

Labour Force Characteristics by Gender
Newfoundland and Labrador
1976 to 2017, Annual Averages

Year	Population 15+	Labour Force	Employment			Unemployment	Unemployment Rate	Participation Rate	Employment Rate
			Total	Full-Time	Part-Time				
			Thousands						
Both Sexes									
1976	370.7	183.3	158.8	146.6	12.3	24.5	13.4	49.4	42.8
1977	376.2	190.3	160.9	147.8	13.0	29.4	15.4	50.6	42.8
1978	382.0	197.6	166.1	151.9	14.2	31.4	15.9	51.7	43.5
1979	388.6	207.5	176.7	161.2	15.6	30.8	14.8	53.4	45.5
1980	395.6	210.6	182.6	166.4	16.2	28.0	13.3	53.2	46.2
1981	401.8	215.1	186.1	169.7	16.4	29.0	13.5	53.5	46.3
1982	406.5	215.8	180.8	163.0	17.8	34.9	16.2	53.1	44.5
1983	413.8	220.7	180.8	160.8	20.0	39.9	18.1	53.3	43.7
1984	418.6	224.1	179.0	158.8	20.2	45.1	20.1	53.5	42.8
1985	421.9	228.6	182.5	160.7	21.9	46.1	20.2	54.2	43.3
1986	424.2	230.4	187.1	165.1	22.0	43.2	18.8	54.3	44.1
1987	427.1	231.6	190.3	167.3	23.0	41.3	17.8	54.2	44.6
1988	430.9	238.2	199.7	175.8	23.9	38.5	16.2	55.3	46.3
1989	435.6	244.1	206.3	180.2	26.1	37.8	15.5	56.0	47.4
1990	439.8	249.2	206.9	181.3	25.6	42.3	17.0	56.7	47.0
1991	444.4	249.7	204.7	177.2	27.5	45.0	18.0	56.2	46.1
1992	447.9	243.6	194.9	166.2	28.7	48.7	20.0	54.4	43.5
1993	450.3	242.5	193.8	163.7	30.1	48.8	20.1	53.9	43.0
1994	449.1	241.8	193.5	164.4	29.1	48.3	20.0	53.8	43.1
1995	446.7	237.1	194.4	162.6	31.8	42.7	18.0	53.1	43.5
1996	443.7	232.9	188.8	157.2	31.5	44.1	18.9	52.5	42.6
1997	439.5	231.6	189.6	157.8	31.8	42.0	18.1	52.7	43.1
1998	434.1	235.2	193.7	161.7	32.0	41.5	17.6	54.2	44.6
1999	431.2	242.4	201.9	170.3	31.6	40.5	16.7	56.2	46.8
2000	429.3	238.3	198.8	169.1	29.7	39.5	16.6	55.5	46.3
2001	426.6	242.5	203.7	174.3	29.4	38.7	16.0	56.8	47.7
2002	426.0	247.9	206.5	173.9	32.6	41.3	16.7	58.2	48.5
2003	426.8	252.2	210.7	178.5	32.2	41.6	16.5	59.1	49.4
2004	427.4	252.6	213.2	181.3	31.9	39.4	15.6	59.1	49.9
2005	426.9	250.4	212.3	180.6	31.8	38.0	15.2	58.7	49.7
2006	425.6	251.5	214.4	181.9	32.6	37.1	14.8	59.1	50.4
2007	425.5	251.0	217.0	186.1	30.9	34.0	13.5	59.0	51.0
2008	428.0	255.2	221.1	189.3	31.8	34.0	13.3	59.6	51.7
2009	432.4	254.6	215.1	184.5	30.7	39.5	15.5	58.9	49.7
2010	437.4	261.2	222.8	190.1	32.7	38.4	14.7	59.7	50.9
2011	440.5	265.3	231.9	197.7	34.3	33.3	12.6	60.2	52.6
2012	442.9	274.5	240.8	207.9	32.9	33.7	12.3	62.0	54.4
2013	444.8	274.5	242.7	207.3	35.4	31.8	11.6	61.7	54.6
2014	443.9	270.9	238.6	202.1	36.5	32.3	11.9	61.0	53.8
2015	442.9	270.8	236.2	201.5	34.7	34.7	12.8	61.1	53.3
2016	444.3	268.7	232.6	194.7	37.9	36.1	13.4	60.5	52.4
2017	445.5	262.9	224.1	190.9	33.2	38.8	14.8	59.0	50.3

