

Government of Alberta ■
Employment and Immigration

Labour Force Statistics

April 2011 Aboriginal Population Off-Reserve Package

Package Includes:

- Information for all Aboriginal people, North American Indians and Métis
- Working age population, labour force, employment, unemployment and corresponding rates
- Full-time, part-time, public and private sector and self-employed breakdowns
- Gender and age breakdowns
- Edmonton, Calgary and rest of Alberta breakdowns
- Industry, occupational and educational attainment information

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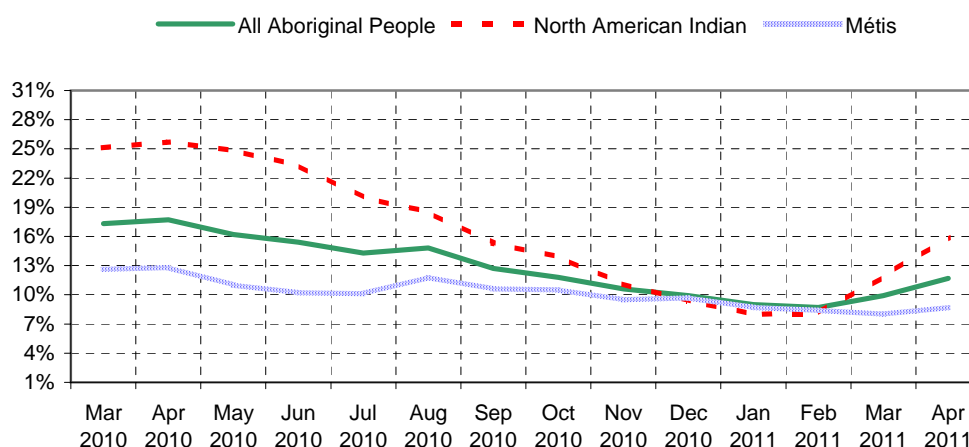
Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Labour Force Statistics Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Working Age Population (000s)	123.1	122.8	120.0
Labour Force (000s)	78.5	79.8	83.8
Employed (000s)	69.3	71.9	69.0
Unemployed (000s)	9.2	7.9	14.8
Participation Rate (%)	63.8%	65.0%	69.8%
Employment Rate (%)	56.3%	58.6%	57.4%
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.7%	9.9%	17.7%

North American Indian	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Working Age Population (000s)	48.4	48.3	47.2
Labour Force (000s)	27.9	28.5	32.5
Employed (000s)	23.5	25.1	24.2
Unemployed (000s)	4.4	3.4	8.4
Participation Rate (%)	57.6%	59.0%	68.9%
Employment Rate (%)	48.4%	52.0%	51.2%
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.9%	11.9%	25.7%

Métis	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Working Age Population (000s)	71.7	71.6	71.4
Labour Force (000s)	48.8	49.5	50.0
Employed (000s)	44.6	45.6	43.6
Unemployed (000s)	4.3	3.9	6.4
Participation Rate (%)	68.1%	69.2%	70.0%
Employment Rate (%)	62.1%	63.7%	61.1%
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7%	8.0%	12.8%

Unemployment Rate by Population Group Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average



Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

Caution on sample size.

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Characteristics
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Employed	69.3	71.9	69.0
Full-Time Employment	56.5	56.5	58.2
Part-Time Employment	12.9	15.4	10.7
Unemployed	9.2	7.9	14.8
Employees	65.0	66.4	61.2
Private Sector Employees	51.6	53.5	49.3
Public Sector Employees	13.4	12.9	11.9
Self-Employed	4.3	5.5	7.8

North American Indian	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Employed	23.5	25.1	24.2
Full-Time Employment	20.9	20.9	20.9
Part-Time Employment	2.6	4.3	3.3
Unemployed	4.4	3.4	8.4
Employees	22.6	23.6	22.3
Private Employees	19.2	20.5	17.9
Public Employees	3.4	3.1	4.4
Self-Employed	n/a	1.5	1.9

Métis	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Employed	44.6	45.6	43.6
Full-Time Employment	34.4	34.6	36.7
Part-Time Employment	10.2	11.0	6.9
Unemployed	4.3	3.9	6.4
Employees	41.3	41.8	37.7
Private Employees	31.5	32.3	30.4
Public Employees	9.8	9.5	7.3
Self-Employed	3.3	3.8	5.9

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

Caution on sample size.

