

Ontario Labour Market Statistics for December 2011

Ontario Employment Increases

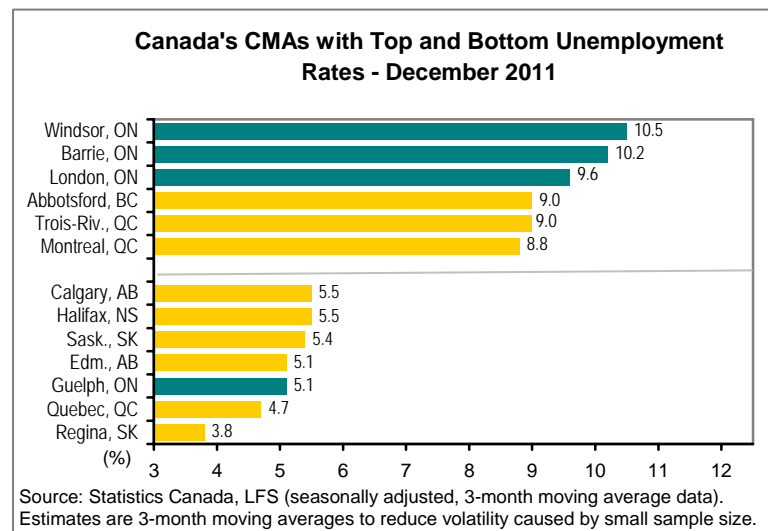
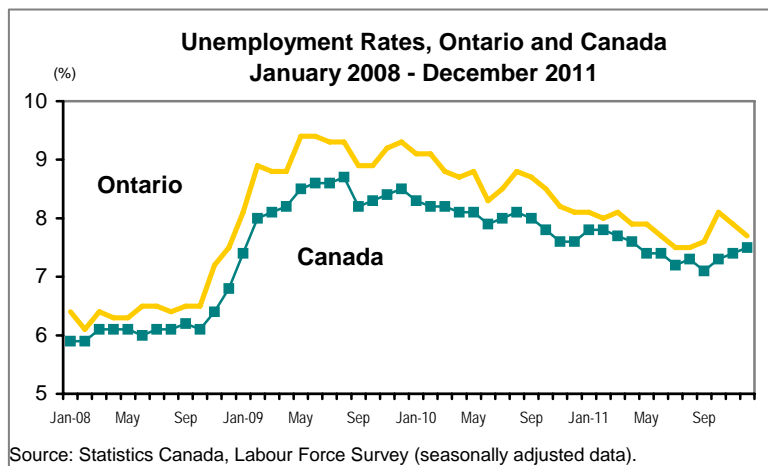
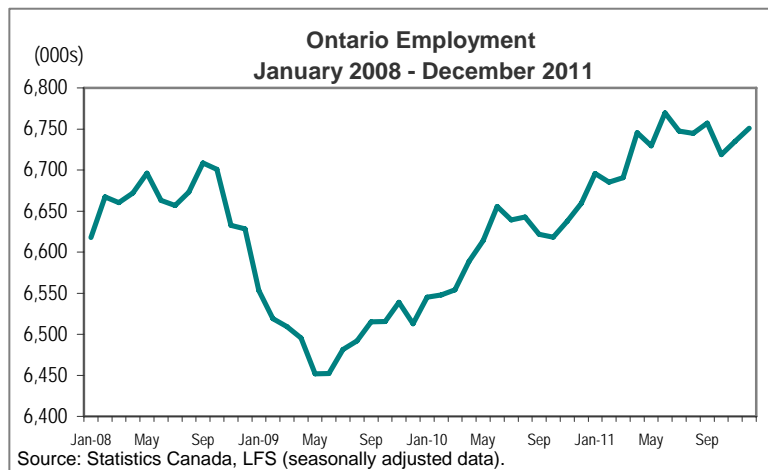
- Employment in Ontario increased by 15,700 net jobs in December, following a rise of 16,600 in November. This was the first time since April that Ontario recorded back-to-back monthly job gains. Part-time employment gains (+17,400) in December more than offset the decline in full-time positions (-1,700).
- On an annual basis, Ontario's employment grew by a solid 121,300 net jobs in 2011 (+1.8%), following an increase of 108,000 (+1.7%) in 2010. The increase in 2011 was the largest annual employment gain since 2003. In 2011, full-time employment accounted for all of the job gains, rising 123,500 (+2.3%), while part-time employment posted a small decline of 2,100 (-0.2%).
- Since the recessionary low in May 2009, employment in Ontario has risen by 299,100 (+4.6%) net jobs. Employment is now 42,300 (+0.6%) above the pre-recession peak level reached in September 2008.

Unemployment Rate Drops to 7.7%

- The job gains in December pushed Ontario's unemployment rate down to 7.7% from 7.9% in November.
- In December, Ontario's unemployment rate was 0.2 percentage points higher than the national average rate and has consistently exceeded the national average over the past five years.
- For 2011 as a whole, Ontario's unemployment rate averaged 7.8% in 2011, down from 8.7% in 2010.
- Although 1.7 percentage points below the peak rate in May 2009, the unemployment rate in December was still higher than the 6.5% rate reported before the start of the economic downturn.

