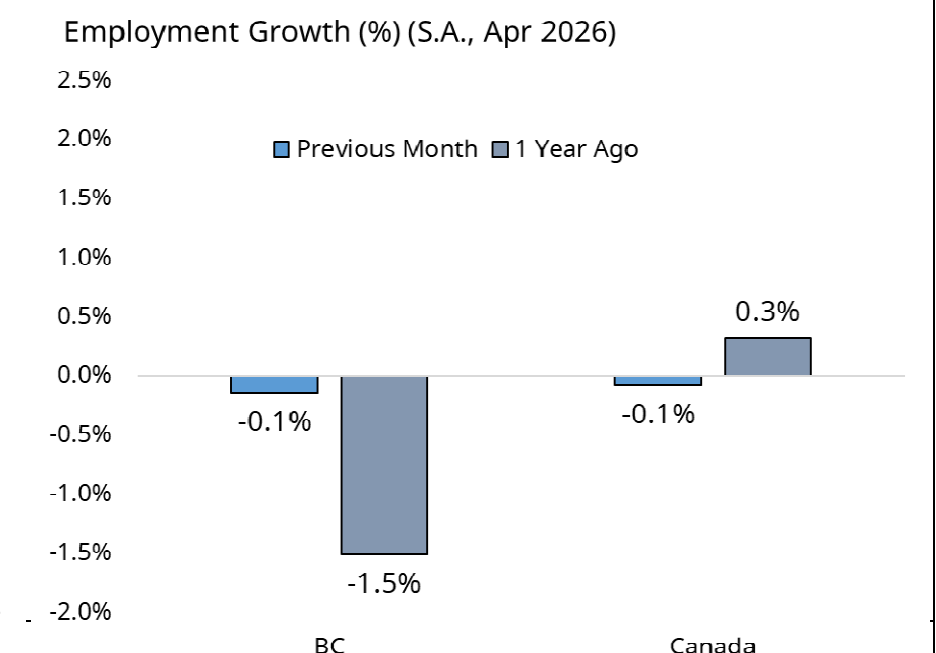
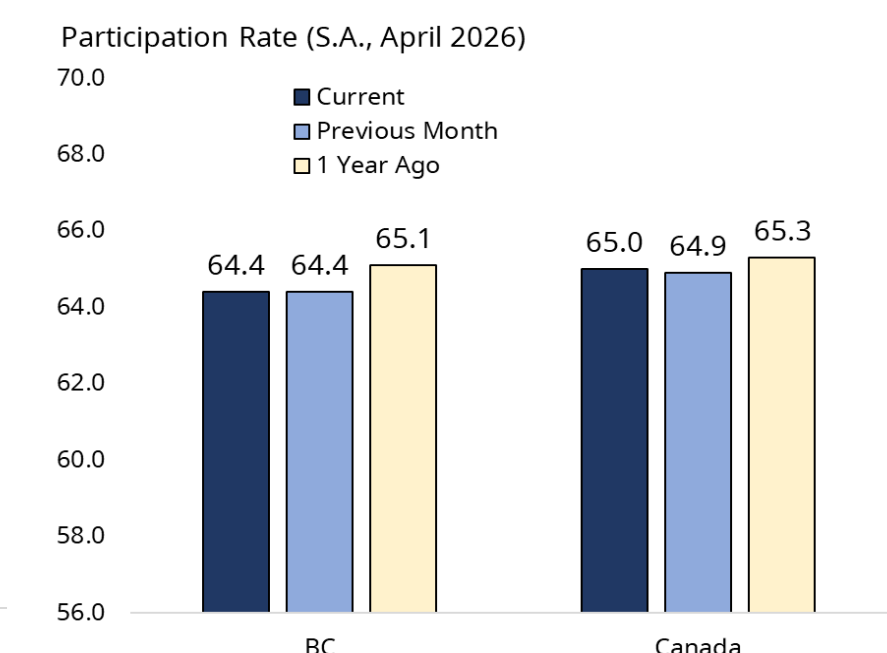
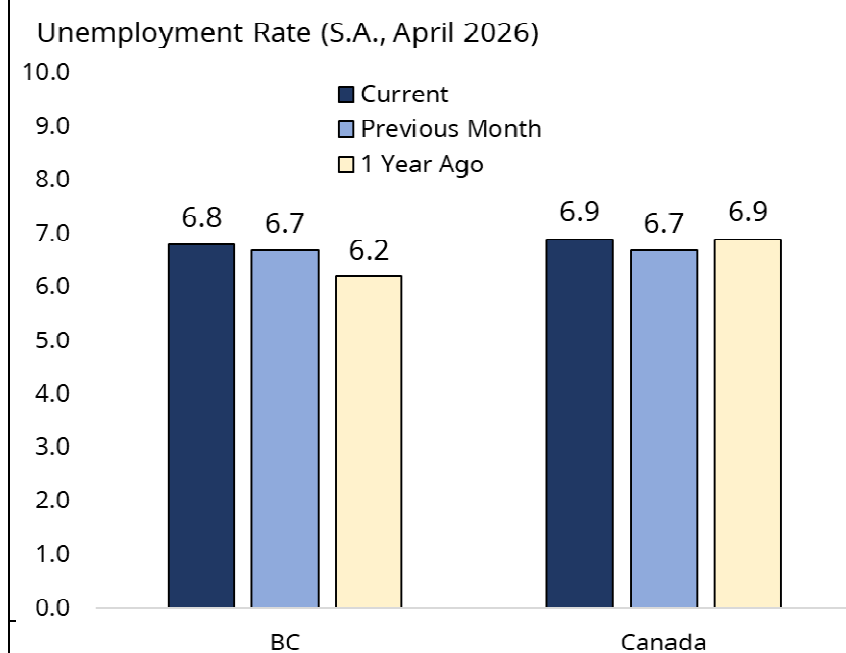


# SUMMARY - BRITISH COLUMBIA AND CANADA LABOUR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS - April 2026

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED					UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY				
	Current Month	Previous Month	One Year Ago	Change From Previous Month	Change From One Year Ago	Current Month	Previous Month	One Year Ago	Change From Previous Month	Change From One Year Ago
<b>British Columbia</b>										
Population (000s)	4,838.5	4,840.3	4,827.5	0.0%	0.2%	4,838.5	4,840.3	4,827.5	0.0%	0.2%
Labour Force (000s)	3,114.6	3,118.1	3,143.3	-0.1%	-0.9%	3,113.0	3,115.0	3,142.7	-0.1%	-0.9%
Employment (000s)	2,903.9	2,908.2	2,948.6	-0.1%	-1.5%	2,904.7	2,889.6	2,951.3	0.5%	-1.6%
Unemployment (000s)	210.7	209.8	194.8	0.4%	8.2%	208.3	225.4	191.4	-7.6%	8.8%
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	6.7	6.2	0.1	0.6	6.7	7.2	6.1	-0.5	0.6
Participation Rate (%)	64.4	64.4	65.1	0.0	-0.7	64.3	64.4	65.1	-0.1	-0.8
Employment Rate (%)	60.0	60.1	61.1	-0.1	-1.1	60.0	59.7	61.1	0.3	-1.1
<b>Canada</b>										
Population (000s)	34,755.6	34,746.7	34,493.6	0.0%	0.8%	34,755.6	34,746.7	34,493.6	0.0%	0.8%
Labour Force (000s)	22,600.1	22,566.6	22,520.2	0.1%	0.4%	22,514.2	22,363.4	22,439.9	0.7%	0.3%
Employment (000s)	21,033.7	21,051.4	20,966.7	-0.1%	0.3%	20,924.7	20,791.4	20,873.8	0.6%	0.2%
Unemployment (000s)	1,566.4	1,515.2	1,553.5	3.4%	0.8%	1,589.5	1,572.0	1,566.1	1.1%	1.5%
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.9	6.7	6.9	0.2	0.0	7.1	7.0	7.0	0.1	0.1
Participation Rate (%)	65.0	64.9	65.3	0.1	-0.3	64.8	64.4	65.1	0.4	-0.3
Employment Rate (%)	60.5	60.6	60.8	-0.1	-0.3	60.2	59.8	60.5	0.4	-0.3



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# BRITISH COLUMBIA - LABOUR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS - ANNUAL, UNADJUSTED, AND SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - April 2026

	LABOUR FORCE		EMPLOYED		UNEMPLOYED		UNEMPLOY.RATE	PART. RATE	<b>B.C. Change in Employment (%), Annual Average</b> 
	('000)	% CHG	('000)	% CHG	('000)	% CHG	%	%	
2016	2,624.5	3.7%	2,464.7	3.8%	159.8	2.3%	6.1	65.2	
2017	2,706.3	3.1%	2,562.9	4.0%	143.4	-10.3%	5.3	66.1	
2018	2,737.2	1.1%	2,609.9	1.8%	127.2	-11.3%	4.6	65.7	
2019	2,816.7	2.9%	2,681.1	2.7%	135.6	6.6%	4.8	66.5	
2020	2,781.1	-1.3%	2,527.3	-5.7%	253.8	87.2%	9.1	64.5	
2021	2,872.4	3.3%	2,683.9	6.2%	188.5	-25.7%	6.6	65.9	
2022	2,911.0	1.3%	2,775.7	3.4%	135.3	-28.2%	4.6	65.5	
2023	3,003.9	3.2%	2,847.9	2.6%	155.9	15.2%	5.2	65.8	
2024	3,085.9	2.7%	2,914.0	2.3%	171.8	10.2%	5.6	65.2	
2025	3,140.8	1.8%	2,946.2	1.1%	194.6	13.3%	6.2	65.0	

UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
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	LABOUR FORCE		EMPLOYED		UNEMPLOYED		UNEMPLOY.RATE	PART. RATE	LABOUR FORCE		EMPLOYED		UNEMPLOYED		UNEMPLOY.RATE	PART. RATE
	('000)	% CHG	('000)	% CHG	('000)	% CHG	%	%	('000)	% CHG	('000)	% CHG	('000)	% CHG	%	%
<b>2025</b> Jan	3,102.2	2.2%	2,904.1	1.5%	198.1	13.7%	6.4	64.5	3,133.9	0.7%	2,946.9	0.7%	187.1	0.8%	6.0	65.2
<b>2025</b> Feb	3,103.1	1.9%	2,918.7	1.1%	184.5	16.4%	5.9	64.5	3,127.3	-0.2%	2,940.4	-0.2%	186.9	-0.1%	6.0	65.0
<b>2025</b> Mar	3,131.5	1.6%	2,937.5	1.1%	193.9	11.0%	6.2	65.0	3,135.1	0.2%	2,944.9	0.2%	190.2	1.8%	6.1	65.0
<b>2025</b> Apr	3,142.7	1.9%	2,951.3	0.8%	191.4	23.2%	6.1	65.1	3,143.3	0.3%	2,948.6	0.1%	194.8	2.4%	6.2	65.1
<b>2025</b> May	3,191.4	2.3%	2,978.9	1.2%	212.5	20.0%	6.7	66.0	3,163.4	0.6%	2,958.7	0.3%	204.7	5.1%	6.5	65.5
<b>2025</b> Jun	3,178.9	2.1%	3,002.8	1.7%	176.1	8.8%	5.5	65.7	3,140.7	-0.7%	2,960.6	0.1%	180.1	-12.0%	5.7	64.9
<b>2025</b> Jul	3,164.3	1.5%	2,965.5	1.2%	198.8	6.6%	6.3	65.3	3,139.5	0.0%	2,952.4	-0.3%	187.2	3.9%	6.0	64.8
<b>2025</b> Aug	3,165.6	1.4%	2,937.2	0.6%	228.4	12.0%	7.2	65.3	3,133.5	-0.2%	2,935.4	-0.6%	198.1	5.8%	6.3	64.7
<b>2025</b> Sep	3,134.1	1.9%	2,944.4	1.4%	189.7	10.7%	6.1	64.6	3,144.4	0.3%	2,943.5	0.3%	200.9	1.4%	6.4	64.9
<b>2025</b> Oct	3,140.4	1.9%	2,944.3	0.9%	196.1	17.7%	6.2	64.8	3,149.5	0.2%	2,940.5	-0.1%	208.9	4.0%	6.6	65.0
<b>2025</b> Nov	3,125.6	1.7%	2,937.9	1.1%	187.7	11.7%	6.0	64.5	3,152.5	0.1%	2,949.5	0.3%	203.0	-2.8%	6.4	65.0
<b>2025</b> Dec	3,109.8	1.1%	2,932.2	0.7%	177.6	8.6%	5.7	64.2	3,143.7	-0.3%	2,944.1	-0.2%	199.6	-1.7%	6.3	64.9
<b>2026</b> Jan	3,097.0	-0.2%	2,904.3	0.0%	192.7	-2.7%	6.2	63.9	3,138.1	-0.2%	2,947.6	0.1%	190.4	-4.6%	6.1	64.8
<b>2026</b> Feb	3,093.0	-0.3%	2,900.7	-0.6%	192.3	4.2%	6.2	63.9	3,118.1	-0.6%	2,927.4	-0.7%	190.7	0.2%	6.1	64.4
<b>2026</b> Mar	3,115.0	-0.5%	2,889.6	-1.6%	225.4	16.2%	7.2	64.4	3,118.1		2,908.2	-0.7%	209.8	10.0%	6.7	64.4
<b>2026</b> Apr	3,113.0	-0.9%	2,904.7	-1.6%	208.3	8.8%	6.7	64.3	3,114.6	-0.1%	2,903.9	-0.1%	210.7	0.4%	6.8	64.4

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## PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - EMPLOYMENT (THOUSANDS) - April 2026

	CANADA	NL	PEI	NS	NB	QUE	ONT	MAN	SASK	ALTA	BC
2016	17,966.9	235.1	72.1	441.9	357.6	4,063.6	6,934.5	638.0	561.1	2,198.3	2,464.7
2017	18,372.2	226.8	74.2	444.8	359.4	4,165.1	7,109.2	648.8	562.5	2,218.4	2,562.9
2018	18,706.6	228.0	76.1	451.1	359.9	4,243.2	7,240.4	653.6	565.2	2,279.3	2,609.9
2019	19,070.8	231.3	78.1	463.8	361.7	4,300.3	7,412.9	661.6	574.5	2,305.5	2,681.1
2020	18,068.5	217.3	76.2	447.2	351.5	4,087.5	7,043.4	635.6	545.3	2,137.1	2,527.3
2021	18,964.1	225.1	80.0	475.5	364.6	4,261.8	7,404.8	664.0	558.3	2,245.9	2,683.9
2022	19,739.5	234.2	84.1	492.1	375.6	4,392.0	7,764.1	687.9	577.8	2,356.0	2,775.7
2023	20,334.8	238.3	89.3	505.3	388.6	4,522.8	8,006.1	706.8	587.0	2,442.6	2,847.9
2024	20,730.5	245.0	92.5	521.3	400.0	4,566.0	8,146.1	724.4	602.2	2,518.9	2,914.0
2025	21,028.7	244.8	93.5	523.5	405.2	4,644.8	8,227.0	736.2	617.4	2,590.1	2,946.2

### MONTHLY, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

<b>2025</b>	Jan	20,986.9	243.1	94.0	526.3	402.8	4,635.8	8,234.2	731.2	608.0	2,564.6	2,946.9
<b>2025</b>	Feb	20,985.5	243.0	93.6	522.1	401.7	4,633.0	8,245.7	733.0	608.9	2,564.2	2,940.4
<b>2025</b>	Mar	20,964.3	244.7	93.4	523.5	402.3	4,631.6	8,221.6	732.5	615.2	2,554.6	2,944.9
<b>2025</b>	Apr	20,966.7	248.0	93.6	516.3	400.8	4,643.8	8,193.6	737.1	617.4	2,567.5	2,948.6
<b>2025</b>	May	20,974.4	247.4	92.0	526.2	407.9	4,629.3	8,198.1	730.8	617.9	2,566.1	2,958.7
<b>2025</b>	Jun	21,040.7	244.8	92.0	522.1	406.2	4,649.8	8,208.3	738.2	619.8	2,598.8	2,960.6
<b>2025</b>	Jul	21,018.3	245.7	92.9	525.5	407.2	4,635.0	8,216.3	741.5	623.0	2,579.0	2,952.4
<b>2025</b>	Aug	20,956.6	242.3	94.2	523.9	402.1	4,642.8	8,190.3	736.6	620.3	2,568.7	2,935.4
<b>2025</b>	Sep	21,009.9	241.0	93.1	524.6	405.8	4,633.9	8,200.2	739.4	619.8	2,608.5	2,943.5
<b>2025</b>	Oct	21,083.6	245.2	93.5	521.4	404.5	4,652.3	8,252.5	736.6	618.4	2,618.6	2,940.5
<b>2025</b>	Nov	21,135.9	243.4	94.1	524.2	409.4	4,651.7	8,256.4	740.1	620.6	2,646.6	2,949.5
<b>2025</b>	Dec	21,146.0	243.5	94.9	524.2	407.5	4,666.0	8,274.5	743.1	617.5	2,630.7	2,944.1
<b>2026</b>	Jan	21,121.2	247.3	95.5	524.7	409.6	4,669.7	8,208.0	744.1	623.6	2,651.0	2,947.6
<b>2026</b>	Feb	21,037.3	249.4	96.2	524.1	409.3	4,612.4	8,211.3	740.1	618.1	2,649.2	2,927.4
<b>2026</b>	Mar	21,051.4	249.6	96.0	528.0	411.3	4,622.3	8,205.5	750.9	623.9	2,655.6	2,908.2
<b>2026</b>	Apr	21,033.7	244.4	95.5	528.7	408.6	4,579.0	8,247.9	749.3	619.9	2,656.6	2,903.9

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## PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - EMPLOYMENT GROWTH (%) - April 2026

	CANADA	NL	PEI	NS	NB	QUE	ONT	MAN	SASK	ALTA	BC
2016	0.6%	-2.1%	-0.8%	-0.4%	0.8%	0.5%	1.0%	0.0%	-0.8%	-2.9%	3.8%
2017	2.3%	-3.5%	2.9%	0.7%	0.5%	2.5%	2.5%	1.7%	0.2%	0.9%	4.0%
2018	1.8%	0.5%	2.6%	1.4%	0.1%	1.9%	1.8%	0.7%	0.5%	2.7%	1.8%
2019	1.9%	1.4%	2.6%	2.8%	0.5%	1.3%	2.4%	1.2%	1.6%	1.1%	2.7%
2020	-5.3%	-6.1%	-2.4%	-3.6%	-2.8%	-4.9%	-5.0%	-3.9%	-5.1%	-7.3%	-5.7%
2021	5.0%	3.6%	5.0%	6.3%	3.7%	4.3%	5.1%	4.5%	2.4%	5.1%	6.2%
2022	4.1%	4.0%	5.1%	3.5%	3.0%	3.1%	4.9%	3.6%	3.5%	4.9%	3.4%
2023	3.0%	1.8%	6.2%	2.7%	3.5%	3.0%	3.1%	2.7%	1.6%	3.7%	2.6%
2024	1.9%	2.8%	3.6%	3.2%	2.9%	1.0%	1.7%	2.5%	2.6%	3.1%	2.3%
2025	1.4%	-0.1%	1.1%	0.4%	1.3%	1.7%	1.0%	1.6%	2.5%	2.8%	1.1%

### MONTHLY, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

<b>2025</b>	Jan	0.2%	-0.1%	-0.3%	-0.3%	0.5%	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	-0.2%	-0.2%	0.7%
<b>2025</b>	Feb	0.0%	0.0%	-0.4%	-0.8%	-0.3%	-0.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	-0.2%
<b>2025</b>	Mar	-0.1%	0.7%	-0.2%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%	-0.3%	-0.1%	1.0%	-0.4%	0.2%
<b>2025</b>	Apr	0.0%	1.3%	0.2%	-1.4%	-0.4%	0.3%	-0.3%	0.6%	0.4%	0.5%	0.1%
<b>2025</b>	May	0.0%	-0.2%	-1.7%	1.9%	1.8%	-0.3%	0.1%	-0.9%	0.1%	-0.1%	0.3%
<b>2025</b>	Jun	0.3%	-1.1%	0.0%	-0.8%	-0.4%	0.4%	0.1%	1.0%	0.3%	1.3%	0.1%
<b>2025</b>	Jul	-0.1%	0.4%	1.0%	0.7%	0.2%	-0.3%	0.1%	0.4%	0.5%	-0.8%	-0.3%
<b>2025</b>	Aug	-0.3%	-1.4%	1.4%	-0.3%	-1.3%	0.2%	-0.3%	-0.7%	-0.4%	-0.4%	-0.6%
<b>2025</b>	Sep	0.3%	-0.5%	-1.2%	0.1%	0.9%	-0.2%	0.1%	0.4%	-0.1%	1.5%	0.3%
<b>2025</b>	Oct	0.4%	1.7%	0.4%	-0.6%	-0.3%	0.4%	0.6%	-0.4%	-0.2%	0.4%	-0.1%
<b>2025</b>	Nov	0.2%	-0.7%	0.6%	0.5%	1.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%	0.4%	1.1%	0.3%
<b>2025</b>	Dec	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%	0.0%	-0.5%	0.3%	0.2%	0.4%	-0.5%	-0.6%	-0.2%
<b>2026</b>	Jan	-0.1%	1.6%	0.6%	0.1%	0.5%	0.1%	-0.8%	0.1%	1.0%	0.8%	0.1%
<b>2026</b>	Feb	-0.4%	0.8%	0.7%	-0.1%	-0.1%	-1.2%	0.0%	-0.5%	-0.9%	-0.1%	-0.7%
<b>2026</b>	Mar	0.1%	0.1%	-0.2%	0.7%	0.5%	0.2%	-0.1%	1.5%	0.9%	0.2%	-0.7%
<b>2026</b>	Apr	-0.1%	-2.1%	-0.5%	0.1%	-0.7%	-0.9%	0.5%	-0.2%	-0.6%	0.0%	-0.1%

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## PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - JOBS CREATED/LOST (THOUSANDS) - April 2026

	CANADA	NL	PEI	NS	NB	QUE	ONT	MAN	SASK	ALTA	BC
2016	109.7	-5.0	-0.6	-1.8	2.9	21.7	71.8	0.1	-4.4	-64.7	89.7
2017	405.3	-8.3	2.1	2.9	1.8	101.5	174.7	10.8	1.4	20.1	98.2
2018	334.4	1.2	1.9	6.3	0.5	78.1	131.2	4.8	2.7	60.9	47.0
2019	364.2	3.3	2.0	12.7	1.8	57.1	172.5	8.0	9.3	26.2	71.2
2020	-1,002.3	-14.0	-1.9	-16.6	-10.2	-212.8	-369.5	-26.0	-29.2	-168.4	-153.8
2021	895.6	7.8	3.8	28.3	13.1	174.3	361.4	28.4	13.0	108.8	156.6
2022	775.4	9.1	4.1	16.6	11.0	130.2	359.3	23.9	19.5	110.1	91.8
2023	595.3	4.1	5.2	13.2	13.0	130.8	242.0	18.9	9.2	86.6	72.2
2024	395.7	6.7	3.2	16.0	11.4	43.2	140.0	17.6	15.2	76.3	66.1
2025	298.2	-0.2	1.0	2.2	5.2	78.8	80.9	11.8	15.2	71.2	32.2

### MONTHLY, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

<b>2025</b>	Jan	52.2	-0.3	-0.3	-1.4	2.0	10.9	24.2	1.6	-1.4	-4.3	21.3
<b>2025</b>	Feb	-1.4	-0.1	-0.4	-4.2	-1.1	-2.8	11.5	1.8	0.9	-0.4	-6.5
<b>2025</b>	Mar	-21.2	1.7	-0.2	1.4	0.6	-1.4	-24.1	-0.5	6.3	-9.6	4.5
<b>2025</b>	Apr	2.4	3.3	0.2	-7.2	-1.5	12.2	-28.0	4.6	2.2	12.9	3.7
<b>2025</b>	May	7.7	-0.6	-1.6	9.9	7.1	-14.5	4.5	-6.3	0.5	-1.4	10.1
<b>2025</b>	Jun	66.3	-2.6	0.0	-4.1	-1.7	20.5	10.2	7.4	1.9	32.7	1.9
<b>2025</b>	Jul	-22.4	0.9	0.9	3.4	1.0	-14.8	8.0	3.3	3.2	-19.8	-8.2
<b>2025</b>	Aug	-61.7	-3.4	1.3	-1.6	-5.1	7.8	-26.0	-4.9	-2.7	-10.3	-17.0
<b>2025</b>	Sep	53.3	-1.3	-1.1	0.7	3.7	-8.9	9.9	2.8	-0.5	39.8	8.1
<b>2025</b>	Oct	73.7	4.2	0.4	-3.2	-1.3	18.4	52.3	-2.8	-1.4	10.1	-3.0
<b>2025</b>	Nov	52.3	-1.8	0.6	2.8	4.9	-0.6	3.9	3.5	2.2	28.0	9.0
<b>2025</b>	Dec	10.1	0.1	0.8	0.0	-1.9	14.3	18.1	3.0	-3.1	-15.9	-5.4
<b>2026</b>	Jan	-24.8	3.8	0.6	0.5	2.1	3.7	-66.5	1.0	6.1	20.3	3.5
<b>2026</b>	Feb	-83.9	2.1	0.7	-0.6	-0.3	-57.3	3.3	-4.0	-5.5	-1.8	-20.2
<b>2026</b>	Mar	14.1	0.2	-0.2	3.9	2.0	9.9	-5.8	10.8	5.8	6.4	-19.2
<b>2026</b>	Apr	-17.7	-5.2	-0.5	0.7	-2.7	-43.3	42.4	-1.6	-4.0	1.0	-4.3

