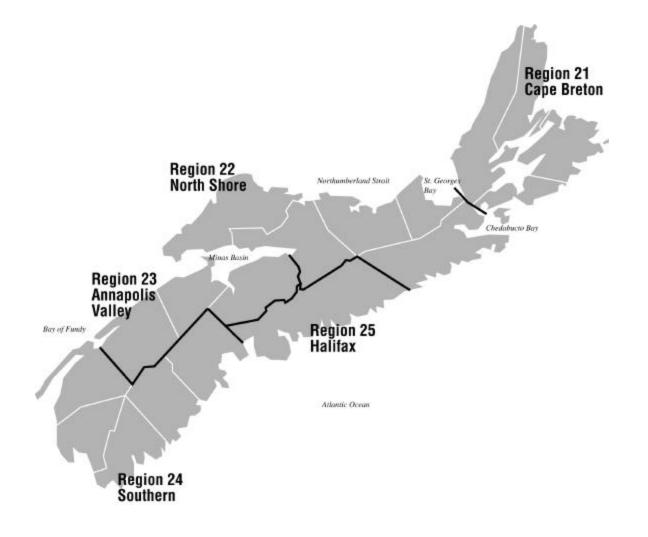
# Employment Situation JUNE 2005





# **About the Employment Situation Report**

The Employment Situation Report is produced monthly by the Statistics Division of the Nova Scotia Department of Finance. It is based on the Labour Force Survey (LFS) which is a household survey carried out monthly by Statistics Canada. This publication contains summary tables of selected labour force characteristics including labour force, employment, unemployment, unemployment rate, and participation rate for Canada, the provinces, and CMAs. The publication emphasizes the Nova Scotia employment situation and includes tables for Nova Scotia, its economic regions, and the Metropolitan Halifax area. The report is available on the internet at:

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The LFS survey is a sample of individuals who are representative of the civilian, non-institutionalised population 15 years of age or older in Canada's ten provinces. Specifically excluded from the survey's coverage are residents of the territories, persons living on Indian Reserves, full-time members of the Canadian Armed Forces and institutional residents. These groups represent an exclusion of approximately 2% of the population aged 15 or over. As of April 2005 the sample size has been approximately 51,072 households across Canada and 2,873 in Nova Scotia.

Since its inception in 1945, the objectives of the LFS have been to divide the working-age population into three mutually exclusive classifications--employed, unemployed and not in the labour force--and to provide descriptive and explanatory data on each of these categories. Data from the survey provide information on major labour market trends such as shifts in employment across industrial sectors, hours worked, labour force participation and employment rates.

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# **Employment Situation - June 2005** Canada/Provinces

#### Canada

		Actual				Seasonally Adjusted				
				Annual						
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
Population ('000)	25,405.7	25,754.7	25,786.5	380.8	25,405.7	25,754.7	25,786.5	380.8		
Labour Force ('000)	17,474.4	17,506.7	17,606.5	132.1	17,189.4	17,331.2	17,329.4	140.0		
Employment ('000)	16,300.3	16,289.7	16,499.3	199.0	15,956.9	16,153.1	16,167.3	210.4		
Unemployed ('000)	1,174.0	1,217.0	1,107.1	(66.9)	1,232.6	1,178.1	1,162.1	(70.5)		
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	7.0	6.3	(0.4)	7.2	6.8	6.7	(0.5)		
Participation Rate (%)	68.8	68.0	68.3	(0.5)	67.7	67.3	67.2	(0.5)		
Employment Rate (%)	64.2	63.2	64.0	(0.2)	62.8	62.7	62.7	(0.1)		

#### Nova Scotia

		Act	ual			Seasonally Adjusted				
				Annual				Annual		
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
Population ('000)	756.5	760.2	760.4	3.9	756.5	760.2	760.4	3.9		
Labour Force ('000)	498.2	492.6	496.0	(2.2)	487.2	485.6	485.0	(2.2)		
Employment ('000)	459.2	454.4	457.7	(1.5)	444.4	448.1	443.2	(1.2)		
Unemployed ('000)	39.0	38.3	38.3	(0.7)	42.7	37.5	41.8	(0.9)		
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.8	7.7	(0.1)	8.8	7.7	8.6	(0.2)		
Participation Rate (%)	65.9	64.8	65.2	(0.7)	64.4	63.9	63.8	(0.6)		
Employment Rate (%)	60.7	59.8	60.2	(0.5)	58.7	58.9	58.3	(0.4)		