High Unemployment Rates in Ontario's CMAs

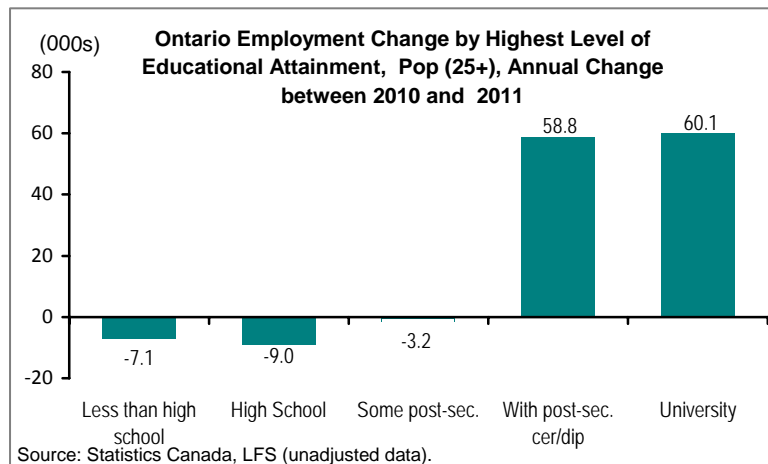
- In December, three Census Metropolitan Areas (CMAs) in Ontario recorded the highest unemployment rates across Canada (Windsor at 10.5%, Barrie at 10.2% and London at 9.6%).
- At 5.1%, Guelph had the lowest unemployment rate among Ontario's CMAs and the third lowest across Canada.



Year-over-Year Comparisons

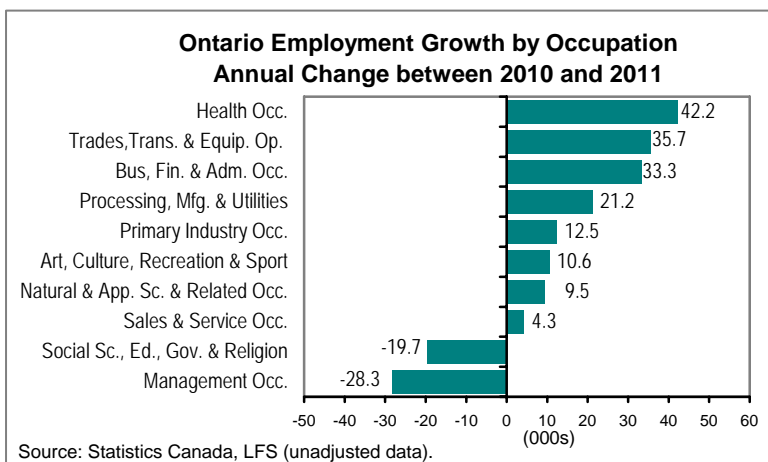
Strong Job Gains for Adults (25+) with PSE

- In 2011, all of the job gains were concentrated among those with postsecondary education (PSE). The adult population 25 years and over recorded job gains of 99,700 in 2011. Job gains totalled 107,600 among those with PSE credentials, with employment rising by 53,300 for adults with a postsecondary certificate or diploma and by 54,300 for those with a university degree. In contrast, employment declined by 7,800 in 2011 for adults without PSE credentials compared to 2010.
- The unemployment rate for adults without PSE qualifications averaged 8.1% in 2011, down from 9.1% in 2010. At 5.6%, the average annual unemployment rate for adults with PSE credentials was 0.6 percentage points lower in 2011 compared to 2010.



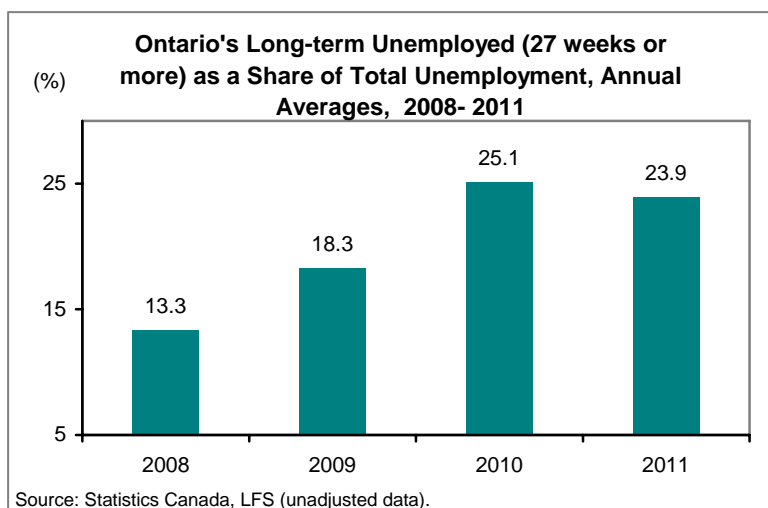
Occupational Employment Growth

- Eight major occupational groups in Ontario recorded employment growth in 2011 compared to 2010. The largest job gains occurred in Health (+42,200) and Trades, Transport and Equipment Operators and Related Occupations (+35,700).
- In 2011, the largest employment decline occurred in Management (-28,300) and Social Sciences, Education, Government Service and Religion (-19,700) Occupations.



Long-Term Unemployment Remains High

- The number of people unemployed for 27 weeks or more remains high compared to pre-recessionary levels:
 - In 2011, an average of 136,600 people faced long-term unemployment, significantly higher than the average recorded in 2008 (62,100). This group now represents 23.9% of all unemployed workers in Ontario.
- In 2011, the long-term unemployed in Ontario accounted for 46.4% of the national long-term unemployed.
- At 22 weeks, the average duration of unemployment was notably higher in 2011 compared to the pre-recessionary average of 15 weeks reported in 2008.



Labour Market Report

Current Statistics by Province

EMPLOYMENT BY PROVINCE (000s)

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Canada	17,327	17,345	17.5	17,087	17,272	184.5	17,041	17,306	265.2	17,041	17,306	265.2
Newfoundland and Labrador	224	227	3.2	217	222	4.9	219	225	6.0	219	225	6.0
Prince Edward Island	73	73	0.8	67	70	3.3	71	72	1.4	71	72	1.4
Nova Scotia	454	458	4.3	446	458	11.4	452	453	0.3	452	453	0.3
New Brunswick	351	354	2.9	348	349	1.5	356	352	-4.1	356	352	-4.1
Quebec	3,928	3,903	-25.7	3,927	3,870	-57.8	3,915	3,954	38.5	3,915	3,954	38.5
Ontario	6,735	6,751	15.7	6,661	6,743	82.2	6,610	6,731	121.3	6,610	6,731	121.3
Manitoba	625	626	1.8	617	622	5.8	620	624	4.7	620	624	4.7
Saskatchewan	525	528	3.1	520	524	3.1	524	526	1.5	524	526	1.5
Alberta	2,130	2,131	0.8	2,031	2,129	98.2	2,017	2,094	77.5	2,017	2,094	77.5
British Columbia	2,282	2,293	10.7	2,253	2,285	31.9	2,257	2,275	18.2	2,257	2,275	18.2

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY PROVINCE (%)

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Canada	7.4	7.5	0.1	7.0	6.9	-0.1	8.0	7.5	-0.6	8.0	7.5	-0.6
Newfoundland and Labrador	13.2	12.8	-0.4	13.8	13.1	-0.8	14.4	12.7	-1.7	14.4	12.7	-1.7
Prince Edward Island	11.1	11.4	0.3	13.3	12.6	-0.7	11.2	11.3	0.2	11.2	11.3	0.2
Nova Scotia	8.6	7.8	-0.8	9.8	7.2	-2.6	9.3	8.8	-0.5	9.3	8.8	-0.5
New Brunswick	9.8	9.4	-0.4	9.0	8.8	-0.2	9.3	9.5	0.3	9.3	9.5	0.3
Quebec	8.0	8.7	0.7	7.2	8.5	1.3	8.0	7.8	-0.2	8.0	7.8	-0.2
Ontario	7.9	7.7	-0.2	7.2	6.8	-0.4	8.7	7.8	-0.8	8.7	7.8	-0.8
Manitoba	5.5	5.4	-0.1	4.9	5.0	0.1	5.4	5.4	0.1	5.4	5.4	0.1
Saskatchewan	5.1	5.2	0.1	4.9	4.7	-0.2	5.2	5.0	-0.2	5.2	5.0	-0.2
Alberta	5.0	4.9	-0.1	5.1	4.4	-0.7	6.5	5.5	-1.1	6.5	5.5	-1.1
British Columbia	7.0	7.0	0.0	7.1	6.5	-0.6	7.6	7.5	-0.2	7.6	7.5	-0.2

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY GENDER, ONTARIO (%)

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Both Sexes	7.9	7.7	-0.2	7.2	6.8	-0.4	8.7	7.8	-0.8	8.7	7.8	-0.8
Male	8.0	7.8	-0.2	7.9	7.1	-0.8	9.3	8.0	-1.3	9.3	8.0	-1.3
Female	7.9	7.7	-0.2	6.5	6.4	-0.1	8.0	7.6	-0.4	8.0	7.6	-0.4

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*Unemployment rate is defined as the number of unemployed expressed as a percentage of the labour force.

Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

Ontario's Labour Market

Current Statistics by Gender and Age Group

FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY GENDER, ONTARIO (000s)

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Both Sexes	6,735	6,751	15.7	6,661	6,743	82.2	6,610	6,731	121.3	6,610	6,731	121.3
Full-time	5,455	5,454	-1.7	5,340	5,405	65.0	5,331	5,455	123.5	5,331	5,455	123.5
Part-time	1,280	1,297	17.4	1,321	1,338	17.2	1,279	1,277	-2.1	1,279	1,277	-2.1
Male	3,503	3,519	16.0	3,463	3,505	42.5	3,418	3,507	89.0	3,418	3,507	89.0
Full-time	3,081	3,090	9.3	3,024	3,066	42.1	2,995	3,072	76.7	2,995	3,072	76.7
Part-time	422	429	6.6	439	439	0.4	422	435	12.3	422	435	12.3
Female	3,232	3,232	-0.3	3,198	3,238	39.8	3,192	3,225	32.3	3,192	3,225	32.3
Full-time	2,374	2,363	-11.0	2,316	2,339	22.9	2,336	2,383	46.8	2,336	2,383	46.8
Part-time	858	869	10.7	882	899	16.8	856	842	-14.5	856	842	-14.5

FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP, ONTARIO (000s)

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
15 years and over	6,735	6,751	15.7	6,661	6,743	82.2	6,610	6,731	121.3	6,610	6,731	121.3
Full-time	5,455	5,454	-1.7	5,340	5,405	65.0	5,331	5,455	123.5	5,331	5,455	123.5
Part-time	1,280	1,297	17.4	1,321	1,338	17.2	1,279	1,277	-2.1	1,279	1,277	-2.1
15-24 years	942	908	-34.3	877	879	1.1	906	927	21.6	906	927	21.6
Full-time	478	461	-17.0	378	403	24.6	436	457	21.6	436	457	21.6
Part-time	464	447	-17.3	499	476	-23.5	470	470	-0.1	470	470	-0.1
25 years and over	5,793	5,843	50.0	5,783	5,864	81.0	5,704	5,804	99.7	5,704	5,804	99.7
Full-time	4,977	4,992	15.3	4,962	5,002	40.4	4,895	4,997	101.8	4,895	4,997	101.8
Part-time	816	851	34.7	821	862	40.7	809	807	-2.1	809	807	-2.1
25-54 years	4,609	4,640	30.8	4,620	4,657	36.7	4,559	4,615	56.3	4,559	4,615	56.3
Full-time	4,049	4,069	20.8	4,060	4,083	22.8	4,006	4,070	63.6	4,006	4,070	63.6
Part-time	561	571	10.0	560	574	13.8	553	545	-7.4	553	545	-7.4
55 years and over	1,184	1,203	19.0	1,163	1,208	44.5	1,146	1,189	43.5	1,146	1,189	43.5
Full-time	928	923	-5.6	902	919	17.6	889	928	38.2	889	928	38.2
Part-time	255	280	24.6	261	288	26.9	256	261	5.2	256	261	5.2

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Ontario's Labour Market

Key Age Groups in the Labour Market

LABOUR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS BY AGE GROUP, ONTARIO

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
15 years and over												
Population (000s)	10,980	10,992	11.8	10,855	10,992	137.0	10,791	10,926	135.7	10,791	10,926	135.7
Labour force (000s)	7,315	7,316	0.8	7,178	7,232	54.5	7,237	7,302	65.1	7,237	7,302	65.1
Employment (000s)	6,735	6,751	15.7	6,661	6,743	82.2	6,610	6,731	121.3	6,610	6,731	121.3
Unemployment (000s)	580	565	-14.9	517	490	-27.7	627	570	-56.2	627	570	-56.2
Unemployment rate (%)	7.9	7.7	-0.2	7.2	6.8	-0.4	8.7	7.8	-0.9	8.7	7.8	-0.9
Participation rate (%)	66.6	66.6	0.0	66.1	65.8	-0.3	67.1	66.8	-0.2	67.1	66.8	-0.2
Employment rate (%)	61.3	61.4	0.1	61.4	61.3	-0.1	61.3	61.6	0.4	61.3	61.6	0.4
15-24 years												
Population (000s)	1,786	1,786	0.7	1,781	1,786	5.2	1,779	1,783	4.1	1,779	1,783	4.1
Labour force (000s)	1,109	1,076	-33.6	1,016	1,007	-8.5	1,094	1,101	7.9	1,094	1,101	7.9
Employment (000s)	942	908	-34.3	877	879	1.1	906	927	21.6	906	927	21.6
Unemployment (000s)	167	168	0.6	138	129	-9.6	188	174	-13.6	188	174	-13.6
Unemployment rate (%)	15.1	15.6	0.5	13.6	12.8	-0.8	17.2	15.8	-1.4	17.2	15.8	-1.4
Participation rate (%)	62.1	60.2	-1.9	57.0	56.4	-0.6	61.5	61.8	0.3	61.5	61.8	0.3
Employment rate (%)	52.8	50.8	-2.0	49.3	49.2	-0.1	50.9	52.0	1.1	50.9	52.0	1.1
25 years and over												
Population (000s)	9,194	9,205	11.1	9,074	9,205	131.8	9,011	9,143	131.5	9,011	9,143	131.5
Labour force (000s)	6,206	6,240	34.5	6,162	6,225	62.9	6,143	6,200	57.2	6,143	6,200	57.2
Employment (000s)	5,793	5,843	50.0	5,783	5,864	81.0	5,704	5,804	99.7	5,704	5,804	99.7
Unemployment (000s)	413	397	-15.5	379	361	-18.2	439	396	-42.5	439	396	-42.5
Unemployment rate (%)	6.7	6.4	-0.3	6.1	5.8	-0.3	7.1	6.4	-0.7	7.1	6.4	-0.7
Participation rate (%)	67.5	67.8	0.3	67.9	67.6	-0.3	68.2	67.8	-0.3	68.2	67.8	-0.3
Employment rate (%)	63.0	63.5	0.5	63.7	63.7	0.0	63.3	63.5	0.2	63.3	63.5	0.2
25-54 years												
Population (000s)	5,736	5,738	2.3	5,713	5,738	25.2	5,699	5,726	27.0	5,699	5,726	27.0
Labour force (000s)	4,942	4,953	11.3	4,922	4,938	16.8	4,918	4,933	15.2	4,918	4,933	15.2
Employment (000s)	4,609	4,640	30.8	4,620	4,657	36.7	4,559	4,615	56.3	4,559	4,615	56.3
Unemployment (000s)	333	313	-19.7	301	282	-19.9	359	318	-41.0	359	318	-41.0
Unemployment rate (%)	6.7	6.3	-0.4	6.1	5.7	-0.4	7.3	6.4	-0.9	7.3	6.4	-0.9
Participation rate (%)	86.2	86.3	0.1	86.1	86.1	0.0	86.3	86.2	-0.1	86.3	86.2	-0.1
Employment rate (%)	80.4	80.9	0.5	80.9	81.2	0.3	80.0	80.6	0.6	80.0	80.6	0.6
55 years and over												
Population (000s)	3,458	3,467	8.8	3,361	3,467	106.6	3,312	3,417	104.5	3,312	3,417	104.5
Labour force (000s)	1,264	1,287	23.2	1,241	1,287	46.1	1,226	1,268	42.0	1,226	1,268	42.0
Employment (000s)	1,184	1,203	19.0	1,163	1,208	44.5	1,146	1,189	43.5	1,146	1,189	43.5
Unemployment (000s)	80	84	4.1	78	79	1.6	80	78	-1.5	80	78	-1.5
Unemployment rate (%)	6.3	6.5	0.2	6.2	6.1	-0.1	6.5	6.2	-0.4	6.5	6.2	-0.4
Participation rate (%)	36.5	37.1	0.6	36.9	37.1	0.2	37.0	37.1	0.1	37.0	37.1	0.1
Employment rate (%)	34.2	34.7	0.5	34.6	34.8	0.2	34.6	34.8	0.2	34.6	34.8	0.2

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**Participation rate is defined as the total labour force in an age group expressed as a percentage of the population in the same age group.

***Employment rate is defined as the number employed in an age group expressed as a percentage of the population in the same age group.

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey.

Ontario's Labour Market

Current Statistics by Census Metropolitan Area

EMPLOYMENT BY CENSUS METROPOLITAN AREA, ONTARIO (000s)*

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Ontario	6,737	6,735	-2.1	6,659	6,744	85.5	6,610	6,731	121.3	6,610	6,731	121.3
Ottawa-Gatineau	692	698	5.4	685	698	12.5	688	694	6.6	688	694	6.6
Ottawa-Gatineau, QC part	174	175	1.2	166	175	8.7	169	173	3.7	169	173	3.7
Ottawa-Gatineau, ON part	519	523	4.2	519	523	3.7	519	522	2.8	519	522	2.8
Kingston	80	80	0.3	76	80	4.4	77	80	2.5	77	80	2.5
Peterborough	57	62	4.5	56	62	5.6	57	58	0.5	57	58	0.5
Oshawa	197	197	0.1	191	197	6.3	188	193	5.3	188	193	5.3
Toronto	2,958	2,947	-10.9	2,968	2,951	-16.8	2,919	2,960	40.6	2,919	2,960	40.6
Hamilton	385	390	5.1	374	389	15.6	372	379	7.6	372	379	7.6
St. Catharines - Niagara	197	196	-1.2	193	197	3.6	193	197	4.7	193	197	4.7
Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo	269	272	3.0	265	274	8.7	264	276	12.4	264	276	12.4
Brantford	66	66	-0.6	69	66	-2.7	67	68	0.8	67	68	0.8
Guelph	82	82	0.5	71	82	10.7	76	78	2.7	76	78	2.7
London	242	241	-1.1	242	242	-0.1	245	243	-2.0	245	243	-2.0
Windsor	147	148	1.2	150	151	1.3	149	148	-0.5	149	148	-0.5
Barrie	105	105	0.2	104	106	1.5	102	106	3.3	102	106	3.3
Greater Sudbury	84	84	-0.7	83	84	1.0	82	83	1.7	82	83	1.7
Thunder Bay	61	62	1.0	61	63	2.1	60	60	-0.3	60	60	-0.3

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY CENSUS METROPOLITAN AREA, ONTARIO (%)**

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Ontario	7.9	7.9	0.0	7.4	7.1	-0.3	8.7	7.8	-0.8	8.7	7.8	-0.8
Ottawa-Gatineau	6.3	6.3	0.0	5.9	5.6	-0.3	6.6	5.9	-0.7	6.6	5.9	-0.7
Ottawa-Gatineau, QC part	7.0	7.1	0.1	5.5	6.4	0.9	6.6	6.8	0.1	6.6	6.8	0.1
Ottawa-Gatineau, ON part	6.1	6.1	0.0	6.0	5.3	-0.7	6.5	5.6	-0.9	6.5	5.6	-0.9
Kingston	6.0	6.4	0.4	5.9	5.6	-0.3	6.1	6.5	0.4	6.1	6.5	0.4
Peterborough	9.4	7.3	-2.1	8.5	7.3	-1.2	9.5	9.5	-0.1	9.5	9.5	-0.1
Oshawa	7.2	7.3	0.1	8.7	6.7	-2.0	10.0	8.1	-1.9	10.0	8.1	-1.9
Toronto	8.4	8.6	0.2	7.6	7.9	0.3	9.1	8.3	-0.7	9.1	8.3	-0.7
Hamilton	6.5	6.5	0.0	6.4	6.3	-0.1	7.6	6.4	-1.2	7.6	6.4	-1.2
St. Catharines - Niagara	7.6	7.4	-0.2	9.1	6.8	-2.3	9.4	8.2	-1.2	9.4	8.2	-1.2
Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo	6.8	6.6	-0.2	6.9	6.2	-0.7	8.0	6.8	-1.2	8.0	6.8	-1.2
Brantford	8.2	7.4	-0.8	8.7	7.4	-1.3	8.7	8.5	-0.2	8.7	8.5	-0.2
Guelph	4.6	5.1	0.5	6.7	4.4	-2.3	7.9	5.6	-2.3	7.9	5.6	-2.3
London	9.8	9.6	-0.2	7.6	8.7	1.1	8.6	9.0	0.4	8.6	9.0	0.4
Windsor	10.8	10.5	-0.3	9.3	9.2	-0.1	11.5	9.7	-1.8	11.5	9.7	-1.8
Barrie	11.1	10.2	-0.9	8.3	10.2	1.9	9.6	9.7	0.1	9.6	9.7	0.1
Greater Sudbury	5.6	5.6	0.0	7.8	5.0	-2.8	9.3	6.8	-2.5	9.3	6.8	-2.5
Thunder Bay	7.0	7.0	0.0	5.7	6.1	0.4	6.6	6.8	0.2	6.6	6.8	0.2

