

Table 2-3
Labour market outcomes of immigrants aged 25 to 54, by sex and period of landing, Canada — 2010-2011

	2010	2011	Change	Percent change
	thousands (except rates)			
Total landed immigrants				
Male	1,571.4	1,621.1	49.7	3.2
Population	1,418.8	1,456.7	37.9	2.7
Labour force	1,291.2	1,345.2 *	54.0	4.2
Employment	1,200.2	1,252.7 *	52.5	4.4
Full-time employment	127.6	111.5 *	-16.1	-12.6
Unemployment	152.6	164.4	11.8	7.7
Not in labour force	9.0	7.7 *	-1.3	...
Unemployment rate	90.3	89.9	-0.4	...
Participation rate	82.2	83.0	0.8	...
Employment rate				
Female				
Population	1,704.4	1,779.2 *	74.8	4.4
Labour force	1,302.4	1,349.3	46.9	3.6
Employment	1,171.5	1,224.4 *	52.9	4.5
Full-time employment	944.9	992.2 *	47.3	5.0
Unemployment	131.0	124.9	-6.1	-4.7
Not in labour force	402.0	429.9 *	27.9	6.9
Unemployment rate	10.1	9.3	-0.8	...
Participation rate	76.4	75.8	-0.6	...
Employment rate	68.7	68.8	0.1	...
Immigrants, landed within previous 5 years				
Male				
Population	299.3	311.5	12.2	4.1
Labour force	258.3	264.1	5.8	2.2
Employment	224.0	235.7	11.7	5.2
Full-time employment	203.4	214.4	11.0	5.4
Unemployment	34.3	28.4	-5.9	-17.2
Not in labour force	40.9	47.4	6.5	15.9
Unemployment rate	13.3	10.8 *	-2.5	...
Participation rate	86.3	84.8	-1.5	...
Employment rate	74.8	75.7	0.9	...
Female				
Population	340.5	343.6	3.1	0.9
Labour force	218.3	217.2	-1.1	-0.5
Employment	182.5	180.3	-2.2	-1.2
Full-time employment	139.5	138.6	-0.9	-0.6
Unemployment	35.9	36.9	1.0	2.8
Not in labour force	122.1	126.4	4.3	3.5
Unemployment rate	16.4	17.0	0.6	...
Participation rate	64.1	63.2	-0.9	...
Employment rate	53.6	52.5	-1.1	...
Immigrants, landed more than 5 to 10 years earlier				
Male				
Population	294.5	296.9	2.4	0.8
Labour force	269.9	272.0	2.1	0.8
Employment	247.9	252.3	4.4	1.8
Full-time employment	228.4	234.0	5.6	2.5
Unemployment	22.0	19.8	-2.2	-10.0
Not in labour force	24.6	24.9	0.3	1.2
Unemployment rate	8.2	7.3	-0.9	...
Participation rate	91.6	91.6	0.0	...
Employment rate	84.2	85.0	0.8	...
Female				
Population	338.7	340.9	2.2	0.6
Labour force	248.8	243.1	-5.7	-2.3
Employment	221.5	220.5	-1.0	-0.5
Full-time employment	176.3	177.3	1.0	0.6
Unemployment	27.3	22.6	-4.7	-17.2
Not in labour force	89.9	97.8	7.9	8.8
Unemployment rate	11.0	9.3	-1.7	...
Participation rate	73.5	71.3	-2.2	...
Employment rate	65.4	64.7	-0.7	...

See footnotes at the end of the table.

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	2010	2011	Change	Percent change
thousands (except rates)				
Immigrants, landed more than 10 years earlier				
Male				
Population	977.6	1,012.7	35.1	3.6
Labour force	890.6	920.6	30.0	3.4
Employment	819.3	857.2	37.9	4.6
Full-time employment	768.4	804.4	36.0	4.7
Unemployment	71.3	63.4	-7.9	-11.1
Not in labour force	87.1	92.1	5.0	5.7
Unemployment rate	8.0	6.9*	-1.1	...
Participation rate	91.1	90.9	-0.2	...
Employment rate	83.8	84.6	0.8	...
Female				
Population	1,025.2	1,094.7*	69.5	6.8
Labour force	835.3	889.0*	53.7	6.4
Employment	767.4	823.6*	56.2	7.3
Full-time employment	629.1	676.3*	47.2	7.5
Unemployment	67.8	65.5	-2.3	-3.4
Not in labour force	189.9	205.7	15.8	8.3
Unemployment rate	8.1	7.4	-0.7	...
Participation rate	81.5	81.2	-0.3	...
Employment rate	74.9	75.2	0.3	...
Canadian born				
Male				
Population	5,523.3	5,480.9	-42.4	-0.8
Labour force	5,016.7	4,985.6	-31.1	-0.6
Employment	4,676.1	4,686.6	10.5	0.2
Full-time employment	4,432.5	4,438.0	5.5	0.1
Unemployment	340.6	298.9*	-41.7	-12.2
Not in labour force	506.6	495.4	-11.2	-2.2
Unemployment rate	6.8	6.0*	-0.8	...
Participation rate	90.8	91.0	0.2	...
Employment rate	84.7	85.5*	0.8	...
Female				
Population	5,378.3	5,329.5	-48.8	-0.9
Labour force	4,546.0	4,506.7	-39.3	-0.9
Employment	4,303.1	4,280.2	-22.9	-0.5
Full-time employment	3,437.1	3,435.0	-2.1	-0.1
Unemployment	242.9	226.5*	-16.4	-6.8
Not in labour force	832.4	822.7	-9.7	-1.2
Unemployment rate	5.3	5.0*	-0.3	...
Participation rate	84.5	84.6	0.1	...
Employment rate	80.0	80.3	0.3	...

* Significantly different from the 2010 value ($p < 0.05$).

Source(s): Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey.