



## Survey of Employment, Payrolls and Hours 2023

### Highlights:

- In 2023, Yukon had 24,766 employees (including employees in industry-unclassified businesses). Comparing 2023 to 2022, the number of employees (including employees in unclassified businesses) increased by 917, or 3.8%.
- Excluding unclassified businesses, in 2023, Yukon had 24,155 employees and their average weekly earnings (including overtime) was \$1,376.77, an increase of \$41.23, or 3.1%, compared to 2022.
- The **Public administration** sector — including federal, territorial, municipal and Indigenous governments (see the note on page 7) — remained the largest employer in 2023, with 7,627 employees, or 31.6% of all employees in classified businesses in Yukon.

**Note:** From April to February 2024, some employment data for the educational services sector in Yukon were missing from the Survey of Employment, Payrolls and Hours (SEPH) results released by Statistics Canada. This omission also affected the total for service producing industries and the industrial aggregate over this period. As a result, Yukon Bureau of Statistics produced adjusted employment estimates for the affected totals and for the **Educational services** sector in 2023. Yukon employment data from April 2023 to February 2024 will be corrected by Statistics Canada with the next SEPH revision, which will occur in March 2025. The average weekly earnings for the **Educational services** sector has not been adjusted.

### Employment, earnings and hours, Yukon, 2022 to 2023

	2022	2023	Change 2022 to 2023
Number of <b>employees</b> (including unclassified businesses <sup>1</sup> )	23,849	24,766	3.8%
Number of <b>employees</b> (excluding unclassified businesses <sup>1</sup> )	23,247	24,155	3.9%
Salaried employees paid a fixed salary	9,411	9,871	4.9%
Employees paid by the hour	12,676	13,078	3.2%
Average <b>weekly earnings</b> (excluding unclassified businesses <sup>1</sup> )			
All employees			
Including overtime	\$1,335.54	\$1,376.77	3.1%
Excluding overtime	\$1,254.16	\$1,304.40	4.0%
Salaried employees paid a fixed salary			
Including overtime	\$1,772.41	\$1,816.03	2.5%
Excluding overtime	\$1,712.95	\$1,756.69	2.6%
Employees paid by the hour			
Including overtime	\$1,016.41	\$1,045.10	2.8%
Excluding overtime	\$911.32	\$956.14	4.9%
Average <b>hourly earnings</b> (excluding unclassified businesses <sup>1</sup> )			
Salaried employees paid a fixed salary			
Including overtime	\$47.07	\$47.84	1.6%
Employees paid by the hour			
Including overtime	\$32.56	\$33.05	1.5%
Excluding overtime	\$31.23	\$31.93	2.2%
Average <b>weekly hours</b> (excluding unclassified businesses <sup>1</sup> )			
Standard work week for salaried employees paid a fixed salary			
Excluding overtime	37.7	38.0	0.8%
Employees paid by the hour			
Including overtime	31.2	31.6	1.3%
Excluding overtime	29.2	29.9	2.4%

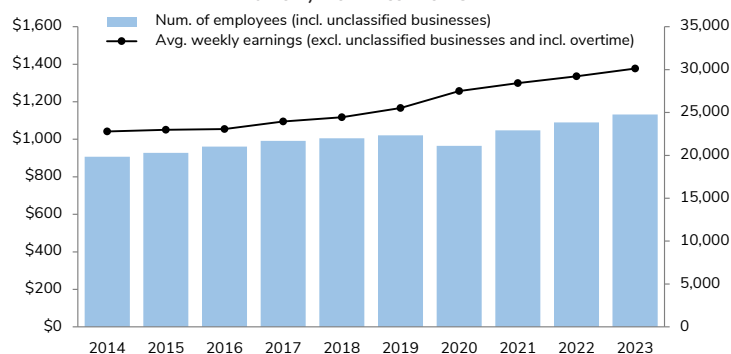
#### About the Survey

The Survey of Employment, Payrolls and Hours (SEPH) provides a portrait of the earnings, payroll jobs (i.e., occupied positions) and hours worked by detailed industry. A combination of payroll deduction accounts (provided to Statistics Canada by the Canada Revenue Agency) and the Business Payrolls Survey (BPS) is used to produce these estimates.

Source: Statistics Canada. Tables: 14-10-0202-01; 14-10-0204-01; 14-10-0210-01; 14-10-0206-01; 14-10-0212-01; 14-10-0208-01 and Yukon Bureau of Statistics estimation.

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### Average weekly earnings and number of employees, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

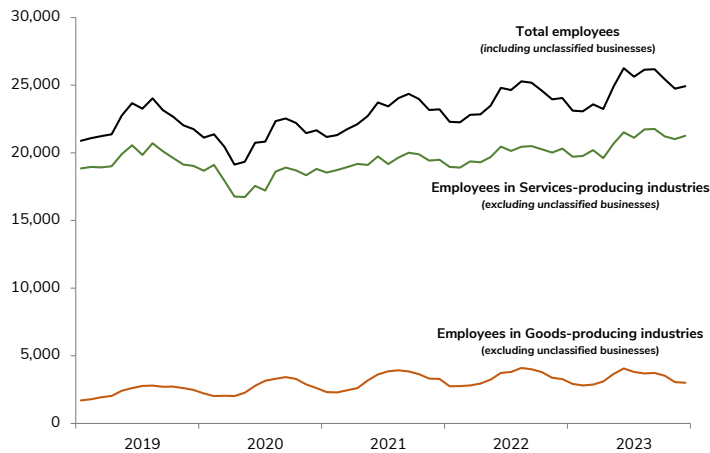


In 2023, the number of Yukon employees (including those in unclassified businesses) increased by 917, or 3.8%, compared to 2022, while average weekly earnings (excluding earnings by employees in unclassified businesses and including overtime) increased by \$41.23, or 3.1%.

Comparing 2023 to 2014, the number of employees in Yukon increased by 4,928, or 24.8%, while average weekly earnings (excluding unclassified businesses and including overtime) increased by \$334.82, or 32.1%.

Source: Statistics Canada. Tables: 14-10-0202-01; 14-10-0204-01 and Yukon Bureau of Statistics estimation.

## Employment by month, Yukon, 2019 to 2023



Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0201-01 and Yukon Bureau of Statistics estimation.

Employment in Yukon exhibits a seasonal pattern, typically rising during the spring and summer months, and declining in the fall and winter. The number of employees typically remains high in June through September, and low in January and February.

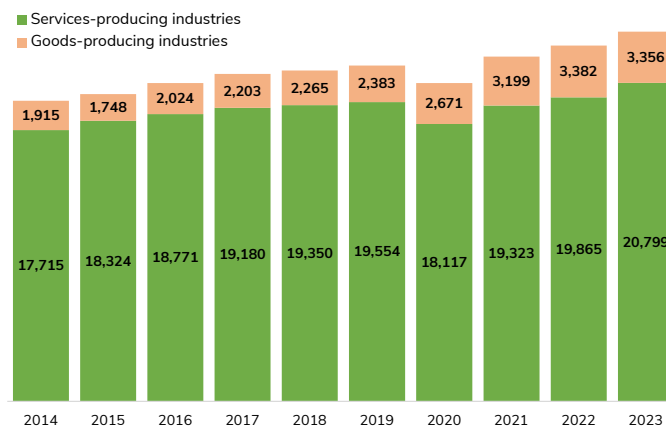
With the exception of the pandemic-hit period in 2020 and 2021, this seasonal variation is manifested in the number of employees in Services-producing industries, in which the largest proportion of Yukon residents are employed.

In 2023, the proportion of total employees in Yukon's Goods-producing industries was the highest in June (15.9%), while the proportion in Services-producing industries was the highest in December (87.6%).

## Goods-producing vs. services-producing industries employment, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

Comparing 2023 to 2022, the number of employees in Services-producing industries increased by 934, or 4.7%, while that in Goods-producing industries decreased by 26, or 0.8%.

In the last decade (2014 to 2023), employment in Goods-producing industries as a proportion of total employment ranged from a low of 8.7% in 2015 to a high of 14.5% in 2022. From 2013 to 2015, declines in mining and construction reduced the proportion of employment in Goods-producing industries in total employment. The proportion started increasing from 2016 with increased activities in mining and construction. In 2023, the proportion of employment in Goods-producing industries (13.9%) declined from the 2022 level (14.5%).



Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0202-01 and Yukon Bureau of Statistics estimation.

**Goods-producing industries** include the following industry sectors: Forestry, logging and support; Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction; Utilities; Construction; and Manufacturing.

**Services-producing industries** include the following industry sectors: Trade (Wholesale trade and Retail trade); Transportation and warehousing; Information and cultural industries; Finance and insurance; Real estate and rental and leasing; Professional, scientific and technical services; Management of companies and enterprises; Administrative and support services, waste management and remediation services; Educational services; Health care and social assistance; Arts, entertainment and recreation; Accommodation and food services; Other services\* (except public administration); and Public administration.

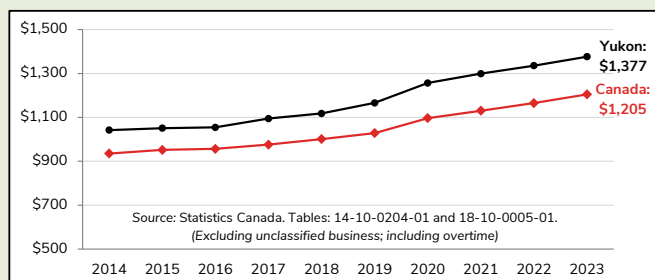
**Industrial aggregate** covers all industrial sectors except those primarily involved in agriculture, fishing and trapping, private household services, religious organizations and the military personnel of the defence services.

\* See endnotes on page 10.

## Average weekly earnings, Canada and Yukon, 2014 to 2023

Comparing 2023 to 2022, the average weekly earnings of Yukon employees (excluding earnings by employees in unclassified businesses and including overtime) increased by \$41.23, or 3.4%, while the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for Whitehorse (figures not available for Yukon) increased 4.9%.

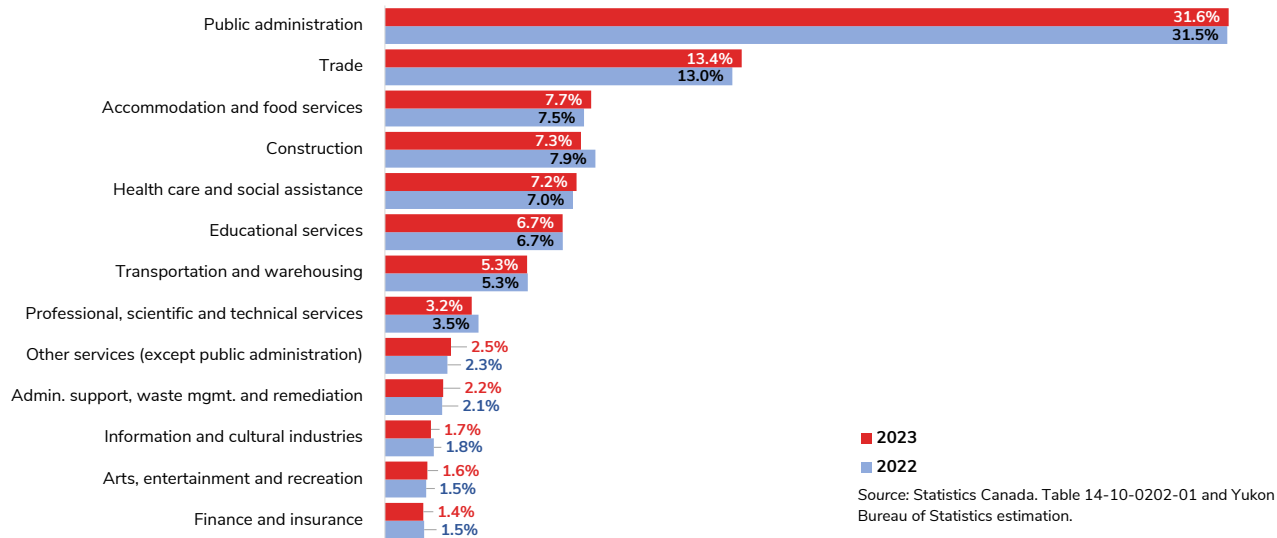
Comparing 2023 to 2014, Yukon's earnings increased by \$334.82, or 32.1%, while the Whitehorse CPI increased 25.0%. During the same time period, Canada's earnings increased by \$269.58, or 28.8%, while the national CPI rose 25.5%.



Source: Statistics Canada. Tables: 14-10-0204-01 and 18-10-0005-01. (Excluding unclassified business; including overtime)

Yukon's average weekly earnings (including overtime) have consistently been higher than the national average. In 2023, Yukon's average weekly earnings (\$1,376.77) was 14.3% higher than Canada's (\$1,205.01).

## Employment by industry sector, Yukon, 2022 and 2023

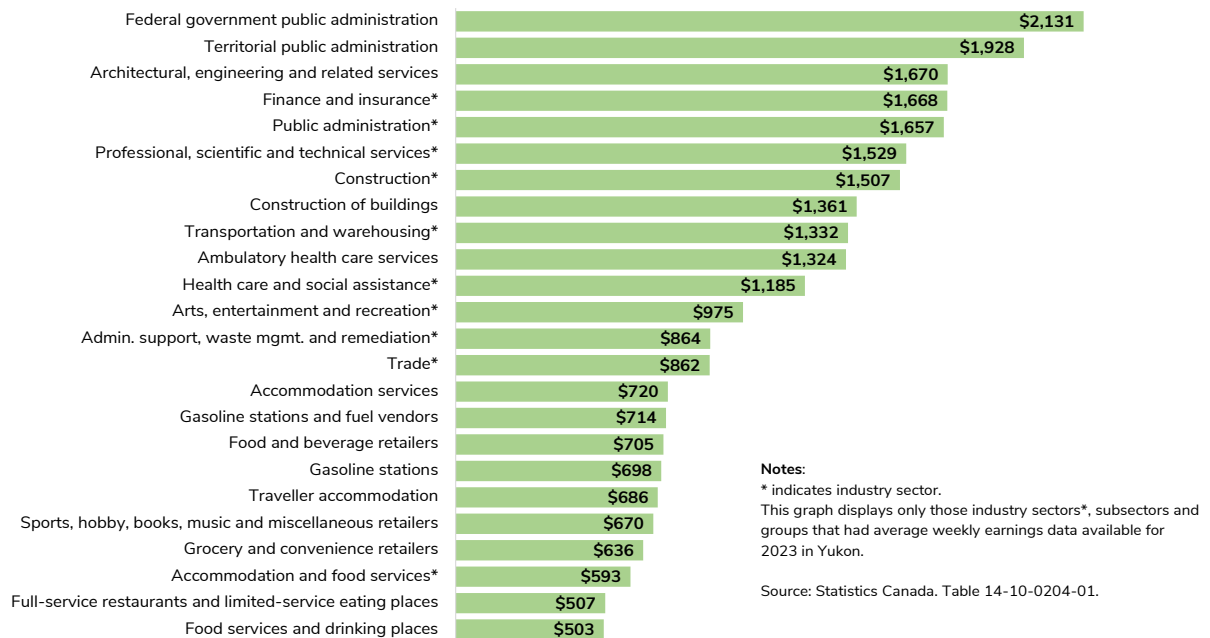


The **Public administration** sector (includes federal, territorial, municipal and Indigenous governments) remained the territory's largest employer in 2023, representing 31.6% of total employees in Yukon.

The distribution of the total number of employees by industry sector did not change substantially from 2022 to 2023.

The largest change was in the **Construction** sector, with a 0.5 percentage points decrease in the proportion of employees.

## Average weekly earnings (including overtime) by selected industry sector and subsector, Yukon, 2023



In 2023, the industry sector\* with the highest average weekly earnings was the **Finance and insurance** sector (\$1,668.09) followed by the **Public administration** sector (\$1,656.62) and the **Professional, scientific and technical services** sector (\$1,529.10).

Of the industry subsectors with data available for 2023, the highest average weekly earnings was in the **Federal government public administration** subsector (\$2,130.58) followed by the **Territorial public administration** subsector (\$1,928.08).

## Employment and average weekly earnings (including overtime) by industry, Yukon, 2022 to 2023

	Number of employees				Average weekly earnings (\$)			
	2022	2023	2022 to 2023		2022	2023	2022 to 2023	
			difference	% change			\$ difference	% change
<b>Industrial aggregate including unclassified businesses</b>	<b>23,849</b>	<b>24,766</b>	<b>917</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	..	..	...	...
<b>Industrial aggregate excluding unclassified businesses</b>	<b>23,247</b>	<b>24,155</b>	<b>908</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>\$1,335.54</b>	<b>\$1,376.77</b>	<b>\$41.23</b>	<b>3.1%</b>
<b>Goods producing industries</b>	<b>3,382</b>	<b>3,356</b>	<b>-26</b>	<b>-0.8%</b>	<b>\$1,719.00</b>	<b>\$1,794.49</b>	<b>\$75.49</b>	<b>4.4%</b>
Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	x	x	x	...	x	x	x	...
Support activities for mining, and oil and gas extraction	180	154	-26	-14.4%	F	F	..	..
<b>Construction</b>	<b>1,832</b>	<b>1,772</b>	<b>-60</b>	<b>-3.3%</b>	<b>\$1,501.91</b>	<b>\$1,507.45</b>	<b>\$5.54</b>	<b>0.4%</b>
Construction of buildings	617	614	-3	-0.5%	\$1,443.51	\$1,360.89	-\$82.62	-5.7%
Residential building construction	375	421	46	12.3%	\$1,443.91	F	..	..
Non-residential building construction	242	193	-49	-20.2%	F	F	..	..
Specialty trade contractors	x	x	x	...	x	x	x	...
Building equipment contractors	x	384	x	..	x	F	..	..
Building finishing contractors	69	58	-11	-15.9%	F	F	..	..
Other specialty trade contractors	381	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>...</b>
Durable goods	x	109	x	..	x	F	..	..
<b>Service producing industries</b>	<b>19,865</b>	<b>20,799</b>	<b>934</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>\$1,270.25</b>	<b>\$1,308.33</b>	<b>\$38.08</b>	<b>3.0%</b>
<b>Trade</b>	<b>3,023</b>	<b>3,225</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>\$840.68</b>	<b>\$862.05</b>	<b>\$21.37</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
Wholesale trade	x	x	x	...	x	x	x	...
Petroleum, petroleum products, and other hydrocarbons merchant wholesalers	78	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Building material and garden equipment and supplies dealers	x	x	x	...	x	x	x	...
Electrical, plumbing, heating and air-conditioning equipment and supplies merchant wholesalers	21	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Retail trade	x	x	x	...	x	x	x	...
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	279	x	x	..	\$1,236.69	x	x	..
Other motor vehicle dealers	x	61	x	..	x	F	..	..
Automotive parts, accessories and tire retailers	x	45	x	..	x	F	..	..
Building material and garden equipment and supplies dealers	195	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Building material and supplies dealers	x	184	x	..	x	F	..	..
Food and beverage retailers	1,023	989	-34	-3.3%	\$618.23	\$704.90	\$86.67	14.0%
Grocery and convenience retailers	919	882	-37	-4.0%	\$551.23	\$636.42	\$85.19	15.5%
Specialty food retailers	9	8	-1	-11.1%	F	F	..	..
Beer, wine and liquor retailers	95	99	4	4.2%	F	F	..	..
Furniture, home furnishings, electronics and appliances retailers	x	101	x	..	x	F	..	..
Furniture, floor covering, window treatment and other home furnishings retailers	x	61	x	..	x	F	..	..
Electronics and appliances retailers	37	40	3	8.1%	F	F	..	..
Health and personal care retailers	176	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Gasoline stations and fuel vendors	x	330	x	..	x	\$713.65	x	..
Gasoline stations	241	252	11	4.6%	\$697.89	\$697.83	-\$0.06	0.0%
Fuel dealers	x	78	x	..	x	F	..	..
Clothing, clothing accessories, shoes, jewelry, luggage and leather goods retailers	63	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Sporting goods, hobby, musical instrument, book, and miscellaneous retailers	322	367	45	14.0%	\$612.68	\$670.42	\$57.74	9.4%
Office supplies, stationery and gift retailers	101	106	5	5.0%	F	F	..	..
Other miscellaneous store retailers	70	99	29	41.4%	F	F	..	..
<b>Transportation and warehousing</b>	<b>1,243</b>	<b>1,285</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>\$1,317.60</b>	<b>\$1,331.50</b>	<b>\$13.90</b>	<b>1.1%</b>
Air transportation	667	722	55	8.2%	\$1,385.82	F	..	..
Truck transportation	183	169	-14	-7.7%	F	F	..	..
Support activities for transportation	114	113	-1	-0.9%	F	F	..	..
Support activities for air transportation	48	53	5	10.4%	F	F	..	..
Couriers	15	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
<b>Information and cultural industries</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>-10</b>	<b>-2.3%</b>	<b>\$1,312.43</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>
Publishing industries	x	54	x	..	x	F	..	..
Broadcasting and content providers	46	43	-3	-6.5%	F	F	..	..
<b>Finance and insurance</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2.1%</b>	<b>\$1,635.24</b>	<b>\$1,668.09</b>	<b>\$32.85</b>	<b>2.0%</b>
Credit intermediation and related activities	x	171	x	..	x	F	..	..
Non-depository credit intermediation	x	28	x	..	x	F	..	..
Insurance carriers and related activities	x	122	x	..	x	F	..	..
Insurance carriers	x	75	x	..	x	F	..	..
Agencies, brokerages and other insurance related activities	x	46	x	..	x	F	..	..
<b>Real estate and rental and leasing</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>
Real estate	x	x	x	..	x	F	..	..
Activities related to real estate	x	82	x	..	x	F	..	..
<b>Professional, scientific and technical services</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>785</b>	<b>-29</b>	<b>-3.6%</b>	<b>\$1,407.67</b>	<b>\$1,529.10</b>	<b>\$121.43</b>	<b>8.6%</b>
Legal services	85	87	2	2.4%	F	F	..	..
Architectural, engineering and related services	318	309	-9	-2.8%	F	\$1,669.62	..	..
Computer systems design and related services	34	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Management, scientific and technical consulting services	x	157	x	..	x	F	..	..
Advertising, public relations, and related services	33	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Other professional, scientific and technical services	69	74	5	7.2%	F	F	..	..
<b>Management of companies and enterprises</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>x</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>Administrative and support, waste management and remediation services</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>5.8%</b>	<b>\$792.52</b>	<b>\$863.82</b>	<b>\$71.30</b>	<b>9.0%</b>
Administrative and support services	x	x	x	...	x	x	x	...
Business support services	10	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Travel arrangement and reservation services	68	87	19	27.9%	F	F	..	..
Services to buildings and dwellings	222	227	5	2.3%	\$609.69	F	..	..
Waste management and remediation services	x	x	x	...	x	x	x	...
Waste collection	x	64	x	..	x	F	..	..

Note: Industry sectors, subsectors, industry groups and industries displayed in this table are the only ones that have employee and/or earnings data available for 2022 and/or 2023 in Yukon

Source: Statistics Canada. Tables: 14-10-0202-01; 14-10-0204-01 and Yukon Bureau of Statistics estimation.

## Employment and average weekly earnings (including overtime) by industry, Yukon, 2022 to 2023 (continued...)

	Number of employees				Average weekly earnings (\$)			
	2022	2023	2022 to 2023		2022	2023	2022 to 2023	
			difference	% change			\$ difference	% change
<b>Educational services</b>	1,547	1,607	60	3.9%	F	F	..	..
<b>Health care and social assistance</b>	1,637	1,732	95	5.8%	\$1,128.99	\$1,185.05	\$56.06	5.0%
Ambulatory health care services	x	344	x	..	x	\$1,324.48	x	..
Offices of physicians	x	104	x	..	x	F	..	..
Offices of dentists	x	118	x	..	x	F	..	..
Nursing and residential care facilities	55	59	4	7.3%	F	F	..	..
Social assistance	x	x	x	..	x	x	x	..
Individual and family services	245	256	11	4.5%	F	F	..	..
Community food and housing, and emergency and other relief services	13	36	23	176.9%	F	F	..	..
<b>Arts, entertainment and recreation</b>	359	384	25	7.0%	\$897.75	\$974.93	\$77.18	8.6%
Performing arts, spectator sports and related industries	64	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Heritage institutions	146	157	11	7.5%	F	F	..	..
Amusement, gambling and recreation industries	149	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
<b>Accommodation and food services</b>	1,733	1,864	131	7.6%	\$594.35	\$593.29	-\$1.06	-0.2%
Accommodation services	778	777	-1	-0.1%	\$716.55	\$720.29	\$3.74	0.5%
Traveller accommodation	687	690	3	0.4%	F	\$685.91	..	..
Food services and drinking places	955	1,087	132	13.8%	\$494.79	\$502.53	\$7.74	1.6%
Full-service restaurants and limited-service eating places	865	986	121	14.0%	\$501.92	\$507.44	\$5.52	1.1%
<b>Other services (except public administration)</b>	544	598	54	9.9%	\$1,061.03	F	..	..
Repair and maintenance	124	136	12	9.7%	F	F	..	..
Automotive repair and maintenance	66	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Personal and laundry services	93	90	-3	-3.2%	F	F	..	..
Personal care services	65	57	-8	-12.3%	F	F	..	..
Religious, grant-making, civic, and professional and similar organizations	327	372	45	13.8%	\$1,093.42	F	..	..
Social advocacy organizations	100	x	x	..	F	x	..	..
Civic and social organizations	155	170	15	9.7%	F	F	..	..
Business, professional, labour and other membership organizations	x	86	x	..	x	F	..	..
<b>Public administration</b>	7,329	7,627	298	4.1%	\$1,595.17	\$1,656.62	\$61.45	3.9%
Federal government public administration	548	563	15	2.7%	\$2,041.58	\$2,130.58	\$89.00	4.4%
Provincial and territorial public administration	4,195	4,160	-35	-0.8%	\$1,833.35	\$1,928.08	\$94.73	5.2%
Local, municipal and regional public administration	614	677	63	10.3%	F	F	..	..
Indigenous public administration	1,972	2,227	255	12.9%	\$1,045.34	F	..	..
<b>Unclassified businesses</b>	602	611	9	1.5%	..	..	..	..

