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- r revised
- x suppressed to meet the confidentiality requirements of the *Statistics Act*
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- F too unreliable to be published

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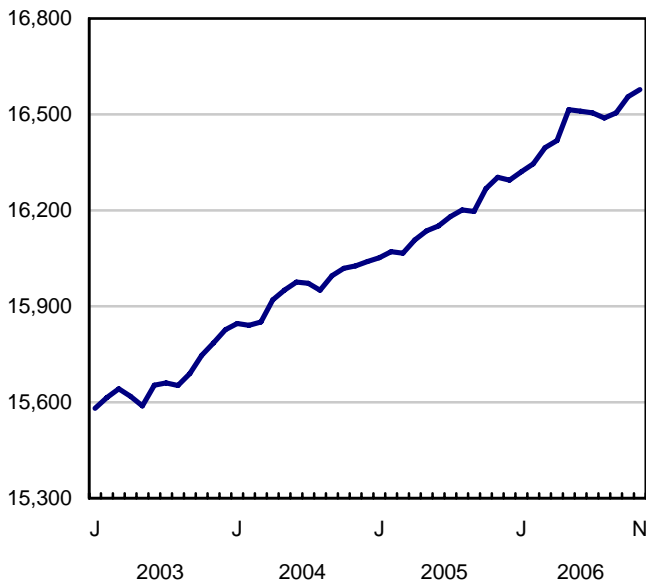
November 2006

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Chart 1
Employment and unemployment rates, Canada, seasonally adjusted

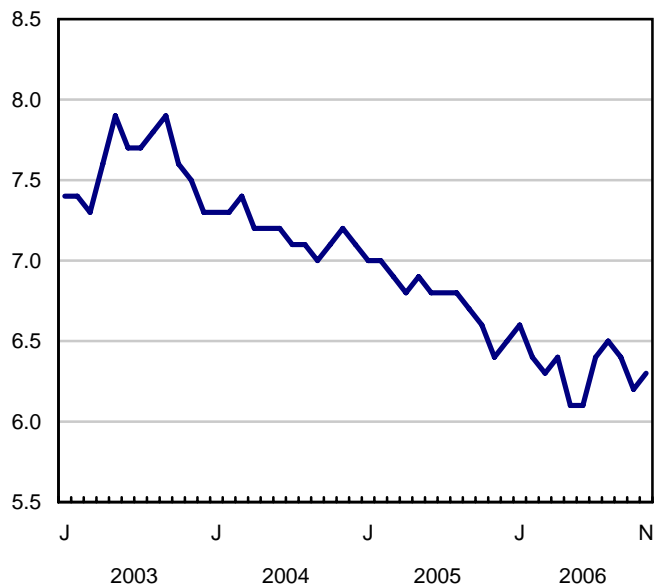
Employment

thousands



Unemployment rate

percentage



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The number of private sector employees jumped by an estimated 50,000 in November. So far in 2006, the number of employees in the private sector is up 3.1%, nearly four times the rate of growth in the public sector.

Employment in Alberta continued its upward trend in November. Since the start of the year, employment in the province is up 6.2% – more than three times the national rate of growth.

Gains in employment pushed Nova Scotia's unemployment rate down 0.8 percentage points in November to a 30-year low of 7.4%.

Alberta continues to drive employment growth

Employment continued to increase in Alberta in November (+10,000). The unemployment rate edged up 0.1 percentage points to 3.1%, the result of more people entering the labour market in search of work. Since the start of 2006, employment in the province has increased by 112,000. Alberta continues to fuel employment growth in the country, accounting for 40% of the national increase so far this year.

While employment was little changed in Saskatchewan in November, it has grown by 4.2% since the start of the year. Similarly, employment in Newfoundland and Labrador has also been on an upward trend with growth of 3.9% over the past 11 months.

Fastest growth in natural resources

While there was little change across industries in November, several have shown strong growth over the course of the year. The natural resource sector has seen the fastest rate of employment growth, up 11.8% (+36,000). Most of this increase came from Alberta (+19,000) and British Columbia (+16,000) and was largely in mining, oil and gas extraction as well as activities that support this industry.

Other industries showing strong gains this year include business, building and other support services, up 6.9% (+46,000), mainly due to increases in business and employment services. Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing saw gains of 6.1% (+61,000), the result of hiring in monetary authorities, rental and leasing services and real estate. There was also growth in one of Canada's largest industries, health care and social assistance, up 5.0% (+86,000) this year.

Despite little change in construction in November, employment in the industry has increased by 34,000 (+3.3%) so far this year. Strength in Alberta has driven much of the growth (+19,000).

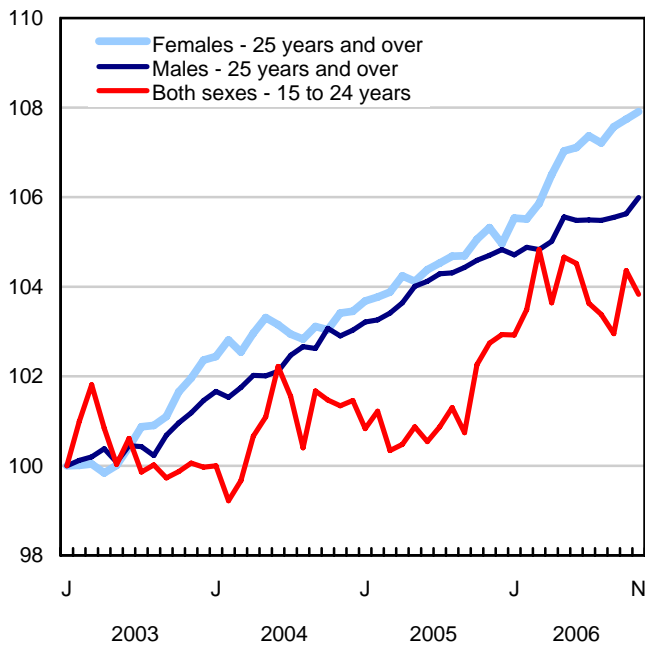
Central Canada lags behind national growth rate

Despite an employment increase in Ontario (+19,000) in November, growth in the province so far this year has been hindered by declines in manufacturing (-63,000). These losses were offset by gains in a number of service industries, including: trade; health care and social assistance; and finance, insurance, real estate and leasing. Since December of last year, overall employment in the province has increased by only 71,000 (+1.1%).

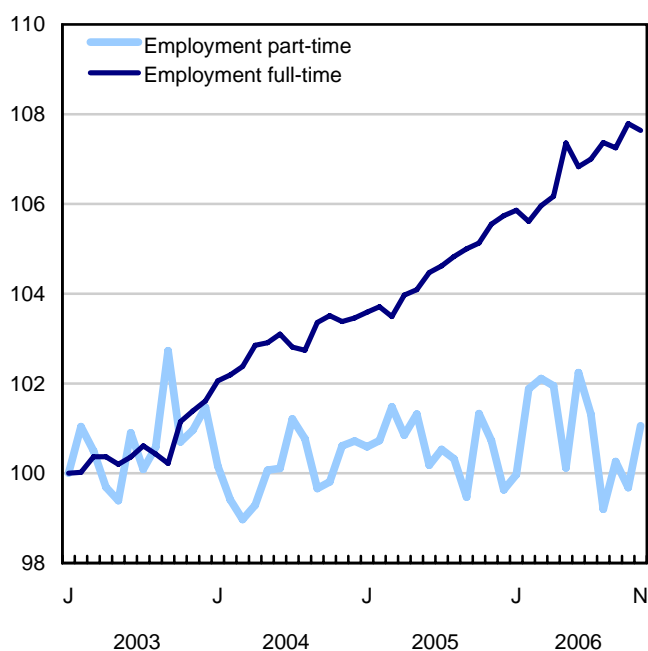
In Quebec, so far this year, employment growth has been dampened by losses in both manufacturing and trade resulting in growth of only 0.7%. As with Ontario, weaknesses were also offset by gains in the service sector.

Chart 2
Employment and unemployment indicators, Canada, seasonally adjusted

Employment index, January 2003=100



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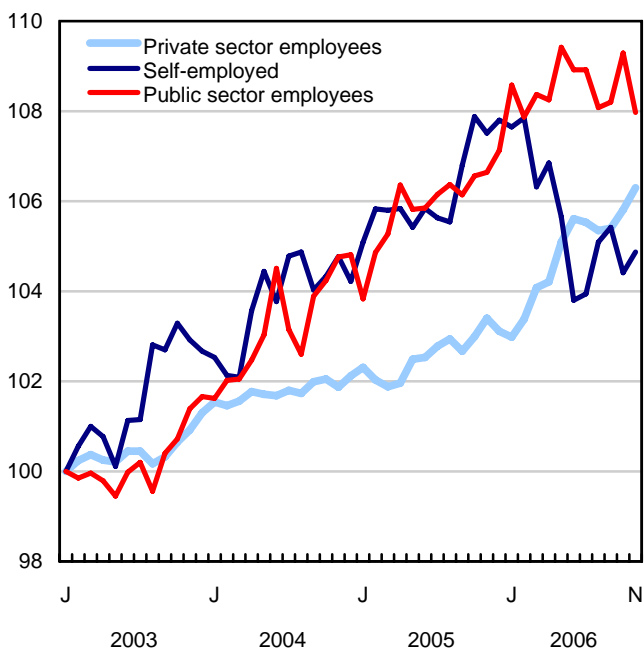
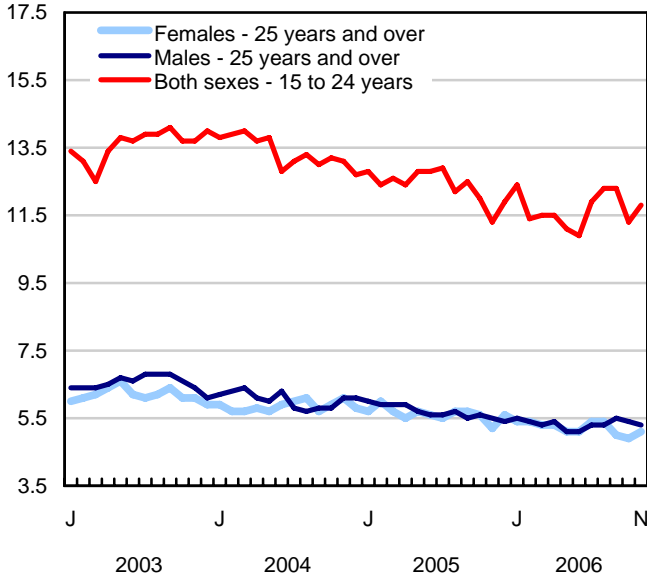
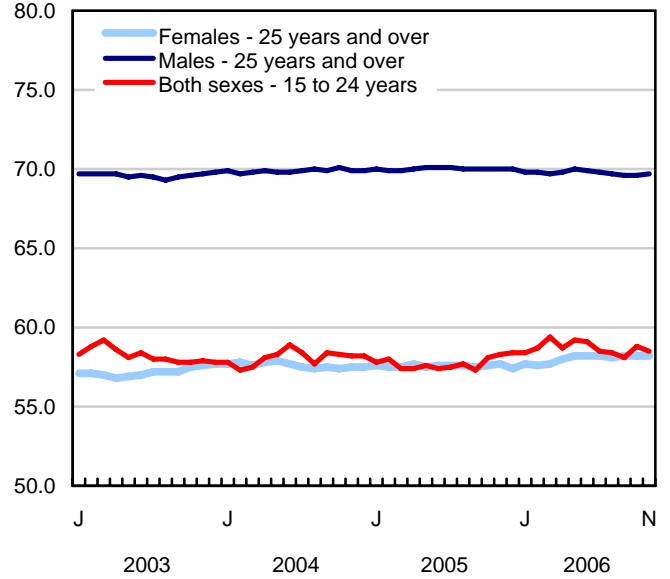


Chart 3
Employment and unemployment indicators, Canada, seasonally adjusted

Unemployment rate (%)



Employment rate (%)



Participation rate (%)

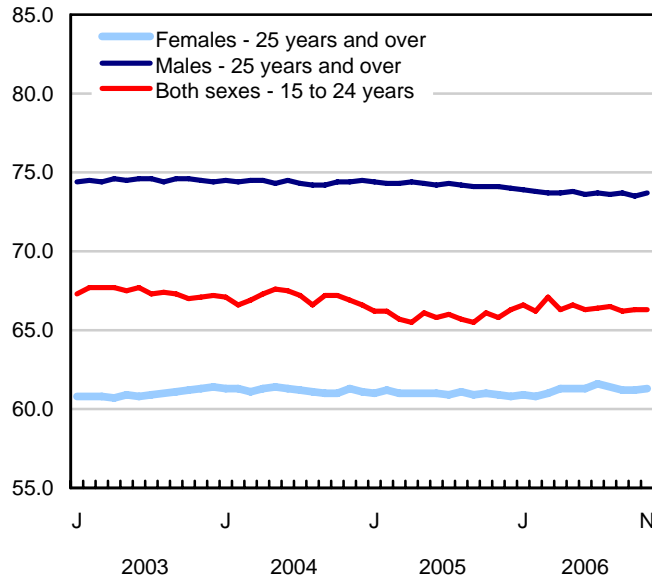


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Index of employment by industry, Canada, seasonally adjusted, January, 2003=100

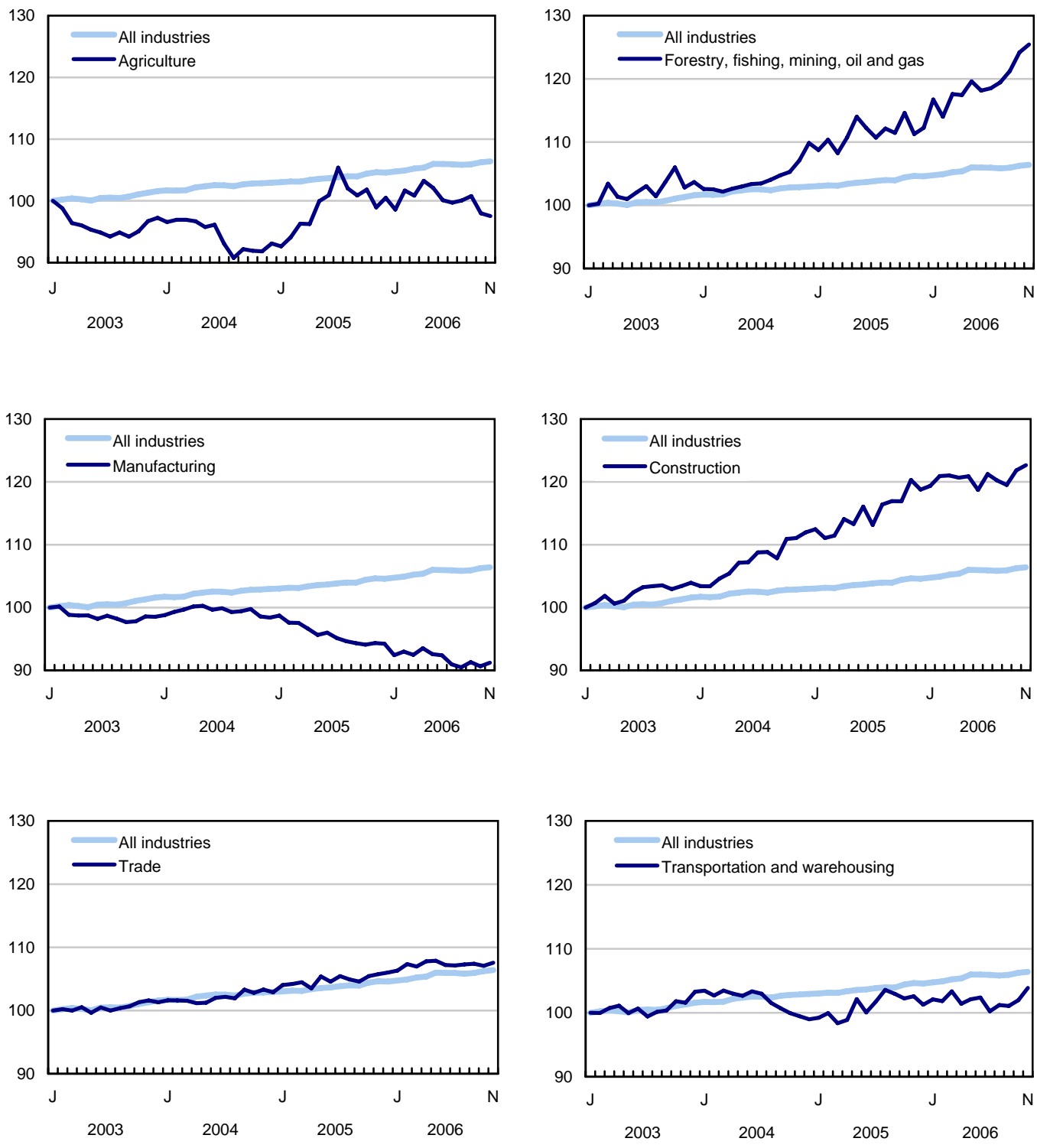


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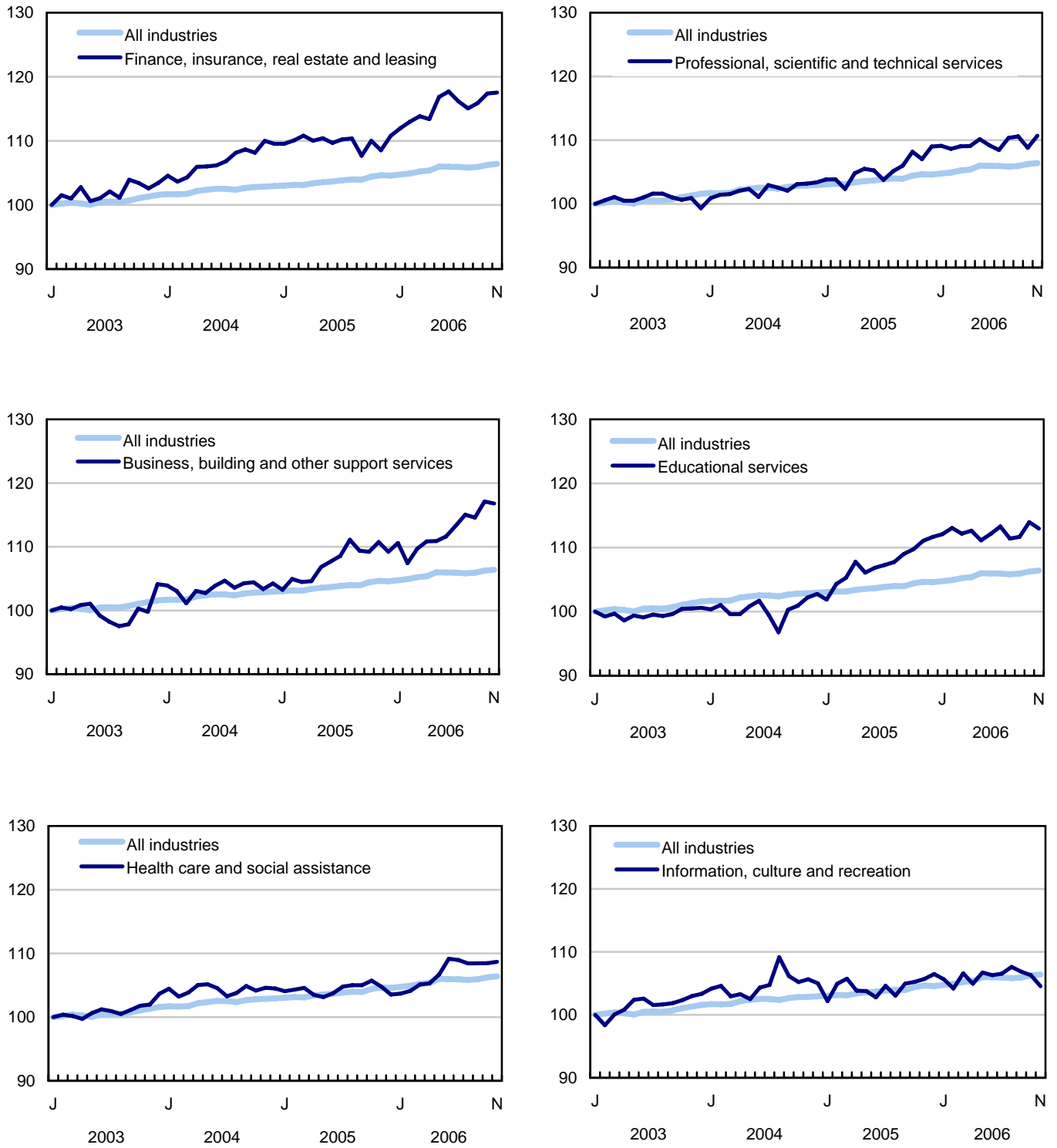


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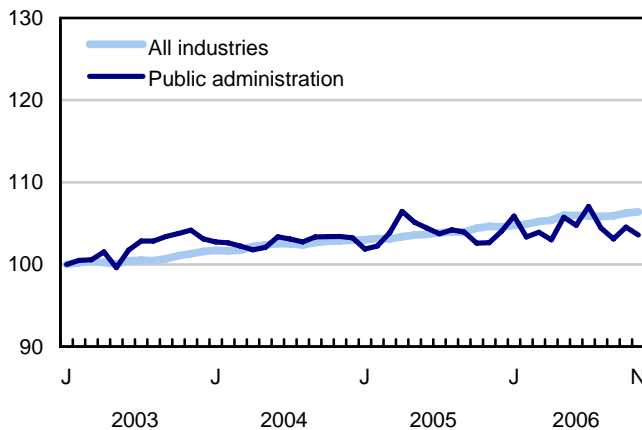
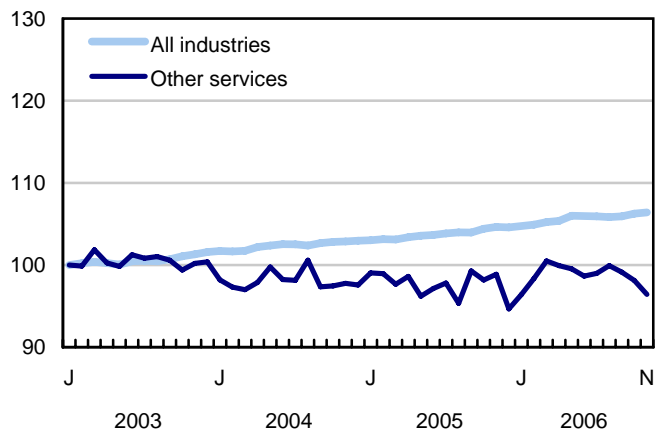
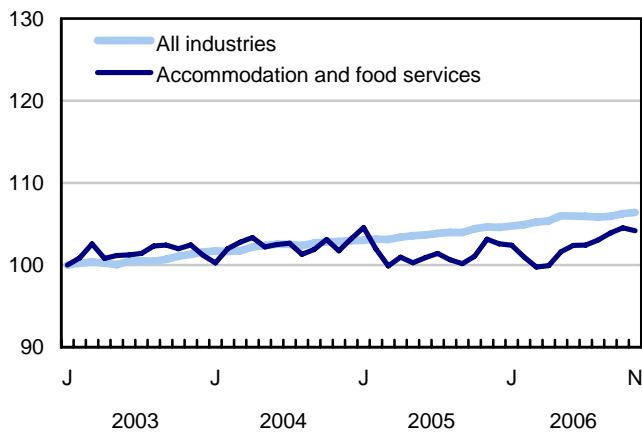


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Index of employment by province, seasonally adjusted, January 2003 = 100

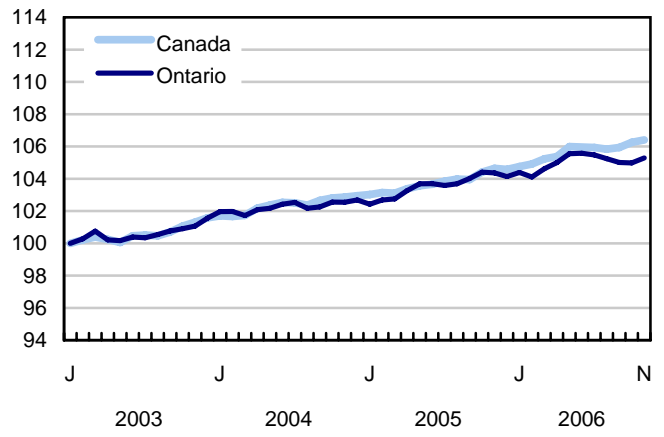
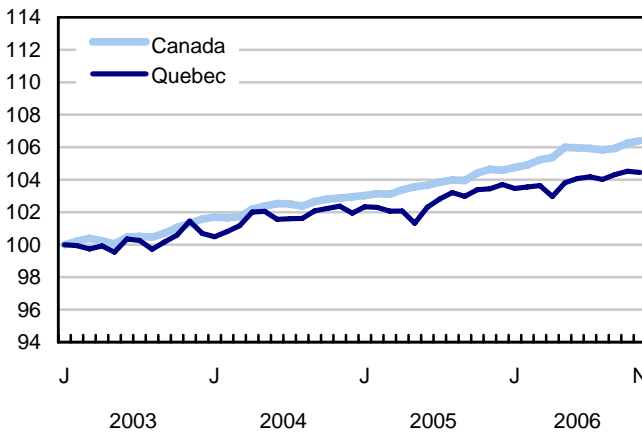
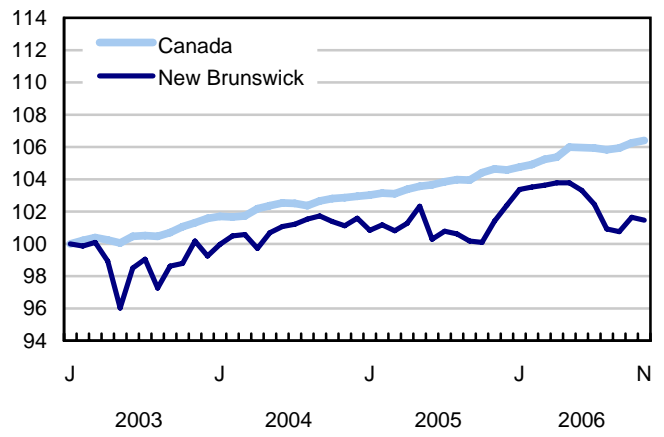
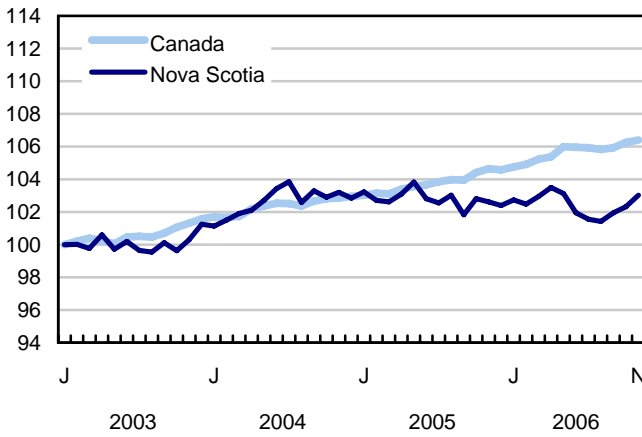
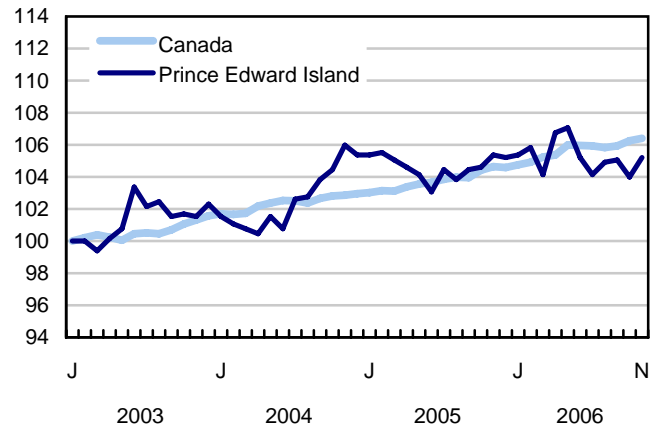
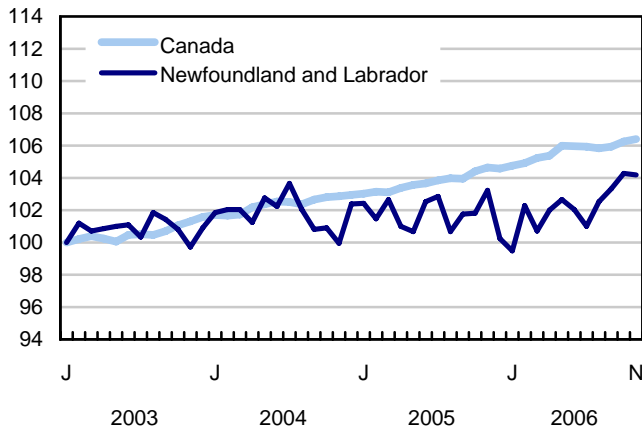
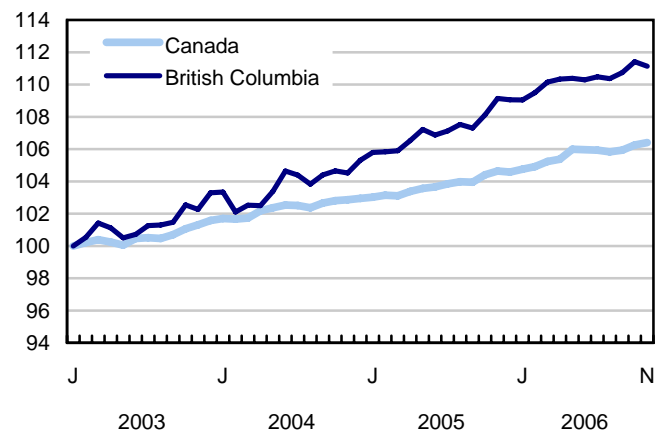
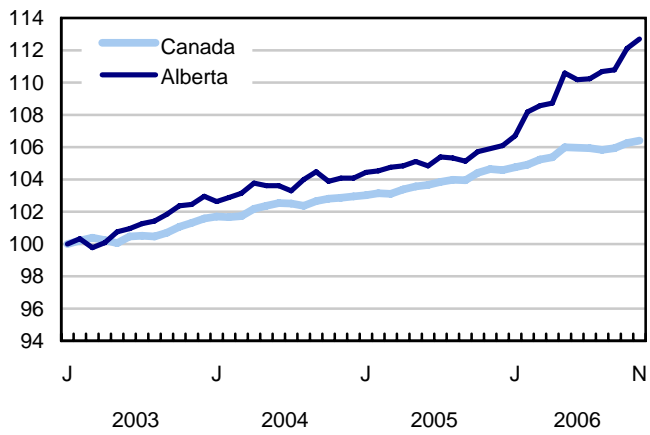
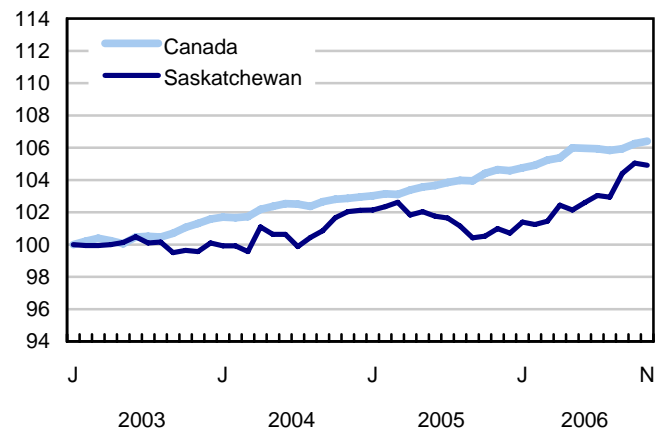
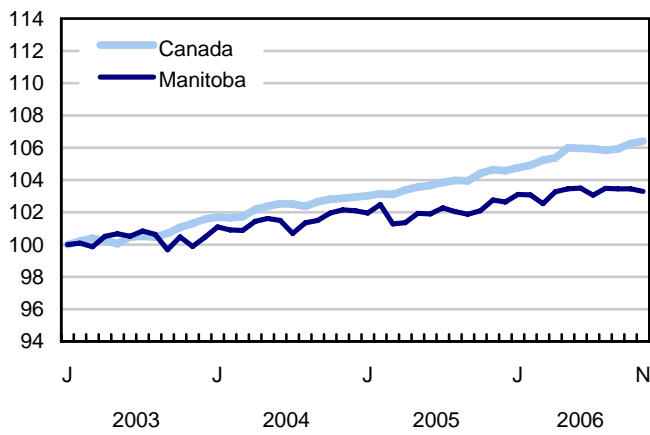


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Statistical tables

Table 1
Labour force characteristics by age and sex, Canada, seasonally adjusted

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 26,298.9 | 26,329.8 | ... | 30.9 | 342.9 | 370.2 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.4 |
| Labour force | 17,641.2 | 17,687.2 | 27.4 | 46.0 | 257.3 | 277.7 | 0.3 | 1.5 | 1.6 |
| Employment | 16,555.5 | 16,577.9 | 27.2 | 22.4 | 283.2 | 274.5 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 1.7 |
| Employment full-time | 13,617.5 | 13,599.4 | 36.0 | -18.1 | 241.1 | 264.9 | -0.1 | 1.8 | 2.0 |
| Employment part-time | 2,938.0 | 2,978.5 | 32.5 | 40.5 | 42.1 | 9.6 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 0.3 |
| Unemployment | 1,085.7 | 1,109.3 | 23.0 | 23.6 | -25.9 | 3.2 | 2.2 | -2.3 | 0.3 |
| Participation rate | 67.1 | 67.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.2 | 6.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | -0.2 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 63.0 | 63.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 17.7 | 18.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 4,332.1 | 4,335.4 | ... | 3.3 | 33.4 | 36.1 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 0.8 |
| Labour force | 2,871.5 | 2,872.7 | 16.5 | 1.2 | 22.1 | 44.8 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 1.6 |
| Employment | 2,547.4 | 2,534.4 | 15.7 | -13.0 | 21.9 | 26.5 | -0.5 | 0.9 | 1.1 |
| Employment full-time | 1,458.9 | 1,426.7 | 18.0 | -32.2 | 20.3 | 38.0 | -2.2 | 1.4 | 2.7 |
| Employment part-time | 1,088.5 | 1,107.6 | 18.7 | 19.1 | 1.5 | -11.6 | 1.8 | 0.1 | -1.0 |
| Unemployment | 324.1 | 338.3 | 13.6 | 14.2 | 0.1 | 18.3 | 4.4 | 0.0 | 5.7 |
| Participation rate | 66.3 | 66.3 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 11.3 | 11.8 | 0.4 | 0.5 | -0.1 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 58.8 | 58.5 | 0.4 | -0.3 | 0.1 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 42.7 | 43.7 | 0.7 | 1.0 | -0.3 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 10,728.7 | 10,742.7 | ... | 14.0 | 154.8 | 166.8 | 0.1 | 1.5 | 1.6 |
| Labour force | 7,889.9 | 7,914.0 | 14.0 | 24.1 | 83.3 | 79.2 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 1.0 |
| Employment | 7,466.4 | 7,491.6 | 15.2 | 25.2 | 82.1 | 91.3 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 1.2 |
| Employment full-time | 6,991.2 | 6,995.1 | 19.6 | 3.9 | 66.3 | 82.0 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 1.2 |
| Employment part-time | 475.2 | 496.6 | 15.3 | 21.4 | 15.9 | 9.4 | 4.5 | 3.3 | 1.9 |
| Unemployment | 423.6 | 422.3 | 13.0 | -1.3 | 1.1 | -12.2 | -0.3 | 0.3 | -2.8 |
| Participation rate | 73.5 | 73.7 | 0.1 | 0.2 | -0.3 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.4 | 5.3 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 69.6 | 69.7 | 0.1 | 0.1 | -0.3 | -0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 6.4 | 6.6 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 11,238.1 | 11,251.7 | ... | 13.6 | 154.8 | 167.3 | 0.1 | 1.4 | 1.5 |
| Labour force | 6,879.8 | 6,900.5 | 15.9 | 20.7 | 152.0 | 153.7 | 0.3 | 2.3 | 2.3 |
| Employment | 6,541.8 | 6,551.9 | 15.4 | 10.1 | 179.2 | 156.8 | 0.2 | 2.8 | 2.5 |
| Employment full-time | 5,167.4 | 5,177.6 | 23.0 | 10.2 | 154.5 | 144.9 | 0.2 | 3.1 | 2.9 |
| Employment part-time | 1,374.4 | 1,374.3 | 21.3 | -0.1 | 24.7 | 11.9 | 0.0 | 1.8 | 0.9 |
| Unemployment | 338.0 | 348.6 | 12.6 | 10.6 | -27.3 | -3.1 | 3.1 | -7.3 | -0.9 |
| Participation rate | 61.2 | 61.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.9 | 5.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -0.5 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 58.2 | 58.2 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.8 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 21.0 | 21.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | -0.2 | -0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 25 to 54 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 14,264.6 | 14,273.3 | ... | 8.7 | 93.3 | 101.0 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.7 |
| Labour force | 12,284.2 | 12,300.8 | 20.9 | 16.6 | 83.5 | 87.4 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.7 |
| Employment | 11,648.4 | 11,657.6 | 21.9 | 9.2 | 119.1 | 108.6 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 0.9 |
| Unemployment | 635.8 | 643.2 | 17.3 | 7.4 | -35.6 | -21.2 | 1.2 | -5.2 | -3.2 |
| Participation rate | 86.1 | 86.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.2 | 5.2 | 0.1 | 0.0 | -0.4 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 81.7 | 81.7 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0087

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

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | S.E. ¹ | Change from | | | Percent change from | | |
|---|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| | | | | last month | last December | twelve months ago | last month | last December | twelve months ago |
| in thousands | | | | | | | | | |
| Class of worker | | | | | | | | | |
| Employees | 14,087.6 | 14,099.1 | 32.0 | 11.5 | 352.4 | 336.9 | 0.1 | 2.6 | 2.4 |
| Self-employed ² | 2,467.9 | 2,478.8 | 22.0 | 10.9 | -69.2 | -62.4 | 0.4 | -2.7 | -2.5 |
| Public/private sector employees | | | | | | | | | |
| Public sector employees | 3,222.4 | 3,183.7 | 20.8 | -38.7 | 25.0 | 39.2 | -1.2 | 0.8 | 1.2 |
| Private sector employees | 10,865.2 | 10,915.3 | 33.2 | 50.1 | 327.4 | 297.6 | 0.5 | 3.1 | 2.8 |
| Industry | 16,555.5 | 16,577.9 | 27.2 | 22.4 | 283.2 | 274.5 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 1.7 |
| Goods-producing sector | 3,977.0 | 3,996.5 | 24.0 | 19.5 | -9.4 | -11.3 | 0.5 | -0.2 | -0.3 |
| Agriculture | 339.0 | 337.5 | 7.1 | -1.5 | -10.2 | -4.8 | -0.4 | -2.9 | -1.4 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 341.5 | 345.0 | 6.2 | 3.5 | 36.3 | 39.0 | 1.0 | 11.8 | 12.7 |
| Utilities | 127.1 | 124.3 | 3.8 | -2.8 | -0.3 | 5.8 | -2.2 | -0.2 | 4.9 |
| Construction | 1,079.2 | 1,086.4 | 14.3 | 7.2 | 34.3 | 20.9 | 0.7 | 3.3 | 2.0 |
| Manufacturing | 2,090.2 | 2,103.4 | 19.0 | 13.2 | -69.4 | -72.0 | 0.6 | -3.2 | -3.3 |
| Services-producing sector | 12,578.5 | 12,581.4 | 31.1 | 2.9 | 292.6 | 285.8 | 0.0 | 2.4 | 2.3 |
| Trade | 2,629.1 | 2,641.1 | 21.0 | 12.0 | 38.2 | 44.6 | 0.5 | 1.5 | 1.7 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 800.5 | 815.5 | 12.0 | 15.0 | 20.5 | 10.2 | 1.9 | 2.6 | 1.3 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 1,055.7 | 1,057.0 | 13.8 | 1.3 | 60.8 | 81.0 | 0.1 | 6.1 | 8.3 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 1,084.1 | 1,103.1 | 14.6 | 19.0 | 17.0 | 36.7 | 1.8 | 1.6 | 3.4 |
| Business, building and other support services | 712.9 | 711.0 | 12.8 | -1.9 | 46.1 | 36.9 | -0.3 | 6.9 | 5.5 |
| Educational services | 1,174.1 | 1,163.7 | 13.8 | -10.4 | 13.4 | 19.6 | -0.9 | 1.2 | 1.7 |
| Health care and social assistance | 1,803.0 | 1,806.6 | 15.4 | 3.6 | 85.5 | 64.8 | 0.2 | 5.0 | 3.7 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 748.3 | 735.9 | 12.6 | -12.4 | -13.7 | -8.3 | -1.7 | -1.8 | -1.1 |
| Accommodation and food services | 1,035.0 | 1,031.5 | 14.1 | -3.5 | 15.9 | 10.1 | -0.3 | 1.6 | 1.0 |
| Other services | 696.4 | 684.4 | 11.6 | -12.0 | 12.5 | -17.4 | -1.7 | 1.9 | -2.5 |
| Public administration | 839.3 | 831.6 | 11.0 | -7.7 | -3.6 | 7.5 | -0.9 | -0.4 | 0.9 |

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.

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0088, 282-0089

Table 3
Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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) | | | | | | | | | |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 426.9 | 426.6 | ... | -0.3 | -2.6 | -2.7 | -0.1 | -0.6 | -0.6 |
| Labour force | 255.6 | 253.9 | 2.4 | -1.7 | 4.5 | -1.1 | -0.7 | 1.8 | -0.4 |
| Employment | 219.4 | 219.2 | 2.4 | -0.2 | 8.3 | 2.0 | -0.1 | 3.9 | 0.9 |
| Employment full-time | 186.6 | 184.2 | 2.5 | -2.4 | 8.1 | 1.0 | -1.3 | 4.6 | 0.5 |
| Employment part-time | 32.8 | 35.1 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 7.0 | 0.9 | 3.2 |
| Unemployment | 36.2 | 34.7 | 2.2 | -1.5 | -3.8 | -3.1 | -4.1 | -9.9 | -8.2 |
| Participation rate | 59.9 | 59.5 | 0.6 | -0.4 | 1.4 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 14.2 | 13.7 | 0.8 | -0.5 | -1.7 | -1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 51.4 | 51.4 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 2.3 | 0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Prince Edward Island | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 112.5 | 112.6 | ... | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| Labour force | 76.3 | 77.4 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 0.3 | 0.7 |
| Employment | 67.8 | 68.6 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 1.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 |
| Employment full-time | 56.8 | 57.6 | 0.8 | 0.8 | -0.6 | 0.3 | 1.4 | -1.0 | 0.5 |
| Employment part-time | 11.0 | 11.1 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.7 | -0.3 | 0.9 | 6.7 | -2.6 |
| Unemployment | 8.5 | 8.7 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 6.1 |
| Participation rate | 67.8 | 68.7 | 0.5 | 0.9 | -0.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 11.1 | 11.2 | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 60.3 | 60.9 | 0.6 | 0.6 | -0.4 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Nova Scotia | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 763.2 | 763.3 | ... | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Labour force | 480.2 | 479.3 | 2.8 | -0.9 | -3.0 | -2.9 | -0.2 | -0.6 | -0.6 |
| Employment | 441.0 | 444.0 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.4 |
| Employment full-time | 358.2 | 361.1 | 3.6 | 2.9 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.3 |
| Employment part-time | 82.8 | 82.8 | 3.2 | 0.0 | 2.4 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 3.0 | 0.7 |
| Unemployment | 39.2 | 35.4 | 2.5 | -3.8 | -5.6 | -4.5 | -9.7 | -13.7 | -11.3 |
| Participation rate | 62.9 | 62.8 | 0.4 | -0.1 | -0.5 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.2 | 7.4 | 0.5 | -0.8 | -1.1 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 57.8 | 58.2 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| New Brunswick | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 611.0 | 611.0 | ... | 0.0 | -0.4 | -0.4 | 0.0 | -0.1 | -0.1 |
| Labour force | 383.8 | 384.6 | 2.3 | 0.8 | -8.5 | -3.6 | 0.2 | -2.2 | -0.9 |
| Employment | 352.7 | 352.1 | 2.4 | -0.6 | -3.2 | 0.2 | -0.2 | -0.9 | 0.1 |
| Employment full-time | 297.9 | 297.4 | 3.0 | -0.5 | 2.8 | 0.9 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 0.3 |
| Employment part-time | 54.8 | 54.6 | 2.5 | -0.2 | -6.2 | -0.8 | -0.4 | -10.2 | -1.4 |
| Unemployment | 31.1 | 32.6 | 2.2 | 1.5 | -5.2 | -3.8 | 4.8 | -13.8 | -10.4 |
| Participation rate | 62.8 | 62.9 | 0.4 | 0.1 | -1.4 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.1 | 8.5 | 0.5 | 0.4 | -1.1 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 57.7 | 57.6 | 0.4 | -0.1 | -0.5 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 6,272.6 | 6,277.8 | ... | 5.2 | 61.9 | 66.7 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 1.1 |
| Labour force | 4,101.7 | 4,111.2 | 14.9 | 9.5 | 20.8 | 40.0 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 1.0 |
| Employment | 3,784.5 | 3,782.1 | 14.7 | -2.4 | 27.1 | 36.5 | -0.1 | 0.7 | 1.0 |
| Employment full-time | 3,115.0 | 3,108.9 | 19.8 | -6.1 | 34.8 | 58.9 | -0.2 | 1.1 | 1.9 |
| Employment part-time | 669.4 | 673.2 | 17.6 | 3.8 | -7.7 | -22.4 | 0.6 | -1.1 | -3.2 |
| Unemployment | 317.2 | 329.2 | 13.4 | 12.0 | -6.1 | 3.7 | 3.8 | -1.8 | 1.1 |
| Participation rate | 65.4 | 65.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -0.3 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 7.7 | 8.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 60.3 | 60.2 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -0.2 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 3 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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) | | | | | | | | | |
| Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 10,270.7 | 10,281.3 | ... | 10.6 | 128.5 | 139.7 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.4 |
| Labour force | 6,926.9 | 6,948.7 | 18.2 | 21.8 | 89.1 | 84.4 | 0.3 | 1.3 | 1.2 |
| Employment | 6,485.5 | 6,504.6 | 18.1 | 19.1 | 71.2 | 57.8 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 0.9 |
| Employment full-time | 5,346.6 | 5,343.1 | 23.4 | -3.5 | 30.5 | 41.4 | -0.1 | 0.6 | 0.8 |
| Employment part-time | 1,138.9 | 1,161.5 | 21.2 | 22.6 | 40.7 | 16.5 | 2.0 | 3.6 | 1.4 |
| Unemployment | 441.4 | 444.1 | 15.5 | 2.7 | 17.9 | 26.6 | 0.6 | 4.2 | 6.4 |
| Participation rate | 67.4 | 67.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.4 | 6.4 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 63.1 | 63.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Manitoba | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 893.1 | 893.3 | ... | 0.2 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| Labour force | 613.8 | 615.3 | 2.8 | 1.5 | 6.0 | 6.1 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 1.0 |
| Employment | 588.2 | 587.3 | 2.8 | -0.9 | 3.7 | 3.0 | -0.2 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| Employment full-time | 468.5 | 472.4 | 4.0 | 3.9 | 8.5 | 2.6 | 0.8 | 1.8 | 0.6 |
| Employment part-time | 119.8 | 114.9 | 3.7 | -4.9 | -4.8 | 0.4 | -4.1 | -4.0 | 0.3 |
| Unemployment | 25.5 | 28.1 | 2.2 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 3.2 | 10.2 | 9.3 | 12.9 |
| Participation rate | 68.7 | 68.9 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.2 | 4.6 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 65.9 | 65.7 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Saskatchewan | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 746.1 | 746.1 | ... | 0.0 | -2.1 | -2.4 | 0.0 | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| Labour force | 520.6 | 520.2 | 2.4 | -0.4 | 13.9 | 12.9 | -0.1 | 2.7 | 2.5 |
| Employment | 500.3 | 499.7 | 2.4 | -0.6 | 20.0 | 18.7 | -0.1 | 4.2 | 3.9 |
| Employment full-time | 406.9 | 407.0 | 3.3 | 0.1 | 17.7 | 18.6 | 0.0 | 4.5 | 4.8 |
| Employment part-time | 93.4 | 92.7 | 3.0 | -0.7 | 2.3 | 0.1 | -0.7 | 2.5 | 0.1 |
| Unemployment | 20.3 | 20.5 | 1.9 | 0.2 | -6.1 | -5.8 | 1.0 | -22.9 | -22.1 |
| Participation rate | 69.8 | 69.7 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 2.0 | 1.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 3.9 | 3.9 | 0.4 | 0.0 | -1.4 | -1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.1 | 67.0 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 2.9 | 2.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Alberta | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 2,673.9 | 2,684.0 | ... | 10.1 | 96.8 | 103.4 | 0.4 | 3.7 | 4.0 |
| Labour force | 1,960.6 | 1,973.8 | 8.3 | 13.2 | 94.3 | 98.9 | 0.7 | 5.0 | 5.3 |
| Employment | 1,902.1 | 1,911.9 | 8.1 | 9.8 | 112.1 | 115.2 | 0.5 | 6.2 | 6.4 |
| Employment full-time | 1,614.3 | 1,615.2 | 10.9 | 0.9 | 116.6 | 113.4 | 0.1 | 7.8 | 7.6 |
| Employment part-time | 287.8 | 296.7 | 9.9 | 8.9 | -4.6 | 1.9 | 3.1 | -1.5 | 0.6 |
| Unemployment | 58.5 | 62.0 | 5.7 | 3.5 | -17.7 | -16.3 | 6.0 | -22.2 | -20.8 |
| Participation rate | 73.3 | 73.5 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 3.0 | 3.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | -1.1 | -1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 71.1 | 71.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 1.6 | 1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| British Columbia | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 3,528.9 | 3,533.7 | ... | 4.8 | 55.4 | 60.5 | 0.1 | 1.6 | 1.7 |
| Labour force | 2,321.7 | 2,322.7 | 9.8 | 1.0 | 39.8 | 42.4 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 1.9 |
| Employment | 2,214.0 | 2,208.5 | 9.9 | -5.5 | 41.4 | 39.5 | -0.2 | 1.9 | 1.8 |
| Employment full-time | 1,766.5 | 1,751.9 | 13.2 | -14.6 | 22.3 | 25.8 | -0.8 | 1.3 | 1.5 |
| Employment part-time | 447.5 | 456.5 | 12.5 | 9.0 | 19.0 | 13.6 | 2.0 | 4.3 | 3.1 |
| Unemployment | 107.7 | 114.2 | 7.2 | 6.5 | -1.6 | 2.8 | 6.0 | -1.4 | 2.5 |
| Participation rate | 65.8 | 65.7 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.6 | 4.9 | 0.3 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.7 | 62.5 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0087

Table 4-1
Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Newfoundland and Labrador

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 426.9 | 426.6 | ... | -0.3 | -2.6 | -2.7 | -0.1 | -0.6 | -0.6 |
| Labour force | 255.6 | 253.9 | 2.4 | -1.7 | 4.5 | -1.1 | -0.7 | 1.8 | -0.4 |
| Employment | 219.4 | 219.2 | 2.4 | -0.2 | 8.3 | 2.0 | -0.1 | 3.9 | 0.9 |
| Employment full-time | 186.6 | 184.2 | 2.5 | -2.4 | 8.1 | 1.0 | -1.3 | 4.6 | 0.5 |
| Unemployment | 36.2 | 34.7 | 2.2 | -1.5 | -3.8 | -3.1 | -4.1 | -9.9 | -8.2 |
| Participation rate | 59.9 | 59.5 | 0.6 | -0.4 | 1.4 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 14.2 | 13.7 | 0.8 | -0.5 | -1.7 | -1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 51.4 | 51.4 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 2.3 | 0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 14.9 | 16.0 | 0.8 | 1.1 | -0.5 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 65.8 | 65.5 | ... | -0.3 | -2.4 | -2.6 | -0.5 | -3.5 | -3.8 |
| Labour force | 35.9 | 35.6 | 1.3 | -0.3 | -1.0 | -3.2 | -0.8 | -2.7 | -8.2 |
| Employment | 29.0 | 28.7 | 1.2 | -0.3 | 0.1 | -1.8 | -1.0 | 0.3 | -5.9 |
| Unemployment | 6.9 | 6.9 | 1.1 | 0.0 | -1.1 | -1.3 | 0.0 | -13.8 | -15.9 |
| Participation rate | 54.6 | 54.4 | 1.9 | -0.2 | 0.5 | -2.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 19.2 | 19.4 | 2.8 | 0.2 | -2.5 | -1.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 44.1 | 43.8 | 1.7 | -0.3 | 1.7 | -1.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 40.3 | 43.6 | 3.6 | 3.2 | -2.6 | -2.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 174.7 | 174.7 | ... | 0.0 | -0.3 | -0.4 | 0.0 | -0.2 | -0.2 |
| Labour force | 114.5 | 113.5 | 1.3 | -1.0 | 2.3 | 0.1 | -0.9 | 2.1 | 0.1 |
| Employment | 98.0 | 97.8 | 1.4 | -0.2 | 4.2 | 2.1 | -0.2 | 4.5 | 2.2 |
| Unemployment | 16.4 | 15.7 | 1.4 | -0.7 | -1.9 | -2.1 | -4.3 | -10.8 | -11.8 |
| Participation rate | 65.5 | 65.0 | 0.8 | -0.5 | 1.5 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 14.3 | 13.8 | 1.1 | -0.5 | -2.0 | -1.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 56.1 | 56.0 | 0.8 | -0.1 | 2.5 | 1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 4.6 | 4.6 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 186.3 | 186.3 | ... | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Labour force | 105.2 | 104.8 | 1.3 | -0.4 | 3.2 | 2.0 | -0.4 | 3.1 | 1.9 |
| Employment | 92.3 | 92.7 | 1.3 | 0.4 | 4.0 | 1.7 | 0.4 | 4.5 | 1.9 |
| Unemployment | 12.9 | 12.1 | 1.2 | -0.8 | -0.8 | 0.3 | -6.2 | -6.2 | 2.5 |
| Participation rate | 56.5 | 56.3 | 0.7 | -0.2 | 1.7 | 1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 12.3 | 11.5 | 1.1 | -0.8 | -1.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 49.5 | 49.8 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 2.2 | 0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 18.0 | 19.4 | 1.3 | 1.4 | -0.5 | 2.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| Industry | 219.4 | 219.2 | 2.4 | -0.2 | 8.3 | 2.0 | -0.1 | 3.9 | 0.9 |
| Goods-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Agriculture | 50.5 | 53.0 | 2.0 | 2.5 | 3.2 | 1.2 | 5.0 | 6.4 | 2.3 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 1.7 | 1.8 | 0.4 | 0.1 | -0.4 | -0.7 | 5.9 | -18.2 | -28.0 |
| Utilities | 17.4 | 19.7 | 1.0 | 2.3 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 13.2 | 29.6 | 28.8 |
| Construction | 1.7 | 1.5 | 0.3 | -0.2 | -1.1 | -1.1 | -11.8 | -42.3 | -42.3 |
| Manufacturing | 13.8 | 13.4 | 1.0 | -0.4 | 1.5 | 1.5 | -2.9 | 12.6 | 12.6 |
| Manufacturing | 15.9 | 16.5 | 1.2 | 0.6 | -1.3 | -3.0 | 3.8 | -7.3 | -15.4 |
| Services-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Trade | 168.8 | 166.2 | 2.1 | -2.6 | 5.1 | 0.8 | -1.5 | 3.2 | 0.5 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 37.7 | 37.4 | 1.3 | -0.3 | -1.1 | -1.7 | -0.8 | -2.9 | -4.3 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 11.3 | 11.4 | 0.8 | 0.1 | -0.3 | 0.1 | 0.9 | -2.6 | 0.9 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 6.0 | 6.1 | 0.6 | 0.1 | -1.0 | -1.7 | 1.7 | -14.1 | -21.8 |
| Business, building and other support services | 6.5 | 6.0 | 0.6 | -0.5 | -1.0 | -0.9 | -7.7 | -14.3 | -13.0 |
| Educational services | 9.7 | 9.0 | 0.8 | -0.7 | 2.4 | 2.5 | -7.2 | 36.4 | 38.5 |
| Health care and social assistance | 17.6 | 17.2 | 0.9 | -0.4 | 1.1 | 0.3 | -2.3 | 6.8 | 1.8 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 29.6 | 30.3 | 1.1 | 0.7 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 9.0 | 7.8 |
| Accommodation and food services | 9.8 | 9.8 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 3.0 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 44.1 | 24.1 |
| Other services | 13.6 | 12.4 | 1.0 | -1.2 | -1.2 | -1.4 | -8.8 | -8.8 | -10.1 |
| Public administration | 11.2 | 10.7 | 0.9 | -0.5 | 0.2 | -1.4 | -4.5 | 1.9 | -11.6 |
| Public administration | 15.7 | 15.9 | 0.9 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 3.9 | 6.0 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

Table 4-2
Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Prince Edward Island

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 112.5 | 112.6 | ... | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| Labour force | 76.3 | 77.4 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 0.3 | 0.7 |
| Employment | 67.8 | 68.6 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 1.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 |
| Employment full-time | 56.8 | 57.6 | 0.8 | 0.8 | -0.6 | 0.3 | 1.4 | -1.0 | 0.5 |
| Unemployment | 8.5 | 8.7 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 6.1 |
| Participation rate | 67.8 | 68.7 | 0.5 | 0.9 | -0.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 11.1 | 11.2 | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 60.3 | 60.9 | 0.6 | 0.6 | -0.4 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 16.2 | 16.2 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 1.0 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 19.9 | 19.8 | ... | -0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | -0.5 | 0.0 | 0.5 |
| Labour force | 13.6 | 13.9 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 2.2 | 3.7 | 3.7 |
| Employment | 11.7 | 11.9 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 1.7 | 4.4 | 2.6 |
| Unemployment | 1.9 | 2.1 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 10.5 | 0.0 | 16.7 |
| Participation rate | 68.3 | 70.2 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 2.5 | 2.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 14.0 | 15.1 | 2.3 | 1.1 | -0.6 | 1.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 58.8 | 60.1 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 2.5 | 1.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 38.5 | 37.8 | 3.3 | -0.6 | 1.9 | -5.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 44.5 | 44.5 | ... | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 0.7 |
| Labour force | 32.2 | 32.6 | 0.3 | 0.4 | -0.4 | -0.2 | 1.2 | -1.2 | -0.6 |
| Employment | 28.7 | 29.1 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 1.4 | 0.3 | 0.7 |
| Unemployment | 3.4 | 3.5 | 0.4 | 0.1 | -0.5 | -0.3 | 2.9 | -12.5 | -7.9 |
| Participation rate | 72.4 | 73.3 | 0.8 | 0.9 | -1.4 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 10.6 | 10.7 | 1.1 | 0.1 | -1.4 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 64.5 | 65.4 | 0.9 | 0.9 | -0.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 5.2 | 5.8 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.0 | -0.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 48.2 | 48.3 | ... | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| Labour force | 30.5 | 30.8 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| Employment | 27.4 | 27.7 | 0.4 | 0.3 | -0.6 | -0.5 | 1.1 | -2.1 | -1.8 |
| Unemployment | 3.2 | 3.1 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 0.6 | 0.6 | -3.1 | 24.0 | 24.0 |
| Participation rate | 63.3 | 63.8 | 0.6 | 0.5 | -0.2 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 10.5 | 10.1 | 1.0 | -0.4 | 2.0 | 2.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 56.8 | 57.3 | 0.8 | 0.5 | -1.7 | -1.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 18.2 | 17.7 | 1.5 | -0.6 | 1.1 | 1.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| Goods-producing sector | 67.8 | 68.6 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 1.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 |
| Agriculture | 18.6 | 18.7 | 0.6 | 0.1 | -0.1 | 1.0 | 0.5 | -0.5 | 5.6 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 3.7 | 3.7 | 0.3 | 0.0 | -0.1 | -0.1 | 0.0 | -2.6 | -2.6 |
| Utilities | 2.6 | 2.7 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 3.8 | 22.7 | 42.1 |
| Construction | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 33.3 | 0.0 | 33.3 |
| Manufacturing | 5.5 | 5.5 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 3.8 | 12.2 |
| Manufacturing | 6.5 | 6.5 | 0.4 | 0.0 | -0.6 | -0.3 | 0.0 | -8.5 | -4.4 |
| Services-producing sector | 49.2 | 49.9 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.0 | -1.1 | 1.4 | 0.0 | -2.2 |
| Trade | 9.7 | 9.8 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.6 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 6.5 | -2.0 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 2.5 | 2.6 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 4.0 | 23.8 | 18.2 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 2.3 | 2.2 | 0.2 | -0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -4.3 | 10.0 | 10.0 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 2.4 | 2.3 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -0.3 | -0.5 | -4.2 | -11.5 | -17.9 |
| Business, building and other support services | 2.9 | 3.0 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 3.4 | 7.1 | 7.1 |
| Educational services | 4.5 | 4.6 | 0.3 | 0.1 | -0.1 | -0.2 | 2.2 | -2.1 | -4.2 |
| Health care and social assistance | 7.8 | 7.6 | 0.3 | -0.2 | -0.1 | -0.2 | -2.6 | -1.3 | -2.6 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 2.5 | 2.8 | 0.3 | 0.3 | -0.1 | -0.2 | 12.0 | -3.4 | -6.7 |
| Accommodation and food services | 5.7 | 5.9 | 0.4 | 0.2 | -0.2 | -0.1 | 3.5 | -3.3 | -1.7 |
| Other services | 2.7 | 2.7 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.7 | -0.7 | 0.0 | -20.6 | -20.6 |
| Public administration | 6.2 | 6.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.6 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

Table 4-3
Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Nova Scotia

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 763.2 | 763.3 | ... | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Labour force | 480.2 | 479.3 | 2.8 | -0.9 | -3.0 | -2.9 | -0.2 | -0.6 | -0.6 |
| Employment | 441.0 | 444.0 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.4 |
| Employment full-time | 358.2 | 361.1 | 3.6 | 2.9 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.3 |
| Unemployment | 39.2 | 35.4 | 2.5 | -3.8 | -5.6 | -4.5 | -9.7 | -13.7 | -11.3 |
| Participation rate | 62.9 | 62.8 | 0.4 | -0.1 | -0.5 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.2 | 7.4 | 0.5 | -0.8 | -1.1 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 57.8 | 58.2 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 18.8 | 18.6 | 0.7 | -0.1 | 0.4 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 122.9 | 122.8 | ... | -0.1 | -0.8 | -0.9 | -0.1 | -0.6 | -0.7 |
| Labour force | 82.0 | 80.3 | 1.8 | -1.7 | -1.1 | -0.3 | -2.1 | -1.4 | -0.4 |
| Employment | 69.5 | 69.0 | 1.7 | -0.5 | -1.7 | -1.3 | -0.7 | -2.4 | -1.8 |
| Unemployment | 12.4 | 11.2 | 1.5 | -1.2 | 0.4 | 0.9 | -9.7 | 3.7 | 8.7 |
| Participation rate | 66.7 | 65.4 | 1.4 | -1.3 | -0.5 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 15.1 | 13.9 | 1.7 | -1.2 | 0.6 | 1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 56.6 | 56.2 | 1.4 | -0.4 | -1.0 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 45.2 | 46.1 | 2.3 | 0.9 | 2.0 | 2.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 305.7 | 305.8 | ... | 0.1 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| Labour force | 206.5 | 205.7 | 1.5 | -0.8 | -3.9 | -3.3 | -0.4 | -1.9 | -1.6 |
| Employment | 190.2 | 191.0 | 1.7 | 0.8 | -2.2 | -0.7 | 0.4 | -1.1 | -0.4 |
| Unemployment | 16.2 | 14.7 | 1.5 | -1.5 | -1.7 | -2.6 | -9.3 | -10.4 | -15.0 |
| Participation rate | 67.5 | 67.3 | 0.5 | -0.2 | -1.4 | -1.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 7.8 | 7.1 | 0.7 | -0.7 | -0.7 | -1.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.2 | 62.5 | 0.5 | 0.3 | -0.8 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 7.2 | 7.3 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 334.6 | 334.7 | ... | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.5 |
| Labour force | 191.8 | 193.3 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 0.4 |
| Employment | 181.2 | 183.9 | 1.5 | 2.7 | 6.5 | 3.6 | 1.5 | 3.7 | 2.0 |
| Unemployment | 10.6 | 9.4 | 1.2 | -1.2 | -4.4 | -2.9 | -11.3 | -31.9 | -23.6 |
| Participation rate | 57.3 | 57.8 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.5 | 4.9 | 0.6 | -0.6 | -2.3 | -1.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 54.2 | 54.9 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 1.7 | 0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 20.9 | 20.2 | 1.1 | -0.7 | -0.8 | -1.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| Industry | 441.0 | 444.0 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.4 |
| Goods-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Agriculture | 4.7 | 4.7 | 0.7 | 0.0 | -0.1 | -0.4 | 0.0 | -2.1 | -7.8 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 12.4 | 12.6 | 1.2 | 0.2 | -2.7 | -3.0 | 1.6 | -17.6 | -19.2 |
| Utilities | 2.1 | 2.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.9 | 0.4 | 4.8 | 69.2 | 22.2 |
| Construction | 28.1 | 30.2 | 1.4 | 2.1 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 7.5 | 10.6 | 9.8 |
| Manufacturing | 38.0 | 37.8 | 1.5 | -0.2 | -2.6 | -2.7 | -0.5 | -6.4 | -6.7 |
| Services-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Trade | 75.0 | 76.6 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 0.2 | -0.6 | 2.1 | 0.3 | -0.8 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 18.1 | 18.5 | 1.1 | 0.4 | -2.1 | -1.6 | 2.2 | -10.2 | -8.0 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 23.3 | 24.2 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 2.3 | 3.9 | 4.3 | 10.5 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 17.3 | 18.2 | 1.1 | 0.9 | -1.5 | -2.8 | 5.2 | -7.6 | -13.3 |
| Business, building and other support services | 29.7 | 28.7 | 1.4 | -1.0 | 4.6 | 2.7 | -3.4 | 19.1 | 10.4 |
| Educational services | 34.7 | 34.6 | 1.3 | -0.1 | -0.6 | -2.1 | -0.3 | -1.7 | -5.7 |
| Health care and social assistance | 59.8 | 60.1 | 1.5 | 0.3 | 1.9 | 3.0 | 0.5 | 3.3 | 5.3 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 15.3 | 15.5 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 7.6 | 13.1 |
| Accommodation and food services | 32.9 | 31.9 | 1.5 | -1.0 | 1.5 | 2.2 | -3.0 | 4.9 | 7.4 |
| Other services | 20.6 | 19.9 | 1.2 | -0.7 | -1.1 | -0.9 | -3.4 | -5.2 | -4.3 |
| Public administration | 29.0 | 28.4 | 1.1 | -0.6 | -0.6 | 0.9 | -2.1 | -2.1 | 3.3 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

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

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 611.0 | 611.0 | ... | 0.0 | -0.4 | -0.4 | 0.0 | -0.1 | -0.1 |
| Labour force | 383.8 | 384.6 | 2.3 | 0.8 | -8.5 | -3.6 | 0.2 | -2.2 | -0.9 |
| Employment | 352.7 | 352.1 | 2.4 | -0.6 | -3.2 | 0.2 | -0.2 | -0.9 | 0.1 |
| Employment full-time | 297.9 | 297.4 | 3.0 | -0.5 | 2.8 | 0.9 | -0.2 | 1.0 | 0.3 |
| Unemployment | 31.1 | 32.6 | 2.2 | 1.5 | -5.2 | -3.8 | 4.8 | -13.8 | -10.4 |
| Participation rate | 62.8 | 62.9 | 0.4 | 0.1 | -1.4 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.1 | 8.5 | 0.5 | 0.4 | -1.1 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 57.7 | 57.6 | 0.4 | -0.1 | -0.5 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 15.5 | 15.5 | 0.7 | 0.0 | -1.6 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 95.4 | 95.2 | ... | -0.2 | -0.9 | -1.0 | -0.2 | -0.9 | -1.0 |
| Labour force | 60.3 | 59.5 | 1.3 | -0.8 | -3.8 | -3.3 | -1.3 | -6.0 | -5.3 |
| Employment | 52.7 | 51.4 | 1.4 | -1.3 | -2.9 | -3.1 | -2.5 | -5.3 | -5.7 |
| Unemployment | 7.6 | 8.1 | 1.2 | 0.5 | -0.9 | -0.2 | 6.6 | -10.0 | -2.4 |
| Participation rate | 63.2 | 62.5 | 1.4 | -0.7 | -3.4 | -2.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 12.6 | 13.6 | 1.7 | 1.0 | -0.6 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 55.2 | 54.0 | 1.4 | -1.2 | -2.5 | -2.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 34.9 | 35.8 | 2.5 | 0.9 | -4.9 | -2.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 249.3 | 249.4 | ... | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Labour force | 170.5 | 169.8 | 1.3 | -0.7 | -2.2 | 0.1 | -0.4 | -1.3 | 0.1 |
| Employment | 155.5 | 154.8 | 1.5 | -0.7 | -0.9 | 2.2 | -0.5 | -0.6 | 1.4 |
| Unemployment | 15.0 | 15.0 | 1.4 | 0.0 | -1.3 | -2.1 | 0.0 | -8.0 | -12.3 |
| Participation rate | 68.4 | 68.1 | 0.5 | -0.3 | -1.0 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.8 | 8.8 | 0.8 | 0.0 | -0.7 | -1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.4 | 62.1 | 0.6 | -0.3 | -0.5 | 0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 5.8 | 5.8 | 0.7 | 0.0 | -0.2 | 0.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 266.3 | 266.4 | ... | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Labour force | 153.0 | 155.3 | 1.2 | 2.3 | -2.5 | -0.4 | 1.5 | -1.6 | -0.3 |
| Employment | 144.5 | 145.8 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 0.3 | 0.7 |
| Unemployment | 8.5 | 9.5 | 1.1 | 1.0 | -2.9 | -1.4 | 11.8 | -23.4 | -12.8 |
| Participation rate | 57.5 | 58.3 | 0.5 | 0.8 | -0.9 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.6 | 6.1 | 0.7 | 0.5 | -1.8 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 54.3 | 54.7 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 19.0 | 18.7 | 1.1 | -0.3 | -1.4 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| Industry | 352.7 | 352.1 | 2.4 | -0.6 | -3.2 | 0.2 | -0.2 | -0.9 | 0.1 |
| Goods-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Goods-producing sector | 79.5 | 78.5 | 2.0 | -1.0 | 0.4 | 3.1 | -1.3 | 0.5 | 4.1 |
| Agriculture | 6.4 | 5.6 | 0.7 | -0.8 | -2.6 | -1.6 | -12.5 | -31.7 | -22.2 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 9.1 | 8.6 | 0.9 | -0.5 | -2.4 | -2.1 | -5.5 | -21.8 | -19.6 |
| Utilities | 3.0 | 3.0 | 0.4 | 0.0 | -0.4 | -0.2 | 0.0 | -11.8 | -6.2 |
| Construction | 21.3 | 20.3 | 1.1 | -1.0 | 1.2 | 1.2 | -4.7 | 6.3 | 6.3 |
| Manufacturing | 39.7 | 40.9 | 1.4 | 1.2 | 4.4 | 5.7 | 3.0 | 12.1 | 16.2 |
| Services-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Services-producing sector | 273.2 | 273.5 | 2.4 | 0.3 | -3.7 | -2.9 | 0.1 | -1.3 | -1.0 |
| Trade | 54.9 | 55.0 | 1.6 | 0.1 | -2.7 | -2.5 | 0.2 | -4.7 | -4.3 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 19.6 | 19.4 | 1.0 | -0.2 | -0.7 | -1.5 | -1.0 | -3.5 | -7.2 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 17.1 | 18.1 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 3.8 | 4.8 | 5.8 | 26.6 | 36.1 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 15.0 | 13.6 | 0.9 | -1.4 | -0.6 | -0.3 | -9.3 | -4.2 | -2.2 |
| Business, building and other support services | 22.3 | 22.2 | 1.1 | -0.1 | 0.9 | 1.2 | -0.4 | 4.2 | 5.7 |
| Educational services | 25.7 | 25.7 | 1.0 | 0.0 | -1.2 | -2.3 | 0.0 | -4.5 | -8.2 |
| Health care and social assistance | 44.4 | 47.5 | 1.2 | 3.1 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 7.0 | 3.5 | 4.2 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 11.8 | 11.4 | 0.8 | -0.4 | -1.3 | -1.9 | -3.4 | -10.2 | -14.3 |
| Accommodation and food services | 24.2 | 22.5 | 1.2 | -1.7 | -2.4 | -1.9 | -7.0 | -9.6 | -7.8 |
| Other services | 17.0 | 17.7 | 1.0 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 1.6 | 4.1 | 4.7 | 9.9 |
| Public administration | 21.2 | 20.5 | 0.9 | -0.7 | -1.7 | -2.0 | -3.3 | -7.7 | -8.9 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

Table 4-5
Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Quebec

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 6,272.6 | 6,277.8 | ... | 5.2 | 61.9 | 66.7 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 1.1 |
| Labour force | 4,101.7 | 4,111.2 | 14.9 | 9.5 | 20.8 | 40.0 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 1.0 |
| Employment | 3,784.5 | 3,782.1 | 14.7 | -2.4 | 27.1 | 36.5 | -0.1 | 0.7 | 1.0 |
| Employment full-time | 3,115.0 | 3,108.9 | 19.8 | -6.1 | 34.8 | 58.9 | -0.2 | 1.1 | 1.9 |
| Unemployment | 317.2 | 329.2 | 13.4 | 12.0 | -6.1 | 3.7 | 3.8 | -1.8 | 1.1 |
| Participation rate | 65.4 | 65.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -0.3 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 7.7 | 8.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 60.3 | 60.2 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -0.2 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 17.7 | 17.8 | 0.5 | 0.1 | -0.3 | -0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 951.5 | 951.9 | ... | 0.4 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Labour force | 625.5 | 627.9 | 8.5 | 2.4 | -7.4 | 1.8 | 0.4 | -1.2 | 0.3 |
| Employment | 551.2 | 540.8 | 8.3 | -10.4 | -10.1 | -6.6 | -1.9 | -1.8 | -1.2 |
| Unemployment | 74.3 | 87.1 | 7.5 | 12.8 | 2.7 | 8.3 | 17.2 | 3.2 | 10.5 |
| Participation rate | 65.7 | 66.0 | 0.9 | 0.3 | -0.9 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 11.9 | 13.9 | 1.1 | 2.0 | 0.6 | 1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 57.9 | 56.8 | 0.9 | -1.1 | -1.2 | -0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 44.9 | 47.1 | 1.6 | 2.2 | 1.9 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 2,598.5 | 2,601.0 | ... | 2.5 | 30.7 | 33.1 | 0.1 | 1.2 | 1.3 |
| Labour force | 1,861.2 | 1,866.6 | 8.0 | 5.4 | 10.4 | 10.0 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| Employment | 1,721.5 | 1,725.5 | 8.6 | 4.0 | -1.5 | 2.7 | 0.2 | -0.1 | 0.2 |
| Unemployment | 139.8 | 141.2 | 8.0 | 1.4 | 11.9 | 7.4 | 1.0 | 9.2 | 5.5 |
| Participation rate | 71.6 | 71.8 | 0.3 | 0.2 | -0.4 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 7.5 | 7.6 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 66.2 | 66.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | -0.9 | -0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 6.8 | 6.9 | 0.5 | 0.2 | -0.4 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 2,722.6 | 2,724.9 | ... | 2.3 | 29.4 | 31.9 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.2 |
| Labour force | 1,615.0 | 1,616.7 | 8.9 | 1.7 | 17.8 | 28.3 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.8 |
| Employment | 1,511.8 | 1,515.8 | 8.3 | 4.0 | 38.7 | 40.4 | 0.3 | 2.6 | 2.7 |
| Unemployment | 103.2 | 100.9 | 7.5 | -2.3 | -20.8 | -12.0 | -2.2 | -17.1 | -10.6 |
| Participation rate | 59.3 | 59.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.4 | 6.2 | 0.5 | -0.2 | -1.4 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 55.5 | 55.6 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.8 | 0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 20.2 | 19.7 | 0.8 | -0.5 | -1.0 | -1.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| | 3,784.5 | 3,782.1 | 14.7 | -2.4 | 27.1 | 36.5 | -0.1 | 0.7 | 1.0 |
| Goods-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Agriculture | 886.1 | 892.8 | 13.0 | 6.7 | -30.7 | -28.5 | 0.8 | -3.3 | -3.1 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 64.0 | 61.9 | 3.8 | -2.1 | -2.4 | -1.6 | -3.3 | -3.7 | -2.5 |
| Utilities | 38.4 | 33.8 | 2.5 | -4.6 | -6.2 | -6.3 | -12.0 | -15.5 | -15.7 |
| Construction | 30.7 | 27.4 | 2.0 | -3.3 | -4.6 | -3.8 | -10.7 | -14.4 | -12.2 |
| Manufacturing | 181.5 | 191.7 | 7.2 | 10.2 | 6.4 | 4.5 | 5.6 | 3.5 | 2.4 |
| | 571.4 | 578.1 | 10.8 | 6.7 | -23.7 | -21.3 | 1.2 | -3.9 | -3.6 |
| Services-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2,898.4 | 2,889.3 | 16.7 | -9.1 | 57.7 | 65.0 | -0.3 | 2.0 | 2.3 |
| Trade | 625.2 | 627.0 | 11.8 | 1.8 | -15.5 | -8.2 | 0.3 | -2.4 | -1.3 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 169.1 | 173.9 | 6.6 | 4.8 | 17.6 | 14.6 | 2.8 | 11.3 | 9.2 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 223.6 | 224.5 | 6.9 | 0.9 | 20.5 | 30.4 | 0.4 | 10.0 | 15.7 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 244.4 | 256.1 | 7.7 | 11.7 | 17.3 | 26.6 | 4.8 | 7.2 | 11.6 |
| Business, building and other support services | 148.5 | 146.8 | 6.8 | -1.7 | 15.4 | 11.2 | -1.1 | 11.7 | 8.3 |
| Educational services | 266.5 | 255.1 | 7.6 | -11.4 | -0.9 | -2.3 | -4.3 | -0.4 | -0.9 |
| Health care and social assistance | 458.4 | 461.5 | 9.0 | 3.1 | 11.1 | 14.7 | 0.7 | 2.5 | 3.3 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 168.5 | 162.7 | 7.1 | -5.8 | -0.3 | -1.8 | -3.4 | -0.2 | -1.1 |
| Accommodation and food services | 218.4 | 212.8 | 7.4 | -5.6 | -1.8 | -2.1 | -2.6 | -0.8 | -1.0 |
| Other services | 160.1 | 157.4 | 6.4 | -2.7 | -2.3 | -15.5 | -1.7 | -1.4 | -9.0 |
| Public administration | 215.8 | 211.5 | 6.2 | -4.3 | -3.4 | -2.6 | -2.0 | -1.6 | -1.2 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

Table 4-6
Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Ontario

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 10,270.7 | 10,281.3 | ... | 10.6 | 128.5 | 139.7 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.4 |
| Labour force | 6,926.9 | 6,948.7 | 18.2 | 21.8 | 89.1 | 84.4 | 0.3 | 1.3 | 1.2 |
| Employment | 6,485.5 | 6,504.6 | 18.1 | 19.1 | 71.2 | 57.8 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 0.9 |
| Employment full-time | 5,346.6 | 5,343.1 | 23.4 | -3.5 | 30.5 | 41.4 | -0.1 | 0.6 | 0.8 |
| Unemployment | 441.4 | 444.1 | 15.5 | 2.7 | 17.9 | 26.6 | 0.6 | 4.2 | 6.4 |
| Participation rate | 67.4 | 67.6 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.4 | 6.4 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 63.1 | 63.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 17.6 | 17.9 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 1,709.6 | 1,711.2 | ... | 1.6 | 16.9 | 18.4 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 1.1 |
| Labour force | 1,105.1 | 1,102.3 | 11.4 | -2.8 | 4.8 | 12.4 | -0.3 | 0.4 | 1.1 |
| Employment | 954.3 | 953.6 | 10.5 | -0.7 | 3.2 | 7.3 | -0.1 | 0.3 | 0.8 |
| Unemployment | 150.8 | 148.7 | 9.6 | -2.1 | 1.6 | 5.1 | -1.4 | 1.1 | 3.6 |
| Participation rate | 64.6 | 64.4 | 0.7 | -0.2 | -0.4 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 13.6 | 13.5 | 0.8 | -0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 55.8 | 55.7 | 0.6 | -0.1 | -0.4 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 47.2 | 48.8 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 4,164.8 | 4,169.1 | ... | 4.3 | 51.5 | 55.9 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 1.4 |
| Labour force | 3,084.2 | 3,098.5 | 8.9 | 14.3 | 14.3 | 5.4 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.2 |
| Employment | 2,925.1 | 2,943.0 | 10.0 | 17.9 | 6.3 | 2.7 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Unemployment | 159.1 | 155.5 | 8.3 | -3.6 | 8.0 | 2.7 | -2.3 | 5.4 | 1.8 |
| Participation rate | 74.1 | 74.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -0.6 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.2 | 5.0 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 70.2 | 70.6 | 0.2 | 0.4 | -0.7 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 5.9 | 6.1 | 0.3 | 0.2 | -0.2 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 4,396.3 | 4,401.0 | ... | 4.7 | 60.1 | 65.4 | 0.1 | 1.4 | 1.5 |
| Labour force | 2,737.6 | 2,747.9 | 10.2 | 10.3 | 70.0 | 66.6 | 0.4 | 2.6 | 2.5 |
| Employment | 2,606.1 | 2,608.0 | 10.0 | 1.9 | 61.7 | 47.8 | 0.1 | 2.4 | 1.9 |
| Unemployment | 131.5 | 139.9 | 8.1 | 8.4 | 8.3 | 18.8 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 15.5 |
| Participation rate | 62.3 | 62.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.8 | 5.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 59.3 | 59.3 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 19.8 | 19.8 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| | 6,485.5 | 6,504.6 | 18.1 | 19.1 | 71.2 | 57.8 | 0.3 | 1.1 | 0.9 |
| Goods-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1,588.6 | 1,582.6 | 15.9 | -6.0 | -52.8 | -54.3 | -0.4 | -3.2 | -3.3 |
| Agriculture | 100.9 | 100.9 | 3.9 | 0.0 | 2.1 | 2.6 | 0.0 | 2.1 | 2.6 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 43.9 | 43.1 | 2.2 | -0.8 | 7.5 | 8.0 | -1.8 | 21.1 | 22.8 |
| Utilities | 51.6 | 52.6 | 2.4 | 1.0 | 2.1 | 6.5 | 1.9 | 4.2 | 14.1 |
| Construction | 405.9 | 404.1 | 9.4 | -1.8 | -1.1 | -9.3 | -0.4 | -0.3 | -2.2 |
| Manufacturing | 986.3 | 981.9 | 13.5 | -4.4 | -63.4 | -62.1 | -0.4 | -6.1 | -5.9 |
| Services-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4,896.9 | 4,922.0 | 20.9 | 25.1 | 124.0 | 112.1 | 0.5 | 2.6 | 2.3 |
| Trade | 1,025.5 | 1,035.1 | 13.7 | 9.6 | 49.5 | 42.5 | 0.9 | 5.0 | 4.3 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 300.8 | 311.7 | 7.8 | 10.9 | 13.7 | 13.9 | 3.6 | 4.6 | 4.7 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 484.9 | 479.0 | 10.2 | -5.9 | 20.3 | 25.9 | -1.2 | 4.4 | 5.7 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 442.0 | 450.1 | 10.1 | 8.1 | -5.9 | 4.3 | 1.8 | -1.3 | 1.0 |
| Business, building and other support services | 291.1 | 298.2 | 9.0 | 7.1 | 0.4 | -1.9 | 2.4 | 0.1 | -0.6 |
| Educational services | 438.6 | 438.9 | 9.3 | 0.3 | -18.0 | -16.3 | 0.1 | -3.9 | -3.6 |
| Health care and social assistance | 647.2 | 646.6 | 9.7 | -0.6 | 37.7 | 24.1 | -0.1 | 6.2 | 3.9 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 313.5 | 308.0 | 8.3 | -5.5 | -2.0 | 13.4 | -1.8 | -0.6 | 4.5 |
| Accommodation and food services | 376.4 | 380.4 | 9.1 | 4.0 | 11.7 | 5.0 | 1.1 | 3.2 | 1.3 |
| Other services | 256.8 | 258.2 | 7.6 | 1.4 | 21.1 | 3.3 | 0.5 | 8.9 | 1.3 |
| Public administration | 320.0 | 315.8 | 7.4 | -4.2 | -4.5 | -2.1 | -1.3 | -1.4 | -0.7 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

