

LABOUR FORCE FLASHSHEET

LABOUR FORCE DATA FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2018

ACTUAL					SEASONALLY ADJUSTED					
		CHANGE		CHANGE		CHANGE		CHANGE		
		Mar. 2018 to		Apr. 2017 to		Mar. 2018 to		Apr. 2017 to		
Apr. 2018	Mar. 2018	Apr. 2018	Apr. 2017	Apr. 2018	Apr. 2017	Apr. 2018	Mar. 2018	Apr. 2018	Apr. 2017	Apr. 2018

(Unemployment Rate %)

Newfoundland and Labrador

Both Sexes	16.1	16.7	-0.6	16.3	-0.2	14.5	14.2	0.3	14.2	0.3
Males	20.3	20.6	-0.3	20.4	-0.1	17.9	17.2	0.7	17.8	0.1
Females	11.5	12.6	-1.1	11.9	-0.4	10.9	11.2	-0.3	10.2	0.7

Economic Regions: ¹

1. Avalon Peninsula	13.1	13.4	-0.3	11.0	2.1	..	..	..	..	..
2. South Coast-Burin Peninsula and Notre Dame-Central Bonavista Bay	22.1	23.2	-1.1	25.6	-3.5	..	..	..	..	..
3. West Coast - Northern Peninsula & Labrador	18.2	16.7	1.5	23.2	-5.0	..	..	..	..	..
St. John's Census Metropolitan Area ¹	8.9	9.0	-0.1	8.4	0.5	8.6	8.6	0.0	8.2	0.4
Youth (Age Group 15-24)	17.8	18.2	-0.4	17.0	0.8	16.3	15.8	0.5	15.7	0.6
Prince Edward Island	15.0	12.7	2.3	13.2	1.8	11.2	10.3	0.9	9.9	1.3
Nova Scotia	7.7	8.7	-1.0	9.1	-1.4	6.7	7.4	-0.7	8.4	-1.7
New Brunswick	9.2	9.2	0.0	10.2	-1.0	8.0	8.0	0.0	8.4	-0.4
Quebec	5.8	6.2	-0.4	7.2	-1.4	5.4	5.6	-0.2	6.4	-1.0
Ontario	5.6	5.9	-0.3	5.9	-0.3	5.6	5.5	0.1	5.9	-0.3
Manitoba	6.4	6.4	0.0	5.4	1.0	6.1	6.2	-0.1	5.3	0.8
Saskatchewan	7.1	6.4	0.7	7.0	0.1	6.3	5.8	0.5	6.4	-0.1
Alberta	6.7	6.6	0.1	8.5	-1.8	6.7	6.3	0.4	7.9	-1.2
British Columbia	5.0	4.8	0.2	5.2	-0.2	5.0	4.7	0.3	5.4	-0.4
Canada	6.1	6.3	-0.2	6.8	-0.7	5.8	5.8	0.0	6.4	-0.6

NEWFOUNDLAND and LABRADOR

(Thousands)

Total	260.3	254.6	2.2%	261.8	-0.6%	260.8	260.6	0.1%	263.3	-0.9%
Employed	218.5	212.1	3.0%	219.2	-0.3%	222.9	223.5	-0.3%	226.0	-1.4%
Unemployed	41.9	42.5	-1.4%	42.6	-1.6%	37.9	37.1	2.2%	37.3	1.6%

CANADA

Total	19,611.2	19,540.3	0.4%	19,416.7	1.0%	19,758.7	19,746.9	0.1%	19,584.9	0.9%
Employed	18,417.7	18,317.7	0.5%	18,097.0	1.8%	18,603.7	18,604.8	0.0%	18,325.4	1.5%
Unemployed	1,193.4	1,222.9	-2.4%	1,319.7	-9.6%	1,155.0	1,142.1	1.1%	1,259.5	-8.3%

.. Not Available.

¹ Three Month Moving Average

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