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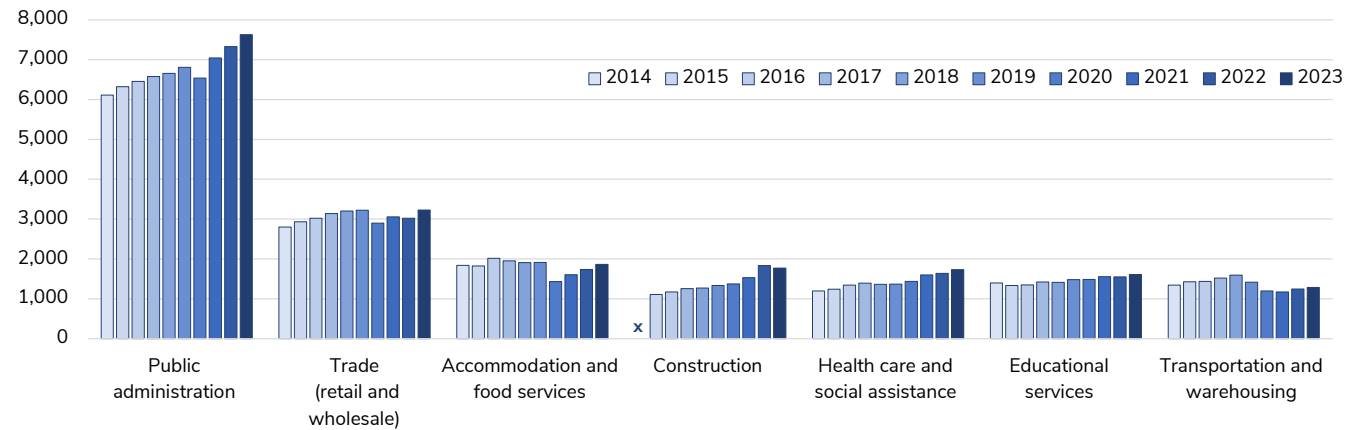
## Earnings and hours by type of employee (including overtime), Yukon, 2022 to 2023

	Hourly employees				Salaried employees			
	Avg. hourly earnings (\$)		Avg. weekly hours		Avg. hourly earnings (\$)		Avg. weekly hours	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
<b>Industrial aggregate excluding unclassified businesses</b>	\$32.56	\$33.05	31.2	31.6	\$47.07	\$47.84	37.7	38.0
<b>Goods producing industries</b>	\$40.48	F	39.3	F	\$53.55	F	41.0	F
<b>Construction</b>	F	\$38.83	F	37.3	F	\$45.65	F	38.4
<b>Service producing industries</b>	\$29.89	\$29.79	29.2	29.9	\$46.50	\$47.54	37.4	37.8
<b>Trade</b>	\$23.56	\$23.42	28.0	28.7	\$38.36	\$38.38	38.1	39.2
Retail trade	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Motor vehicle and parts dealers	\$28.41	x	35.8	x	\$35.42	x	39.3	x
Food and beverage retailers	\$19.68	F	25.4	F	\$35.06	F	38.3	F
Sporting goods, hobby, musical instrument, book, and miscellaneous retailers	\$20.01	\$20.91	25.3	24.9	\$26.52	\$33.69	36.8	38.7
<b>Transportation and warehousing</b>	\$36.29	\$32.44	33.0	34.6	\$36.55	\$39.06	39.4	39.0
Air transportation	\$38.03	F	30.2	F	\$41.11	F	39.3	F
<b>Information and cultural industries</b>	\$29.78	F	31.3	F	\$43.61	F	36.4	F
<b>Administrative and support, waste management and remediation services</b>	\$25.12	F	26.0	F	\$35.72	F	38.6	F
<b>Accommodation and food services</b>	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
Food services and drinking places	F	\$18.33	F	24.6	F	\$25.49	F	40.0
Full-service restaurants and limited-service eating places	F	\$18.29	F	24.9	F	\$25.51	F	40.1
<b>Other personal services (except public administration)</b>	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
Religious, grant-making, civic, and professional and similar organizations	\$31.92	F	27.1	F	\$41.15	F	36.5	F

Note: Industry sectors, subsectors and industry groups displayed in this table are the only ones that have employee and/or earnings data by type of employee, available for 2022 and/or 2023 in Yukon.

Source: Statistics Canada. Tables: 14-10-0206-01; 14-10-0208-01; 14-10-0210-01; and 14-10-0212-01.

## Employment by select Yukon industry employment sectors, Yukon, 2014 to 2023



x = suppressed.

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0202-01 and Yukon Bureau of Statistics estimation.

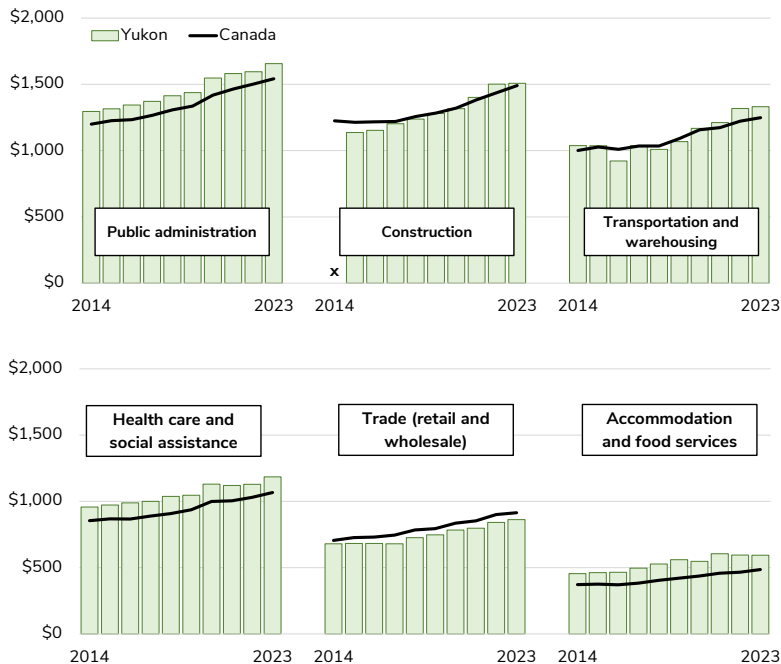
Yukon data for the number of employees in 2023 were available for thirteen industry sectors. Of those, seven sectors employed over 1,000 employees: **Public administration** (7,627 employees); **Trade** (3,225); **Accommodation and food services** (1,864); **Construction** (1,772); **Health care and social assistance** (1,732); **Educational services** (1,607); and **Transportation and warehousing** (1,285). These seven sectors collectively represented 79.1% of all classified businesses' employees in the territory.

