.1	8.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.6	...	...	...
25 years and over, women									
Population	12,851.0	12,866.7	...	15.7	92.3	180.6	0.1	0.7	1.4
Labour force	7,829.9	7,815.5	17.0	-14.4	39.0	130.8	-0.2	0.5	1.7
Employment	7,410.8	7,402.9	16.9	-7.9	62.7	127.5	-0.1	0.9	1.8
Employment full-time	5,847.5	5,840.0	27.9	-7.5	88.0	110.9	-0.1	1.5	1.9
Employment part-time	1,563.3	1,562.9	26.7	-0.4	-25.3	16.6	0.0	-1.6	1.1
Unemployment	419.1	412.6	13.5	-6.5	-23.7	3.3	-1.6	-5.4	0.8
Participation rate	60.9	60.7	0.1	-0.2	-0.2	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.4	5.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.3	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	57.7	57.5	0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	21.1	21.1	0.4	0.0	-0.5	-0.1	...	...	...
25 to 54 years, both sexes									
Population	14,624.4	14,630.4	...	6.0	25.7	46.6	0.0	0.2	0.3
Labour force	12,675.4	12,640.8	24.6	-34.6	-11.9	25.7	-0.3	-0.1	0.2
Employment	11,919.0	11,911.2	26.2	-7.8	49.4	17.4	-0.1	0.4	0.1
Employment full-time	756.4	729.6	19.0	-26.8	-61.3	8.3	-3.5	-7.8	1.2
Employment part-time	86.7	86.4	0.2	-0.3	-0.2	-0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment	6.0	5.8	0.1	-0.2	-0.5	0.1	...	...	...
Participation rate	81.5	81.4	0.2	-0.1	0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.0	5.8	0.1	-0.2	-0.5	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	81.5	81.4	0.2	-0.1	0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
25 to 54 years, men									
Population	7,281.0	7,283.8	...	2.8	11.3	21.1	0.0	0.2	0.3
Labour force	6,616.5	6,600.6	15.7	-15.9	-37.0	-3.7	-0.2	-0.6	-0.1
Employment	6,188.0	6,192.1	17.3	4.1	2.3	-9.1	0.1	0.0	-0.1
Employment full-time	428.5	408.5	13.7	-20.0	-39.3	5.3	-4.7	-8.8	1.3
Employment part-time	90.9	90.6	0.2	-0.3	-0.7	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment	6.5	6.2	0.2	-0.3	-0.5	0.1	...	...	...
Participation rate	85.0	85.0	0.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.4
Unemployment rate	85.0	85.0	0.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.4
Employment rate	85.0	85.0	0.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.4

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Table 1 – continued

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
25 to 54 years, women									
Population	7,343.4	7,346.6	...	3.2	14.4	25.5	0.0	0.2	0.3
Labour force	6,058.9	6,040.1	17.8	-18.8	25.0	29.4	-0.3	0.4	0.5
Employment	5,731.0	5,719.1	18.2	-11.9	47.0	26.5	-0.2	0.8	0.5
Unemployment	327.8	321.1	12.7	-6.7	-21.9	2.9	-2.0	-6.4	0.9
Participation rate	82.5	82.2	0.2	-0.3	0.2	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.4	5.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.4	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	78.0	77.8	0.2	-0.2	0.4	0.0	...	...	...
55 years and over, both sexes									
Population	10,531.9	10,556.4	...	24.5	154.1	307.9	0.2	1.5	3.0
Labour force	3,952.9	3,954.5	20.7	1.6	18.2	148.0	0.0	0.5	3.9
Employment	3,731.3	3,720.6	20.7	-10.7	14.0	136.0	-0.3	0.4	3.8
Unemployment	221.6	233.8	10.5	12.2	4.1	11.9	5.5	1.8	5.4
Participation rate	37.5	37.5	0.2	0.0	-0.3	0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.6	5.9	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	35.4	35.2	0.2	-0.2	-0.4	0.2	...	...	...
55 years and over, men									
Population	5,024.2	5,036.3	...	12.1	76.2	152.8	0.2	1.5	3.1
Labour force	2,181.9	2,179.1	13.6	-2.8	4.3	46.6	-0.1	0.2	2.2
Employment	2,051.5	2,036.7	13.9	-14.8	-1.7	34.9	-0.7	-0.1	1.7
Unemployment	130.4	142.4	7.8	12.0	6.0	11.7	9.2	4.4	9.0
Participation rate	43.4	43.3	0.3	-0.1	-0.5	-0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.0	6.5	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	40.8	40.4	0.3	-0.4	-0.7	-0.6	...	...	...
55 years and over, women									
Population	5,507.6	5,520.1	...	12.5	77.9	155.1	0.2	1.4	2.9
Labour force	1,771.0	1,775.3	14.2	4.3	13.9	101.4	0.2	0.8	6.1
Employment	1,679.8	1,683.9	14.2	4.1	15.8	101.1	0.2	0.9	6.4
Unemployment	91.2	91.5	6.7	0.3	-1.8	0.3	0.3	-1.9	0.3
Participation rate	32.2	32.2	0.3	0.0	-0.2	1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.1	5.2	0.4	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	30.5	30.5	0.3	0.0	-0.2	1.0	...	...	...

1. 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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands									
Class of worker									
Employees	15,313.4	15,275.0	36.5	-38.4	81.0	61.4	-0.3	0.5	0.4
Self-employed ²	2,741.7	2,779.4	26.2	37.7	-37.5	46.1	1.4	-1.3	1.7
Public/private sector employees									
Public sector employees	3,636.6	3,608.7	21.1	-27.9	6.4	-0.4	-0.8	0.2	0.0
Private sector employees	11,676.8	11,666.3	36.6	-10.5	74.7	61.9	-0.1	0.6	0.5
Industry	18,055.2	18,054.5	29.5	-0.7	43.6	107.6	0.0	0.2	0.6
Goods-producing sector	3,851.3	3,805.1	17.0	-46.2	-81.5	-63.0	-1.2	-2.1	-1.6
Agriculture	293.1	290.8	5.6	-2.3	-6.6	2.3	-0.8	-2.2	0.8
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ³	318.6	317.0	5.5	-1.6	-34.9	-40.9	-0.5	-9.9	-11.4
Utilities	138.1	137.4	2.6	-0.7	5.1	-1.0	-0.5	3.9	-0.7
Construction	1,405.4	1,376.7	11.6	-28.7	7.3	6.8	-2.0	0.5	0.5
Manufacturing	1,696.1	1,683.2	10.8	-12.9	-52.4	-30.3	-0.8	-3.0	-1.8
Services-producing sector	14,203.9	14,249.4	28.0	45.5	125.2	170.6	0.3	0.9	1.2
Wholesale and retail trade	2,731.3	2,743.8	14.7	12.5	20.2	2.2	0.5	0.7	0.1
Transportation and warehousing	904.4	906.0	8.4	1.6	-3.5	-23.7	0.2	-0.4	-2.5
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	1,117.7	1,123.6	8.8	5.9	13.3	8.7	0.5	1.2	0.8
Professional, scientific and technical services	1,398.2	1,408.2	10.9	10.0	11.0	46.3	0.7	0.8	3.4
Business, building and other support services	775.5	771.5	10.4	-4.0	11.2	15.7	-0.5	1.5	2.1
Educational services	1,275.0	1,265.2	10.4	-9.8	-6.3	-17.3	-0.8	-0.5	-1.3
Health care and social assistance	2,318.7	2,324.2	11.5	5.5	-6.9	27.9	0.2	-0.3	1.2
Information, culture and recreation	771.7	785.8	10.0	14.1	34.5	43.8	1.8	4.6	5.9
Accommodation and food services	1,205.0	1,225.2	11.9	20.2	37.1	12.0	1.7	3.1	1.0
Other services (except public administration)	778.4	769.1	8.1	-9.3	7.3	23.2	-1.2	1.0	3.1
Public administration	928.1	926.8	7.1	-1.3	7.2	31.8	-0.1	0.8	3.6

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

2. 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.

3. Also referred to as Natural resources.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Tables 282-0088, 282-0089. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

Table 3
Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Newfoundland and Labrador									
Population	444.2	444.5	...	0.3	1.5	1.7	0.1	0.3	0.4
Labour force	270.4	269.4	2.0	-1.0	-2.7	-1.0	-0.4	-1.0	-0.4
Employment	238.8	237.0	2.1	-1.8	4.2	-0.2	-0.8	1.8	-0.1
Employment full-time	199.7	200.7	2.7	1.0	6.0	-3.5	0.5	3.1	-1.7
Employment part-time	39.0	36.4	2.1	-2.6	-1.7	3.5	-6.7	-4.5	10.6
Unemployment	31.6	32.4	2.1	0.8	-6.9	-0.8	2.5	-17.6	-2.4
Participation rate	60.9	60.6	0.5	-0.3	-0.8	-0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.7	12.0	0.7	0.3	-2.4	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	53.8	53.3	0.5	-0.5	0.7	-0.3	...	...	...
Prince Edward Island									
Population	121.7	121.8	...	0.1	0.6	0.9	0.1	0.5	0.7
Labour force	80.1	80.1	0.6	0.0	-0.5	-1.6	0.0	-0.6	-2.0
Employment	71.8	71.4	0.6	-0.4	-1.4	-1.5	-0.6	-1.9	-2.1
Employment full-time	60.4	59.5	0.9	-0.9	-1.2	-0.3	-1.5	-2.0	-0.5
Employment part-time	11.4	11.9	0.7	0.5	-0.2	-1.2	4.4	-1.7	-9.2
Unemployment	8.3	8.8	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.0	6.0	11.4	0.0
Participation rate	65.8	65.8	0.5	0.0	-0.7	-1.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.4	11.0	0.7	0.6	1.2	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.0	58.6	0.5	-0.4	-1.5	-1.7	...	...	...
Nova Scotia									
Population	788.1	788.4	...	0.3	1.4	3.2	0.0	0.2	0.4
Labour force	486.4	486.5	2.7	0.1	-1.6	1.1	0.0	-0.3	0.2
Employment	446.1	446.7	2.7	0.6	0.8	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0
Employment full-time	367.0	365.8	3.8	-1.2	-2.6	0.5	-0.3	-0.7	0.1
Employment part-time	79.1	80.9	3.3	1.8	3.4	-0.6	2.3	4.4	-0.7
Unemployment	40.3	39.8	2.5	-0.5	-2.4	1.3	-1.2	-5.7	3.4
Participation rate	61.7	61.7	0.3	0.0	-0.3	-0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.3	8.2	0.5	-0.1	-0.4	0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.6	56.7	0.3	0.1	0.0	-0.2	...	...	...
New Brunswick									
Population	623.5	623.4	...	-0.1	1.5	1.5	0.0	0.2	0.2
Labour force	386.7	389.5	2.2	2.8	2.2	-0.9	0.7	0.6	-0.2
Employment	348.4	349.6	2.3	1.2	-3.2	1.0	0.3	-0.9	0.3
Employment full-time	295.7	296.4	3.0	0.7	-4.9	2.3	0.2	-1.6	0.8
Employment part-time	52.7	53.1	2.6	0.4	1.6	-1.4	0.8	3.1	-2.6
Unemployment	38.3	40.0	2.1	1.7	5.5	-1.8	4.4	15.9	-4.3
Participation rate	62.0	62.5	0.4	0.5	0.2	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.9	10.3	0.5	0.4	1.4	-0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	55.9	56.1	0.4	0.2	-0.6	0.0	...	...	...
Quebec									
Population	6,881.7	6,886.1	...	4.4	23.9	44.6	0.1	0.3	0.7
Labour force	4,435.4	4,418.5	15.6	-16.9	-41.3	-13.3	-0.4	-0.9	-0.3
Employment	4,122.0	4,110.8	15.9	-11.2	1.2	33.3	-0.3	0.0	0.8
Employment full-time	3,364.9	3,337.5	22.5	-27.4	27.0	42.6	-0.8	0.8	1.3
Employment part-time	757.1	773.3	20.9	16.2	-25.8	-9.3	2.1	-3.2	-1.2
Unemployment	313.3	307.7	13.7	-5.6	-42.5	-46.6	-1.8	-12.1	-13.2
Participation rate	64.5	64.2	0.2	-0.3	-0.8	-0.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.1	7.0	0.3	-0.1	-0.9	-1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.9	59.7	0.2	-0.2	-0.2	0.1	...	...	...
Ontario									
Population	11,502.3	11,515.2	...	12.9	70.7	137.1	0.1	0.6	1.2
Labour force	7,500.5	7,480.4	19.8	-20.1	14.2	57.8	-0.3	0.2	0.8
Employment	7,006.9	7,002.7	19.3	-4.2	36.6	62.6	-0.1	0.5	0.9
Employment full-time	5,693.6	5,682.5	28.0	-11.1	-1.5	43.4	-0.2	0.0	0.8
Employment part-time	1,313.3	1,320.2	26.2	6.9	38.2	19.1	0.5	3.0	1.5
Unemployment	493.6	477.8	17.0	-15.8	-22.3	-4.7	-3.2	-4.5	-1.0
Participation rate	65.2	65.0	0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.6	6.4	0.2	-0.2	-0.3	-0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.9	60.8	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	...	...	...

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 3 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Manitoba									
Population	997.5	998.5	...	1.0	6.6	12.1	0.1	0.7	1.2
Labour force	675.7	677.5	2.5	1.8	3.3	5.7	0.3	0.5	0.8
Employment	636.1	636.1	2.6	0.0	2.1	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0
Employment full-time	518.1	511.3	3.8	-6.8	4.8	-0.1	-1.3	0.9	0.0
Employment part-time	118.0	124.8	3.6	6.8	-2.8	0.4	5.8	-2.2	0.3
Unemployment	39.6	41.3	2.1	1.7	1.2	5.3	4.3	3.0	14.7
Participation rate	67.7	67.9	0.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.9	6.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	63.8	63.7	0.3	-0.1	-0.2	-0.8	...	...	...
Saskatchewan									
Population	867.7	868.3	...	0.6	3.3	7.2	0.1	0.4	0.8
Labour force	605.0	607.0	2.6	2.0	-1.6	2.1	0.3	-0.3	0.3
Employment	568.9	569.9	2.7	1.0	-5.2	-6.2	0.2	-0.9	-1.1
Employment full-time	468.9	464.7	3.8	-4.2	-14.2	-9.0	-0.9	-3.0	-1.9
Employment part-time	100.0	105.2	3.5	5.2	9.0	2.8	5.2	9.4	2.7
Unemployment	36.1	37.1	2.1	1.0	3.5	8.3	2.8	10.4	28.8
Participation rate	69.7	69.9	0.3	0.2	-0.5	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.0	6.1	0.3	0.1	0.6	1.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.6	65.6	0.3	0.0	-0.9	-1.3	...	...	...
Alberta									
Population	3,396.4	3,399.1	...	2.7	20.1	45.1	0.1	0.6	1.3
Labour force	2,443.0	2,441.4	9.8	-1.6	-15.7	-1.4	-0.1	-0.6	-0.1
Employment	2,251.5	2,249.6	9.8	-1.9	-36.5	-51.6	-0.1	-1.6	-2.2
Employment full-time	1,832.5	1,825.4	14.1	-7.1	-55.5	-91.2	-0.4	-3.0	-4.8
Employment part-time	419.1	424.2	13.1	5.1	19.0	39.6	1.2	4.7	10.3
Unemployment	191.4	191.8	8.1	0.4	20.8	50.3	0.2	12.2	35.5
Participation rate	71.9	71.8	0.3	-0.1	-0.9	-1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.8	7.9	0.3	0.1	0.9	2.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	66.3	66.2	0.3	-0.1	-1.5	-2.4	...	...	...
British Columbia									
Population	3,923.6	3,928.9	...	5.3	25.7	54.5	0.1	0.7	1.4
Labour force	2,518.5	2,530.3	10.5	11.8	27.1	75.4	0.5	1.1	3.1
Employment	2,364.6	2,380.6	10.6	16.0	44.9	70.0	0.7	1.9	3.0
Employment full-time	1,864.2	1,881.1	15.6	16.9	49.2	46.3	0.9	2.7	2.5
Employment part-time	500.4	499.5	14.8	-0.9	-4.3	23.7	-0.2	-0.9	5.0
Unemployment	153.9	149.7	8.5	-4.2	-17.8	5.4	-2.7	-10.6	3.7
Participation rate	64.2	64.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.1	5.9	0.3	-0.2	-0.8	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.3	60.6	0.3	0.3	0.8	1.0	...	...	...

