Labour Force Survey, July 2023

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Highlights

Employment was little changed in July (-6,000; -0.0%). The unemployment rate increased 0.1 percentage points to 5.5%, marking the third consecutive monthly increase.

Employment fell among core-aged men aged 25 to 54 years old (-27,000; -0.4%) and increased among male youth aged 15 to 24 (+13,000; +0.9%). There was little variation in employment among young and core-aged women, and among men and women aged 55 and older.

There were fewer people employed in construction (-45,000; -2.8%), public administration (-17,000; -1.4%), information, culture and recreation (-16,000; -1.8%) as well as in transportation and warehousing (-14,000; -1.3%). Employment rose in health care and social assistance (+25,000; +0.9%), educational services (+19,000; +1.3%), finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing (+15,000; +1.1%) and agriculture (+12,000; +4.6%).

Employment increased in Alberta (+12,000; +0.5%), New Brunswick (+4,200; +1.1%) and Prince Edward Island (+1,500; +1.7%), while it declined in Manitoba (-6,400; -0.9%) and Saskatchewan (-5,700; -1.0%). All other provinces posted little change in July.

On a year-over-year basis, average hourly wages rose 5.0% in July, following increases of 4.2% in June and 5.1% in May.

Total hours worked were virtually unchanged in July and were up 2.1% on a year-over-year basis.

One-third of employed postsecondary students worked in a job closely related to their field of study in July.

Employment holds steady as population grows

Employment was virtually unchanged in July (-6,000; -0.0%), as the number of people working full-time and part-time held steady. From January to July, monthly employment growth has averaged 22,000.

The employment rate—the proportion of the population aged 15 and older who are employed—was 62.0% in July, down 0.2 percentage points in the month and little changed on a year-over-year basis. From January to July, the employment rate fell 0.5 percentage points, as population growth (+1.4%) outpaced growth in employment (+0.7%) over this period.



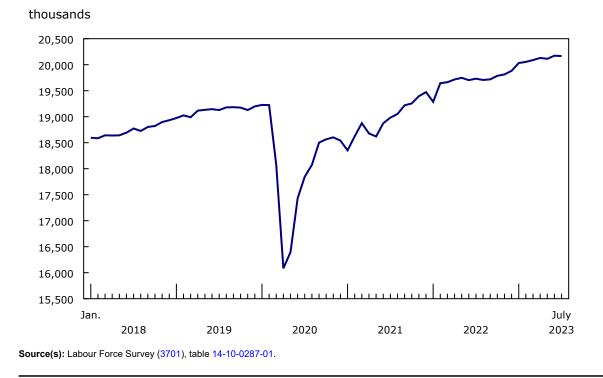


Chart 1 Employment holds steady in July

Employment declines among core-aged men and rises among young men

Among core-aged men (25 to 54 years old), employment fell by 27,000 (-0.4%) in July, partially offsetting cumulative gains of 92,000 from March to June. The employment rate for men in this age group was 87.6% in July, down 0.6 percentage points both from the previous month and from 12 months earlier.

Among core-aged women, employment was little changed in July and the employment rate fell 0.3 percentage points to 81.4%. After reaching a peak of 82.2% in January 2023, the employment rate of core-aged women has trended down.

In July, employment rose among young men aged 15 to 24 (+13,000; +0.9%), driven by gains in full-time work, and held steady among young women. The employment rate of young men (58.2%) was little changed in the month and was up 1.1 percentage points on a year-over-year basis. The employment rate for young women was 58.1% in July, little changed in the month but down 2.8 percentage points from 12 months earlier.

There was little change in the employment level for women and men aged 55 and older in July, and their employment rate held steady both in the month and on a year-over-year basis (40.3% for men and 30.7% for women in July). Recent data collected as part of a series of supplements to the Labour Force Survey (LFS) showed that the majority of older workers who were planning to retire would continue working longer if they could reduce hours and stress.

Employment rate among recent immigrants down year over year in July

Employment growth in the past year has occurred in the context of historically high population growth. A notable aspect of this population growth has been the contribution of record-high immigration levels.

In July, the employment rate of core-aged recent immigrants—those who had become landed immigrants in the previous five years—was 77.7%, down 2.3 percentage points from July 2022 (80.0%). In comparison, the employment rate of those born in Canada was 86.6% in July 2023, little changed from 12 months earlier (three-month moving averages; not seasonally adjusted).

Despite the year-over-year decline, the employment rate of core-aged recent immigrants in July 2023 remained higher than before the COVID-19 pandemic; the average rate in July for this group from 2017 to 2019 was 70.8%. Similarly, in July 2023, the employment rate for core-aged persons born in Canada was above the average rate for the same month from 2017 to 2019 (84.9%) (three-month moving averages; not seasonally adjusted).

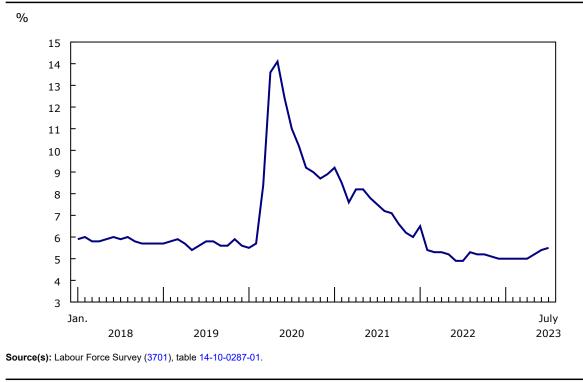
Unemployment rate increases for third consecutive month

The unemployment rate rose 0.1 percentage points to 5.5% in July, following increases in May (+0.2 percentage points) and June (+0.2 percentage points). This was the first time the unemployment rate had increased for three consecutive months since the early months of the COVID-19 pandemic.

For female youth aged 15 to 24, the unemployment rate increased 1.5 percentage points from April to July to reach 10.3%. The unemployment rate also rose by 0.8 percentage points during this same period to 5.0% for core-aged women and by 0.8 percentage points to 4.3% for women aged 55 and older. At the same time, there was little change in the unemployment rate for men across the same age groups.

In July 2023, more than half of the unemployed (53.6%) had been out of the labour force (either unavailable or not searching for work) immediately prior to becoming unemployed, while 38.7% had left or lost a job. The remainder (7.7%) were on temporary lay-off or were waiting to start a new position. These proportions were little changed from a year earlier (not seasonally adjusted).

Chart 2 Unemployment rate rises from 5.0% to 5.5% in three months



Wages up among both men and women

On a year-over-year basis, average hourly wages rose 5.0% (+\$1.59 to \$33.24) in July, following increases of 4.2% in June and 5.1% in May (not seasonally adjusted).

Wages grew at a similar pace for core-aged men (+5.0% to \$38.72) and core-aged women (+5.0% to \$33.98) over the 12-month period. Wages for all employees rose at a slightly faster rate for full-time employees (+5.2% to \$34.95) than for those working part-time (+4.7% to \$23.50).

Employment rate among female students down from the summer of 2022

From May to August, the LFS collects labour market data on youth aged 15 to 24 who were full-time students in March and who intend to return to school full time in September. The results are not seasonally adjusted.

The employment rate among female returning students aged 15 to 24 was 59.1% in July, down from a recent high for the month of July recorded in 2022 (62.8%). In comparison, the pre-pandemic average for the month of July from 2017 to 2019 was 60.7%.

The employment rate among male returning students aged 15 to 24 was 57.0% in July, up 1.8 percentage points from July 2022, and above the average of 53.7% for the month of July from 2017 to 2019.

Employment falls in four industries, led by construction, and increases in four others

In construction, employment decreased by 45,000 (-2.8%) in July, following a smaller decline of 14,000 (-0.8%) in June. Since January 2023, employment in construction decreased by 71,000, offsetting cumulative increases of 65,000 from September 2022 to January 2023. In July, the decline was concentrated in British Columbia (-21,000), Quebec (-11,000) and Ontario (-9,000).

Following four months of little change, the number of people working in public administration fell by 17,000 (-1.4%) in July. Compared with a year earlier, employment in public administration was up by 42,000 (+3.7%).

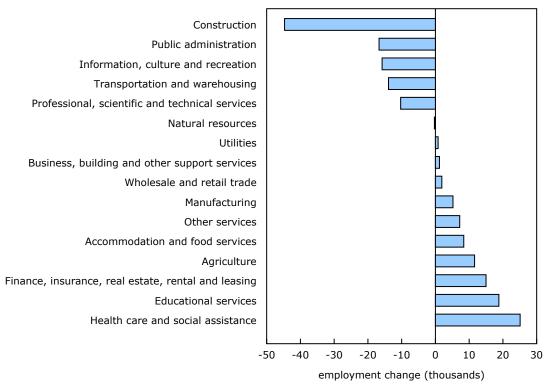
In July, employment in information, culture and recreation declined by 16,000 (-1.8%), marking the first monthly decrease in the industry since June 2022. Meanwhile, the number of people working in transportation and warehousing fell by 14,000 (-1.3%), offsetting an increase of 10,000 (+1.0%) in June.

Employment in health care and social assistance was up 25,000 (+0.9%) in July, following an increase of 21,000 in June. Compared with 12 months earlier, employment in the industry was up by 92,000 (+3.6%). Although unmet labour demand in health care and social assistance remains elevated, the number of vacancies in the industry has decreased by 12,500 (-8.5%) to reach 134,500 in May 2023, according to the latest data from the Job Vacancy and Wage Survey.

The number of people working in educational services increased by 19,000 (+1.3%) in July, offsetting a decrease of 14,000 recorded in June. The increase in July was concentrated in Ontario (+15,000; +2.7%).

Although employment in manufacturing was little changed in July, total hours worked were up 3.9% from June. Employment in manufacturing previously increased in May (+13,000; +0.7%) and June (+27,000; +1.5%), following seven months of little variation.

Chart 3 Employment declines in four industries and increases in four others



Note(s): Change statistically significant in construction; public administration; information, culture and recreation; transportation and warehousing; agriculture; finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing; educational services; and health care and social assistance. **Source(s):** Labour Force Survey (3701), table 14-10-0355-01.

Employment gains in three provinces in July

Employment rose in Alberta, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island in July, while it declined in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. There was little change in the other provinces. For further information on key province and industry level labour market indicators, see "Labour Force Survey in brief: Interactive app."

In Alberta, employment increased by 12,000 (+0.5%) in July. Compared with July 2022, employment was up by 83,000 (+3.5%), with nearly three-quarters of the increase occurring over the first seven months of 2023. With more people searching for work, the unemployment rate rose 0.4 percentage points to 6.1% in July. The unemployment rates in the Calgary (6.3%) and Edmonton (6.0%) census metropolitan areas (CMAs) were on par with the provincial rate (three-month moving averages).

Employment in New Brunswick increased by 4,200 (+1.1%) in July, the first notable gain since February 2023. The unemployment rate was little changed at 6.2% in July, while the participation rate rose 0.4 percentage points to 60.4%.

Employment also rose in Prince Edward Island (+1,500; +1.7%) in July, partly offsetting losses in June. The unemployment rate in the province was little changed at 8.1%.

In Manitoba, employment fell by 6,400 (-0.9%) in July, the first decrease since April 2023, and the unemployment rate increased 0.6 percentage points to reach 4.9%. In the Winnipeg CMA, the unemployment rate was 4.9% in July (three-month moving averages).

Saskatchewan posted its first employment decline (-5,700; -1.0%) since March 2023 and the unemployment rate increased 0.4 percentage points to 5.1%.

Following cumulative gains totalling 236,000 (+3.1%) from September 2022 to June 2023, employment in Ontario held steady in July. The unemployment rate in the province was little changed at 5.6%.

In Quebec, employment changed little for the sixth consecutive month in July. The unemployment rate held steady at 4.5%. On a year-over-year basis, employment in the province increased by 100,000 (+2.3%), the result of gains mostly in the second half of 2022.

In the spotlight: Among employed postsecondary students, nearly one in three work in a job closely related to their field of study

For many students, a summer job is an opportunity to earn income and start gaining work experience. For others, including many post-secondary students, working in the summer can be a way to acquire specialized skills and establish professional contacts that can facilitate their transition to the labour market. In July 2023, new data on the experiences of employed postsecondary students were collected as part of a series of supplements to the LFS on the quality of employment.

In July 2023, among workers aged 18 to 24 who had been postsecondary students at some point since January 2023, 30.6% indicated that they were in a job closely related to their field of study. Among full-time postsecondary students who did not intend to return to school in the fall or were unsure to return, the proportion was higher (48.1%). This suggests that non-returning students may be making specific efforts to find a job related to their studies.

While not all postsecondary students were working in a job directly related to their field, many were still benefitting from informal training for which they did not receive a certificate or official recognition, including onboarding programs and job shadowing. In June 2023, 82.0% of paid employees aged 18 to 24 who had studied at postsecondary institutions since January had received informal training in the context of their job.

For employers, hiring students may represent an opportunity to identify, recruit and retain workers. Among students working in a job closely related to their field of study, 62.3% indicated that they intended to continue working for the same employer after their studies, compared with 32.1% of those in a job somewhat related to their studies and 11.1% among students in a job not at all related to their studies. Student employees who had received informal training were also more likely to intend to stay with their current employer (32.6%) than those who had not (16.9%).

Sustainable Development Goals

On January 1, 2016, the world officially began implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development—the United Nations' transformative plan of action that addresses urgent global challenges over the next 15 years. The plan is based on 17 specific sustainable development goals.

The Labour Force Survey is an example of how Statistics Canada supports the reporting on the Global Goals for Sustainable Development. This release will be used in helping to measure the following goals:



Note to readers

The Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates for July are for the week of July 9 to 15, 2023.

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."

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

LFS estimates at the Canada level do not include the territories.

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 Employment, Payrolls 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 those from the SEPH, refer to section 8 of the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (**71-543-G**).

Face-to-face personal interviewing resumed in November 2022. Telephone interviews continued to be conducted by interviewers working from their homes rather than Statistics Canada's call centres, as they have since March 2020. Over 44,000 interviews were completed in July and in-depth data quality evaluations conducted each month confirm that the LFS continues to produce an accurate portrait of Canada's labour market.

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 people as a percentage of the labour force (employed and unemployed).

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

Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week at their main or only job.

Part-time employment consists of persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week at their main or only job.

Total hours worked refers to the number of hours actually worked at the main job by the respondent during the reference week, including paid and unpaid hours. These hours reflect temporary decreases or increases in work hours (for example, hours lost due to illness, vacation, holidays or weather; or more hours worked due to overtime).

In general, month-to-month or year-to-year changes in the number of people employed in an age group reflect the net effect of two factors: (1) the number of people who changed employment status between reference periods, and (2) the number of employed people who entered or left the age group (including through aging, death or migration) between reference periods.

Seasonal adjustment

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

Next release

The next release of the LFS will be on September 8, 2023. August 2023 data will reflect labour market conditions during the week of August 13 to 19, 2023.