The **Public administration** sector (including federal, territorial, municipal and Indigenous governments) remained the largest employer in 2023, with 7,627 employees, or 31.6%, of all employees in classified businesses.

Among other industry sectors: **Trade (Retail and Wholesale)** represented 13.4% of all employees in classified businesses; **Accommodation and food services**, 7.7%; **Construction**, 7.3%; **Health care and social assistance**, 7.2%; **Educational services**, 6.7%; and **Transportation and warehousing**, 5.3%.

## Average weekly earnings (including overtime) by select industry employment sectors, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

Earnings of top industry employment sectors, Yukon, 2014 to 2023



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Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0204-01.

**Note:** Data on average weekly earnings was unavailable for Educational services, which was Yukon's fifth largest industry sector by employment.

In 2023, average weekly earnings data were available for ten industry sectors in Yukon, excluding unclassified businesses but including overtime.

Of Yukon's industry sectors with over 1,000 employees and available data, the **Public administration** sector had the highest average weekly earnings in Yukon (\$1,656.62). This was followed by the **Construction** sector (\$1,507.45); the **Transportation and warehousing** sector (\$1,331.50); the **Health care and social assistance** sector (\$1,185.05); the **Trade** aggregate (\$862.05); and the **Accommodation and food services** sector (\$593.29).

In 2023, Yukon's average weekly earnings was higher than the national average in the following top industry sectors:

- **Public administration** (\$114.73, or 7.4%, higher);
- **Construction** (\$16.09, or 1.1% higher);
- **Transportation and warehousing** (\$82.73, or 6.6% higher);
- **Health care and social assistance** (\$118.44, or 11.1% higher); and
- **Accommodation and food services** (\$108.42, or 22.4% higher).

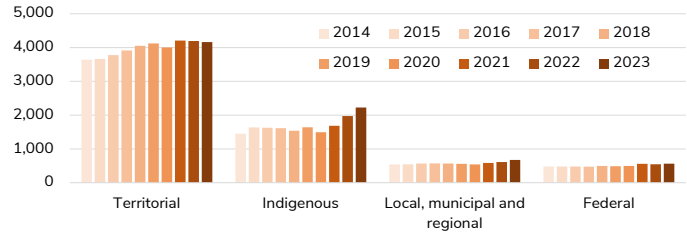
Of sectors employing over 1,000 people, only the **Trade** aggregate had average weekly earnings lower than the national average (\$52.30, or 5.7% lower).

# Employment and earnings (including overtime) for Public administration sector, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

**Note:** Public administration includes only the establishments engaged in activities that are governmental in character and those providing services as agencies internal to the public service. Government-owned establishments primarily engaged in activities assigned to other industries are classified in those industries, (i.e. Education and Health) along with similar establishments owned by non-government bodies. Therefore, employment, earnings and hours data included in Public administration do not represent the actual total number of persons employed by government at every level.

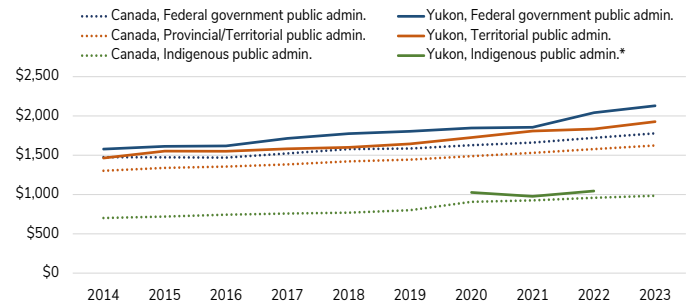
## Employment within Public administration sector, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

In 2023, the top employer in Yukon was the **Public administration** sector with 7,627 employees. The highest subsector was the **Territorial public administration** with 4,160 employees representing 54.5% of public administration employment. Employment in the **Territorial public administration** subsector has increased by 523, or 14.4%, compared to the 2014 level (3,637).



## Earnings for available Public administration subsectors, Canada and Yukon, 2014 to 2023

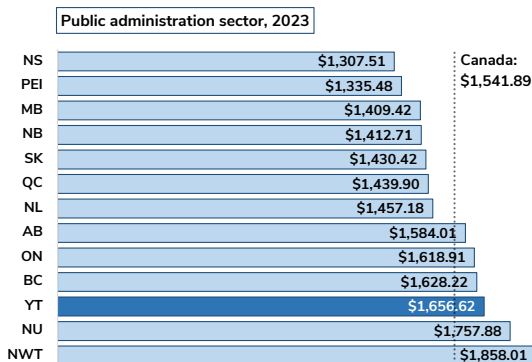
The average weekly earnings in 2023 in the **Territorial public administration** subsector in Yukon was \$303.74 or 18.7%, higher than the average for provincial and territorial public administrations. The average earnings in the **Federal public administration** subsector in Yukon was \$350.73, or 19.7%, higher than the national average. Comparing 2023 to 2022, the average earnings in Yukon's **Territorial public administration** sector increased by \$94.73, or 5.2%; comparing 2023 to 2014, earnings increased by \$464.41, or 31.7%.



\* Yukon Indigenous public administration earnings data were unavailable before 2020 and in 2023.

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0204-01.

## Average weekly earnings (including overtime) for Public administration sector and Provincial/territorial public administration subsector, Canada, provinces and territories, 2023

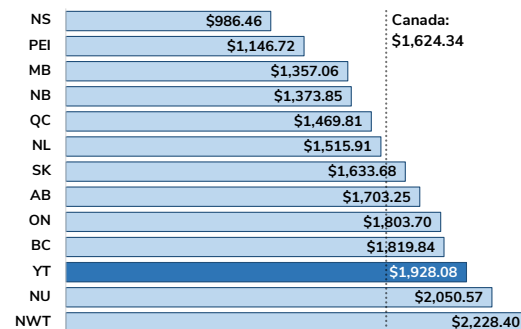


Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0204-01.

In 2023, Yukon's average weekly earnings (including overtime) in the **Public administration** sector was \$1,656.62. This was the third-highest among provinces and territories, following the Northwest Territories (\$1,858.01) and Nunavut (\$1,757.88).

Yukon's average weekly earnings in the **Public administration** sector was \$201.39, or 10.8%, lower than that of the Northwest Territories (\$1,858.01), while it was \$349.11, or 26.7%, higher than that of Nova Scotia (\$1,307.51), the province with the lowest average weekly earnings in the **Public administration** sector in 2023.