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## PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - EMPLOYMENT RATES - April 2026

	CANADA	NL	PEI	NS	NB	QUE	ONT	MAN	SASK	ALTA	BC
2016	61.1	52.4	59.4	56.5	56.7	59.9	60.7	63.9	65.2	66.3	61.2
2017	61.7	50.5	60.1	56.3	56.8	60.9	61.2	64.0	64.8	66.3	62.6
2018	61.9	50.8	60.5	56.5	56.5	61.5	61.2	63.5	64.6	67.1	62.6
2019	62.3	51.5	60.7	57.3	56.4	61.8	61.6	63.5	65.2	66.8	63.3
2020	58.1	48.4	57.8	54.4	54.3	58.2	57.5	60.3	61.7	61.1	58.6
2021	60.5	50.0	59.3	57.1	55.7	60.3	59.9	62.5	63.1	63.7	61.6
2022	62.0	51.7	60.2	57.7	56.1	61.6	61.8	63.7	64.6	65.5	62.5
2023	62.2	51.8	61.4	57.6	56.4	62.4	62.0	63.8	64.0	65.4	62.4
2024	61.3	52.5	61.3	57.8	56.3	61.4	60.7	63.1	63.7	64.4	61.6
2025	60.8	52.0	60.8	57.3	56.2	61.3	60.0	62.7	63.9	63.9	60.9

### MONTHLY, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

<b>2025</b>	Jan	61.1	51.8	61.7	57.9	56.2	61.5	60.4	62.8	63.5	64.1	61.3
<b>2025</b>	Feb	61.0	51.7	61.3	57.3	56.0	61.4	60.4	62.8	63.4	63.9	61.1
<b>2025</b>	Mar	60.9	52.0	61.1	57.4	56.0	61.3	60.2	62.7	64.0	63.5	61.1
<b>2025</b>	Apr	60.8	52.7	61.1	56.6	55.7	61.4	59.9	62.9	64.1	63.7	61.1
<b>2025</b>	May	60.7	52.5	60.0	57.7	56.7	61.1	59.9	62.3	64.1	63.5	61.2
<b>2025</b>	Jun	60.9	52.0	59.7	57.2	56.4	61.3	59.9	62.9	64.2	64.1	61.2
<b>2025</b>	Jul	60.7	52.1	60.2	57.5	56.5	61.0	59.9	63.1	64.4	63.5	61.0
<b>2025</b>	Aug	60.5	51.4	61.0	57.3	55.7	61.1	59.7	62.6	64.1	63.2	60.6
<b>2025</b>	Sep	60.6	51.1	60.2	57.3	56.2	61.0	59.7	62.7	63.9	64.0	60.7
<b>2025</b>	Oct	60.8	51.9	60.4	56.9	55.9	61.2	60.1	62.4	63.7	64.1	60.6
<b>2025</b>	Nov	60.9	51.5	60.6	57.2	56.6	61.2	60.1	62.7	63.9	64.7	60.8
<b>2025</b>	Dec	60.9	51.5	61.1	57.1	56.3	61.4	60.2	62.9	63.5	64.2	60.7
<b>2026</b>	Jan	60.8	52.3	61.5	57.1	56.5	61.5	59.7	62.9	64.0	64.5	60.9
<b>2026</b>	Feb	60.6	52.7	61.8	57.0	56.5	60.7	59.7	62.5	63.4	64.4	60.5
<b>2026</b>	Mar	60.6	52.7	61.6	57.4	56.7	60.9	59.6	63.4	63.9	64.4	60.1
<b>2026</b>	Apr	60.5	51.6	61.2	57.4	56.3	60.4	59.9	63.1	63.3	64.4	60.0

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## PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - UNEMPLOYMENT RATES - April 2026

	CANADA	NL	PEI	NS	NB	QUE	ONT	MAN	SASK	ALTA	BC
2016	7.1	13.7	10.8	8.4	9.7	7.2	6.6	6.1	6.5	8.2	6.1
2017	6.4	15.2	10.0	8.7	8.3	6.1	6.1	5.3	6.4	8.0	5.3
2018	5.8	14.0	9.9	7.9	8.1	5.5	5.7	6.0	6.1	6.5	4.6
2019	5.7	12.2	9.0	7.5	8.2	5.1	5.5	5.3	5.5	6.9	4.8
2020	9.7	14.3	10.6	9.9	10.4	8.9	9.8	8.1	8.3	11.4	9.1
2021	7.5	13.0	9.8	8.6	9.3	6.1	8.1	6.5	6.5	8.6	6.6
2022	5.3	11.3	7.7	6.6	7.2	4.3	5.6	4.5	4.6	5.8	4.6
2023	5.4	9.9	7.2	6.4	6.6	4.5	5.6	4.9	4.7	5.9	5.2
2024	6.3	10.0	8.0	6.5	7.0	5.3	7.0	5.4	5.4	7.0	5.6
2025	6.8	10.1	8.0	6.6	7.1	5.6	7.7	5.9	5.2	7.2	6.2

### MONTHLY, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

<b>2025</b>	Jan	6.7	10.4	7.3	6.1	6.4	5.5	7.6	6.1	5.2	6.8	6.0
<b>2025</b>	Feb	6.6	10.5	7.9	6.7	7.4	5.4	7.4	6.1	5.3	6.8	6.0
<b>2025</b>	Mar	6.8	10.1	7.7	6.1	6.9	5.8	7.5	6.0	4.9	7.2	6.1
<b>2025</b>	Apr	6.9	9.7	7.0	7.2	6.9	6.0	7.8	5.4	4.4	7.2	6.2
<b>2025</b>	May	7.0	9.7	8.5	6.5	6.3	5.8	7.9	5.8	4.3	7.4	6.5
<b>2025</b>	Jun	6.9	9.6	8.5	6.8	7.4	6.2	7.8	5.5	4.9	6.8	5.7
<b>2025</b>	Jul	6.9	10.6	8.6	6.9	7.5	5.5	7.8	5.5	5.1	7.9	6.0
<b>2025</b>	Aug	7.1	10.7	8.0	6.5	7.7	5.9	7.7	5.8	4.8	8.2	6.3
<b>2025</b>	Sep	7.1	10.5	9.5	6.2	7.9	5.7	7.9	6.2	6.0	7.7	6.4
<b>2025</b>	Oct	6.9	10.2	8.2	6.7	7.7	5.3	7.6	5.9	5.5	7.6	6.6
<b>2025</b>	Nov	6.6	10.4	7.6	6.6	6.6	5.1	7.4	6.1	5.7	6.5	6.4
<b>2025</b>	Dec	6.8	10.5	7.1	6.4	6.5	5.3	7.9	5.7	6.4	6.7	6.3
<b>2026</b>	Jan	6.5	9.2	7.6	6.9	6.7	5.2	7.3	6.3	5.3	6.4	6.1
<b>2026</b>	Feb	6.7	9.2	7.2	7.1	7.0	5.9	7.6	5.7	5.6	6.3	6.1
<b>2026</b>	Mar	6.7	9.5	7.3	6.6	7.0	5.4	7.6	5.6	5.0	6.5	6.7
<b>2026</b>	Apr	6.9	10.0	8.0	6.3	7.2	6.2	7.5	5.0	5.6	7.0	6.8

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# BRITISH COLUMBIA - EMPLOYMENT (THOUSANDS) BY FULL-TIME, PART-TIME, AND GENDER - SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - April 2026

		TOTAL				MEN+				WOMEN+			
		TOTAL	FULL-TIME	PART-TIME	PART-TIME AS % OF TOTAL	TOTAL	FULL-TIME	PART-TIME	PART-TIME AS % OF TOTAL	TOTAL	FULL-TIME	PART-TIME	PART-TIME AS % OF TOTAL
	2016	2,464.7	1,937.1	527.6	21.4	1,285.6	1,112.3	173.3	13.5	1,179.1	824.8	354.3	30.0
	2017	2,562.9	2,015.6	547.3	21.4	1,336.2	1,146.6	189.6	14.2	1,226.7	869.0	357.7	29.2
	2018	2,609.9	2,055.5	554.4	21.2	1,365.3	1,181.5	183.7	13.5	1,244.6	874.0	370.6	29.8
	2019	2,681.1	2,098.0	583.1	21.7	1,401.6	1,193.8	207.8	14.8	1,279.6	904.2	375.3	29.3
	2020	2,527.3	1,996.8	530.5	21.0	1,330.2	1,144.3	185.9	14.0	1,197.1	852.5	344.7	28.8
	2021	2,683.9	2,102.2	581.7	21.7	1,413.1	1,202.6	210.5	14.9	1,270.9	899.6	371.2	29.2
	2022	2,775.7	2,204.4	571.4	20.6	1,440.1	1,243.5	196.6	13.7	1,335.6	960.8	374.7	28.1
	2023	2,847.9	2,280.3	567.6	19.9	1,484.2	1,282.7	201.6	13.6	1,363.7	997.7	366.0	26.8
	2024	2,914.0	2,335.5	578.6	19.9	1,533.4	1,328.7	204.6	13.3	1,380.7	1,006.7	374.0	27.1
	2025	2,946.2	2,348.4	597.8	20.3	1,553.4	1,331.7	221.8	14.3	1,392.8	1,016.7	376.1	27.0
<b>MONTHLY, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:</b>													
<b>2025</b>	Jan	2,946.9	2,343.9	603.0	20.5	1,561.1	1,330.0	231.2	14.8	1,385.7	1,013.9	371.9	26.8
<b>2025</b>	Feb	2,940.4	2,347.5	592.9	20.2	1,557.8	1,334.1	223.8	14.4	1,382.6	1,013.4	369.1	26.7
<b>2025</b>	Mar	2,944.9	2,355.4	589.5	20.0	1,548.4	1,330.7	217.7	14.1	1,396.5	1,024.7	371.8	26.6
<b>2025</b>	Apr	2,948.6	2,364.8	583.8	19.8	1,558.9	1,339.4	219.5	14.1	1,389.7	1,025.3	364.3	26.2
<b>2025</b>	May	2,958.7	2,380.8	577.9	19.5	1,558.3	1,356.9	201.4	12.9	1,400.4	1,023.9	376.5	26.9
<b>2025</b>	Jun	2,960.6	2,362.0	598.5	20.2	1,555.8	1,342.3	213.6	13.7	1,404.7	1,019.8	385.0	27.4
<b>2025</b>	Jul	2,952.4	2,343.6	608.7	20.6	1,562.0	1,338.9	223.1	14.3	1,390.4	1,004.8	385.6	27.7
<b>2025</b>	Aug	2,935.4	2,334.1	601.3	20.5	1,557.1	1,333.4	223.7	14.4	1,378.3	1,000.8	377.6	27.4
<b>2025</b>	Sep	2,943.5	2,333.8	609.7	20.7	1,548.5	1,325.3	223.3	14.4	1,395.0	1,008.6	386.5	27.7
<b>2025</b>	Oct	2,940.5	2,336.2	604.3	20.6	1,543.9	1,328.7	215.3	13.9	1,396.6	1,007.6	389.0	27.9
<b>2025</b>	Nov	2,949.5	2,340.0	609.5	20.7	1,550.8	1,310.9	239.9	15.5	1,398.7	1,029.2	369.5	26.4
<b>2025</b>	Dec	2,944.1	2,340.0	604.2	20.5	1,538.2	1,313.8	224.5	14.6	1,405.9	1,026.2	379.7	27.0
<b>2026</b>	Jan	2,947.6	2,376.4	571.2	19.4	1,534.0	1,330.4	203.6	13.3	1,413.7	1,046.0	367.7	26.0
<b>2026</b>	Feb	2,927.4	2,343.9	583.5	19.9	1,518.5	1,307.5	211.0	13.9	1,408.9	1,036.4	372.5	26.4
<b>2026</b>	Mar	2,908.2	2,320.2	588.1	20.2	1,512.1	1,293.6	218.5	14.5	1,396.1	1,026.6	369.6	26.5
<b>2026</b>	Apr	2,903.9	2,308.5	595.4	20.5	1,513.7	1,287.5	226.2	14.9	1,390.2	1,021.0	369.2	26.6

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**BRITISH COLUMBIA - PART., UNEMP., AND EMP. RATE BY AGE AND GENDER - SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - April 2026**

	TOTAL									MEN+									WOMEN+								
	PART. RATE (%)			UNEMPLOY. RATE (%)			EMPLOY. RATE (%)			PART. RATE (%)			UNEMPLOY. RATE (%)			EMPLOY. RATE (%)			PART. RATE (%)			UNEMPLOY. RATE (%)			EMPLOY. RATE (%)		
	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+
2016	65.2	64.2	65.4	6.1	10.1	5.4	61.2	57.7	61.8	69.5	62.9	70.7	6.6	11.4	5.8	65.0	55.7	66.6	61.0	65.6	60.3	5.5	8.7	5.0	57.6	59.9	57.3
2017	66.1	67.9	65.8	5.3	8.5	4.7	62.6	62.1	62.7	70.3	67.3	70.9	5.6	10.4	4.8	66.4	60.3	67.5	62.1	68.5	61.0	5.0	6.6	4.7	59.0	64.0	58.2
2018	65.7	66.2	65.6	4.6	7.5	4.2	62.6	61.2	62.9	69.9	64.7	70.8	4.7	8.3	4.1	66.6	59.3	67.9	61.6	67.8	60.7	4.6	6.7	4.2	58.8	63.3	58.1
2019	66.5	67.0	66.4	4.8	9.2	4.1	63.3	60.9	63.7	70.6	65.6	71.4	4.8	10.2	3.9	67.2	58.9	68.7	62.5	68.5	61.6	4.9	8.1	4.3	59.5	62.9	58.9
2020	64.5	61.6	64.9	9.1	18.9	7.6	58.6	50.0	60.0	69.0	62.4	70.1	9.2	19.4	7.6	62.6	50.3	64.7	60.1	60.9	60.0	9.1	18.3	7.6	54.7	49.7	55.4
2021	65.9	65.9	65.9	6.6	12.3	5.7	61.6	57.9	62.2	70.5	65.7	71.2	6.5	12.6	5.6	65.9	57.5	67.2	61.5	66.2	60.8	6.6	11.9	5.7	57.4	58.3	57.3
2022	65.5	66.5	65.4	4.6	8.9	4.0	62.5	60.5	62.8	69.3	64.5	70.1	4.9	10.8	4.0	65.9	57.5	67.3	61.9	68.5	60.9	4.4	7.1	4.0	59.1	63.6	58.5
2023	65.8	65.6	65.8	5.2	9.6	4.5	62.4	59.3	62.8	69.7	65.6	70.3	5.2	9.8	4.5	66.1	59.2	67.2	62.0	65.6	61.5	5.2	9.3	4.6	58.8	59.5	58.7
2024	65.2	62.6	65.6	5.6	11.4	4.7	61.6	55.5	62.6	69.6	62.6	70.8	5.5	11.4	4.6	65.8	55.5	67.5	61.0	62.6	60.7	5.7	11.4	4.8	57.5	55.5	57.8
2025	65.0	60.3	65.7	6.2	13.4	5.1	60.9	52.2	62.3	69.5	62.1	70.8	6.2	12.5	5.2	65.2	54.3	67.1	60.6	58.4	60.9	6.2	14.5	5.0	56.8	49.9	57.8

**MONTHLY, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:**

<b>2025</b>	Jan	65.2	61.1	65.9	6.0	12.3	5.0	61.3	53.6	62.6	69.8	63.8	70.8	5.5	11.2	4.7	65.9	56.7	67.5	60.8	58.2	61.2	6.5	13.6	5.4	56.9	50.3	57.9
<b>2025</b>	Feb	65.0	59.7	65.8	6.0	13.0	4.9	61.1	51.9	62.6	69.8	62.6	71.0	5.9	12.9	4.8	65.7	54.5	67.6	60.3	56.6	60.9	6.1	13.1	5.1	56.6	49.2	57.8
<b>2025</b>	Mar	65.0	59.7	65.9	6.1	13.3	5.0	61.1	51.7	62.6	69.3	60.3	70.8	5.9	12.5	4.9	65.2	52.7	67.3	60.9	59.1	61.2	6.3	14.2	5.1	57.1	50.7	58.1
<b>2025</b>	Apr	65.1	60.7	65.8	6.2	13.3	5.1	61.1	52.7	62.4	69.5	61.9	70.8	5.7	12.2	4.7	65.5	54.4	67.4	60.9	59.5	61.1	6.8	14.5	5.6	56.8	50.8	57.7
<b>2025</b>	May	65.5	63.5	65.8	6.5	16.6	4.9	61.2	53.0	62.6	70.0	64.7	70.9	6.5	14.8	5.2	65.5	55.1	67.2	61.0	62.4	60.9	6.4	18.6	4.5	57.1	50.7	58.1
<b>2025</b>	Jun	64.9	60.6	65.6	5.7	12.9	4.7	61.2	52.8	62.6	69.4	61.5	70.8	5.9	12.0	5.0	65.3	54.1	67.2	60.6	59.5	60.7	5.5	13.8	4.3	57.2	51.3	58.2
<b>2025</b>	Jul	64.8	60.1	65.6	6.0	12.3	5.0	61.0	52.7	62.3	69.7	61.9	71.0	6.1	10.4	5.4	65.5	55.5	67.2	60.1	58.2	60.4	5.8	14.6	4.5	56.6	49.7	57.6
<b>2025</b>	Aug	64.7	59.3	65.5	6.3	13.0	5.3	60.6	51.6	62.0	69.8	62.9	71.0	6.5	12.1	5.7	65.2	55.4	66.9	59.7	55.4	60.3	6.1	14.2	5.0	56.1	47.6	57.4
<b>2025</b>	Sep	64.9	59.9	65.7	6.4	13.9	5.3	60.7	51.6	62.2	69.4	62.6	70.6	6.6	14.0	5.5	64.9	53.9	66.7	60.4	56.9	61.0	6.2	13.8	5.1	56.7	49.1	57.9
<b>2025</b>	Oct	65.0	60.1	65.7	6.6	15.2	5.4	60.6	51.0	62.2	69.5	61.6	70.9	7.0	15.8	5.7	64.7	51.9	66.8	60.5	58.6	60.8	6.2	14.6	5.0	56.8	50.0	57.8
<b>2025</b>	Nov	65.0	61.0	65.7	6.4	12.8	5.5	60.8	53.2	62.1	69.3	62.4	70.5	6.2	11.5	5.4	65.0	55.2	66.6	60.9	59.6	61.1	6.7	14.2	5.5	56.8	51.2	57.7
<b>2025</b>	Dec	64.9	58.7	65.8	6.3	13.0	5.4	60.7	51.1	62.3	68.8	59.8	70.3	6.2	13.0	5.3	64.5	52.0	66.6	61.1	57.5	61.6	6.5	12.9	5.5	57.1	50.1	58.2
<b>2026</b>	Jan	64.8	59.7	65.6	6.1	13.8	4.9	60.9	51.5	62.3	68.4	60.0	69.8	5.9	12.7	4.9	64.3	52.3	66.4	61.3	59.5	61.6	6.3	14.9	5.0	57.5	50.6	58.5
<b>2026</b>	Feb	64.4	57.9	65.4	6.1	13.8	5.0	60.5	49.9	62.1	67.9	58.4	69.5	6.1	14.3	5.0	63.7	50.1	66.0	61.0	57.3	61.6	6.1	13.3	5.1	57.3	49.6	58.4
<b>2026</b>	Mar	64.4	58.5	65.4	6.7	15.6	5.5	60.1	49.4	61.8	67.9	58.8	69.5	6.6	14.8	5.4	63.5	50.1	65.8	61.0	58.2	61.4	6.9	16.4	5.6	56.8	48.7	58.0
<b>2026</b>	Apr	64.4	58.6	65.3	6.8	14.4	5.7	60.0	50.1	61.6	68.2	60.2	69.6	6.8	16.2	5.4	63.6	50.4	65.8	60.7	56.8	61.2	6.8	12.3	6.0	56.6	49.8	57.6

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**BRITISH COLUMBIA - PART., UNEMP., AND EMP. RATE BY AGE AND GENDER - UNADJUSTED - April 2026**

	TOTAL									MEN+									WOMEN+								
	PART. RATE (%)			UNEMPLOY. RATE (%)			EMPLOY. RATE (%)			PART. RATE (%)			UNEMPLOY. RATE (%)			EMPLOY. RATE (%)			PART. RATE (%)			UNEMPLOY. RATE (%)			EMPLOY. RATE (%)		
	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+
2016	65.2	64.2	65.4	6.1	10.1	5.4	61.2	57.7	61.8	69.5	62.9	70.7	6.6	11.4	5.8	65.0	55.7	66.6	61.0	65.6	60.3	5.5	8.7	5.0	57.6	59.9	57.3
2017	66.1	67.9	65.8	5.3	8.5	4.7	62.6	62.1	62.7	70.3	67.3	70.9	5.6	10.4	4.8	66.4	60.3	67.5	62.1	68.5	61.0	5.0	6.6	4.7	59.0	64.0	58.2
2018	65.7	66.2	65.6	4.6	7.5	4.2	62.6	61.2	62.9	69.9	64.7	70.8	4.7	8.3	4.1	66.6	59.3	67.9	61.6	67.8	60.7	4.6	6.7	4.2	58.8	63.3	58.1
2019	66.5	67.0	66.4	4.8	9.2	4.1	63.3	60.9	63.7	70.6	65.6	71.4	4.8	10.2	3.9	67.2	58.9	68.7	62.5	68.5	61.6	4.9	8.1	4.3	59.5	62.9	58.9
2020	64.5	61.6	64.9	9.1	18.9	7.6	58.6	50.0	60.0	69.0	62.4	70.1	9.2	19.4	7.6	62.6	50.3	64.7	60.1	60.9	60.0	9.1	18.3	7.6	54.7	49.7	55.4
2021	65.9	65.9	65.9	6.6	12.3	5.7	61.6	57.9	62.2	70.5	65.7	71.2	6.5	12.6	5.6	65.9	57.5	67.2	61.5	66.2	60.8	6.6	11.9	5.7	57.4	58.3	57.3
2022	65.5	66.5	65.4	4.6	8.9	4.0	62.5	60.5	62.8	69.3	64.5	70.1	4.9	10.8	4.0	65.9	57.5	67.3	61.9	68.5	60.9	4.4	7.1	4.0	59.1	63.6	58.5
2023	65.8	65.6	65.8	5.2	9.6	4.5	62.4	59.3	62.8	69.7	65.6	70.3	5.2	9.8	4.5	66.1	59.2	67.2	62.0	65.6	61.5	5.2	9.3	4.6	58.8	59.5	58.7
2024	65.2	62.6	65.6	5.6	11.4	4.7	61.6	55.5	62.6	69.6	62.6	70.8	5.5	11.4	4.6	65.8	55.5	67.5	61.0	62.6	60.7	5.7	11.4	4.8	57.5	55.5	57.8
2025	65.0	60.3	65.7	6.2	13.4	5.1	60.9	52.2	62.3	69.5	62.1	70.8	6.2	12.5	5.2	65.2	54.3	67.1	60.6	58.4	60.9	6.2	14.5	5.0	56.8	49.9	57.8

**MONTHLY, UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:**

<b>2025</b>	Jan	64.5	57.6	65.7	6.4	12.1	5.6	60.4	50.6	62.0	69.1	60.1	70.7	6.1	11.2	5.4	64.9	53.4	66.8	60.1	54.9	60.9	6.7	13.2	5.7	56.1	47.6	57.4
<b>2025</b>	Feb	64.5	56.6	65.8	5.9	12.6	5.0	60.6	49.5	62.5	69.2	59.0	70.9	6.0	12.4	5.1	65.0	51.7	67.3	59.9	54.0	60.8	5.9	12.8	5.0	56.4	47.1	57.8
<b>2025</b>	Mar	65.0	57.9	66.1	6.2	13.2	5.2	60.9	50.3	62.7	69.1	57.7	71.0	6.1	11.7	5.3	64.9	50.9	67.3	61.0	58.2	61.4	6.3	14.7	5.1	57.1	49.6	58.3
<b>2025</b>	Apr	65.1	59.3	66.0	6.1	13.0	5.1	61.1	51.6	62.7	69.4	59.9	71.0	5.9	11.7	5.1	65.2	52.9	67.3	61.0	58.7	61.3	6.3	14.5	5.0	57.2	50.2	58.2
<b>2025</b>	May	66.0	65.5	66.1	6.7	18.0	4.8	61.7	53.7	62.9	70.8	67.7	71.3	7.0	17.2	5.3	65.8	56.1	67.5	61.4	63.2	61.2	6.3	19.1	4.2	57.6	51.1	58.6
<b>2025</b>	Jun	65.7	63.8	66.0	5.5	12.4	4.5	62.1	55.9	63.1	70.1	64.5	71.1	5.6	10.9	4.7	66.2	57.4	67.7	61.4	63.0	61.2	5.5	13.9	4.2	58.0	54.2	58.6
<b>2025</b>	Jul	65.3	66.4	65.2	6.3	13.1	5.2	61.2	57.7	61.8	70.5	67.6	71.0	5.9	10.3	5.1	66.3	60.7	67.3	60.4	65.1	59.6	6.7	16.2	5.2	56.3	54.5	56.6
<b>2025</b>	Aug	65.3	64.7	65.4	7.2	13.7	6.2	60.6	55.9	61.4	70.4	68.6	70.7	6.6	12.7	5.6	65.7	59.9	66.7	60.4	60.6	60.4	7.9	14.9	6.9	55.6	51.6	56.3
<b>2025</b>	Sep	64.6	58.5	65.6	6.1	14.2	4.9	60.7	50.2	62.4	69.2	61.8	70.5	6.2	13.6	5.1	64.9	53.4	66.9	60.2	55.1	61.0	5.9	15.0	4.7	56.7	46.8	58.2
<b>2025</b>	Oct	64.8	59.0	65.7	6.2	15.6	4.9	60.7	49.7	62.5	69.4	61.1	70.8	6.7	16.6	5.2	64.7	51.0	67.1	60.3	56.6	60.9	5.8	14.5	4.5	56.8	48.4	58.1
<b>2025</b>	Nov	64.5	58.8	65.4	6.0	11.8	5.2	60.6	51.9	62.0	68.9	60.1	70.3	5.9	10.1	5.3	64.8	54.0	66.6	60.2	57.4	60.6	6.1	13.8	5.0	56.5	49.5	57.6
<b>2025</b>	Dec	64.2	55.8	65.5	5.7	10.7	5.0	60.5	49.9	62.2	68.1	57.4	70.0	5.9	11.3	5.2	64.1	50.9	66.3	60.3	54.1	61.2	5.5	10.0	4.9	57.0	48.7	58.3
<b>2026</b>	Jan	63.9	56.0	65.2	6.2	13.7	5.2	60.0	48.4	61.8	67.5	56.0	69.4	6.4	12.8	5.5	63.2	48.8	65.6	60.5	56.1	61.2	6.0	14.7	4.8	56.9	47.9	58.2
<b>2026</b>	Feb	63.9	54.6	65.4	6.2	14.4	5.1	59.9	46.7	62.0	67.3	55.9	69.2	6.8	17.6	5.4	62.7	46.1	65.5	60.6	53.2	61.7	5.6	10.9	4.9	57.2	47.4	58.7
<b>2026</b>	Mar	64.4	57.4	65.5	7.2	17.1	5.9	59.7	47.6	61.6	67.4	56.7	69.2	7.3	18.2	5.8	62.5	46.4	65.2	61.4	58.1	61.9	7.2	16.0	6.0	57.0	48.8	58.2
<b>2026</b>	Apr	64.3	57.3	65.5	6.7	14.3	5.6	60.0	49.1	61.8	68.0	58.2	69.6	7.0	16.6	5.6	63.2	48.5	65.7	60.8	56.3	61.5	6.4	11.7	5.6	56.9	49.7	58.0

**BRITISH COLUMBIA - EMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYED (THOUSANDS) BY AGE AND GENDER - SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - April 2026**

	TOTAL						MEN+						WOMEN+					
	EMPLOYED ('000)			UNEMPLOYED ('000)			EMPLOYED ('000)			UNEMPLOYED ('000)			EMPLOYED ('000)			UNEMPLOYED ('000)		
	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+
2016	2,464.7	333.7	2,131.0	159.8	37.5	122.3	1,285.6	167.9	1,117.7	91.0	21.7	69.3	1,179.1	165.8	1,013.3	68.8	15.8	53.0
2017	2,562.9	365.7	2,197.2	143.4	34.1	109.2	1,336.2	184.3	1,151.8	79.4	21.3	58.1	1,226.7	181.4	1,045.3	64.0	12.8	51.1
2018	2,609.9	369.1	2,240.8	127.2	30.0	97.3	1,365.3	184.7	1,180.6	67.2	16.7	50.6	1,244.6	184.4	1,060.3	60.0	13.3	46.7
2019	2,681.1	369.8	2,311.3	135.6	37.3	98.4	1,401.6	184.1	1,217.4	70.1	20.9	49.2	1,279.6	185.7	1,093.9	65.5	16.4	49.1
2020	2,527.3	304.8	2,222.5	253.8	70.8	183.0	1,330.2	156.7	1,173.4	134.5	37.6	96.9	1,197.1	148.0	1,049.1	119.3	33.2	86.2
2021	2,683.9	341.6	2,342.4	188.5	47.7	140.8	1,413.1	173.1	1,240.0	98.9	24.9	74.0	1,270.9	168.5	1,102.4	89.6	22.7	66.8
2022	2,775.7	359.4	2,416.3	135.3	35.2	100.1	1,440.1	174.1	1,266.1	73.7	21.1	52.7	1,335.6	185.3	1,150.2	61.5	14.1	47.4
2023	2,847.9	363.1	2,484.9	155.9	38.4	117.6	1,484.2	185.3	1,298.9	81.1	20.2	61.0	1,363.7	177.7	1,186.0	74.8	18.2	56.6
2024	2,914.0	364.8	2,549.3	171.8	46.8	125.0	1,533.4	187.2	1,346.2	89.0	24.0	65.1	1,380.7	177.6	1,203.1	82.8	22.8	60.0
2025	2,946.2	351.8	2,594.4	194.6	54.6	140.0	1,553.4	189.3	1,364.1	101.9	27.1	74.8	1,392.8	162.5	1,230.3	92.7	27.5	65.2

**MONTHLY, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:**

<b>2025</b>	Jan	2,946.9	360.8	2,586.1	187.1	50.5	136.5	1,561.1	196.7	1,364.5	91.5	24.7	66.7	1,385.7	164.1	1,221.6	95.6	25.8	69.8
<b>2025</b>	Feb	2,940.4	350.3	2,590.1	186.9	52.4	134.5	1,557.8	189.7	1,368.1	97.4	28.1	69.3	1,382.6	160.6	1,222.0	89.5	24.3	65.2
<b>2025</b>	Mar	2,944.9	349.4	2,595.5	190.2	53.8	136.4	1,548.4	183.7	1,364.6	96.9	26.3	70.6	1,396.5	165.7	1,230.8	93.3	27.5	65.8
<b>2025</b>	Apr	2,948.6	355.8	2,592.8	194.8	54.4	140.3	1,558.9	189.8	1,369.2	94.1	26.3	67.8	1,389.7	166.0	1,223.6	100.7	28.1	72.5
<b>2025</b>	May	2,958.7	357.7	2,601.0	204.7	71.4	133.3	1,558.3	192.2	1,366.1	108.7	33.4	75.3	1,400.4	165.5	1,234.9	95.9	37.9	58.0
<b>2025</b>	Jun	2,960.6	356.0	2,604.6	180.1	52.6	127.6	1,555.8	188.8	1,367.0	98.0	25.8	72.3	1,404.7	167.2	1,237.6	82.1	26.8	55.3
<b>2025</b>	Jul	2,952.4	355.7	2,596.7	187.2	50.1	137.0	1,562.0	193.8	1,368.2	100.9	22.4	78.5	1,390.4	161.9	1,228.5	86.2	27.7	58.5
<b>2025</b>	Aug	2,935.4	348.0	2,587.4	198.1	52.0	146.1	1,557.1	193.3	1,363.8	108.7	26.5	82.2	1,378.3	154.7	1,223.7	89.4	25.5	63.9
<b>2025</b>	Sep	2,943.5	347.3	2,596.3	200.9	56.1	144.8	1,548.5	187.9	1,360.6	109.2	30.5	78.6	1,395.0	159.4	1,235.6	91.7	25.5	66.2
<b>2025</b>	Oct	2,940.5	342.7	2,597.8	208.9	61.5	147.4	1,543.9	180.6	1,363.4	116.8	33.8	83.0	1,396.6	162.1	1,234.5	92.2	27.7	64.4
<b>2025</b>	Nov	2,949.5	357.1	2,592.4	203.0	52.3	150.7	1,550.8	191.6	1,359.1	103.3	25.0	78.3	1,398.7	165.5	1,233.2	99.7	27.3	72.4
<b>2025</b>	Dec	2,944.1	342.0	2,602.2	199.6	50.9	148.7	1,538.2	180.3	1,357.9	102.5	26.9	75.6	1,405.9	161.6	1,244.3	97.1	24.0	73.1
<b>2026</b>	Jan	2,947.6	343.5	2,604.1	190.4	54.9	135.5	1,534.0	180.7	1,353.3	95.9	26.4	69.5	1,413.7	162.8	1,250.8	94.6	28.5	66.0
<b>2026</b>	Feb	2,927.4	331.8	2,595.6	190.7	53.2	137.6	1,518.5	172.7	1,345.8	98.9	28.7	70.2	1,408.9	159.1	1,249.8	91.9	24.5	67.4
<b>2026</b>	Mar	2,908.2	327.6	2,580.6	209.8	60.5	149.3	1,512.1	172.1	1,340.1	106.0	29.9	76.1	1,396.1	155.6	1,240.6	103.8	30.6	73.1
<b>2026</b>	Apr	2,903.9	331.6	2,572.3	210.7	55.6	155.1	1,513.7	172.7	1,340.9	109.8	33.3	76.5	1,390.2	158.9	1,231.3	100.9	22.3	78.6

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	TOTAL						MEN+						WOMEN+						
	EMPLOYED ('000)			UNEMPLOYED ('000)			EMPLOYED ('000)			UNEMPLOYED ('000)			EMPLOYED ('000)			UNEMPLOYED ('000)			
	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	15+	15-24	25+	
2016	2,464.7	333.7	2,131.0	159.8	37.5	122.3	1,285.6	167.9	1,117.7	91.0	21.7	69.3	1,179.1	165.8	1,013.3	68.8	15.8	53.0	
2017	2,562.9	365.7	2,197.2	143.4	34.1	109.2	1,336.2	184.3	1,151.8	79.4	21.3	58.1	1,226.7	181.4	1,045.3	64.0	12.8	51.1	
2018	2,609.9	369.1	2,240.8	127.2	30.0	97.3	1,365.3	184.7	1,180.6	67.2	16.7	50.6	1,244.6	184.4	1,060.3	60.0	13.3	46.7	
2019	2,681.1	369.8	2,311.3	135.6	37.3	98.4	1,401.6	184.1	1,217.4	70.1	20.9	49.2	1,279.6	185.7	1,093.9	65.5	16.4	49.1	
2020	2,527.3	304.8	2,222.5	253.8	70.8	183.0	1,330.2	156.7	1,173.4	134.5	37.6	96.9	1,197.1	148.0	1,049.1	119.3	33.2	86.2	
2021	2,683.9	341.6	2,342.4	188.5	47.7	140.8	1,413.1	173.1	1,240.0	98.9	24.9	74.0	1,270.9	168.5	1,102.4	89.6	22.7	66.8	
2022	2,775.7	359.4	2,416.3	135.3	35.2	100.1	1,440.1	174.1	1,266.1	73.7	21.1	52.7	1,335.6	185.3	1,150.2	61.5	14.1	47.4	
2023	2,847.9	363.1	2,484.9	155.9	38.4	117.6	1,484.2	185.3	1,298.9	81.1	20.2	61.0	1,363.7	177.7	1,186.0	74.8	18.2	56.6	
2024	2,914.0	364.8	2,549.3	171.8	46.8	125.0	1,533.4	187.2	1,346.2	89.0	24.0	65.1	1,380.7	177.6	1,203.1	82.8	22.8	60.0	
2025	2,946.2	351.8	2,594.4	194.6	54.6	140.0	1,553.4	189.3	1,364.1	101.9	27.1	74.8	1,392.8	162.5	1,230.3	92.7	27.5	65.2	
<b>MONTHLY, UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>																			
<b>2025</b>	Jan	2,904.1	340.7	2,563.5	198.1	47.1	150.9	1,536.5	185.2	1,351.3	100.5	23.4	77.1	1,367.6	155.4	1,212.2	97.6	23.7	73.8
<b>2025</b>	Feb	2,918.7	333.6	2,585.1	184.5	47.9	136.5	1,542.5	179.7	1,362.8	98.2	25.5	72.7	1,376.2	153.9	1,222.3	86.3	22.5	63.8
<b>2025</b>	Mar	2,937.5	339.5	2,598.1	193.9	51.6	142.3	1,540.7	177.3	1,363.4	99.8	23.6	76.2	1,396.9	162.2	1,234.7	94.1	28.0	66.1
<b>2025</b>	Apr	2,951.3	348.6	2,602.7	191.4	52.2	139.2	1,551.9	184.7	1,367.2	98.1	24.4	73.7	1,399.5	163.9	1,235.5	93.3	27.8	65.5
<b>2025</b>	May	2,978.9	362.5	2,616.3	212.5	79.8	132.7	1,567.3	195.8	1,371.5	118.0	40.6	77.4	1,411.6	166.8	1,244.8	94.5	39.3	55.2
<b>2025</b>	Jun	3,002.8	377.2	2,625.6	176.1	53.2	122.9	1,578.6	200.5	1,378.1	92.9	24.6	68.3	1,424.2	176.7	1,247.5	83.2	28.5	54.7
<b>2025</b>	Jul	2,965.5	389.2	2,576.2	198.8	58.9	140.0	1,582.6	211.8	1,370.8	98.9	24.4	74.4	1,382.8	177.4	1,205.4	100.0	34.4	65.5
<b>2025</b>	Aug	2,937.2	376.8	2,560.4	228.4	59.7	168.7	1,569.2	209.1	1,360.1	110.6	30.4	80.2	1,368.0	167.7	1,200.3	117.9	29.3	88.5
<b>2025</b>	Sep	2,944.4	338.2	2,606.3	189.7	56.1	133.7	1,550.4	186.3	1,364.1	101.7	29.2	72.6	1,394.1	151.9	1,242.2	88.0	26.9	61.1
<b>2025</b>	Oct	2,944.3	334.4	2,609.9	196.1	61.9	134.2	1,545.7	177.5	1,368.1	110.5	35.3	75.2	1,398.6	156.9	1,241.7	85.6	26.7	58.9
<b>2025</b>	Nov	2,937.9	347.8	2,590.2	187.7	46.5	141.2	1,546.4	187.6	1,358.8	97.2	21.0	76.2	1,391.5	160.1	1,231.3	90.5	25.6	64.9
<b>2025</b>	Dec	2,932.2	333.6	2,598.6	177.6	39.9	137.7	1,529.7	176.5	1,353.2	96.4	22.4	73.9	1,402.5	157.1	1,245.4	81.2	17.5	63.7
<b>2026</b>	Jan	2,904.3	322.5	2,581.8	192.7	51.3	141.3	1,505.8	168.6	1,337.2	103.0	24.8	78.2	1,398.5	154.0	1,244.6	89.7	26.5	63.2
<b>2026</b>	Feb	2,900.7	310.6	2,590.1	192.3	52.4	139.9	1,493.9	158.7	1,335.3	109.6	33.9	75.7	1,406.8	151.9	1,254.9	82.7	18.5	64.2
<b>2026</b>	Mar	2,889.6	315.5	2,574.1	225.4	65.3	160.1	1,489.1	159.4	1,329.7	116.9	35.5	81.3	1,400.5	156.1	1,244.4	108.6	29.8	78.8
<b>2026</b>	Apr	2,904.7	324.6	2,580.1	208.3	54.2	154.1	1,504.9	166.2	1,338.7	113.0	33.2	79.8	1,399.8	158.4	1,241.4	95.4	21.0	74.3

# BRITISH COLUMBIA - EMPLOYMENT (THOUSANDS) BY CLASS OF WORKER - SEASONALLY ADJUSTED - April 2026

	ALL CLASSES OF WORKERS		EMPLOYEES						SELF-EMPLOYED		
			TOTAL		PUBLIC SECTOR		PRIVATE SECTOR				
	EMP. ('000)	% CHG	EMP. ('000)	% CHG	EMP. ('000)	% CHG	EMP. ('000)	% CHG	EMP. ('000)	% CHG	
2016	2,464.7	3.8%	2,045.6	3.6%	439.6	0.0%	1,606.0	4.6%	419.1	4.7%	
2017	2,562.9	4.0%	2,136.5	4.4%	440.0	0.1%	1,696.5	5.6%	426.4	1.7%	
2018	2,609.9	1.8%	2,161.5	1.2%	445.3	1.2%	1,716.2	1.2%	448.4	5.2%	
2019	2,681.1	2.7%	2,219.8	2.7%	457.4	2.7%	1,762.4	2.7%	461.3	2.9%	
2020	2,527.3	-5.7%	2,076.4	-6.5%	473.8	3.6%	1,602.6	-9.1%	450.9	-2.3%	
2021	2,683.9	6.2%	2,261.8	8.9%	517.7	9.3%	1,744.0	8.8%	422.2	-6.4%	
2022	2,775.7	3.4%	2,345.4	3.7%	539.9	4.3%	1,805.5	3.5%	430.3	1.9%	
2023	2,847.9	2.6%	2,399.4	2.3%	573.7	6.3%	1,825.7	1.1%	448.6	4.3%	
2024	2,914.0	2.3%	2,460.1	2.5%	598.6	4.3%	1,861.5	2.0%	453.9	1.2%	
2025	2,946.2	1.1%	2,491.9	1.3%	611.5	2.2%	1,880.4	1.0%	454.3	0.1%	
<b>MONTHLY, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:</b>											
<b>2025</b>	Jan	2,946.9	0.7%	2,480.9	0.3%	603.2	-0.2%	1,877.8	0.4%	465.9	3.2%
<b>2025</b>	Feb	2,940.4	-0.2%	2,473.8	-0.3%	601.4	-0.3%	1,872.4	-0.3%	466.6	0.2%
<b>2025</b>	Mar	2,944.9	0.2%	2,480.6	0.3%	611.4	1.7%	1,869.2	-0.2%	464.3	-0.5%
<b>2025</b>	Apr	2,948.6	0.1%	2,481.5	0.0%	611.2	0.0%	1,870.3	0.1%	467.1	0.6%
<b>2025</b>	May	2,958.7	0.3%	2,493.9	0.5%	616.6	0.9%	1,877.3	0.4%	464.8	-0.5%
<b>2025</b>	Jun	2,960.6	0.1%	2,490.5	-0.1%	619.8	0.5%	1,870.8	-0.3%	470.0	1.1%
<b>2025</b>	Jul	2,952.4	-0.3%	2,485.7	-0.2%	607.9	-1.9%	1,877.9	0.4%	466.6	-0.7%
<b>2025</b>	Aug	2,935.4	-0.6%	2,480.9	-0.2%	601.2	-1.1%	1,879.7	0.1%	454.5	-2.6%
<b>2025</b>	Sep	2,943.5	0.3%	2,514.1	1.3%	610.9	1.6%	1,903.3	1.3%	429.4	-5.5%
<b>2025</b>	Oct	2,940.5	-0.1%	2,513.0	0.0%	617.7	1.1%	1,895.3	-0.4%	427.5	-0.4%
<b>2025</b>	Nov	2,949.5	0.3%	2,507.8	-0.2%	620.0	0.4%	1,887.7	-0.4%	441.7	3.3%
<b>2025</b>	Dec	2,944.1	-0.2%	2,510.8	0.1%	619.0	-0.2%	1,891.7	0.2%	433.3	-1.9%
<b>2026</b>	Jan	2,947.6	0.1%	2,512.7	0.1%	622.1	0.5%	1,890.6	-0.1%	435.0	0.4%
<b>2026</b>	Feb	2,927.4	-0.7%	2,500.9	-0.5%	622.0	0.0%	1,878.9	-0.6%	426.5	-2.0%
<b>2026</b>	Mar	2,908.2	-0.7%	2,468.4	-1.3%	627.4	0.9%	1,841.0	-2.0%	439.8	3.1%
<b>2026</b>	Apr	2,903.9	-0.1%	2,453.8	-0.6%	621.8	-0.9%	1,832.0	-0.5%	450.1	2.3%

Monthly percent change is calculated as month over previous month.

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**BRITISH COLUMBIA - EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY INDUSTRY (NAICS 2022) - UNADJUSTED - April 2026**

		<b>GOODS-PRODUCING BREAKOUT</b>																			
		<b>ALL INDUSTRIES</b>		<b>GOODS - PRODUCING</b>		<b>SERVICES- PRODUCING</b>		AGRICULTURE		FOR., LOG., & SUPP. ACTIVITIES		FISH., HUNT., & TRAPPING		MIN., QUARR., OIL & GAS		UTILITIES		CONSTRUCTION		MANUFACTURING	
								EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)
2016		2,464.7	6.1	482.0	6.4	1,982.7	3.6	22.2	15.6	18.9	11.3	1.7	x	31.4	9.2	12.8	x	218.5	6.3	176.4	4.3
2017		2,562.9	5.3	510.9	4.7	2,052.0	3.2	23.4	10.4	19.1	8.2	2.4	x	32.0	4.5	11.1	x	239.2	5.2	183.8	2.9
2018		2,609.9	4.6	518.6	3.7	2,091.3	2.9	24.5	7.2	17.5	x	3.4	x	29.2	5.5	14.7	x	249.0	4.2	180.3	2.2
2019		2,681.1	4.8	509.0	4.5	2,172.1	3.0	24.3	9.7	16.1	11.0	1.8	x	28.4	x	13.3	x	253.2	4.0	171.8	4.0
2020		2,527.3	9.1	488.7	7.0	2,038.5	7.2	28.5	9.2	15.6	10.9	2.7	x	23.9	7.0	18.2	x	230.3	7.1	169.4	6.8
2021		2,683.9	6.6	502.5	4.5	2,181.4	3.5	21.1	10.2	18.2	8.1	1.9	x	28.3	x	17.7	x	229.6	5.0	185.7	2.9
2022		2,775.7	4.6	511.9	3.9	2,263.8	2.6	23.4	8.2	17.2	x	1.8	x	28.1	x	16.2	x	237.5	3.7	187.6	3.7
2023		2,847.9	5.2	506.8	4.4	2,341.1	3.1	24.3	5.8	13.9	9.7	1.5	x	35.3	x	18.2	x	237.5	4.2	176.2	4.5
2024		2,914.0	5.6	513.4	4.4	2,400.6	3.2	17.0	11.9	14.8	x	1.5	x	36.8	x	17.9	x	246.8	4.6	178.6	3.8
2025		2,946.2	6.2	522.8	4.1	2,423.4	3.5	16.3	x	14.7	x	x	x	27.9	5.1	14.3	x	262.2	4.0	186.1	3.6
<b>MONTHLY, UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:</b>																					
<b>2025</b>	Jan	2,904.1	6.4	510.0	5.0	2,394.1	3.8	8.2	15.5	13.4	x	x	x	33.1	x	16.5	x	252.0	5.5	185.9	4.8
<b>2025</b>	Feb	2,918.7	5.9	510.5	4.1	2,408.2	3.4	10.4	20.0	13.6	x	x	x	33.9	5.3	13.9	x	250.6	3.5	187.1	3.4
<b>2025</b>	Mar	2,937.5	6.2	515.8	3.4	2,421.7	4.1	11.6	15.9	15.6	9.3	x	x	27.5	x	13.6	x	254.0	3.2	192.3	3.0
<b>2025</b>	Apr	2,951.3	6.1	516.5	4.7	2,434.8	3.3	16.4	11.8	16.4	14.1	x	x	23.4	6.0	14.5	x	256.2	4.4	188.8	3.6
<b>2025</b>	May	2,978.9	6.7	528.3	4.4	2,450.6	3.7	14.3	x	21.7	7.7	x	x	23.8	7.0	13.9	x	268.1	4.7	186.3	3.2
<b>2025</b>	Jun	3,002.8	5.5	528.6	3.3	2,474.2	2.8	14.0	x	20.2	x	x	x	25.2	x	12.3	x	268.7	4.1	187.3	2.4
<b>2025</b>	Jul	2,965.5	6.3	525.3	3.1	2,440.1	3.4	17.0	x	16.6	x	x	x	28.6	5.9	14.3	x	265.3	3.0	182.9	3.2
<b>2025</b>	Aug	2,937.2	7.2	536.5	4.2	2,400.6	4.4	20.1	x	14.0	x	3.9	x	27.9	9.7	13.6	x	272.5	4.0	184.6	3.8
<b>2025</b>	Sep	2,944.4	6.1	530.8	3.3	2,413.6	3.2	20.7	x	12.0	x	2.0	x	29.3	x	14.0	x	266.4	3.1	186.4	2.8
<b>2025</b>	Oct	2,944.3	6.2	526.2	4.5	2,418.1	3.5	20.9	x	9.9	x	1.7	x	28.2	x	14.6	x	261.1	5.0	189.8	3.8
<b>2025</b>	Nov	2,937.9	6.0	521.7	4.2	2,416.2	3.2	20.8	11.5	11.2	x	x	x	25.9	x	16.0	x	262.2	3.6	184.6	4.7
<b>2025</b>	Dec	2,932.2	5.7	523.5	4.6	2,408.7	2.9	20.6	8.4	11.9	x	1.5	x	28.2	6.9	15.1	x	268.8	4.3	177.5	4.9
<b>2026</b>	Jan	2,904.3	6.2	515.3	5.5	2,389.0	3.3	18.6	9.3	12.3	x	x	x	25.4	9.3	15.6	x	265.7	6.4	176.5	3.8
<b>2026</b>	Feb	2,900.7	6.2	508.0	6.2	2,392.7	3.5	20.2	17.2	11.7	19.9	x	x	26.2	5.8	15.1	x	259.4	5.6	174.7	5.0
<b>2026</b>	Mar	2,889.6	7.2	519.2	5.9	2,370.4	3.9	19.3	23.9	13.7	x	x	x	23.6	x	17.8	x	265.4	6.0	178.3	4.2
<b>2026</b>	Apr	2,904.7	6.7	525.4	4.6	2,379.3	3.5	19.2	11.5	12.2	17.0	x	x	23.7	x	17.4	x	269.5	5.7	183.0	1.6

**BRITISH COLUMBIA - EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY INDUSTRY (NAICS 2022) - UNADJUSTED - April 2026**