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

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
	thous	ands (except rates)	change in thousar	nds (except rates)	% ch	ange
15 years and over, both sexes							
Population	32,449.4	32,531.3		81.9	748.9	0.3	2.4
Labour force Employment	21,319.9 20,172.8	21,333.2 20,166.4	31.6 30.7	13.3 -6.4	590.6 435.3	0.1 -0.0	2.8 2.2
Full-time employment	16,557.6	16,559.3	40.7	-0.4	368.9	-0.0	2.2
Part-time employment	3,615.2	3,607.1	37.1	-8.1	66.4	-0.2	1.9
Unemployment	1,147.1	1,166.8	24.8	19.7	155.3	1.7	15.4
Participation rate	65.7	65.6	0.1	-0.1	0.3		
Unemployment rate	5.4	5.5	0.1	0.1	0.6		
Employment rate	62.2	62.0	0.1	-0.2	-0.1		
15 to 24 years, both sexes Population	4.614.5	4,636.0		21.5	162.8	0.5	3.6
Labour force	3,025.8	3,000.6	 18.0	-25.2	102.8	-0.8	3.5
Employment	2,676.6	2,695.0	16.9	-23.2	58.5	-0.8	2.2
Full-time employment	1,361.3	1,362.6	20.2	1.3	-4.2	0.1	-0.3
Part-time employment	1,315.3	1,332.3	21.0	17.0	62.6	1.3	4.9
Unemployment	349.2	305.7	13.9	-43.5	43.4	-12.5	16.5
Participation rate	65.6	64.7	0.4	-0.9	-0.1		
Unemployment rate	11.5	10.2	0.4	-1.3	1.2		
Employment rate	58.0	58.1	0.4	0.1	-0.8		
25 years and over, both sexes Population	27.834.9	27,895.3		60.4	586.1	0.2	2.1
Labour force	27,834.9 18,294.0	27,895.3	 25.3	38.5	488.6	0.2	2.1
Employment	17,496.2	17,471.4	25.5	-24.8	376.8	-0.1	2.7
Full-time employment	15,196.3	15,196.7	35.0	0.4	373.0	0.0	2.5
Part-time employment	2,299.8	2,274.8	30.9	-25.0	3.9	-1.1	0.2
Unemployment	797.9	861.1	20.3	63.2	111.8	7.9	14.9
Participation rate	65.7	65.7	0.1	0.0	0.4		
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.7	0.1	0.3	0.5		
Employment rate	62.9	62.6	0.1	-0.3	0.0		
25 years and over, men Population	10 070 1	10 704 4		22.0	200.0	0.0	
Labour force	13,672.1 9,638.1	13,704.1 9,638.1	 16.4	32.0 0.0	308.0 230.7	0.2 0.0	2.3 2.5
Employment	9,038.1	9,030.1	17.2	-22.0	183.9	-0.2	2.0
Full-time employment	8,444.2	8,423.9	23.2	-22.0	130.4	-0.2	2.0
Part-time employment	774.1	772.5	19.2	-1.6	53.5	-0.2	7.4
Unemployment	419.8	441.7	14.5	21.9	46.8	5.2	11.9
Participation rate	70.5	70.3	0.1	-0.2	0.1		
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.6	0.1	0.2	0.4		
Employment rate	67.4	67.1	0.1	-0.3	-0.2		
25 years and over, women							
Population	14,162.8	14,191.2		28.4	278.1	0.2	2.0
Labour force	8,655.9	8,694.4	17.9	38.5	257.9	0.4	3.1
Employment	8,277.8 6,752.1	8,275.0 6,772.8	17.8 26.0	-2.8 20.7	192.9 242.6	-0.0 0.3	2.4 3.7
Full-time employment Part-time employment	1,525.7	1,502.3	20.0	-23.4	-49.6	-1.5	-3.2
Unemployment	378.1	419.4	14.0	41.3	65.0	10.9	18.3
Participation rate	61.1	61.3	0.1	0.2	0.7		
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.8	0.2	0.4	0.6		
Employment rate	58.4	58.3	0.1	-0.1	0.2		
25 to 54 years, both sexes						_ .	-
Population	15,453.2	15,493.9		40.7	371.2	0.3	2.5
Labour force	13,727.1	13,754.8	23.8	27.7	381.3	0.2	2.9
Employment	13,127.9	13,096.6	25.1	-31.3	262.0	-0.2	2.0
Unemployment Participation rate	599.2 88.8	658.1 88.8	18.5 0.2	58.9 0.0	119.2 0.4	9.8	22.1
Unemployment rate	88.8	4.8	0.2	0.0	0.4		
Employment rate	4.4 85.0	4.8 84.5	0.1	-0.5	-0.4		
25 to 54 years, men							
Population	7,747.5	7,769.9		22.4	203.4	0.3	2.7
Labour force	7,145.5	7,136.1	15.2	-9.4	182.5	-0.1	2.6
Employment	6,834.4	6,807.5	16.6	-26.9	130.2	-0.4	1.9
Unemployment	311.1	328.6	13.3	17.5	52.3	5.6	18.9
Participation rate	92.2	91.8	0.2	-0.4	-0.1		
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Unemployment rate Employment rate	4.4 88.2	4.6 87.6	0.2 0.2	0.2 -0.6	0.6 -0.6		

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
25 to 54 years, women	2020	2020			2020		2020
Population	7.705.7	7.724.0		18.3	167.8	0.2	2.2
Labour force	6,581.6	6,618.7	17.5	37.1	198.8	0.6	3.1
Employment	6,293.6	6,289.1	18.0	-4.5	131.8	-0.1	2.1
Unemployment	288.0	329.6	12.7	41.6	67.0	14.4	25.5
Participation rate	85.4	85.7	0.2	0.3	0.7		
Unemployment rate	4.4	5.0	0.2	0.6	0.9		
Employment rate	81.7	81.4	0.2	-0.3	-0.1		
55 years and over, both sexes							
Population	12,381.7	12,401.4		19.7	214.9	0.2	1.8
Labour force	4,566.9	4,577.8	20.2	10.9	107.5	0.2	2.4
Employment	4,368.2	4,374.8	20.4	6.6	114.8	0.2	2.7
Unemployment	198.7	203.0	10.0	4.3	-7.4	2.2	-3.5
Participation rate	36.9	36.9	0.2	0.0	0.2		
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.4	0.2	0.0	-0.3		
Employment rate	35.3	35.3	0.2	0.0	0.3		
55 years and over, men							
Population	5,924.6	5,934.2		9.6	104.6	0.2	1.8
Labour force	2,492.6	2,502.0	13.5	9.4	48.2	0.4	2.0
Employment	2,384.0	2,388.9	13.8	4.9	53.8	0.2	2.3
Unemployment	108.6	113.1	7.3	4.5	-5.5	4.1	-4.6
Participation rate	42.1	42.2	0.2	0.1	0.1		
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.5	0.3	0.1	-0.3		
Employment rate	40.2	40.3	0.2	0.1	0.2		
55 years and over, women							
Population	6,457.1	6,467.2		10.1	110.3	0.2	1.7
Labour force	2,074.3	2,075.8	13.9	1.5	59.3	0.1	2.9
Employment	1,984.3	1,985.9	13.8	1.6	61.1	0.1	3.2
Unemployment	90.1	89.8	6.6	-0.3	-1.9	-0.3	-2.1
Participation rate	32.1	32.1	0.2	0.0	0.4		
Unemployment rate	4.3	4.3	0.3	0.0	-0.2		
Employment rate	30.7	30.7	0.2	0.0	0.4		

Table 1 - continued Labour force characteristics by age group and sex, seasonally adjusted

... not applicable 1. Average standard error of change between two consecutive months. See the "Data Quality" section of the *Guide to the Labour Force Survey* (71-543-G) for more

information. **Note(s):** The sum of individual categories may not always add up to the total as a result of rounding. **Source(s):** Table 14-10-0287-02.

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

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
		thousands		change in th	nousands	% cha	inge
Class of worker							
Employees	17,557.4	17,556.9	35.2	-0.5	476.7	-0.0	2.8
Public sector employees	4,224.8	4,241.9	19.1	17.1	62.9	0.4	1.5
Private sector employees	13,332.5	13,315.0	34.4	-17.5	413.8	-0.1	3.2
Self-employed	2,615.4	2,609.5	22.8	-5.9	-41.4	-0.2	-1.6
Total employed, all industries	20,172.8	20,166.4	30.7	-6.4	435.3	-0.0	2.2
Goods-producing sector	4,156.4	4,128.9	19.1	-27.5	37.4	-0.7	0.9
Agriculture	254.1	265.7	5.6	11.6	8.5	4.6	3.3
Natural resources ²	325.7	325.4	5.8	-0.3	-1.7	-0.1	-0.5
Utilities	156.3	157.1	3.7	0.8	8.7	0.5	5.9
Construction	1,584.7	1,540.0	13.0	-44.7	-25.7	-2.8	-1.6
Manufacturing	1,835.5	1,840.7	13.1	5.2	47.6	0.3	2.7
Services-producing sector	16,016.3	16,037.5	30.6	21.2	397.9	0.1	2.5
Wholesale and retail trade	2,999.1	3,001.0	17.0	1.9	6.7	0.1	0.2
Transportation and warehousing	1,031.3	1,017.4	10.3	-13.9	25.8	-1.3	2.6
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	1,402.4	1,417.4	10.7	15.0	49.9	1.1	3.6
Professional, scientific and technical services	1,843.7	1,833.4	13.5	-10.3	15.5	-0.6	0.9
Business, building and other support services	677.4	678.6	10.8	1.2	-22.6	0.2	-3.2
Educational services	1,479.9	1,498.7	12.0	18.8	24.1	1.3	1.6
Health care and social assistance	2,653.8	2,678.9	13.1	25.1	92.1	0.9	3.6
Information, culture and recreation	857.2	841.4	11.6	-15.8	28.6	-1.8	3.5
Accommodation and food services	1,126.9	1,135.3	12.7	8.4	79.0	0.7	7.5
Other services (except public administration)	752.3	759.5	9.3	7.2	56.9	1.0	8.1
Public administration	1,192.5	1,175.8	8.5	-16.7	41.6	-1.4	3.7

1. Average standard error of change between two consecutive months. See the "Data Quality" section of the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G) for more information.

2. Also referred to as "Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction."

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Table 3Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
	thousa	ands (except rates	3)	change in thousa	nds (except rates)	% ch	ange
Newfoundland and Labrador Population Labour force Employment Full-time employment Part-time employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	455.0 259.0 236.1 197.8 38.3 22.8 56.9 8.8 51.9	455.7 259.6 236.9 200.4 36.5 22.7 57.0 8.7 52.0	2.0 2.2 2.4 1.8 1.9 0.4 0.7	0.7 0.6 0.8 2.6 -1.8 -0.1 0.1 0.1	7.1 -0.2 3.7 1.9 1.8 -3.9 -0.9 -1.5 0.0	0.2 0.2 0.3 1.3 -4.7 -0.4 	1.6 -0.1 1.6 1.0 5.2 -14.7
Prince Edward Island Population Labour force Employment Full-time employment Part-time employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	144.5 94.3 86.6 74.3 12.4 7.7 65.3 8.2 59.9	145.0 95.9 88.1 74.4 13.7 7.8 66.1 8.1 60.8	 1.1 1.3 1.0 0.8 0.7 0.9 0.7	0.5 1.6 1.5 0.1 1.3 0.1 0.8 -0.1 0.9	5.3 5.6 3.5 0.5 2.1 1.5 1.8 0.2	0.3 1.7 1.7 0.1 10.5 1.3 	3.8 6.2 4.1 4.2 3.8 36.8
Nova Scotia Population Labour force Employment Full-time employment Part-time employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	862.6 529.8 495.7 406.3 89.4 34.1 61.4 6.4 57.5	865.4 536.8 495.2 408.8 86.4 41.6 62.0 7.7 57.2	2.9 3.0 4.0 3.5 2.5 0.3 0.5 0.4	2.8 7.0 -0.5 2.5 -3.0 7.5 0.6 1.3 -0.3	24.4 19.6 11.8 10.2 1.6 7.7 0.5 1.1 -0.3	0.3 1.3 -0.1 0.6 -3.4 22.0 	2.9 3.8 2.4 1.9 22.7
New Brunswick Population Labour force Employment Full-time employment Part-time employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	682.4 409.4 383.3 329.4 53.9 26.1 60.0 6.4 56.2	684.5 413.2 387.5 334.4 53.1 25.7 60.4 6.2 56.6	 2.4 3.1 2.5 2.1 0.4 0.5 0.4	2.1 3.8 4.2 5.0 -0.8 -0.4 -0.4 -0.2 0.4	20.2 8.7 12.7 7.7 5.0 -4.1 -0.5 -1.2 0.2	0.3 0.9 1.1 1.5 -1.5 -1.5 	3.0 2.2 3.4 2.4 10.4 -13.8
Quebec Population Labour force Employment Full-time employment Part-time employment Unemployment rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	7,248.9 4,704.1 4,498.2 3,687.0 811.2 205.9 64.9 4.4 62.1	7,259.6 4,701.0 4,489.7 3,650.7 839.0 211.3 64.8 4.5 61.8	 16.0 16.2 20.4 19.0 12.2 0.2 0.3 0.2	10.7 -3.1 -8.5 -36.3 27.8 5.4 -0.1 0.1 -0.3	101.8 120.9 100.3 45.8 54.5 20.6 0.8 0.3 0.5	0.1 -0.1 -0.2 -1.0 3.4 2.6 	1.4 2.6 2.3 1.3 6.9 10.8
Ontario Population Labour force Employment Full-ime employment Part-time employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	12,784.4 8,428.0 7,951.3 6,567.4 1,383.9 476.7 65.9 5.7 62.2	12,818.5 8,422.0 7,949.3 6,566.0 1,383.3 472.7 65.7 5.6 62.0	20.8 20.0 26.7 24.1 16.6 0.2 0.2 0.2	34.1 -6.0 -2.0 -1.4 -0.6 -4.0 -0.2 -0.1 -0.2	299.2 238.6 182.4 164.1 18.3 56.2 0.3 0.5 0.0	0.3 -0.1 -0.0 -0.0 -0.0 -0.0 -0.8 	2.4 2.9 2.3 1.3 13.5
Manitoba Population Labour force Employment Full-time employment Part-time employment Unemployment Participation rate Unemployment rate Employment rate	1,087.1 727.9 696.2 571.3 124.9 31.6 67.0 4.3 64.0	1,089.4 725.6 689.8 570.1 119.8 66.6 4.9 63.3	3.2 3.2 4.3 3.9 2.6 0.3 0.4 0.3	2.3 -2.3 -6.4 -1.2 -5.1 4.2 -0.4 0.6 -0.7	25.0 20.9 12.9 -7.8 7.9 0.4 0.9 -0.3	0.2 -0.3 -0.9 -0.2 -4.1 13.3 	2.3 3.0 1.9 3.8 -6.1 28.3

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
Saskatchewan							
Population	922.9	925.0		2.1	24.6	0.2	2.7
Labour force	618.6	615.2	3.0	-3.4	8.7	-0.5	1.4
Employment	589.5	583.8	3.0	-5.7	2.1	-1.0	0.4
Full-time employment	487.9	482.7	3.9	-5.2	2.0	-1.1	0.4
Part-time employment	101.6	101.1	3.6	-0.5	0.1	-0.5	0.1
Unemployment	29.2	31.4	2.2	2.2	6.6	7.5	26.6
Participation rate	67.0	66.5	0.3	-0.5	-0.9		
Unemployment rate	4.7	5.1	0.4	0.4	1.0		
Employment rate	63.9	63.1	0.3	-0.8	-1.5		
Alberta							
Population	3,748.3	3,764.0		15.7	147.2	0.4	4.1
Labour force	2,606.6	2,630.1	11.5	23.5	118.5	0.9	4.7
Employment	2,457.6	2,469.4	11.4	11.8	82.8	0.5	3.5
Full-time employment	2,013.8	2,045.3	15.5	31.5	86.5	1.6	4.4
Part-time employment	443.8	424.1	14.0	-19.7	-3.7	-4.4	-0.9
Unemployment	149.0	160.6	9.4	11.6	35.5	7.8	28.4
Participation rate	69.5	69.9	0.3	0.4	0.5		
Unemployment rate	5.7	6.1	0.4	0.4	1.1		
Employment rate	65.6	65.6	0.3	0.0	-0.4		
British Columbia							
Population	4,513.2	4,524.2		11.0	94.0	0.2	2.1
Labour force	2,942.1	2,933.8	11.0	-8.3	49.3	-0.3	1.7
Employment	2,778.2	2,776.6	10.6	-1.6	22.8	-0.1	0.8
Full-time employment	2,222.4	2,226.5	14.6	4.1	26.8	0.2	1.2
Part-time employment	555.8	550.1	13.8	-5.7	-4.0	-1.0	-0.7
Unemployment	163.9	157.2	8.4	-6.7	26.5	-4.1	20.3
Participation rate	65.2	64.8	0.2	-0.4	-0.3		
Unemployment rate	5.6	5.4	0.3	-0.2	0.9		
Employment rate	61.6	61.4	0.2	-0.2	-0.8		

Table 3 - continued Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted

... not applicable 1. Average standard error of change between two consecutive months. See the "Data Quality" section of the *Guide to the Labour Force Survey* (71-543-G) for more

information. **Note(s):** The sum of individual categories may not always add up to the total as a result of rounding. **Source(s):** Table 14-10-0287-03.