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**Unemployment rate is defined as the number of unemployed expressed as a percentage of the labour force.

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Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

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Current Statistics by Sector

EMPLOYMENT BY CLASS OF WORKER, ONTARIO (000s)

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Total employed	6,735	6,751	15.7	6,661	6,743	82.2	6,610	6,731	121.3	6,610	6,731	121.3
Employees	5,696	5,687	-8.9	5,672	5,675	3.4	5,593	5,695	101.9	5,593	5,695	101.9
Public sector employees	1,335	1,322	-12.2	1,350	1,333	-16.7	1,301	1,344	43.1	1,301	1,344	43.1
Private sector employees	4,362	4,365	3.2	4,322	4,342	20.0	4,293	4,352	58.9	4,293	4,352	58.9
Self-employed	1,039	1,064	24.6	989	1,068	78.8	1,017	1,036	19.4	1,017	1,036	19.4

EMPLOYMENT IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR BY SELECTED INDUSTRIES, ONTARIO (000s)*

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Total Public Sector Employees	-	-	-	1,350	1,333	-16.7	1,301	1,344	43.1	1,301	1,344	43.1
Educational Services	-	-	-	441	432	-9.1	428	417	-10.9	428	417	-10.9
Health Care	-	-	-	274	295	21.0	264	303	39.5	264	303	39.5
Social Assistance	-	-	-	37	31	-6.5	36	33	-3.0	36	33	-3.0
Federal Public Administration	-	-	-	177	171	-5.7	178	171	-7.0	178	171	-7.0
Provincial Public Administration	-	-	-	84	75	-9.4	80	92	11.9	80	92	11.9
Municipal Public Administration	-	-	-	107	134	26.4	112	122	10.7	112	122	10.7
Other	-	-	-	230	197	-33.4	203	205	1.9	203	205	1.9

Notes: Figures may not sum to total due to rounding.

Seasonally-adjusted data are data from which seasonal movements have been eliminated. Seasonal movements are defined as those which are caused by regular annual events such as climate and holidays.

Seasonally adjusted data for public sector employment by selected industries are not available from the Labour Force Survey.

Data for 3 and 4 digit NAICS industries have a high sampling variability and should be used with caution.

Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

Ontario's Labour Market

Current Statistics by Industry

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY, ONTARIO (000s)

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
All Industries	6,735	6,751	15.7	6,661	6,743	82.2	6,610	6,731	121.3	6,610	6,731	121.3
Goods-producing sector	1,417	1,414	-3.4	1,396	1,405	8.5	1,394	1,421	27.0	1,394	1,421	27.0
Agriculture	93	92	-0.9	79	90	10.2	85	92	7.5	85	92	7.5
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil & gas	39	37	-1.8	36	36	-0.5	41	37	-3.7	41	37	-3.7
Utilities	60	56	-4.1	55	55	0.4	59	55	-4.3	59	55	-4.3
Construction	456	444	-11.7	427	442	15.2	429	443	13.7	429	443	13.7
Manufacturing	770	785	15.0	799	782	-17.0	781	795	13.8	781	795	13.8
Services-producing sector	5,318	5,337	19.1	5,264	5,338	73.8	5,216	5,310	94.3	5,216	5,310	94.3
Trade	985	980	-5.2	1,036	999	-36.9	1,011	992	-18.7	1,011	992	-18.7
Transportation and warehousing	319	315	-4.5	335	325	-9.4	304	322	17.5	304	322	17.5
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	480	481	0.6	503	479	-24.5	498	501	3.7	498	501	3.7
Professional, scientific and technical services	567	587	20.6	532	586	54.4	545	557	11.8	545	557	11.8
Business, building and other support services	285	292	6.8	280	281	0.7	284	289	5.3	284	289	5.3
Educational services	474	480	5.8	500	500	0.5	489	479	-10.4	489	479	-10.4
Health care and social assistance	778	771	-6.3	738	770	32.9	718	766	48.0	718	766	48.0
Information, culture and recreation	341	343	2.2	324	327	3.5	322	346	23.8	322	346	23.8
Accommodation and food services	401	407	5.9	374	400	25.7	388	389	0.3	388	389	0.3
Other services	289	282	-7.5	271	282	11.3	284	280	-4.2	284	280	-4.2
Public administration	399	400	0.8	372	387	15.4	373	390	17.2	373	390	17.2

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY INDUSTRY, ONTARIO (%)

	Seasonally-adjusted			Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Nov-11	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
All Industries	-	-	-	7.2	6.8	-0.4	8.7	7.8	-0.8	8.7	7.8	-0.8
Goods-producing sector	-	-	-	6.3	5.4	-0.9	7.2	5.6	-1.6	7.2	5.6	-1.6
Agriculture	-	-	-	11.1	3.9	-7.2	6.0	4.9	-1.2	6.0	4.9	-1.2
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil & gas	-	-	-	0.0	5.8	5.8	5.3	5.0	-0.4	5.3	5.0	-0.4
Utilities	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	1.5	-1.6	3.0	1.5	-1.6
Construction	-	-	-	7.9	6.6	-1.3	8.7	7.1	-1.6	8.7	7.1	-1.6
Manufacturing	-	-	-	5.3	5.1	-0.2	6.8	5.0	-1.7	6.8	5.0	-1.7
Services-producing sector	-	-	-	3.7	3.3	-0.4	4.8	4.3	-0.5	4.8	4.3	-0.5
Trade	-	-	-	2.7	3.6	0.9	5.1	4.7	-0.4	5.1	4.7	-0.4
Transportation and warehousing	-	-	-	3.8	3.5	-0.3	4.4	4.3	-0.1	4.4	4.3	-0.1
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	-	-	-	1.4	2.4	1.0	3.3	2.3	-0.9	3.3	2.3	-0.9
Professional, scientific and technical services	-	-	-	2.6	2.6	0.0	3.3	3.3	0.0	3.3	3.3	0.0
Business, building and other support services	-	-	-	10.5	9.7	-0.8	12.3	9.2	-3.1	12.3	9.2	-3.1
Educational services	-	-	-	1.4	0.9	-0.5	4.2	4.0	-0.2	4.2	4.0	-0.2
Health care and social assistance	-	-	-	1.9	1.1	-0.8	2.4	2.0	-0.3	2.4	2.0	-0.3
Information, culture and recreation	-	-	-	8.4	4.6	-3.8	6.4	6.9	0.5	6.4	6.9	0.5
Accommodation and food services	-	-	-	7.6	4.7	-2.9	7.8	7.1	-0.7	7.8	7.1	-0.7
Other services	-	-	-	5.0	4.7	-0.3	4.7	4.0	-0.7	4.7	4.0	-0.7
Public administration	-	-	-	2.9	2.5	-0.4	2.4	2.3	-0.1	2.4	2.3	-0.1

Notes: Figures may not sum to total due to rounding.

Industrial groupings are based on 2007 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS).

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Seasonally-adjusted data are data from which seasonal movements have been eliminated. Seasonal movements are defined as those which are caused by regular annual events such as climate and holidays.

Unemployment rate is defined as the number of unemployed expressed as a percentage of the labour force.

Unemployment rates by industry are not available from the standard LFS tables on a seasonally adjusted basis.

Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

Ontario's Labour Market

Current Statistics by Occupation

EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION, ONTARIO (000s)

	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
All occupations	6,661	6,743	82.2	6,610	6,731	121.3	6,610	6,731	121.3
Management occupations	629	626	-2.7	636	608	-28.3	636	608	-28.3
Business, finance and administrative occupations	1,281	1,224	-56.3	1,235	1,268	33.3	1,235	1,268	33.3
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	518	534	16.9	519	529	9.5	519	529	9.5
Health occupations	413	431	18.9	395	437	42.2	395	437	42.2
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	667	656	-10.5	661	641	-19.7	661	641	-19.7
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	239	254	15.2	236	247	10.6	236	247	10.6
Sales and service occupations	1,556	1,576	20.5	1,567	1,571	4.3	1,567	1,571	4.3
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	898	916	18.1	869	905	35.7	869	905	35.7
Occupations unique to primary industry	122	129	7.4	135	148	12.5	135	148	12.5
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	340	394	54.7	358	379	21.2	358	379	21.2

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY OCCUPATION, ONTARIO (%)

	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
All occupations	7.2	6.8	-0.4	8.7	7.8	-0.8	8.7	7.8	-0.8
Management occupations	1.8	2.1	0.3	2.8	2.3	-0.5	2.8	2.3	-0.5
Business, finance and administrative occupations	2.5	3.3	0.8	4.3	4.2	-0.1	4.3	4.2	-0.1
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	4.2	3.3	-0.9	3.7	3.3	-0.3	3.7	3.3	-0.3
Health occupations	1.2	1.3	0.1	1.9	1.6	-0.3	1.9	1.6	-0.3
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	1.5	1.2	-0.3	3.1	3.2	0.1	3.1	3.2	0.1
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	5.5	2.8	-2.7	5.4	4.7	-0.7	5.4	4.7	-0.7
Sales and service occupations	5.3	4.6	-0.7	6.3	5.7	-0.6	6.3	5.7	-0.6
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	6.3	5.7	-0.6	8.0	6.0	-2.0	8.0	6.0	-2.0
Occupations unique to primary industry	13.2	6.3	-6.9	9.9	7.0	-2.9	9.9	7.0	-2.9
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	9.5	6.6	-2.9	9.3	7.1	-2.2	9.3	7.1	-2.2

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Occupation estimates are based on 2006 National Occupation Classification-Statistics (NOC-S)

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Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey.