1. 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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	444.2	444.5	...	0.3	1.5	1.7	0.1	0.3	0.4
Labour force	270.4	269.4	2.0	-1.0	-2.7	-1.0	-0.4	-1.0	-0.4
Employment	238.8	237.0	2.1	-1.8	4.2	-0.2	-0.8	1.8	-0.1
Employment full-time	199.7	200.7	2.7	1.0	6.0	-3.5	0.5	3.1	-1.7
Unemployment	31.6	32.4	2.1	0.8	-6.9	-0.8	2.5	-17.6	-2.4
Participation rate	60.9	60.6	0.5	-0.3	-0.8	-0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.7	12.0	0.7	0.3	-2.4	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	53.8	53.3	0.5	-0.5	0.7	-0.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	16.3	15.4	0.9	-1.0	-1.0	1.5	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	55.5	55.5	...	0.0	-0.2	-0.7	0.0	-0.4	-1.2
Labour force	34.2	34.6	1.0	0.4	-2.9	-1.6	1.2	-7.7	-4.4
Employment	30.4	30.7	1.0	0.3	-0.5	0.9	1.0	-1.6	3.0
Unemployment	3.9	3.9	0.9	0.0	-2.4	-2.5	0.0	-38.1	-39.1
Participation rate	61.6	62.3	1.7	0.7	-5.0	-2.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.4	11.3	2.3	-0.1	-5.5	-6.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	54.8	55.3	1.7	0.5	-0.7	2.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	46.1	40.7	3.8	-5.3	-8.0	2.1	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	189.4	189.6	...	0.2	0.8	1.2	0.1	0.4	0.6
Labour force	124.0	123.1	1.3	-0.9	-0.7	0.3	-0.7	-0.6	0.2
Employment	106.6	105.3	1.4	-1.3	2.9	-1.1	-1.2	2.8	-1.0
Unemployment	17.4	17.8	1.4	0.4	-3.6	1.3	2.3	-16.8	7.9
Participation rate	65.5	64.9	0.7	-0.6	-0.7	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	14.0	14.5	1.1	0.5	-2.8	1.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.3	55.5	0.7	-0.8	1.3	-1.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	6.1	5.9	0.9	-0.2	2.7	0.6	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	199.2	199.4	...	0.2	0.8	1.2	0.1	0.4	0.6
Labour force	112.1	111.7	1.1	-0.4	0.9	0.3	-0.4	0.8	0.3
Employment	101.8	101.1	1.2	-0.7	1.9	0.1	-0.7	1.9	0.1
Unemployment	10.4	10.6	1.1	0.2	-1.0	0.2	1.9	-8.6	1.9
Participation rate	56.3	56.0	0.6	-0.3	0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.3	9.5	1.0	0.2	-1.0	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	51.1	50.7	0.6	-0.4	0.8	-0.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.2	17.4	1.5	-0.8	-2.3	1.9	...	...	...
Industry									
Industry	238.8	237.0	2.1	-1.8	4.2	-0.2	-0.8	1.8	-0.1
Goods-producing sector									
Goods-producing sector	53.8	52.2	1.5	-1.6	0.5	-2.9	-3.0	1.0	-5.3
Agriculture	1.3	1.4	0.3	0.1	0.2	-0.1	7.7	16.7	-6.7
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	15.9	14.5	0.8	-1.4	-0.8	-1.8	-8.8	-5.2	-11.0
Utilities	3.1	3.1	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.4	0.0	34.8	14.8
Construction	22.7	23.2	1.1	0.5	1.3	0.2	2.2	5.9	0.9
Manufacturing	10.9	10.0	0.8	-0.9	-1.0	-1.6	-8.3	-9.1	-13.8
Services-producing sector									
Services-producing sector	184.9	184.8	1.8	-0.1	3.7	2.7	-0.1	2.0	1.5
Wholesale and retail trade	42.8	44.0	0.9	1.2	0.8	2.6	2.8	1.9	6.3
Transportation and warehousing	10.4	10.2	0.6	-0.2	1.1	-0.2	-1.9	12.1	-1.9
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	8.2	8.0	0.4	-0.2	-0.8	0.0	-2.4	-9.1	0.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	10.1	10.2	0.5	0.1	-1.1	-1.9	1.0	-9.7	-15.7
Business, building and other support services	7.2	7.0	0.5	-0.2	-1.3	1.1	-2.8	-15.7	18.6
Educational services	14.2	14.3	0.7	0.1	-0.6	-1.1	0.7	-4.0	-7.1
Health care and social assistance	39.1	39.2	0.8	0.1	0.3	2.9	0.3	0.8	8.0
Information, culture and recreation	7.3	6.8	0.6	-0.5	0.9	-1.1	-6.8	15.3	-13.9
Accommodation and food services	17.2	17.3	0.8	0.1	3.1	1.1	0.6	21.8	6.8
Other services (except public administration)	12.9	12.1	0.6	-0.8	-0.3	-0.9	-6.2	-2.4	-6.9
Public administration	15.6	15.9	0.6	0.3	1.7	0.3	1.9	12.0	1.9

1. 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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	121.7	121.8	...	0.1	0.6	0.9	0.1	0.5	0.7
Labour force	80.1	80.1	0.6	0.0	-0.5	-1.6	0.0	-0.6	-2.0
Employment	71.8	71.4	0.6	-0.4	-1.4	-1.5	-0.6	-1.9	-2.1
Employment full-time	60.4	59.5	0.9	-0.9	-1.2	-0.3	-1.5	-2.0	-0.5
Unemployment	8.3	8.8	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.0	6.0	11.4	0.0
Participation rate	65.8	65.8	0.5	0.0	-0.7	-1.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.4	11.0	0.7	0.6	1.2	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.0	58.6	0.5	-0.4	-1.5	-1.7	...	...	...
Part-time rate	15.9	16.7	1.0	0.8	0.0	-1.3	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	17.9	17.9	...	0.0	-0.2	-0.4	0.0	-1.1	-2.2
Labour force	12.4	12.5	0.3	0.1	-0.3	-0.3	0.8	-2.3	-2.3
Employment	10.5	10.6	0.3	0.1	-0.5	0.1	1.0	-4.5	1.0
Unemployment	1.9	2.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	-0.3	5.3	11.1	-13.0
Participation rate	69.3	69.8	1.8	0.5	-0.9	-0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	15.3	16.0	2.2	0.7	1.9	-2.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.7	59.2	1.8	0.5	-2.1	1.8	...	...	...
Part-time rate	40.0	39.6	3.6	-0.4	-2.7	-7.0	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	49.7	49.8	...	0.1	0.4	0.7	0.2	0.8	1.4
Labour force	34.8	34.9	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.0
Employment	30.8	30.8	0.4	0.0	-0.6	-0.7	0.0	-1.9	-2.2
Unemployment	4.0	4.1	0.4	0.1	0.8	0.7	2.5	24.2	20.6
Participation rate	70.0	70.1	0.7	0.1	-0.1	-1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.5	11.7	1.0	0.2	2.2	2.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.0	61.8	0.8	-0.2	-1.8	-2.4	...	...	...
Part-time rate	7.1	7.8	1.1	0.6	0.1	-0.5	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	54.0	54.1	...	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.7	1.1
Labour force	32.9	32.7	0.3	-0.2	-0.4	-1.3	-0.6	-1.2	-3.8
Employment	30.5	30.0	0.4	-0.5	-0.3	-1.0	-1.6	-1.0	-3.2
Unemployment	2.5	2.7	0.4	0.2	-0.1	-0.3	8.0	-3.6	-10.0
Participation rate	60.9	60.4	0.6	-0.5	-1.2	-3.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.6	8.3	1.0	0.7	-0.2	-0.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.5	55.5	0.7	-1.0	-0.9	-2.4	...	...	...
Part-time rate	16.7	17.7	1.6	0.9	1.2	-0.4	...	...	...
Industry									
Industry	71.8	71.4	0.6	-0.4	-1.4	-1.5	-0.6	-1.9	-2.1
Goods-producing sector									
Goods-producing sector	16.7	16.8	0.5	0.1	0.0	-0.8	0.6	0.0	-4.5
Agriculture	2.9	2.9	0.3	0.0	-0.1	-0.9	0.0	-3.3	-23.7
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	2.8	2.8	0.2	0.0	0.4	0.5	0.0	16.7	21.7
Utilities	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	-25.0
Construction	4.5	4.7	0.3	0.2	-0.2	-0.5	4.4	-4.1	-9.6
Manufacturing	6.3	6.0	0.2	-0.3	-0.1	0.1	-4.8	-1.6	1.7
Services-producing sector									
Services-producing sector	55.1	54.6	0.6	-0.5	-1.4	-0.8	-0.9	-2.5	-1.4
Wholesale and retail trade	10.1	9.8	0.3	-0.3	-1.0	-1.0	-3.0	-9.3	-9.3
Transportation and warehousing	2.4	2.2	0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.4	-8.3	-8.3	-15.4
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	2.7	2.6	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-3.7	-3.7	0.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	3.6	4.0	0.1	0.4	0.7	1.1	11.1	21.2	37.9
Business, building and other support services	2.4	2.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.2	0.0	-4.2	-8.0	0.0
Educational services	5.0	4.4	0.2	-0.6	-1.1	-0.8	-12.0	-20.0	-15.4
Health care and social assistance	10.0	10.8	0.2	0.8	1.2	1.1	8.0	12.5	11.3
Information, culture and recreation	2.5	2.6	0.2	0.1	0.4	-0.1	4.0	18.2	-3.7
Accommodation and food services	6.4	6.1	0.3	-0.3	-0.6	0.3	-4.7	-9.0	5.2
Other services (except public administration)	3.0	3.1	0.2	0.1	-0.3	-0.1	3.3	-8.8	-3.1
Public administration	6.9	6.8	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.7	-1.4	-1.4	-9.3

1. 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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	788.1	788.4	...	0.3	1.4	3.2	0.0	0.2	0.4
Labour force	486.4	486.5	2.7	0.1	-1.6	1.1	0.0	-0.3	0.2
Employment	446.1	446.7	2.7	0.6	0.8	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0
Employment full-time	367.0	365.8	3.8	-1.2	-2.6	0.5	-0.3	-0.7	0.1
Unemployment	40.3	39.8	2.5	-0.5	-2.4	1.3	-1.2	-5.7	3.4
Participation rate	61.7	61.7	0.3	0.0	-0.3	-0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.3	8.2	0.5	-0.1	-0.4	0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.6	56.7	0.3	0.1	0.0	-0.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	17.7	18.1	0.7	0.4	0.7	-0.1	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	110.0	109.9	...	-0.1	-0.7	-1.7	-0.1	-0.6	-1.5
Labour force	71.1	73.0	1.5	1.9	2.2	1.6	2.7	3.1	2.2
Employment	59.6	62.0	1.4	2.4	2.0	0.9	4.0	3.3	1.5
Unemployment	11.6	11.0	1.4	-0.6	0.1	0.7	-5.2	0.9	6.8
Participation rate	64.6	66.4	1.4	1.8	2.4	2.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	16.3	15.1	1.7	-1.2	-0.3	0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	54.2	56.4	1.3	2.2	2.2	1.7	...	...	...
Part-time rate	44.0	44.0	2.8	0.1	0.5	-0.5	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	324.7	324.8	...	0.1	0.9	2.3	0.0	0.3	0.7
Labour force	210.6	210.4	1.5	-0.2	-1.4	-0.9	-0.1	-0.7	-0.4
Employment	193.6	192.3	1.7	-1.3	-1.0	-2.0	-0.7	-0.5	-1.0
Unemployment	17.0	18.1	1.6	1.1	-0.4	1.1	6.5	-2.2	6.5
Participation rate	64.9	64.8	0.5	-0.1	-0.6	-0.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.1	8.6	0.7	0.5	-0.1	0.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.6	59.2	0.5	-0.4	-0.5	-1.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	7.4	8.0	0.8	0.6	0.6	-0.2	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	353.4	353.6	...	0.2	1.1	2.5	0.1	0.3	0.7
Labour force	204.7	203.1	1.5	-1.6	-2.4	0.4	-0.8	-1.2	0.2
Employment	192.9	192.4	1.5	-0.5	-0.2	0.9	-0.3	-0.1	0.5
Unemployment	11.8	10.7	1.2	-1.1	-2.2	-0.5	-9.3	-17.1	-4.5
Participation rate	57.9	57.4	0.4	-0.5	-0.9	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.8	5.3	0.6	-0.5	-1.0	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	54.6	54.4	0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.1	...	...	...
Part-time rate	20.0	19.9	1.1	-0.1	0.6	-0.2	...	...	...
Industry									
Industry	446.1	446.7	2.7	0.6	0.8	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0
Goods-producing sector									
Goods-producing sector	82.1	79.5	1.7	-2.6	-5.3	-6.0	-3.2	-6.2	-7.0
Agriculture	4.2	4.1	0.6	-0.1	-1.9	-1.1	-2.4	-31.7	-21.2
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	11.6	10.4	0.9	-1.2	-0.4	-2.3	-10.3	-3.7	-18.1
Utilities	3.3	3.5	0.2	0.2	-0.3	-0.2	6.1	-7.9	-5.4
Construction	33.6	32.5	1.2	-1.1	-1.0	-3.0	-3.3	-3.0	-8.5
Manufacturing	29.3	29.0	0.8	-0.3	-1.8	0.6	-1.0	-5.8	2.1
Services-producing sector									
Services-producing sector	364.0	367.1	2.6	3.1	6.1	5.8	0.9	1.7	1.6
Wholesale and retail trade	69.8	72.8	1.4	3.0	1.6	1.8	4.3	2.2	2.5
Transportation and warehousing	20.7	20.2	0.8	-0.5	-0.3	1.4	-2.4	-1.5	7.4
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	23.1	23.3	0.6	0.2	-1.3	-0.8	0.9	-5.3	-3.3
Professional, scientific and technical services	28.2	27.3	0.8	-0.9	1.4	-2.4	-3.2	5.4	-8.1
Business, building and other support services	19.1	19.4	0.8	0.3	1.5	-0.5	1.6	8.4	-2.5
Educational services	34.7	36.6	1.1	1.9	0.0	-1.1	5.5	0.0	-2.9
Health care and social assistance	74.8	74.2	1.0	-0.6	2.1	4.1	-0.8	2.9	5.8
Information, culture and recreation	16.7	16.9	0.8	0.2	0.8	0.2	1.2	5.0	1.2
Accommodation and food services	30.2	29.8	1.1	-0.4	-0.2	-1.0	-1.3	-0.7	-3.2
Other services (except public administration)	19.0	19.0	0.8	0.0	0.3	3.5	0.0	1.6	22.6
Public administration	27.7	27.6	0.7	-0.1	0.0	0.7	-0.4	0.0	2.6

1. 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.