#### Newfoundland and Labrador

		Actual				Seasonally Adjusted				
				Annual				Annual		
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
Population ('000)	429.3	429.9	429.5	0.2	429.3	429.9	429.5	0.2		
Labour Force ('000)	272.2	257.6	266.4	(5.8)	256.5	249.8	250.5	(6.0)		
Employment ('000)	233.5	214.8	233.1	(0.4)	216.2	211.8	215.6	(0.6)		
Unemployed ('000)	38.7	42.9	33.3	(5.4)	40.3	38.0	34.9	(5.4)		
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.2	16.7	12.5	(1.7)	15.7	15.2	13.9	(1.8)		
Participation Rate (%)	63.4	59.9	62.0	(1.4)	59.7	58.1	58.3	(1.4)		
Employment Rate (%)	54.4	50.0	54.3	(0.1)	50.4	49.3	50.2	(0.2)		

#### Prince Edward Island

		Actual				Seasonally Adjusted				
				Annual				Annual		
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
Population ('000)	111.0	111.4	111.5	0.5	111.0	111.4	111.5	0.5		
Labour Force ('000)	77.2	77.9	79.5	2.3	73.6	75.6	76.2	2.6		
Employment ('000)	71.6	70.4	73.3	1.7	65.2	67.5	67.1	1.9		
Unemployed ('000)	5.5	7.5	6.2	0.7	8.3	8.2	9.1	0.8		
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.1	9.6	7.8	0.7	11.3	10.8	11.9	0.6		
Participation Rate (%)	69.5	69.9	71.3	1.8	66.3	67.9	68.3	2.0		
Employment Rate (%)	64.5	63.2	65.7	1.2	58.7	60.6	60.2	1.5		

Population is for those 15 years of age and over. Annual Change is in thousands or percentage points as shown in row headings.



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#### **New Brunswick**

		Act	ual			Seasonall	y Adjusted	
				Annual			,	Annual
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change
Population ('000)	607.1	610.2	610.1	3.0	607.1	610.2	610.1	3.0
Labour Force ('000)	402.5	397.0	399.5	(3.0)	387.7	388.8	386.0	(1.7)
Employment ('000)	366.7	359.0	363.5	(3.2)	349.7	354.6	348.4	(1.3)
Unemployed ('000)	35.8	38.1	36.0	0.2	38.0	34.2	37.6	(0.4)
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	9.6	9.0	0.1	9.8	8.8	9.7	(0.1)
Participation Rate (%)	66.3	65.1	65.5	(0.8)	63.9	63.7	63.3	(0.6)
Employment Rate (%)	60.4	58.8	59.6	(0.8)	57.6	58.1	57.1	(0.5)
			Q	uebec				
		Act	ual			Seasonall	y Adjusted	
				Annual				Annual
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change
Population ('000)	6,104.8	6,173.2	6,178.7	73.9	6,104.8	6,173.2	6,178.7	73.9
Labour Force ('000)	4,086.7	4,045.2	4,103.5	16.8	4,000.1	4,017.2	4,024.5	24.4
Employment ('000)	3,773.1	3,707.7	3,801.6	28.5	3,671.7	3,677.6	3,703.4	31.7
Unemployed ('000)	313.6	337.5	301.9	(11.7)	328.4	339.5	321.2	(7.2)
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	8.3	7.4	(0.3)	8.2	8.5	8.0	(0.2)
Participation Rate (%)	66.9	65.5	66.4	(0.5)	65.5	65.1	65.1	(0.4)
Employment Rate (%)	61.8	60.1	61.5	(0.3)	60.1	59.6	59.9	(0.2)
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		Act	ual			Seasonall	y Adjusted	
				Annual				Annual
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change
Population ('000)	9,882.7	10,046.8	10,062.4	179.7	9,882.7	10,046.8	10,062.4	179.7
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Population is for those 15 years of age and over.

Participation Rate (%)

Employment Rate (%)

Annual Change is in thousands or percentage points as shown in row headings.

