

**Number of Businesses by Employment Size Range
Newfoundland and Labrador by Rural Secretariat Region
December 2024**

Rural Secretariat Region	Employment Size Range					Total
	1 to 4	5 to 19	20 to 99	100 to 499	500 +	
Unknown	16	11	1	28
Labrador	297	320	115	22	1	755
St. Anthony - Port au Choix	233	133	22	5	..	393
Corner Brook - Rocky Harbour Region	757	535	155	21	3	1,471
Stephenville - Port aux Basques Region	420	218	50	11	..	699
Grand Falls-Windsor - Baie Verte - Harbour Breton	658	455	117	14	1	1,245
Gander - New-Wes-Valley	767	452	111	15	2	1,347
Clarenville - Bonavista	438	312	84	11	3	848
Burin Peninsula	298	140	39	5	1	483
Avalon Peninsula	4,077	2,802	1,010	192	29	8,110
Newfoundland and Labrador	7,961	5,378	1,704	296	40	15,379

Symbol legend:

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Notes:

All businesses included in the totals have been assigned a valid Industry classification.

Business counts provided are based on establishment which is defined as the most homogeneous unit of production for which the business maintains accounting records. A more detailed definition of an establishment can be viewed at:

<https://www23.statcan.gc.ca/imdb/p3Var.pl?Function=Unit&Id=23893>

Establishment counts will differ from the counts provided by Statistics Canada, Table: 33-10-0222-01 which counts according to the number of statistical locations. For example, a retail business with 10 stores and a head office is counted 11 times in the Canadian business counts. Please consult the guide for more information:

[Definitions and Concepts used in Business Register \(statcan.gc.ca\)](#)

Fluctuations in these figures from one reference period to another can come from methodological changes (for example, changes to the method for identifying inactive units or in business industrial classification strategies). As a result, these data do not only represent changes in the business population over time. Statistics Canada advises users not to use these data as a time series.

Source: Statistics Canada, Business Register