## Provincial and territorial public administration sector, 2023



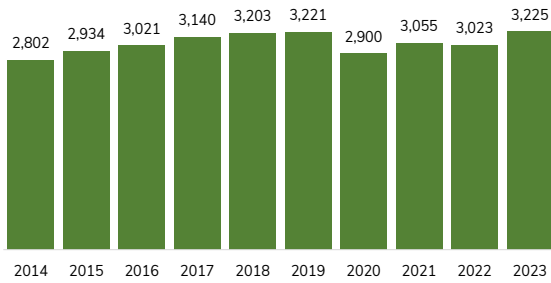
Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0204-01.

Yukon's average weekly earnings in the **Provincial/Territorial public administration** subsector (\$1,928.08) ranked the third-highest in the country in 2023, following the Northwest Territories (\$2,228.40) and Nunavut (\$2,050.57).

Yukon's average weekly earnings in the **Provincial/Territorial public administration** subsector was \$300.32, or 13.5%, lower than that of the Northwest Territories (\$2,228.40), while it was \$941.62, or 95.5%, higher than that of Nova Scotia (\$986.46).

## Employment and earnings (including overtime) for Trade aggregate, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

### Employment in Trade aggregate, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

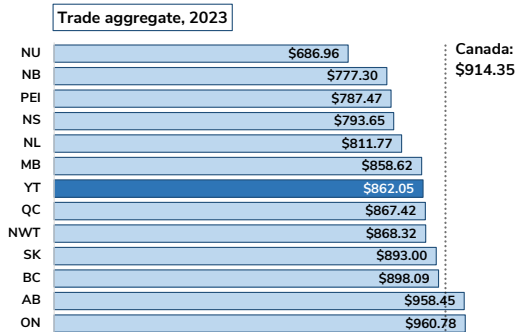


In 2023, the second-largest number of workers in Yukon were employed in *Trade* industries (3,225 employees).

Employment in the *Trade* aggregate increased from a low of 2,802 in 2014 to a high of 3,225 in 2023. Compared to 2022, the 2023 level of employment in the *Trade* aggregate increased by 202, or 6.7%, exceeding pre-pandemic levels (2019) for the first time.

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0202-01.

### Earnings for Trade aggregate, Canada, provinces and territories, 2023



Yukon's 2023 average weekly earnings (including overtime) in the *Trade* aggregate (\$862.05) was in the middle of all jurisdictions. However, compared to the national average (\$914.35), Yukon's average earnings were \$52.30, or 5.7% lower.

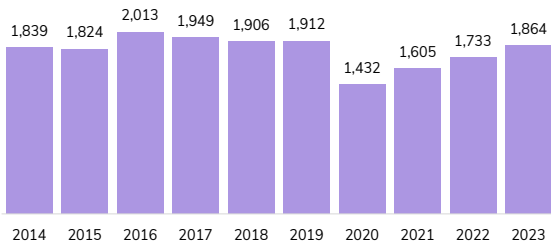
In 2023, Yukon's average weekly earnings in *Trade* industries (\$862.05) was \$98.73, or 10.3%, lower than Ontario (\$960.78) and \$175.09, or 25.5%, higher than Nunavut (\$686.96).

The average earnings in the *Trade* aggregate was \$514.72, or 37.4%, less than earnings for Yukon's industrial aggregate (excluding unclassified businesses and including overtime).

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0204-01.

## Employment and earnings (including overtime) for Accommodation and food services sector, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

### Employment in Accommodation and food services sector, Yukon, 2014 to 2023



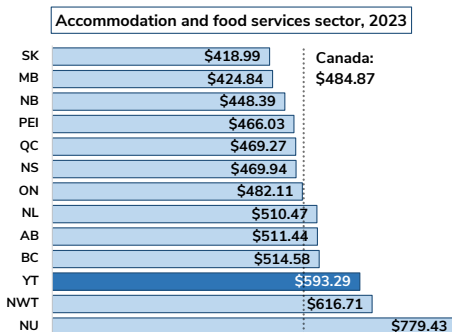
In 2023, the third-largest number of workers in Yukon were employed in the *Accommodation and food services* sector (1,864 employees).

During the period from 2014 to 2019, employment in the *Accommodation and food services* sector ranged from 1,824 in 2015 to 2,013 in 2016. In 2020, sector employment decreased by 480 workers, or 25.1%, compared to 2019. While employment has gradually rebounded since 2020, the 2023 employment remained 48 workers, or 2.5%, below that of 2019.

Compared to 2022, the 2023 level of employment in the *Accommodation and food services* sector increased by 131, or 7.6%.

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0202-01.

### Earnings for Accommodation and food services sector, Canada, provinces and territories, 2023



Yukon's 2023 average weekly earnings (including overtime) in the *Accommodation and food services* sector (\$593.29) was the third-highest of all jurisdictions. Compared to Canada (\$484.87), Yukon's earnings were \$108.42, or 22.4% higher.

In 2023, Yukon's average weekly earnings in the *Accommodation and food services* sector (\$593.29) was \$186.14, or 23.9%, lower than Nunavut (\$779.43) and \$174.3, or 41.6%, higher than Saskatchewan (\$418.99).

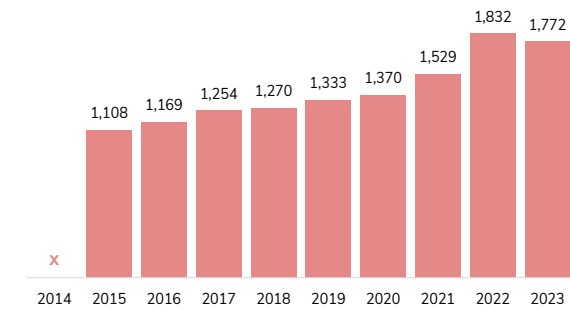
The average earnings in the *Accommodation and food services* sector was \$738.48, or 56.9%, less than earnings for Yukon's industrial aggregate (excluding unclassified businesses and including overtime).

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0204-01.



## Employment and earnings (including overtime) for Construction sector, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

### Employment within Construction sector, Yukon, 2014 to 2023



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Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0202-01.

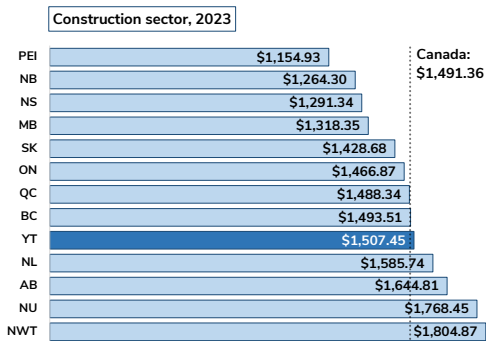
In 2023, Yukon's Construction sector employed 1,772 workers, making it Yukon's fourth-largest employment sector.

