Alberta vs. Other Canadian Jurisdictions Indicators Summary

Alberta and Comparator Jurisdictions O	il & Gas Industry Ind	dicators Summary
Total Alberta wells licences	2020	2021 % Change
Total wells licences	2,850	6,523 👘 129%
Gas wells licences	660	916 🧌 39%
Crude oil wells licences	1,141	3,214 🛖 182%
Crude bitumen wells licences	1,049	2,393 🛖 128%
Source: Alberta Energy Regulator		
Rig activity	2020	2021 % Change
Canada	88	131 🛖 49%
Alberta	57	89 🏚 56%
Saskatchewan	17	24 👚 41%
British Columbia	12	16 🛖 33%
Total may not add due to rounding.		10 18 20 70
Source: Baker Hughes		
Crude oil and equivalent production in bpd	2020	2021 % Change
Canada	4,467,366	4,741,137 🏚 6%
Alberta	3,590,640	3,882,132 🛖 8%
Saskatchewan	438,072	447,266 🛖 2%
British Columbia	112,119	113,174 n 1%
Source: Canada Energy Regulator		
Marketable gas production in bcf/d	2020	2021 % Change
Canada	15.43	16.11 🦍 4%
Alberta	9.71	10.06 👘 4%
Saskatchewan	0.35	0.32 🌵 -10%
British Columbia	5.35	5.72 🛖 7%
Source: Canada Energy Regulator		
Upstream employment in thousands	2020	2021 % Change
Canada	238.8	256.8 🛖 8%
Alberta	128.9	139.3 🛖 8%
Saskatchewan	19.1	18.8 🖐 -2%
British Columbia	22.7	28.2 🛖 24%
Source: Statistics Canada		
Downstream employment in thousands	2020	2021 % Change
Canada	129.2	131.6 🛖 2%
Alberta	15.7	14.9 🎍 -5%
Saskatchewan	3.1	3.8 🛖 20%
British Columbia	11.9	9.1 🎍 -23%
Source: Statistics Canada		*



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