Table 4

Labour force characteristics by province, age group and sex, seasonally adjusted (Newfoundland and Labrador, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick)

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
	thousa	nds (except rates)	change in thousa	nds (except rates)	% cł	ange
Newfoundland and Labrador							
Both sexes, 15 years and over							
Population	455.0	455.7		0.7	7.1	0.2	1.6
Labour force	259.0	259.6	2.0	0.6	-0.2	0.2	-0.1
Employment	236.1	236.9	2.2	0.8	3.7	0.3	1.6
Full-time employment	197.8	200.4	2.4	2.6	1.9	1.3	1.0
Unemployment	22.8	22.7	1.9	-0.1	-3.9	-0.4	-14.7
Participation rate	56.9	57.0	0.4	0.1	-0.9		
Unemployment rate	8.8	8.7	0.7	-0.1	-1.5		
Employment rate	51.9	52.0	0.5	0.1	0.0		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years Population	56.4	56.6		0.2	1.5	0.4	2.7
Labour force	34.4	33.9	0.9	-0.5	-0.5	-1.5	-1.5
Employment	29.2	28.9	0.9	-0.3	-0.5	-1.0	-3.3
Unemployment	5.2	5.0	0.8	-0.2	0.5	-3.8	11.1
Participation rate	61.0	59.9	1.7	-1.1	-2.5		
Unemployment rate	15.1	14.7	2.3	-0.4	1.6		
Employment rate	51.8	51.1	1.7	-0.7	-3.2		
Men, 25 years and over							
Population	194.0	194.3		0.3	2.9	0.2	1.5
Labour force	114.3	115.4	1.2	1.1	-0.3	1.0	-0.3
Employment	102.3	105.4	1.4	3.1	3.3	3.0	3.2
Unemployment	12.0	10.0	1.2	-2.0	-3.6	-16.7	-26.5
Participation rate	58.9	59.4	0.6	0.5	-1.0		
Unemployment rate	10.5	8.7	1.0	-1.8	-3.1		
Employment rate	52.7	54.2	0.7	1.5	0.9		
Women, 25 years and over							
Population	204.5	204.7		0.2	2.6	0.1	1.3
Labour force	110.2	110.3	1.1	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.5
Employment	104.6	102.6	1.2	-2.0	1.4	-1.9	1.4
Unemployment	5.6 53.9	7.7 53.9	1.0 0.6	2.1 0.0	-0.9 -0.4	37.5	-10.5
Participation rate Unemployment rate	53.9	53.9 7.0	0.8	0.0	-0.4 -0.8		
Employment rate	51.1	50.1	0.6	-1.0	0.0		
Prince Edward Island							
Both sexes, 15 years and over							
Population	144.5	145.0		0.5	5.3	0.3	3.8
Labour force	94.3	95.9	1.1	1.6	5.6	1.7	6.2
Employment	86.6	88.1	1.1	1.5	3.5	1.7	4.1
Full-time employment	74.3	74.4	1.3	0.1	3.0	0.1	4.2
Unemployment	7.7 65.3	7.8 66.1	0.8 0.7	0.1 0.8	2.1 1.5	1.3	36.8
Participation rate Unemployment rate	8.2	8.1	0.9	-0.1	1.5		
Employment rate	59.9	60.8	0.9	-0.1	0.2		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years	55.5	00.0	0.7	0.5	0.2		
Population	23.4	23.6		0.2	1.4	0.9	6.3
Labour force	15.2	15.0	0.7	-0.2	0.5	-1.3	3.4
Employment	12.9	13.3	0.7	0.4	0.4	3.1	3.1
Unemployment	2.3	1.7	0.5	-0.6	0.1	-26.1	6.3
Participation rate	65.0	63.6	2.8	-1.4	-1.7		
Unemployment rate	15.1	11.3	3.3	-3.8	0.3		
Employment rate	55.1	56.4	2.7	1.3	-1.7		
Men, 25 years and over							
Population	58.9	59.1		0.2	2.0	0.3	3.5
Labour force	41.7	42.5	0.5	0.8	3.4	1.9	8.7
Employment	38.2	39.0	0.5	0.8	2.4	2.1	6.6
Unemployment	3.5	3.5	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	40.0
Participation rate	70.8	71.9	0.8	1.1	3.4		
Unemployment rate	8.4	8.2	1.2	-0.2	1.8		
Employment rate	64.9	66.0	0.9	1.1	1.9		
Women, 25 years and over						- ·	
Population	62.1	62.3		0.2	1.9	0.3	3.1
Labour force	37.4	38.4	0.5	1.0	1.7	2.7	4.6
Employment	35.5	35.8	0.5	0.3	0.8	0.8	2.3
Unemployment	1.9	2.6	0.4	0.7	1.0	36.8	62.5
Participation rate Unemployment rate	60.2	61.6	0.7	1.4	0.8		
LIDEUDIOVMENT FATE	5.1	6.8	1.0	1.7	2.4		
Employment rate	57.2	57.5	0.8	0.3	-0.4		

Table 4 - continued Labour force characteristics by province, age group and sex, seasonally adjusted (Newfoundland and Labrador, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick)

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
Nova Scotia	2020	2020			2020		2020
Both sexes, 15 years and over							
Population	862.6	865.4		2.8	24.4	0.3	2.9
Labour force	529.8	536.8	2.9	7.0	19.6	1.3	3.8
Employment	495.7	495.2	3.0	-0.5	11.8	-0.1	2.4
Full-time employment	406.3	408.8	4.0	2.5	10.2	0.6	2.6
Unemployment	34.1	41.6	2.5	7.5	7.7	22.0	22.7
Participation rate	61.4	62.0	0.3	0.6	0.5		
Unemployment rate	6.4	7.7	0.5	1.3	1.1		
Employment rate	57.5	57.2	0.4	-0.3	-0.3		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years							
Population	114.2	114.9		0.7	4.6	0.6	4.2
Labour force	75.9	76.3	1.8	0.4	0.9	0.5	1.2
Employment	66.5	67.5	1.7	1.0	-0.4	1.5	-0.6
Unemployment	9.4	8.8	1.5	-0.6	1.3	-6.4	17.3
Participation rate	66.5	66.4	1.6	-0.1	-2.0		
Unemployment rate	12.4	11.5	1.9	-0.9	1.6		
Employment rate	58.2	58.7	1.5	0.5	-2.9		
Men, 25 years and over	050.0	000.0		1.0	10.0	0.0	
Population	359.2	360.2		1.0	10.3	0.3	2.9
Labour force	231.5	233.9	1.7	2.4	6.9	1.0	3.0
Employment	217.9	216.6	1.7	-1.3	5.6	-0.6	2.7 8.1
Unemployment	13.6	17.3	1.5	3.7	1.3	27.2	
Participation rate	64.4	64.9	0.5	0.5	0.0		
Unemployment rate	5.9	7.4	0.7	1.5	0.4		
Employment rate	60.7	60.1	0.5	-0.6	-0.2		
Women, 25 years and over	200.2	200.2		1.0	0.5	0.2	2.5
Population Labour force	389.3 222.5	390.3 226.6	 1.6	1.0 4.1	9.5 11.8	0.3 1.8	2.5 5.5
	222.5	220.0		-0.3			3.2
Employment Unemployment	11.1	15.5	1.6 1.3	-0.3	6.6 5.2	-0.1 39.6	50.5
Participation rate	57.2	58.1	0.4	4.4 0.9	1.7		
Unemployment rate	5.0	6.8	0.4	1.8	2.0		
Employment rate	54.3	54.1	0.0	-0.2	0.4		
New Brunswick							
Both sexes, 15 years and over							
Population	682.4	684.5		2.1	20.2	0.3	3.0
Labour force	409.4	413.2	2.4	3.8	8.7	0.9	2.2
Employment	383.3	387.5	2.4	4.2	12.7	1.1	3.4
Full-time employment	329.4	334.4	3.1	5.0	7.7	1.5	2.4
Unemployment	26.1	25.7	2.1	-0.4	-4.1	-1.5	-13.8
Participation rate	60.0	60.4	0.4	0.4	-0.5		
Unemployment rate	6.4	6.2	0.5	-0.2	-1.2		
Employment rate	56.2	56.6	0.4	0.4	0.2		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years							
Population	87.8	88.3		0.5	4.2	0.6	5.0
Labour force	57.1	58.2	1.2	1.1	0.3	1.9	0.5
Employment	51.7	53.2	1.2	1.5	1.8	2.9	3.5
Unemployment	5.4	5.0	1.2	-0.4	-1.6	-7.4	-24.2
Participation rate	65.0	65.9	1.4	0.9	-2.9		
Unemployment rate	9.5	8.6	1.9	-0.9	-2.8		
Employment rate	58.9	60.2	1.4	1.3	-0.9		
Men, 25 years and over							
Population	291.0	291.8		0.8	8.7	0.3	3.1
Labour force	183.3	184.7	1.4	1.4	5.5	0.8	3.1
Employment	169.9	171.4	1.5	1.5	5.6	0.9	3.4
Unemployment	13.3	13.3	1.3	0.0	-0.2	0.0	-1.5
Participation rate	63.0	63.3	0.5	0.3	0.0		
Unemployment rate	7.3	7.2	0.7	-0.1	-0.3		
Employment rate	58.4	58.7	0.5	0.3	0.1		
Women, 25 years and over							
Population	303.6	304.4		0.8	7.4	0.3	2.5
Labour force	169.1	170.3	1.3	1.2	2.9	0.7	1.7
Employment	161.7	162.8	1.3	1.1	5.2	0.7	3.3
Unemployment	7.4	7.4	1.0	0.0	-2.4	0.0	-24.5
Participation rate	55.7	55.9	0.4	0.2	-0.5		
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.3	0.6	-0.1	-1.6		
Employment rate	53.3	53.5	0.4	0.2	0.4		

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Note(s): The sum of individual categories may not always add up to the total as a result of rounding. Source(s): Table 14-10-0287-03.

Table 5

Labour force characteristics by province, age group and sex, seasonally adjusted (Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia)

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
	thousa	inds (except rates)	change in thousa	nds (except rates)	% ch	ange
Quebec							
Both sexes, 15 years and over							
Population	7,248.9	7,259.6		10.7	101.8	0.1	1.4
Labour force	4,704.1	4,701.0	16.0	-3.1	120.9	-0.1	2.6
Employment	4,498.2	4,489.7	16.2	-8.5	100.3	-0.2 -1.0	2.3
Full-time employment Unemployment	3,687.0 205.9	3,650.7 211.3	20.4 12.2	-36.3 5.4	45.8 20.6	-1.0 2.6	1.3 10.8
Participation rate	64.9	64.8	0.2	-0.1	0.8	2.0	
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.5	0.2	0.1	0.3		
Employment rate	62.1	61.8	0.2	-0.3	0.5		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years							
Population	927.7	930.4		2.7	22.5	0.3	2.5
Labour force	648.2	646.3	9.0	-1.9	34.3	-0.3	5.6
Employment	596.6	609.1	8.8	12.5	40.4	2.1	7.1
Unemployment	51.6	37.3	6.6	-14.3	-6.0	-27.7	-13.9
Participation rate	69.9 8.0	69.5 5.8	1.0 1.0	-0.4 -2.2	2.1 -1.3		
Unemployment rate Employment rate	64.3	65.5	1.0	-2.2	-1.3		
Men, 25 years and over	04.5	00.0	1.0	1.2	2.5		
Population	3,142.2	3,146.7		4.5	43.7	0.1	1.4
Labour force	2,148.3	2,138.0	9.0	-10.3	29.1	-0.5	1.4
Employment	2,061.7	2,035.9	9.6	-25.8	16.7	-1.3	0.8
Unemployment	86.7	102.0	7.6	15.3	12.3	17.6	13.7
Participation rate	68.4	67.9	0.3	-0.5	-0.1		
Unemployment rate	4.0	4.8	0.4	0.8	0.5		
Employment rate	65.6	64.7	0.3	-0.9	-0.4		
Women, 25 years and over							
Population	3,179.0	3,182.5		3.5	35.5	0.1	1.1
Labour force	1,907.7	1,916.7	9.0	9.0	57.6	0.5	3.1
Employment	1,840.0	1,844.7	9.3	4.7	43.2	0.3	2.4
Unemployment	67.7	72.0	6.8	4.3	14.4	6.4	25.0
Participation rate Unemployment rate	60.0 3.5	60.2 3.8	0.3 0.4	0.2 0.3	1.1 0.7		
Employment rate	57.9	58.0	0.4	0.3	0.7		
Ontario							
Both sexes, 15 years and over							
Population	12,784.4	12,818.5		34.1	299.2	0.3	2.4
Labour force	8,428.0	8,422.0 7,949.3	20.8	-6.0	238.6	-0.1 -0.0	2.9 2.3
Employment Full-time employment	7,951.3 6,567.4	7,949.3 6,566.0	20.0 26.7	-2.0 -1.4	182.4 164.1	-0.0	2.3
Unemployment	476.7	472.7	16.6	-4.0	56.2	-0.0	13.5
Participation rate	65.9	65.7	0.2	-0.2	0.3		
Unemployment rate	5.7	5.6	0.2	-0.1	0.5		
Employment rate	62.2	62.0	0.2	-0.2	0.0		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years							
Population	1,915.0	1,924.5		9.5	69.9	0.5	3.8
Labour force	1,222.3	1,201.7	12.3	-20.6	53.0	-1.7	4.6
Employment	1,053.2	1,055.1	11.6	1.9	25.2	0.2	2.4
Unemployment	169.1	146.6	9.6	-22.5	27.8	-13.3	23.4
Participation rate	63.8	62.4	0.7	-1.4	0.5		
Unemployment rate	13.8	12.2	0.8	-1.6	1.9		
Employment rate Men, 25 years and over	55.0	54.8	0.6	-0.2	-0.7		
Population	5,301.0	5,314.3		13.3	122.2	0.3	2.4
Labour force	3,794.5	3,786.6	 10.5	-7.9	87.5	-0.2	2.4
Employment	3,642.4	3,640.7	10.5	-1.7	78.8	-0.2	2.4
Unemployment	152.1	145.8	9.3	-6.3	8.6	-4.1	6.3
Participation rate	71.6	71.3	0.2	-0.3	0.1		
Unemployment rate	4.0	3.9	0.2	-0.1	0.2		
Employment rate	68.7	68.5	0.2	-0.2	-0.1		
Women, 25 years and over							
Population	5,568.4	5,579.7		11.3	107.1	0.2	2.0
Labour force	3,411.3	3,433.8	11.5	22.5	98.2	0.7	2.9
Employment	3,255.7	3,253.5	11.5	-2.2	78.3	-0.1	2.5
Unemployment	155.6	180.2	9.4	24.6	19.8	15.8	12.3
Participation rate	61.3	61.5	0.2	0.2	0.5		
Unemployment rate Employment rate	4.6 58.5	5.2 58.3	0.3	0.6	0.4		
	58.5	58.3	0.2	-0.2	0.3		

Table 5 - continuedLabour force characteristics by province, age group and sex, seasonally adjusted (Quebec,Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia)

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
Manitoba							
Both sexes, 15 years and over							
Population	1,087.1	1,089.4		2.3	25.0	0.2	2.3
Labour force	727.9	725.6	3.2	-2.3	20.9	-0.3	3.0
Employment	696.2	689.8	3.2	-6.4	12.9	-0.9	1.9
Full-time employment	571.3	570.1	4.3	-1.2	20.9	-0.2	3.8
Unemployment	31.6	35.8	2.6	4.2	7.9	13.3	28.3
Participation rate	67.0	66.6	0.3	-0.4	0.4		
Unemployment rate	4.3	4.9	0.4	0.6	0.9		
Employment rate	64.0	63.3	0.3	-0.7	-0.3		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years							
Population	172.0	172.7		0.7	5.1	0.4	3.0
Labour force	118.6	116.8	1.9	-1.8	1.1	-1.5	1.0
Employment	109.0	106.0	1.8	-3.0	-2.2	-2.8	-2.0
Unemployment	9.6	10.7	1.6	1.1	3.3	11.5	44.6
Participation rate	69.0	67.6	1.2	-1.4	-1.4		
Unemployment rate	8.1	9.2	1.3	1.1	2.8		
Employment rate	63.4	61.4	1.1	-2.0	-3.2		
Men, 25 years and over	150.0	454.0			11.0	0.0	0.5
Population	450.9	451.8		0.9	11.0	0.2	2.5
Labour force	321.5	323.7	1.6	2.2	11.8	0.7	3.8
Employment	309.5	309.9	1.7	0.4	8.7	0.1	2.9
Unemployment	12.0	13.8	1.4	1.8	3.1	15.0	29.0
Participation rate	71.3	71.6	0.4	0.3	0.8		
Unemployment rate	3.7	4.3	0.4	0.6	0.9		
Employment rate	68.6	68.6	0.4	0.0	0.3		
Women, 25 years and over	464.2	404.0		0.7	9.0	0.2	2.0
Population Labour force	464.2 287.8	464.9 285.2	 1.9	-2.6	9.0 8.0	-0.9	2.0 2.9
Employment	207.8	273.9	1.9	-2.0	6.5	-0.9	2.9
Unemployment	10.0		1.5	-3.9	1.4	-1.4 12.0	
Participation rate	62.0	11.2 61.3	0.4	-0.7	0.5		14.3
Unemployment rate	3.5	3.9	0.4	-0.7	0.3		
Employment rate	59.8	58.9	0.5	-0.9	0.4		
Saskatchewan Both sexes, 15 years and over Population	922.9	925.0		2.1	24.6	0.2	2.7
Labour force	618.6	615.2	3.0	-3.4	8.7	-0.5	1.4
Employment	589.5	583.8	3.0	-5.7	2.1	-1.0	0.4
Full-time employment	487.9	482.7	3.9	-5.2	2.0	-1.1	0.4
Unemployment	29.2	31.4	2.2	2.2	6.6	7.5	26.6
Participation rate	67.0	66.5	0.3	-0.5	-0.9		
Unemployment rate	4.7	5.1	0.4	0.4	1.0		
Employment rate	63.9	63.1	0.3	-0.8	-1.5		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years							
Population	140.3	140.8		0.5	5.1	0.4	3.8
Labour force	90.4	88.1	1.8	-2.3	-0.6	-2.5	-0.7
Employment	81.9	79.8	1.7	-2.1	-3.0	-2.6	-3.6
Unemployment	8.6	8.3	1.2	-0.3	2.4	-3.5	40.7
Participation rate	64.4	62.6	1.3	-1.8	-2.8		
Unemployment rate	9.5	9.4	1.3	-0.1	2.7		
Employment rate	58.4	56.7	1.2	-1.7	-4.3		
Men, 25 years and over	004.0						- -
Population	391.8	392.7		0.9	10.4	0.2	2.7
Labour force	285.2	287.7	1.6	2.5	8.4	0.9	3.0
Employment	272.3	272.5	1.7	0.2	5.6	0.1	2.1
Unemployment	12.9	15.2	1.4	2.3	2.8	17.8	22.6
Participation rate	72.8	73.3	0.4	0.5	0.2		
Unemployment rate	4.5	5.3	0.5	0.8	0.9		
Employment rate Women, 25 years and over	69.5	69.4	0.4	-0.1	-0.4		
Population	390.7	391.5		0.8	9.1	0.2	2.4
Labour force	243.0	239.3	1.7	-3.7	0.8	-1.5	0.3
Employment	235.2	231.5	1.6	-3.7	-0.5	-1.6	-0.2
Unemployment	7.7	7.9	1.2	0.2	1.4	2.6	21.5
	62.2	61.1	0.4	-1.1	-1.3		
Participation rate	02.2	01.1	0.4				
Participation rate Unemployment rate	3.2	3.3	0.5	0.1	0.6		