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	623.5	623.4	...	-0.1	1.5	1.5	0.0	0.2	0.2
Labour force	386.7	389.5	2.2	2.8	2.2	-0.9	0.7	0.6	-0.2
Employment	348.4	349.6	2.3	1.2	-3.2	1.0	0.3	-0.9	0.3
Employment full-time	295.7	296.4	3.0	0.7	-4.9	2.3	0.2	-1.6	0.8
Unemployment	38.3	40.0	2.1	1.7	5.5	-1.8	4.4	15.9	-4.3
Participation rate	62.0	62.5	0.4	0.5	0.2	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.9	10.3	0.5	0.4	1.4	-0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	55.9	56.1	0.4	0.2	-0.6	0.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	15.1	15.2	0.7	0.1	0.6	-0.4	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	83.4	83.2	...	-0.2	-0.4	-1.5	-0.2	-0.5	-1.8
Labour force	51.5	52.6	1.2	1.1	0.8	-0.3	2.1	1.5	-0.6
Employment	41.1	43.4	1.1	2.3	0.5	2.1	5.6	1.2	5.1
Unemployment	10.4	9.1	1.2	-1.3	0.2	-2.5	-12.5	2.2	-21.6
Participation rate	61.8	63.2	1.4	1.4	1.2	0.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	20.2	17.3	2.0	-2.9	0.1	-4.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	49.3	52.2	1.3	2.9	0.9	3.4	...	...	...
Part-time rate	41.1	38.2	3.0	-2.9	-6.0	-4.1	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	261.6	261.6	...	0.0	1.0	1.4	0.0	0.4	0.5
Labour force	174.1	175.0	1.2	0.9	2.1	1.5	0.5	1.2	0.9
Employment	155.4	154.1	1.5	-1.3	-2.6	-0.4	-0.8	-1.7	-0.3
Unemployment	18.7	20.9	1.4	2.2	4.7	1.9	11.8	29.0	10.0
Participation rate	66.6	66.9	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.7	11.9	0.8	1.2	2.5	0.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.4	58.9	0.6	-0.5	-1.2	-0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	6.4	6.7	0.8	0.2	0.7	-0.5	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	278.5	278.6	...	0.1	1.0	1.5	0.0	0.4	0.5
Labour force	161.1	162.0	1.2	0.9	-0.6	-2.0	0.6	-0.4	-1.2
Employment	151.9	152.0	1.2	0.1	-1.2	-0.8	0.1	-0.8	-0.5
Unemployment	9.2	9.9	1.1	0.7	0.5	-1.3	7.6	5.3	-11.6
Participation rate	57.8	58.1	0.4	0.3	-0.5	-1.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.7	6.1	0.7	0.4	0.3	-0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	54.5	54.6	0.4	0.1	-0.6	-0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	17.0	17.2	1.1	0.3	2.1	0.3	...	...	...
Industry									
	348.4	349.6	2.3	1.2	-3.2	1.0	0.3	-0.9	0.3
Goods-producing sector									
Agriculture	73.7	71.7	1.5	-2.0	-4.1	0.6	-2.7	-5.4	0.8
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	5.3	5.2	0.5	-0.1	0.8	1.3	-1.9	18.2	33.3
Utilities	9.7	9.5	0.8	-0.2	-1.7	-1.2	-2.1	-15.2	-11.2
Construction	3.7	3.5	0.2	-0.2	-0.2	0.1	-5.4	-5.4	2.9
Manufacturing	24.9	23.5	1.0	-1.4	-3.1	0.3	-5.6	-11.7	1.3
	30.1	29.9	0.9	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	-0.7	-0.3	0.0
Services-producing sector									
Wholesale and retail trade	274.7	277.9	2.1	3.2	0.9	0.4	1.2	0.3	0.1
Transportation and warehousing	54.5	56.5	1.1	2.0	1.7	2.4	3.7	3.1	4.4
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	20.7	19.3	0.6	-1.4	-1.2	0.4	-6.8	-5.9	2.1
Professional, scientific and technical services	16.1	16.8	0.5	0.7	1.4	2.1	4.3	9.1	14.3
Business, building and other support services	15.6	14.9	0.6	-0.7	0.3	-1.6	-4.5	2.1	-9.7
Educational services	16.3	17.6	0.8	1.3	-0.2	-1.6	8.0	-1.1	-8.3
Health care and social assistance	24.7	25.0	0.8	0.3	-1.1	-3.6	1.2	-4.2	-12.6
Information, culture and recreation	53.1	53.9	0.9	0.8	1.2	2.5	1.5	2.3	4.9
Accommodation and food services	13.7	12.9	0.7	-0.8	1.1	1.2	-5.8	9.3	10.3
Other services (except public administration)	21.5	21.7	0.9	0.2	-2.3	-2.7	0.9	-9.6	-11.1
Public administration	15.7	15.5	0.6	-0.2	0.5	0.3	-1.3	3.3	2.0
	22.9	23.7	0.6	0.8	-0.6	0.9	3.5	-2.5	3.9

1. 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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	6 881.7	6 886.1	...	4.4	23.9	44.6	0.1	0.3	0.7
Labour force	4 435.4	4 418.5	15.6	-16.9	-41.3	-13.3	-0.4	-0.9	-0.3
Employment	4 122.0	4 110.8	15.9	-11.2	1.2	33.3	-0.3	0.0	0.8
Employment full-time	3 364.9	3 337.5	22.5	-27.4	27.0	42.6	-0.8	0.8	1.3
Unemployment	313.3	307.7	13.7	-5.6	-42.5	-46.6	-1.8	-12.1	-13.2
Participation rate	64.5	64.2	0.2	-0.3	-0.8	-0.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.1	7.0	0.3	-0.1	-0.9	-1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.9	59.7	0.2	-0.2	-0.2	0.1	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.4	18.8	0.5	0.4	-0.6	-0.4	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	938.6	937.0	...	-1.6	-11.6	-22.9	-0.2	-1.2	-2.4
Labour force	626.5	629.4	8.7	2.9	-16.5	-12.6	0.5	-2.6	-2.0
Employment	537.6	549.6	8.5	12.0	-12.7	-9.0	2.2	-2.3	-1.6
Unemployment	88.9	79.8	7.8	-9.1	-3.7	-3.6	-10.2	-4.4	-4.3
Participation rate	66.7	67.2	0.9	0.5	-0.9	0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	14.2	12.7	1.1	-1.5	-0.2	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	57.3	58.7	0.9	1.4	-0.6	0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	52.4	55.1	1.8	2.7	1.9	2.2	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	2 931.1	2 934.1	...	3.0	17.3	33.0	0.1	0.6	1.1
Labour force	2 020.5	2 014.0	8.6	-6.5	-25.0	-2.8	-0.3	-1.2	-0.1
Employment	1 882.2	1 877.5	9.5	-4.7	-6.8	22.1	-0.2	-0.4	1.2
Unemployment	138.2	136.5	8.6	-1.7	-18.3	-24.9	-1.2	-11.8	-15.4
Participation rate	68.9	68.6	0.3	-0.3	-1.3	-0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.8	6.8	0.4	0.0	-0.8	-1.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.2	64.0	0.3	-0.2	-0.6	0.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	8.5	8.2	0.6	-0.3	-0.6	0.3	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	3 012.0	3 015.1	...	3.1	18.3	34.5	0.1	0.6	1.2
Labour force	1 788.4	1 775.2	8.7	-13.2	0.2	2.2	-0.7	0.0	0.1
Employment	1 702.2	1 683.8	8.6	-18.4	20.8	20.4	-1.1	1.3	1.2
Unemployment	86.2	91.4	7.4	5.2	-20.5	-18.1	6.0	-18.3	-16.5
Participation rate	59.4	58.9	0.3	-0.5	-0.3	-0.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.8	5.1	0.4	0.3	-1.2	-1.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.5	55.8	0.3	-0.7	0.3	0.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.5	18.8	0.8	0.3	-1.3	-1.7	...	...	...
Industry	4 122.0	4 110.8	15.9	-11.2	1.2	33.3	-0.3	0.0	0.8
Goods-producing sector									
Agriculture	850.6	841.4	8.9	-9.2	3.2	4.7	-1.1	0.4	0.6
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	61.0	58.1	2.4	-2.9	-3.2	7.7	-4.8	-5.2	15.3
Utilities	28.0	29.6	1.9	1.6	-2.7	-2.3	5.7	-8.4	-7.2
Construction	28.3	28.9	1.4	0.6	2.4	0.9	2.1	9.1	3.2
Manufacturing	234.9	231.9	6.0	-3.0	4.5	-5.4	-1.3	2.0	-2.3
Services-producing sector	498.5	492.9	6.0	-5.6	2.2	3.8	-1.1	0.4	0.8
Services-producing sector									
Wholesale and retail trade	3 271.4	3 269.4	14.7	-2.0	-2.0	28.6	-0.1	-0.1	0.9
Transportation and warehousing	649.6	653.9	7.6	4.3	1.1	-7.2	0.7	0.2	-1.1
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	191.1	196.7	4.2	5.6	-0.1	-1.7	2.9	-0.1	-0.9
Professional, scientific and technical services	209.4	212.9	4.1	3.5	2.8	-3.4	1.7	1.3	-1.6
Business, building and other support services	318.5	316.8	5.5	-1.7	-7.1	-1.5	-0.5	-2.2	-0.5
Educational services	190.7	183.7	5.1	-7.0	7.0	18.2	-3.7	4.0	11.0
Health care and social assistance	278.8	267.7	5.2	-11.1	-4.7	-15.5	-4.0	-1.7	-5.5
Information, culture and recreation	583.0	573.4	6.3	-9.6	-10.0	-2.5	-1.6	-1.7	-0.4
Accommodation and food services	171.5	177.6	5.5	6.1	5.6	11.4	3.6	3.3	6.9
Other services (except public administration)	277.4	288.6	6.2	11.2	7.7	15.1	4.0	2.7	5.5
Public administration	165.7	163.7	4.4	-2.0	3.0	6.3	-1.2	1.9	4.0
	235.6	234.3	4.0	-1.3	-7.4	9.2	-0.6	-3.1	4.1

1. 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.

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	11,502.3	11,515.2	...	12.9	70.7	137.1	0.1	0.6	1.2
Labour force	7,500.5	7,480.4	19.8	-20.1	14.2	57.8	-0.3	0.2	0.8
Employment	7,006.9	7,002.7	19.3	-4.2	36.6	62.6	-0.1	0.5	0.9
Employment full-time	5,693.6	5,682.5	28.0	-11.1	-1.5	43.4	-0.2	0.0	0.8
Unemployment	493.6	477.8	17.0	-15.8	-22.3	-4.7	-3.2	-4.5	-1.0
Participation rate	65.2	65.0	0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.6	6.4	0.2	-0.2	-0.3	-0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.9	60.8	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.7	18.9	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.1	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	1,785.6	1,785.2	...	-0.4	-5.9	-12.2	0.0	-0.3	-0.7
Labour force	1,080.1	1,073.7	12.4	-6.4	5.3	-22.3	-0.6	0.5	-2.0
Employment	933.0	927.6	11.2	-5.4	5.8	-11.3	-0.6	0.6	-1.2
Unemployment	147.1	146.2	10.4	-0.9	-0.4	-11.0	-0.6	-0.3	-7.0
Participation rate	60.5	60.1	0.7	-0.4	0.4	-0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	13.6	13.6	0.9	0.0	-0.1	-0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	52.3	52.0	0.6	-0.3	0.5	-0.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	49.6	50.6	1.4	0.9	2.3	0.4	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	4,688.2	4,694.8	...	6.6	38.4	74.5	0.1	0.8	1.6
Labour force	3,346.9	3,333.0	10.3	-13.9	-23.7	-1.1	-0.4	-0.7	0.0
Employment	3,165.0	3,160.5	10.5	-4.5	-4.7	-2.8	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Unemployment	181.9	172.6	9.3	-9.3	-18.9	1.8	-5.1	-9.9	1.1
Participation rate	71.4	71.0	0.2	-0.4	-1.1	-1.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.4	5.2	0.3	-0.2	-0.5	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	67.5	67.3	0.2	-0.2	-0.7	-1.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	8.2	8.3	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.3	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	5,028.5	5,035.1	...	6.6	38.2	74.7	0.1	0.8	1.5
Labour force	3,073.6	3,073.7	11.2	0.1	32.6	81.2	0.0	1.1	2.7
Employment	2,909.0	2,914.7	11.1	5.7	35.6	76.8	0.2	1.2	2.7
Unemployment	164.6	159.1	8.9	-5.5	-2.9	4.6	-3.3	-1.8	3.0
Participation rate	61.1	61.0	0.2	-0.1	0.1	0.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.4	5.2	0.3	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	57.9	57.9	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.7	...	...	...
Part-time rate	20.4	20.1	0.6	-0.2	-0.5	-0.1	...	...	...
Industry	7,006.9	7,002.7	19.3	-4.2	36.6	62.6	-0.1	0.5	0.9
Goods-producing sector	1,426.2	1,407.6	10.4	-18.6	-10.7	-3.4	-1.3	-0.8	-0.2
Agriculture	79.1	78.3	2.8	-0.8	1.9	1.7	-1.0	2.5	2.2
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	34.5	34.6	2.1	0.1	-8.9	-11.9	0.3	-20.5	-25.6
Utilities	48.7	47.6	1.4	-1.1	2.0	-4.1	-2.3	4.4	-7.9
Construction	510.5	502.7	7.0	-7.8	6.7	12.0	-1.5	1.4	2.4
Manufacturing	753.4	744.4	7.3	-9.0	-12.5	-1.2	-1.2	-1.7	-0.2
Services-producing sector	5,580.8	5,595.1	18.6	14.3	47.4	65.9	0.3	0.9	1.2
Wholesale and retail trade	1,027.1	1,037.7	9.5	10.6	4.9	-17.6	1.0	0.5	-1.7
Transportation and warehousing	329.5	323.6	5.2	-5.9	-1.9	5.9	-1.8	-0.6	1.9
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	557.3	557.4	6.4	0.1	0.0	3.1	0.0	0.0	0.6
Professional, scientific and technical services	593.8	601.1	7.4	7.3	5.0	22.1	1.2	0.8	3.8
Business, building and other support services	324.0	323.1	7.4	-0.9	-2.8	-9.5	-0.3	-0.9	-2.9
Educational services	507.3	505.0	7.0	-2.3	-2.4	-8.3	-0.5	-0.5	-1.6
Health care and social assistance	830.1	836.8	7.3	6.7	7.7	22.4	0.8	0.9	2.8
Information, culture and recreation	311.6	325.5	6.5	13.9	26.3	18.2	4.5	8.8	5.9
Accommodation and food services	462.0	454.5	7.6	-7.5	10.2	10.7	-1.6	2.3	2.4
Other services (except public administration)	278.5	278.5	5.0	0.0	-1.9	9.8	0.0	-0.7	3.6
Public administration	359.5	351.9	4.6	-7.6	2.4	8.9	-2.1	0.7	2.6

