

Alberta Labour Force Statistics January, 2012

Seasonally Adjusted

| Statistics/Counts | | January, 2012 | December, 2011 | January, 2011 |
|-------------------|--------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| Labour Force | (000s) | 2,246.0 | 2,241.1 | 2,183.1 |
| Employed | (000s) | 2,135.1 | 2,131.0 | 2,053.8 |
| Unemployed | (000s) | 110.9 | 110.1 | 129.3 |
| Unemployment Rate | (%) | 4.9% | 4.9% | 5.9% |

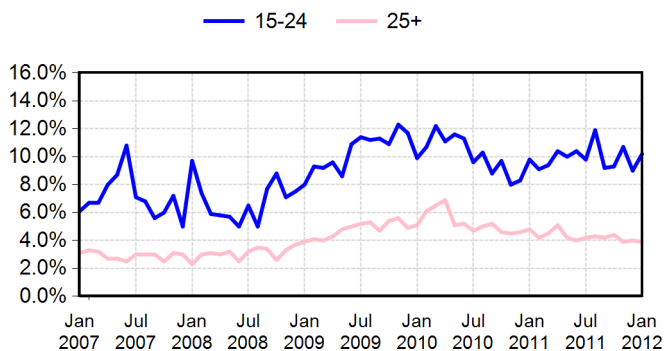
Unemployment Rate, Alberta Cities Seasonally Adjusted, 3- Month Moving Average

| 3-Month Moving Averages | Edmonton | Calgary |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| January 2012 | 5.0% | 5.4% |
| December 2011 | 5.1% | 5.5% |
| January 2011 | 5.8% | 6.0% |

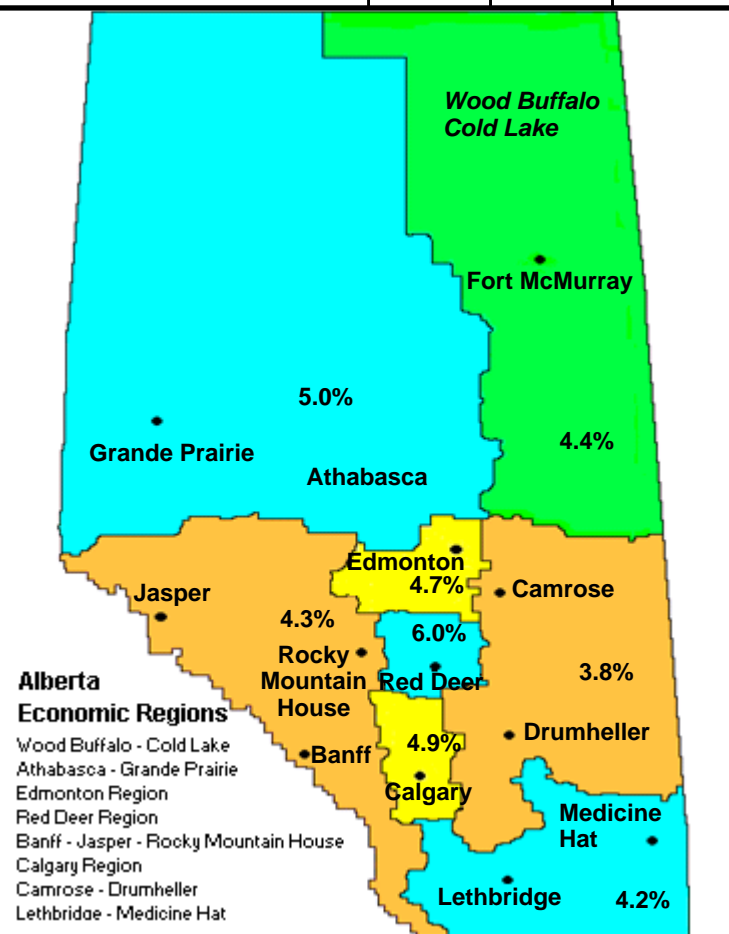
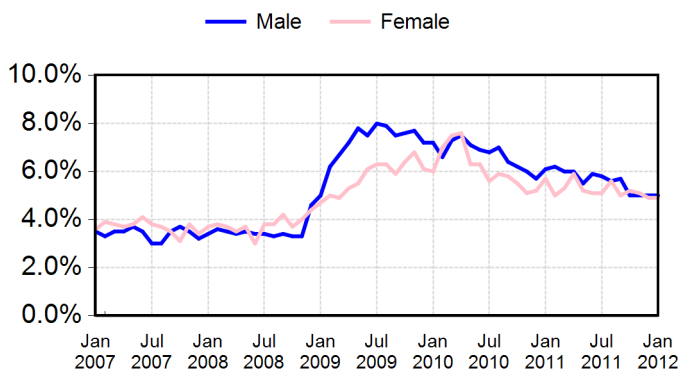
Unemployment Rate, Alberta Regions Unadjusted, 3- Month Moving Average

| | January 2012 | December 2011 | January 2011 |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| Wood Buffalo - Cold Lake | 4.4% | 4.3% | 4.5% |
| Athabasca - Grande Prairie | 5.0% | 5.0% | 6.1% |
| Edmonton Region | 4.7% | 4.6% | 5.7% |
| Red Deer Region | 6.0% | 5.3% | 5.2% |
| Banff - Jasper - Rocky Mountain House | 4.3% | 3.2% | 5.9% |
| Calgary Region | 4.9% | 4.9% | 5.9% |
| Camrose - Drumheller | 3.8% | 3.9% | 5.0% |
| Lethbridge - Medicine Hat | 4.2% | 4.1% | 4.3% |

