

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

	January 2014	February 2014	S.E. ¹	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
Both sexes, 15 years and over									
Population	620.0	620.1	...	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Labour force	389.7	391.5	2.2	1.8	-0.2	-1.1	0.5	-0.1	-0.3
Employment	351.3	353.1	2.4	1.8	-0.6	0.0	0.5	-0.2	0.0
Employment full-time	299.3	298.3	3.0	-1.0	2.2	1.1	-0.3	0.7	0.4
Unemployment	38.4	38.4	2.3	0.0	0.4	-1.1	0.0	1.1	-2.8
Participation rate	62.9	63.1	0.4	0.2	-0.1	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.9	9.8	0.6	-0.1	0.1	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.7	56.9	0.4	0.2	-0.2	-0.1	...	...	...
Part-time rate	14.8	15.5	0.7	0.7	-0.8	-0.3	...	...	...
Both sexes, 15 to 24 years									
Population	87.3	87.2	...	-0.1	-0.3	-2.0	-0.1	-0.3	-2.2
Labour force	55.3	56.0	1.3	0.7	0.1	2.4	1.3	0.2	4.5
Employment	47.2	48.1	1.3	0.9	0.0	3.2	1.9	0.0	7.1
Unemployment	8.1	7.9	1.2	-0.2	0.0	-0.8	-2.5	0.0	-9.2
Participation rate	63.3	64.2	1.4	0.9	0.3	4.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	14.6	14.1	2.0	-0.5	0.0	-2.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	54.1	55.2	1.4	1.1	0.2	4.9	...	...	...
Part-time rate	40.7	41.0	3.0	0.3	0.0	-0.7	...	...	...
Men, 25 years and over									
Population	255.5	255.7	...	0.2	0.3	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.5
Labour force	174.3	173.9	1.2	-0.4	0.0	0.2	-0.2	0.0	0.1
Employment	156.0	155.1	1.4	-0.9	-0.3	1.9	-0.6	-0.2	1.2
Unemployment	18.3	18.8	1.5	0.5	0.2	-1.7	2.7	1.1	-8.3
Participation rate	68.2	68.0	0.5	-0.2	-0.1	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.5	10.8	0.8	0.3	0.1	-1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.1	60.7	0.6	-0.4	-0.1	0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	5.4	5.4	0.7	0.0	-1.0	-0.9	...	...	...
Women, 25 years and over									
Population	277.2	277.3	...	0.1	0.3	1.1	0.0	0.1	0.4
Labour force	160.1	161.7	1.2	1.6	-0.1	-3.6	1.0	-0.1	-2.2
Employment	148.2	149.9	1.3	1.7	-0.3	-5.1	1.1	-0.2	-3.3
Unemployment	12.0	11.7	1.2	-0.3	0.1	1.4	-2.5	0.9	13.6
Participation rate	57.8	58.3	0.4	0.5	-0.1	-1.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.5	7.2	0.7	-0.3	0.0	1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	53.5	54.1	0.5	0.6	-0.1	-2.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	16.5	17.9	1.1	1.4	-0.8	0.1	...	...	...
Industry									
Industry	351.3	353.1	2.4	1.8	-0.6	0.0	0.5	-0.2	0.0
Goods-producing sector									
Goods-producing sector	76.2	76.0	1.9	-0.2	-1.9	-0.9	-0.3	-2.4	-1.2
Agriculture	3.5	3.8	0.5	0.3	-0.1	-1.0	8.6	-2.6	-20.8
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction ²	11.5	10.8	0.8	-0.7	-1.9	-1.7	-6.1	-15.0	-13.6
Utilities	4.6	4.0	0.4	-0.6	-0.1	0.3	-13.0	-2.4	8.1
Construction	28.6	29.0	1.3	0.4	-0.1	2.8	1.4	-0.3	10.7
Manufacturing	28.1	28.3	1.2	0.2	0.2	-1.4	0.7	0.7	-4.7
Services-producing sector									
Services-producing sector	275.1	277.1	2.4	2.0	1.3	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.3
Trade	58.6	59.8	1.6	1.2	0.7	3.6	2.0	1.2	6.4
Transportation and warehousing	15.9	15.8	0.9	-0.1	-0.8	-2.2	-0.6	-4.8	-12.2
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	16.8	16.8	0.8	0.0	-0.3	0.8	0.0	-1.8	5.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	15.1	15.4	0.8	0.3	0.1	2.2	2.0	0.7	16.7
Business, building and other support services	17.6	18.2	1.0	0.6	1.5	2.8	3.4	9.0	18.2
Educational services	27.0	25.8	1.2	-1.2	-1.5	-0.4	-4.4	-5.5	-1.5
Health care and social assistance	48.4	49.1	1.4	0.7	-0.3	-5.7	1.4	-0.6	-10.4
Information, culture and recreation	12.0	11.6	0.9	-0.4	0.3	-3.4	-3.3	2.7	-22.7
Accommodation and food services	23.4	23.9	1.2	0.5	0.6	1.1	2.1	2.6	4.8
Other services	15.3	16.2	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.6	5.9	5.2	3.8
Public administration	25.0	24.6	1.0	-0.4	0.2	1.5	-1.6	0.8	6.5

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

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

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