Table 4-7
Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Manitoba

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 893.1 | 893.3 | ... | 0.2 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| Labour force | 613.8 | 615.3 | 2.8 | 1.5 | 6.0 | 6.1 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 1.0 |
| Employment | 588.2 | 587.3 | 2.8 | -0.9 | 3.7 | 3.0 | -0.2 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| Employment full-time | 468.5 | 472.4 | 4.0 | 3.9 | 8.5 | 2.6 | 0.8 | 1.8 | 0.6 |
| Unemployment | 25.5 | 28.1 | 2.2 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 3.2 | 10.2 | 9.3 | 12.9 |
| Participation rate | 68.7 | 68.9 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.2 | 4.6 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 65.9 | 65.7 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 20.4 | 19.6 | 0.6 | -0.8 | -0.9 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 155.8 | 155.8 | ... | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Labour force | 111.6 | 111.8 | 1.7 | 0.2 | 2.3 | 3.1 | 0.2 | 2.1 | 2.9 |
| Employment | 101.6 | 100.4 | 1.7 | -1.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 | -1.2 | 0.0 | -0.1 |
| Unemployment | 10.0 | 11.4 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 2.3 | 3.2 | 14.0 | 25.3 | 39.0 |
| Participation rate | 71.6 | 71.8 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 1.4 | 1.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 9.0 | 10.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.9 | 2.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 65.2 | 64.4 | 1.1 | -0.8 | -0.2 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 45.6 | 42.7 | 2.0 | -2.8 | -3.4 | -2.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 360.0 | 360.2 | ... | 0.2 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| Labour force | 269.1 | 269.5 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | -0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Employment | 260.2 | 261.4 | 1.5 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.4 |
| Unemployment | 8.8 | 8.1 | 1.2 | -0.7 | -1.4 | -1.1 | -8.0 | -14.7 | -12.0 |
| Participation rate | 74.8 | 74.8 | 0.4 | 0.0 | -0.5 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 3.3 | 3.0 | 0.4 | -0.3 | -0.5 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 72.3 | 72.6 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.0 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 6.2 | 6.0 | 0.6 | -0.1 | -0.5 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 377.3 | 377.4 | ... | 0.1 | 1.0 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| Labour force | 233.1 | 234.0 | 1.6 | 0.9 | 3.5 | 3.1 | 0.4 | 1.5 | 1.3 |
| Employment | 226.4 | 225.4 | 1.6 | -1.0 | 2.1 | 1.9 | -0.4 | 0.9 | 0.9 |
| Unemployment | 6.7 | 8.5 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 26.9 | 19.7 | 13.3 |
| Participation rate | 61.8 | 62.0 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.8 | 0.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 2.9 | 3.6 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 60.0 | 59.7 | 0.4 | -0.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 25.4 | 24.9 | 1.1 | -0.4 | -0.3 | 1.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| Goods-producing sector | 136.8 | 139.3 | 2.5 | 2.5 | -2.2 | -0.9 | 1.8 | -1.6 | -0.6 |
| Agriculture | 29.3 | 28.9 | 1.3 | -0.4 | -3.3 | -1.8 | -1.4 | -10.2 | -5.9 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 7.4 | 6.3 | 0.6 | -1.1 | 0.1 | -0.1 | -14.9 | 1.6 | -1.6 |
| Utilities | 5.0 | 4.8 | 0.5 | -0.2 | -1.8 | -1.4 | -4.0 | -27.3 | -22.6 |
| Construction | 28.1 | 29.7 | 1.4 | 1.6 | -0.3 | -1.0 | 5.7 | -1.0 | -3.3 |
| Manufacturing | 66.9 | 69.5 | 1.9 | 2.6 | 3.0 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 4.5 | 5.1 |
| Services-producing sector | 451.4 | 448.0 | 3.3 | -3.4 | 5.9 | 3.9 | -0.8 | 1.3 | 0.9 |
| Trade | 95.2 | 92.1 | 2.2 | -3.1 | 6.4 | 8.7 | -3.3 | 7.5 | 10.4 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 35.6 | 35.4 | 1.3 | -0.2 | -0.4 | 0.0 | -0.6 | -1.1 | 0.0 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 34.2 | 32.5 | 1.4 | -1.7 | -3.0 | -2.3 | -5.0 | -8.5 | -6.6 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 22.4 | 22.7 | 1.3 | 0.3 | 0.5 | -1.1 | 1.3 | 2.3 | -4.6 |
| Business, building and other support services | 18.3 | 16.1 | 1.2 | -2.2 | -2.5 | -2.2 | -12.0 | -13.4 | -12.0 |
| Educational services | 46.0 | 48.6 | 1.6 | 2.6 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 5.7 | 7.0 | 6.8 |
| Health care and social assistance | 82.3 | 84.2 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 9.8 | 7.5 | 2.3 | 13.2 | 9.8 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 24.8 | 22.5 | 1.3 | -2.3 | -0.6 | -1.5 | -9.3 | -2.6 | -6.2 |
| Accommodation and food services | 33.7 | 35.7 | 1.7 | 2.0 | -4.4 | -5.4 | 5.9 | -11.0 | -13.1 |
| Other services | 24.4 | 23.0 | 1.3 | -1.4 | -3.0 | -4.7 | -5.7 | -11.5 | -17.0 |
| Public administration | 34.5 | 35.2 | 1.3 | 0.7 | -0.2 | 1.6 | 2.0 | -0.6 | 4.8 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

Table 4-8
Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Saskatchewan

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 746.1 | 746.1 | ... | 0.0 | -2.1 | -2.4 | 0.0 | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| Labour force | 520.6 | 520.2 | 2.4 | -0.4 | 13.9 | 12.9 | -0.1 | 2.7 | 2.5 |
| Employment | 500.3 | 499.7 | 2.4 | -0.6 | 20.0 | 18.7 | -0.1 | 4.2 | 3.9 |
| Employment full-time | 406.9 | 407.0 | 3.3 | 0.1 | 17.7 | 18.6 | 0.0 | 4.5 | 4.8 |
| Unemployment | 20.3 | 20.5 | 1.9 | 0.2 | -6.1 | -5.8 | 1.0 | -22.9 | -22.1 |
| Participation rate | 69.8 | 69.7 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 2.0 | 1.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 3.9 | 3.9 | 0.4 | 0.0 | -1.4 | -1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.1 | 67.0 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 2.9 | 2.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 18.7 | 18.6 | 0.6 | -0.1 | -0.3 | -0.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 137.5 | 137.3 | ... | -0.2 | -0.9 | -1.0 | -0.1 | -0.7 | -0.7 |
| Labour force | 99.6 | 100.0 | 1.5 | 0.4 | 5.4 | 5.6 | 0.4 | 5.7 | 5.9 |
| Employment | 92.2 | 93.0 | 1.5 | 0.8 | 9.8 | 9.0 | 0.9 | 11.8 | 10.7 |
| Unemployment | 7.4 | 7.0 | 1.2 | -0.4 | -4.4 | -3.4 | -5.4 | -38.6 | -32.7 |
| Participation rate | 72.4 | 72.8 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 4.3 | 4.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 7.4 | 7.0 | 1.2 | -0.4 | -5.1 | -4.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.1 | 67.7 | 1.1 | 0.6 | 7.5 | 7.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 39.0 | 37.4 | 1.8 | -1.6 | -3.0 | -3.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 296.9 | 297.0 | ... | 0.1 | -0.3 | -0.4 | 0.0 | -0.1 | -0.1 |
| Labour force | 226.0 | 225.7 | 1.2 | -0.3 | 4.6 | 2.9 | -0.1 | 2.1 | 1.3 |
| Employment | 218.5 | 218.2 | 1.3 | -0.3 | 5.3 | 4.6 | -0.1 | 2.5 | 2.2 |
| Unemployment | 7.5 | 7.5 | 1.1 | 0.0 | -0.7 | -1.7 | 0.0 | -8.5 | -18.5 |
| Participation rate | 76.1 | 76.0 | 0.4 | -0.1 | 1.6 | 1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 3.3 | 3.3 | 0.5 | 0.0 | -0.4 | -0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 73.6 | 73.5 | 0.4 | -0.1 | 1.9 | 1.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 6.5 | 6.6 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 311.7 | 311.8 | ... | 0.1 | -0.9 | -1.0 | 0.0 | -0.3 | -0.3 |
| Labour force | 195.1 | 194.5 | 1.3 | -0.6 | 3.9 | 4.4 | -0.3 | 2.0 | 2.3 |
| Employment | 189.6 | 188.5 | 1.4 | -1.1 | 4.9 | 5.2 | -0.6 | 2.7 | 2.8 |
| Unemployment | 5.4 | 6.0 | 0.9 | 0.6 | -1.0 | -0.8 | 11.1 | -14.3 | -11.8 |
| Participation rate | 62.6 | 62.4 | 0.4 | -0.2 | 1.4 | 1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 2.8 | 3.1 | 0.5 | 0.3 | -0.6 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 60.8 | 60.5 | 0.4 | -0.3 | 1.8 | 1.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 22.7 | 23.0 | 1.0 | 0.3 | -0.6 | -1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| Goods-producing sector | 500.3 | 499.7 | 2.4 | -0.6 | 20.0 | 18.7 | -0.1 | 4.2 | 3.9 |
| Agriculture | 133.8 | 132.3 | 2.4 | -1.5 | 5.5 | 4.0 | -1.1 | 4.3 | 3.1 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 47.0 | 46.3 | 1.7 | -0.7 | 1.7 | 0.9 | -1.5 | 3.8 | 2.0 |
| Utilities | 22.5 | 23.3 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 2.9 | 3.2 | 3.6 | 14.2 | 15.9 |
| Construction | 4.6 | 4.1 | 0.4 | -0.5 | -0.5 | -0.1 | -10.9 | -10.9 | -2.4 |
| Manufacturing | 30.9 | 29.4 | 1.2 | -1.5 | 2.4 | 1.2 | -4.9 | 8.9 | 4.3 |
| Manufacturing | 28.8 | 29.1 | 1.2 | 0.3 | -1.0 | -1.3 | 1.0 | -3.3 | -4.3 |
| Services-producing sector | 366.5 | 367.4 | 2.8 | 0.9 | 14.5 | 14.8 | 0.2 | 4.1 | 4.2 |
| Trade | 80.6 | 82.7 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 9.0 | 8.3 | 2.6 | 12.2 | 11.2 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 26.3 | 26.0 | 1.1 | -0.3 | -1.0 | -0.8 | -1.1 | -3.7 | -3.0 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 26.7 | 26.4 | 1.0 | -0.3 | 0.3 | 1.0 | -1.1 | 1.1 | 3.9 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 19.9 | 20.6 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 2.7 | 3.3 | 3.5 | 15.1 | 19.1 |
| Business, building and other support services | 12.8 | 10.8 | 0.9 | -2.0 | -1.5 | -2.5 | -15.6 | -12.2 | -18.8 |
| Educational services | 39.0 | 40.1 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 1.5 | 2.8 | 2.3 | 3.9 |
| Health care and social assistance | 58.8 | 60.6 | 1.4 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 3.8 | 5.0 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 20.3 | 20.4 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 3.0 | 0.0 |
| Accommodation and food services | 32.5 | 32.2 | 1.3 | -0.3 | 2.9 | 4.4 | -0.9 | 9.9 | 15.8 |
| Other services | 22.0 | 20.3 | 1.1 | -1.7 | -1.3 | -3.1 | -7.7 | -6.0 | -13.2 |
| Public administration | 27.5 | 27.3 | 1.1 | -0.2 | -0.4 | -0.2 | -0.7 | -1.4 | -0.7 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

Table 4-9
Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Alberta

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 2,673.9 | 2,684.0 | ... | 10.1 | 96.8 | 103.4 | 0.4 | 3.7 | 4.0 |
| Labour force | 1,960.6 | 1,973.8 | 8.3 | 13.2 | 94.3 | 98.9 | 0.7 | 5.0 | 5.3 |
| Employment | 1,902.1 | 1,911.9 | 8.1 | 9.8 | 112.1 | 115.2 | 0.5 | 6.2 | 6.4 |
| Employment full-time | 1,614.3 | 1,615.2 | 10.9 | 0.9 | 116.6 | 113.4 | 0.1 | 7.8 | 7.6 |
| Unemployment | 58.5 | 62.0 | 5.7 | 3.5 | -17.7 | -16.3 | 6.0 | -22.2 | -20.8 |
| Participation rate | 73.3 | 73.5 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 3.0 | 3.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | -1.1 | -1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 71.1 | 71.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 1.6 | 1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 15.1 | 15.5 | 0.5 | 0.4 | -1.2 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 496.7 | 498.5 | ... | 1.8 | 16.6 | 17.8 | 0.4 | 3.4 | 3.7 |
| Labour force | 356.7 | 359.4 | 5.0 | 2.7 | 18.8 | 20.1 | 0.8 | 5.5 | 5.9 |
| Employment | 335.2 | 339.3 | 4.9 | 4.1 | 24.6 | 25.4 | 1.2 | 7.8 | 8.1 |
| Unemployment | 21.5 | 20.0 | 3.4 | -1.5 | -5.9 | -5.4 | -7.0 | -22.8 | -21.3 |
| Participation rate | 71.8 | 72.1 | 1.0 | 0.3 | 1.4 | 1.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.0 | 5.6 | 1.0 | -0.4 | -2.0 | -1.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.5 | 68.1 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 2.8 | 2.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 32.6 | 32.7 | 1.7 | 0.1 | -2.1 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 1,091.7 | 1,096.1 | ... | 4.4 | 42.5 | 45.4 | 0.4 | 4.0 | 4.3 |
| Labour force | 886.7 | 892.0 | 3.8 | 5.3 | 39.4 | 42.3 | 0.6 | 4.6 | 5.0 |
| Employment | 870.8 | 870.9 | 4.1 | 0.1 | 45.9 | 50.6 | 0.0 | 5.6 | 6.2 |
| Unemployment | 15.9 | 21.1 | 3.1 | 5.2 | -6.5 | -8.3 | 32.7 | -23.6 | -28.2 |
| Participation rate | 81.2 | 81.4 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 1.8 | 2.4 | 0.4 | 0.6 | -0.8 | -1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 79.8 | 79.5 | 0.4 | -0.3 | 1.2 | 1.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 4.3 | 4.7 | 0.5 | 0.4 | -0.8 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 1,085.4 | 1,089.4 | ... | 4.0 | 37.7 | 40.2 | 0.4 | 3.6 | 3.8 |
| Labour force | 717.2 | 722.5 | 5.0 | 5.3 | 36.2 | 36.6 | 0.7 | 5.3 | 5.3 |
| Employment | 696.1 | 701.6 | 4.8 | 5.5 | 41.5 | 39.2 | 0.8 | 6.3 | 5.9 |
| Unemployment | 21.1 | 20.9 | 3.2 | -0.2 | -5.3 | -2.6 | -0.9 | -20.2 | -11.1 |
| Participation rate | 66.1 | 66.3 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 2.9 | 2.9 | 0.5 | 0.0 | -0.9 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 64.1 | 64.4 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 1.6 | 1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 20.3 | 20.7 | 1.0 | 0.4 | -1.5 | -2.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 1,902.1 | 1,911.9 | 8.1 | 9.8 | 112.1 | 115.2 | 0.5 | 6.2 | 6.4 |
| Goods-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Agriculture | 533.5 | 538.3 | 7.2 | 4.8 | 55.8 | 47.3 | 0.9 | 11.6 | 9.6 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 47.2 | 48.8 | 2.6 | 1.6 | -2.3 | -4.1 | 3.4 | -4.5 | -7.8 |
| Utilities | 143.8 | 142.9 | 3.9 | -0.9 | 18.5 | 17.0 | -0.6 | 14.9 | 13.5 |
| Construction | 18.1 | 18.5 | 1.2 | 0.4 | 2.6 | 3.8 | 2.2 | 16.4 | 25.9 |
| Manufacturing | 184.0 | 179.6 | 4.9 | -4.4 | 18.6 | 11.4 | -2.4 | 11.6 | 6.8 |
| Services-producing sector | 140.5 | 148.5 | 4.4 | 8.0 | 18.4 | 19.2 | 5.7 | 14.1 | 14.8 |
| Services-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Trade | 1,368.5 | 1,373.6 | 9.2 | 5.1 | 56.3 | 67.9 | 0.4 | 4.3 | 5.2 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 280.9 | 277.8 | 6.2 | -3.1 | -2.7 | 4.2 | -1.1 | -1.0 | 1.5 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 105.1 | 101.5 | 3.7 | -3.6 | -3.5 | -8.7 | -3.4 | -3.3 | -7.9 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 96.2 | 96.1 | 3.5 | -0.1 | 0.3 | 4.9 | -0.1 | 0.3 | 5.4 |
| Business, building and other support services | 142.3 | 145.2 | 4.5 | 2.9 | 1.6 | 7.7 | 2.0 | 1.1 | 5.6 |
| Educational services | 68.0 | 69.0 | 3.4 | 1.0 | 5.4 | 6.0 | 1.5 | 8.5 | 9.5 |
| Health care and social assistance | 141.4 | 141.6 | 3.9 | 0.2 | 13.9 | 19.8 | 0.1 | 10.9 | 16.3 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 169.3 | 180.7 | 4.6 | 11.4 | 9.0 | 5.5 | 6.7 | 5.2 | 3.1 |
| Accommodation and food services | 71.7 | 74.5 | 3.3 | 2.8 | 7.0 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 10.4 | 5.2 |
| Other services | 120.4 | 121.1 | 4.3 | 0.7 | 12.2 | 10.4 | 0.6 | 11.2 | 9.4 |
| Public administration | 92.9 | 87.8 | 3.3 | -5.1 | 4.1 | 5.6 | -5.5 | 4.9 | 6.8 |
| Public administration | 80.4 | 78.2 | 2.8 | -2.2 | 8.7 | 8.8 | -2.7 | 12.5 | 12.7 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

Table 4-10
Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — British Columbia

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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 | 3,528.9 | 3,533.7 | ... | 4.8 | 55.4 | 60.5 | 0.1 | 1.6 | 1.7 |
| Labour force | 2,321.7 | 2,322.7 | 9.8 | 1.0 | 39.8 | 42.4 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 1.9 |
| Employment | 2,214.0 | 2,208.5 | 9.9 | -5.5 | 41.4 | 39.5 | -0.2 | 1.9 | 1.8 |
| Employment full-time | 1,766.5 | 1,751.9 | 13.2 | -14.6 | 22.3 | 25.8 | -0.8 | 1.3 | 1.5 |
| Unemployment | 107.7 | 114.2 | 7.2 | 6.5 | -1.6 | 2.8 | 6.0 | -1.4 | 2.5 |
| Participation rate | 65.8 | 65.7 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.6 | 4.9 | 0.3 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.7 | 62.5 | 0.3 | -0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 20.2 | 20.7 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Both sexes, 15 to 24 years | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 577.1 | 577.3 | ... | 0.2 | 2.8 | 3.2 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| Labour force | 381.4 | 382.0 | 5.7 | 0.6 | 3.6 | 8.2 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 2.2 |
| Employment | 350.0 | 346.3 | 5.7 | -3.7 | -1.6 | -2.6 | -1.1 | -0.5 | -0.7 |
| Unemployment | 31.4 | 35.7 | 4.1 | 4.3 | 5.2 | 10.8 | 13.7 | 17.0 | 43.4 |
| Participation rate | 66.1 | 66.2 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.2 | 9.3 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 2.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 60.6 | 60.0 | 1.0 | -0.6 | -0.6 | -0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 38.1 | 38.1 | 1.8 | 0.1 | -5.0 | -5.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Men, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 1,442.5 | 1,445.0 | ... | 2.5 | 27.0 | 29.4 | 0.2 | 1.9 | 2.1 |
| Labour force | 1,039.1 | 1,040.0 | 5.2 | 0.9 | 18.6 | 21.9 | 0.1 | 1.8 | 2.2 |
| Employment | 997.8 | 999.7 | 5.3 | 1.9 | 23.0 | 25.7 | 0.2 | 2.4 | 2.6 |
| Unemployment | 41.3 | 40.2 | 4.3 | -1.1 | -4.5 | -3.9 | -2.7 | -10.1 | -8.8 |
| Participation rate | 72.0 | 72.0 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.0 | 3.9 | 0.4 | -0.1 | -0.5 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 69.2 | 69.2 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 9.0 | 9.7 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 2.9 | 2.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Women, 25 years and over | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 1,509.3 | 1,511.5 | ... | 2.2 | 25.7 | 27.9 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 1.9 |
| Labour force | 901.2 | 900.8 | 5.8 | -0.4 | 17.8 | 12.4 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 1.4 |
| Employment | 866.2 | 862.5 | 5.7 | -3.7 | 20.0 | 16.4 | -0.4 | 2.4 | 1.9 |
| Unemployment | 35.0 | 38.3 | 4.2 | 3.3 | -2.3 | -4.0 | 9.4 | -5.7 | -9.5 |
| Participation rate | 59.7 | 59.6 | 0.4 | -0.1 | 0.2 | -0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 3.9 | 4.3 | 0.5 | 0.4 | -0.3 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 57.4 | 57.1 | 0.4 | -0.3 | 0.4 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Part-time rate | 25.9 | 26.4 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Industry | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2,214.0 | 2,208.5 | 9.9 | -5.5 | 41.4 | 39.5 | -0.2 | 1.9 | 1.8 |
| Goods-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| Agriculture | 466.3 | 478.2 | 8.5 | 11.9 | 21.2 | 20.9 | 2.6 | 4.6 | 4.6 |
| Forestry, fishing, mining, oil and gas | 33.6 | 35.6 | 2.8 | 2.0 | -4.0 | 1.3 | 6.0 | -10.1 | 3.8 |
| Utilities | 46.5 | 52.1 | 2.7 | 5.6 | 15.7 | 17.1 | 12.0 | 43.1 | 48.9 |
| Construction | 10.0 | 9.8 | 1.2 | -0.2 | 2.5 | 1.6 | -2.0 | 34.2 | 19.5 |
| Manufacturing | 181.0 | 182.1 | 5.7 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 9.4 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 5.4 |
| | 195.1 | 198.8 | 5.7 | 3.7 | 5.4 | -8.3 | 1.9 | 2.8 | -4.0 |
| Services-producing sector | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1,747.7 | 1,730.3 | 11.1 | -17.4 | 20.3 | 18.6 | -1.0 | 1.2 | 1.1 |
| Trade | 345.1 | 346.1 | 7.5 | 1.0 | -5.3 | -7.0 | 0.3 | -1.5 | -2.0 |
| Transportation and warehousing | 113.5 | 114.3 | 4.5 | 0.8 | -4.1 | -6.5 | 0.7 | -3.5 | -5.4 |
| Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing | 143.4 | 148.8 | 4.5 | 5.4 | 17.7 | 16.9 | 3.8 | 13.5 | 12.8 |
| Professional, scientific and technical services | 170.5 | 164.6 | 5.2 | -5.9 | 0.1 | -2.0 | -3.5 | 0.1 | -1.2 |
| Business, building and other support services | 109.4 | 106.7 | 4.4 | -2.7 | 20.4 | 20.0 | -2.5 | 23.6 | 23.1 |
| Educational services | 159.6 | 159.4 | 4.8 | -0.2 | 13.3 | 17.4 | -0.1 | 9.1 | 12.3 |
| Health care and social assistance | 238.9 | 229.1 | 5.5 | -9.8 | 10.9 | 3.4 | -4.1 | 5.0 | 1.5 |
| Information, culture and recreation | 110.3 | 105.3 | 4.7 | -5.0 | -23.7 | -22.3 | -4.5 | -18.4 | -17.5 |
| Accommodation and food services | 176.9 | 173.4 | 5.6 | -3.5 | -8.0 | -5.2 | -2.0 | -4.4 | -2.9 |
| Other services | 90.2 | 88.1 | 4.3 | -2.1 | -1.7 | 0.6 | -2.3 | -1.9 | 0.7 |
| Public administration | 89.9 | 94.5 | 3.7 | 4.6 | 0.7 | 3.3 | 5.1 | 0.7 | 3.6 |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0087, 282-0088

