Labour Force Survey, October 2026
November 6, 2026

In October 2026, Yukon's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 5.3%. Canada's unemployment rate for the month was 6.7%.

Compared to the figures for September 2026, Yukon's seasonally adjusted labour force (28,400) increased by 200; the number of employed (26,800) decreased by 100; the number of unemployed (1,500) increased by 200; and the unemployment rate (5.3%) increased by 0.7 percentage points.

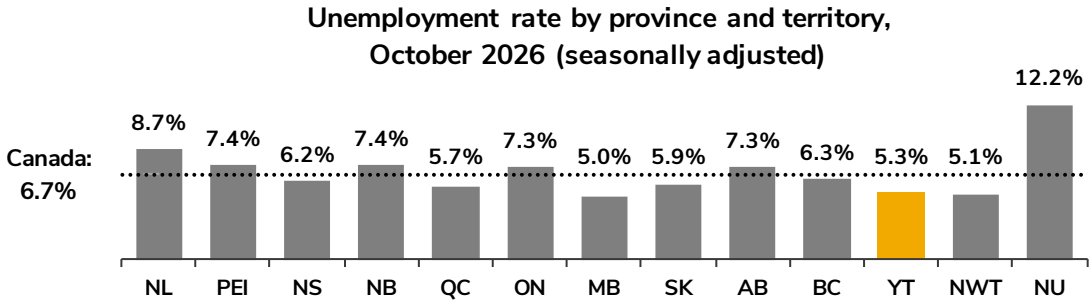
Compared to the figures for October 2025, Yukon's seasonally adjusted labour force (28,400) remained the same; the number of employed (26,800) decreased by 200; the number of unemployed (1,500) increased by 200; and the unemployment rate (5.3%) increased by 0.7 percentage points.

Labour force characteristics, October 2026 (seasonally adjusted)

	Oct '25[r]	Sep '26	Oct '26	Change[1] Sep '26 to Oct '26	Change[1] Oct '25[r] to Oct '26
Yukon					
Labour force	28,400	28,200	28,400	0.7%	0.0%
Number employed	27,000	26,900	26,800	-0.4%	-0.7%
Number unemployed	1,300	1,300	1,500	15.4%	15.4%
Unemployment rate	4.6%	4.6%	5.3%	0.7	0.7
Canada					
Labour force	22,634,300	22,579,700	22,607,700	0.1%	-0.1%
Number employed	21,083,600	21,104,800	21,100,100	0.0%	0.1%
Number unemployed	1,550,700	1,474,900	1,507,700	2.2%	-2.8%
Unemployment rate	6.9%	6.5%	6.7%	0.2	-0.2

[r] = revised

[1] Change is measured in percent, or percentage points, where applicable. Percentage points are the actual numerical difference between two percentages, such as: 10.0% - 8.2% = 1.8 percentage points.



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Note to readers:

- All figures in this release are based on Statistics Canada's Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates. Information gathered from LFS respondents is weighted to represent the survey target population using population calibration totals. These totals are updated each month, using the most recently available information on population changes derived from Canada's official population estimates, with minor adjustments being made to reflect the LFS target population.
- The Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates in this release reflect labour market conditions during the reference week. This is usually the week containing the 15th day of the month.
- 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.