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rates by Age and Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	All (Ages 15+)		
	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Aboriginal People	11.7%	9.9%	17.7%
Men	14.5%	13.1%	16.5%
Women	8.3%	5.9%	19.2%
North American Indian	15.9%	11.9%	25.7%
Men	19.3%	14.7%	22.4%
Women	12.2%	8.6%	29.2%
Métis	8.7%	8.0%	12.8%
Men	10.8%	10.8%	13.3%
Women	6.2%	4.5%	12.2%

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Rates by Age and Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	Youth (Ages 15-24)		
	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Aboriginal People	45.2%	46.0%	42.7%
Men	50.3%	51.5%	45.3%
Women	40.1%	40.1%	40.0%
North American Indian	28.7%	31.0%	32.3%
Métis	59.1%	58.9%	46.7%

	Adults (Ages 25+)		
	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Aboriginal People	60.5%	63.4%	61.6%
Men	66.3%	69.8%	71.6%
Women	55.3%	57.7%	52.5%
North American Indian	56.8%	60.8%	56.0%
Métis	63.2%	65.3%	65.2%

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

Caution on sample size.

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Working Age Population by Age and Gender
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

	All (Ages 15+)		
	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Aboriginal People	123.1	122.8	120.0
Men	59.4	59.2	57.8
Women	63.7	63.6	62.2
North American Indian	48.4	48.3	47.2
Men	22.7	22.6	22.0
Women	25.8	25.7	25.2
Métis	71.7	71.6	71.4
Men	34.9	34.8	35.2
Women	36.8	36.8	36.2

	Youth (Ages 15-24)		
	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Aboriginal People	33.9	34.0	26.4
Men	17.1	17.5	13.3
Women	16.8	16.5	13.1
North American Indian	14.4	14.2	9.5
Men	6.5	6.3	4.6
Women	7.9	7.9	4.9
Métis	18.5	18.5	15.9
Men	9.9	10.1	8.3
Women	8.7	8.4	7.6

	Adults (Ages 25+)		
	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Aboriginal People	89.2	88.8	93.7
Men	42.3	41.7	44.5
Women	46.9	47.1	49.1
North American Indian	34.0	34.1	37.7
Men	16.1	16.3	17.4
Women	17.9	17.8	20.2
Métis	53.1	53.0	55.5
Men	25.0	24.6	26.9
Women	28.1	28.4	28.5

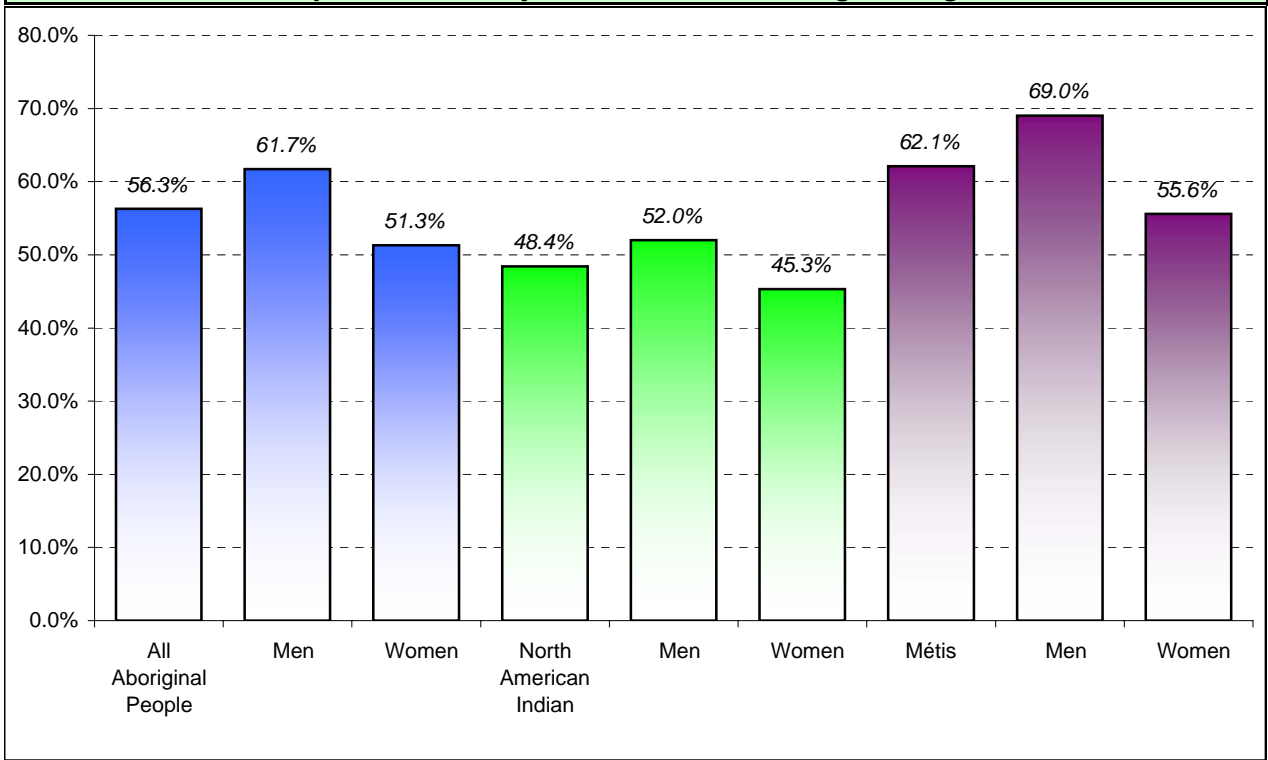
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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Rates by Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Aboriginal People	56.3%	58.6%	57.4%
Men	61.7%	64.4%	65.5%
Women	51.3%	53.1%	49.9%
North American Indian	48.4%	52.0%	51.2%
Men	52.0%	58.1%	58.8%
Women	45.3%	46.6%	44.5%
Métis	62.1%	63.7%	61.1%
Men	69.0%	70.0%	69.1%
Women	55.6%	57.7%	53.2%