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Males									
1976	187.9	124.8	108.1	104.2	3.9	16.7	13.4	66.4	57.5
1977	190.2	126.7	106.5	102.5	3.9	20.3	16.0	66.6	56.0
1978	192.7	128.7	107.6	103.3	4.3	21.1	16.4	66.8	55.8
1979	195.6	134.0	113.9	109.7	4.2	20.1	15.0	68.5	58.2
1980	198.7	135.4	117.3	112.6	4.6	18.1	13.4	68.1	59.0
1981	201.4	136.1	117.4	113.0	4.4	18.7	13.7	67.6	58.3
1982	203.4	134.0	111.6	107.0	4.6	22.4	16.7	65.9	54.9
1983	206.8	137.0	110.9	104.7	6.2	26.1	19.1	66.2	53.6
1984	209.0	136.3	108.0	102.4	5.6	28.3	20.8	65.2	51.7
1985	210.5	137.4	109.3	102.9	6.4	28.1	20.5	65.3	51.9
1986	211.4	136.2	111.0	104.8	6.2	25.3	18.6	64.4	52.5
1987	212.8	135.7	112.7	105.3	7.4	23.1	17.0	63.8	53.0
1988	214.7	138.1	117.4	110.1	7.3	20.7	15.0	64.3	54.7
1989	217.1	140.3	119.2	111.4	7.8	21.2	15.1	64.6	54.9
1990	219.4	141.1	116.9	109.1	7.7	24.2	17.2	64.3	53.3
1991	222.0	140.4	113.9	105.4	8.5	26.5	18.9	63.2	51.3
1992	223.3	137.1	108.9	99.7	9.2	28.2	20.6	61.4	48.8
1993	224.0	136.0	107.6	97.8	9.8	28.4	20.9	60.7	48.0
1994	223.0	134.8	106.6	97.0	9.6	28.2	20.9	60.4	47.8
1995	221.4	131.6	106.0	95.9	10.1	25.6	19.5	59.4	47.9
1996	219.2	128.9	101.5	90.4	11.1	27.3	21.2	58.8	46.3
1997	216.8	127.7	102.3	93.0	9.3	25.4	19.9	58.9	47.2
1998	213.6	128.7	104.1	93.9	10.1	24.6	19.1	60.3	48.7
1999	211.7	131.9	108.4	98.9	9.5	23.5	17.8	62.3	51.2
2000	210.6	127.9	105.5	97.0	8.4	22.4	17.5	60.7	50.1
2001	208.8	129.5	106.4	97.4	9.0	23.1	17.8	62.0	51.0
2002	208.5	131.8	107.8	97.5	10.2	24.0	18.2	63.2	51.7
2003	209.0	133.4	109.5	99.5	10.0	23.9	17.9	63.8	52.4
2004	209.4	134.4	111.6	101.5	10.0	22.8	17.0	64.2	53.3
2005	209.2	132.0	110.5	100.6	9.9	21.5	16.3	63.1	52.8
2006	208.5	131.3	109.6	99.8	9.8	21.7	16.5	63.0	52.6
2007	208.1	131.7	112.1	102.6	9.4	19.6	14.9	63.3	53.9
2008	209.4	134.6	114.6	105.2	9.4	20.0	14.9	64.3	54.7
2009	211.9	134.4	109.9	101.1	8.7	24.6	18.3	63.4	51.9
2010	214.6	136.5	112.3	102.7	9.7	24.2	17.7	63.6	52.3
2011	216.2	139.2	118.9	107.5	11.4	20.3	14.6	64.4	55.0
2012	217.4	143.9	124.2	114.1	10.1	19.7	13.7	66.2	57.1
2013	218.3	143.5	125.2	114.8	10.3	18.4	12.8	65.7	57.4
2014	217.7	142.3	122.3	111.5	10.8	20.0	14.1	65.4	56.2
2015	217.1	141.1	119.3	109.2	10.1	21.8	15.5	65.0	55.0
2016	217.9	140.6	117.9	105.4	12.4	22.7	16.1	64.5	54.1
2017	218.5	136.0	111.0	99.6	11.4	25.1	18.5	62.2	50.8