Table 5-1
Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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) | | | | | | | | | |
| St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 151.6 | 151.7 | ... | 0.1 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.7 |
| Labour force | 104.3 | 104.1 | 0.8 | -0.2 | 6.2 | 5.6 | -0.2 | 6.3 | 5.7 |
| Employment | 95.9 | 96.1 | 0.8 | 0.2 | 6.1 | 5.6 | 0.2 | 6.8 | 6.2 |
| Unemployment | 8.3 | 8.0 | 0.5 | -0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -3.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Participation rate | 68.8 | 68.6 | 0.5 | -0.2 | 3.7 | 3.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.0 | 7.7 | 0.5 | -0.3 | -0.5 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 63.3 | 63.3 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 3.6 | 3.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Halifax, Nova Scotia | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 311.8 | 311.9 | ... | 0.1 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| Labour force | 215.5 | 216.0 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 0.2 | 1.4 | 1.4 |
| Employment | 204.3 | 205.5 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 4.4 | 4.3 | 0.6 | 2.2 | 2.1 |
| Unemployment | 11.2 | 10.6 | 0.6 | -0.6 | -1.4 | -1.2 | -5.4 | -11.7 | -10.2 |
| Participation rate | 69.1 | 69.3 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.2 | 4.9 | 0.3 | -0.3 | -0.7 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 65.5 | 65.9 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 1.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Saint John, New Brunswick | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 103.4 | 103.4 | ... | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Labour force | 65.1 | 64.9 | 0.7 | -0.2 | -1.3 | -0.2 | -0.3 | -2.0 | -0.3 |
| Employment | 61.1 | 61.1 | 0.7 | 0.0 | -0.6 | 0.9 | 0.0 | -1.0 | 1.5 |
| Unemployment | 4.0 | 3.8 | 0.3 | -0.2 | -0.7 | -1.1 | -5.0 | -15.6 | -22.4 |
| Participation rate | 63.0 | 62.8 | 0.7 | -0.2 | -1.2 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.1 | 5.9 | 0.5 | -0.2 | -0.9 | -1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 59.1 | 59.1 | 0.7 | 0.0 | -0.6 | 0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Saguenay, Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 126.1 | 126.0 | ... | -0.1 | -0.3 | -0.3 | -0.1 | -0.2 | -0.2 |
| Labour force | 75.1 | 74.3 | 0.8 | -0.8 | -1.8 | -2.1 | -1.1 | -2.4 | -2.7 |
| Employment | 68.5 | 67.8 | 0.8 | -0.7 | -0.8 | -0.4 | -1.0 | -1.2 | -0.6 |
| Unemployment | 6.6 | 6.4 | 0.4 | -0.2 | -1.0 | -1.8 | -3.0 | -13.5 | -22.0 |
| Participation rate | 59.6 | 59.0 | 0.6 | -0.6 | -1.3 | -1.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.8 | 8.6 | 0.5 | -0.2 | -1.1 | -2.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 54.3 | 53.8 | 0.7 | -0.5 | -0.5 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Québec, Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 601.1 | 601.7 | ... | 0.6 | 6.6 | 7.2 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.2 |
| Labour force | 397.6 | 397.7 | 3.2 | 0.1 | -0.1 | -0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -0.2 |
| Employment | 374.8 | 373.6 | 3.4 | -1.2 | -5.4 | -5.2 | -0.3 | -1.4 | -1.4 |
| Unemployment | 22.8 | 24.1 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 5.3 | 4.6 | 5.7 | 28.2 | 23.6 |
| Participation rate | 66.1 | 66.1 | 0.5 | 0.0 | -0.7 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.7 | 6.1 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 1.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.4 | 62.1 | 0.6 | -0.3 | -1.6 | -1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Trois-Rivières, Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 119.7 | 119.7 | ... | 0.0 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 1.1 |
| Labour force | 72.2 | 72.3 | 0.6 | 0.1 | -3.3 | -2.7 | 0.1 | -4.4 | -3.6 |
| Employment | 66.5 | 67.1 | 0.7 | 0.6 | -1.9 | -1.8 | 0.9 | -2.8 | -2.6 |
| Unemployment | 5.8 | 5.2 | 0.4 | -0.6 | -1.4 | -0.9 | -10.3 | -21.2 | -14.8 |
| Participation rate | 60.3 | 60.4 | 0.5 | 0.1 | -3.4 | -2.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.0 | 7.2 | 0.5 | -0.8 | -1.5 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 55.6 | 56.1 | 0.6 | 0.5 | -2.1 | -2.1 | ... | ... | ... |

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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) | | | | | | | | | |
| Sherbrooke, Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 135.5 | 135.7 | ... | 0.2 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.3 |
| Labour force | 87.9 | 88.5 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 1.4 | 2.5 | 0.7 | 1.6 | 2.9 |
| Employment | 80.9 | 81.5 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 1.5 | 0.7 | 0.2 | 1.9 |
| Unemployment | 7.1 | 7.0 | 0.4 | -0.1 | 1.1 | 1.0 | -1.4 | 18.6 | 16.7 |
| Participation rate | 64.9 | 65.2 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 1.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.1 | 7.9 | 0.4 | -0.2 | 1.1 | 0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 59.7 | 60.1 | 0.6 | 0.4 | -0.5 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Montréal, Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 3,012.0 | 3,015.3 | ... | 3.3 | 33.8 | 37.0 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.2 |
| Labour force | 2,038.1 | 2,050.6 | 7.3 | 12.5 | 38.1 | 43.1 | 0.6 | 1.9 | 2.1 |
| Employment | 1,876.0 | 1,888.6 | 7.5 | 12.6 | 63.4 | 63.9 | 0.7 | 3.5 | 3.5 |
| Unemployment | 162.2 | 162.0 | 4.9 | -0.2 | -25.3 | -20.8 | -0.1 | -13.5 | -11.4 |
| Participation rate | 67.7 | 68.0 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.0 | 7.9 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -1.4 | -1.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.3 | 62.6 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 1.4 | 1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario/Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 945.4 | 946.2 | ... | 0.8 | 8.2 | 9.4 | 0.1 | 0.9 | 1.0 |
| Labour force | 672.6 | 667.9 | 3.3 | -4.7 | -2.5 | 3.4 | -0.7 | -0.4 | 0.5 |
| Employment | 638.2 | 630.5 | 3.5 | -7.7 | -3.1 | 5.7 | -1.2 | -0.5 | 0.9 |
| Unemployment | 34.4 | 37.4 | 1.7 | 3.0 | 0.6 | -2.4 | 8.7 | 1.6 | -6.0 |
| Participation rate | 71.1 | 70.6 | 0.4 | -0.5 | -0.9 | -0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.1 | 5.6 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.1 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.5 | 66.6 | 0.4 | -0.9 | -0.9 | -0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Ottawa-Gatineau, Quebec part, Ontario/Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 236.6 | 236.9 | ... | 0.3 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 1.9 |
| Labour force | 168.5 | 170.0 | 1.1 | 1.5 | -2.4 | -0.3 | 0.9 | -1.4 | -0.2 |
| Employment | 160.2 | 160.4 | 1.2 | 0.2 | -1.9 | 1.0 | 0.1 | -1.2 | 0.6 |
| Unemployment | 8.2 | 9.6 | 0.6 | 1.4 | -0.6 | -1.2 | 17.1 | -5.9 | -11.1 |
| Participation rate | 71.2 | 71.8 | 0.5 | 0.6 | -2.2 | -1.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.9 | 5.6 | 0.3 | 0.7 | -0.3 | -0.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.7 | 67.7 | 0.5 | 0.0 | -2.0 | -0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part, Ontario/Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 708.8 | 709.3 | ... | 0.5 | 4.3 | 5.0 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.7 |
| Labour force | 504.1 | 497.9 | 3.1 | -6.2 | 0.0 | 3.6 | -1.2 | 0.0 | 0.7 |
| Employment | 478.0 | 470.1 | 3.3 | -7.9 | -1.2 | 4.8 | -1.7 | -0.3 | 1.0 |
| Unemployment | 26.1 | 27.8 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.2 | -1.2 | 6.5 | 4.5 | -4.1 |
| Participation rate | 71.1 | 70.2 | 0.4 | -0.9 | -0.4 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.2 | 5.6 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 | -0.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.4 | 66.3 | 0.5 | -1.1 | -0.6 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Kingston, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 125.9 | 125.9 | ... | 0.0 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.4 |
| Labour force | 81.1 | 80.1 | 0.8 | -1.0 | 0.6 | -0.1 | -1.2 | 0.8 | -0.1 |
| Employment | 76.5 | 75.9 | 0.8 | -0.6 | -0.1 | -0.5 | -0.8 | -0.1 | -0.7 |
| Unemployment | 4.6 | 4.1 | 0.3 | -0.5 | 0.6 | 0.2 | -10.9 | 17.1 | 5.1 |
| Participation rate | 64.4 | 63.6 | 0.6 | -0.8 | 0.3 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.7 | 5.1 | 0.4 | -0.6 | 0.7 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 60.8 | 60.3 | 0.6 | -0.5 | -0.3 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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) | | | | | | | | | |
| Toronto, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 4,392.2 | 4,399.1 | ... | 6.9 | 77.9 | 85.4 | 0.2 | 1.8 | 2.0 |
| Labour force | 2,997.4 | 3,006.2 | 9.0 | 8.8 | 11.8 | 4.2 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.1 |
| Employment | 2,797.4 | 2,799.8 | 9.3 | 2.4 | -5.1 | -10.0 | 0.1 | -0.2 | -0.4 |
| Unemployment | 200.0 | 206.3 | 5.5 | 6.3 | 16.8 | 14.1 | 3.2 | 8.9 | 7.3 |
| Participation rate | 68.2 | 68.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -1.0 | -1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.7 | 6.9 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 63.7 | 63.6 | 0.2 | -0.1 | -1.3 | -1.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Hamilton, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 589.2 | 589.7 | ... | 0.5 | 5.4 | 6.0 | 0.1 | 0.9 | 1.0 |
| Labour force | 393.3 | 390.3 | 3.0 | -3.0 | -4.7 | -1.7 | -0.8 | -1.2 | -0.4 |
| Employment | 367.7 | 365.3 | 3.0 | -2.4 | -6.0 | -3.6 | -0.7 | -1.6 | -1.0 |
| Unemployment | 25.6 | 25.1 | 1.3 | -0.5 | 1.5 | 2.1 | -2.0 | 6.4 | 9.1 |
| Participation rate | 66.8 | 66.2 | 0.5 | -0.6 | -1.4 | -1.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.5 | 6.4 | 0.3 | -0.1 | 0.4 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.4 | 61.9 | 0.5 | -0.5 | -1.6 | -1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Kitchener, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 372.6 | 373.1 | ... | 0.5 | 6.1 | 6.6 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 1.8 |
| Labour force | 266.3 | 269.5 | 1.9 | 3.2 | 5.1 | 5.3 | 1.2 | 1.9 | 2.0 |
| Employment | 252.3 | 255.3 | 1.9 | 3.0 | 5.9 | 6.2 | 1.2 | 2.4 | 2.5 |
| Unemployment | 14.0 | 14.2 | 0.9 | 0.2 | -0.8 | -0.8 | 1.4 | -5.3 | -5.3 |
| Participation rate | 71.5 | 72.2 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.2 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 5.3 | 5.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | -0.4 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.7 | 68.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| London, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 379.0 | 379.3 | ... | 0.3 | 3.7 | 4.0 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 1.1 |
| Labour force | 263.7 | 266.5 | 1.8 | 2.8 | 9.5 | 8.6 | 1.1 | 3.7 | 3.3 |
| Employment | 246.0 | 249.8 | 1.9 | 3.8 | 10.5 | 9.8 | 1.5 | 4.4 | 4.1 |
| Unemployment | 17.7 | 16.7 | 0.9 | -1.0 | -1.0 | -1.1 | -5.6 | -5.6 | -6.2 |
| Participation rate | 69.6 | 70.3 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 1.9 | 1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.7 | 6.3 | 0.3 | -0.4 | -0.6 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 64.9 | 65.9 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 2.2 | 2.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Oshawa, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 276.3 | 276.9 | ... | 0.6 | 7.6 | 8.3 | 0.2 | 2.8 | 3.1 |
| Labour force | 191.3 | 190.0 | 1.5 | -1.3 | 1.7 | 2.9 | -0.7 | 0.9 | 1.5 |
| Employment | 178.3 | 176.9 | 1.6 | -1.4 | 1.1 | 1.1 | -0.8 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| Unemployment | 13.0 | 13.1 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 1.8 | 0.8 | 4.8 | 15.9 |
| Participation rate | 69.2 | 68.6 | 0.5 | -0.6 | -1.3 | -1.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.8 | 6.9 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 64.5 | 63.9 | 0.6 | -0.6 | -1.4 | -1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| St. Catharines-Niagara, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 327.4 | 327.5 | ... | 0.1 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| Labour force | 207.1 | 203.2 | 1.6 | -3.9 | 2.1 | 0.6 | -1.9 | 1.0 | 0.3 |
| Employment | 193.4 | 189.5 | 1.6 | -3.9 | 2.5 | 1.2 | -2.0 | 1.3 | 0.6 |
| Unemployment | 13.6 | 13.7 | 0.8 | 0.1 | -0.3 | -0.6 | 0.7 | -2.1 | -4.2 |
| Participation rate | 63.3 | 62.0 | 0.5 | -1.3 | 0.3 | -0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.6 | 6.7 | 0.4 | 0.1 | -0.3 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 59.1 | 57.9 | 0.5 | -1.2 | 0.5 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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) | | | | | | | | | |
| Greater Sudbury / Grand Sudbury, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 132.6 | 132.7 | ... | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| Labour force | 85.4 | 84.5 | 0.8 | -0.9 | 3.8 | 3.2 | -1.1 | 4.7 | 3.9 |
| Employment | 78.8 | 78.8 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 4.0 | 3.6 | 0.0 | 5.3 | 4.8 |
| Unemployment | 6.6 | 5.7 | 0.4 | -0.9 | -0.2 | -0.4 | -13.6 | -3.4 | -6.6 |
| Participation rate | 64.4 | 63.7 | 0.6 | -0.7 | 2.7 | 2.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 7.7 | 6.7 | 0.4 | -1.0 | -0.6 | -0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 59.4 | 59.4 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 2.9 | 2.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Thunder Bay, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 104.3 | 104.3 | ... | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Labour force | 66.5 | 65.7 | 0.6 | -0.8 | -0.8 | -1.2 | -1.2 | -1.2 | -1.8 |
| Employment | 61.2 | 61.0 | 0.7 | -0.2 | -1.3 | -1.7 | -0.3 | -2.1 | -2.7 |
| Unemployment | 5.2 | 4.7 | 0.3 | -0.5 | 0.5 | 0.4 | -9.6 | 11.9 | 9.3 |
| Participation rate | 63.8 | 63.0 | 0.6 | -0.8 | -0.8 | -1.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 7.8 | 7.2 | 0.5 | -0.6 | 0.9 | 0.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 58.7 | 58.5 | 0.6 | -0.2 | -1.3 | -1.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Windsor, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 270.9 | 271.0 | ... | 0.1 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.7 |
| Labour force | 184.8 | 183.6 | 1.4 | -1.2 | 7.9 | 9.1 | -0.6 | 4.5 | 5.2 |
| Employment | 168.5 | 167.6 | 1.5 | -0.9 | 3.9 | 5.5 | -0.5 | 2.4 | 3.4 |
| Unemployment | 16.3 | 16.0 | 0.8 | -0.3 | 4.0 | 3.6 | -1.8 | 33.3 | 29.0 |
| Participation rate | 68.2 | 67.7 | 0.5 | -0.5 | 2.5 | 2.8 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 8.8 | 8.7 | 0.4 | -0.1 | 1.9 | 1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.2 | 61.8 | 0.6 | -0.4 | 1.0 | 1.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Winnipeg, Manitoba | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 572.2 | 572.4 | ... | 0.2 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| Labour force | 403.0 | 402.4 | 1.4 | -0.6 | 10.2 | 11.3 | -0.1 | 2.6 | 2.9 |
| Employment | 385.5 | 384.2 | 1.4 | -1.3 | 8.9 | 10.8 | -0.3 | 2.4 | 2.9 |
| Unemployment | 17.5 | 18.2 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.6 | 4.0 | 7.7 | 3.4 |
| Participation rate | 70.4 | 70.3 | 0.2 | -0.1 | 1.5 | 1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.3 | 4.5 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.4 | 67.1 | 0.2 | -0.3 | 1.2 | 1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Regina, Saskatchewan | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 161.2 | 161.2 | ... | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| Labour force | 117.8 | 117.9 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 6.0 | 5.6 | 0.1 | 5.4 | 5.0 |
| Employment | 112.1 | 112.2 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 6.0 | 5.8 | 0.1 | 5.6 | 5.5 |
| Unemployment | 5.6 | 5.6 | 0.3 | 0.0 | -0.1 | -0.2 | 0.0 | -1.8 | -3.4 |
| Participation rate | 73.1 | 73.1 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 3.5 | 3.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.8 | 4.7 | 0.3 | -0.1 | -0.4 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 69.5 | 69.6 | 0.5 | 0.1 | 3.5 | 3.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Saskatoon, Saskatchewan | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 188.5 | 188.6 | ... | 0.1 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.5 |
| Labour force | 134.0 | 136.5 | 0.8 | 2.5 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 1.9 | 3.6 | 3.5 |
| Employment | 129.0 | 132.3 | 0.8 | 3.3 | 7.9 | 7.7 | 2.6 | 6.4 | 6.2 |
| Unemployment | 5.0 | 4.2 | 0.4 | -0.8 | -3.2 | -3.1 | -16.0 | -43.2 | -42.5 |
| Participation rate | 71.1 | 72.4 | 0.4 | 1.3 | 2.3 | 2.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 3.7 | 3.1 | 0.3 | -0.6 | -2.5 | -2.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 68.4 | 70.1 | 0.4 | 1.7 | 3.9 | 3.7 | ... | ... | ... |

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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) | | | | | | | | | |
| Calgary, Alberta | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 894.9 | 898.8 | ... | 3.9 | 33.5 | 35.9 | 0.4 | 3.9 | 4.2 |
| Labour force | 688.4 | 691.3 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 49.5 | 55.6 | 0.4 | 7.7 | 8.7 |
| Employment | 666.4 | 672.2 | 3.2 | 5.8 | 59.1 | 64.5 | 0.9 | 9.6 | 10.6 |
| Unemployment | 22.0 | 19.1 | 1.4 | -2.9 | -9.6 | -8.9 | -13.2 | -33.4 | -31.8 |
| Participation rate | 76.9 | 76.9 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 2.7 | 3.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 3.2 | 2.8 | 0.2 | -0.4 | -1.7 | -1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 74.5 | 74.8 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 3.9 | 4.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Edmonton, Alberta | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 844.1 | 847.4 | ... | 3.3 | 27.4 | 29.3 | 0.4 | 3.3 | 3.6 |
| Labour force | 589.4 | 592.7 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 24.3 | 20.9 | 0.6 | 4.3 | 3.7 |
| Employment | 565.5 | 570.3 | 3.2 | 4.8 | 27.0 | 23.4 | 0.8 | 5.0 | 4.3 |
| Unemployment | 23.9 | 22.3 | 1.4 | -1.6 | -2.8 | -2.6 | -6.7 | -11.2 | -10.4 |
| Participation rate | 69.8 | 69.9 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.1 | 3.8 | 0.2 | -0.3 | -0.6 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 67.0 | 67.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 0.4 | ... | ... | ... |
| Abbotsford, British Columbia | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 129.0 | 129.3 | ... | 0.3 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 0.2 | 2.8 | 3.0 |
| Labour force | 86.0 | 86.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 2.8 | 0.9 | 1.6 | 3.3 |
| Employment | 82.4 | 83.3 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 2.7 | 4.0 | 1.1 | 3.3 | 5.0 |
| Unemployment | 3.6 | 3.5 | 0.3 | -0.1 | -1.3 | -1.2 | -2.8 | -27.1 | -25.5 |
| Participation rate | 66.7 | 67.1 | 0.6 | 0.4 | -0.8 | 0.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.2 | 4.0 | 0.4 | -0.2 | -1.6 | -1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 63.9 | 64.4 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 1.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Vancouver, British Columbia | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 1,869.7 | 1,872.5 | ... | 2.8 | 32.2 | 35.5 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 1.9 |
| Labour force | 1,256.5 | 1,257.5 | 4.7 | 1.0 | 29.7 | 35.8 | 0.1 | 2.4 | 2.9 |
| Employment | 1,205.2 | 1,202.9 | 4.7 | -2.3 | 33.1 | 40.4 | -0.2 | 2.8 | 3.5 |
| Unemployment | 51.3 | 54.7 | 2.4 | 3.4 | -3.3 | -4.5 | 6.6 | -5.7 | -7.6 |
| Participation rate | 67.2 | 67.2 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.1 | 4.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | -0.4 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 64.5 | 64.2 | 0.3 | -0.3 | 0.6 | 0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Victoria, British Columbia | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 279.6 | 280.1 | ... | 0.5 | 5.2 | 5.6 | 0.2 | 1.9 | 2.0 |
| Labour force | 181.6 | 183.8 | 1.4 | 2.2 | 6.8 | 4.0 | 1.2 | 3.8 | 2.2 |
| Employment | 174.4 | 176.8 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 7.5 | 5.0 | 1.4 | 4.4 | 2.9 |
| Unemployment | 7.2 | 7.0 | 0.6 | -0.2 | -0.6 | -1.0 | -2.8 | -7.9 | -12.5 |
| Participation rate | 64.9 | 65.6 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 0.1 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.0 | 3.8 | 0.3 | -0.2 | -0.5 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.4 | 63.1 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 1.5 | 0.5 | ... | ... | ... |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0090