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment Rates by Gender
April 2011, Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average



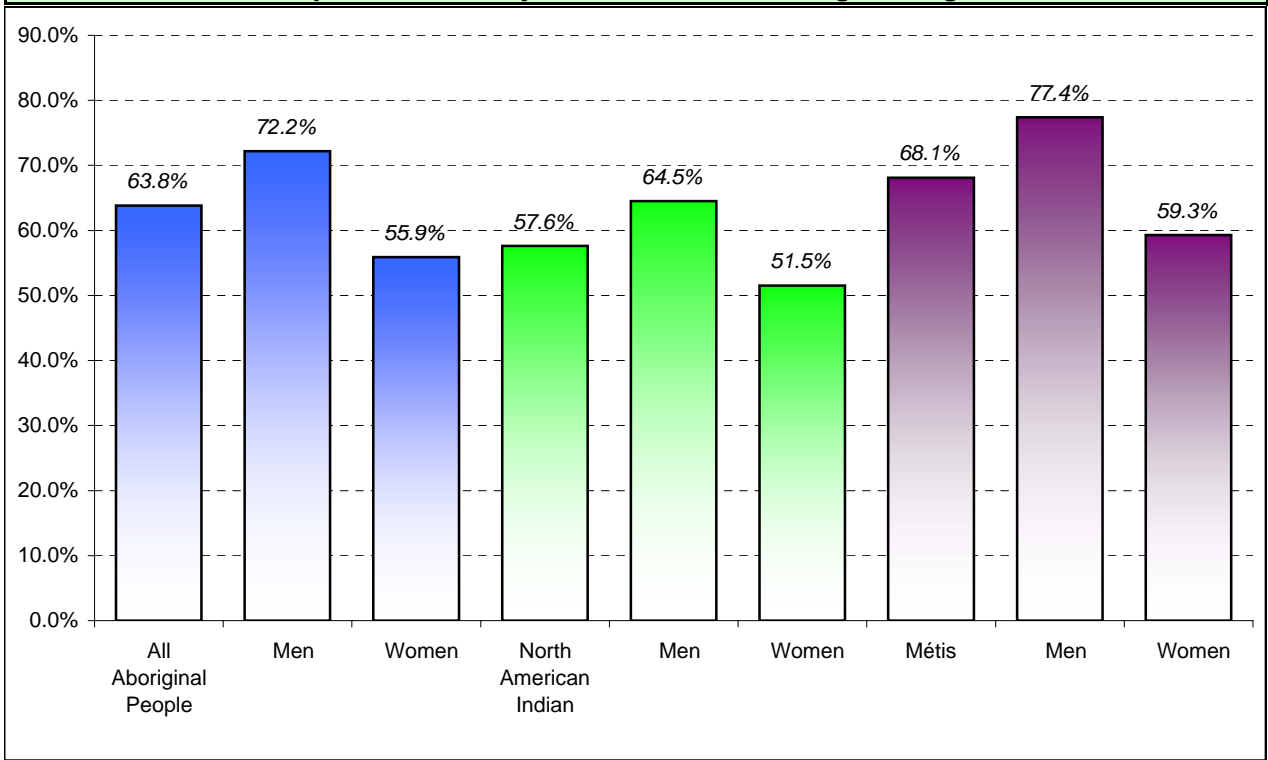
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Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Participation Rates by Gender
Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Aboriginal People	63.8%	65.0%	69.8%
Men	72.2%	74.1%	78.5%
Women	55.9%	56.5%	61.7%
North American Indian	57.6%	59.0%	68.9%
Men	64.5%	68.1%	75.8%
Women	51.5%	51.0%	62.9%
Métis	68.1%	69.2%	70.0%
Men	77.4%	78.5%	79.8%
Women	59.3%	60.4%	60.6%

