

**Number of unemployed, number of job vacancies and unemployment-to-job vacancies ratio, by province and territory
Three-month average ending in August 2017**

Geography	Number of unemployed	Number of job vacancies	Unemployment-to-job vacancies
	Thousands		Ratio
Canada	1,292.7	275.7	4.7
Newfoundland and Labrador	35.9	2.4 ^E	15.2 ^E
Prince Edward Island	6.7	1.1	6.3
Nova Scotia	41.1	5.8	7.0
New Brunswick	27.3	4.0	6.9
Quebec	275.0	62.8	4.4
Ontario	485.6	98.4	4.9
Manitoba	37.7	8.9	4.2
Saskatchewan	39.7	6.2	6.4
Alberta	203.8	39.9	5.1
British Columbia	135.5	45.5	3.0
Yukon	0.5	0.3 ^E	F
Northwest Territories	1.4	0.5 ^E	3.1 ^E
Nunavut	2.5	0.1 ^E	16.7 ^E

Notes: The number of unemployed and ratio include all unemployed individuals, regardless of previous work experience.

E - Use with caution

F - Too unreliable to be published.

Source: Statistics Canada, Business Payrolls Survey, CANSIM table 284-0003

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