1. 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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	997.5	998.5	...	1.0	6.6	12.1	0.1	0.7	1.2
Labour force	675.7	677.5	2.5	1.8	3.3	5.7	0.3	0.5	0.8
Employment	636.1	636.1	2.6	0.0	2.1	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0
Employment full-time	518.1	511.3	3.8	-6.8	4.8	-0.1	-1.3	0.9	0.0
Unemployment	39.6	41.3	2.1	1.7	1.2	5.3	4.3	3.0	14.7
Participation rate	67.7	67.9	0.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.9	6.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	63.8	63.7	0.3	-0.1	-0.2	-0.8	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.6	19.6	0.5	1.1	-0.5	0.1	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	163.1	163.0	...	-0.1	0.1	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.1
Labour force	107.9	109.8	1.5	1.9	2.9	2.8	1.8	2.7	2.6
Employment	94.2	94.9	1.4	0.7	1.6	0.1	0.7	1.7	0.1
Unemployment	13.7	14.9	1.3	1.2	1.3	2.6	8.8	9.6	21.1
Participation rate	66.2	67.4	1.0	1.2	1.8	1.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	12.7	13.6	1.2	0.9	0.9	2.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	57.8	58.2	0.9	0.4	0.9	0.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	44.8	46.7	1.9	1.9	0.2	3.3	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	409.0	409.5	...	0.5	3.0	5.8	0.1	0.7	1.4
Labour force	304.6	304.2	1.3	-0.4	3.6	3.6	-0.1	1.2	1.2
Employment	289.4	289.3	1.4	-0.1	2.6	0.8	0.0	0.9	0.3
Unemployment	15.2	14.9	1.2	-0.3	1.0	2.7	-2.0	7.2	22.1
Participation rate	74.5	74.3	0.3	-0.2	0.4	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.0	4.9	0.4	-0.1	0.3	0.8	...	...	...
Employment rate	70.8	70.6	0.3	-0.2	0.1	-0.9	...	...	...
Part-time rate	7.7	8.6	0.6	0.9	0.9	0.6	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	425.4	426.0	...	0.6	3.4	6.2	0.1	0.8	1.5
Labour force	263.2	263.4	1.5	0.2	-3.3	-0.8	0.1	-1.2	-0.3
Employment	252.5	251.9	1.5	-0.6	-2.1	-0.7	-0.2	-0.8	-0.3
Unemployment	10.6	11.5	1.1	0.9	-1.2	-0.1	8.5	-9.4	-0.9
Participation rate	61.9	61.8	0.4	-0.1	-1.3	-1.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.0	4.4	0.4	0.4	-0.4	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.4	59.1	0.4	-0.3	-1.0	-1.1	...	...	...
Part-time rate	21.1	22.1	0.9	0.9	-2.4	-1.8	...	...	...
Industry									
Industry	636.1	636.1	2.6	0.0	2.1	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0
Goods-producing sector									
Goods-producing sector	150.0	149.7	1.6	-0.3	-0.3	3.8	-0.2	-0.2	2.6
Agriculture	23.6	23.3	0.9	-0.3	-1.3	1.4	-1.3	-5.3	6.4
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	6.6	6.2	0.4	-0.4	0.0	1.3	-6.1	0.0	26.5
Utilities	10.0	9.8	0.3	-0.2	1.1	1.4	-2.0	12.6	16.7
Construction	49.0	48.9	1.0	-0.1	2.7	3.2	-0.2	5.8	7.0
Manufacturing	60.8	61.4	0.9	0.6	-3.0	-3.7	1.0	-4.7	-5.7
Services-producing sector									
Services-producing sector	486.1	486.5	2.5	0.4	2.5	-3.4	0.1	0.5	-0.7
Wholesale and retail trade	92.0	90.6	1.2	-1.4	1.3	0.2	-1.5	1.5	0.2
Transportation and warehousing	35.0	35.9	0.8	0.9	-0.7	-3.8	2.6	-1.9	-9.6
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	33.6	34.4	0.7	0.8	2.4	2.0	2.4	7.5	6.2
Professional, scientific and technical services	28.8	28.4	0.7	-0.4	2.7	1.7	-1.4	10.5	6.4
Business, building and other support services	17.7	18.1	0.8	0.4	-1.6	-0.9	2.3	-8.1	-4.7
Educational services	51.4	50.5	1.0	-0.9	-1.8	-1.9	-1.8	-3.4	-3.6
Health care and social assistance	101.5	102.3	1.2	0.8	0.2	0.7	0.8	0.2	0.7
Information, culture and recreation	22.9	22.8	0.8	-0.1	0.4	-0.5	-0.4	1.8	-2.1
Accommodation and food services	42.9	43.0	1.0	0.1	1.6	2.0	0.2	3.9	4.9
Other services (except public administration)	29.3	28.5	0.7	-0.8	-0.3	-1.4	-2.7	-1.0	-4.7
Public administration	30.9	31.9	0.7	1.0	-1.9	-1.7	3.2	-5.6	-5.1

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	867.7	868.3	...	0.6	3.3	7.2	0.1	0.4	0.8
Labour force	605.0	607.0	2.6	2.0	-1.6	2.1	0.3	-0.3	0.3
Employment	568.9	569.9	2.7	1.0	-5.2	-6.2	0.2	-0.9	-1.1
Employment full-time	468.9	464.7	3.8	-4.2	-14.2	-9.0	-0.9	-3.0	-1.9
Unemployment	36.1	37.1	2.1	1.0	3.5	8.3	2.8	10.4	28.8
Participation rate	69.7	69.9	0.3	0.2	-0.5	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.0	6.1	0.3	0.1	0.6	1.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.6	65.6	0.3	0.0	-0.9	-1.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	17.6	18.5	0.6	0.9	1.7	0.7	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	134.8	134.8	...	0.0	-0.9	-1.9	0.0	-0.7	-1.4
Labour force	91.4	91.4	1.5	0.0	-0.6	-1.9	0.0	-0.7	-2.0
Employment	80.9	81.8	1.4	0.9	-0.9	-2.3	1.1	-1.1	-2.7
Unemployment	10.6	9.6	1.2	-1.0	0.3	0.5	-9.4	3.2	5.5
Participation rate	67.8	67.8	1.1	0.0	0.0	-0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.6	10.5	1.3	-1.1	0.4	0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.0	60.7	1.0	0.7	-0.2	-0.8	...	...	...
Part-time rate	37.8	39.7	2.0	1.9	5.5	0.7	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	366.8	367.1	...	0.3	1.9	4.5	0.1	0.5	1.2
Labour force	281.5	283.4	1.4	1.9	0.6	5.1	0.7	0.2	1.8
Employment	267.2	267.8	1.6	0.6	0.0	1.3	0.2	0.0	0.5
Unemployment	14.3	15.6	1.2	1.3	0.6	3.8	9.1	4.0	32.2
Participation rate	76.7	77.2	0.4	0.5	-0.2	0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.1	5.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	1.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	72.8	73.0	0.4	0.2	-0.3	-0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	7.3	8.2	0.6	0.9	1.4	1.4	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	366.1	366.4	...	0.3	2.2	4.6	0.1	0.6	1.3
Labour force	232.1	232.2	1.5	0.1	-1.7	-1.2	0.0	-0.7	-0.5
Employment	220.9	220.3	1.5	-0.6	-4.3	-5.2	-0.3	-1.9	-2.3
Unemployment	11.2	11.9	1.1	0.7	2.6	4.0	6.2	28.0	50.6
Participation rate	63.4	63.4	0.4	0.0	-0.8	-1.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.8	5.1	0.5	0.3	1.1	1.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.3	60.1	0.4	-0.2	-1.6	-2.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	22.6	23.1	1.0	0.4	0.9	0.2	...	...	...
Industry	568.9	569.9	2.7	1.0	-5.2	-6.2	0.2	-0.9	-1.1
Goods-producing sector	152.2	151.4	1.9	-0.8	-5.7	-4.4	-0.5	-3.6	-2.8
Agriculture	42.1	42.8	1.2	0.7	0.7	3.1	1.7	1.7	7.8
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	25.6	26.3	0.8	0.7	0.0	0.2	2.7	0.0	0.8
Utilities	7.4	7.1	0.3	-0.3	0.8	0.8	-4.1	12.7	12.7
Construction	52.0	50.1	1.3	-1.9	-5.7	-7.5	-3.7	-10.2	-13.0
Manufacturing	25.1	25.2	0.8	0.1	-1.4	-0.8	0.4	-5.3	-3.1
Services-producing sector	416.7	418.5	2.4	1.8	0.5	-1.8	0.4	0.1	-0.4
Wholesale and retail trade	87.1	87.9	1.4	0.8	2.5	2.3	0.9	2.9	2.7
Transportation and warehousing	27.4	28.6	0.8	1.2	-1.4	-2.5	4.4	-4.7	-8.0
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	30.2	29.6	0.6	-0.6	-1.5	-0.4	-2.0	-4.8	-1.3
Professional, scientific and technical services	27.1	27.1	0.7	0.0	0.3	2.6	0.0	1.1	10.6
Business, building and other support services	12.1	12.5	0.8	0.4	-1.4	-1.9	3.3	-10.1	-13.2
Educational services	40.0	40.3	1.1	0.3	-1.2	-4.2	0.8	-2.9	-9.4
Health care and social assistance	78.1	77.5	1.1	-0.6	-1.3	-1.4	-0.8	-1.6	-1.8
Information, culture and recreation	20.8	20.4	0.7	-0.4	-0.2	1.9	-1.9	-1.0	10.3
Accommodation and food services	39.4	39.6	1.1	0.2	1.4	1.2	0.5	3.7	3.1
Other services (except public administration)	25.5	25.6	0.8	0.1	1.6	-0.6	0.4	6.7	-2.3
Public administration	29.0	29.5	0.7	0.5	2.0	1.3	1.7	7.3	4.6

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	3,396.4	3,399.1	...	2.7	20.1	45.1	0.1	0.6	1.3
Labour force	2,443.0	2,441.4	9.8	-1.6	-15.7	-1.4	-0.1	-0.6	-0.1
Employment	2,251.5	2,249.6	9.8	-1.9	-36.5	-51.6	-0.1	-1.6	-2.2
Employment full-time	1,832.5	1,825.4	14.1	-7.1	-55.5	-91.2	-0.4	-3.0	-4.8
Unemployment	191.4	191.8	8.1	0.4	20.8	50.3	0.2	12.2	35.5
Participation rate	71.9	71.8	0.3	-0.1	-0.9	-1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.8	7.9	0.3	0.1	0.9	2.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	66.3	66.2	0.3	-0.1	-1.5	-2.4	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.6	18.9	0.6	0.2	1.1	2.1	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	517.3	516.8	...	-0.5	-4.1	-6.7	-0.1	-0.8	-1.3
Labour force	335.6	340.3	5.5	4.7	-7.7	-19.9	1.4	-2.2	-5.5
Employment	293.7	295.0	5.3	1.3	-14.4	-32.7	0.4	-4.7	-10.0
Unemployment	41.9	45.3	4.6	3.4	6.7	12.7	8.1	17.4	39.0
Participation rate	64.9	65.8	1.1	0.9	-1.0	-3.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	12.5	13.3	1.2	0.8	2.2	4.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.8	57.1	1.0	0.3	-2.3	-5.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	42.7	41.9	2.0	-0.8	-0.7	5.8	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	1,455.4	1,456.9	...	1.5	11.2	24.9	0.1	0.8	1.7
Labour force	1,167.0	1,159.9	5.2	-7.1	-5.0	6.8	-0.6	-0.4	0.6
Employment	1,077.0	1,070.4	5.9	-6.6	-13.2	-19.3	-0.6	-1.2	-1.8
Unemployment	90.0	89.5	5.0	-0.5	8.2	26.1	-0.6	10.1	41.2
Participation rate	80.2	79.6	0.4	-0.6	-1.0	-0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.7	7.7	0.4	0.0	0.7	2.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	74.0	73.5	0.4	-0.5	-1.5	-2.6	...	...	...
Part-time rate	7.6	7.7	0.5	0.1	0.9	1.8	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	1,423.7	1,425.5	...	1.8	13.2	27.1	0.1	0.9	1.9
Labour force	940.3	941.3	5.7	1.0	-2.9	11.9	0.1	-0.3	1.3
Employment	880.8	884.3	6.0	3.5	-8.8	0.4	0.4	-1.0	0.0
Unemployment	59.6	57.0	4.2	-2.6	5.9	11.4	-4.4	11.5	25.0
Participation rate	66.0	66.0	0.4	0.0	-0.9	-0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.3	6.1	0.4	-0.2	0.7	1.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.9	62.0	0.4	0.1	-1.2	-1.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	24.1	24.7	1.0	0.6	2.4	1.8	...	...	...
Industry									
Industry	2,251.5	2,249.6	9.8	-1.9	-36.5	-51.6	-0.1	-1.6	-2.2
Goods-producing sector									
Goods-producing sector	570.2	564.5	6.8	-5.7	-58.6	-73.8	-1.0	-9.4	-11.6
Agriculture	49.5	50.1	2.8	0.6	-7.9	-11.3	1.2	-13.6	-18.4
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	129.3	128.6	3.4	-0.7	-23.2	-30.1	-0.5	-15.3	-19.0
Utilities	20.8	19.2	1.1	-1.6	-0.2	0.1	-7.7	-1.0	0.5
Construction	256.3	248.1	4.8	-8.2	-8.1	-11.8	-3.2	-3.2	-4.5
Manufacturing	114.4	118.6	3.2	4.2	-19.1	-20.7	3.7	-13.9	-14.9
Services-producing sector									
Services-producing sector	1,681.3	1,685.1	9.2	3.8	22.1	22.2	0.2	1.3	1.3
Wholesale and retail trade	331.7	327.7	5.0	-4.0	3.8	8.5	-1.2	1.2	2.7
Transportation and warehousing	130.4	130.7	3.1	0.3	3.2	-11.6	0.2	2.5	-8.2
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	108.1	107.2	2.4	-0.9	5.2	2.7	-0.8	5.1	2.6
Professional, scientific and technical services	177.7	178.9	3.5	1.2	-1.2	9.7	0.7	-0.7	5.7
Business, building and other support services	83.2	81.8	3.1	-1.4	-0.5	0.2	-1.7	-0.6	0.2
Educational services	148.7	147.3	3.3	-1.4	-0.8	8.8	-0.9	-0.5	6.4
Health care and social assistance	263.2	265.5	3.7	2.3	-2.6	-1.3	0.9	-1.0	-0.5
Information, culture and recreation	78.4	81.1	3.2	2.7	-1.9	8.1	3.4	-2.3	11.1
Accommodation and food services	141.1	146.9	3.9	5.8	6.1	-10.3	4.1	4.3	-6.6
Other services (except public administration)	123.7	122.1	3.0	-1.6	11.8	4.2	-1.3	10.7	3.6
Public administration	95.1	95.9	2.2	0.8	-0.9	3.3	0.8	-0.9	3.6

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	3,923.6	3,928.9	...	5.3	25.7	54.5	0.1	0.7	1.4
Labour force	2,518.5	2,530.3	10.5	11.8	27.1	75.4	0.5	1.1	3.1
Employment	2,364.6	2,380.6	10.6	16.0	44.9	70.0	0.7	1.9	3.0
Employment full-time	1,864.2	1,881.1	15.6	16.9	49.2	46.3	0.9	2.7	2.5
Unemployment	153.9	149.7	8.5	-4.2	-17.8	5.4	-2.7	-10.6	3.7
Participation rate	64.2	64.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.1	5.9	0.3	-0.2	-0.8	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.3	60.6	0.3	0.3	0.8	1.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	21.2	21.0	0.6	-0.2	-0.6	0.4	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	584.1	584.0	...	-0.1	-0.7	1.0	0.0	-0.1	0.2
Labour force	362.6	368.3	6.1	5.7	-5.9	5.1	1.6	-1.6	1.4
Employment	323.9	327.2	5.9	3.3	-0.6	5.5	1.0	-0.2	1.7
Unemployment	38.7	41.1	5.2	2.4	-5.3	-0.3	6.2	-11.4	-0.7
Participation rate	62.1	63.1	1.0	1.0	-0.9	0.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.7	11.2	1.4	0.5	-1.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	55.5	56.0	1.0	0.5	-0.1	0.8	...	...	...
Part-time rate	47.5	48.5	2.3	1.0	5.3	-1.1	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	1,629.3	1,631.9	...	2.6	12.6	25.7	0.2	0.8	1.6
Labour force	1,134.4	1,141.9	5.6	7.5	16.8	30.4	0.7	1.5	2.7
Employment	1,072.2	1,080.9	5.9	8.7	24.1	27.9	0.8	2.3	2.6
Unemployment	62.2	60.9	4.9	-1.3	-7.5	2.4	-2.1	-11.0	4.1
Participation rate	69.6	70.0	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.5	5.3	0.4	-0.2	-0.8	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.8	66.2	0.4	0.4	0.9	0.6	...	...	...
Part-time rate	8.7	8.7	0.7	0.0	-0.6	0.6	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	1,710.2	1,713.0	...	2.8	13.9	27.8	0.2	0.8	1.6
Labour force	1,021.5	1,020.2	6.2	-1.3	16.4	39.9	-0.1	1.6	4.1
Employment	968.5	972.5	6.1	4.0	21.4	36.6	0.4	2.3	3.9
Unemployment	53.0	47.7	4.7	-5.3	-5.0	3.3	-10.0	-9.5	7.4
Participation rate	59.7	59.6	0.4	-0.1	0.5	1.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.2	4.7	0.5	-0.5	-0.6	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.6	56.8	0.4	0.2	0.8	1.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	26.1	25.4	1.0	-0.7	-2.4	0.7	...	...	...
Industry	2,364.6	2,380.6	10.6	16.0	44.9	70.0	0.7	1.9	3.0
Goods-producing sector	469.6	468.9	6.3	-0.7	-1.2	18.4	-0.1	-0.3	4.1
Agriculture	24.1	23.9	2.5	-0.2	3.6	0.7	-0.8	17.7	3.0
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	52.3	52.9	2.6	0.6	1.6	6.1	1.1	3.1	13.0
Utilities	13.3	13.5	0.9	0.2	-2.0	-0.6	1.5	-12.9	-4.3
Construction	215.0	211.4	4.4	-3.6	9.4	15.8	-1.7	4.7	8.1
Manufacturing	164.9	167.3	3.5	2.4	-13.7	-3.5	1.5	-7.6	-2.0
Services-producing sector	1,895.0	1,911.7	10.3	16.7	46.1	51.6	0.9	2.5	2.8
Wholesale and retail trade	369.9	361.5	5.6	-8.4	1.1	9.7	-2.3	0.3	2.8
Transportation and warehousing	136.9	138.9	3.7	2.0	-1.1	-13.6	1.5	-0.8	-8.9
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	131.1	133.9	3.3	2.8	10.4	3.5	2.1	8.4	2.7
Professional, scientific and technical services	195.4	203.2	3.9	7.8	14.0	17.7	4.0	7.4	9.5
Business, building and other support services	101.5	106.0	3.5	4.5	10.8	11.9	4.4	11.3	12.6
Educational services	168.7	170.9	3.6	2.2	3.8	9.8	1.3	2.3	6.1
Health care and social assistance	290.2	288.1	4.2	-2.1	-7.3	-0.7	-0.7	-2.5	-0.2
Information, culture and recreation	123.3	121.1	3.7	-2.2	1.5	5.0	-1.8	1.3	4.3
Accommodation and food services	168.7	178.5	4.9	9.8	9.5	-4.0	5.8	5.6	-2.2
Other services (except public administration)	103.3	104.5	3.1	1.2	-3.7	3.3	1.2	-3.4	3.3
Public administration	106.0	105.2	2.2	-0.8	7.0	9.0	-0.8	7.1	9.4