Table 5 - continued Labour force characteristics by province, age group and sex, seasonally adjusted (Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia)

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
Alberta							
Both sexes, 15 years and over							
Population	3,748.3	3,764.0		15.7	147.2	0.4	4.1
Labour force	2,606.6	2,630.1	11.5	23.5	118.5	0.9	4.7
Employment	2,457.6	2,469.4	11.4	11.8	82.8	0.5	3.5
Full-time employment	2,013.8	2,045.3	15.5	31.5	86.5	1.6	4.4
Unemployment	149.0	160.6	9.4	11.6	35.5	7.8	28.4
Participation rate	69.5	69.9	0.3	0.4	0.5		
Unemployment rate	5.7	6.1	0.4	0.4	1.1		
Employment rate	65.6	65.6	0.3	0.0	-0.4		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years							
Population	559.9	563.3		3.4	29.1	0.6	5.4
Labour force	356.9	361.0	6.2	4.1	9.5	1.1	2.7
Employment	311.9	314.7	6.2	2.8	-1.8	0.9	-0.6
Unemployment	44.9	46.3	5.0	1.4	11.3	3.1	32.3
Participation rate	63.7	64.1	1.1	0.4	-1.7		
Unemployment rate	12.6	12.8	1.4	0.2	2.8		
Employment rate	55.7	55.9	1.1	0.2	-3.3		
Men, 25 years and over							
Population	1,585.3	1,591.5		6.2	59.2	0.4	3.9
Labour force	1,208.5	1,208.6	5.9	0.1	60.1	0.0	5.2
Employment	1,151.8	1,153.2	6.6	1.4	51.3	0.1	4.7
Unemployment	56.7	55.3	5.6	-1.4	8.7	-2.5	18.7
Participation rate	76.2	75.9	0.4	-0.3	0.9		
Unemployment rate	4.7	4.6	0.5	-0.1	0.5		
Employment rate	72.7	72.5	0.4	-0.2	0.6		
Women, 25 years and over							
Population	1,603.1	1,609.1		6.0	58.8	0.4	3.8
Labour force	1,041.2	1,060.5	6.8	19.3	48.8	1.9	4.8
Employment	993.9	1,001.5	6.7	7.6	33.3	0.8	3.4
Unemployment	47.3	59.0	5.6	11.7	15.6	24.7	35.9
Participation rate	64.9	65.9	0.4	1.0	0.6		
Unemployment rate	4.5	5.6	0.5	1.1	1.3		
Employment rate	62.0	62.2	0.4	0.2	-0.3		
British Columbia							
Both sexes, 15 years and over							
Population	4,513.2	4,524.2		11.0	94.0	0.2	2.1
Labour force	2,942.1	2,933.8	11.0	-8.3	49.3	-0.3	1.7
Employment	2,778.2	2,776.6	10.6	-1.6	22.8	-0.1	0.8
Full-time employment	2,222.4	2,226.5	14.6	4.1	26.8	0.2	1.2
Unemployment	163.9	157.2	8.4	-6.7	26.5	-4.1	20.3
Participation rate	65.2	64.8	0.2	-0.4	-0.3		
Unemployment rate	5.6	5.4	0.3	-0.2	0.9		
Employment rate	61.6	61.4	0.2	-0.2	-0.8		
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years							
Population	617.7	620.8		3.1	19.3	0.5	3.2
Labour force	407.0	403.3	6.3	-3.7	3.4	-0.9	0.9
Employment	363.8	367.4	5.8	3.6	-0.8	1.0	-0.2
Unemployment	43.2	35.9	5.0	-7.3	4.2	-16.9	13.2
Participation rate	65.9	65.0	1.0	-0.9	-1.5		
Unemployment rate	10.6	8.9	1.2	-1.7	1.0		
Employment rate	58.9	59.2	1.0	0.3	-2.0		
Men, 25 years and over							
Population	1,897.7	1,901.7		4.0	37.6	0.2	2.0
Labour force	1,309.2	1,317.1	5.8	7.9	18.3	0.6	1.4
Employment	1,252.3	1,251.8	6.1	-0.5	5.7	-0.0	0.5
Unemployment	56.9	65.3	4.7	8.4	12.6	14.8	23.9
Participation rate	69.0	69.3	0.3	0.3	-0.4		
Unemployment rate	4.3	5.0	0.4	0.7	0.9		
Employment rate	66.0	65.8	0.3	-0.2	-1.0		
Women, 25 years and over							
Population	1,997.8	2,001.7		3.9	37.1	0.2	1.9
Labour force	1,225.9	1,213.4	6.4	-12.5	27.7	-1.0	2.3
Employment	1,162.0	1,157.5	6.2	-4.5	18.0	-0.4	1.6
Unemployment	63.8	55.9	4.7	-7.9	9.6	-12.4	20.7
Participation rate	61.4	60.6	0.3	-0.8	0.2		
Unemployment rate	5.2	4.6	0.4	-0.6	0.7		
				-0.4	-0.2		

... not applicable
 1. Average standard error of change between two consecutive months. See the "Data Quality" section of the *Guide to the Labour Force Survey* (71-543-G) for more information.

Note(s): The sum of individual categories may not always add up to the total as a result of rounding. Source(s): Table 14-10-0287-03.

Table 6Employment by province and industry, seasonally adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
		thousands		change in th	nousands	% cha	nge
Newfoundland and Labrador							
Total employed, all industries	236.1	236.9	2.2	0.8	3.7 2.7	0.3 0.4	1.6
Goods-producing sector Agriculture	48.6 1.6	48.8 1.3	1.4 0.2	0.2 -0.3	0.3	-18.8	5.9 30.0
	16.0		0.2	-0.3		-18.8	
Natural resources ² Utilities	2.2	16.3 2.2	0.9	0.3	1.7 0.2	0.0	11.6 10.0
Construction	18.7	18.7	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.0	2.2
Manufacturing	10.2	10.2	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Services-producing sector	187.5	188.2	1.9	0.7	1.0	0.4	0.5
Wholesale and retail trade	34.8	36.0	0.9	1.2	-2.4	3.4	-6.3
Transportation and warehousing	11.5	13.8	0.6	2.3	3.1	20.0	29.0
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	7.5	7.1	0.4	-0.4	0.0	-5.3	0.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	12.4 5.7	11.7	0.5 0.5	-0.7	-0.2 0.6	-5.6 17.5	-1.7 9.8
Business, building and other support services Educational services	16.9	6.7 17.6	0.5	1.0 0.7	0.8	4.1	9.8
Health care and social assistance	47.4	44.7	0.8	-2.7	0.3	-5.7	0.2
Information, culture and recreation	7.4	8.3	0.5	0.9	0.1	12.2	1.2
Accommodation and food services	13.6	13.5	0.7	-0.1	-1.6	-0.7	-10.6
Other services (except public administration)	8.1	7.8	0.6	-0.3	-0.1	-3.7	-1.3
Public administration	22.3	21.0	0.6	-1.3	1.3	-5.8	6.6
Prince Edward Island	86.6	88.1	1.1	1.5	3.5	1.7	4.1
Total employed, all industries Goods-producing sector	21.6	22.1	0.7	0.5	3.5 1.1	2.3	4.1
Agriculture	3.8	4.5	0.3	0.7	1.4	18.4	45.2
Natural resources ²	2.1	1.6	0.3	-0.5	-0.2	-23.8	-11.1
Utilities	0.4	0.5	0.3	-0.5	-0.2	-23.0	150.0
Construction	7.0	7.5	0.1	0.5	0.0	7.1	1.4
Manufacturing	8.3	8.0	0.5	-0.3	-0.5	-3.6	-5.9
Services-producing sector	65.1	66.0	1.0	0.9	2.4	1.4	3.8
Wholesale and retail trade	9.9	10.1	0.5	0.2	-1.0	2.0	-9.0
Transportation and warehousing	2.3	2.4	0.2	0.1	0.7	4.3	41.2
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	3.8	3.6	0.2	-0.2	0.8	-5.3	28.6
Professional, scientific and technical services	4.5	4.8	0.3	0.3	-0.3	6.7	-5.9
Business, building and other support services Educational services	1.9 6.0	2.0 5.5	0.3 0.3	0.1 -0.5	-0.9 -0.4	5.3 -8.3	-31.0 -6.8
Health care and social assistance	13.7	14.5	0.3	-0.5	-0.4 2.5	-6.3	20.8
Information, culture and recreation	2.6	3.3	0.4	0.0	0.1	26.9	3.1
Accommodation and food services	5.6	5.3	0.5	-0.3	0.0	-5.4	0.0
Other services (except public administration)	3.7	3.8	0.3	0.1	0.6	2.7	18.8
Public administration	11.0	10.6	0.4	-0.4	0.2	-3.6	1.9
Nova Scotia							
Total employed, all industries	495.7	495.2	3.0	-0.5	11.8	-0.1	2.4
Goods-producing sector	94.1 5.9	91.0 6.1	1.9 0.6	-3.1 0.2	-7.1 1.3	-3.3 3.4	-7.2 27.1
Agriculture							
Natural resources ²	10.9	9.4	0.9	-1.5	0.4	-13.8	4.4
Utilities Construction	3.2 38.5	2.9 36.1	0.3 1.3	-0.3 -2.4	-1.5 -8.2	-9.4 -6.2	-34.1 -18.5
Manufacturing	35.6	36.5	1.3	-2.4	-8.2	-0.2	-18.5
Services-producing sector	401.6	404.2	2.9	2.6	19.0	0.6	4.9
Wholesale and retail trade	79.6	79.5	1.6	-0.1	8.4	-0.1	11.8
Transportation and warehousing	21.3	23.1	1.0	1.8	3.6	8.5	18.5
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	29.2	29.3	0.8	0.1	2.3	0.3	8.5
Professional, scientific and technical services	38.0	36.8	1.2	-1.2	-2.1	-3.2	-5.4
Business, building and other support services	16.4	16.0	0.9	-0.4	-2.8	-2.4	-14.9
Educational services	37.6	37.8	1.1	0.2	-0.5	0.5	-1.3
Health care and social assistance	77.6	78.1	1.4	0.5	-0.3	0.6	-0.4
Information, culture and recreation Accommodation and food services	18.2 29.8	19.4 29.7	1.0 1.1	1.2 -0.1	3.5 1.6	6.6 -0.3	22.0 5.7
Other services (except public administration)	29.8	29.7	1.1	-0.1	2.4	-0.3 -1.9	5.7 13.4
Public administration	33.4	34.2	0.9	0.4	2.4	2.4	8.9
	33.4	34.2	0.9	0.0	2.0	2.4	C

Table 6 - continued
Employment by province and industry, seasonally adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
New Brunswick							
Total employed, all industries	383.3	387.5	2.4	4.2	12.7	1.1	3.4
Goods-producing sector	75.6	77.8	1.6	2.2	1.0	2.9	1.3
Agriculture	5.3	5.6	0.5	0.3	-0.6	5.7	-9.7
Natural resources ²	8.4	8.4	0.7	0.0	-0.7	0.0	-7.7
Utilities	5.1	4.9	0.2	-0.2	0.7	-3.9	16.7
Construction	28.7	30.1	1.1	1.4	0.8	4.9	2.7
Manufacturing	28.0	28.7	0.9	0.7	0.5	2.5	1.8
Services-producing sector	307.7	309.7	2.2	2.0	11.8	0.6	4.0
Wholesale and retail trade	58.1	59.0	1.2	0.9	-1.1	1.5	-1.8
Transportation and warehousing	17.6	18.8	0.6	1.2	0.9	6.8	5.0
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	19.1	20.1	0.6	1.0	1.8	5.2	9.8
Professional, scientific and technical services	24.0	22.7	0.8	-1.3	0.8	-5.4	3.7
Business, building and other support services	10.6	11.5	0.7	0.9	-1.5	8.5	-11.5
Educational services	30.5	29.8	0.9	-0.7	-1.0	-2.3	-3.2
Health care and social assistance	63.2	62.2	1.1	-1.0	5.2	-1.6	9.1
Information, culture and recreation	11.4	11.1	0.8	-0.3	-0.2	-2.6	-1.8
Accommodation and food services	20.2	21.8	0.9	1.6	1.5	7.9	7.4
Other services (except public administration)	16.7	16.1	0.7	-0.6	0.9	-3.6	5.9
Public administration	36.3	36.5	0.8	0.2	4.4	0.6	13.7
Quebec Total employed, all industries	4,498.2	4,489.7	16.2	-8.5	100.3	-0.2	2.3
Goods-producing sector	952.1	940.1	9.9	-12.0	2.5	-1.3	0.3
Agriculture	51.6	53.9	2.6	2.3	0.2	4.5	0.3
Natural resources ²	37.0	35.7	2.3	-1.3	-10.4	-3.5	-22.6
Utilities	28.3	30.5	1.3	2.2	-0.8	7.8	-2.6
Construction	315.3	304.4	6.3	-10.9	3.9	-3.5	1.3
Manufacturing	519.9	515.7	7.4	-4.2	9.7	-0.8	1.9
Services-producing sector	3,546.1	3,549.6	15.9	3.5	97.8	0.1	2.8
Wholesale and retail trade	669.5	668.6	9.2	-0.9	15.8	-0.1	2.4
Transportation and warehousing	223.5	215.9	5.2	-7.6	-0.2	-3.4	-0.1
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	272.2	285.5	4.9	13.3	16.6	4.9	6.2
Professional, scientific and technical services	372.9	365.0	6.8	-7.9	-12.2	-2.1	-3.2
Business, building and other support services	168.2	169.2	6.0	1.0	-7.9	0.6	-4.5
Educational services	334.1	335.7	6.6	1.6	1.0	0.5	0.3
Health care and social assistance	592.8	602.7	7.1	9.9	-3.0	1.7	-0.5
Information, culture and recreation	211.2	216.2	6.1	5.0	34.9	2.4	19.2
Accommodation and food services	237.5	228.4	6.5	-9.1	25.2	-3.8	12.4
Other services (except public administration)	178.7	180.7	4.6	2.0	23.4	1.1	14.9
Public administration	285.5	281.7	4.6	-3.8	4.3	-1.3	1.6
Ontario Total employed, all industries	7,951.3	7,949.3	20.0	-2.0	182.4	-0.0	2.3
Goods-producing sector	1,602.4	1,608.7	12.3	6.3	51.8	0.4	3.3
Agriculture	73.5	84.5	3.3	11.0	11.9	15.0	16.4
Natural resources ²	43.7	39.7	2.1	-4.0	5.2	-9.2	15.1
Utilities	64.6	64.9	2.4	0.3	7.3	0.5	12.7
Construction	600.7	592.0	8.3	-8.7	-1.6	-1.4	-0.3
Manufacturing	819.9	827.7	9.1	7.8	29.0	1.0	3.6
Services-producing sector	6,348.8	6,340.6	20.2	-8.2	130.6	-0.1	2.1
Wholesale and retail trade	1,137.5	1,140.5	10.9	3.0	-15.0	0.3	-1.3
Transportation and warehousing	397.4	396.4	6.4	-1.0	14.7	-0.3	3.9
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	693.2	681.4	8.0	-11.8	-6.7	-1.7	-1.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	810.4	805.8	9.2	-4.6	5.6	-0.6	0.7
Business, building and other support services	287.7	286.7	7.1	-1.0	-0.1	-0.3	-0.0
Educational services	561.7	576.9	7.7	15.2	13.7	2.7	2.4
Health care and social assistance	966.9	971.2	8.2	4.3	52.8	0.4	5.7
Information, culture and recreation	338.9	330.6	7.7	-8.3	10.6	-2.4	3.3
Accommodation and food services	428.0	432.4	8.6	4.4	28.3	1.0	7.0
Other services (except public administration)	266.5	273.8	6.0	7.3	24.1	2.7	9.7
Public administration	460.6	444.8	5.5	-15.8	2.5	-3.4	0.6

Table 6 - continued
Employment by province and industry, seasonally adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
Manitoba							
Total employed, all industries	696.2	689.8	3.2	-6.4	12.9	-0.9	1.9
Goods-producing sector	150.2	150.7	2.0	0.5	2.8	0.3	1.9
Agriculture	15.1	13.9	0.8	-1.2	-5.3	-7.9	-27.6
Natural resources ²	7.1	6.8	0.5	-0.3	1.4	-4.2	25.9
Utilities	6.1	6.7	0.3	0.6	1.9	9.8	39.6
Construction	56.0	56.4	1.3	0.4	6.7	0.7	13.5
Manufacturing	66.0	66.9	1.3	0.9	-1.9	1.4	-2.8
Services-producing sector	546.0	539.2	3.1	-6.8	10.2	-1.2	1.9
Wholesale and retail trade	103.4	100.6	1.7	-2.8	11.6	-2.7	13.0
Transportation and warehousing	39.7	40.5 40.7	1.1 0.9	0.8 0.0	0.1 2.0	2.0 0.0	0.2 5.2
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing Professional, scientific and technical services	40.7 36.0	40.7 35.5	0.9	-0.5	-1.4	-1.4	-3.8
Business, building and other support services	20.8	16.0	1.1	-0.5	-1.4 -7.9	-1.4 -23.1	-3.0
Educational services	65.0	70.2	1.1	-4.0	0.7	-23.1	-33.1
Health care and social assistance	102.4	104.0	1.4	1.6	2.0	1.6	2.0
Information, culture and recreation	25.0	23.3	1.0	-1.7	1.1	-6.8	5.0
Accommodation and food services	37.2	35.8	1.3	-1.4	-2.1	-3.8	-5.5
Other services (except public administration)	27.8	26.2	1.0	-1.6	-0.1	-5.8	-0.4
Public administration	48.0	46.4	1.0	-1.6	4.1	-3.3	9.7
Saskatchewan							
Total employed, all industries	589.5	583.8	3.0	-5.7	2.1	-1.0	0.4
Goods-producing sector	128.8	125.0	2.0	-3.8	-6.1	-3.0	-4.7
Agriculture	24.3	23.4	1.0	-0.9	-4.4	-3.7	-15.8
Natural resources ²	21.4	21.4	0.8	0.0	3.3	0.0	18.2
Utilities	7.7	7.1	0.4	-0.6	0.1	-7.8	1.4
Construction	42.1	40.8	1.3	-1.3	-6.1	-3.1	-13.0
Manufacturing	33.3	32.3	0.9	-1.0	1.1	-3.0	3.5
Services-producing sector	460.6	458.8	2.9	-1.8	8.2	-0.4	1.8
Wholesale and retail trade	97.7	93.8	1.7	-3.9	-3.4	-4.0	-3.5
Transportation and warehousing	30.1	28.6	1.0	-1.5	4.7	-5.0	19.7
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	29.5	31.2	0.9	1.7	-0.3	5.8	-1.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	33.6	34.1	0.9	0.5	2.0	1.5	6.2
Business, building and other support services	13.0	13.9	0.8	0.9	4.6	6.9	49.5
Educational services	49.4	53.3	1.2	3.9	5.7	7.9	12.0
Health care and social assistance	93.5	91.3	1.5	-2.2	-1.0	-2.4	-1.1
Information, culture and recreation	20.5	19.0	1.0	-1.5	-0.5	-7.3	-2.6
Accommodation and food services	31.1	31.2	1.2	0.1	-1.9	0.3	-5.7
Other services (except public administration)	25.1	25.2	1.1	0.1	-2.6	0.4	-9.4
Public administration	37.1	37.2	0.9	0.1	0.8	0.3	2.2
Alberta Total employed, all industries	2,457.6	2,469.4	11.4	11.8	82.8	0.5	3.5
Goods-producing sector	583.2	588.3	7.7	5.1	19.6	0.9	3.4
Agriculture	45.3	47.3	2.7	2.0	3.3	4.4	7.5
Natural resources ²	132.9	135.2	3.9	2.3	-2.3	1.7	-1.7
Utilities	20.1	19.6	1.9	-0.5	-2.6	-2.5	-11.7
Construction	244.9 140.1	242.1 144.0	5.4 3.8	-2.8 3.9	2.4 18.7	-1.1 2.8	1.0 14.9
Manufacturing Services-producing sector	1.874.4	1.881.2	3.8 11.3	6.8	63.3	0.4	3.5
Wholesale and retail trade	373.5	369.6	6.3	-3.9	-2.2	-1.0	-0.6
Transportation and warehousing	148.9	144.4	4.2	-4.5	9.0	-3.0	-0.0
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	129.8	138.0	3.3	8.2	11.0	6.3	8.7
Professional, scientific and technical services	240.4	235.9	4.9	-4.5	17.7	-1.9	8.1
Business, building and other support services	69.0	71.8	3.5	2.8	-1.9	4.1	-2.6
Educational services	160.6	159.6	4.4	-1.0	-6.9	-0.6	-4.1
Health care and social assistance	322.6	328.5	5.1	5.9	18.3	1.8	5.9
Information, culture and recreation	83.9	77.7	3.6	-6.2	-2.8	-7.4	-3.5
Accommodation and food services	129.2	139.8	4.3	10.6	11.6	8.2	9.0
Other services (except public administration)	100.6	98.2	3.6	-2.4	-1.0	-2.4	-1.0
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Table 6	
Employment by province and industry, seasonally	adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
British Columbia							
Total employed, all industries	2,778.2	2,776.6	10.6	-1.6	22.8	-0.1	0.8
Goods-producing sector	499.8	476.4	6.5	-23.4	-30.9	-4.7	-6.1
Agriculture	27.9	25.2	2.0	-2.7	0.3	-9.7	1.2
Natural resources ²	46.3	50.8	2.2	4.5	-0.1	9.7	-0.2
Utilities	18.6	17.8	1.3	-0.8	3.1	-4.3	21.1
Construction	232.8	212.0	4.7	-20.8	-24.0	-8.9	-10.2
Manufacturing	174.3	170.7	3.8	-3.6	-10.1	-2.1	-5.6
Services-producing sector	2,278.4	2,300.2	10.8	21.8	53.7	1.0	2.4
Wholesale and retail trade	434.9	443.2	6.0	8.3	-4.1	1.9	-0.9
Transportation and warehousing	139.1	133.5	3.6	-5.6	-10.8	-4.0	-7.5
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental and leasing	177.4	180.6	3.2	3.2	22.6	1.8	14.3
Professional, scientific and technical services	271.5	281.2	4.9	9.7	5.7	3.6	2.1
Business, building and other support services	84.1	84.7	3.6	0.6	-4.8	0.7	-5.4
Educational services	218.1	212.4	4.1	-5.7	11.6	-2.6	5.8
Health care and social assistance	373.9	381.8	4.6	7.9	15.5	2.1	4.2
Information, culture and recreation	138.0	132.5	4.5	-5.5	-18.2	-4.0	-12.1
Accommodation and food services	194.6	197.3	4.5	2.7	16.3	1.4	9.0
Other services (except public administration)	104.5	107.4	3.2	2.9	9.2	2.8	9.4
Public administration	142.4	145.6	2.8	3.2	10.6	2.2	7.9

1. Average standard error of change between two consecutive months. See the "Data Quality" section of the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G) for more information.

Also referred to as "Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction."
 Note(s): The sum of individual categories may not always add up to the total as a result of rounding.
 Source(s): Table 14-10-0355-02.

Table 7Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area, three-month moving average,seasonally adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
	thousa	nds (except rat	es)	change in thous rates		% change	
St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador		· ·	,		,		•
Population	189.3	189.9		0.6	5.4	0.3	2.9
Labour force	123.6	124.2	0.8	0.6	-2.6	0.5	-2.1
Employment	117.5	117.0	0.8	-0.5	-1.7	-0.4	-1.4
Unemployment	6.2	7.3	0.4	1.1	-0.8	17.7	-9.9
Participation rate	65.3	65.4	0.4	0.1	-3.3		
Unemployment rate	5.0 62.1	5.9	0.3	0.9 -0.5	-0.5		
Employment rate Halifax, Nova Scotia	02.1	61.6	0.5	-0.5	-2.7		
Population	407.4	409.2		1.8	16.6	0.4	4.2
Labour force	277.3	278.4	1.5	1.1	13.9	0.4	5.3
Employment	261.6	259.6	1.6	-2.0	7.8	-0.8	3.1
Unemployment	15.7	18.9	0.8	3.2	6.2	20.4	48.8
Participation rate	68.1	68.0	0.4	-0.1	0.6		
Unemployment rate	5.7	6.8	0.3	1.1	2.0		
Employment rate	64.2	63.4	0.4	-0.8	-0.7		
Moncton, New Brunswick							
Population	143.6	144.2		0.6	6.1	0.4	4.4
Labour force	95.7	96.2	0.9	0.5	5.2	0.5	5.7
Employment	90.5	91.1	0.9	0.6	4.0	0.7	4.6
Unemployment Participation rate	5.2 66.6	5.1 66.7	0.4 0.6	-0.1 0.1	1.3 0.8	-1.9	34.2
Unemployment rate	5.4	5.3	0.6	-0.1	0.8		
Employment rate	63.0	63.2	0.4	0.1	0.1		
Saint John, New Brunswick	05.0	00.2	0.0	0.2	0.1		
Population	115.4	115.8		0.4	3.2	0.3	2.8
Labour force	70.2	70.6	0.9	0.4	0.8	0.6	1.1
Employment	66.0	66.6	0.9	0.6	2.1	0.9	3.3
Unemployment	4.2	4.0	0.4	-0.2	-1.4	-4.8	-25.9
Participation rate	60.8	61.0	0.8	0.2	-1.0		
Unemployment rate	6.0	5.7	0.5	-0.3	-2.0		
Employment rate	57.2	57.5	0.8	0.3	0.2		
Saguenay, Quebec							
Population	136.0	136.0		0.0	0.6	0.0	0.4
Labour force	81.7 78.9	80.9	1.0	-0.8	-0.7	-1.0 -1.6	-0.9
Employment Unemployment	2.8	77.6 3.3	1.0 0.4	-1.3 0.5	-1.6 0.9	-1.6	-2.0 37.5
Participation rate	60.1	59.5	0.4	-0.6	-0.8		
Unemployment rate	3.4	4.1	0.4	0.7	1.2		
Employment rate	58.0	57.1	0.8	-0.9	-1.4		
Québec, Quebec							
Population	699.4	700.1		0.7	7.7	0.1	1.1
Labour force	462.5	466.6	3.3	4.1	5.6	0.9	1.2
Employment	448.0	450.2	3.3	2.2	3.0	0.5	0.7
Unemployment	14.5	16.5	1.0	2.0	2.7	13.8	19.6
Participation rate	66.1	66.6	0.5	0.5	0.0		
Unemployment rate	3.1	3.5	0.2	0.4	0.5		
Employment rate	64.1	64.3	0.5	0.2	-0.3		
Sherbrooke, Quebec Population	193.8	194.1		0.3	3.5	0.2	1.8
Labour force	114.3	112.7	1.3	-1.6	-0.3	-1.4	-0.3
Employment	109.7	108.9	1.3	-0.8	-0.5	-0.7	-0.5
Unemployment	4.6	3.8	0.4	-0.8	0.2	-17.4	5.6
Participation rate	59.0	58.1	0.7	-0.9	-1.2		
Unemployment rate	4.0	3.4	0.4	-0.6	0.2		
Employment rate	56.6	56.1	0.7	-0.5	-1.3		
Trois-Rivières, Quebec							
Population	138.9	139.0		0.1	1.3	0.1	0.9
Labour force	80.0	79.6	0.9	-0.4	-0.1	-0.5	-0.1
Employment	77.0	76.4	1.0	-0.6	-0.5	-0.8	-0.7
Unemployment Participation rate	3.0	3.2	0.3	0.2	0.5	6.7	18.5
Participation rate Unemployment rate	57.6 3.8	57.3 4.0	0.7 0.4	-0.3 0.2	-0.6 0.6		
Employment rate	3.8 55.4	4.0 55.0	0.4	-0.4	-0.8		
Montréal, Quebec	55.4	55.0	0.7	-0.4	-0.0		
Population	3,730.1	3,737.5		7.4	65.0	0.2	1.8
Labour force	2,548.8	2,551.8	8.5	3.0	99.9	0.2	4.1
Employment	2,436.0	2,433.2	8.8	-2.8	97.9	-0.1	4.2
Unemployment	112.8	118.6	4.4	5.8	2.0	5.1	1.7
Participation rate	68.3	68.3	0.2	0.0	1.5		
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.6	0.2	0.2	-0.2		
Employment rate	65.3	65.1	0.2	-0.2	1.5		

Table 7 - continuedLabour force characteristics by census metropolitan area, three-month moving average,seasonally adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
Ottawa–Gatineau, Ontario/Quebec							
Population Labour force	1,264.4 865.7	1,267.8 872.6	 4.5	3.4 6.9	31.8 42.5	0.3 0.8	2.6 5.1
Employment	828.2	832.9	4.5	4.7	42.5	0.6	4.4
Unemployment	37.5	39.7	1.6	2.2	7.5	5.9	23.3
Participation rate	68.5	68.8	0.4	0.3	1.6		
Unemployment rate	4.3	4.5	0.2	0.2	0.6		
Employment rate	65.5	65.7	0.4	0.2	1.1		
Ottawa–Gatineau, Quebec part, Ontario/Quebec Population	294.0	294.4		0.4	4.3	0.1	1.5
Labour force	195.7	193.8	1.4	-1.9	-2.5	-1.0	-1.3
Employment	187.5	185.5	1.5	-2.0	-3.5	-1.1	-1.9
Unemployment	8.2	8.3	0.5	0.1	1.0	1.2	13.7
Participation rate	66.6	65.8	0.5	-0.8	-1.9		
Unemployment rate	4.2	4.3	0.3	0.1	0.6		
Employment rate	63.8	63.0	0.5	-0.8	-2.1		
Ottawa–Gatineau, Ontario part, Ontario/Quebec	970.3	973.4		3.1	27.4	0.3	2.9
Population Labour force	670.0	678.8	4.2	8.8	45.0	1.3	2.9 7.1
Employment	640.7	647.4	4.2	6.7	38.5	1.0	6.3
Unemployment	29.3	31.4	1.5	2.1	6.5	7.2	26.1
Participation rate	69.1	69.7	0.4	0.6	2.7		
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.6	0.2	0.2	0.7		
Employment rate	66.0	66.5	0.4	0.5	2.1		
Kingston, Ontario	450.0	450.0				0.4	<u>.</u>
Population	152.6 97.8	153.2 97.6		0.6 -0.2	5.1 3.5	0.4	3.4 3.7
Labour force Employment	97.8 94.0	97.6	0.8 0.8	-0.2	3.5 4.8	-0.2 0.1	3.7 5.4
Unemployment	3.8	3.5	0.3	-0.3	-1.3	-7.9	-27.1
Participation rate	64.1	63.7	0.5	-0.4	0.2		
Unemployment rate	3.9	3.6	0.3	-0.3	-1.5		
Employment rate	61.6	61.4	0.6	-0.2	1.1		
Belleville, Ontario							
Population	110.0	111.6		1.6	12.6	1.5	12.7
Labour force	70.6 65.9	71.7	3.0	1.1	8.1 2.9	1.6 -2.3	12.7
Employment Unemployment	4.7	64.4 7.3	2.7 0.8	-1.5 2.6	2.9	-2.3 55.3	4.7 231.8
Participation rate	64.2	64.2	2.1	0.0	0.0		231.0
Unemployment rate	6.7	10.2	1.4	3.5	6.7		
Employment rate	59.9	57.7	2.0	-2.2	-4.4		
Peterborough, Ontario							
Population	116.4	116.7		0.3	2.2	0.3	1.9
Labour force	69.1	70.3	1.6	1.2	-2.8	1.7	-3.8
Employment	64.0 5.1	65.5 4.8	1.6 0.6	1.5 -0.3	-2.8 0.0	2.3 -5.9	-4.1 0.0
Unemployment Participation rate	59.4	60.2	1.4	-0.3	-3.6		
Unemployment rate	7.4	6.8	0.8	-0.6	0.2		
Employment rate	55.0	56.1	1.4	1.1	-3.6		
Oshawa, Ontario							
Population	357.1	357.8		0.7	6.5	0.2	1.9
Labour force	233.2	234.0	2.0	0.8	-5.7	0.3	-2.4
Employment	221.0 12.2	221.3	2.1 1.0	0.3 0.5	-6.5 0.8	0.1	-2.9
Unemployment Participation rate	65.3	12.7 65.4	0.6	0.5	-2.8	4.1	6.7
Unemployment rate	5.2	5.4	0.0	0.1	0.4		
Employment rate	61.9	61.9	0.6	0.0	-2.9		
Toronto, Ontario							
Population	5,793.0	5,812.4		19.4	156.6	0.3	2.8
Labour force	3,934.4	3,960.1	11.1	25.7	146.3	0.7	3.8
Employment	3,694.5	3,705.8	11.0	11.3	115.0	0.3	3.2
Unemployment Participation rate	239.9 67.9	254.4 68.1	5.9 0.2	14.5 0.2	31.4 0.7	6.0	14.1
Unemployment rate	6.1	6.4	0.2	0.2	0.6		
Employment rate	63.8	63.8	0.2	0.0	0.3		
Hamilton, Ontario	00.0	00.0	0.2	0.0	0.0		
Population	681.4	682.6		1.2	9.5	0.2	1.4
Labour force	435.0	437.8	2.9	2.8	-3.1	0.6	-0.7
Employment	413.3	414.4	3.0	1.1	-7.4	0.3	-1.8
Unemployment	21.7	23.4	1.3	1.7	4.3	7.8	22.5
Participation rate Unemployment rate	63.8 5.0	64.1 5.3	0.4 0.3	0.3 0.3	-1.4 1.0		
Employment rate	5.0 60.7	5.3 60.7	0.3	0.3	-2.0		
St. Catharines–Niagara, Ontario	00.7	00.7	0.7	0.0	-2.0	•••	
Population	381.5	382.4		0.9	6.2	0.2	1.6
Labour force	232.3	230.1	2.8	-2.2	-5.4	-0.9	-2.3
Employment	219.0	216.3	2.8	-2.7	-8.0	-1.2	-3.6
Unemployment	13.3	13.8	1.0	0.5	2.6	3.8	23.2
Participation rate	60.9	60.2	0.7	-0.7	-2.4		
	5.7	6.0	0.4	0.3	1.2		
Unemployment rate Employment rate	57.4	56.6	0.7	-0.8	-3.0		