**SERVICES-PRODUCING SUBSECTOR BREAKOUT**

	WHOLESALE, RETAIL TRADE		TRANSPORT. & WAREHOUSING		FIN., INSUR., RE, RENT. & LEAS.		PROF., SCI. & TECH. SERV.		BUS., BLDG. & SUPP. SERV.		EDUCATIONAL SERVICES		HEALTHCARE & SOC. ASSIST.		INFO., CULT. & REC.		ACCOM. & FOOD SERV.		OTHER SERV. (EXCL. PUB. ADMIN.)		PUBLIC ADMIN.	
	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)
	2016	386.0	3.7	141.5	2.9	148.4	2.8	203.7	3.4	100.8	6.1	170.6	3.9	295.7	1.7	131.7	4.2	184.9	6.3	108.5	4.7	111.1
2017	395.4	4.1	142.1	2.7	164.9	2.0	208.5	3.2	104.0	5.0	171.0	2.9	312.1	1.5	139.1	3.8	195.8	4.9	114.3	3.3	104.8	1.5
2018	400.4	3.5	142.9	2.7	165.3	1.9	221.9	2.2	102.7	4.9	168.4	2.9	330.0	1.4	131.1	4.5	200.4	4.9	120.8	2.3	107.3	x
2019	421.0	2.9	146.5	2.9	168.1	1.9	240.4	2.6	115.9	3.6	176.1	3.8	329.7	1.3	132.8	6.0	202.3	4.4	119.2	2.9	120.0	2.0
2020	390.7	8.3	134.9	7.7	171.6	3.3	243.7	4.7	97.5	8.5	172.9	5.3	323.6	3.9	107.0	14.1	175.9	16.3	99.2	6.2	121.6	2.6
2021	403.0	3.8	145.7	3.8	171.0	1.5	266.7	2.7	99.9	5.9	186.4	3.5	353.2	1.9	129.0	6.4	179.3	7.0	109.2	2.2	138.0	1.6
2022	436.8	3.0	144.3	2.2	164.2	1.0	284.2	2.1	88.4	4.3	199.1	3.4	372.4	1.4	149.1	4.2	184.0	4.5	102.0	2.3	139.2	1.3
2023	441.4	3.5	146.8	2.5	175.9	1.6	289.1	3.3	91.4	5.0	220.3	2.8	383.0	1.4	140.6	7.6	197.4	4.2	111.8	2.8	143.5	1.3
2024	428.5	3.4	156.2	2.4	184.0	1.8	300.1	3.8	94.7	5.0	220.0	3.2	410.0	1.4	147.6	7.2	186.6	4.8	119.2	3.2	153.8	1.2
2025	435.6	3.4	156.9	3.7	189.4	2.0	313.7	3.3	95.0	4.6	225.2	3.8	413.3	2.2	133.5	8.3	190.7	4.7	113.0	3.7	157.2	1.9

**MONTHLY, UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:**

<b>2025</b>	Jan	432.5	3.2	158.3	3.4	180.9	1.8	312.8	4.3	93.8	7.2	234.6	1.3	403.3	2.4	130.3	12.5	186.3	4.3	107.3	7.0	154.2	1.9
<b>2025</b>	Feb	430.1	4.1	157.0	3.0	185.7	1.5	309.6	3.8	96.7	5.8	237.9	x	408.2	1.7	133.5	10.8	185.0	3.8	113.0	3.9	151.6	2.6
<b>2025</b>	Mar	425.4	3.8	166.6	6.5	189.0	1.2	310.8	5.0	93.1	4.9	232.9	2.9	414.8	2.9	140.7	8.7	191.3	5.3	104.9	3.6	152.2	2.1
<b>2025</b>	Apr	431.9	3.1	169.0	3.7	189.5	2.0	306.9	4.4	92.9	2.2	231.2	2.2	414.5	1.6	141.8	7.4	184.7	4.2	113.2	4.6	159.1	3.0
<b>2025</b>	May	436.0	3.3	164.9	2.9	191.3	3.7	321.0	2.8	95.9	4.0	235.1	3.3	423.2	2.1	137.6	10.3	177.6	7.1	107.7	3.1	160.3	2.8
<b>2025</b>	Jun	443.4	2.8	157.5	4.1	192.0	3.1	322.6	2.7	99.2	2.1	229.4	1.7	421.1	1.7	142.1	6.6	192.7	4.9	111.9	x	162.2	2.2
<b>2025</b>	Jul	445.7	2.6	157.0	2.1	190.3	2.1	319.0	3.6	100.8	1.8	186.2	9.7	417.9	2.1	145.3	6.5	196.6	4.3	120.8	1.3	160.5	2.3
<b>2025</b>	Aug	452.3	2.9	152.7	2.6	192.3	3.1	317.8	2.4	100.0	5.8	175.7	16.5	407.5	4.2	129.0	5.4	196.6	1.8	118.3	4.8	158.3	2.7
<b>2025</b>	Sep	428.4	3.3	150.8	5.3	195.5	x	307.3	2.8	93.2	9.3	228.3	2.7	407.0	2.4	129.4	7.0	198.6	3.3	119.2	2.9	156.0	1.5
<b>2025</b>	Oct	433.3	4.5	154.2	3.4	194.0	1.8	310.2	2.2	92.1	4.1	236.6	2.2	408.4	1.5	127.9	7.8	189.0	8.6	112.3	4.8	160.2	x
<b>2025</b>	Nov	435.6	3.8	149.0	5.5	185.7	2.3	314.9	2.5	91.1	3.1	235.1	3.4	413.6	1.5	126.7	7.8	193.6	3.5	114.3	5.2	156.5	0.9
<b>2025</b>	Dec	432.6	3.3	146.2	2.4	186.1	1.5	311.3	3.2	91.7	4.3	238.9	1.8	419.6	1.7	117.2	8.9	196.2	5.1	113.3	2.9	155.6	x
<b>2026</b>	Jan	417.9	3.6	148.3	5.0	186.7	1.6	304.6	2.8	93.1	6.3	230.0	3.8	425.8	1.4	127.2	6.3	185.8	7.2	113.1	x	156.5	x
<b>2026</b>	Feb	420.8	3.8	144.8	3.0	182.9	2.5	313.1	2.6	91.5	5.6	233.9	1.7	420.9	3.2	127.6	8.7	191.3	6.0	110.3	2.6	155.7	1.1
<b>2026</b>	Mar	414.8	4.4	145.2	5.6	177.3	3.0	309.0	2.9	88.9	2.7	229.1	2.3	418.5	2.7	129.8	9.3	189.9	6.4	112.8	5.1	155.0	2.0
<b>2026</b>	Apr	405.4	3.0	143.0	6.1	178.9	1.6	312.2	2.3	97.0	3.2	235.6	1.5	420.4	2.4	129.8	8.0	188.3	7.0	110.9	7.5	157.9	1.3

**BRITISH COLUMBIA - EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY OCCUPATION (NOC 2021) - UNADJUSTED - April 2026**

	ALL OCCUPATIONS		MANAGEMENT		BUSINESS, FINANCE, & ADMIN.		NATURAL AND APPLIED SCIENCES		HEALTH		EDUC., LAW, SOCIAL, COMM., &		ART, CULT., REC., & SPORT		SALES AND SERVICE		TRADE, TRANSPORT, &		NATURAL RESOURCES AND		MANUFACTURING AND UTILITIES	
	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)
2016	2,464.7	6.1	200.9	1.8	379.9	3.4	158.8	4.0	176.7	1.0	262.8	3.2	87.7	3.7	648.9	4.7	405.1	5.6	50.9	14.9	92.9	5.0
2017	2,562.9	5.3	212.2	1.6	401.8	2.3	163.3	3.5	184.5	1.1	260.7	2.6	95.4	4.8	673.0	3.9	422.1	4.8	52.7	11.6	97.3	3.7
2018	2,609.9	4.6	209.6	2.1	386.4	2.1	189.1	2.6	199.8	0.8	262.6	2.5	93.8	3.8	696.3	3.8	432.1	4.0	55.6	8.6	84.6	2.6
2019	2,681.1	4.8	236.7	1.8	401.1	2.4	196.7	3.1	196.5	0.9	275.4	3.1	100.0	4.9	701.8	3.6	428.1	3.7	56.0	10.7	88.8	4.8
2020	2,527.3	9.1	242.4	3.3	397.8	5.9	208.5	2.8	200.6	2.1	262.0	4.7	81.8	14.5	594.4	11.4	401.5	8.0	56.6	11.0	81.8	6.6
2021	2,683.9	6.6	228.8	1.1	423.6	2.6	251.1	1.9	212.7	1.8	300.9	3.0	91.1	3.5	629.8	5.5	407.8	5.1	53.8	9.0	84.2	3.0
2022	2,775.7	4.6	255.5	1.2	435.7	2.3	245.1	2.4	217.5	0.9	316.9	2.6	107.2	4.5	642.1	3.4	421.2	3.3	51.7	8.0	82.7	4.8
2023	2,847.9	5.2	299.9	1.7	437.3	3.2	225.7	2.8	225.9	0.8	329.0	2.3	124.3	6.6	666.4	3.8	408.0	4.3	53.1	8.1	78.3	4.3
2024	2,914.0	5.6	292.0	1.8	458.2	3.1	248.9	3.2	239.5	1.2	340.5	2.5	111.3	6.4	639.8	4.0	453.0	3.9	49.8	10.1	80.9	4.9
2025	2,946.2	6.2	283.9	2.3	472.6	3.3	254.2	3.3	247.9	0.9	341.5	3.5	111.1	7.3	651.7	4.2	455.9	4.2	45.3	6.8	82.1	3.4

**MONTHLY, UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY:**

<b>2025</b>	Jan	2,904.1	6.4	281.5	3.3	446.2	3.8	257.5	3.8	244.1	1.1	348.2	2.8	96.0	11.8	648.7	4.4	458.8	5.2	37.4	5.8	85.7	3.2
<b>2025</b>	Feb	2,918.7	5.9	286.0	2.2	453.6	3.2	247.5	4.4	251.2	1.0	354.2	1.7	105.5	8.7	635.6	4.5	456.3	3.5	41.4	12.3	87.5	3.4
<b>2025</b>	Mar	2,937.5	6.2	277.2	3.2	477.1	3.2	235.8	5.3	241.8	1.6	343.6	2.9	117.3	6.8	646.7	4.5	465.3	4.6	41.5	8.6	91.2	2.8
<b>2025</b>	Apr	2,951.3	6.1	281.4	2.1	497.0	3.5	242.4	3.7	245.3	0.9	334.5	1.3	118.3	10.5	644.7	3.6	457.8	4.2	43.0	13.3	86.8	3.3
<b>2025</b>	May	2,978.9	6.7	288.1	2.1	491.8	4.3	253.4	3.8	250.6	0.6	342.4	3.0	123.4	10.1	642.2	4.5	452.1	3.8	50.7	7.0	84.2	3.4
<b>2025</b>	Jun	3,002.8	5.5	287.6	1.6	485.8	2.4	253.6	3.6	255.1	x	353.7	1.7	131.1	5.9	652.6	3.5	453.2	4.6	45.8	x	84.4	2.4
<b>2025</b>	Jul	2,965.5	6.3	290.4	1.6	498.4	3.7	256.9	2.1	240.9	x	312.5	6.3	123.8	6.8	662.4	3.5	447.1	3.6	50.7	x	82.5	2.6
<b>2025</b>	Aug	2,937.2	7.2	281.8	2.0	504.3	3.8	260.7	4.0	242.5	1.3	287.8	13.4	113.3	3.7	643.4	3.1	472.2	4.2	50.1	3.7	80.9	4.4
<b>2025</b>	Sep	2,944.4	6.1	296.0	1.9	466.4	3.2	261.7	1.2	249.4	0.7	331.3	3.6	115.4	3.7	643.9	4.6	454.2	4.0	46.0	5.2	80.1	4.4
<b>2025</b>	Oct	2,944.3	6.2	289.3	2.0	456.5	2.3	262.4	2.5	248.4	x	362.5	2.5	104.4	6.6	644.2	6.3	454.8	4.7	48.4	5.3	73.5	4.2
<b>2025</b>	Nov	2,937.9	6.0	280.8	3.1	447.4	2.4	261.6	2.3	246.4	1.3	359.7	2.4	92.9	5.3	678.1	4.5	453.5	4.6	42.8	8.9	74.8	2.9
<b>2025</b>	Dec	2,932.2	5.7	266.1	3.0	446.3	3.8	256.7	3.0	259.5	1.5	368.1	1.2	92.4	8.1	678.4	3.5	445.1	3.5	45.2	8.9	74.3	3.9
<b>2026</b>	Jan	2,904.3	6.2	266.9	2.9	443.3	3.6	253.7	2.4	255.4	x	373.0	2.3	103.6	5.3	664.0	4.4	423.7	6.1	39.9	9.1	80.6	3.5
<b>2026</b>	Feb	2,900.7	6.2	273.2	2.7	458.3	3.2	265.2	3.1	258.3	1.9	355.4	3.4	107.5	2.8	669.8	5.3	404.7	5.0	37.0	16.3	71.3	3.8
<b>2026</b>	Mar	2,889.6	7.2	263.6	3.1	463.1	4.1	269.8	1.9	260.6	1.2	352.6	3.1	107.9	3.7	639.9	6.1	413.2	5.9	40.0	16.8	78.8	3.1
<b>2026</b>	Apr	2,904.7	6.7	291.3	2.5	472.6	2.2	256.8	1.5	252.6	2.7	352.4	1.6	115.1	3.4	641.0	5.2	395.9	6.7	45.1	13.1	81.9	x

