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Labour Force Survey, June 2021

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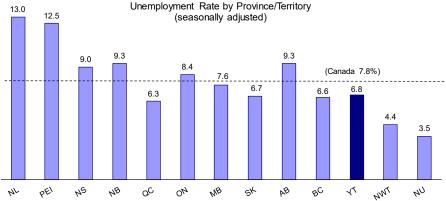
In June 2021, Yukon's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 6.8%. Canada's unemployment rate for the month was 7.8%. Compared to the figures for May 2021, Yukon's seasonally adjusted labour force (23,500) decreased by 200; the number of employed (21,800) decreased by 300; and the number of unemployed (1,600) remained the same.

Supplementary notes:

- Yukon's June 2021 labour force would be 24,200 when the number is adjusted to the pre-pandemic population to labour force ratio.
- Yukon's June 2021 number of unemployed would be 2,400 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 June 2021 unemployment rate would be 9.9% 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 10.1% when persons "not in labour force, but wanted work" are added to the labour force.

Labour Force Characteristics¹, June 2021 (seasonally adjusted)

	June '20	May '21	June '21	Change ² May '21 to June '21	Change ² June '20 to June '21
Yukon					
Labour Force ³	22,500	23,700	23,500	-0.8%	4.4%
Number Employed ³	21,100	22,100	21,800	-1.4%	3.3%
Number Unemployed ³	1,400	1,600	1,600	0.0%	14.3%
Unemployment Rate	6.2%	6.8%	6.8%	0.0	0.6
Canada					
Labour Force ³	19,860,100	20,211,600	20,381,500	0.8%	2.6%
Number Employed ³	17,385,700	18,559,200	18,789,900	1.2%	8.1%
Number Unemployed ³	2,474,400	1,652,300	1,591,600	-3.7%	-35.7%
Unemployment Rate	12.5%	8.2%	7.8%	-0.4	-4.7
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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

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