Between 2015 and 2020, Construction sector employment grew by 262 workers, or 23.6%, before surging in 2021 and 2022. Comparing 2022 to 2020, Construction sector employment increased by 462 workers (33.7%).

In 2023, Construction sector employment declined by 60 workers, or 3.3%, compared to 2022.

The Construction sector increased by 664 workers, or 59.9%, from 2015 to 2023, the largest percentage growth during that period among sectors with over 1,000 employees.

### Earnings for Construction sector, Canada, provinces and territories, 2023



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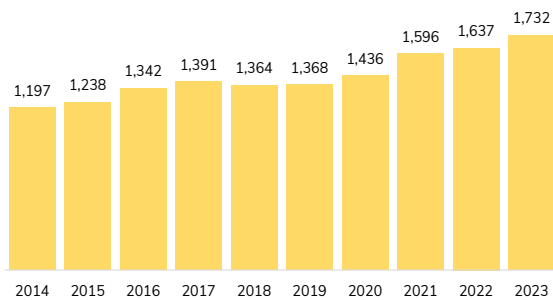
Yukon's 2023 average earnings (including overtime) in the Construction sector (\$1,507.45) was the fifth-highest in Canada.

Compared to Canada (\$1,491.36), Yukon's 2023 average earnings (including overtime) in the Construction sector (\$1,507.45) was \$16.09, or 1.1% higher.

Compared to the average earnings for Yukon's industrial aggregate (excluding unclassified businesses and including overtime), the average earnings in Yukon's construction sector was \$130.68, or 9.5% higher.

## Employment and earnings (including overtime) for Health care and social assistance sector, Yukon, 2014 to 2023

### Employment in Health care and social assistance sector, Yukon, 2014 to 2023



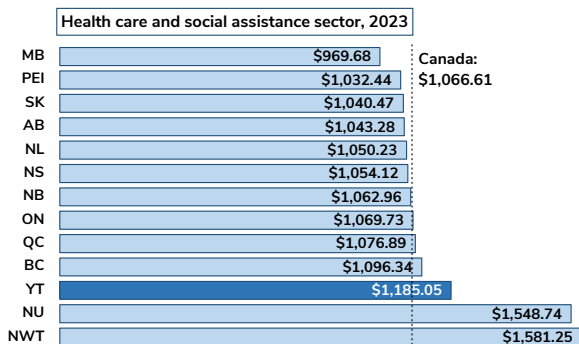
Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0202-01.

In 2023, the fourth-largest number of workers in Yukon were employed in Health care and social assistance sector (1,732 employees).

Employment in the Health care and social assistance sector increased from a low of 1,197 in 2014 to a high of 1,732 in 2023.

Compared to 2022, the 2023 level of employment in the Health care and social assistance sector increased by 95, or 5.8%.

### Earnings for Health care and social assistance sector, Canada, provinces and territories, 2023



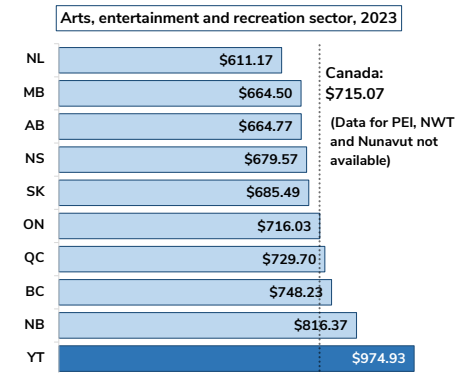
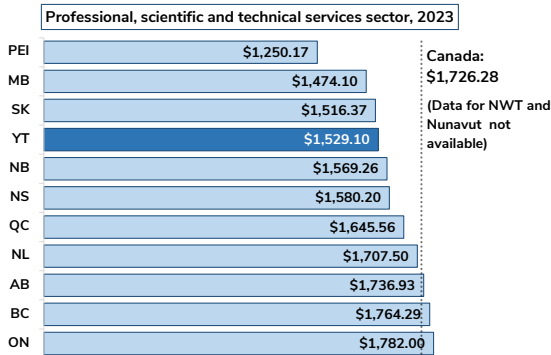
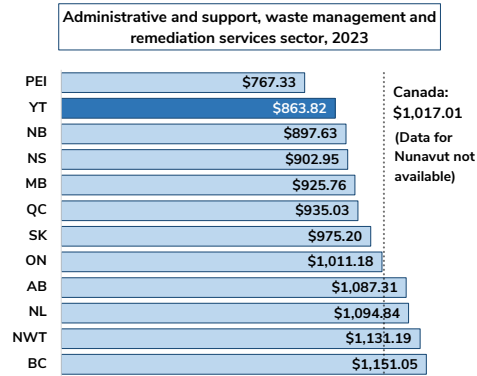
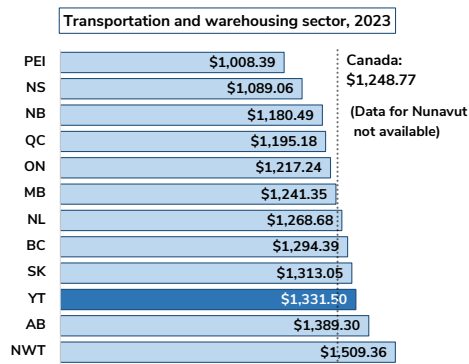
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Yukon's 2023 average weekly earnings (including overtime) in the Health care and social assistance sector (\$1,185.05) was the third-highest in Canada. Compared to the national average earnings of this sector (\$1,066.61), the average in Yukon was \$118.44, or 11.1% higher.

In 2023, Yukon's average weekly earnings in Health care and social assistance (\$1,185.05) was \$396.20, or 25.1%, lower than the Northwest Territories (\$1,581.25) and \$215.37, or 22.2%, higher than Manitoba (\$969.68).

The average earnings in Health care and social assistance was \$191.72, or 13.9%, less than the average earnings for Yukon's industrial aggregate (excluding unclassified businesses and including overtime).

# Average weekly earnings (including overtime) for select sectors, Canada, provinces and territories, 2023



Source: Statistics Canada. Table 14-10-0204-01.

<sup>1</sup> Industrial aggregate covers all industries in Canada except those primarily involved in agriculture, fishing and trapping, private household services, religious organizations, and the military personnel of the defence services. *Unclassified businesses* are businesses for which the industrial classification (NAICS 2022) has yet to be determined.

<sup>2</sup> *Other Services (except public administration)* includes: repair and maintenance; personal and laundry services; religious, grant-making, civic, and professional and similar organizations; and private households.

<sup>3</sup> Data is derived residually from Statistics Canada Table 14-10-0202-01.

<sup>4</sup> Trade includes Retail and Wholesale trade.

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