Table 5-2
Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — Monthly

| | October 2006 | November 2006 | 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) | | | | | | | | | |
| Montréal, Quebec | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 3,015.4 | 3,018.3 | ... | 2.9 | 34.1 | 36.5 | 0.1 | 1.1 | 1.2 |
| Labour force | 2,050.8 | 2,050.3 | 15.3 | -0.5 | 31.9 | 46.4 | 0.0 | 1.6 | 2.3 |
| Employment | 1,891.7 | 1,888.3 | 15.2 | -3.4 | 64.7 | 68.3 | -0.2 | 3.5 | 3.8 |
| Unemployment | 159.1 | 162.0 | 11.6 | 2.9 | -32.8 | -22.0 | 1.8 | -16.8 | -12.0 |
| Participation rate | 68.0 | 67.9 | 0.5 | -0.1 | 0.3 | 0.7 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 7.8 | 7.9 | 0.6 | 0.1 | -1.8 | -1.3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 62.7 | 62.6 | 0.5 | -0.1 | 1.5 | 1.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Toronto, Ontario | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 4,399.1 | 4,405.8 | ... | 6.7 | 77.7 | 84.1 | 0.2 | 1.8 | 1.9 |
| Labour force | 3,006.5 | 3,012.2 | 18.7 | 5.7 | 40.9 | 28.7 | 0.2 | 1.4 | 1.0 |
| Employment | 2,804.2 | 2,800.2 | 18.9 | -4.0 | 16.4 | 0.0 | -0.1 | 0.6 | 0.0 |
| Unemployment | 202.3 | 212.0 | 13.2 | 9.7 | 24.4 | 28.7 | 4.8 | 13.0 | 15.7 |
| Participation rate | 68.3 | 68.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | -0.3 | -0.6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 6.7 | 7.0 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 63.7 | 63.6 | 0.4 | -0.1 | -0.7 | -1.2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Vancouver, British Columbia | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | 1,872.5 | 1,875.3 | ... | 2.8 | 31.9 | 34.8 | 0.1 | 1.7 | 1.9 |
| Labour force | 1,262.7 | 1,254.8 | 9.9 | -7.9 | 24.1 | 15.2 | -0.6 | 2.0 | 1.2 |
| Employment | 1,212.5 | 1,197.0 | 9.9 | -15.5 | 25.8 | 15.0 | -1.3 | 2.2 | 1.3 |
| Unemployment | 50.2 | 57.8 | 5.8 | 7.6 | -1.7 | 0.2 | 15.1 | -2.9 | 0.3 |
| Participation rate | 67.4 | 66.9 | 0.5 | -0.5 | 0.1 | -0.5 | ... | ... | ... |
| Unemployment rate | 4.0 | 4.6 | 0.5 | 0.6 | -0.2 | 0.0 | ... | ... | ... |
| Employment rate | 64.8 | 63.8 | 0.5 | -1.0 | 0.3 | -0.4 | ... | ... | ... |

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

Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0091

Table 6-1

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region¹, unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2005 and November 2006

| | Population | Labour force | | | Participation rate | Unemployment rate | Employment rate |
|--|--------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | | Labour force | Employment | Unemployment | | | |
| | in thousands | | | | | | |
| Canada ² | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 25,927.3 | 17,355.3 | 16,297.1 | 1,058.2 | 66.9 | 6.1 | 62.9 |
| 2006 | 26,298.1 | 17,613.3 | 16,588.2 | 1,025.1 | 67.0 | 5.8 | 63.1 |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 429.3 | 252.2 | 217.2 | 35.1 | 58.7 | 13.9 | 50.6 |
| 2006 | 426.9 | 252.8 | 220.9 | 31.8 | 59.2 | 12.6 | 51.7 |
| <i>Avalon Peninsula [1010]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 209.4 | 128.3 | 114.3 | 13.9 | 61.3 | 10.8 | 54.6 |
| 2006 | 210.0 | 132.6 | 119.5 | 13.2 | 63.1 | 10.0 | 56.9 |
| <i>South Coast-Burin Peninsula [1020]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 34.3 | 18.2 | 14.2 | 4.0 | 53.1 | 22.0 | 41.4 |
| 2006 | 33.5 | 17.5 | 14.2 | 3.3 | 52.2 | 18.9 | 42.4 |
| <i>West Coast-Northern Peninsula-Labrador [1030]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 89.1 | 53.1 | 45.3 | 7.8 | 59.6 | 14.7 | 50.8 |
| 2006 | 88.2 | 54.5 | 46.8 | 7.6 | 61.8 | 13.9 | 53.1 |
| <i>Notre Dame-Central Bonavista Bay [1040]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 96.6 | 52.7 | 43.3 | 9.4 | 54.6 | 17.8 | 44.8 |
| 2006 | 95.2 | 48.1 | 40.4 | 7.7 | 50.5 | 16.0 | 42.4 |
| Prince Edward Island | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 111.8 | 76.4 | 69.3 | 7.1 | 68.3 | 9.3 | 62.0 |
| 2006 | 112.5 | 76.5 | 69.2 | 7.2 | 68.0 | 9.4 | 61.5 |
| Nova Scotia | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 761.7 | 481.7 | 443.8 | 37.9 | 63.2 | 7.9 | 58.3 |
| 2006 | 763.2 | 478.0 | 443.9 | 34.1 | 62.6 | 7.1 | 58.2 |
| <i>Cape Breton [1210]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 117.3 | 66.8 | 56.8 | 10.0 | 56.9 | 15.0 | 48.4 |
| 2006 | 116.8 | 63.9 | 56.6 | 7.3 | 54.7 | 11.4 | 48.5 |
| <i>North Shore [1220]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 131.2 | 80.3 | 75.1 | 5.2 | 61.2 | 6.5 | 57.2 |
| 2006 | 131.0 | 78.8 | 71.7 | 7.2 | 60.2 | 9.1 | 54.7 |
| <i>Annapolis Valley [1230]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 99.4 | 61.8 | 56.9 | 4.8 | 62.2 | 7.8 | 57.2 |
| 2006 | 99.9 | 59.5 | 55.8 | 3.7 | 59.6 | 6.2 | 55.9 |
| <i>Southern [1240]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 103.8 | 60.9 | 53.7 | 7.2 | 58.7 | 11.8 | 51.7 |
| 2006 | 103.6 | 61.0 | 54.2 | 6.8 | 58.9 | 11.1 | 52.3 |
| <i>Halifax [1250]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 309.9 | 212.0 | 201.3 | 10.7 | 68.4 | 5.0 | 65.0 |
| 2006 | 311.9 | 214.8 | 205.6 | 9.2 | 68.9 | 4.3 | 65.9 |
| New Brunswick | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 611.3 | 387.9 | 353.3 | 34.6 | 63.5 | 8.9 | 57.8 |
| 2006 | 611.1 | 382.9 | 354.5 | 28.4 | 62.7 | 7.4 | 58.0 |
| <i>Campbellton-Miramichi [1310]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 137.6 | 81.1 | 69.7 | 11.4 | 58.9 | 14.1 | 50.7 |
| 2006 | 136.2 | 77.8 | 68.3 | 9.5 | 57.1 | 12.2 | 50.1 |
| <i>Moncton-Richibucto [1320]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 160.6 | 106.0 | 97.8 | 8.2 | 66.0 | 7.7 | 60.9 |
| 2006 | 161.7 | 104.1 | 96.4 | 7.6 | 64.4 | 7.3 | 59.6 |
| <i>Saint John-St. Stephen [1330]</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 141.2 | 87.5 | 81.6 | 5.9 | 62.0 | 6.7 | 57.8 |
| 2006 | 141.4 | 86.7 | 81.9 | 4.8 | 61.3 | 5.5 | 57.9 |

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region¹, unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2005 and November 2006

| | Population | Labour force | | | Participation rate | Unemployment rate | Employment rate |
|--------------------------------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | | Labour force | Employment | Unemployment | | | |
| in thousands | | | | | | | |
| Fredericton-Oromocto [1340] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 103.4 | 69.5 | 64.0 | 5.5 | 67.2 | 7.9 | 61.9 |
| 2006 | 103.7 | 69.6 | 65.4 | 4.2 | 67.1 | 6.0 | 63.1 |
| Edmundston-Woodstock [1350] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 68.5 | 43.8 | 40.2 | 3.7 | 63.9 | 8.4 | 58.7 |
| 2006 | 68.1 | 44.6 | 42.4 | 2.2 | 65.5 | 4.9 | 62.3 |
| Quebec | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 6,204.5 | 4,065.5 | 3,751.5 | 314.0 | 65.5 | 7.7 | 60.5 |
| 2006 | 6,272.3 | 4,100.4 | 3,797.1 | 303.3 | 65.4 | 7.4 | 60.5 |
| Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine [2410] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 80.5 | 40.8 | 34.6 | 6.2 | 50.7 | 15.2 | 43.0 |
| 2006 | 80.8 | 40.1 | 33.2 | 6.9 | 49.6 | 17.2 | 41.1 |
| Bas-Saint-Laurent [2415] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 166.9 | 99.4 | 92.1 | 7.3 | 59.6 | 7.3 | 55.2 |
| 2006 | 167.2 | 101.3 | 94.1 | 7.2 | 60.6 | 7.1 | 56.3 |
| Capitale-Nationale [2420] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 556.3 | 358.2 | 343.8 | 14.4 | 64.4 | 4.0 | 61.8 |
| 2006 | 561.5 | 354.8 | 335.2 | 19.6 | 63.2 | 5.5 | 59.7 |
| Chaudière-Appalaches [2425] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 323.0 | 222.4 | 211.4 | 11.0 | 68.9 | 4.9 | 65.4 |
| 2006 | 325.9 | 219.6 | 209.0 | 10.6 | 67.4 | 4.8 | 64.1 |
| Estrie [2430] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 244.6 | 155.3 | 146.3 | 9.1 | 63.5 | 5.9 | 59.8 |
| 2006 | 247.1 | 157.6 | 143.3 | 14.3 | 63.8 | 9.1 | 58.0 |
| Centre-du-Québec [2433] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 182.6 | 123.7 | 114.2 | 9.5 | 67.7 | 7.7 | 62.5 |
| 2006 | 184.3 | 126.5 | 119.2 | 7.3 | 68.6 | 5.8 | 64.7 |
| Montérégie [2435] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 1,100.3 | 746.2 | 698.8 | 47.4 | 67.8 | 6.4 | 63.5 |
| 2006 | 1,114.0 | 759.7 | 704.3 | 55.5 | 68.2 | 7.3 | 63.2 |
| Montréal [2440] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 1,574.1 | 1,028.2 | 913.4 | 114.8 | 65.3 | 11.2 | 58.0 |
| 2006 | 1,587.8 | 1,056.4 | 962.1 | 94.2 | 66.5 | 8.9 | 60.6 |
| Laval [2445] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 301.3 | 202.5 | 190.0 | 12.5 | 67.2 | 6.2 | 63.1 |
| 2006 | 305.9 | 203.9 | 191.4 | 12.5 | 66.7 | 6.1 | 62.6 |
| Lanaudière [2450] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 338.3 | 228.6 | 213.4 | 15.1 | 67.6 | 6.6 | 63.1 |
| 2006 | 346.4 | 234.6 | 222.2 | 12.4 | 67.7 | 5.3 | 64.1 |
| Laurentides [2455] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 409.6 | 271.3 | 250.8 | 20.5 | 66.2 | 7.6 | 61.2 |
| 2006 | 418.7 | 262.5 | 245.7 | 16.8 | 62.7 | 6.4 | 58.7 |
| Outaouais [2460] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 281.6 | 197.4 | 184.9 | 12.5 | 70.1 | 6.3 | 65.7 |
| 2006 | 286.6 | 198.1 | 186.9 | 11.2 | 69.1 | 5.7 | 65.2 |
| Abitibi-Témiscamingue [2465] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 115.2 | 70.1 | 64.8 | 5.3 | 60.9 | 7.6 | 56.3 |
| 2006 | 115.5 | 75.2 | 68.9 | 6.3 | 65.1 | 8.4 | 59.7 |
| Mauricie [2470] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 215.7 | 128.3 | 118.0 | 10.3 | 59.5 | 8.0 | 54.7 |
| 2006 | 216.8 | 122.4 | 112.7 | 9.7 | 56.5 | 7.9 | 52.0 |

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region¹, unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2005 and November 2006

| | Population | Labour force | | | Participation rate | Unemployment rate | Employment rate |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | | Labour force | Employment | Unemployment | | | |
| in thousands | | | | | | | |
| Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean [2475] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 224.7 | 138.2 | 124.2 | 14.0 | 61.5 | 10.1 | 55.3 |
| 2006 | 224.4 | 132.5 | 117.7 | 14.8 | 59.0 | 11.2 | 52.5 |
| Côte-Nord and Nord-du-Québec [2480, 2490] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 89.8 | 54.8 | 50.6 | 4.1 | 61.0 | 7.5 | 56.3 |
| 2006 | 89.6 | 55.2 | 51.0 | 4.2 | 61.6 | 7.6 | 56.9 |
| Ontario | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 10,128.0 | 6,850.4 | 6,450.9 | 399.5 | 67.6 | 5.8 | 63.7 |
| 2006 | 10,270.7 | 6,914.1 | 6,498.9 | 415.2 | 67.3 | 6.0 | 63.3 |
| Ottawa [3510] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 973.4 | 667.9 | 629.8 | 38.1 | 68.6 | 5.7 | 64.7 |
| 2006 | 980.5 | 659.6 | 622.8 | 36.8 | 67.3 | 5.6 | 63.5 |
| Kingston-Pembroke [3515] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 356.3 | 214.6 | 203.2 | 11.5 | 60.2 | 5.4 | 57.0 |
| 2006 | 358.1 | 211.9 | 200.4 | 11.5 | 59.2 | 5.4 | 56.0 |
| Muskoka-Kawarthas [3520] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 303.6 | 180.6 | 168.8 | 11.8 | 59.5 | 6.5 | 55.6 |
| 2006 | 307.1 | 195.4 | 184.1 | 11.2 | 63.6 | 5.7 | 59.9 |
| Toronto [3530] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 4,545.0 | 3,150.6 | 2,961.2 | 189.4 | 69.3 | 6.0 | 65.2 |
| 2006 | 4,635.5 | 3,149.4 | 2,943.6 | 205.8 | 67.9 | 6.5 | 63.5 |
| Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie [3540] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 936.2 | 670.7 | 638.0 | 32.6 | 71.6 | 4.9 | 68.1 |
| 2006 | 955.2 | 693.5 | 663.0 | 30.5 | 72.6 | 4.4 | 69.4 |
| Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula [3550] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 1,114.1 | 735.0 | 691.7 | 43.3 | 66.0 | 5.9 | 62.1 |
| 2006 | 1,125.9 | 733.4 | 689.8 | 43.6 | 65.1 | 5.9 | 61.3 |
| London [3560] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 502.4 | 346.5 | 324.0 | 22.5 | 69.0 | 6.5 | 64.5 |
| 2006 | 507.5 | 356.3 | 337.0 | 19.2 | 70.2 | 5.4 | 66.4 |
| Windsor-Sarnia [3570] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 520.8 | 338.8 | 316.6 | 22.3 | 65.1 | 6.6 | 60.8 |
| 2006 | 523.5 | 355.0 | 330.6 | 24.4 | 67.8 | 6.9 | 63.2 |
| Stratford-Bruce Peninsula [3580] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 245.5 | 165.6 | 160.2 | 5.4 | 67.5 | 3.3 | 65.3 |
| 2006 | 246.9 | 168.2 | 162.1 | 6.1 | 68.1 | 3.6 | 65.7 |
| Northeast [3590] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 453.0 | 270.6 | 254.5 | 16.1 | 59.7 | 5.9 | 56.2 |
| 2006 | 453.5 | 277.1 | 257.6 | 19.6 | 61.1 | 7.1 | 56.8 |
| Northwest [3595] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 177.7 | 109.4 | 102.9 | 6.6 | 61.6 | 6.0 | 57.9 |
| 2006 | 177.0 | 114.3 | 107.8 | 6.5 | 64.6 | 5.7 | 60.9 |
| Manitoba | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 890.1 | 607.8 | 582.7 | 25.1 | 68.3 | 4.1 | 65.5 |
| 2006 | 893.1 | 613.6 | 588.9 | 24.7 | 68.7 | 4.0 | 65.9 |
| Southeast [4610] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 73.7 | 54.4 | 52.3 | 2.1 | 73.8 | 3.9 | 71.0 |
| 2006 | 75.1 | 52.2 | 50.3 | 1.9 | 69.5 | 3.6 | 67.0 |
| South Central [4620] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 42.2 | 27.8 | 27.2 | 0.6 | 65.9 | 2.2 | 64.5 |
| 2006 | 42.5 | 27.6 | 26.9 | 0.6 | 64.9 | 2.2 | 63.3 |

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region¹, unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2005 and November 2006

| | Population | Labour force | | | Participation rate | Unemployment rate | Employment rate |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | | Labour force | Employment | Unemployment | | | |
| in thousands | | | | | | | |
| Southwest [4630] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 81.8 | 51.1 | 49.1 | 2.0 | 62.5 | 3.9 | 60.0 |
| 2006 | 81.8 | 53.3 | 51.5 | 1.8 | 65.2 | 3.4 | 63.0 |
| North Central [4640] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 35.4 | 24.0 | 23.1 | 0.9 | 67.8 | 3.8 | 65.3 |
| 2006 | 35.5 | 22.4 | 22.1 | x | 63.1 | x | 62.3 |
| Winnipeg [4650] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 527.7 | 360.1 | 343.5 | 16.6 | 68.2 | 4.6 | 65.1 |
| 2006 | 529.5 | 370.9 | 353.9 | 17.0 | 70.0 | 4.6 | 66.8 |
| Interlake [4660] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 68.2 | 49.1 | 47.5 | 1.7 | 72.0 | 3.5 | 69.6 |
| 2006 | 68.8 | 45.9 | 44.7 | 1.3 | 66.7 | 2.8 | 65.0 |
| Parklands and North [4670, 4680] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 61.1 | 41.3 | 40.1 | 1.2 | 67.6 | 2.9 | 65.6 |
| 2006 | 59.8 | 41.3 | 39.6 | 1.8 | 69.1 | 4.4 | 66.2 |
| Saskatchewan | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 748.7 | 505.0 | 479.7 | 25.3 | 67.5 | 5.0 | 64.1 |
| 2006 | 746.1 | 518.2 | 499.6 | 18.6 | 69.5 | 3.6 | 67.0 |
| Regina-Moose Mountain [4710] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 219.4 | 152.5 | 145.9 | 6.5 | 69.5 | 4.3 | 66.5 |
| 2006 | 219.1 | 157.7 | 151.4 | 6.3 | 72.0 | 4.0 | 69.1 |
| Swift Current-Moose Jaw [4720] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 83.0 | 52.8 | 50.2 | 2.7 | 63.6 | 5.1 | 60.5 |
| 2006 | 82.4 | 56.4 | 54.6 | 1.8 | 68.4 | 3.2 | 66.3 |
| Saskatoon-Biggar [4730] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 230.8 | 158.2 | 150.3 | 8.0 | 68.5 | 5.1 | 65.1 |
| 2006 | 231.1 | 164.8 | 160.2 | 4.5 | 71.3 | 2.7 | 69.3 |
| Yorkton-Melville [4740] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 65.5 | 44.3 | 42.2 | 2.1 | 67.6 | 4.7 | 64.4 |
| 2006 | 64.3 | 41.3 | 39.9 | 1.4 | 64.2 | 3.4 | 62.1 |
| Prince Albert and Northern [4750, 4760] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 150.0 | 97.2 | 91.2 | 6.1 | 64.8 | 6.3 | 60.8 |
| 2006 | 149.1 | 98.0 | 93.4 | 4.6 | 65.7 | 4.7 | 62.6 |
| Alberta | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 2,574.1 | 1,863.2 | 1,791.5 | 71.7 | 72.4 | 3.8 | 69.6 |
| 2006 | 2,673.3 | 1,959.6 | 1,899.2 | 60.4 | 73.3 | 3.1 | 71.0 |
| Lethbridge-Medicine Hat [4810] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 195.9 | 143.2 | 137.8 | 5.4 | 73.1 | 3.8 | 70.3 |
| 2006 | 202.5 | 141.5 | 137.3 | 4.2 | 69.9 | 3.0 | 67.8 |
| Camrose-Drumheller [4820] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 148.0 | 106.0 | 103.0 | 3.0 | 71.6 | 2.8 | 69.6 |
| 2006 | 152.2 | 109.4 | 106.3 | 3.1 | 71.9 | 2.8 | 69.8 |
| Calgary [4830] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 927.0 | 680.8 | 650.2 | 30.6 | 73.4 | 4.5 | 70.1 |
| 2006 | 966.9 | 741.6 | 721.4 | 20.2 | 76.7 | 2.7 | 74.6 |
| Banff-Jasper-Rocky Mountain House [4840] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 64.8 | 49.1 | 47.4 | 1.7 | 75.8 | 3.5 | 73.1 |
| 2006 | 66.6 | 52.4 | 50.8 | 1.6 | 78.7 | 3.1 | 76.3 |
| Red Deer [4850] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 131.9 | 98.6 | 95.4 | 3.2 | 74.8 | 3.2 | 72.3 |
| 2006 | 137.9 | 101.9 | 98.6 | 3.3 | 73.9 | 3.2 | 71.5 |