Table 7 - continuedLabour force characteristics by census metropolitan area, three-month moving average,seasonally adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
Kitchener–Cambridge–Waterloo, Ontario							
Population	522.4	524.2		1.8	15.2	0.3	3.0
Labour force Employment	368.1 345.2	370.3 348.6	2.0 2.1	2.2 3.4	14.7 13.3	0.6 1.0	4.1 4.0
Unemployment	22.9	21.7	1.1	-1.2	1.5	-5.2	7.4
Participation rate	70.5	70.6	0.4	0.1	0.7		
Unemployment rate	6.2	5.9	0.3	-0.3	0.2		
Employment rate	66.1	66.5	0.4	0.4	0.6		
Brantford, Ontario							
Population	121.9	122.1		0.2	1.5	0.2	1.2
Labour force	82.1	80.3	0.9	-1.8	-0.2	-2.2	-0.2
Employment Unemployment	78.9 3.2	76.9 3.4	1.0 0.4	-2.0 0.2	-0.3 0.2	-2.5 6.3	-0.4 6.3
Participation rate	67.4	65.8	0.4	-1.6	-0.9	0.5	0.5
Unemployment rate	3.9	4.2	0.5	0.3	0.2		
Employment rate	64.7	63.0	0.8	-1.7	-1.0		
Guelph, Ontario							
Population	145.7	146.1		0.4	3.1	0.3	2.2
Labour force	106.0	104.5	1.2	-1.5	4.5	-1.4	4.5
Employment	101.5	99.9	1.3	-1.6	2.5	-1.6	2.6
Unemployment	4.5	4.6	0.6	0.1	2.0	2.2	76.9
Participation rate	72.8	71.5	0.9	-1.3 0.2	1.6		
Unemployment rate	4.2 69.7	4.4	0.6	-1.3	1.8		
Employment rate London, Ontario	09.7	68.4	0.9	-1.3	0.3		
Population	487.0	488.5		1.5	12.6	0.3	2.6
Labour force	317.6	320.8	2.3	3.2	7.6	1.0	2.4
Employment	303.1	304.6	2.3	1.5	11.4	0.5	3.9
Unemployment	14.4	16.2	0.9	1.8	-3.7	12.5	-18.6
Participation rate	65.2	65.7	0.5	0.5	-0.1		
Unemployment rate	4.5	5.0	0.3	0.5	-1.4		
Employment rate	62.2	62.4	0.5	0.2	0.8		
Windsor, Ontario							
Population	314.5	315.5		1.0	6.9	0.3	2.2
Labour force	203.8 192.0	201.0	2.1	-2.8 -2.3	17.8	-1.4	9.7
Employment Unemployment	192.0	189.7 11.3	2.1 1.0	-2.3	19.1 -1.3	-1.2 -4.2	11.2 -10.3
Participation rate	64.8	63.7	0.7	-0.5	4.3	-4.2	-10.5
Unemployment rate	5.8	5.6	0.5	-0.2	-1.3		
Employment rate	61.0	60.1	0.7	-0.9	4.8		
Barrie, Ontario							
Population	187.0	187.4		0.4	3.5	0.2	1.9
Labour force	140.1	140.0	1.7	-0.1	7.7	-0.1	5.8
Employment	133.9	133.7	1.8	-0.2	7.6	-0.1	6.0
Unemployment	6.1	6.3	0.8	0.2	0.1	3.3	1.6
Participation rate	74.9 4.4	74.7 4.5	0.9 0.5	-0.2 0.1	2.8 -0.2		
Unemployment rate Employment rate	71.6	71.3	1.0	-0.3	-0.2 2.7		
Greater Sudbury, Ontario	71.0	71.5	1.0	-0.5	2.1		
Population	147.1	147.3		0.2	1.3	0.1	0.9
Labour force	90.5	89.9	1.0	-0.6	0.8	-0.7	0.9
Employment	86.6	85.7	1.0	-0.9	0.4	-1.0	0.5
Unemployment	3.9	4.2	0.4	0.3	0.5	7.7	13.5
Participation rate	61.5	61.0	0.7	-0.5	0.0		
Unemployment rate	4.3	4.7	0.4	0.4	0.5		
Employment rate	58.9	58.2	0.7	-0.7	-0.2		
Thunder Bay, Ontario	407.0	407.4		0.4	0.0	0.4	
Population Labour force	107.3 67.0	107.4 66.7	0.6	0.1 -0.3	0.8 1.4	0.1 -0.4	0.8 2.1
Employment	64.4	63.8	0.6	-0.3	1.4	-0.4	2.1
Unemployment	2.6	2.8	0.8	-0.8	-0.4	-0.9	-12.5
Participation rate	62.4	62.1	0.2	-0.3	0.4		-12.5
Unemployment rate	3.9	4.2	0.3	0.3	-0.7		
Employment rate	60.0	59.4	0.6	-0.6	1.1		
Winnipeg, Manitoba							
Population	729.9	732.1		2.2	18.9	0.3	2.7
Labour force	494.6	494.6	1.7	0.0	11.7	0.0	2.4
Employment	470.2	470.2	1.7	0.0	7.8	0.0	1.7
Unemployment	24.4	24.4	0.9	0.0	3.9	0.0	19.0
Participation rate	67.8	67.6	0.2	-0.2	-0.1		
Unemployment rate	4.9	4.9	0.2	0.0	0.7		
Employment rate	64.4	64.2	0.2	-0.2	-0.6		

Table 7 - continued Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area, three-month moving average, seasonally adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
Regina, Saskatchewan							
Population	227.0	227.8		0.8	8.1	0.4	3.7
Labour force	153.1	155.5	1.1	2.4	7.5 6.0	1.6	5.1
Employment Unemployment	146.4 6.7	148.7 6.8	1.2 0.5	2.3 0.1	6.0 1.4	1.6 1.5	4.2 25.9
Participation rate	67.4	68.3	0.5	0.9	0.9	1.5	20.0
Unemployment rate	4.4	4.4	0.3	0.0	0.8		
Employment rate	64.5	65.3	0.5	0.8	0.3		
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan							
Population	290.0	291.0		1.0	11.2	0.3	4.0
Labour force	205.8	207.3	1.1	1.5	4.4	0.7	2.2
Employment Unemployment	196.2 9.7	197.6 9.8	1.2 0.6	1.4 0.1	3.6 0.9	0.7 1.0	1.9 10.1
Participation rate	71.0	9.8 71.2	0.8	0.1	-1.3		10.1
Unemployment rate	4.7	4.7	0.3	0.0	0.3		
Employment rate	67.7	67.9	0.4	0.2	-1.4		
Lethbridge, Alberta							
Population	111.3	111.8		0.5	4.4	0.4	4.1
Labour force	68.2	69.0	1.2	0.8	-2.8	1.2	-3.9
Employment	64.6	65.2	1.2	0.6	-3.1	0.9	-4.5
Unemployment	3.6	3.9	0.4	0.3	0.4	8.3	11.4
Participation rate Unemployment rate	61.3 5.3	61.7 5.7	1.1 0.6	0.4 0.4	-5.2 0.8		
Employment rate	58.0	58.3	1.1	0.4	-5.3		
Calgary, Alberta	00.0	00.0		0.0	0.0		
Population	1,344.7	1,351.0		6.3	55.9	0.5	4.3
Labour force	973.0	974.8	5.5	1.8	34.6	0.2	3.7
Employment	911.9	913.3	5.8	1.4	22.1	0.2	2.5
Unemployment	61.1	61.5	2.7	0.4	12.5	0.7	25.5
Participation rate	72.4	72.2	0.4	-0.2	-0.4		
Unemployment rate	6.3	6.3	0.3	0.0	1.1		
Employment rate Edmonton, Alberta	67.8	67.6	0.4	-0.2	-1.2		
Population	1,279.2	1,285.4		6.2	54.9	0.5	4.5
Labour force	905.4	906.6	4.8	1.2	47.5	0.0	5.5
Employment	850.5	852.0	4.8	1.5	39.7	0.2	4.9
Unemployment	54.9	54.6	2.3	-0.3	7.8	-0.5	16.7
Participation rate	70.8	70.5	0.4	-0.3	0.7		
Unemployment rate	6.1	6.0	0.3	-0.1	0.6		
Employment rate	66.5	66.3	0.4	-0.2	0.3		
Kelowna, British Columbia	192.4	192.9		0.5	4.3	0.3	2.3
Population Labour force	192.4	123.0	2.0	-2.5	4.3 5.1	-2.0	4.3
Employment	123.3	119.5	2.0	-2.3	6.7	-1.9	5.9
Unemployment	3.7	3.5	0.7	-0.2	-1.5	-5.4	-30.0
Participation rate	65.2	63.8	1.1	-1.4	1.3		
Unemployment rate	2.9	2.8	0.5	-0.1	-1.4		
Employment rate	63.3	61.9	1.0	-1.4	2.1		
Abbotsford–Mission, British Columbia	477.4	477 5		0.4	0.0	0.0	1.0
Population	177.1 112.6	177.5 112.6	 1.2	0.4 0.0	3.3 -2.8	0.2 0.0	1.9 -2.4
Labour force Employment	112.6	112.6	1.2	0.0	-2.8 -3.1	0.0	-2.4
Unemployment	5.8	5.7	0.5	-0.1	-3.1	-1.7	-2.8
Participation rate	63.6	63.4	0.7	-0.2	-2.8		1.0
Unemployment rate	5.2	5.1	0.4	-0.1	0.5		
Employment rate	60.3	60.2	0.7	-0.1	-2.9		
Vancouver, British Columbia							
Population	2,435.4	2,443.0		7.6	52.0	0.3	2.2
Labour force	1,658.5	1,665.0	5.6	6.5	50.1	0.4	3.1
Employment	1,569.6	1,572.8	5.6	3.2	32.3	0.2	2.1
Unemployment Participation rate	89.0 68.1	92.2 68.2	2.8 0.2	3.2 0.1	17.8 0.7	3.6	23.9
Unemployment rate	5.4	5.5	0.2	0.1	0.9		
Employment rate	64.4	64.4	0.2	0.0	0.0		
Victoria, British Columbia							
Population	362.0	363.0		1.0	8.2	0.3	2.3
Labour force	220.9	224.9	1.9	4.0	1.6	1.8	0.7
Employment	213.4	217.0	2.0	3.6	2.5	1.7	1.2
Unemployment	7.5	7.9	0.7	0.4	-1.0	5.3	-11.2
Participation rate	61.0	62.0	0.5	1.0	-0.9		
Unemployment rate	3.4 59.0	3.5 59.8	0.3 0.6	0.1 0.8	-0.5		
Employment rate	59.0	59.8	0.0	0.0	-0.7		

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 1. Average standard error of change between two consecutive months. See the "Data Quality" section of the *Guide to the Labour Force Survey* (71-543-G) for more information.

Note(s): The sum of individual categories may not always add up to the total as a result of rounding. **Source(s):** Table **14-10-0380-02**.

Table 8 Labour force characteristics by Montréal, Toronto and Vancouver census metropolitan areas, monthly, seasonally adjusted

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
	thousa	inds (except ra	tes)	change in thous rates		% cha	ange
Montréal, Quebec							
Population	3,737.3	3,745.0		7.7	68.4	0.2	1.9
Labour force	2,554.1	2,554.3	18.0	0.2	105.5	0.0	4.3
Employment	2,433.3	2,419.5	18.0	-13.8	83.3	-0.6	3.6
Unemployment	120.8	134.7	11.0	13.9	22.2	11.5	19.7
Participation rate	68.3	68.2	0.5	-0.1	1.6		
Unemployment rate	4.7	5.3	0.4	0.6	0.7		
Employment rate	65.1	64.6	0.5	-0.5	1.1		
Toronto, Ontario							
Population	5,812.5	5,832.0		19.5	169.7	0.3	3.0
Labour force	3,980.2	3,956.6	23.1	-23.6	146.8	-0.6	3.9
Employment	3,729.2	3,701.1	22.5	-28.1	107.1	-0.8	3.0
Unemployment	251.0	255.4	14.3	4.4	39.5	1.8	18.3
Participation rate	68.5	67.8	0.4	-0.7	0.5		
Unemployment rate	6.3	6.5	0.4	0.2	0.8		
Employment rate	64.2	63.5	0.4	-0.7	0.0		
Vancouver, British Columbia							
Population	2,443.3	2,450.5		7.2	57.3	0.3	2.4
Labour force	1,665.0	1,673.4	12.0	8.4	60.0	0.5	3.7
Employment	1,569.7	1,573.6	11.5	3.9	34.9	0.2	2.3
Unemployment	95.3	99.8	7.1	4.5	25.1	4.7	33.6
Participation rate	68.1	68.3	0.5	0.2	0.9		
Unemployment rate	5.7	6.0	0.4	0.3	1.4		
Employment rate	64.2	64.2	0.5	0.0	-0.1		

... not applicable

1. Average standard error of change between two consecutive months. See the "Data Quality" section of the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G) for more information.

Note(s): The sum of individual categories may not always add up to the total as a result of rounding. Source(s): Table 14-10-0383-02.

Table 9

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region,¹ three-month moving average ending in July 2022 and July 2023, unadjusted for seasonality

	Population	Labour force	Employment	Unemployment	Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		thous	ands			%	
Canada	04 744 5	04.040.5	40.004.0	1 050 0		5.0	00.0
2022 2023	31,744.5 32,448.8	21,042.5 21,589.7	19,991.6 20,416.4	1,050.9 1,173.4	66.3 66.5	5.0 5.4	63.0 62.9
Newfoundland and Labrador							
2022 2023	448.1 455.0	268.3 268.0	242.5 244.4	25.8 23.6	59.9 58.9	9.6 8.8	54.1 53.7
Avalon Peninsula							
2022 2023	239.5 245.1	155.2 152.7	144.1 142.1	11.1 10.6	64.8 62.3	7.2 6.9	60.2 58.0
South Coast–Burin Peninsula and Notre Dame–Central	243.1	152.7	142.1	10.0	02.5	0.9	58.0
Bonavista Bay	404.4	00.0	50.5		50.0	40.7	40.4
2022 2023	121.1 121.5	60.8 61.7	52.5 54.6	8.3 7.1	50.2 50.8	13.7 11.5	43.4 44.9
West Coast-Northern Peninsula-Labrador	07.5					40.0	
2022 2023	87.5 88.3	52.3 53.6	45.9 47.7	6.4 5.9	59.8 60.7	12.2 11.0	52.5 54.0
Prince Edward Island							
2022 2023	139.2 144.5	95.4 99.2	90.3 92.9	5.1 6.4	68.5 68.7	5.3 6.5	64.9 64.3
Nova Scotia	144.5	55.2	52.5	0.4	00.7	0.5	04.0
2022	838.8	527.5	495.0	32.5	62.9	6.2	59.0
2023 Cape Breton	862.7	539.1	504.7	34.3	62.5	6.4	58.5
2022	109.8	61.4	55.5	5.9	55.9	9.6	50.5
2023 North Shore	111.8	56.0	51.0	5.0	50.1	8.9	45.6
2022	128.8	75.6	69.6	6.0	58.7	7.9	54.0
2023 Annapolis Valley	130.7	75.0	70.9	4.1	57.4	5.5	54.2
2022	108.2	66.1	62.7	3.4	61.1	5.1	57.9
2023 2011	110.6	68.6	65.8	2.8	62.0	4.1	59.5
Southern 2022	99.3	56.0	51.7	4.3	56.4	7.7	52.1
2023	100.5	57.8	54.5	3.2	57.5	5.5	54.2
Halifax 2022	392.6	268.4	255.6	12.8	68.4	4.8	65.1
2022	409.2	281.7	262.5	19.2	68.8	6.8	64.1
New Brunswick	000 7	444.0	004.0	00.4	00.4	0.4	50.4
2022 2023	662.7 682.4	411.3 421.6	384.8 397.0	26.4 24.6	62.1 61.8	6.4 5.8	58.1 58.2
Campbellton-Miramichi							
2022 2023	131.8 133.6	72.9 77.5	66.2 70.9	6.8 6.5	55.3 58.0	9.3 8.4	50.2 53.1
Moncton–Richibucto					00.0	0.4	
2022 2023	195.0	125.9	119.6	6.3 7.3	64.6	5.0	61.3
Saint John–St. Stephen	202.9	133.7	126.4	7.5	65.9	5.5	62.3
2022	149.3	92.9	86.6	6.3	62.2	6.8	58.0
2023 Fredericton–Oromocto	153.3	91.6	86.9	4.7	59.8	5.1	56.7
2022	121.5	80.2	75.2	5.0	66.0	6.2	61.9
2023 Edmundston–Woodstock	126.3	80.2	76.0	4.1	63.5	5.1	60.2
2022	65.1	39.3	37.3	2.1	60.4	5.3	57.3
2023 Quebec	66.3	38.7	36.8	1.9	58.4	4.9	55.5
2022	7,150.9	4,648.2	4,461.3	187.0	65.0	4.0	62.4
2023 Coonfeie Îles de la Madeleire	7,249.4	4,762.0	4,565.8	196.2	65.7	4.1	63.0
Gaspésie–Îles-de-la-Madeleine 2022	76.4	39.3	36.8	2.4	51.4	6.1	48.2
2023	76.6	44.1	42.4	1.7	57.6	3.9	55.4
Bas-Saint-Laurent 2022	165.6	94.5	91.4	3.1	57.1	3.3	55.2
2023	166.0	97.0	93.0	4.0	58.4	4.1	56.0
Capitale-Nationale 2022	628.3	417.0	404.9	12.0	66.4	2.9	64.4
2022 2023	634.4	417.0	404.9	12.0	66.0	2.9 2.9	64.4
Chaudière-Appalaches							
2022 2023	359.0 362.0	241.4 235.4	238.2 229.6	3.2 5.9	67.2 65.0	1.3 2.5	66.4 63.4
Estrie							
2022 2023	281.3 285.3	167.0 163.4	162.3 158.0	4.7 5.4	59.4 57.3	2.8 3.3	57.7 55.4
Centre-du-Québec							
2022	209.4	137.7	135.2	2.5	65.8	1.8	64.6
2023	211.6	130.2	128.0	2.3	61.5	1.8	60.5
Montérégie							

