

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

	November 2014	December 2014	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands									
<b>Class of worker</b>									
Employees	15,220.2	<b>15,230.8</b>	35.6	<b>10.6</b>	131.1	131.1	<b>0.1</b>	0.9	0.9
Self-employed <sup>2</sup>	2,737.7	<b>2,722.8</b>	25.9	<b>-14.9</b>	54.6	54.6	<b>-0.5</b>	2.0	2.0
<b>Public/private sector employees</b>									
Public sector employees	3,650.8	<b>3,656.3</b>	25.0	<b>5.5</b>	34.0	34.0	<b>0.2</b>	0.9	0.9
Private sector employees	11,569.4	<b>11,574.5</b>	38.2	<b>5.1</b>	97.1	97.1	<b>0.0</b>	0.8	0.8
<b>Industry</b>	17,957.9	<b>17,953.6</b>	28.5	<b>-4.3</b>	185.7	185.7	<b>0.0</b>	1.0	1.0
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>	3,932.8	<b>3,954.9</b>	26.0	<b>22.1</b>	80.8	80.8	<b>0.6</b>	2.1	2.1
Agriculture	305.1	<b>319.8</b>	7.8	<b>14.7</b>	20.5	20.5	<b>4.8</b>	6.8	6.8
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>3</sup>	372.5	<b>382.7</b>	7.9	<b>10.2</b>	5.0	5.0	<b>2.7</b>	1.3	1.3
Utilities	152.6	<b>155.4</b>	5.3	<b>2.8</b>	-1.8	-1.8	<b>1.8</b>	-1.1	-1.1
Construction	1,350.5	<b>1,363.1</b>	17.6	<b>12.6</b>	68.7	68.7	<b>0.9</b>	5.3	5.3
Manufacturing	1,752.3	<b>1,734.0</b>	18.9	<b>-18.3</b>	-11.5	-11.5	<b>-1.0</b>	-0.7	-0.7
<b>Services-producing sector</b>	14,025.1	<b>13,998.7</b>	34.4	<b>-26.4</b>	104.9	104.9	<b>-0.2</b>	0.8	0.8
Trade	2,697.3	<b>2,707.8</b>	24.3	<b>10.5</b>	11.5	11.5	<b>0.4</b>	0.4	0.4
Transportation and warehousing	872.4	<b>883.9</b>	14.6	<b>11.5</b>	15.0	15.0	<b>1.3</b>	1.7	1.7
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	1,155.6	<b>1,152.5</b>	16.7	<b>-3.1</b>	18.3	18.3	<b>-0.3</b>	1.6	1.6
Professional, scientific and technical services	1,347.2	<b>1,334.0</b>	18.7	<b>-13.2</b>	-34.8	-34.8	<b>-1.0</b>	-2.5	-2.5
Business, building and other support services	713.4	<b>717.5</b>	14.2	<b>4.1</b>	1.8	1.8	<b>0.6</b>	0.3	0.3
Educational services	1,314.5	<b>1,319.4</b>	16.2	<b>4.9</b>	39.7	39.7	<b>0.4</b>	3.1	3.1
Health care and social assistance	2,248.4	<b>2,243.6</b>	19.4	<b>-4.8</b>	39.0	39.0	<b>-0.2</b>	1.8	1.8
Information, culture and recreation	780.1	<b>775.9</b>	14.8	<b>-4.2</b>	-30.1	-30.1	<b>-0.5</b>	-3.7	-3.7
Accommodation and food services	1,203.5	<b>1,170.7</b>	17.1	<b>-32.8</b>	38.3	38.3	<b>-2.7</b>	3.4	3.4
Other services	754.7	<b>741.2</b>	13.5	<b>-13.5</b>	-19.7	-19.7	<b>-1.8</b>	-2.6	-2.6
Public administration	937.9	<b>952.1</b>	12.4	<b>14.2</b>	25.8	25.8	<b>1.5</b>	2.8	2.8

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

2. Includes both incorporated and unincorporated working owners, self-employed persons who do not have a business and persons working in a family business without pay.

3. Also referred to as Natural resources.

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