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region¹, unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2005 and November 2006

| | Population | Labour force | | | Participation rate | Unemployment rate | Employment rate |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | | Labour force | Employment | Unemployment | | | |
| in thousands | | | | | | | |
| Edmonton [4860] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 849.1 | 592.9 | 570.2 | 22.7 | 69.8 | 3.8 | 67.2 |
| 2006 | 879.6 | 615.7 | 594.5 | 21.2 | 70.0 | 3.4 | 67.6 |
| Athabasca-Grande Prairie-Peace River [4870] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 173.1 | 130.0 | 126.7 | 3.3 | 75.1 | 2.5 | 73.2 |
| 2006 | 179.2 | 132.1 | 127.8 | 4.3 | 73.7 | 3.3 | 71.3 |
| Wood Buffalo-Cold Lake [4880] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 84.2 | 62.6 | 60.7 | 1.9 | 74.3 | 3.0 | 72.1 |
| 2006 | 88.4 | 65.0 | 62.5 | 2.5 | 73.5 | 3.8 | 70.7 |
| British Columbia | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 3,467.8 | 2,265.1 | 2,157.2 | 107.8 | 65.3 | 4.8 | 62.2 |
| 2006 | 3,528.9 | 2,317.3 | 2,216.1 | 101.2 | 65.7 | 4.4 | 62.8 |
| Vancouver Island and Coast [5910] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 604.1 | 378.2 | 356.5 | 21.6 | 62.6 | 5.7 | 59.0 |
| 2006 | 615.5 | 389.3 | 371.1 | 18.2 | 63.2 | 4.7 | 60.3 |
| Lower Mainland-Southwest [5920] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 2,089.3 | 1,378.6 | 1,316.8 | 61.8 | 66.0 | 4.5 | 63.0 |
| 2006 | 2,131.4 | 1,414.3 | 1,356.9 | 57.4 | 66.4 | 4.1 | 63.7 |
| Thompson-Okanagan [5930] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 406.7 | 263.9 | 252.4 | 11.5 | 64.9 | 4.4 | 62.1 |
| 2006 | 416.8 | 269.0 | 258.0 | 11.1 | 64.5 | 4.1 | 61.9 |
| Kootenay [5940] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 122.4 | 74.7 | 70.8 | 3.9 | 61.0 | 5.2 | 57.8 |
| 2006 | 122.1 | 75.3 | 70.3 | 5.0 | 61.7 | 6.6 | 57.6 |
| Cariboo [5950] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 126.7 | 87.6 | 83.4 | 4.2 | 69.1 | 4.8 | 65.8 |
| 2006 | 125.3 | 87.0 | 82.2 | 4.8 | 69.4 | 5.5 | 65.6 |
| North Coast and Nechako [5960, 5970] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 68.5 | 48.5 | 45.2 | 3.3 | 70.8 | 6.8 | 66.0 |
| 2006 | 67.0 | 45.5 | 42.7 | 2.8 | 67.9 | 6.2 | 63.7 |
| Northeast [5980] | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 50.0 | 33.6 | 32.1 | 1.5 | 67.2 | 4.5 | 64.2 |
| 2006 | 50.8 | 36.8 | 35.0 | 1.8 | 72.4 | 4.9 | 68.9 |

1. For geographic descriptions of economic regions, refer to the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (catalogue number 71-543-GIE).

2. Estimates for Canada are a sum of the provincial totals and exclude estimates from Yukon Territory, Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0054.

Table 6-2
Labour force characteristics by territories, unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in November 2005 and November 2006

| | Population | Labour force | | | Participation rate | Unemployment rate | Employment rate |
|--|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | | Labour force | Employment | Unemployment | | | |
| in thousands | | | | | | | |
| Yukon Territory ¹ | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 21.5 | 16.0 | 15.3 | 0.7 | 74.4 | 4.4 | 71.2 |
| 2006 | 21.5 | 15.7 | 15.1 | 0.6 | 73.0 | 3.8 | 70.2 |
| Northwest Territories ² | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 31.6 | 23.5 | 22.3 | 1.2 | 74.4 | 5.1 | 70.6 |
| 2006 | 30.9 | 23.8 | 22.5 | 1.3 | 77.0 | 5.5 | 72.8 |
| Nunavut - 10 largest communities ³ | | | | | | | |
| 2005 | 13.7 | 8.8 | 8.0 | 0.8 | 64.0 | 8.8 | 58.4 |
| 2006 | 13.9 | 9.5 | 8.4 | 1.2 | 68.6 | 12.1 | 60.2 |

1. Since 1992, the Labour force survey has been administered in the Yukon Territory, using an alternative methodology that accommodates some of the operational difficulties inherent to remote locales. These estimates are not included in national totals.
2. Since 2001, the Labour force survey has been administered in the Northwest Territories, using an alternative methodology that accommodates some of the operational difficulties inherent to remote locales. These estimates are not included in national totals.
3. Since 2004, the Labour force survey has been administered in Nunavut, using an alternative methodology that accommodates some of the operational difficulties inherent to remote locales. These estimates are not included in national totals. The 10 largest communities are Iqaluit, Cambridge Bay, Baker Lake, Arviat, Rankin Inlet, Kugluktuk, Pond Inlet, Cape Dorset, Pangnirtung, Igloolik.

Note(s): Related CANSIM table 282-0054.

Table 7
Average usual hours and wages of employees by selected characteristics, Canada, unadjusted for seasonality

| | Employees | | | | Full-time | | | Part-time | | |
|---|-----------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | Number | Average weekly hours | Average weekly wages | Average hourly wages | Number | Average weekly hours | Average weekly wages | Number | Average weekly hours | Average weekly wages |
| | '000 | | \$ | | '000 | | \$ | '000 | | \$ |
| November 2006 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 years and over | 14,080.8 | 35.4 | 734.49 | 20.02 | 11,472.7 | 39.5 | 844.80 | 2,608.1 | 17.0 | 249.25 |
| 15 to 24 years | 2,388.5 | 27.4 | 344.71 | 11.67 | 1,231.4 | 39.1 | 529.76 | 1,157.1 | 15.0 | 147.78 |
| 25 years and over | 11,692.3 | 37.0 | 814.12 | 21.73 | 10,241.3 | 39.6 | 882.68 | 1,451.0 | 18.7 | 330.17 |
| Men | 7,136.2 | 38.0 | 849.43 | 21.75 | 6,338.6 | 40.8 | 929.40 | 797.6 | 16.2 | 213.89 |
| Women | 6,944.5 | 32.6 | 616.38 | 18.25 | 5,134.1 | 38.0 | 740.35 | 1,810.5 | 17.4 | 264.83 |
| Union coverage | | | | | | | | | | |
| Union coverage | 4,462.5 | 35.8 | 835.93 | 23.07 | 3,809.3 | 38.7 | 915.74 | 653.2 | 18.7 | 370.49 |
| No union coverage | 9,618.3 | 35.2 | 687.43 | 18.61 | 7,663.4 | 39.9 | 809.54 | 1,954.9 | 16.5 | 208.74 |
| Job permanency | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent | 12,360.3 | 36.3 | 769.04 | 20.56 | 10,508.2 | 39.5 | 857.63 | 1,852.1 | 18.0 | 266.42 |
| Temporary | 1,720.4 | 28.5 | 486.26 | 16.15 | 964.5 | 39.3 | 705.00 | 756.0 | 14.6 | 207.19 |
| Occupation | | | | | | | | | | |
| Management | 971.7 | 40.1 | 1,259.21 | 31.44 | 940.0 | 40.8 | 1,288.38 | 31.7 | 17.8 | 394.56 |
| Business, finance and administrative | 2,771.6 | 35.1 | 686.19 | 19.08 | 2,344.4 | 38.2 | 761.79 | 427.2 | 17.7 | 271.34 |
| Natural and applied sciences | 1,026.3 | 38.7 | 1,092.08 | 28.19 | 989.2 | 39.4 | 1,117.67 | 37.1 | 17.9 | 408.92 |
| Health | 864.5 | 33.1 | 785.96 | 23.57 | 644.2 | 37.6 | 896.92 | 220.3 | 19.8 | 461.53 |
| Social science, education, government service and religion | 1,264.6 | 33.0 | 866.51 | 25.93 | 980.4 | 37.8 | 1,002.14 | 284.2 | 16.5 | 398.72 |
| Art, culture, recreation and sport | 295.1 | 30.5 | 701.86 | 21.21 | 207.8 | 38.4 | 918.89 | 87.3 | 11.8 | 185.32 |
| Sales and service | 3,612.9 | 30.6 | 441.43 | 13.39 | 2,277.2 | 38.7 | 597.50 | 1,335.8 | 16.8 | 175.34 |
| Trades, transport and equipment operators | 2,034.6 | 40.6 | 812.32 | 19.83 | 1,923.6 | 41.9 | 846.03 | 111.0 | 17.3 | 228.04 |
| Occupations unique to primary industry | 271.1 | 42.2 | 751.75 | 17.40 | 240.6 | 45.6 | 823.39 | 30.5 | 15.2 | 186.39 |
| Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities | 968.4 | 39.3 | 683.91 | 17.25 | 925.4 | 40.3 | 704.80 | 43.0 | 17.5 | 234.39 |
| November 2005 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 years and over | 13,740.9 | 35.3 | 712.84 | 19.45 | 11,184.7 | 39.5 | 821.09 | 2,556.2 | 17.1 | 239.16 |
| 15 to 24 years | 2,351.5 | 27.4 | 321.29 | 10.98 | 1,192.6 | 39.2 | 495.24 | 1,158.9 | 15.2 | 142.27 |
| 25 years and over | 11,389.5 | 37.0 | 793.68 | 21.20 | 9,992.1 | 39.5 | 859.98 | 1,397.3 | 18.7 | 319.52 |
| Men | 6,978.1 | 38.0 | 822.33 | 21.10 | 6,197.2 | 40.8 | 900.04 | 780.9 | 16.2 | 205.60 |
| Women | 6,762.9 | 32.6 | 599.86 | 17.74 | 4,987.5 | 37.9 | 722.99 | 1,775.3 | 17.5 | 253.93 |
| Union coverage | | | | | | | | | | |
| Union coverage | 4,429.5 | 35.9 | 817.31 | 22.52 | 3,797.2 | 38.7 | 891.66 | 632.2 | 19.0 | 370.73 |
| No union coverage | 9,311.5 | 35.1 | 663.14 | 17.98 | 7,387.5 | 39.9 | 784.82 | 1,924.0 | 16.5 | 195.93 |
| Job permanency | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent | 12,037.8 | 36.3 | 747.38 | 20.00 | 10,254.0 | 39.5 | 832.67 | 1,783.8 | 18.2 | 257.05 |
| Temporary | 1,703.2 | 28.3 | 468.72 | 15.57 | 930.8 | 39.5 | 693.49 | 772.4 | 14.7 | 197.85 |
| Occupation | | | | | | | | | | |
| Management | 984.5 | 40.0 | 1,192.71 | 29.93 | 954.0 | 40.6 | 1,217.87 | 30.5 | 18.7 | 406.11 |
| Business, finance and administrative | 2,598.6 | 35.1 | 663.86 | 18.50 | 2,210.6 | 38.2 | 737.13 | 388.0 | 17.2 | 246.46 |
| Natural and applied sciences | 967.0 | 38.5 | 1,063.01 | 27.50 | 929.2 | 39.4 | 1,092.88 | 37.9 | 17.4 | 330.08 |
| Health | 848.1 | 33.1 | 761.38 | 22.84 | 626.9 | 37.7 | 874.93 | 221.2 | 20.1 | 439.61 |
| Social science, education, government service and religion | 1,262.8 | 33.9 | 889.43 | 25.89 | 999.6 | 38.4 | 1,017.41 | 263.2 | 16.6 | 403.38 |
| Art, culture, recreation and sport | 325.5 | 29.4 | 635.82 | 20.04 | 209.9 | 38.5 | 865.59 | 115.7 | 13.0 | 218.92 |
| Sales and service | 3,458.7 | 30.4 | 422.48 | 12.89 | 2,160.6 | 38.5 | 575.52 | 1,298.1 | 17.0 | 167.75 |
| Trades, transport and equipment operators | 2,052.3 | 40.3 | 774.84 | 19.03 | 1,921.6 | 41.9 | 811.77 | 130.7 | 17.7 | 231.80 |
| Occupations unique to primary industry | 238.1 | 42.1 | 724.54 | 16.66 | 210.8 | 45.7 | 794.21 | 27.3 | 15.1 | 186.40 |
| Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities | 1,005.2 | 39.3 | 664.40 | 16.79 | 961.6 | 40.3 | 685.23 | 43.6 | 16.9 | 204.99 |

Note(s): Related CANSIM tables 282-0023, 282-0069, 282-0073

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

| Region | Effective from December 3, 2006 to January 6, 2007 |
|--|--|
| | Percent |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | |
| 01. St. John's | 7.7 |
| 02. Newfoundland and Labrador | 18.6 |
| Prince Edward Island | |
| 03. Prince Edward Island | 11.1 |
| Nova Scotia | |
| 04. Eastern Nova Scotia | 12.4 |
| 05. Western Nova Scotia | 9.8 |
| 06. Halifax | 4.9 |
| New Brunswick | |
| 07. Fredericton-Moncton-Saint John | 6.1 |
| 08. Madawaska-Charlotte ² | 10.0 |
| 09. Restigouche-Albert | 14.6 |
| Quebec | |
| 10. Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine | 18.7 |
| 11. Québec | 6.1 |
| 12. Trois-Rivières | 7.6 |
| 13. South Central Quebec | 7.7 |
| 14. Sherbrooke | 7.9 |
| 15. Montérégie | 8.4 |
| 16. Montréal | 8.0 |
| 17. Central Quebec | 8.3 |
| 18. Northwestern Quebec | 11.3 |
| 19. Bas-Saint-Laurent-Côte-Nord ³ | 12.4 |
| 20. Gatineau | 5.6 |
| 21. Saguenay | 8.6 |
| Ontario | |
| 22. Ottawa | 5.5 |
| 23. Eastern Ontario | 7.6 |
| 24. Kingston | 5.2 |
| 25. Central Ontario | 5.8 |
| 26. Oshawa | 6.9 |
| 27. Toronto | 6.9 |
| 28. Hamilton | 6.4 |
| 29. St. Catharines | 6.7 |
| 30. London | 6.4 |
| 31. Niagara | 7.7 |
| 32. Windsor | 8.6 |
| 33. Kitchener | 5.2 |
| 34. Huron | 6.8 |
| 35. South Central Ontario | 4.5 |
| 36. Sudbury | 7.1 |
| 37. Thunder Bay | 7.2 |
| 38. Northern Ontario | 10.7 |
| Manitoba | |
| 39. Winnipeg | 4.5 |
| 40. Southern Manitoba | 4.7 |
| 41. Northern Manitoba | 25.7 |
| Saskatchewan | |
| 42. Regina | 4.8 |
| 43. Saskatoon | 3.2 |
| 44. Southern Saskatchewan | 6.1 |
| 45. Northern Saskatchewan | 14.4 |

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 December 3, 2006 to January 6, 2007 |
|--|--|
| Alberta | |
| 46. Calgary | 2.9 |
| 47. Edmonton | 3.9 |
| 48. Northern Alberta | 7.7 |
| 49. Southern Alberta | 4.4 |
| British Columbia | |
| 50. Southern Interior British Columbia | 6.7 |
| 51. Abbotsford | 4.0 |
| 52. Vancouver | 4.5 |
| 53. Victoria | 4.4 |
| 54. Southern Coastal British Columbia | 6.7 |
| 55. Northern British Columbia | 9.9 |
| Territories | |
| 56. Yukon Territory ⁴ | 25.0 |
| 57. Northwest Territories ⁴ | 25.0 |
| 58. Nunavut ⁴ | 25.0 |

1. The boundaries of these regions are determined by Human Resources and Skills Development Canada (HRSDC). For geographic descriptions and maps of employment insurance regions, see the HRSDC website: <http://www14.hrdc-drhc.gc.ca/ei-ae/canadaei.htm>.
2. This unemployment rate has been determined using a transition formula prescribed in the EI Regulations. For further information, see: http://www.hrsdc.gc.ca/en/cs/comm/news/2000/000913a_e.shtml.
3. This unemployment rate has been determined using a transition formula prescribed in the EI Regulations. For further information, see: http://www.hrsdc.gc.ca/en/cs/comm/news/2000/000913b_e.shtml.
4. This rate is provided by Human Resources and Skills Development Canada.

Data quality

About the Labour Force Survey

The statistics contained in this report are based on information obtained through a sample survey of 53,000 representative households across the country. The Labour Force Survey, started in November 1945, was taken at quarterly intervals until November 1952. It has been carried out monthly since then. The information generated by the survey has expanded considerably over the years with a major redesign of the survey content in 1976 and again in 1997, and provides a rich and detailed picture of the Canadian labour market.

The sample used in the Labour Force Survey has been designed to represent all persons in the population 15 years of age and over residing in the provinces of Canada, with the exception of the following: persons living on Indian reserves, full-time members of the armed forces and people living in institutions (for example, inmates of penal institutions and patients in hospitals or nursing homes who have resided in the institution for more than six months). Monthly estimates of employment, unemployment and persons not in the labour force refer to the specific week covered by the survey each month, normally the week containing the 15th day.

Definitions and explanations

The **labour force** is composed of those members of the civilian non-institutional population 15 years of age and over who, during the reference week, were employed or unemployed.

Employed persons are those who, during the reference week:

- (a) did any work at all
- (b) had a job but were not at work

A person is considered to be **full-time** if his/her usual hours at the main job are 30 or more hours per week. When the number of hours worked at the main job is usually less than 30 hours per week then he/she is considered to be **part-time**.

Unemployed persons are those who, during the reference week:

- (a) were without work, had actively looked for work in the past four weeks (ending with reference week), and were available for work;
- (b) had not actively looked for work in the past four weeks but were on temporary layoff and were available for work;
- (c) had not actively looked for work in the past four weeks but had a new job to start in four weeks or less from the reference week, and were available for work.

Persons in the civilian non-institutional population 15 years of age and over who, during the reference week, were neither employed nor unemployed are classified as **not in the labour force**.

The **unemployment rate** represents the number of unemployed persons expressed as a percentage of the labour force. The unemployment rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the number unemployed in that group expressed as a percentage of the labour force for that group.

The **participation rate** represents the labour force expressed as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The participation rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the labour force in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group.

The **employment rate (formerly the employment/population ratio)** represents the number of persons employed expressed as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The employment rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the number employed in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group.

The **part-time rate** represents the number of persons employed part-time expressed as a percentage of the employed. The part-time rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the number employed part-time in that group expressed as a percentage of the employed for that group.

All geographic regions are based on the 2001 Census boundaries.

Seasonal adjustment

Fluctuations in economic time series are caused by seasonal, cyclical and irregular movements. A seasonally adjusted series is one from which seasonal movements have been eliminated. Seasonal movements are defined as those which are caused by regular annual events such as climate, holidays, vacation periods and cycles related to crops, production and retail sales associated with Christmas and Easter. The seasonally adjusted series contains irregular as well as longer-term cyclical fluctuations.

The seasonally adjusted series are revised each year to take into account current data and to generate new forecast factors for the next twelve months. The data are therefore subject to slight revisions in future issues of this publication.

Sampling error

Estimates in this publication are based on the Labour Force Survey, a monthly survey of approximately 53,000 households across Canada. Because they are based on a sample survey, the estimates are subject to sampling error. Changes in the level of any estimates between two months can be the result of a true change or sampling variability. In most tables in this publication an indicator of the sampling error is provided. Two thirds of the time, a change greater than the sampling error indicates a real change. Movements in estimates that are smaller than the sampling error are less likely to reflect a real change and more likely to be due to sampling variability. While the above is true for monthly movements, one can have more confidence in a series of consecutive movements in the same direction, even though some of the monthly movements may be smaller than the sampling error.

For more detailed information about the Labour Force Survey, see the following documents:

- Overview of the Labour Force Survey
- Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G)
- Data quality statement
- Methodology of the Canadian Labour Force Survey (71-526-X)
- LFS *geographical maps*