Table 9 - continuedLabour force characteristics by province and economic region,1 three-month moving averageending in July 2022 and July 2023, unadjusted for seasonality

	Population	Labour force	Employment	Unemployment	Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
2023	1,350.5	881.1	845.3	35.8	65.2	4.1	62.6
Montréal	1 770 7	1 205 0	1 124 0	71.0	69.1	5.0	64.0
2022 2023	1,770.7 1,807.5	1,205.0 1,254.0	1,134.0 1,182.9	71.0 71.0	68.1 69.4	5.9 5.7	64.0 65.4
Laval							
2022	369.4	233.3	220.6	12.7	63.2	5.4	59.7
2023 Lanaudière	374.0	255.9	241.8	14.2	68.4	5.5	64.7
2022	431.4	302.5	291.7	10.7	70.1	3.5	67.6
2023	436.7	292.1	279.2	13.0	66.9	4.5	63.9
Laurentides 2022	534.3	333.8	320.3	13.6	62.5	4.1	59.9
2023	543.4	368.9	357.7	11.2	67.9	3.0	65.8
Outaouais	000.0						
2022 2023	333.0 337.5	219.9 219.4	212.8 211.5	7.1 7.9	66.0 65.0	3.2 3.6	63.9 62.7
Abitibi-Témiscamingue	001.0	210.4	211.0	1.0	00.0	0.0	02.7
2022	118.4	78.1	76.0	2.1	66.0	2.7	64.2
2023 Mauricie	118.7	74.5	71.9	2.6	62.8	3.5	60.6
2022	227.9	121.4	117.2	4.2	53.3	3.5	51.4
2023	229.2	131.8	128.6	3.3	57.5	2.5	56.1
Saguenay–Lac-Saint-Jean 2022	228.9	131.5	127.9	3.7	57.4	2.8	55.9
2022 2023	228.9 229.7	131.5 139.7	135.4	3.7 4.3	60.8	2.8 3.1	58.9
Côte-Nord and Nord-du-Québec							
2022 2023	85.8 86.3	50.3 55.6	48.2 53.7	2.1 1.8	58.6 64.4	4.2 3.2	56.2 62.2
Ontario	00.3	55.6	55.7	1.0	04.4	3.2	02.2
2022	12,507.8	8,295.7	7,843.6	452.1	66.3	5.4	62.7
2023	12,784.2	8,523.6	8,016.9	506.7	66.7	5.9	62.7
Ottawa 2022	1,220.0	813.3	778.5	34.8	66.7	4.3	63.8
2023	1,246.0	854.6	815.6	38.9	68.6	4.6	65.5
Kingston–Pembroke							
2022 2023	401.7 407.7	251.2 241.7	240.5 227.3	10.6 14.4	62.5 59.3	4.2 6.0	59.9 55.8
Muskoka–Kawarthas	401.1	241.1	227.0	14.4	00.0	0.0	00.0
2022	353.1	199.1	188.8	10.3	56.4	5.2	53.5
2023 Toronto	358.0	215.2	206.1	9.1	60.1	4.2	57.6
2022	5,910.2	4,045.4	3,791.6	253.8	68.4	6.3	64.2
2023	6,065.5	4,171.1	3,887.3	283.7	68.8	6.8	64.1
Kitchener–Waterloo–Barrie 2022	1,238.9	850.9	812.0	38.8	68.7	4.6	65.5
2022	1,269.5	906.4	860.3	46.1	71.4	5.1	67.8
Hamilton–Niagara Peninsula							
2022 2023	1,293.4	833.1 823.8	796.4 779.9	36.7 43.9	64.4 62.6	4.4 5.3	61.6 59.3
London	1,315.3	023.0	119.9	43.9	02.0	0.5	59.5
2022	620.8	419.1	394.4	24.7	67.5	5.9	63.5
2023 Window Service	635.6	413.1	388.7	24.3	65.0	5.9	61.2
Windsor–Sarnia 2022	564.5	326.5	307.3	19.1	57.8	5.8	54.4
2023	574.6	356.0	335.7	20.3	62.0	5.7	58.4
Stratford–Bruce Peninsula	000 7	475 5	407.7	7.0	05.0		00.4
2022 2023	268.7 272.2	175.5 163.6	167.7 156.4	7.8 7.1	65.3 60.1	4.4 4.3	62.4 57.5
Northeast		10010	10011		0011		0110
2022	462.4	275.8	264.8	11.0	59.6	4.0	57.3
2023 Northwest	464.4	268.2	254.8	13.4	57.8	5.0	54.9
2022	174.1	106.1	101.7	4.4	60.9	4.1	58.4
2023	175.4	110.2	104.7	5.4	62.8	4.9	59.7
Manitoba 2022	1,063.1	715.2	685.2	30.0	67.3	4.2	64.5
2022	1,086.9	738.8	702.9	35.9	68.0	4.2	64.7
Southeast							
2022	101.0	67.9	64.9	3.0	67.2	4.4	64.3
2023 South Central and North Central	103.4	72.7	70.2	2.5	70.3	3.4	67.9
2022	92.4	61.0	59.2	1.8	66.0	3.0	64.1
	94.3	67.0	64.0	3.0	71.0	4.5	67.9
2023	94.3						
2023 Southwest		60.5	58 3	22	66 5	3.6	64 1
2023 Southwest 2022 2023	94.3 91.0 92.3	60.5 61.4	58.3 58.2	2.2 3.2	66.5 66.5	3.6 5.2	64.1 63.1
2023 Southwest 2022 2023 Winnipeg	91.0 92.3	61.4	58.2	3.2	66.5	5.2	63.1
2023 Southwest 2022 2023	91.0						

Table 9 - continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region,¹ three-month moving average ending in July 2022 and July 2023, unadjusted for seasonality

	ily 2020, anaaj		ocuooniun	-			
	Population	Labour force	Employment	Unemployment	Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
Interlake							
2022	77.2	47.6	44.9	2.6	61.7	5.5	58.2
2023	78.5	47.3	45.6	1.7	60.3	3.6	58.1
Parklands and North	54.2	22.2	22.4	10	C1 4	2.0	50.0
2022 2023	54.2 54.9	33.3 35.8	32.1 34.5	1.2 1.3	61.4 65.2	3.6 3.6	59.2 62.8
Saskatchewan	54.9	35.6	54.5	1.5	05.2	3.0	02.0
2022	898.8	620.6	595.3	25.3	69.0	4.1	66.2
2023	922.9	626.9	598.2	28.8	67.9	4.6	64.8
Regina–Moose Mountain							
2022	279.6	190.9	183.4	7.5	68.3	3.9	65.6
2023	288.3	201.1	191.6	9.5	69.8	4.7	66.5
Swift Current–Moose Jaw 2022	82.8	54.6	52.3	2.3	65.9	4.2	63.2
2022	83.9	49.9	48.2	1.7	59.5	3.4	57.4
Saskatoon-Biggar	00.0	40.0	40.2		00.0	0.4	07.4
2022	318.4	232.4	222.4	10.0	73.0	4.3	69.8
2023	329.4	235.9	225.5	10.3	71.6	4.4	68.5
Yorkton-Melville							
2022	61.4	39.8	38.7	1.1	64.8	2.8	63.0
2023 Prince Albert and Northern	61.9	39.9	38.2	1.7	64.5	4.3	61.7
2022	156.5	103.1	98.6	4.4	65.9	4.3	63.0
2023	159.4	100.3	94.6	5.6	62.9	5.6	59.3
Alberta							
2022	3,609.1	2,549.0	2,416.5	132.5	70.6	5.2	67.0
2023	3,748.3	2,644.0	2,491.1	152.9	70.5	5.8	66.5
Lethbridge–Medicine Hat	0.10.0	450.0					
2022	242.2	158.0	151.7	6.3	65.2	4.0	62.6
2023 Camrose–Drumheller	249.5	161.9	152.4	9.5	64.9	5.9	61.1
2022	162.5	109.5	103.8	5.6	67.4	5.1	63.9
2023	165.9	109.1	105.0	4.2	65.8	3.8	63.3
Calgary							
2022	1,383.6	1,008.2	957.1	51.1	72.9	5.1	69.2
2023	1,441.4	1,040.8	977.5	63.2	72.2	6.1	67.8
Banff–Jasper–Rocky Mountain House and Athabasca–Grande Prairie–Peace River							
2022	277.4	196.4	184.7	11.7	70.8	6.0	66.6
2022	285.2	202.2	191.9	10.3	70.9	5.1	67.3
Red Deer							
2022	179.1	110.3	105.1	5.2	61.6	4.7	58.7
2023	185.0	117.6	111.0	6.7	63.6	5.7	60.0
Edmonton	1 050 1			47.0			
2022 2023	1,259.1 1,313.5	886.1 933.0	838.2 878.0	47.8 54.9	70.4 71.0	5.4 5.9	66.6 66.8
Wood Buffalo–Cold Lake	1,515.5	555.0	070.0	54.5	71.0	5.5	00.0
2022	105.3	80.5	75.8	4.7	76.4	5.8	72.0
2023	108.0	79.4	75.2	4.1	73.5	5.2	69.6
British Columbia							
2022	4,425.8	2,911.3	2,777.0	134.3	65.8	4.6	62.7
2023	4,512.5	2,966.4	2,802.5	163.9	65.7	5.5	62.1
Vancouver Island and Coast	700.0	450.0	400 7	47.4	50.0	2.0	E7 E
2022 2023	762.8 777.3	456.0 460.9	438.7 439.3	17.4 21.6	59.8 59.3	3.8 4.7	57.5 56.5
Lower Mainland–Southwest	111.5	400.9	435.3	21.0	59.5	4.7	50.5
2022	2,736.9	1,860.1	1,771.4	88.7	68.0	4.8	64.7
2023	2,796.0	1,910.3	1,801.8	108.5	68.3	5.7	64.4
Thompson–Okanagan							
2022	516.9	330.4	314.1	16.3	63.9	4.9	60.8
2023	526.1	333.9	317.1	16.7	63.5	5.0	60.3
Kootenay 2022	140.0	07.0	014	2.9	62.0	2.0	E0 0
2022 2023	140.8 142.5	87.3 87.0	84.4 82.1	2.9 4.8	62.0	3.3 5.5	59.9 57.6
Cariboo	142.0	07.0	02.1	-1.0	01.1	5.5	57.0
2022	143.0	96.8	91.0	5.8	67.7	6.0	63.6
2023	144.8	92.0	84.6	7.4	63.5	8.0	58.4
North Coast and Nechako							
2022	69.7	41.8	40.4	х	60.0	х	58.0
2023	69.8	44.2	41.3	2.9	63.3	6.6	59.2
Northeast	EE ^	20.0	07.0	4.0	70.0	4.0	00 F
2022 2023	55.6 56.0	38.9 38.2	37.0 36.2	1.9 2.0	70.0 68.2	4.9 5.2	66.5 64.6
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 1. For geographic descriptions of economic regions, refer to the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G).

 Source(s):

	June 2023	July 2023	Standard error ¹	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023	June to July 2023	July 2022 to July 2023
	thousar	nds (except rat	es)	change in thous rates		% cha	inge
Yukon					·		
Population	34.0	34.0		0.0	0.5	0.0	1.5
Labour force	24.9	24.6	0.3	-0.3	0.6	-1.2	2.5
Employment	24.0	23.7	0.3	-0.3	0.5	-1.3	2.2
Unemployment	1.0	0.9	0.2	-0.1	0.1	-10.0	12.5
Participation rate	73.2	72.4	0.9	-0.8	0.8		
Unemployment rate	4.0	3.7	0.6	-0.3	0.4		
Employment rate	70.6	69.7	0.9	-0.9	0.4		
Northwest Territories							
Population	34.2	34.3		0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3
Labour force	25.9	25.5	0.3	-0.4	-0.8	-1.5	-3.0
Employment	24.1	23.3	0.4	-0.8	-1.7	-3.3	-6.8
Unemployment	1.8	2.2	0.2	0.4	0.9	22.2	69.2
Participation rate	75.7	74.3	0.9	-1.4	-2.6		
Unemployment rate	6.9	8.6	0.7	1.7	3.7		
Employment rate	70.5	67.9	1.0	-2.6	-5.2		
Nunavut							
Population	26.1	26.2		0.1	0.4	0.4	1.6
Labour force	17.1	16.7	0.2	-0.4	-0.2	-2.3	-1.2
Employment	14.3	13.9	0.2	-0.4	-0.8	-2.8	-5.4
Unemployment	2.8	2.9	0.2	0.1	0.7	3.6	31.8
Participation rate	65.5	63.8	0.8	-1.7	-1.7		
Unemployment rate	16.6	17.1	0.9	0.5	3.9		
Employment rate	54.6	52.9	0.7	-1.7	-4.0		

Table 10 Labour force characteristics by territory, three-month moving average, seasonally adjusted

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 not applicable
 Average standard error of change between two consecutive months. See the "Data Quality" section of the *Guide to the Labour Force Survey* (71-543-G) for more information.

Source(s): Table 14-10-0292-02.