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Participation Rates by Gender
April 2011, Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average



Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

Caution on sample size.

Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment

Alberta Economic Regions

Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	Employment (000s)		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest of Alberta
April 2011	26.0	17.3	26.1
March 2011	28.2	17.6	26.1
April 2010	22.8	17.7	28.4

North American Indian	Employment (000s)		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest of Alberta
April 2011	7.4	5.6	10.5
March 2011	9.6	5.5	10.0
April 2010	8.9	6.7	8.5

Métis	Employment (000s)		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest of Alberta
April 2011	18.6	10.6	15.4
March 2011	18.6	11.1	15.9
April 2010	13.2	10.9	19.4



Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Unemployment Rates

Alberta Economic Regions

Unadjusted, 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	Unemployment Rate		
	Edmonton	Calgary	Rest of Alberta
April 2011	11.9%	13.0%	10.6%
March 2011	9.1%	11.3%	9.7%
April 2010	17.3%	13.3%	20.5%

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

Caution on sample size.

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment by Industry
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Industries	69.3	71.9	69.0
<i>Goods-Producing Sector</i>	22.1	21.7	19.9
Agriculture	n/a	n/a	n/a
Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Oil and Gas	8.1	9.4	5.1
Utilities	n/a	n/a	n/a
Construction	8.4	6.2	11.2
Manufacturing	3.4	3.4	3.0
<i>Services-Producing Sector</i>	47.2	50.2	49.0
Retail and Wholesale Trade	14.4	15.3	8.6
Transportation and Warehousing	2.6	2.2	5.7
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	2.7	2.9	2.7
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	2.3	2.1	4.5
Management, Administrative and Other Support	2.0	2.2	2.6
Educational Services	4.6	4.4	3.9
Health Care and Social Assistance	7.2	7.6	6.9
Information, Culture and Recreation	2.7	2.9	1.9
Accommodation and Food Services	5.2	5.4	5.3
Other Services	1.9	3.2	2.5
Public Administration	1.6	2.1	4.6

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve Employment by Occupation
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
All Occupations	69.3	71.9	69.0
Management Occupations	5.6	7.0	5.6
Business, Finance and Administrative Occupations	8.0	8.3	11.9
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related Occupations	3.1	3.7	1.6
Health Occupations	3.7	3.8	1.3
Social Science, Education, Government and Religion	5.5	4.7	7.1
Occupations in Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport	n/a	n/a	n/a
Sales and Service Occupations	18.3	20.2	17.0
Trades, Transportation, Operators and Related	18.0	16.3	18.3
Occupations Unique to Primary Industry	5.5	6.4	2.7
Unique to Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	n/a	0.7	2.3

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

Caution on sample size.

"n/a" is reported in instances of insufficient response

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve (ages 15-64)
Labour Force by Educational Attainment
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Some post-secondary education or less	35.9	35.1	42.5
Completed post-secondary education	32.4	34.7	33.3

North American Indian	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Some post-secondary education or less	13.4	13.3	18.1
Completed post-secondary education	10.7	11.3	11.5

Métis	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Some post-secondary education or less	22.0	21.4	23.6
Completed post-secondary education	20.5	22.1	21.7

Alberta Aboriginal People Off-Reserve (ages 15-64)
Employment Rates by Educational Attainment
Unadjusted (000s), 3-Month Moving Average

All Aboriginal People	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Some post-secondary education or less	59.0%	59.3%	58.3%
Completed post-secondary education	72.8%	75.8%	77.6%

North American Indian	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Some post-secondary education or less	57.8%	59.7%	49.6%
Completed post-secondary education	66.9%	73.3%	74.7%

Métis	April 2011	March 2011	April 2010
Some post-secondary education or less	59.6%	58.8%	64.3%
Completed post-secondary education	77.3%	78.6%	79.0%

Data Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

Caution on sample size.

Data in these tables are for people ages 15-64 who are no longer in school (non-students).