Unemployment Rate by Age & Gender, Alberta Seasonally Adjusted, 3- Month Moving Average



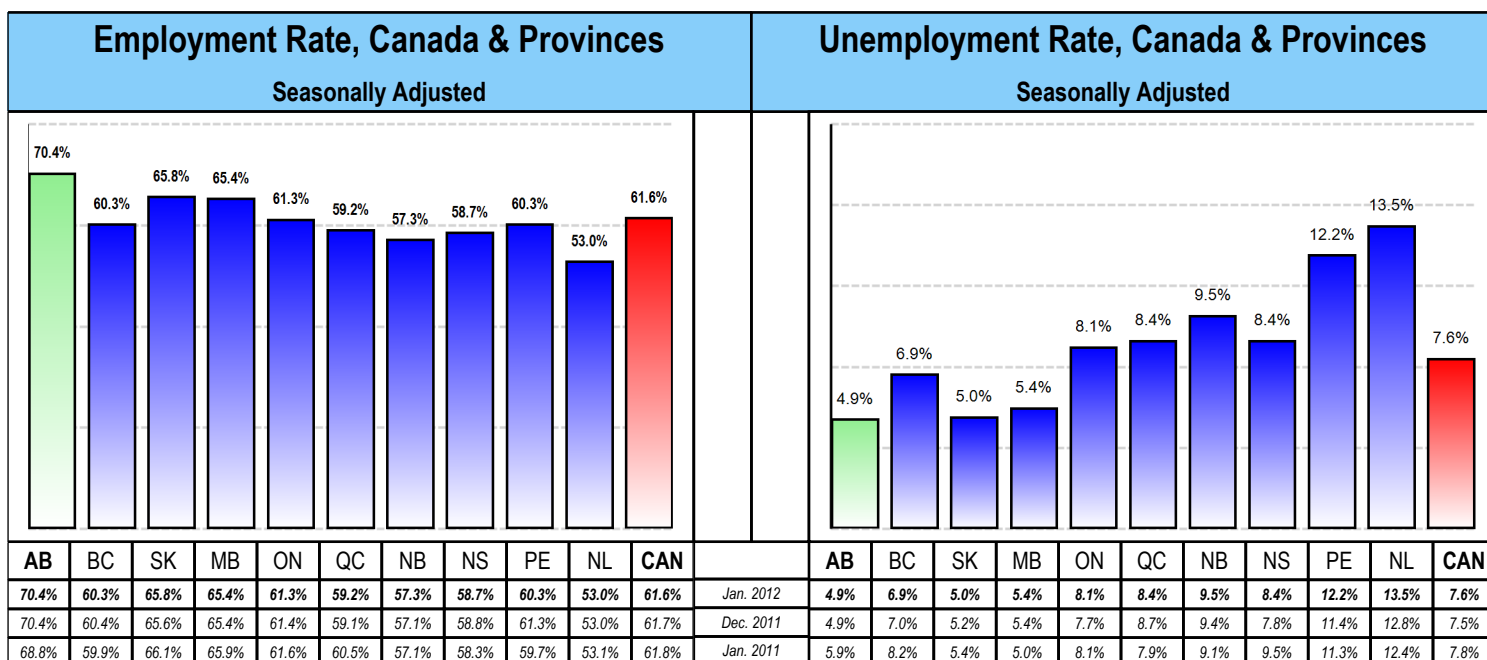
| Age | All Ages(15+) | | | Youth(15-24) | | | Adults(25+) | | |
|---------------|---------------|------|------|--------------|-------|-------|-------------|------|------|
| | Both | Male | Fem. | Both | Male | Fem. | Both | Male | Fem. |
| January 2012 | 4.9% | 5.0% | 4.9% | 9.7% | 9.2% | 10.2% | 4.0% | 4.2% | 3.9% |
| December 2011 | 4.9% | 5.0% | 4.9% | 10.2% | 11.3% | 9.0% | 3.9% | 3.8% | 4.0% |
| January 2011 | 5.9% | 6.1% | 5.7% | 11.6% | 13.3% | 9.8% | 4.8% | 4.8% | 4.8% |



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Employment by Industry, Alberta Seasonally Adjusted (000s)

| | January, 2012 | December, 2011 | January, 2011 |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| All Industries | 2,135.1 | 2,131.0 | 2,053.8 |
| Goods-Producing Sector | 592.4 | 591.5 | 555.6 |
| Agriculture | 56.9 | 55.5 | 47.7 |
| Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Oil and Gas | 171.8 | 166.6 | 152.0 |
| Utilities | 19.1 | 14.6 | 19.8 |
| Construction | 214.0 | 218.4 | 205.2 |
| Manufacturing | 130.5 | 136.4 | 130.8 |
| Services-Producing Sector | 1,542.7 | 1,539.5 | 1,498.2 |
| Trade | 336.0 | 335.4 | 317.2 |
| Transportation and Warehousing | 108.2 | 109.1 | 109.4 |
| Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing | 94.2 | 100.1 | 98.1 |
| Professional, Scientific and Technical Services | 158.6 | 164.2 | 161.6 |
| Business, Building and Other Support Services | 71.8 | 72.6 | 79.9 |
| Educational Services | 123.6 | 124.6 | 123.1 |
| Health Care and Social Assistance | 241.9 | 233.2 | 221.6 |
| Information, Culture and Recreation | 81.1 | 78.5 | 71.1 |
| Accommodation and Food Services | 128.3 | 125.7 | 123.1 |
| Other Services | 108.9 | 110.1 | 104.8 |
| Public Administration | 90.1 | 85.9 | 88.4 |



"n/a" is reported in instances of insufficient response. Unclassified Industries and Occupations are not included.