Table 11 Average usual hours and wages of employees by selected characteristics, unadjusted for seasonality

		Emplo	yees			Full-time		Part-time		
	Number	Average weekly hours	Average weekly wages	Average hourly wages	Number	Average weekly hours	Average weekly wages	Number	Average weekly hours	Average weekly wages
	thousands		current	dollars	thousands		current dollars	thousands		current dollars
July 2023										
15 years and over	17,758.8	36.1	1,232.75	33.24	15,103.8	39.2	1,374.70	2,655.0	18.1	425.26
15 to 24 years	3,000.1	30.2	629.49	20.00	1,850.7	38.2	833.23	1,149.4	17.3	301.43
25 years and over Males	14,758.7	37.3	1,355.38	35.93	13,253.1	39.4	1,450.31	1,505.6	18.6	519.80
Females	9,159.2	37.9 34.2	1,365.80	35.30 31.04	8,209.2	40.2 38.1	1,477.01 1,252.87	950.0	17.8 18.2	404.77 436.69
Union coverage	8,599.5	34.2	1,091.05	31.04	6,894.5	30.1	1,202.07	1,705.0	10.2	430.08
Union coverage	5,185.7	36.6	1,313.34	35.53	4,620.7	38.7	1,402.81	565.0	19.7	581.59
No union coverage	12,573.0	35.9	1,199.52	32.29	10,483.0	39.5	1,362.30	2,090.0	17.6	383.01
Job permanency	12,010.0	00.0	1,100.02	02.20	10,400.0	00.0	1,002.00	2,000.0	17.0	000.01
Permanent employees	15,370.4	36.8	1,300.16	34.55	13,518.2	39.3	1,416.63	1,852.2	18.7	450.09
Temporary employees	2,388.4	31.3	798.94	24.80	1,585.5	38.8	1,017.15	802.8	16.7	367.99
Occupation					,					
Management occupations	1,366.1	39.6	2,243.75	56.92	1,338.7	40.0	2,272.82	27.4	18.1	823.46
Business, finance and administration occupations,										
except management	3,108.1	36.3	1,197.42	32.78	2,802.6	38.3	1,272.94	305.5	17.7	504.67
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations,										
except management	1,628.4	38.5	1,686.42	43.79	1,586.6	39.0	1,712.26	41.8	18.7	706.51
Health occupations, except management	1,328.0	34.8	1,238.82	35.53	1,088.4	38.0	1,356.19	239.5	20.3	705.51
Occupations in education, law and social, community										
and government services, except management	1,872.7	35.2	1,408.01	39.47	1,617.5	38.0	1,537.37	255.2	17.7	588.05
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport,	500 4									
except management	509.4	33.4	964.02	28.03	394.2	38.6	1,143.59	115.2	15.5	349.52
Sales and service occupations, except management	4,111.0	31.3	719.37	21.83	2,708.7	38.3	926.73	1,402.3	18.0	318.86
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related	2,626.8	40.0	1,244.83	30.77	2,443.0	41.6	1,304.23	183.8	18.4	455.40
occupations, except management Natural resources, agriculture and related production	2,020.0	40.0	1,244.03	30.77	2,443.0	41.0	1,304.23	103.0	10.4	400.40
occupations, except management	368.1	40.9	1,189.56	28.00	322.3	44.1	1,305.58	45.8	18.5	372.36
Occupations in manufacturing and utilities, except management	840.2	39.4	1,096.17	27.46	801.7	40.4	1,129.30	38.4	18.6	404.83
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July 2022 15 years and over	17,277.7	36.2	1,176.95	31.65	14,746.0	39.3	1,309.01	2,531.7	18.2	407.77
15 to 24 years	2,926.2	30.2	608.36	19.01	1,853.3	39.3	794.42	1,073.0	17.4	286.97
25 years and over	14,351.5	37.3	1,292.89	34.23	12,892.7	39.4	1,382.98	1,458.8	18.7	496.62
Males	8.874.7	38.1	1,309.31	33.66	8,023.4	40.3	1,407.84	851.3	17.9	380.73
Females	8,403.0	34.1	1,037.16	29.53	6,722.6	38.1	1,191.07	1,680.4	18.3	421.47
Union coverage	0,10010	0	1,001110	20.00	0,122.0	00.1	1,101.01	1,00011	10.0	
Union coverage	5,009.3	36.8	1,286.64	34.63	4,483.6	38.8	1,368.73	525.6	20.2	586.41
No union coverage	12,268.5	35.9	1,132.16	30.43	10,262.4	39.5	1,282.92	2,006.1	17.6	360.96
Job permanency										
Permanent employees	14,895.3	36.9	1,240.36	32.90	13,119.4	39.3	1,350.19	1,775.9	18.7	429.01
Temporary employees	2,382.5	32.1	780.50	23.82	1,626.6	39.1	976.90	755.9	16.8	357.86
Occupation										
Management occupations Business, finance and administration occupations,	1,242.6	39.7	2,127.17	53.78	1,219.2	40.2	2,155.80	23.3	17.0	630.19
except management	2,925.8	36.3	1,153.69	31.57	2,633.2	38.3	1,226.65	292.6	18.3	497.01
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations,										
except management	1,620.9	38.5	1,618.47	42.09	1,586.0	39.0	1,638.07	34.9	18.0	727.48
Health occupations, except management	1,344.7	35.0	1,198.32	33.87	1,088.1	38.3	1,324.11	256.6	20.8	664.82
Occupations in education, law and social, community										
and government services, except management	1,879.1	35.6	1,339.29	37.43	1,636.0	38.3	1,453.45	243.1	17.3	570.91
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport,										
except management	397.2	33.7	897.70	25.95	302.3	39.4	1,072.84	94.9	15.4	339.83
Sales and service occupations, except management	4,055.9	31.5	691.81	20.87	2,722.6	38.1	882.15	1,333.4	18.0	303.14
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related	0 550 5	<u></u>	4 000 7-		0.004-		4 000 55	170 -	40 ·	100
occupations, except management	2,558.0	39.9	1,209.77	29.95	2,384.9	41.5	1,266.58	173.0	18.4	426.80
Natural resources, agriculture and related production	000.0	44.0	4 405 05	00.40	000 0	44.0	1 000 00	11.0	47 4	000.00
occupations, except management	383.8	41.6	1,125.25	26.12	339.8	44.8	1,228.29	44.0	17.4	328.80
Occupations in manufacturing and utilities, except management	869.9	39.4	1,007.33	25.31	833.8	40.3	1,035.57	36.1	19.3	354.45
	009.9	39.4	1,007.33	20.01	000.0	40.3	1,030.07	30.1	19.0	554.45

Source(s): Table 14-10-0320-02.

Table 12 Regional unemployment rates used by the Employment Insurance program,¹, ⁹ three-month moving average, seasonally adjusted

	August 6, 2023 to September 9, 2023
	%
Newfoundland and Labrador St. John's	6.0
Newfoundland and Labrador ²	12.9
Prince Edward Island ³ Charlottetown Prince Edward Island ⁴	6.1 9.6
Nova Scotia Eastern Nova Scotia Western Nova Scotia Halifax	10.4 5.7 6.7
New Brunswick Fredericton–Moncton–Saint John Madawaska–Charlotte Restigouche–Albert	5.2 5.9 9.6
Quebec Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine Québec Trois-Rivières South Central Quebec Sherbrooke Montérégie Montréal Central Quebec North Western Quebec Lower Saint Lawrence and North Shore Hull Chicoutimi–Jonquière	7.7 3.4 3.9 2.4 3.3 3.4 4.7 4.5 5.9 4.4 4.2 3.8
Ontario Ottawa Eastern Ontario Kingston Central Ontario Oshawa Toronto Hamilton St. Catharines London Niagara Windsor Kitchener Huron South Central Ontario Sudbury Thunder Bay Northern Ontario	$\begin{array}{c} 4.2\\ 3.8\\ 3.4\\ 5.0\\ 5.9\\ 6.4\\ 5.1\\ 6.0\\ 5.0\\ 4.7\\ 5.6\\ 6.0\\ 4.7\\ 4.8\\ 4.8\\ 4.8\\ 4.6\\ 7.1\end{array}$
Manitoba Winnipeg Southern Manitoba Northern Manitoba	4.9 6.2 31.5
Saskatchewan Regina Saskatoon Southern Saskatchewan	4.8 4.5 6.1

Table 12 - continued Regional unemployment rates used by the Employment Insurance program,¹, ⁹ three-month moving average, seasonally adjusted

	August 6, 2023 to September 9, 2023
Northern Saskatchewan	15.4
Alberta Calgary Edmonton Northern Alberta Southern Alberta	6.5 6.0 10.8 6.6
British Columbia Southern Interior British Columbia Abbotsford Vancouver Victoria Southern Coastal British Columbia Northern British Columbia	6.0 5.2 5.6 3.7 6.2 8.9
Territories^{3,5} Whitehorse Yukon ⁶ Yellowknife Northwest Territories ⁷ Iqaluit Nunavut ⁸	3.7 7.3 3.1 17.5 7.9 21.2

1. The boundaries of these employment insurance regions are determined by Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC). For geographic descriptions and maps of these regions, see the ESDC website.

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.

This region excludes Charlottetown.
 The monthly regional unemployment rate for EI purposes in the territories is subject to the highest between the seasonally adjusted three-month moving average and twelve-month moving average.
 This region excludes Whitehorse.

This region excludes Villeriolde.
 This region excludes Yellowknife.
 This region excludes Iqaluit.

From August 9, 2020 to September 25, 2021, Employment and Social Development Canada applied a minimum unemployment rate of 13.1% for Employment 9. Insurance (EI) economic regions with an unemployment rate lower than 13.1%; regions with a higher unemployment rate kept their actual rate. The unemployment rates for the relevant effective periods reflect this change.

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

Source(s): Table 14-10-0354-01.

	July 2021	July 2022	July 2023	Standard error ¹	July 2022 to July 2023	July 2021 to July 2022	July 2022 to July 2023	July 2021 to July 2022
		thousands (except rates)					% change	
2			opt rated)		rate			
Students 15 to 24 years ² Population	2,471.4	2,490.6	2,588.7	35.4	98.1	19.2	3.9	0.8
Labour force	1,610.4	1,660.3	1,714.3	37.4	54.0	49.9	3.3	3.1
Employment	1,373.5	1,474.8	1,503.7	36.0	28.9	101.3	2.0	7.4
Full-time employment	619.8	694.9	665.9	24.1	-29.0	75.1	-4.2	12.1
Part-time employment	753.7	779.9	837.8	29.4	57.9	26.2	7.4	3.5
Unemployment	236.9	185.5	210.6	15.5	25.1	-51.4	13.5	-21.7
Participation rate	65.2	66.7	66.2	1.1	-0.5	1.5		
Inemployment rate	14.7	11.2	12.3	1.0	1.1	-3.5		
mployment rate	55.6	59.2	58.1	1.1	-1.1	3.6		
tudents 15 to 16 years ²								
opulation	769.9	776.2	805.6	5.6	29.4	6.3	3.8	0.8
Labour force	342.6	365.9	389.2	14.6	23.3	23.3	6.4	6.8
Employment	263.1	292.6	301.5	13.8	8.9	29.5	3.0	11.2
Full-time employment	71.1	82.2	66.7	5.4	-15.5	11.1	-18.9	15.6
Part-time employment	192.0	210.4	234.8	13.3	24.4	18.4	11.6	9.6
Unemployment	79.4	73.3	87.7	7.7	14.4	-6.1	19.6	-7.7
articipation rate	44.5	47.1	48.3	1.9	1.2	2.6		
nemployment rate mployment rate	23.2 34.2	20.0 37.7	22.5 37.4	2.3 1.8	2.5 -0.3	-3.2 3.5		
tudents 17 to 19 years ²								
opulation	896.2	905.1	913.4	17.3	8.3	8.9	0.9	1.0
Labour force	661.3	657.0	655.7	19.0	-1.3	-4.3	-0.2	-0.7
Employment	581.9	587.2	578.5	19.0	-8.7	5.3	-1.5	0.9
Full-time employment	247.0	238.7	238.2	12.3	-0.5	-8.3	-0.2	-3.4
Part-time employment	334.9	348.5	340.4	17.5	-8.1	13.6	-2.3	4.
Unemployment	79.4	69.9	77.2	9.0	7.3	-9.5	10.4	-12.0
articipation rate	73.8	72.6	71.8	1.7	-0.8	-1.2		
nemployment rate	12.0	10.6	11.8	1.5	1.2	-1.4		
mployment rate	64.9	64.9	63.3	1.8	-1.6	0.0		
tudents 20 to 24 years ²								
opulation	805.2	809.3	869.7	29.4	60.4	4.1	7.5	0.5
Labour force	606.6	637.3	669.4	26.7	32.1	30.7	5.0	5.1
Employment	528.5	595.0	623.6	25.6	28.6	66.5	4.8	12.6
Full-time employment	301.7	374.0	361.0	19.5	-13.0	72.3	-3.5	24.0
Part-time employment	226.8 78.1	221.0 42.3	262.6 45.7	19.2 9.6	41.6 3.4	-5.8 -35.8	18.8 8.0	-2.6 -45.8
Unemployment articipation rate	75.3	78.7	77.0	9.8	-1.7	-35.8		
nemployment rate	12.9	6.6	6.8	1.9	-1.7	-6.3		
mployment rate	65.6	73.5	71.7	2.0	-1.8	-0.3		
ther persons aged 15 to 24 ³								
opulation	1,977.2	1,982.6	2,047.3	35.4	64.7	5.4	3.3	0.3
Labour force	1,695.0	1,663.7	1,741.8	34.4	78.1	-31.3	4.7	-1.8
Employment	1,510.2	1,516.0	1,556.0	33.6	40.0	5.8	2.6	0.4
Full-time employment	1,139.0	1,189.9	1,216.8	32.3	26.9	50.9	2.3	4.5
Part-time employment	371.2	326.2	339.1	21.1	12.9	-45.0	4.0	-12.1
Unemployment	184.9	147.6	185.8	14.6	38.2	-37.3	25.9	-20.2
irticipation rate	85.7	83.9	85.1	0.9	1.2	-1.8		
nemployment rate	10.9	8.9	10.7	0.8	1.8	-2.0		
mployment rate	76.4	76.5	76.0	1.1	-0.5	0.1		

Table 13

Students and other persons aged 15 to 24 by detailed age group, unadjusted for seasonality

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1. Average standard error of change over the year. See the "Data Quality" section of the *Guide to the Labour Force Survey* (71-543-G) for more information.
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): The sum of individual categories may not always add up to the total as a result of rounding.
Source(s): Table 14-10-0286-02.

Table 14

Students and other persons aged 15 to 24 by province, unadjusted for seasonality

	Population	Labour force	Employment	Full-time employment	Part-time employment	Unemploy- ment	Participation rate	Unemploy- ment rate	Employment rate
			thous	sands				%	
Students ¹ Newfoundland and Labrador July 2022 July 2023	30.3 32.1	22.4 23.6	20.1 21.1	10.4 10.4	9.8 10.7	2.2 2.5	73.9 73.5	9.8 10.6	66.3 65.7
Prince Edward Island July 2022 July 2023	12.2 11.9	9.8 9.7	9.3 8.6	6.5 4.5	2.9 4.2	0.5 1.1	80.3 81.5	5.1 11.3	76.2 72.3
Nova Scotia July 2022 July 2023	58.4 57.3	42.8 40.4	37.6 35.5	16.4 19.0	21.2 16.5	5.2 4.9	73.3 70.5	12.1 12.1	64.4 62.0
New Brunswick July 2022 July 2023	42.0 42.8	32.8 29.6	29.4 25.5	20.0 12.8	9.4 12.7	3.5 4.1	78.1 69.2	10.7 13.9	70.0 59.6
Quebec July 2022 July 2023	567.2 590.5	417.1 459.2	385.3 428.2	204.1 208.0	181.3 220.2	31.8 31.0	73.5 77.8	7.6 6.8	67.9 72.5
Ontario July 2022 July 2023	1,032.2 1,084.0	654.2 675.3	565.9 580.4	258.1 246.6	307.8 333.8	88.3 94.9	63.4 62.3	13.5 14.1	54.8 53.5
Manitoba July 2022 July 2023	79.5 83.8	56.3 55.0	50.6 46.5	23.5 21.9	27.1 24.6	5.7 8.5	70.8 65.6	10.1 15.5	63.6 55.5
Saskatchewan July 2022 July 2023	73.8 75.5	49.5 48.6	44.7 43.3	23.6 20.1	21.1 23.1	4.8 5.4	67.1 64.4	9.7 11.1	60.6 57.4
Alberta July 2022 July 2023	288.6 285.5	184.5 175.4	163.2 141.9	75.0 59.7	88.2 82.1	21.3 33.6	63.9 61.4	11.5 19.2	56.5 49.7
British Columbia July 2022 July 2023	306.4 325.2	190.8 197.4	168.6 172.8	57.4 62.8	111.2 110.0	22.2 24.7	62.3 60.7	11.6 12.5	55.0 53.1
Other persons ² Newfoundland and Labrador July 2022 July 2023	24.8 24.4	21.3 20.2	18.3 16.5	14.7 12.7	3.6 3.8	3.1 3.7	85.9 82.8	14.6 18.3	73.8 67.6
Prince Edward Island July 2022 July 2023	10.0 11.7	8.8 9.4	7.5 8.6	6.3 7.8	1.2 x	1.3 x	88.0 80.3	14.8 x	75.0 73.5
Nova Scotia July 2022 July 2023	51.9 57.6	43.5 47.8	39.7 42.3	31.6 35.3	8.2 7.1	3.8 5.4	83.8 83.0	8.7 11.3	76.5 73.4
New Brunswick July 2022 July 2023	42.2 45.4	36.4 40.6	32.2 38.4	26.7 35.0	5.5 3.4	4.3 x	86.3 89.4	11.8 x	76.3 84.6
Quebec July 2022 July 2023	340.7 340.0	294.1 293.6	269.5 274.1	222.1 218.1	47.3 56.0	24.6 19.6	86.3 86.4	8.4 6.7	79.1 80.6
Ontario July 2022 July 2023	822.4 840.5	672.6 718.7	607.3 619.4	471.3 484.1	136.1 135.3	65.2 99.2	81.8 85.5	9.7 13.8	73.8 73.7
Manitoba July 2022 July 2023	88.1 88.9	73.8 76.4	68.9 70.8	54.7 58.9	14.2 11.9	4.9 5.6	83.8 85.9	6.6 7.3	78.2 79.6
Saskatchewan July 2022 July 2023	61.9 65.3	52.0 52.7	49.6 48.0	39.7 38.3	9.9 9.7	2.4 4.7	84.0 80.7	4.6 8.9	80.1 73.5
Alberta July 2022 July 2023	245.6 277.8	208.6 230.8	189.1 208.6	146.8 154.4	42.3 54.2	19.6 22.3	84.9 83.1	9.4 9.7	77.0 75.1

Table 14
Students and other persons aged 15 to 24 by province, unadjusted for seasonality

	Population	Labour force	Employment	Full-time employment	Part-time employment	Unemploy- ment	Participation rate	Unemploy- ment rate	Employment rate
British Columbia July 2022 July 2023	295.1 295.7	252.6 251.6	233.8 229.2	175.9 172.3	58.0 56.9	18.6 22.3	85.6 85.1	7.4 8.9	79.2 77.5

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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.

Source(s): Table 14-10-0286-03.

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