

Labour Force Survey, April 2021

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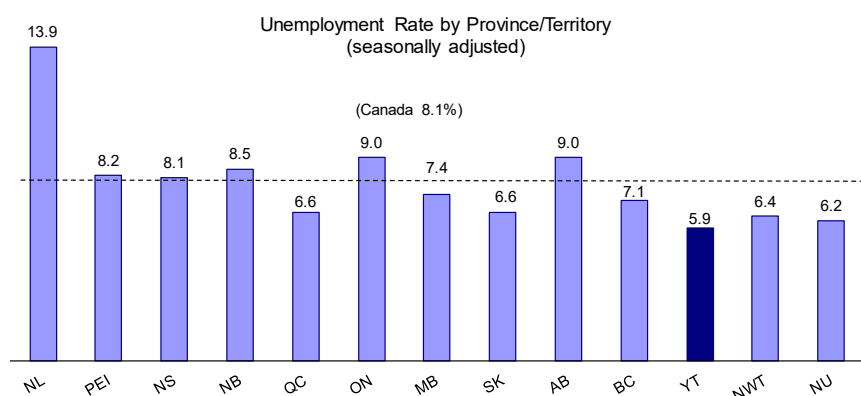
In April 2021, Yukon's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 5.9%. Canada's unemployment rate for the month was 8.1%. Compared to the figures for March 2021, Yukon's seasonally adjusted labour force (23,800) remained the same; the number of employed (22,400) increased by 100; and the number of unemployed (1,400) decreased by 200.

Supplementary notes:

- Yukon's April 2021 labour force would be 24,300 when the number is adjusted to the pre-pandemic population to labour force ratio.
- Yukon's April 2021 number of unemployed would be 1,900 when the number is adjusted to reflect the decrease in labour force (i.e., increase in "not in labour force") due to COVID-19.
- Yukon's April 2021 unemployment rate would be 7.6% when unemployment is adjusted to reflect the decrease in labour force (i.e., increase in "not in labour force") due to COVID-19.
- Canada's unemployment rate would be 10.5% when persons "not in labour force, but wanted work" are added to the labour force.

Labour Force Characteristics¹, April 2021 (seasonally adjusted)

	Apr '20	Mar '21	Apr '21	Change ² Mar '21 to Apr '21	Change ² Apr '20 to Apr '21
Yukon					
Labour Force ³	23,000	23,800	23,800	0.0%	3.5%
Number Employed ³	22,400	22,300	22,400	0.4%	0.0%
Number Unemployed ³	600	1,600	1,400	-12.5%	133.3%
Unemployment Rate	2.6%	6.7%	5.9%	-0.8	3.3
Canada					
Labour Force ³	18,585,400	20,351,100	20,267,500	-0.4%	9.1%
Number Employed ³	16,141,600	18,834,300	18,627,200	-1.1%	15.4%
Number Unemployed ³	2,443,900	1,516,700	1,640,300	8.1%	-32.9%
Unemployment Rate	13.1%	7.5%	8.1%	0.6	-5.0



All territories' monthly figures are based on three-month moving averages and are, therefore, not included in the overall figures for Canada.

² '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.

³ All estimates are rounded to the nearest hundred.