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador									
Population	180.9	181.2	...	0.3	1.7	2.8	0.2	0.9	1.6
Labour force	125.8	127.1	1.0	1.3	4.8	2.7	1.0	3.9	2.2
Employment	117.3	118.6	1.0	1.3	4.2	2.2	1.1	3.7	1.9
Unemployment	8.6	8.6	0.5	0.0	0.8	0.6	0.0	10.3	7.5
Participation rate	69.5	70.1	0.5	0.6	2.0	0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.8	6.8	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.8	65.5	0.6	0.7	1.8	0.3	...	...	...
Halifax, Nova Scotia									
Population	352.7	353.1	...	0.4	2.5	5.2	0.1	0.7	1.5
Labour force	242.3	241.7	1.5	-0.6	3.6	4.9	-0.2	1.5	2.1
Employment	226.9	228.1	1.5	1.2	4.7	7.0	0.5	2.1	3.2
Unemployment	15.4	13.6	0.7	-1.8	-1.1	-2.1	-11.7	-7.5	-13.4
Participation rate	68.7	68.5	0.4	-0.2	0.6	0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.4	5.6	0.3	-0.8	-0.6	-1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.3	64.6	0.4	0.3	0.9	1.0	...	...	...
Moncton, New Brunswick									
Population	125.2	125.4	...	0.2	1.1	1.8	0.2	0.9	1.5
Labour force	83.8	84.2	1.0	0.4	-0.1	0.7	0.5	-0.1	0.8
Employment	77.6	78.0	1.0	0.4	-1.1	1.0	0.5	-1.4	1.3
Unemployment	6.2	6.2	0.4	0.0	1.0	-0.3	0.0	19.2	-4.6
Participation rate	66.9	67.1	0.8	0.2	-0.7	-0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.4	7.4	0.5	0.0	1.2	-0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.0	62.2	0.8	0.2	-1.4	-0.1	...	...	...
Saint John, New Brunswick									
Population	105.5	105.5	...	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0
Labour force	68.7	68.4	0.9	-0.3	0.9	-0.4	-0.4	1.3	-0.6
Employment	63.0	63.0	0.9	0.0	0.8	-0.8	0.0	1.3	-1.3
Unemployment	5.7	5.4	0.4	-0.3	0.1	0.4	-5.3	1.9	8.0
Participation rate	65.1	64.8	0.8	-0.3	0.8	-0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.3	7.9	0.6	-0.4	0.0	0.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.7	59.7	0.8	0.0	0.7	-0.8	...	...	...
Saguenay, Quebec									
Population	135.0	135.0	...	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.1
Labour force	80.5	78.9	1.0	-1.6	-3.3	-2.0	-2.0	-4.0	-2.5
Employment	72.6	71.9	1.0	-0.7	-4.2	-2.9	-1.0	-5.5	-3.9
Unemployment	7.8	6.9	0.4	-0.9	0.8	0.8	-11.5	13.1	13.1
Participation rate	59.6	58.4	0.8	-1.2	-2.4	-1.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.7	8.7	0.5	-1.0	1.3	1.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	53.8	53.3	0.8	-0.5	-3.0	-2.1	...	...	...
Québec, Quebec									
Population	674.2	674.7	...	0.5	2.6	5.4	0.1	0.4	0.8
Labour force	444.6	450.9	4.1	6.3	-17.2	-15.2	1.4	-3.7	-3.3
Employment	425.8	432.5	4.1	6.7	-12.8	-14.8	1.6	-2.9	-3.3
Unemployment	18.7	18.4	1.5	-0.3	-4.4	-0.4	-1.6	-19.3	-2.1
Participation rate	65.9	66.8	0.6	0.9	-2.8	-2.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.2	4.1	0.3	-0.1	-0.8	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	63.2	64.1	0.6	0.9	-2.2	-2.7	...	...	...
Sherbrooke, Quebec									
Population	180.9	181.1	...	0.2	1.0	2.0	0.1	0.6	1.1
Labour force	113.4	112.8	1.2	-0.6	-0.2	-2.2	-0.5	-0.2	-1.9
Employment	105.6	105.3	1.2	-0.3	-0.2	-1.7	-0.3	-0.2	-1.6
Unemployment	7.8	7.5	0.5	-0.3	0.0	-0.4	-3.8	0.0	-5.1
Participation rate	62.7	62.3	0.7	-0.4	-0.4	-1.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.9	6.6	0.4	-0.3	0.0	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.4	58.1	0.6	-0.3	-0.5	-1.6	...	...	...

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Trois-Rivières, Quebec									
Population	133.1	133.2	...	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.4
Labour force	80.0	80.1	1.0	0.1	-0.7	3.1	0.1	-0.9	4.0
Employment	74.1	74.4	1.0	0.3	-0.5	1.9	0.4	-0.7	2.6
Unemployment	5.9	5.7	0.4	-0.2	-0.2	1.2	-3.4	-3.4	26.7
Participation rate	60.1	60.1	0.8	0.0	-0.7	2.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.4	7.1	0.5	-0.3	-0.2	1.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	55.7	55.9	0.8	0.2	-0.5	1.3	...	...	...
Montréal, Quebec									
Population	3,380.2	3,383.2	...	3.0	16.8	33.5	0.1	0.5	1.0
Labour force	2,237.8	2,229.2	8.9	-8.6	-3.6	-0.7	-0.4	-0.2	0.0
Employment	2,057.1	2,054.3	9.1	-2.8	15.5	19.2	-0.1	0.8	0.9
Unemployment	180.8	174.9	5.2	-5.9	-19.1	-19.9	-3.3	-9.8	-10.2
Participation rate	66.2	65.9	0.3	-0.3	-0.4	-0.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.1	7.8	0.2	-0.3	-0.9	-0.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.9	60.7	0.3	-0.2	0.1	-0.1	...	...	...
Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario/Quebec									
Population	1,107.7	1,108.9	...	1.2	6.5	12.8	0.1	0.6	1.2
Labour force	769.6	771.6	4.7	2.0	12.9	12.9	0.3	1.7	1.7
Employment	716.5	718.7	4.9	2.2	7.0	9.2	0.3	1.0	1.3
Unemployment	53.1	52.9	2.1	-0.2	5.9	3.7	-0.4	12.6	7.5
Participation rate	69.5	69.6	0.4	0.1	0.8	0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.9	6.9	0.3	0.0	0.7	0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.7	64.8	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1	...	...	...
Ottawa-Gatineau, Quebec part, Ontario/Quebec									
Population	273.7	273.9	...	0.2	0.8	1.6	0.1	0.3	0.6
Labour force	187.4	189.0	1.6	1.6	-3.8	-3.4	0.9	-2.0	-1.8
Employment	174.1	175.2	1.7	1.1	-6.1	-2.6	0.6	-3.4	-1.5
Unemployment	13.3	13.8	0.7	0.5	2.3	-0.9	3.8	20.0	-6.1
Participation rate	68.5	69.0	0.6	0.5	-1.6	-1.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.1	7.3	0.4	0.2	1.3	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	63.6	64.0	0.6	0.4	-2.4	-1.3	...	...	...
Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part, Ontario/Quebec									
Population	834.0	835.0	...	1.0	5.7	11.2	0.1	0.7	1.4
Labour force	582.2	582.6	4.4	0.4	16.8	16.3	0.1	3.0	2.9
Employment	542.4	543.5	4.6	1.1	13.1	11.8	0.2	2.5	2.2
Unemployment	39.8	39.0	2.0	-0.8	3.5	4.4	-2.0	9.9	12.7
Participation rate	69.8	69.8	0.5	0.0	1.6	1.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.8	6.7	0.4	-0.1	0.4	0.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.0	65.1	0.6	0.1	1.1	0.6	...	...	...
Kingston, Ontario									
Population	139.2	139.3	...	0.1	0.6	1.2	0.1	0.4	0.9
Labour force	88.5	88.1	0.9	-0.4	-2.1	-0.7	-0.5	-2.3	-0.8
Employment	82.6	82.5	0.9	-0.1	-1.9	-0.2	-0.1	-2.3	-0.2
Unemployment	5.9	5.6	0.4	-0.3	-0.2	-0.5	-5.1	-3.4	-8.2
Participation rate	63.6	63.2	0.6	-0.4	-1.8	-1.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.7	6.4	0.4	-0.3	0.0	-0.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.3	59.2	0.6	-0.1	-1.7	-0.7	...	...	...
Peterborough, Ontario									
Population	104.6	104.6	...	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.3
Labour force	61.8	62.2	1.2	0.4	-2.5	-4.7	0.6	-3.9	-7.0
Employment	60.0	59.4	1.3	-0.6	-0.4	-2.7	-1.0	-0.7	-4.3
Unemployment	1.7	2.8	0.6	1.1	-2.1	-2.0	64.7	-42.9	-41.7
Participation rate	59.1	59.5	1.2	0.4	-2.4	-4.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	2.8	4.5	0.8	1.7	-3.1	-2.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	57.4	56.8	1.2	-0.6	-0.4	-2.7	...	...	...

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Oshawa, Ontario									
Population	325.8	326.2	...	0.4	2.7	5.4	0.1	0.8	1.7
Labour force	225.9	227.1	2.0	1.2	9.2	16.3	0.5	4.2	7.7
Employment	213.3	212.5	2.2	-0.8	9.6	17.9	-0.4	4.7	9.2
Unemployment	12.6	14.6	1.0	2.0	-0.4	-1.6	15.9	-2.7	-9.9
Participation rate	69.3	69.6	0.6	0.3	2.2	3.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.6	6.4	0.5	0.8	-0.5	-1.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.5	65.1	0.7	-0.4	2.4	4.4	...	...	...
Toronto, Ontario									
Population	5,175.1	5,182.9	...	7.8	43.3	89.2	0.2	0.8	1.8
Labour force	3,476.0	3,470.0	11.3	-6.0	8.6	65.2	-0.2	0.2	1.9
Employment	3,221.9	3,237.5	11.6	15.6	19.0	67.5	0.5	0.6	2.1
Unemployment	254.1	232.6	6.2	-21.5	-10.4	-2.2	-8.5	-4.3	-0.9
Participation rate	67.2	67.0	0.2	-0.2	-0.3	0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.3	6.7	0.2	-0.6	-0.3	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.3	62.5	0.2	0.2	-0.1	0.3	...	...	...
Hamilton, Ontario									
Population	648.4	649.1	...	0.7	3.7	7.5	0.1	0.6	1.2
Labour force	407.2	406.5	3.9	-0.7	-3.2	-2.9	-0.2	-0.8	-0.7
Employment	383.7	382.0	4.0	-1.7	-3.4	-5.8	-0.4	-0.9	-1.5
Unemployment	23.5	24.4	1.5	0.9	0.1	2.8	3.8	0.4	13.0
Participation rate	62.8	62.6	0.6	-0.2	-0.9	-1.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.8	6.0	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.2	58.9	0.6	-0.3	-0.8	-1.5	...	...	...
St. Catharines-Niagara, Ontario									
Population	344.5	344.7	...	0.2	0.9	1.7	0.1	0.3	0.5
Labour force	213.7	215.0	2.3	1.3	-10.6	-0.3	0.6	-4.7	-0.1
Employment	196.6	196.9	2.4	0.3	-10.6	-5.0	0.2	-5.1	-2.5
Unemployment	17.1	18.1	1.0	1.0	0.0	4.7	5.8	0.0	35.1
Participation rate	62.0	62.4	0.7	0.4	-3.2	-0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.0	8.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	2.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	57.1	57.1	0.7	0.0	-3.3	-1.8	...	...	...
Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo, Ontario									
Population	425.0	425.5	...	0.5	2.2	4.4	0.1	0.5	1.0
Labour force	303.7	301.8	2.8	-1.9	3.3	10.8	-0.6	1.1	3.7
Employment	286.9	284.6	3.0	-2.3	5.2	9.7	-0.8	1.9	3.5
Unemployment	16.8	17.3	1.0	0.5	-1.8	1.2	3.0	-9.4	7.5
Participation rate	71.5	70.9	0.7	-0.6	0.4	1.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.5	5.7	0.3	0.2	-0.7	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	67.5	66.9	0.7	-0.6	0.9	1.6	...	...	...
Brantford, Ontario									
Population	112.7	112.9	...	0.2	0.7	1.2	0.2	0.6	1.1
Labour force	74.6	74.3	0.9	-0.3	2.3	1.9	-0.4	3.2	2.6
Employment	69.0	69.5	1.0	0.5	1.0	1.5	0.7	1.5	2.2
Unemployment	5.6	4.8	0.4	-0.8	1.3	0.4	-14.3	37.1	9.1
Participation rate	66.2	65.8	0.8	-0.4	1.6	1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.5	6.5	0.5	-1.0	1.6	0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.2	61.6	0.9	0.4	0.5	0.7	...	...	...
Guelph, Ontario									
Population	130.0	130.2	...	0.2	0.9	1.7	0.2	0.7	1.3
Labour force	96.8	94.1	1.1	-2.7	-3.2	0.8	-2.8	-3.3	0.9
Employment	91.3	88.9	1.2	-2.4	-4.3	-1.1	-2.6	-4.6	-1.2
Unemployment	5.5	5.2	0.4	-0.3	1.1	1.9	-5.5	26.8	57.6
Participation rate	74.5	72.3	0.9	-2.2	-3.0	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.7	5.5	0.5	-0.2	1.3	2.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	70.2	68.3	0.9	-1.9	-3.8	-1.7	...	...	...

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
London, Ontario									
Population	425.3	425.7	...	0.4	2.0	4.0	0.1	0.5	0.9
Labour force	267.1	265.8	2.7	-1.3	-6.4	0.5	-0.5	-2.4	0.2
Employment	248.2	246.5	2.8	-1.7	-8.9	-3.2	-0.7	-3.5	-1.3
Unemployment	18.8	19.3	1.1	0.5	2.6	3.7	2.7	15.6	23.7
Participation rate	62.8	62.4	0.6	-0.4	-1.8	-0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.0	7.3	0.4	0.3	1.2	1.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.4	57.9	0.7	-0.5	-2.4	-1.3	...	...	...
Windsor, Ontario									
Population	281.4	281.7	...	0.3	1.2	2.3	0.1	0.4	0.8
Labour force	174.6	177.7	1.9	3.1	8.2	-2.7	1.8	4.8	-1.5
Employment	163.4	166.4	1.9	3.0	13.3	2.1	1.8	8.7	1.3
Unemployment	11.1	11.3	1.0	0.2	-5.1	-4.8	1.8	-31.1	-29.8
Participation rate	62.0	63.1	0.7	1.1	2.7	-1.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.4	6.4	0.6	0.0	-3.3	-2.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.1	59.1	0.7	1.0	4.5	0.3	...	...	...
Barrie, Ontario									
Population	169.4	169.7	...	0.3	1.5	2.9	0.2	0.9	1.7
Labour force	116.1	112.7	1.7	-3.4	1.0	-6.2	-2.9	0.9	-5.2
Employment	107.0	104.1	1.9	-2.9	-0.5	-5.6	-2.7	-0.5	-5.1
Unemployment	9.1	8.5	0.8	-0.6	1.3	-0.7	-6.6	18.1	-7.6
Participation rate	68.5	66.4	1.0	-2.1	0.0	-4.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.8	7.5	0.7	-0.3	1.1	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	63.2	61.3	1.1	-1.9	-0.9	-4.5	...	...	...
Greater Sudbury, Ontario									
Population	140.2	140.1	...	-0.1	0.0	0.3	-0.1	0.0	0.2
Labour force	87.7	87.9	0.9	0.2	1.3	-2.9	0.2	1.5	-3.2
Employment	80.1	80.5	0.9	0.4	1.2	-3.8	0.5	1.5	-4.5
Unemployment	7.6	7.4	0.4	-0.2	0.1	0.8	-2.6	1.4	12.1
Participation rate	62.6	62.7	0.6	0.1	0.9	-2.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.7	8.4	0.4	-0.3	0.0	1.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	57.1	57.5	0.7	0.4	0.9	-2.8	...	...	...
Thunder Bay, Ontario									
Population	104.6	104.7	...	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Labour force	65.7	65.6	0.7	-0.1	2.2	2.7	-0.2	3.5	4.3
Employment	60.7	60.8	0.7	0.1	1.1	1.1	0.2	1.8	1.8
Unemployment	5.0	4.8	0.2	-0.2	1.1	1.6	-4.0	29.7	50.0
Participation rate	62.8	62.7	0.6	-0.1	2.1	2.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.6	7.3	0.4	-0.3	1.5	2.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.0	58.1	0.7	0.1	1.0	1.0	...	...	...
Winnipeg, Manitoba									
Population	660.8	661.8	...	1.0	5.2	10.0	0.2	0.8	1.5
Labour force	454.2	453.8	1.4	-0.4	0.8	0.2	-0.1	0.2	0.0
Employment	426.2	425.3	1.4	-0.9	0.2	-0.9	-0.2	0.0	-0.2
Unemployment	28.1	28.4	0.8	0.3	0.5	1.0	1.1	1.8	3.6
Participation rate	68.7	68.6	0.2	-0.1	-0.4	-1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.2	6.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.5	64.3	0.2	-0.2	-0.4	-1.1	...	...	...
Regina, Saskatchewan									
Population	200.9	201.2	...	0.3	1.4	3.3	0.1	0.7	1.7
Labour force	147.7	148.4	1.0	0.7	2.8	4.5	0.5	1.9	3.1
Employment	139.6	140.0	1.1	0.4	0.5	2.1	0.3	0.4	1.5
Unemployment	8.0	8.3	0.4	0.3	2.2	2.3	3.8	36.1	38.3
Participation rate	73.5	73.8	0.5	0.3	0.9	1.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.4	5.6	0.3	0.2	1.4	1.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	69.5	69.6	0.5	0.1	-0.2	-0.1	...	...	...

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan									
Population	256.8	257.1	...	0.3	2.3	5.4	0.1	0.9	2.1
Labour force	178.7	178.0	1.2	-0.7	-5.3	-0.3	-0.4	-2.9	-0.2
Employment	166.5	166.3	1.3	-0.2	-5.2	-2.1	-0.1	-3.0	-1.2
Unemployment	12.3	11.7	0.6	-0.6	-0.1	1.9	-4.9	-0.8	19.4
Participation rate	69.6	69.2	0.5	-0.4	-2.7	-1.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.9	6.6	0.3	-0.3	0.2	1.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.8	64.7	0.5	-0.1	-2.6	-2.2	...	...	...
Calgary, Alberta									
Population	1,200.7	1,202.5	...	1.8	10.7	25.5	0.1	0.9	2.2
Labour force	872.5	867.1	4.5	-5.4	4.7	-9.5	-0.6	0.5	-1.1
Employment	801.9	795.1	4.6	-6.8	-7.1	-28.1	-0.8	-0.9	-3.4
Unemployment	70.5	72.0	2.5	1.5	11.9	18.6	2.1	19.8	34.8
Participation rate	72.7	72.1	0.4	-0.6	-0.3	-2.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.1	8.3	0.3	0.2	1.3	2.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	66.8	66.1	0.4	-0.7	-1.2	-3.8	...	...	...
Edmonton, Alberta									
Population	1,118.7	1,120.3	...	1.6	9.0	21.1	0.1	0.8	1.9
Labour force	839.9	830.4	4.4	-9.5	2.8	29.1	-1.1	0.3	3.6
Employment	781.4	771.9	4.6	-9.5	-3.9	17.8	-1.2	-0.5	2.4
Unemployment	58.5	58.4	2.2	-0.1	6.6	11.2	-0.2	12.7	23.7
Participation rate	75.1	74.1	0.4	-1.0	-0.4	1.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.0	7.0	0.3	0.0	0.7	1.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	69.8	68.9	0.4	-0.9	-0.9	0.3	...	...	...
Kelowna, British Columbia									
Population	154.8	155.2	...	0.4	1.7	3.2	0.3	1.1	2.1
Labour force	98.8	98.3	2.0	-0.5	0.8	0.0	-0.5	0.8	0.0
Employment	90.6	90.9	2.0	0.3	0.0	-2.9	0.3	0.0	-3.1
Unemployment	8.1	7.4	0.6	-0.7	0.8	2.9	-8.6	12.1	64.4
Participation rate	63.8	63.3	1.3	-0.5	-0.2	-1.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.2	7.5	0.6	-0.7	0.7	2.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.5	58.6	1.3	0.1	-0.6	-3.1	...	...	...
Abbotsford-Mission, British Columbia									
Population	147.0	147.2	...	0.2	1.2	2.4	0.1	0.8	1.7
Labour force	95.1	95.1	0.9	0.0	-2.7	-3.3	0.0	-2.8	-3.4
Employment	88.3	88.5	1.0	0.2	-1.9	-4.5	0.2	-2.1	-4.8
Unemployment	6.8	6.6	0.4	-0.2	-0.8	1.2	-2.9	-10.8	22.2
Participation rate	64.7	64.6	0.6	-0.1	-2.4	-3.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.2	6.9	0.4	-0.3	-0.7	1.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.1	60.1	0.7	0.0	-1.8	-4.1	...	...	...
Vancouver, British Columbia									
Population	2,158.7	2,161.6	...	2.9	15.1	36.0	0.1	0.7	1.7
Labour force	1,433.6	1,435.1	6.0	1.5	16.9	73.9	0.1	1.2	5.4
Employment	1,352.4	1,358.2	6.1	5.8	21.2	80.3	0.4	1.6	6.3
Unemployment	81.2	76.8	3.1	-4.4	-4.4	-6.5	-5.4	-5.4	-7.8
Participation rate	66.4	66.4	0.3	0.0	0.3	2.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.7	5.4	0.2	-0.3	-0.3	-0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.6	62.8	0.3	0.2	0.5	2.7	...	...	...
Victoria, British Columbia									
Population	306.3	306.7	...	0.4	1.6	3.8	0.1	0.5	1.3
Labour force	191.1	191.1	1.8	0.0	-3.7	4.0	0.0	-1.9	2.1
Employment	180.2	181.0	1.9	0.8	-2.0	5.1	0.4	-1.1	2.9
Unemployment	10.9	10.1	0.7	-0.8	-1.7	-1.1	-7.3	-14.4	-9.8
Participation rate	62.4	62.3	0.6	-0.1	-1.5	0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.7	5.3	0.4	-0.4	-0.8	-0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.8	59.0	0.6	0.2	-1.0	0.9	...	...	...

1. 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 2011 Census boundaries. Related CANSIM Table 282-0135. 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

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Montréal, Quebec									
Population	3,383.3	3,386.3	...	3.0	17.6	33.6	0.1	0.5	1.0
Labour force	2,237.8	2,211.5	19.3	-26.3	-34.5	-22.4	-1.2	-1.5	-1.0
Employment	2,062.7	2,043.0	19.4	-19.7	-5.4	14.0	-1.0	-0.3	0.7
Unemployment	175.1	168.5	12.6	-6.6	-29.1	-36.4	-3.8	-14.7	-17.8
Participation rate	66.1	65.3	0.6	-0.8	-1.4	-1.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.8	7.6	0.5	-0.2	-1.2	-1.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.0	60.3	0.6	-0.7	-0.5	-0.2	...	...	...
Toronto, Ontario									
Population	5,183.3	5,191.3	...	8.0	45.5	89.6	0.2	0.9	1.8
Labour force	3,479.6	3,437.2	24.1	-42.4	-39.6	14.6	-1.2	-1.1	0.4
Employment	3,238.8	3,244.6	23.9	5.8	14.4	50.5	0.2	0.4	1.6
Unemployment	240.8	192.6	15.1	-48.2	-54.0	-35.9	-20.0	-21.9	-15.7
Participation rate	67.1	66.2	0.5	-0.9	-1.4	-0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.9	5.6	0.4	-1.3	-1.5	-1.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.5	62.5	0.5	0.0	-0.3	-0.1	...	...	...
Vancouver, British Columbia									
Population	2,161.7	2,164.6	...	2.9	15.5	35.1	0.1	0.7	1.6
Labour force	1,437.1	1,442.3	12.8	5.2	21.6	73.2	0.4	1.5	5.3
Employment	1,359.3	1,361.5	13.1	2.2	25.9	72.7	0.2	1.9	5.6
Unemployment	77.7	80.7	7.8	3.0	-4.4	0.3	3.9	-5.2	0.4
Participation rate	66.5	66.6	0.6	0.1	0.5	2.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.4	5.6	0.6	0.2	-0.4	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.9	62.9	0.6	0.0	0.8	2.4	...	...	...

1. 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 2011 Census boundaries. Related CANSIM Table 282-0136. 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, ¹ unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2015 and June 2016

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
Canada							
2015	29,235.6	19,374.9	18,041.0	1,333.9	66.3	6.9	61.7
2016	29,545.1	19,520.6	18,164.5	1,356.1	66.1	6.9	61.5
Newfoundland and Labrador							
2015	443.0	274.4	238.5	35.9	61.9	13.1	53.8
2016	444.2	272.2	239.5	32.6	61.3	12.0	53.9
<i>Avalon Peninsula [1010]</i>							
2015	232.7	154.0	140.7	13.3	66.2	8.6	60.5
2016	234.9	155.1	140.7	14.4	66.0	9.3	59.9
<i>South Coast-Burin Peninsula and Notre Dame-Central Bonavista Bay [1020, 1040]</i>							
2015	123.0	68.6	56.6	12.0	55.8	17.5	46.0
2016	122.2	65.7	54.9	10.8	53.8	16.4	44.9
<i>West Coast-Northern Peninsula-Labrador [1030]</i>							
2015	87.3	51.8	41.2	10.6	59.3	20.5	47.2
2016	87.1	51.4	43.9	7.5	59.0	14.6	50.4
Prince Edward Island							
2015	120.8	82.8	74.3	8.5	68.5	10.3	61.5
2016	121.7	80.9	72.6	8.4	66.5	10.4	59.7
Nova Scotia							
2015	784.8	491.8	449.4	42.5	62.7	8.6	57.3
2016	788.1	490.2	450.8	39.4	62.2	8.0	57.2
<i>Cape Breton [1210]</i>							
2015	107.1	61.3	52.3	9.0	57.2	14.7	48.8
2016	106.1	57.9	50.2	7.7	54.6	13.3	47.3
<i>North Shore [1220]</i>							
2015	128.9	77.5	71.0	6.5	60.1	8.4	55.1
2016	128.3	74.6	67.4	7.3	58.1	9.8	52.5
<i>Annapolis Valley [1230]</i>							
2015	102.5	59.3	53.8	5.4	57.9	9.1	52.5
2016	102.6	61.8	55.9	5.9	60.2	9.5	54.5
<i>Southern [1240]</i>							
2015	98.4	56.8	51.4	5.4	57.7	9.5	52.2
2016	97.9	55.4	49.9	5.4	56.6	9.7	51.0
<i>Halifax [1250]</i>							
2015	347.9	236.9	220.8	16.1	68.1	6.8	63.5
2016	353.1	240.6	227.4	13.2	68.1	5.5	64.4
New Brunswick							
2015	622.1	396.0	354.7	41.3	63.7	10.4	57.0
2016	623.4	392.2	353.0	39.2	62.9	10.0	56.6
<i>Campbellton-Miramichi [1310]</i>							
2015	129.2	73.4	62.3	11.1	56.8	15.1	48.2
2016	128.6	69.9	58.4	11.5	54.4	16.5	45.4
<i>Moncton-Richibucto [1320]</i>							
2015	176.6	119.0	107.3	11.7	67.4	9.8	60.8
2016	178.2	116.3	106.3	10.0	65.3	8.6	59.7
<i>Saint John-St. Stephen [1330]</i>							
2015	142.3	91.1	83.4	7.8	64.0	8.6	58.6
2016	142.0	90.7	83.0	7.8	63.9	8.6	58.5
<i>Fredericton-Oromocto [1340]</i>							
2015	109.9	71.9	65.2	6.7	65.4	9.3	59.3
2016	111.0	74.4	66.8	7.6	67.0	10.2	60.2

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, ¹ unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2015 and June 2016

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
	in thousands			percent			
Edmundston-Woodstock [1350]							
2015	64.1	40.5	36.5	4.0	63.2	9.9	56.9
2016	63.7	40.9	38.6	2.4	64.2	5.9	60.6
Quebec							
2015	6,837.5	4,473.3	4,128.1	345.1	65.4	7.7	60.4
2016	6,881.4	4,458.7	4,138.4	320.3	64.8	7.2	60.1
Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine [2410]							
2015	78.2	43.3	37.4	5.8	55.4	13.4	47.8
2016	77.4	41.9	35.6	6.4	54.1	15.3	46.0
Bas-Saint-Laurent [2415]							
2015	170.0	91.9	84.0	7.8	54.1	8.5	49.4
2016	169.2	95.6	88.8	6.8	56.5	7.1	52.5
Capitale-Nationale [2420]							
2015	616.2	425.2	406.3	18.9	69.0	4.4	65.9
2016	620.9	420.3	403.8	16.5	67.7	3.9	65.0
Chaudière-Appalaches [2425]							
2015	349.2	237.1	226.3	10.8	67.9	4.6	64.8
2016	349.7	229.4	217.1	12.4	65.6	5.4	62.1
Estrie [2430]							
2015	269.0	164.9	154.0	10.9	61.3	6.6	57.2
2016	270.6	164.2	153.3	10.9	60.7	6.6	56.7
Centre-du-Québec [2433]							
2015	200.3	130.9	122.3	8.6	65.4	6.6	61.1
2016	201.0	129.7	123.6	6.1	64.5	4.7	61.5
Montérégie [2435]							
2015	1,249.7	826.1	775.4	50.7	66.1	6.1	62.0
2016	1,258.5	827.2	772.2	55.0	65.7	6.6	61.4
Montréal [2440]							
2015	1,662.5	1,094.5	975.2	119.3	65.8	10.9	58.7
2016	1,678.6	1,096.2	986.1	110.1	65.3	10.0	58.7
Laval [2445]							
2015	351.3	227.1	212.2	14.8	64.6	6.5	60.4
2016	354.6	225.7	215.6	10.1	63.6	4.5	60.8
Lanaudière [2450]							
2015	411.0	278.4	250.6	27.8	67.7	10.0	61.0
2016	414.3	269.4	253.4	16.0	65.0	5.9	61.2
Laurentides [2455]							
2015	492.0	338.5	314.1	24.4	68.8	7.2	63.8
2016	497.5	330.9	308.3	22.6	66.5	6.8	62.0
Outaouais [2460]							
2015	318.0	215.9	199.7	16.1	67.9	7.5	62.8
2016	320.1	216.7	200.7	16.0	67.7	7.4	62.7
Abitibi-Témiscamingue [2465]							
2015	120.5	77.5	71.4	6.1	64.3	7.9	59.3
2016	120.5	78.1	72.1	6.0	64.8	7.7	59.8
Mauricie [2470]							
2015	225.7	124.7	117.2	7.5	55.3	6.0	51.9
2016	225.3	137.5	128.3	9.2	61.0	6.7	56.9
Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean [2475]							
2015	232.0	142.4	131.9	10.5	61.4	7.4	56.9
2016	231.5	135.7	125.2	10.5	58.6	7.7	54.1

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, ¹ unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2015 and June 2016

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
	in thousands			percent			
Côte-Nord and Nord-du-Québec [2480, 2490]							
2015	91.9	55.1	50.0	5.1	60.0	9.3	54.4
2016	91.7	60.2	54.4	5.8	65.6	9.6	59.3
Ontario							
2015	11,366.5	7,466.4	6,965.8	500.6	65.7	6.7	61.3
2016	11,501.7	7,544.2	7,047.3	497.0	65.6	6.6	61.3
Ottawa [3510]							
2015	1,095.6	740.2	692.2	48.0	67.6	6.5	63.2
2016	1,106.6	744.1	692.2	51.8	67.2	7.0	62.6
Kingston-Pembroke [3515]							
2015	376.7	222.3	206.3	16.0	59.0	7.2	54.8
2016	378.0	226.6	212.7	13.9	59.9	6.1	56.3
Muskoka-Kawartha [3520]							
2015	325.8	185.6	168.7	16.9	57.0	9.1	51.8
2016	327.9	177.2	166.1	11.1	54.0	6.3	50.7
Toronto [3530]							
2015	5,345.7	3,581.4	3,323.2	258.1	67.0	7.2	62.2
2016	5,434.9	3,656.4	3,408.4	248.0	67.3	6.8	62.7
Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie [3540]							
2015	1,075.0	755.5	715.1	40.4	70.3	5.3	66.5
2016	1,089.6	755.6	714.6	41.0	69.3	5.4	65.6
Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula [3550]							
2015	1,196.6	766.8	723.7	43.1	64.1	5.6	60.5
2016	1,208.6	768.3	718.0	50.3	63.6	6.5	59.4
London [3560]							
2015	552.9	348.0	330.7	17.3	62.9	5.0	59.8
2016	557.5	361.7	339.2	22.5	64.9	6.2	60.8
Windsor-Sarnia [3570]							
2015	524.1	331.8	305.7	26.2	63.3	7.9	58.3
2016	525.1	326.5	303.7	22.8	62.2	7.0	57.8
Stratford-Bruce Peninsula [3580]							
2015	245.6	160.6	153.3	7.3	65.4	4.5	62.4
2016	246.0	146.4	139.4	7.0	59.5	4.8	56.7
Northeast [3590]							
2015	457.0	270.6	249.9	20.7	59.2	7.6	54.7
2016	456.1	273.4	252.7	20.7	59.9	7.6	55.4
Northwest [3595]							
2015	171.6	103.7	97.1	6.6	60.4	6.4	56.6
2016	171.5	108.0	100.2	7.8	63.0	7.2	58.4
Manitoba							
2015	985.7	676.3	639.6	36.8	68.6	5.4	64.9
2016	997.4	679.5	639.3	40.1	68.1	5.9	64.1
Southeast [4610]							
2015	88.9	58.7	55.5	3.2	66.0	5.5	62.4
2016	90.8	65.4	62.3	3.1	72.0	4.7	68.6
South Central and North Central [4620, 4640]							
2015	84.3	56.8	54.7	2.2	67.4	3.9	64.9
2016	85.3	57.1	54.7	2.4	66.9	4.2	64.1
Southwest [4630]							
2015	87.9	59.2	57.6	1.6	67.3	2.7	65.5
2016	88.4	57.7	54.0	3.8	65.3	6.6	61.1

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Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, ¹ unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2015 and June 2016

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
	in thousands			percent			
Winnipeg [4650]							
2015	593.7	416.4	391.4	25.0	70.1	6.0	65.9
2016	602.0	411.8	385.9	25.8	68.4	6.3	64.1
Interlake [4660]							
2015	74.8	47.6	45.2	2.4	63.6	5.0	60.4
2016	75.5	49.2	45.8	3.4	65.2	6.9	60.7
Parklands and Northern [4670, 4680]							
2015	56.2	37.7	35.2	2.5	67.1	6.6	62.6
2016	55.5	38.2	36.6	1.6	68.8	4.2	65.9
Saskatchewan							
2015	860.4	609.4	580.4	29.0	70.8	4.8	67.5
2016	867.7	610.8	573.4	37.4	70.4	6.1	66.1
Regina-Moose Mountain [4710]							
2015	262.5	191.1	183.4	7.7	72.8	4.0	69.9
2016	265.8	196.8	185.5	11.3	74.0	5.7	69.8
Swift Current-Moose Jaw [4720]							
2015	82.5	58.3	55.6	2.7	70.7	4.6	67.4
2016	82.1	55.4	53.6	1.9	67.5	3.4	65.3
Saskatoon-Biggar [4730]							
2015	294.5	210.5	199.9	10.6	71.5	5.0	67.9
2016	299.4	207.4	195.0	12.5	69.3	6.0	65.1
Yorkton-Melville [4740]							
2015	62.6	39.7	38.5	1.2	63.4	3.0	61.5
2016	61.9	40.2	37.9	2.3	64.9	5.7	61.2
Prince Albert and Northern [4750, 4760]							
2015	158.2	109.9	103.1	6.8	69.5	6.2	65.2
2016	158.5	110.9	101.4	9.5	70.0	8.6	64.0
Alberta							
2015	3,346.0	2,462.1	2,315.7	146.4	73.6	5.9	69.2
2016	3,396.0	2,460.5	2,263.9	196.5	72.5	8.0	66.7
Lethbridge-Medicine Hat [4810]							
2015	230.0	154.9	148.6	6.3	67.3	4.1	64.6
2016	230.4	161.3	149.6	11.7	70.0	7.3	64.9
Camrose-Drumheller [4820]							
2015	161.8	107.7	103.8	3.9	66.6	3.6	64.2
2016	161.6	103.6	95.2	8.4	64.1	8.1	58.9
Calgary [4830]							
2015	1,262.7	948.9	891.1	57.8	75.1	6.1	70.6
2016	1,288.5	935.1	855.6	79.5	72.6	8.5	66.4
Banff-Jasper-Rocky Mountain House and Athabasca-Grande Prairie-Peace River [4840, 4870]							
2015	276.9	206.2	195.1	11.1	74.5	5.4	70.5
2016	277.2	193.8	178.9	14.9	69.9	7.7	64.5
Red Deer [4850]							
2015	169.8	126.3	117.5	8.8	74.4	7.0	69.2
2016	172.2	125.4	113.7	11.6	72.8	9.3	66.0
Edmonton [4860]							
2015	1,127.6	824.5	773.7	50.8	73.1	6.2	68.6
2016	1,147.8	851.7	789.5	62.1	74.2	7.3	68.8
Wood Buffalo-Cold Lake [4880]							
2015	117.1	93.6	85.9	7.7	79.9	8.2	73.4
2016

See notes at the end of the table.

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	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
	in thousands			percent			
British Columbia							
2015	3,868.9	2,442.3	2,294.5	147.8	63.1	6.1	59.3
2016	3,923.5	2,531.4	2,386.4	145.0	64.5	5.7	60.8
Vancouver Island and Coast [5910]							
2015	653.9	376.3	353.7	22.6	57.5	6.0	54.1
2016	660.7	381.3	361.8	19.4	57.7	5.1	54.8
Lower Mainland-Southwest [5920]							
2015	2,413.2	1,550.8	1,457.0	93.8	64.3	6.0	60.4
2016	2,454.2	1,632.9	1,545.8	87.1	66.5	5.3	63.0
Thompson-Okanagan [5930]							
2015	430.7	267.7	254.5	13.2	62.2	4.9	59.1
2016	435.5	270.1	251.3	18.8	62.0	7.0	57.7
Kootenay [5940]							
2015	121.8	75.0	69.5	5.5	61.6	7.3	57.1
2016	122.3	72.4	67.0	5.4	59.2	7.5	54.8
Cariboo [5950]							
2015	127.2	84.6	77.9	6.7	66.5	7.9	61.2
2016	127.7	84.5	77.9	6.6	66.2	7.8	61.0
North Coast and Nechako [5960, 5970]							
2015	66.4	45.6	42.2	3.4	68.7	7.5	63.6
2016	66.8	46.9	43.1	3.8	70.2	8.1	64.5
Northeast [5980]							
2015	55.7	42.3	39.7	2.6	75.9	6.1	71.3
2016	56.2	43.4	39.4	4.0	77.2	9.2	70.1

1. For geographic descriptions of economic regions, refer to the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (catalogue number 71-543-GIE).

Note(s): Estimates in this table are based on 2011 Census boundaries. Related CANSIM table 282-0122.

Due to an interruption in data collection caused by wildfires in northern Alberta, estimates for the economic region of Wood Buffalo–Cold Lake are not published for June 2016.

Table 6-2
Labour force characteristics by territory (seasonally adjusted) - 3 month moving average

	May 2016	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Yukon ²									
Population	28.2	28.2	...	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.4
Labour force	20.5	21.3	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.7	3.9	3.4	3.4
Employment	19.5	20.2	0.2	0.7	0.7	1.3	3.6	3.6	6.9
Unemployment	1.0	1.1	0.1	0.1	-0.1	-0.6	10.0	-8.3	-35.3
Participation rate	72.7	75.5	0.8	2.8	2.5	2.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.9	5.2	0.7	0.3	-0.6	-3.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	69.1	71.6	0.9	2.5	2.5	4.3	...	...	...
Northwest Territories ³									
Population	32.5	32.6	...	0.1	0.6	0.7	0.3	1.9	2.2
Labour force	24.9	25.1	0.2	0.2	0.9	1.1	0.8	3.7	4.6
Employment	23.2	23.1	0.3	-0.1	1.4	0.8	-0.4	6.5	3.6
Unemployment	1.7	2.0	0.2	0.3	-0.4	0.3	17.6	-16.7	17.6
Participation rate	76.6	77.0	0.8	0.4	1.4	1.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.8	8.0	0.7	1.2	-1.9	0.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	71.4	70.9	0.8	-0.5	3.1	1.0	...	...	...
Nunavut ⁴									
Population	24.2	24.2	...	0.0	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.4	2.5
Labour force	15.9	16.0	0.2	0.1	0.6	1.2	0.6	3.9	8.1
Employment	13.6	13.9	0.2	0.3	1.1	1.6	2.2	8.6	13.0
Unemployment	2.3	2.2	0.1	-0.1	-0.5	-0.3	-4.3	-18.5	-12.0
Participation rate	66.0	66.2	0.9	0.2	2.1	3.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	14.5	13.5	0.8	-1.0	-3.7	-3.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.4	57.3	0.8	0.9	4.2	5.3	...	...	...

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).
2. 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.
3. 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.
4. 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.

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

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

	Employees				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
June 2016										
15 years and over	15,605.4	35.5	938.40	25.55	12,888.5	39.2	1,066.84	2,716.9	18.0	329.13
15 to 24 years	2,541.6	28.6	443.33	14.72	1,428.9	38.2	627.37	1,112.7	16.2	206.99
25 years and over	13,063.8	36.9	1,034.72	27.65	11,459.6	39.3	1,121.64	1,604.3	19.2	413.85
Males	7,847.9	37.8	1,060.76	27.39	6,967.0	40.3	1,156.75	880.9	17.7	301.60
Females	7,757.5	33.2	814.61	23.68	5,921.5	37.9	961.05	1,836.0	18.2	342.34
Union coverage										
Union coverage	4,706.4	36.0	1,068.36	29.31	4,043.7	38.6	1,163.57	662.8	20.0	487.49
No union coverage	10,899.0	35.3	882.28	23.92	8,844.8	39.5	1,022.61	2,054.2	17.4	278.04
Job permanency										
Permanent	13,314.7	36.3	990.69	26.59	11,424.1	39.2	1,096.26	1,890.6	18.8	352.81
Temporary	2,290.7	31.0	634.46	19.51	1,464.4	39.4	837.32	826.3	16.1	274.96
Occupation										
Management occupations	940.4	39.6	1,683.59	42.60	918.7	40.1	1,710.23	21.7	19.4	556.12
Business, finance and administration occupations	2,632.0	35.8	927.73	25.48	2,305.3	38.3	1,008.77	326.7	17.8	355.80
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	1,261.8	38.5	1,372.65	35.67	1,221.4	39.1	1,395.47	40.4	19.6	682.92
Health occupations	1,146.6	33.8	992.67	29.22	892.4	37.7	1,111.24	254.2	20.4	576.45
Occupations in education, law and social, community and government services	1,926.3	34.3	1,091.49	31.02	1,574.8	37.9	1,231.55	351.6	18.2	464.10
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	314.0	29.7	694.22	22.18	199.8	38.7	942.96	114.2	14.1	259.23
Sales and service occupations	4,041.3	31.4	545.82	16.46	2,661.9	38.4	705.62	1,379.4	17.9	237.43
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	2,182.6	40.0	1,021.13	25.26	2,031.0	41.6	1,072.14	151.6	18.7	337.74
Natural resources, agriculture and related production occupations	332.1	40.6	867.58	20.83	288.1	44.5	962.94	43.9	15.3	242.11
Occupations in manufacturing and utilities	828.3	39.3	852.01	21.43	795.1	40.1	875.46	33.2	19.4	291.24
June 2015										
15 years and over	15,554.6	35.6	921.80	25.05	12,933.1	39.2	1,043.53	2,621.5	17.9	321.24
15 to 24 years	2,598.4	29.2	451.93	14.65	1,521.5	38.2	624.21	1,077.0	16.5	208.54
25 years and over	12,956.2	36.9	1,016.03	27.14	11,411.7	39.3	1,099.43	1,544.5	18.9	399.82
Males	7,897.7	37.9	1,041.32	26.77	7,073.1	40.3	1,130.22	824.6	17.3	278.79
Females	7,656.9	33.2	798.51	23.28	5,860.0	37.8	938.89	1,796.9	18.2	340.72
Union coverage										
Union coverage	4,755.8	36.0	1,049.70	28.78	4,149.4	38.5	1,133.99	606.4	19.4	472.97
No union coverage	10,798.8	35.4	865.47	23.41	8,783.7	39.5	1,000.79	2,015.1	17.5	275.58
Job permanency										
Permanent	13,238.1	36.3	970.47	26.02	11,402.6	39.2	1,071.67	1,835.5	18.7	341.77
Temporary	2,316.5	31.5	643.65	19.56	1,530.5	39.3	833.84	785.9	16.3	273.28
Occupation										
Management occupations	957.3	39.8	1,566.71	39.54	933.8	40.4	1,591.30	23.5	18.5	589.74
Business, finance and administration occupations	2,622.0	35.7	904.89	24.87	2,295.2	38.3	984.05	326.7	17.7	348.87
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	1,241.3	38.5	1,332.68	34.53	1,207.1	39.1	1,353.59	34.2	19.4	593.88
Health occupations	1,130.5	33.9	986.64	29.00	885.9	37.6	1,102.02	244.7	20.4	568.94
Occupations in education, law and social, community and government services	1,859.4	34.2	1,052.44	30.20	1,531.8	37.8	1,183.08	327.6	17.5	441.53
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	325.8	32.3	763.82	22.98	234.8	39.2	942.55	90.9	14.7	302.33
Sales and service occupations	4,010.9	31.2	551.40	16.65	2,640.0	38.1	714.73	1,370.9	17.9	236.86
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	2,276.0	40.1	1,010.96	24.84	2,138.4	41.6	1,056.61	137.6	18.0	301.79
Natural resources, agriculture and related production occupations	336.0	41.2	929.27	21.84	301.6	44.2	1,009.74	34.4	14.9	223.29
Occupations in manufacturing and utilities	795.3	39.5	836.73	20.96	764.4	40.4	859.21	30.9	18.7	281.49

Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0167.