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#### Saskatchewan

		Actual				Seasonally Adjusted				
				Annual	Anr					
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
Population ('000)	745.2	748.5	748.5	3.3	745.2	748.5	748.5	3.3		
Labour Force ('000)	514.7	516.9	519.4	4.7	505.7	507.9	510.2	4.5		
Employment ('000)	491.9	494.2	497.7	5.8	479.2	484.9	485.6	6.4		
Unemployed ('000)	22.8	22.7	21.7	(1.1)	26.5	23.0	24.5	(2.0)		
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4	4.4	4.2	(0.2)	5.2	4.5	4.8	(0.4)		
Participation Rate (%)	69.1	69.1	69.4	0.3	67.9	67.9	68.2	0.3		
Employment Rate (%)	66.0	66.0	66.5	0.5	64.3	64.8	64.9	0.6		

#### Alberta

		Act	ual		Seasonally Adjusted				
				Annual		Annual			
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	
Population ('000)	2,502.4	2,546.8	2,552.1	49.7	2,502.4	2,546.8	2,552.1	49.7	
Labour Force ('000)	1,868.9	1,869.5	1,881.4	12.5	1,840.9	1,852.6	1,852.9	12.0	
Employment ('000)	1,792.4	1,801.8	1,816.6	24.2	1,758.6	1,788.3	1,782.9	24.3	
Unemployed ('000)	76.5	67.7	64.7	(11.8)	82.3	64.2	70.0	(12.3)	
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.1	3.6	3.4	(0.7)	4.5	3.5	3.8	(0.7)	
Participation Rate (%)	74.7	73.4	73.7	(1.0)	73.6	72.7	72.6	(1.0)	
Employment Rate (%)	71.6	70.7	71.2	(0.4)	70.3	70.2	69.9	(0.4)	

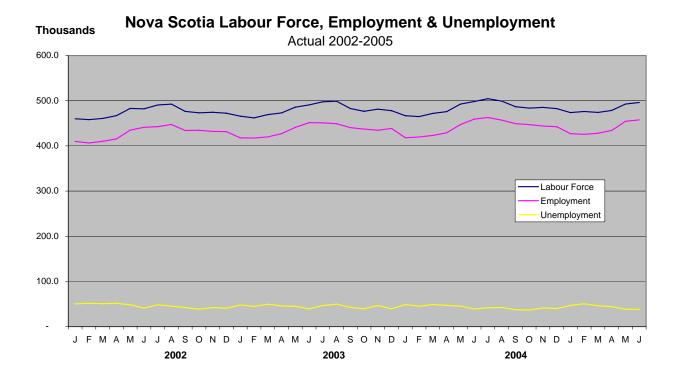
#### **British Columbia**

		Actual				Seasonally Adjusted				
				Annual				Annual		
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
Population ('000)	3,385.8	3,439.4	3,444.5	58.7	3,385.8	3,439.4	3,444.5	58.7		
Labour Force ('000)	2,261.0	2,274.3	2,283.4	22.4	2,234.1	2,261.4	2,256.7	22.6		
Employment ('000)	2,105.4	2,140.8	2,159.0	53.6	2,071.1	2,132.0	2,126.2	55.1		
Unemployed ('000)	155.6	133.4	124.3	(31.3)	163.0	129.5	130.5	(32.5)		
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.9	5.9	5.4	(1.5)	7.3	5.7	5.8	(1.5)		
Participation Rate (%)	66.8	66.1	66.3	(0.5)	66.0	65.7	65.5	(0.5)		
Employment Rate (%)	62.2	62.2	62.7	0.5	61.2	62.0	61.7	0.5		

Population is for those 15 years of age and over.

Annual Change is in thousands or percentage points as shown in row headings.





Percent Nova Scotia Unemployment Rate Actual & Seasonally Adjusted 12.0 Actual Seasonally Adjusted 10.0 8.0 6.0 4.0 2.0 A S O N D J F M A M J J A S O N D J F M A M J J A S ONDJFMAMJ МАМЈ J J F 2002 2003 2004



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Economic Regions/CMA

(unadjusted - three month moving average)

		Can	ada		Nova Scotia				
				Annual				Annual	
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	
Population ('000)	25,374.7	25,717.7	25,752.0	377.3	756.2	760.1	760.2	4.0	
Labour Force ('000)	17,248.5	17,219.9	17,404.3	155.8	488.8	481.7	489.1	0.3	
Employment ('000)	16,008.0	15,996.5	16,229.3	221.3	445.1	438.9	448.8	3.7	
Unemployed ('000)	1,240.5	1,223.5	1,175.0	(65.5)	43.7	42.8	40.2	(3.5)	
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.2	7.1	6.8	(0.4)	8.9	8.9	8.2	(0.7)	
Participation Rate (%)	68.0	67.0	67.6	(0.4)	64.6	63.4	64.3	(0.3)	
Employment Rate (%)	63.1	62.2	63.0	(0.1)	58.9	57.7	59.0	0.1	
		230 - Annaj	oolis Valley			210 - Cap	e Breton		

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				Annual				Annual	
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	
Population ('000)	98.7	99.1	99.1	0.4	117.3	116.6	116.5	(0.8)	
Labour Force ('000)	62.0	60.9	60.9	(1.1)	65.1	62.1	65.7	0.6	
Employment ('000)	55.8	56.1	56.2	0.4	56.2	53.3	57.1	0.9	
Unemployed ('000)	6.3	4.9	4.7	(1.6)	8.9	8.8	8.6	(0.3)	
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.2	8.0	7.7	(2.5)	13.7	14.2	13.1	(0.6)	
Participation Rate (%)	62.8	61.5	61.5	(1.3)	55.5	53.3	56.4	0.9	
Employment Rate (%)	56.5	56.6	56.7	0.2	47.9	45.7	49.0	1.1	

		250 - Halifa	ax County		Halifax Metro (CMA)				
				Annual				Annual	
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jan 2004	Dec 2004	Jan 2005	Change	
Population ('000)	306.9	311.0	311.3	4.4	305.2	309.2	309.6	4.4	
Labour Force ('000)	218.0	218.1	219.5	1.5	211.2	217.3	217.5	6.3	
Employment ('000)	204.2	204.7	206.2	2.0	198.3	205.1	203.9	5.6	
Unemployed ('000)	13.7	13.3	13.3	(0.4)	12.9	12.2	13.6	0.7	
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.3	6.1	6.1	(0.2)	6.1	5.6	6.3	0.2	
Participation Rate (%)	71.0	70.1	70.5	(0.5)	69.2	70.3	70.3	1.1	
Employment Rate (%)	66.5	65.8	66.2	(0.3)	65.0	66.3	65.9	0.9	

		220 - Nor	th Shore		240 - Southern							
				Annual				Annual				
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change				
Population ('000)	130.3	130.3	130.2	(0.1)	103.0	103.1	103.1	0.1				
Labour Force ('000)	80.8	80.5	82.1	1.3	62.8	60.1	60.8	(2.0)				
Employment ('000)	72.7	71.6	74.9	2.2	56.2	53.2	54.4	(1.8)				
Unemployed ('000)	8.1	8.9	7.3	(0.8)	6.7	6.9	6.5	(0.2)				
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.0	11.1	8.9	(1.1)	10.7	11.5	10.7	-				
Participation Rate (%)	62.0	61.8	63.1	1.1	61.0	58.3	59.0	(2.0)				
Employment Rate (%)	55.8	55.0	57.5	1.7	54.6	51.6	52.8	(1.8)				



### Employment Situation - June 2005 Job Tenure

# Employment - Seasonally Adjusted (000's)

		То	tal			Full-	Time			Part-time				
	Annual						Annual				Annual			
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
Canada	15,956.9	16,153.1	16,167.3	210.4	13,018.6	13,161.2	13,213.4	194.8	2,938.2	2,991.9	2,953.9	15.7		
Newfoundland and Labrador	216.2	211.8	215.6	(0.6)	181.0	182.1	186.9	5.9	35.2	29.7	28.7	(6.5)		
Prince Edward Island	65.2	67.5	67.1	1.9	55.1	55.6	55.3	0.2	10.1	11.9	11.9	1.8		
Nova Scotia	444.4	448.1	443.2	(1.2)	360.6	360.6	355.1	(5.5)	83.8	87.5	88.1	4.3		
New Brunswick	349.7	354.6	348.4	(1.3)	293.5	295.1	289.9	(3.6)	56.2	59.5	58.5	2.3		
Quebec	3,671.7	3,677.6	3,703.4	31.7	2,992.6	3,013.9	3,064.1	71.5	679.1	663.8	639.3	(39.8)		
Ontario	6,325.1	6,409.7	6,416.6	91.5	5,207.9	5,231.6	5,246.2	38.3	1,117.2	1,178.1	1,170.4	53.2		
Manitoba	575.6	578.6	578.3	2.7	463.9	461.3	466.9	3.0	111.8	117.3	111.3	(0.5)		
Saskatchewan	479.2	484.9	485.6	6.4	384.4	390.8	392.5	8.1	94.8	94.1	93.1	(1.7)		
Alberta	1,758.6	1,788.3	1,782.9	24.3	1,437.1	1,466.5	1,485.1	48.0	321.5	321.8	297.8	(23.7)		
British Columbia	2,071.1	2,132.0	2,126.2	55.1	1,642.8	1,704.1	1,672.2	29.4	428.3	427.8	454.0	25.7		

