

Labour Force Statistics

June 2014

Alberta Highlights:

- Alberta's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.8% in June 2014, up by 0.1 percentage points from May 2014 and down 0.1 percentage points from the same month last year. This rate was second lowest in Canada, behind Saskatchewan's 3.8%. The national rate was 7.0%, same with the previous month.
- The unemployment rate increased because the labour force increased by 15,300 people and employment increased by 10,600 from May 2014 to June 2014.
- Between June 2013 and June 2014, employment increased by 59,600 or 2.6%, the highest employment growth in Canada. Full-time employment increased by 19,600 and part-time employment decreased by 900, over the same period.
- Employment increased by 9,100 among women aged 25 and over and by 800 among their male counterparts from May 2014.
- The following industries had the most employment increases in June from the previous month: Construction, 15,000; Educational Services, 6,300; and Manufacturing, 5,100.

Additional information about Alberta's Labour Force Statistics for June 2014 may be found at : [2014 Monthly Labour Force Statistics](#)

