



Labour Force Survey, May 2025

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In May 2025, Yukon's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 3.6%. Canada's unemployment rate for the month was 7.0%.

Compared to the figures for April 2025, Yukon's seasonally adjusted labour force (28,100) remained the same; the number of employed (27,100) increased by 100; the number of unemployed (1,000) decreased by 100; and the unemployment rate (3.6%) decreased by 0.3 percentage points.

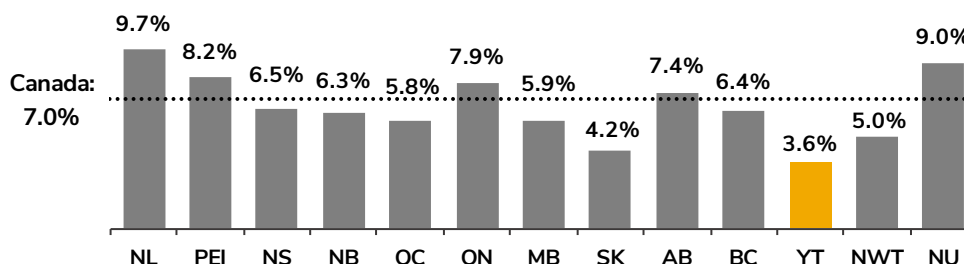
Compared to the figures for May 2024, Yukon's seasonally adjusted labour force (28,100) increased by 1,000; the number of employed (27,100) increased by 800; the number of unemployed (1,000) increased by 100; and the unemployment rate (3.6%) increased by 0.3 percentage points.

Labour force characteristics, May 2025 (seasonally adjusted)

	May '24	Apr '25	May '25	Change ¹ Apr '25 to May '25	Change ¹ May '24 to May '25
Yukon					
Labour force	27,100	28,100	28,100	0.0%	3.7%
Number employed	26,300	27,000	27,100	0.4%	3.0%
Number unemployed	900	1,100	1,000	-9.1%	11.1%
Unemployment rate	3.3%	3.9%	3.6%	-0.3	0.3
Canada					
Labour force	22,081,900	22,517,400	22,552,700	0.2%	2.1%
Number employed	20,698,300	20,969,300	20,978,100	0.0%	1.4%
Number unemployed	1,383,700	1,548,100	1,574,600	1.7%	13.8%
Unemployment rate	6.3%	6.9%	7.0%	0.1	0.7

¹ Change is measured in percent, or percentage points, where applicable. Percentage points are the actual numerical difference between two percentages, such as: 10% - 8% = 2 percentage points.

Unemployment rate by province and territory,
May 2025 (seasonally adjusted)





Note to readers:

- All estimates are rounded to the nearest hundred.
- All territories' monthly figures are based on three-month moving averages and are, therefore, not included in the overall figures for Canada.
- Every 10 years, the Labour Force Survey (LFS) sample is redesigned to reflect changes in population characteristics and updated geographical boundaries. The updated sample design — based on the 2021 Census population characteristics and the 2021 Standard Geographical Classification — is being phased in from April to September 2025.