#### Employment - Actual (000's)

		То	tal			Full-	Time			Part-time				
	Annual							Annual						
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
Canada	16,300.3	16,289.7	16,499.3	199.0	13,452.4	13,320.0	13,642.8	190.4	2,848.0	2,969.8	2,856.5	8.5		
Newfoundland and Labrador	233.5	214.8	233.1	(0.4)	197.3	183.8	203.5	6.2	36.2	30.9	29.6	(6.6)		
Prince Edward Island	71.6	70.4	73.3	1.7	61.6	58.2	61.4	(0.2)	10.0	12.2	11.9	1.9		
Nova Scotia	459.2	454.4	457.7	(1.5)	378.7	369.3	372.3	(6.4)	80.5	85.1	85.4	4.9		
New Brunswick	366.7	359.0	363.5	(3.2)	312.9	298.9	307.6	(5.3)	53.8	60.1	55.9	2.1		
Quebec	3,773.1	3,707.7	3,801.6	28.5	3,127.2	3,044.7	3,199.9	72.7	645.8	663.0	601.8	(44.0)		
Ontario	6,420.4	6,459.9	6,508.0	87.6	5,331.5	5,291.7	5,367.3	35.8	1,088.9	1,168.2	1,140.7	51.8		
Manitoba	586.2	586.9	588.7	2.5	477.6	469.1	481.0	3.4	108.6	117.8	107.7	(0.9)		
Saskatchewan	491.9	494.2	497.7	5.8	398.8	401.5	405.4	6.6	93.0	92.7	92.3	(0.7)		
Alberta	1,792.4	1,801.8	1,816.6	24.2	1,474.8	1,485.9	1,524.3	49.5	317.7	315.9	292.3	(25.4)		
British Columbia	2,105.4	2,140.8	2,159.0	53.6	1,691.9	1,716.8	1,720.0	28.1	413.5	424.0	439.0	25.5		

# Employment Situation - June 2005 Youth Statistics

#### 15-24 Age Group - Seasonally Adjusted

		Labour Fo	rce - 000's			Employme	ent - 000's			Unemployment - %				
				Annual				Annual				Annual		
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
Canada	2,856.3	2,821.2	2,819.0	(37.3)	2,481.6	2,467.5	2,458.7	(22.9)	13.1	12.5	12.8	(0.3)		
Newfoundland and Labrador	39.5	38.0	37.6	(1.9)	30.7	30.3	29.7	(1.0)	22.3	20.0	21.0	(1.3)		
Prince Edward Island	12.4	13.3	13.9	1.5	10.0	10.9	11.0	1.0	19.4	18.0	21.6	2.2		
Nova Scotia	83.6	82.1	83.6	-	70.5	71.9	69.0	(1.5)	15.8	12.4	17.5	1.7		
New Brunswick	66.7	63.1	60.0	(6.7)	56.9	54.3	51.0	(5.9)	14.8	13.8	15.0	0.2		
Quebec	632.2	610.0	614.5	(17.7)	548.6	534.3	535.6	(13.0)	13.2	12.4	12.8	(0.4)		
Ontario	1,126.1	1,101.4	1,100.6	(25.5)	966.9	933.0	938.1	(28.8)	14.1	15.3	14.8	0.7		
Manitoba	109.4	111.2	109.7	0.3	96.5	100.0	99.4	2.9	11.7	10.1	9.4	(2.3)		
Saskatchewan	94.2	94.7	95.5	1.3	84.9	85.3	86.5	1.6	9.9	9.9	9.5	(0.4)		
Alberta	329.4	339.0	328.4	(1.0)	304.5	319.2	303.9	(0.6)	7.6	5.8	7.5	(0.1)		
British Columbia	362.7	368.4	375.2	12.5	312.1	328.2	334.7	22.6	13.9	10.9	10.8	(3.1)		