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

Region	Effective from July 10, 2016 to August 6, 2016
	percent
Newfoundland and Labrador	
01. St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador	6.3
02. Newfoundland and Labrador ²	16.9
Prince Edward Island ³	
03. Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island	7.5
04. Prince Edward Island ⁴	14.0
Nova Scotia	
05. Eastern Nova Scotia	14.3
06. Western Nova Scotia	9.9
07. Halifax, Nova Scotia	5.6
New Brunswick	
08. Fredericton-Moncton-Saint John, New Brunswick	8.4
09. Madawaska-Charlotte, New Brunswick	7.6
10. Restigouche-Albert, New Brunswick	15.0
Quebec	
11. Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine, Quebec	17.2
12. Quebec, Quebec	4.2
13. Trois-Rivières, Quebec	7.1
14. South Central Quebec	5.7
15. Sherbrooke, Quebec	6.7
16. Montérégie, Quebec	7.1
17. Montreal, Quebec	8.0
18. Central Quebec	6.6
19. North Western Quebec	10.0
20. Lower Saint Lawrence and North Shore, Quebec	8.9
21. Hull, Quebec	7.3
22. Chicoutimi-Jonquière, Quebec	9.0
Ontario	
23. Ottawa, Ontario	6.7
24. Eastern Ontario	7.9
25. Kingston, Ontario	6.1
26. Central Ontario	6.6
27. Oshawa, Ontario	6.5
28. Toronto, Ontario	6.7
29. Hamilton, Ontario	6.1
30. St. Catharines, Ontario	8.5
31. London, Ontario	7.5
32. Niagara, Ontario	8.7
33. Windsor, Ontario	6.8
34. Kitchener, Ontario	5.6
35. Huron, Ontario	7.2
36. South Central Ontario	4.8
37. Sudbury, Ontario	8.2
38. Thunder Bay, Ontario	7.0
39. Northern Ontario	12.4
Manitoba	
40. Winnipeg, Manitoba	6.2
41. Southern Manitoba	7.2
42. Northern Manitoba	32.5
Saskatchewan	
43. Regina, Saskatchewan	5.2
44. Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	6.6
45. Southern Saskatchewan	7.2
46. Northern Saskatchewan	20.1

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 8 – continued

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

Region	Effective from July 10, 2016 to August 6, 2016
	percent
Alberta	
47. Calgary, Alberta	8.7
48. Edmonton, Alberta	7.0
49. Northern Alberta	12.6
50. Southern Alberta	8.7
British Columbia	
51. Southern Interior British Columbia	8.9
52. Abbotsford, British Columbia	6.9
53. Vancouver, British Columbia	5.4
54. Victoria, British Columbia	6.2
55. Southern Coastal British Columbia	6.8
56. Northern British Columbia	11.5
Territories ^{3, 5}	
57. Whitehorse, Yukon ⁶	5.9
58. Yukon	6.0
59. Yellowknife, Northwest Territories	6.4
60. Northwest Territories ⁷	12.2
61. Iqaluit, Nunavut	5.1
62. Nunavut ⁸	20.7

1. 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>.

2. This region excludes St. John's.

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

4. This region excludes Charlottetown.

5. 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.

6. This region excludes Whitehorse.

7. This region excludes Yellowknife.

8. This region excludes Iqaluit.

Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0168. 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.

Table 9-1
Students and other persons aged 15 to 24 (unadjusted) by detailed age groups

	June 2014	June 2015	June 2016	S.E. ¹	Change from		Percent change from	
					last year	two years ago	last year	two years ago
in thousands								
Students 15 to 24 years²								
Population	2,376.2	2,351.9	2,351.4	32.3	-0.5	-24.8	0.0	-1.0
Labour force	1,346.1	1,345.2	1,296.1	33.1	-49.1	-50.0	-3.7	-3.7
Employment	1,121.3	1,132.7	1,108.9	31.4	-23.8	-12.4	-2.1	-1.1
Full-time employment	391.3	406.6	370.2	21.0	-36.4	-21.1	-9.0	-5.4
Part-time employment	730.0	726.1	738.6	26.0	12.5	8.6	1.7	1.2
Unemployment	224.8	212.6	187.2	15.7	-25.4	-37.6	-11.9	-16.7
Participation rate	56.6	57.2	55.1	1.0	-2.1	-1.5	...	...
Unemployment rate	16.7	15.8	14.4	1.1	-1.4	-2.3	...	...
Employment rate	47.2	48.2	47.2	1.0	-1.0	0.0	...	...
Part-time rate	65.1	64.1	66.6	1.5	2.5	1.5	...	...
Students 15 to 16 years²								
Population	741.2	728.6	728.6	5.1	0.0	-12.6	0.0	-1.7
Labour force	231.1	221.2	212.5	12.5	-8.7	-18.6	-3.9	-8.0
Employment	163.8	163.0	159.8	11.2	-3.2	-4.0	-2.0	-2.4
Full-time employment	11.7	9.9	6.4	4.4	-3.5	-5.3	-35.4	-45.3
Part-time employment	152.2	153.1	153.5	10.5	0.4	1.3	0.3	0.9
Unemployment	67.3	58.2	52.7	8.1	-5.5	-14.6	-9.5	-21.7
Participation rate	31.2	30.4	29.2	1.7	-1.2	-2.0	...	...
Unemployment rate	29.1	26.3	24.8	2.7	-1.5	-4.3	...	...
Employment rate	22.1	22.4	21.9	1.5	-0.5	-0.2	...	...
Part-time rate	92.9	93.9	96.1	2.1	2.1	3.1	...	...
Students 17 to 19 years²								
Population	892.2	867.0	870.3	16.6	3.3	-21.9	0.4	-2.5
Labour force	550.7	559.2	545.2	18.4	-14.0	-5.5	-2.5	-1.0
Employment	459.1	461.3	467.1	17.6	5.8	8.0	1.3	1.7
Full-time employment	130.0	127.7	123.5	11.2	-4.2	-6.5	-3.3	-5.0
Part-time employment	329.0	333.6	343.6	16.0	10.0	14.6	3.0	4.4
Unemployment	91.6	97.9	78.1	10.6	-19.8	-13.5	-20.2	-14.7
Participation rate	61.7	64.5	62.6	1.6	-1.9	0.9	...	...
Unemployment rate	16.6	17.5	14.3	1.7	-3.2	-2.3	...	...
Employment rate	51.5	53.2	53.7	1.7	0.5	2.2	...	...
Part-time rate	71.7	72.3	73.6	2.0	1.2	1.9	...	...
Students 20 to 24 years²								
Population	742.9	756.2	752.5	26.7	-3.7	9.6	-0.5	1.3
Labour force	564.3	564.9	538.3	23.5	-26.6	-26.0	-4.7	-4.6
Employment	498.4	508.4	481.9	22.3	-26.5	-16.5	-5.2	-3.3
Full-time employment	249.6	269.0	240.4	16.3	-28.6	-9.2	-10.6	-3.7
Part-time employment	248.8	239.4	241.5	16.9	2.1	-7.3	0.9	-2.9
Unemployment	65.9	56.5	56.4	8.6	-0.1	-9.5	-0.2	-14.4
Participation rate	76.0	74.7	71.5	1.8	-3.2	-4.5	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.7	10.0	10.5	1.5	0.5	-1.2	...	...
Employment rate	67.1	67.2	64.0	1.9	-3.2	-3.1	...	...
Part-time rate	49.9	47.1	50.1	2.4	3.0	0.2	...	...
Other persons aged 15 to 24³								
Population	2,100.6	2,082.3	2,036.0	32.3	-46.3	-64.6	-2.2	-3.1
Labour force	1,757.6	1,729.9	1,702.1	31.7	-27.8	-55.5	-1.6	-3.2
Employment	1,560.5	1,543.7	1,509.1	30.8	-34.6	-51.4	-2.2	-3.3
Full-time employment	1,166.9	1,162.2	1,106.7	28.5	-55.5	-60.2	-4.8	-5.2
Part-time employment	393.5	381.4	402.5	20.1	21.1	9.0	5.5	2.3
Unemployment	197.1	186.2	193.0	14.5	6.8	-4.1	3.7	-2.1
Participation rate	83.7	83.1	83.6	0.9	0.5	-0.1	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.2	10.8	11.3	0.8	0.6	0.1	...	...
Employment rate	74.3	74.1	74.1	1.0	0.0	-0.2	...	...
Part-time rate	25.2	24.7	26.7	1.2	2.0	1.5	...	...

1. Average standard error of change over the year (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Students are persons aged 15 to 24 who attended school full-time in March and who are planning to return to school in the fall.

3. Other persons are all other youths aged 15 to 24 who are not included in the student population.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Table 282-0006.

Table 9-2
Students and other persons aged 15 to 24 (unadjusted) by province

	Population	Labour force					Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Full-time employment	Part-time employment	Unemployment			
	in thousands					percent			
Students¹									
Newfoundland and Labrador									
June 2015	28.1	14.3	12.0	4.8	7.2	2.3	50.9	16.1	42.7
June 2016	27.2	14.1	12.4	4.3	8.1	1.7	51.8	12.1	45.6
Prince Edward Island									
June 2015	9.8	6.6	5.5	2.3	3.2	1.1	67.3	16.7	56.1
June 2016	7.8	5.3	4.7	2.2	2.5	0.6	67.9	11.3	60.3
Nova Scotia									
June 2015	57.7	33.3	28.3	11.4	17.0	4.9	57.7	14.7	49.0
June 2016	58.5	35.8	29.8	12.2	17.6	6.0	61.2	16.8	50.9
New Brunswick									
June 2015	39.7	22.8	17.4	7.0	10.4	5.4	57.4	23.7	43.8
June 2016	43.1	26.1	20.6	9.9	10.8	5.5	60.6	21.1	47.8
Quebec									
June 2015	549.7	346.5	295.4	108.1	187.2	51.2	63.0	14.8	53.7
June 2016	538.0	328.6	281.3	98.1	183.2	47.3	61.1	14.4	52.3
Ontario									
June 2015	1,009.3	560.3	459.7	162.1	297.6	100.6	55.5	18.0	45.5
June 2016	1,007.4	528.4	455.3	150.1	305.2	73.0	52.5	13.8	45.2
Manitoba									
June 2015	73.1	40.6	34.7	13.6	21.0	5.9	55.5	14.5	47.5
June 2016	77.0	43.5	36.4	12.6	23.8	7.2	56.5	16.6	47.3
Saskatchewan									
June 2015	65.2	37.4	33.4	11.1	22.3	4.0	57.4	10.7	51.2
June 2016	62.7	36.2	32.0	10.1	21.8	4.2	57.7	11.6	51.0
Alberta									
June 2015	220.4	129.7	113.4	38.7	74.6	16.3	58.8	12.6	51.5
June 2016	229.1	125.5	104.0	36.1	68.0	21.5	54.8	17.1	45.4
British Columbia									
June 2015	299.0	153.8	132.9	47.4	85.6	20.8	51.4	13.5	44.4
June 2016	300.5	152.6	132.3	34.7	97.6	20.3	50.8	13.3	44.0
Other persons aged 15-24²									
Newfoundland and Labrador									
June 2015	28.1	24.1	19.6	15.8	3.8	4.6	85.8	19.1	69.8
June 2016	28.3	21.7	19.4	15.5	3.9	2.4	76.7	11.1	68.6
Prince Edward Island									
June 2015	8.5	7.9	7.0	5.4	1.6	0.9	92.9	11.4	82.4
June 2016	10.1	8.8	7.7	6.1	1.6	1.1	87.1	12.5	76.2
Nova Scotia									
June 2015	53.9	42.9	38.1	29.9	8.1	5.0	79.6	11.7	70.7
June 2016	51.4	41.3	37.2	29.2	8.0	4.2	80.4	10.2	72.4
New Brunswick									
June 2015	45.0	38.2	30.6	24.4	6.3	7.6	84.9	19.9	68.0
June 2016	40.1	33.6	29.7	24.4	5.3	4.0	83.8	11.9	74.1
Quebec									
June 2015	410.2	352.3	309.5	231.0	78.5	42.8	85.9	12.1	75.5
June 2016	398.9	348.5	310.2	219.2	91.1	38.3	87.4	11.0	77.8
Ontario									
June 2015	788.1	647.6	571.1	422.6	148.5	76.5	82.2	11.8	72.5
June 2016	777.8	643.4	560.7	409.5	151.2	82.8	82.7	12.9	72.1
Manitoba									
June 2015	89.9	71.8	65.2	49.3	15.9	6.6	79.9	9.2	72.5
June 2016	86.0	71.9	64.0	46.6	17.4	8.0	83.6	11.1	74.4
Saskatchewan									
June 2015	71.5	62.7	57.7	48.0	9.7	5.1	87.7	8.1	80.7
June 2016	72.0	61.3	55.9	45.5	10.5	5.4	85.1	8.8	77.6

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 9-2 – continued

Students and other persons aged 15 to 24 (unadjusted) by province

	Population	Labour force				Unemployment	Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Full-time employment	Part-time employment				
in thousands						percent			
Alberta									
June 2015	303.1	254.1	237.3	199.2	38.1	16.9	83.8	6.7	78.3
June 2016	287.7	236.3	210.1	160.0	50.0	26.2	82.1	11.1	73.0
British Columbia									
June 2015	284.0	228.1	207.6	136.6	71.0	20.5	80.3	9.0	73.1
June 2016	283.5	235.1	214.3	150.8	63.6	20.8	82.9	8.8	75.6

1. Students are persons aged 15 to 24 who attended school full-time in March and who are planning to return to school in the fall.

2. Other persons are all other youths aged 15 to 24 who are not included in the student population.

Note(s): Related CANSIM Table 282-0006.

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 at a job or business;
- (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 but had a new job to start within four weeks 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 (employed and unemployed). The unemployment rate for a particular group (for example, age, sex, or marital status) is the number unemployed in that group expressed as a percentage of the labour force for that group.

The **participation rate** represents the total labour force expressed as a percentage of the population aged 15 years and over. The participation rate for a particular group (for example, women aged 25 years and over) is the labour force in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group.

The **employment rate** represents the number of employed persons expressed as a percentage of the population aged 15 years and over. The employment rate for a particular group (for example, age, sex, marital status, or province) 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 (for example, age or sex) is the number of persons employed part-time in that group expressed as a percentage of the employed for that group.

All geographic regions are based on the 2011 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.

For more information on seasonal adjustment, see *Seasonally adjusted data – Frequently asked questions*.

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

Approximately two-thirds (68%) of the time, 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% confidence level, the change in the estimate must be greater than twice the standard error in order to ensure that change is real.

Movements in estimates that are smaller than the standard 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 standard 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 18,000,000. The associated standard error for the movement estimate is 29,500. 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 -13,500 to +45,500 (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 -31,200 to +63,200 (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 -43,000 to +75,000 (16,000 + or – two standard errors).

For more detailed explanations on the 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)*.

Documentation

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

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