**BRITISH COLUMBIA - EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY CENSUS METROPOLITAN AREA (CMA) - 3-MONTH MOVING AVERAGE - April 2026**

	BRITISH COLUMBIA		KELOWNA CMA		KAMLOOPS CMA		CHILLIWACK CMA		ABBOTSFORD-MISSION CMA		VANCOUVER CMA		VICTORIA CMA		NANAIMO CMA	
	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)
2016	2,464.7	6.1	96.8	7.9	65.3	7.4	47.8	5.9	94.4	6.6	1,391.5	5.5	195.7	5.2	50.8	6.4
2017	2,562.9	5.3	106.3	5.7	67.5	8.9	50.0	x	97.1	5.6	1,437.6	4.7	204.9	3.9	56.3	6.2
2018	2,609.9	4.6	109.2	4.6	77.6	7.3	46.6	3.9	101.4	4.5	1,471.5	4.1	209.5	4.1	59.5	5.4
2019	2,681.1	4.8	113.8	4.2	67.5	5.6	49.8	5.9	105.2	5.2	1,516.1	4.6	208.8	3.6	61.2	5.3
2020	2,527.3	9.1	108.9	7.2	62.0	11.7	51.0	7.3	98.7	7.8	1,401.6	9.5	203.3	7.8	57.5	9.6
2021	2,683.9	6.6	110.5	5.6	72.9	5.8	52.3	5.4	105.8	6.7	1,521.9	6.9	211.3	4.9	58.2	6.3
2022	2,775.7	4.6	112.3	4.7	71.7	4.8	58.3	4.0	107.0	4.8	1,569.2	4.7	218.9	3.8	63.5	4.1
2023	2,847.9	5.2	119.4	3.5	58.2	4.7	59.5	4.5	105.4	5.3	1,630.2	5.6	225.4	3.7	65.0	4.8
2024	2,914.0	5.6	117.2	4.9	61.7	4.8	57.8	6.2	113.0	5.7	1,667.7	5.9	242.1	3.9	64.2	4.7
2025	2,946.2	6.2	122.0	6.6	70.9	7.8	58.7	6.8	112.2	6.7	1,698.0	6.4	243.4	4.1	63.4	7.3

**3- MONTH MOVING AVERAGE, UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY ENDING IN:**

<b>2025</b>	Jan	2,907.3	5.7	115.5	5.9	68.3	5.5	55.4	6.7	112.8	5.6	1,672.5	6.3	242.7	3.0	60.1	7.0
<b>2025</b>	Feb	2,911.9	5.9	111.0	6.7	76.8	5.9	57.0	6.6	111.0	5.9	1,682.2	6.4	244.2	3.0	61.4	5.5
<b>2025</b>	Mar	2,920.1	6.2	106.7	6.7	80.0	7.1	58.6	5.9	111.2	6.2	1,696.1	6.6	242.1	3.4	61.5	6.0
<b>2025</b>	Apr	2,935.8	6.1	106.7	6.6	83.2	7.5	60.1	5.3	112.2	6.3	1,704.9	6.3	245.0	3.5	61.8	6.1
<b>2025</b>	May	2,955.9	6.3	112.5	5.8	79.0	9.1	61.0	5.3	114.0	6.3	1,711.7	6.5	247.4	3.9	62.6	7.3
<b>2025</b>	Jun	2,977.7	6.1	118.2	5.0	73.9	8.7	59.7	6.3	113.8	6.1	1,723.0	6.3	250.8	4.1	63.6	7.3
<b>2025</b>	Jul	2,982.4	6.2	122.0	4.2	67.0	9.6	58.3	6.3	112.6	6.4	1,722.9	6.5	249.0	4.9	63.9	8.2
<b>2025</b>	Aug	2,968.5	6.3	129.3	4.4	64.3	9.2	56.6	7.5	111.0	7.7	1,705.3	6.6	244.1	5.4	63.3	9.7
<b>2025</b>	Sep	2,949.0	6.5	133.2	6.0	64.5	8.6	56.9	7.8	111.2	8.1	1,685.7	6.8	241.4	5.2	63.3	9.7
<b>2025</b>	Oct	2,942.0	6.5	136.4	7.7	64.5	9.0	57.4	7.7	111.9	7.7	1,681.7	6.6	241.0	4.6	63.7	9.3
<b>2025</b>	Nov	2,942.2	6.1	132.1	9.1	63.8	7.7	58.5	7.2	112.4	6.7	1,689.4	6.0	241.3	3.9	64.6	6.8
<b>2025</b>	Dec	2,938.1	6.0	129.8	8.5	65.2	6.6	59.4	7.3	112.8	6.4	1,687.3	5.9	239.2	3.7	65.0	6.3
<b>2026</b>	Jan	2,924.8	6.0	125.7	8.2	66.8	4.6	59.5	7.0	113.7	6.1	1,681.6	6.0	236.3	3.9	64.1	6.1
<b>2026</b>	Feb	2,912.4	6.0	122.3	8.5	66.4	3.8	59.9	6.7	115.1	5.8	1,678.2	6.1	236.6	4.4	62.4	7.2
<b>2026</b>	Mar	2,898.2	6.6	119.3	8.9	64.0	5.2	59.5	5.7	115.0	6.2	1,674.3	6.5	235.5	4.9	60.5	7.2
<b>2026</b>	Apr	2,898.3	6.7	119.2	8.7	62.3	5.9	58.7	7.1	114.2	6.9	1,675.3	6.7	233.3	4.7	61.1	7.3

**BRITISH COLUMBIA - EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY ECONOMIC REGION - 3-MONTH MOVING AVERAGE - April 2026**

	BRITISH COLUMBIA		VANCOUVER ISLAND AND COAST		LOWER MAINLAND-SOUTHWEST		THOMPSON-OKANAGAN		KOOTENAY		CARIBOO		NORTHCOAST AND NECHAKO		NORTHEAST	
	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)	EMP. ('000)	UR (%)
2016	2,464.7	6.1	386.7	5.8	1,577.0	5.6	265.4	7.8	72.4	8.5	81.8	7.6	43.4	7.7	38.0	10.0
2017	2,562.9	5.3	409.5	5.1	1,632.9	4.7	277.2	7.5	78.7	7.7	84.5	7.7	43.2	6.1	36.8	6.8
2018	2,609.9	4.6	423.0	4.8	1,663.9	4.1	276.6	6.4	78.8	5.9	85.2	5.9	44.1	6.4	38.4	6.1
2019	2,681.1	4.8	415.7	4.4	1,716.4	4.7	299.1	5.2	81.8	5.2	85.9	6.6	44.2	4.5	38.0	6.4
2020	2,527.3	9.1	401.0	8.9	1,599.4	9.2	289.1	8.7	78.9	9.8	81.2	10.3	40.6	8.6	37.0	7.0
2021	2,683.9	6.6	418.2	5.9	1,724.1	6.8	295.6	6.4	81.7	6.0	84.8	6.4	43.3	7.5	36.4	4.2
2022	2,775.7	4.6	438.6	4.1	1,783.7	4.7	307.3	5.4	82.4	4.4	86.0	5.1	41.9	4.6	35.8	x
2023	2,847.9	5.2	446.0	4.2	1,849.2	5.5	308.3	4.2	83.9	5.3	82.2	6.9	43.6	6.4	34.8	4.9
2024	2,914.0	5.6	469.2	4.3	1,891.1	5.9	302.2	5.5	86.6	5.6	83.6	5.5	45.7	6.2	35.4	5.9
2025	2,946.2	6.2	471.8	5.1	1,923.3	6.3	310.6	6.4	84.1	6.1	78.7	7.5	41.1	6.6	36.6	7.6

**3- MONTH MOVING AVERAGE, UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY ENDING IN:**

<b>2025</b>	Jan	2,907.3	5.7	469.4	4.3	1,896.0	6.2	299.8	5.2	82.5	3.8	80.5	7.2	43.4	4.0	35.8	6.3
<b>2025</b>	Feb	2,911.9	5.9	471.1	4.3	1,907.3	6.3	294.3	5.7	80.0	4.4	80.3	7.3	42.5	4.3	36.4	6.2
<b>2025</b>	Mar	2,920.1	6.2	467.1	4.8	1,924.3	6.5	289.2	6.1	80.7	5.7	79.4	7.1	42.7	4.7	36.8	7.8
<b>2025</b>	Apr	2,935.8	6.1	469.3	4.9	1,934.9	6.2	291.9	6.4	82.6	6.3	78.2	7.1	42.2	6.8	36.7	8.3
<b>2025</b>	May	2,955.9	6.3	472.3	5.4	1,941.8	6.4	300.4	6.8	84.3	6.7	78.4	6.9	42.2	6.6	36.5	8.5
<b>2025</b>	Jun	2,977.7	6.1	478.0	5.4	1,949.7	6.3	308.4	5.9	84.7	6.3	77.6	6.1	42.3	6.4	37.0	7.3
<b>2025</b>	Jul	2,982.4	6.2	477.4	5.9	1,947.9	6.4	314.4	5.4	85.4	5.9	77.8	5.4	42.2	5.6	37.4	7.0
<b>2025</b>	Aug	2,968.5	6.3	473.5	6.0	1,928.1	6.6	322.9	5.1	89.1	5.8	76.5	7.2	41.4	5.9	36.8	8.2
<b>2025</b>	Sep	2,949.0	6.5	472.5	5.6	1,907.9	6.7	325.9	6.0	89.1	6.0	76.6	8.7	40.5	6.7	36.5	8.1
<b>2025</b>	Oct	2,942.0	6.5	472.2	5.3	1,902.8	6.6	325.5	7.3	87.3	6.3	77.5	9.3	40.3	6.7	36.4	7.6
<b>2025</b>	Nov	2,942.2	6.1	473.3	4.5	1,911.0	6.0	320.6	8.1	82.0	6.8	78.8	8.3	39.9	7.4	36.7	6.4
<b>2025</b>	Dec	2,938.1	6.0	469.6	4.5	1,911.5	5.9	318.9	7.4	81.8	6.3	81.2	8.1	39.0	8.3	36.2	7.4
<b>2026</b>	Jan	2,924.8	6.0	463.5	4.5	1,907.5	6.0	316.8	6.8	82.2	5.9	81.4	7.5	37.7	9.6	35.7	7.8
<b>2026</b>	Feb	2,912.4	6.0	457.7	5.2	1,906.1	6.0	311.7	6.5	82.2	6.4	82.3	6.7	37.2	9.5	35.2	8.8
<b>2026</b>	Mar	2,898.2	6.6	455.5	5.7	1,899.8	6.5	306.1	7.8	82.2	7.1	82.9	6.3	37.1	9.5	34.6	8.7
<b>2026</b>	Apr	2,898.3	6.7	455.7	5.8	1,898.4	6.7	302.2	8.1	83.3	6.5	86.2	5.8	38.2	8.8	34.3	9.0

## Labour Force Survey Data Tables

### Population

Number of persons of working age, 15 years and over. Estimates in thousands, rounded to the nearest hundred

### Labour Force

Number of civilian, non-institutionalized persons 15 years of age and over who, during the reference week, were employed or unemployed. Estimates in thousands, rounded to the nearest hundred.

### Employment

Number of persons who, during the reference week, worked for pay or profit, or performed unpaid family work or had a job but were not at work due to own illness or disability, personal or family responsibilities, labour dispute, vacation, or other reason. Those persons on layoff and persons without work but who had a job to start at a definite date in the future are not considered employed. Estimates in thousands, rounded to the nearest hundred.

### Unemployment

Number of persons who, during the reference week, were without work, had looked for work in the past four weeks, and were available for work. Those persons on layoff or who had a new job to start in four weeks or less are considered unemployed. Estimates in thousands, rounded to the nearest hundred.

### Unemployment Rate (%)

The unemployment rate is the number of unemployed persons expressed as a percentage of the labour force. The unemployment rate for a particular group (age, gender, marital status, etcetera) is the number unemployed in that group expressed as a percentage of the labour force for that group. Estimates are percentages, rounded to the nearest tenth.

### Employment Rate (%)

The employment rate is 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, gender, marital status, etcetera) is the number employed in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group. Estimates are percentages, rounded to the nearest tenth.

### Participation Rate (%)

The participation rate is the number of labour force participants expressed as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The participation rate for a particular group (age, gender, marital status, etcetera) is the number of labour force participants in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group. Estimates are percentages, rounded to the nearest tenth.

### Industry (NAICS 2022)

Industry classifications based on North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Canada 2022 Version 1.0.

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