# 15-24 Age Group - Actual

		Labour Fo	rce - 000's			Employm	ent - 000's			Unemploy		
				Annual				Annual				Annual
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change
Canada	3,044.4	2,939.2	3,005.7	(38.7)	2,673.1	2,522.3	2,642.3	(30.8)	12.2	14.2	12.1	(0.1)
Newfoundland and Labrador	45.3	39.2	42.4	(2.9)	35.5	29.1	33.4	(2.1)	21.6	25.8	21.2	(0.4)
Prince Edward Island	14.0	14.1	15.4	1.4	12.2	11.5	13.1	0.9	12.9	18.4	14.9	2.0
Nova Scotia	88.7	85.2	88.5	(0.2)	76.8	73.0	74.8	(2.0)	13.4	14.3	15.5	2.1
New Brunswick	74.2	67.1	67.1	(7.1)	63.6	55.9	57.1	(6.5)	14.4	16.7	14.9	0.5
Quebec	689.1	620.0	667.1	(22.0)	603.3	538.2	586.7	(16.6)	12.5	13.2	12.1	(0.4)
Ontario	1,194.5	1,166.9	1,171.2	(23.3)	1,034.7	958.8	1,002.3	(32.4)	13.4	17.8	14.4	1.0
Manitoba	114.2	115.0	114.9	0.7	102.0	104.0	105.0	3.0	10.7	9.5	8.6	(2.1)
Saskatchewan	101.2	100.5	102.4	1.2	92.2	89.5	93.6	1.4	8.9	10.9	8.6	(0.3)
Alberta	349.4	349.9	347.2	(2.2)	327.0	325.1	325.4	(1.6)	6.4	7.1	6.3	(0.1)
British Columbia	373.7	381.4	389.5	15.8	325.9	337.1	350.8	24.9	12.8	11.6	9.9	(2.9)



#### Employment Situation - June 2005 Employment by Sector

Canada - Actual

	Labour Force - 000's					Employme	nt - 000's		Unemployment - %			
				Annual				Annual				Annual
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change
All industries	17,474.4	17,506.7	17,606.5	132.1	16,300.3	16,289.7	16,499.3	199.0	6.7	7.0	6.3	(0.4)
Goods-Producing Sector	4,391.5	4,309.2	4,409.9	18.4	4,149.6	4,051.1	4,185.5	35.9	5.5	6.0	5.1	(0.4)
Agriculture	364.6	380.5	385.6	21.0	348.2	362.5	370.3	22.1	4.5	4.8	4.0	(0.5)
Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Oil and Gas	329.4	341.8	355.3	25.9	304.7	314.4	333.0	28.3	7.5	8.0	6.3	(1.2)
Utilities	140.6	128.3	135.5	(5.1)	139.2	125.0	132.1	(7.1)	-	2.6	2.5	2.5
Construction	1,075.3	1,089.1	1,143.6	68.3	1,007.8	1,016.6	1,083.4	75.6	6.3	6.7	5.3	(1.0)
Manufacturing	2,481.6	2,369.4	2,389.9	(91.7)	2,349.7	2,232.6	2,266.8	(82.9)	5.3	5.8	5.2	(0.1)
Services-Producing Sector	12,672.4	12,777.8	12,811.4	139.0	12,150.7	12,238.6	12,313.8	163.1	4.1	4.2	3.9	(0.2)
Trade	2,607.0	2,722.2	2,685.4	78.4	2,496.8	2,587.3	2,573.8	77.0	4.2	5.0	4.2	-
Transportation and Warehousing	874.6	838.9	835.1	(39.5)	841.5	814.8	811.2	(30.3)	3.8	2.9	2.9	(0.9)
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	975.3	1,031.3	1,021.3	46.0	950.2	1,004.6	996.0	45.8	2.6	2.6	2.5	(0.1)
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	1,055.3	1,091.2	1,102.1	46.8	1,009.3	1,054.7	1,067.5	58.2	4.4	3.3	3.1	(1.3)
Management, Administrative & Other Support Services	719.2	735.4	749.7	30.5	658.0	664.4	681.0	23.0	8.5	9.6	9.2	0.7
Educational Services	1,092.9	1,154.2	1,140.1	47.2	1,062.5	1,126.2	1,110.9	48.4	2.8	2.4	2.6	(0.2)
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,797.4	1,736.5	1,763.8	(33.6)	1,748.2	1,705.6	1,726.8	(21.4)	2.7	1.8	2.1	(0.6)
Information, Culture and Recreation	798.6	778.2	775.9	(22.7)	757.1	734.8	741.5	(15.6)	5.2	5.6	4.4	(0.8)
Accommodation and Food Services	1,116.3	1,079.6	1,105.4	(10.9)	1,046.4	995.1	1,029.7	(16.7)	6.3	7.8	6.8	0.5
Other Services	753.3	723.8	745.1	(8.2)	721.3	692.6	709.6	(11.7)	4.3	4.3	4.8	0.5
Public Administration	882.5	886.6	887.6	5.1	859.5	858.4	865.8	6.3	2.6	3.2	2.5	(0.1)
Unclassified Industries	410.4	419.8	385.1	(25.3)	-	-	-					

#### Nova Scotia - Actual

		Labour Fore	ce - 000's			Employme	nt - 000's		Unemployment - %			
All industries	Jun 2004 498.2	May 2005 492.6	Jun 2005 496.0	Annual Change (2.2)	Jun 2004 459.2	May 2005 454.4	Jun 2005 457.7	Annual Change (1.5)	Jun 2004 7.8	May 2005 7.8	Jun 2005 7.7	Annual Change (0.1)
Goods-Producing Sector	111.5	103.0	105.2	(6.3)	102.2	94.6	94.9	(7.3)	8.3	8.2	9.8	1.5
Agriculture	6.6	7.8	7.8	1.2	5.8	7.7	6.6	0.8	12.1	-	15.4	3.3
Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Oil and Gas	17.9	17.7	19.7	1.8	15.1	16.5	17.0	1.9	15.6	6.8	13.7	(1.9)
Utilities	2.3	2.3	2.6	0.3	2.3	2.3	2.6	0.3	-	-	-	-
Construction	34.5	30.8	30.6	(3.9)	31.6	27.4	27.7	(3.9)	8.4	11.0	9.5	1.1
Manufacturing	50.2	44.2	44.5	(5.7)	47.4	40.6	41.0	(6.4)	5.6	8.1	8.1	2.5
Services-Producing Sector	376.4	380.9	381.8	5.4	357.0	359.8	362.8	5.8	5.2	5.6	5.0	(0.2)
Trade	76.2	80.2	82.2	6.0	72.5	77.3	80.2	7.7	4.7	3.6	2.4	(2.3)
Transportation and Warehousing	23.0	25.4	21.9	(1.1)	22.1	24.3	21.1	(1.0)	3.9	4.3	3.7	(0.2)
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	24.3	23.6	22.6	(1.7)	23.4	22.7	21.9	(1.5)	3.3	3.8	2.7	(0.6)
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	23.3	23.0	21.8	(1.5)	21.6	21.4	20.9	(0.7)	7.3	7.0	4.1	(3.2)
Management, Administrative & Other Support Services	30.9	26.2	30.4	(0.5)	27.7	23.3	27.4	(0.3)	10.4	11.1	9.9	(0.5)
Educational Services	39.4	37.9	34.8	(4.6)	38.2	36.0	32.8	(5.4)	3.0	5.0	5.7	2.7
Health Care and Social Assistance	54.8	56.3	59.5	4.7	53.6	55.4	58.3	4.7	2.0	1.6	2.0	-
Information, Culture and Recreation	18.6	16.2	17.3	(1.3)	17.3	15.2	16.5	(0.8)	6.5	6.2	5.2	(1.3)
Accommodation and Food Services	35.0	39.3	38.3	3.3	32.0	34.0	33.8	1.8	8.6	13.5	11.7	3.1
Other Services	22.7	23.7	23.4	0.7	21.4	22.2	21.7	0.3	5.3	6.3	7.3	2.0
Public Administration	28.4	29.2	29.6	1.2	27.1	28.0	28.3	1.2	4.6	4.1	4.4	(0.2)
Unclassified Industries	10.3	8.7	9.0	(1.3)	-	-	-					



# **Employment Situation - June 2005**

#### CMA Data

(Unadjusted - three month moving average)

	Unemployment Rate - %					Employme	ent Rate - %		Participation Rate - %					
				Annual				Annual				Annual		
	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change	Jun 2004	May 2005	Jun 2005	Change		
St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador	9.6	9.5	10.3	0.7	61.2	60.6	59.4	(1.8)	67.6	66.9	66.2	(1.4)		
Halifax	6.2	6.1	6.1	(0.1)	67.3	65.8	66.2	(1.1)	71.7	70.1	70.5	(1.2)		
Saint John, New Brunswick	9.2	7.2	7.7	(1.5)	59.4	61.4	60.9	1.5	65.5	66.2	65.9	0.4		
Saguenay	10.9	9.0	9.0	(1.9)	58.1	53.4	54.2	(3.9)	65.2	58.7	59.5	(5.7)		
Québec	5.5	6.0	5.7	0.2	63.5	64.7	65.1	1.6	67.2	68.8	69.0	1.8		
Trois-Rivières	10.7	10.4	9.6	(1.1)	54.6	59.1	60.9	6.3	61.0	65.9	67.5	6.5		
Sherbrooke	5.9	7.8	7.4	1.5	62.7	61.0	61.7	(1.0)	66.7	66.1	66.6	(0.1)		
Montréal	7.9	8.5	8.3	0.4	62.5	61.0	61.5	(1.0)	67.9	66.6	67.1	(0.8)		
Ottawa-Gatineau	7.0	7.2	6.7	(0.3)	66.0	66.0	66.2	0.2	70.9	71.1	71.0	0.1		
Sudbury	8.8	7.4	7.4	(1.4)	59.6	58.9	58.2	(1.4)	65.3	63.8	62.8	(2.5)		
Oshawa	5.2	6.8	5.9	0.7	68.5	67.7	67.4	(1.1)	72.3	72.7	71.6	(0.7)		
Toronto	7.4	7.5	7.5	0.1	65.2	64.1	64.8	(0.4)	70.4	69.3	70.1	(0.3)		
Hamilton	7.0	5.6	5.5	(1.5)	65.0	61.7	63.3	(1.7)	69.9	65.4	67.0	(2.9)		
St. Catharines - Niagara	8.2	7.6	6.7	(1.5)	56.7	58.4	59.6	2.9	61.8	63.3	63.8	2.0		
London	5.3	7.3	6.8	1.5	65.8	65.3	65.9	0.1	69.5	70.4	70.7	1.2		
Windsor	8.3	8.4	8.3	-	60.5	60.1	59.9	(0.6)	66.0	65.6	65.3	(0.7)		
Kitchener	5.4	6.4	5.9	0.5	65.9	69.4	70.2	4.3	69.7	74.1	74.6	4.9		
Thunder Bay	8.7	8.2	7.9	(0.8)	61.1	62.0	63.0	1.9	66.9	67.6	68.4	1.5		
Winnipeg	5.4	5.1	4.8	(0.6)	67.5	65.5	66.0	(1.5)	71.3	69.0	69.3	(2.0)		
Regina	4.7	4.5	4.5	(0.2)	69.8	68.4	68.7	(1.1)	73.2	71.7	71.9	(1.3)		
Saskatoon	6.1	4.9	4.3	(1.8)	66.2	68.2	69.1	2.9	70.6	71.7	72.1	1.5		
Calgary	4.9	3.4	3.2	(1.7)	71.9	71.2	72.2	0.3	75.7	73.7	74.6	(1.1)		
Edmonton	4.3	4.6	4.7	0.4	69.3	66.9	67.4	(1.9)	72.5	70.1	70.7	(1.8)		
Vancouver	7.1	6.0	5.9	(1.2)	63.2	63.4	63.6	0.4	68.1	67.5	67.6	(0.5)		
Victoria	5.2	4.0	3.5	(1.7)	60.7	62.2	63.0	2.3	64.0	64.8	65.2	1.2		