



## Employment Insurance, August 2022 (preliminary data)

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In August 2022, the preliminary number of EI beneficiaries (seasonally adjusted) receiving regular income support benefits<sup>1</sup> in Yukon was 660; of which 420 were males and 240 were females. Compared to August 2021, the total number of beneficiaries decreased by 850, or 56.3%; compared to the July 2022 preliminary figure, the total number of beneficiaries remained the same.

Nationally, the preliminary number of EI beneficiaries (seasonally adjusted) in August 2022 decreased by 67.1% compared to August 2021 and decreased by 4.1% compared to the July 2022 preliminary figure.

### Number of beneficiaries receiving regular income-support benefits<sup>1</sup>, by sex and age group (seasonally adjusted)

	Aug '21	Jul '22 <sup>P</sup>	Aug '22 <sup>P</sup>	Jul '22 to Aug '22	Aug '21 to Aug '22	Jul '22 to Aug '22	Aug '21 to Aug '22
	number <sup>2</sup>			change in number <sup>2</sup>		% change	
<b>Canada</b>							
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>1,476,590</b>	<b>505,710</b>	<b>485,110</b>	<b>-20,600</b>	<b>-991,480</b>	<b>-4.1</b>	<b>-67.1</b>
15 to 24 years	217,900	53,720	50,010	-3,710	-167,890	-6.9	-77.0
25 to 54 years	888,730	307,210	295,320	-11,890	-593,410	-3.9	-66.8
55 years and over	369,950	144,770	139,780	-4,990	-230,170	-3.4	-62.2
<b>Males</b>	<b>795,430</b>	<b>295,970</b>	<b>289,980</b>	<b>-5,990</b>	<b>-505,450</b>	<b>-2.0</b>	<b>-63.5</b>
<b>Females</b>	<b>681,160</b>	<b>209,740</b>	<b>195,130</b>	<b>-14,610</b>	<b>-486,030</b>	<b>-7.0</b>	<b>-71.4</b>
<b>Yukon</b>							
<b>Both Sexes</b>	<b>1,510</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-850</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-56.3</b>
15 to 24 years	140	60	70	10	-70	16.7	-50.0
25 to 54 years	960	450	440	-10	-520	-2.2	-54.2
55 years and over	410	150	150	0	-260	0.0	-63.4
<b>Males</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>-430</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>-50.6</b>
<b>Females</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>-30</b>	<b>-420</b>	<b>-11.1</b>	<b>-63.6</b>

<sup>P</sup> = preliminary

<sup>1</sup> Includes people who receive regular income benefits whether or not they participate in one of three employment benefit programs, namely Skills Development Program, Job Creation Partnerships Program and Self-employment Program.

<sup>2</sup> The numbers may not add up to totals due to rounding.

#### Notes to Readers:

- No methodological changes were made to the Employment Insurance Statistics (EIS) program over the COVID-19 period. EIS reflect the Employment Insurance (EI) program for the Labour Force Survey (LFS) reference week in each month.
- The number of beneficiaries is a measure of all people who received regular EI benefits from August 14 to 20, 2022. This period coincides with the reference week of the LFS.