

Labour Force Statistics

Alberta Aboriginal People Living Off-Reserve Highlights

January 2013

- Alberta Aboriginal People Off - Reserve had the lowest unemployment rate in Canada. The unadjusted three-month moving average was 8.8% in January 2013, down 1.4 percentage points from December 2012 and down 0.2 percentage points from the same month last year. The national rate was 12.9%, up 0.1 percentage point from the month before.
- The employment rate increased to 63.1% in January 2013 from 61.7% in December 2012. Alberta's Aboriginal working age population rose by 200 people but employment increased by 2,000 from December 2012 to January 2013.
- The overall employment gains for Alberta's Aboriginal People in the year 2012 were 3,800 or 5.1% growth rate.
- The following industries had the most employment increases in January from the previous month: Trade, 1,100; Educational Services, 1,000; Accommodation and Food Services, 1,000.

Additional information about Alberta's Labour Force Statistics for January 2013 can be found at www.eae.alberta.ca/lmi

All figures are unadjusted, three-month moving averages for Aboriginal people living off-reserve.