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Females									
1976	182.8	58.5	50.7	42.3	8.3	7.8	13.3	32.0	27.7
1977	186.0	63.5	54.4	45.3	9.1	9.2	14.5	34.1	29.2
1978	189.3	68.9	58.5	48.6	9.9	10.4	15.1	36.4	30.9
1979	193.0	73.6	62.8	51.4	11.4	10.7	14.5	38.1	32.5
1980	196.9	75.2	65.4	53.8	11.6	9.8	13.0	38.2	33.2
1981	200.4	79.0	68.7	56.7	12.1	10.3	13.0	39.4	34.3
1982	203.1	81.8	69.2	56.0	13.2	12.6	15.4	40.3	34.1
1983	207.0	83.8	69.9	56.1	13.8	13.8	16.5	40.5	33.8
1984	209.5	87.9	71.0	56.4	14.5	16.9	19.2	42.0	33.9
1985	211.4	91.3	73.2	57.7	15.5	18.0	19.7	43.2	34.6
1986	212.8	94.1	76.2	60.3	15.8	18.0	19.1	44.2	35.8
1987	214.3	95.8	77.6	62.0	15.6	18.2	19.0	44.7	36.2
1988	216.2	100.1	82.3	65.7	16.6	17.8	17.8	46.3	38.1
1989	218.5	103.8	87.1	68.8	18.4	16.7	16.1	47.5	39.9
1990	220.5	108.0	90.0	72.2	17.8	18.0	16.7	49.0	40.8
1991	222.4	109.3	90.8	71.8	19.0	18.6	17.0	49.1	40.8
1992	224.6	106.5	86.0	66.5	19.5	20.5	19.2	47.4	38.3
1993	226.3	106.5	86.2	65.9	20.3	20.3	19.1	47.1	38.1
1994	226.1	107.1	86.9	67.3	19.6	20.2	18.9	47.4	38.4
1995	225.3	105.5	88.4	66.7	21.8	17.1	16.2	46.8	39.2
1996	224.6	104.0	87.3	66.8	20.4	16.7	16.1	46.3	38.9
1997	222.6	104.0	87.3	64.8	22.5	16.7	16.1	46.7	39.2
1998	220.5	106.5	89.6	67.8	21.8	16.9	15.9	48.3	40.6
1999	219.5	110.5	93.5	71.4	22.1	16.9	15.3	50.3	42.6
2000	218.7	110.4	93.3	72.1	21.3	17.0	15.4	50.5	42.7
2001	217.8	113.0	97.3	76.9	20.4	15.7	13.9	51.9	44.7
2002	217.6	116.1	98.8	76.4	22.4	17.3	14.9	53.4	45.4
2003	217.8	118.8	101.2	79.0	22.2	17.7	14.9	54.5	46.5
2004	218.0	118.2	101.6	79.8	21.8	16.6	14.0	54.2	46.6
2005	217.6	118.3	101.8	80.0	21.9	16.5	13.9	54.4	46.8
2006	217.1	120.2	104.9	82.1	22.8	15.4	12.8	55.4	48.3
2007	217.3	119.3	104.9	83.5	21.5	14.4	12.1	54.9	48.3
2008	218.5	120.6	106.5	84.1	22.5	14.0	11.6	55.2	48.7
2009	220.6	120.2	105.3	83.3	21.9	14.9	12.4	54.5	47.7
2010	222.8	124.7	110.5	87.4	23.0	14.2	11.4	56.0	49.6
2011	224.3	126.1	113.1	90.1	22.9	13.0	10.3	56.2	50.4
2012	225.5	130.6	116.6	93.8	22.8	14.0	10.7	57.9	51.7
2013	226.5	131.0	117.5	92.4	25.1	13.4	10.2	57.8	51.9
2014	226.2	128.6	116.3	90.7	25.7	12.3	9.6	56.9	51.4
2015	225.7	129.7	116.9	92.3	24.6	12.8	9.9	57.5	51.8
2016	226.4	128.1	114.7	89.3	25.5	13.3	10.4	56.6	50.7
2017	227.0	126.9	113.1	91.3	21.8	13.8	10.9	55.9	49.8

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey