

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

Region	Effective from September 9, 2012 to October 6, 2012
	percent
Newfoundland and Labrador	
01. St. John's	7.0
02. Newfoundland and Labrador	17.6
Prince Edward Island	
03. Prince Edward Island	11.2
Nova Scotia	
04. Eastern Nova Scotia	15.7
05. Western Nova Scotia	11.1
06. Halifax	6.6
New Brunswick	
07. Fredericton-Moncton-Saint John	7.4
08. Madawaska-Charlotte	12.5
09. Restigouche-Albert	14.8
Quebec	
10. Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine	12.7
11. Québec	5.3
12. Trois-Rivières	7.7
13. South Central Quebec	5.1
14. Sherbrooke	7.9
15. Montérégie	6.7
16. Montréal	8.5
17. Central Quebec	7.9
18. Northwestern Quebec	9.8
19. Bas-Saint-Laurent-Côte-Nord	9.7
20. Gatineau	5.9
21. Saguenay	6.8
Ontario	
22. Ottawa	6.3
23. Eastern Ontario	7.8
24. Kingston	6.5
25. Central Ontario	7.7
26. Oshawa	8.9
27. Toronto	8.5
28. Hamilton	7.2
29. St. Catharines	8.5
30. London	8.5
31. Niagara	10.9
32. Windsor	9.5
33. Kitchener	6.4
34. Huron	7.5
35. South Central Ontario	5.3
36. Sudbury	7.0
37. Thunder Bay	6.5
38. Northern Ontario	10.6
Manitoba	
39. Winnipeg	5.8
40. Southern Manitoba	6.4
41. Northern Manitoba	31.8
Saskatchewan	
42. Regina	4.3
43. Saskatoon	5.3
44. Southern Saskatchewan	6.9
45. Northern Saskatchewan	17.0
Alberta	
46. Calgary	4.8
47. Edmonton	4.7
48. Northern Alberta	7.9
49. Southern Alberta	5.9

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 8 – continued

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

Region	Effective from September 9, 2012 to October 6, 2012
	percent
British Columbia	
50. Southern Interior British Columbia	6.3
51. Abbotsford	7.7
52. Vancouver	6.9
53. Victoria	6.7
54. Southern Coastal British Columbia	8.7
55. Northern British Columbia	12.6
Territories	
56. Yukon ²	25.0
57. Northwest Territories ²	25.0
58. Nunavut ²	25.0

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

2. This rate is provided by Human Resources and Skills Development Canada.

Note(s): All geographic regions are based on the 1996 Census boundaries.