

## Department of Finance Yukon Bureau of Statistics

### Labour Force Survey, March 2023

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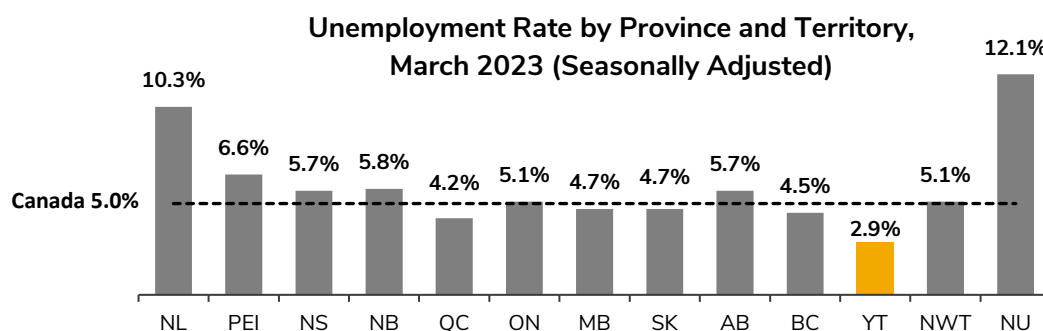
In March 2023, Yukon's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 2.9%. Canada's unemployment rate for the month was 5.0%.

Compared to the figures for February 2023, Yukon's seasonally adjusted labour force (23,800) decreased by 100; the number of employed (23,100) increased by 100; the number of unemployed (700) decreased by 200; and the unemployment rate decreased by 0.9 percentage points.

Compared to the figures for March 2022, Yukon's seasonally adjusted labour force (23,800) decreased by 700; the number of employed (23,100) remained the same; the number of unemployed (700) decreased by 700; and the unemployment rate decreased by 2.8 percentage points.

#### Labour Force Characteristics<sup>1</sup>, March 2023 (seasonally adjusted)

	Mar '22	Feb '23	Mar '23	Change <sup>2</sup> Feb '23 to Mar '23	Change <sup>2</sup> Mar '22 to Mar '23
<b>Yukon</b>					
Labour Force <sup>3</sup>	24,500	23,900	23,800	-0.4%	-2.9%
Number Employed <sup>3</sup>	23,100	23,000	23,100	0.4%	0.0%
Number Unemployed <sup>3</sup>	1,400	900	700	-22.2%	-50.0%
Unemployment Rate	5.7%	3.8%	2.9%	-0.9	-2.8
<b>Canada</b>					
Labour Force <sup>3</sup>	20,759,500	21,120,500	21,141,800	0.1%	1.8%
Number Employed <sup>3</sup>	19,663,300	20,054,100	20,088,800	0.2%	2.2%
Number Unemployed <sup>3</sup>	1,096,300	1,066,400	1,053,000	-1.3%	-3.9%
Unemployment Rate	5.3%	5.0%	5.0%	0.0	-0.3



<sup>1</sup> All territories' monthly figures are based on three-month moving averages and are, therefore, not included in the overall figures for Canada.

<sup>2</sup> '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.

<sup>3</sup> All estimates are rounded to the nearest hundred.