Ontario's Labour Market

Current Statistics by Census Metropolitan Area

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY, ONTARIO CENSUS METROPOLITAN AREAS (000s)*

December 2011 (Unadjusted)																	
	Ottawa-Gatineau	Ottawa-Gatineau, Quebec part	Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part	Kingston	Peterborough	Oshawa	Toronto	Hamilton	St. Catharines - Niagara	Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo	Brantford	Guelph	London	Windsor	Barrie	Greater Sudbury	Thunder Bay
Total employed	698	175	523	80	62	197	2,951	389	197	274	66	82	242	151	106	84	63
Goods-producing sector	69	24	45	11	14	40	545	83	38	69	18	21	51	40	25	18	12
Agriculture	3	0	2	0	2	0	9	3	4	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil & gas	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	2
Utilities	0	0	0	0	0	7	18	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Construction	35	14	21	5	5	12	181	27	14	16	5	5	17	8	8	6	4
Manufacturing	29	9	20	5	6	19	329	51	19	50	11	15	30	30	14	4	5
Services-producing sector	629	151	478	69	47	158	2,406	306	159	206	48	61	192	111	80	66	51
Trade	77	20	57	12	12	32	428	59	32	45	11	9	36	22	17	14	11
Transportation and warehousing	21	5	16	3	2	7	165	20	10	10	3	2	8	5	5	4	3
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	26	6	19	4	3	12	292	32	10	23	3	4	20	6	5	4	3
Professional, scientific and technical services	76	10	66	4	3	14	327	26	7	25	3	8	16	8	8	4	3
Business, building and other support services	27	7	20	4	2	10	133	18	9	11	4	3	13	8	4	3	2
Educational services	57	13	43	11	6	14	203	31	15	20	5	10	22	11	11	7	5
Health care and social assistance	86	20	66	13	7	24	280	48	28	28	9	10	35	20	11	13	13
Information, culture and recreation	29	6	23	3	3	9	185	14	10	11	3	4	10	6	5	3	2
Accommodation and food services	37	9	28	7	4	13	156	23	20	12	4	3	14	13	9	5	4
Other services	31	8	22	2	4	9	116	17	9	11	2	4	13	8	4	3	2
Public administration	163	47	116	7	2	13	121	17	9	9	2	6	6	5	4	7	5

December 2010 (Unadjusted)																	
	Ottawa-Gatineau	Ottawa-Gatineau, Quebec part	Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part	Kingston	Peterborough	Oshawa	Toronto	Hamilton	St. Catharines - Niagara	Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo	Brantford	Guelph	London	Windsor	Barrie	Greater Sudbury	Thunder Bay
Total employed	685	166	519	76	56	191	2,968	374	193	265	69	71	242	150	104	83	61
Goods-producing sector	72	20	53	10	11	40	534	88	43	78	21	18	49	44	23	18	10
Agriculture	3	2	2	0	2	0	11	4	4	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil & gas	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	2
Utilities	3	0	2	0	0	7	15	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Construction	40	12	27	4	5	14	170	29	17	20	5	3	13	9	12	6	4
Manufacturing	26	5	21	4	3	18	335	53	20	55	16	13	32	32	10	4	3
Services-producing sector	613	147	466	66	45	151	2,433	285	150	188	47	54	193	105	81	65	51
Trade	79	20	59	10	8	31	453	72	33	39	12	9	37	19	17	14	10
Transportation and warehousing	22	5	17	3	3	9	158	17	9	13	3	2	12	7	6	4	3
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	31	7	23	4	2	15	299	23	8	22	2	4	18	9	4	4	2
Professional, scientific and technical services	57	8	49	4	3	9	319	28	9	17	4	5	15	8	8	4	3
Business, building and other support services	21	4	17	4	2	9	139	16	8	10	3	2	15	7	6	2	3
Educational services	52	12	39	12	6	16	223	26	14	21	4	9	20	9	6	7	5
Health care and social assistance	83	20	62	11	8	25	272	43	22	23	9	8	37	22	12	12	11
Information, culture and recreation	38	9	30	2	3	10	187	7	12	8	3	3	9	7	6	3	3
Accommodation and food services	33	10	23	5	4	11	152	23	21	16	4	5	14	8	7	6	4
Other services	29	6	24	3	2	7	113	20	8	10	2	3	10	5	5	3	3
Public administration	170	46	123	7	4	9	119	11	8	9	2	3	5	5	4	6	4

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Current Statistics by Census Metropolitan Area

EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION, ONTARIO CENSUS METROPOLITAN AREAS (000s)*

December 2011 (Unadjusted)

	Ottawa-Gatineau	Ottawa-Gatineau, QC	Ottawa-Gatineau, ON	Kingston	Peterborough	Oshawa	Toronto	Hamilton	St. Catharines	Kitchener	Brantford	Guelph	London	Windsor	Barrie	Greater Sudbury	Thunder Bay
All occupations	698	175	523	80	62	197	2,951	389	197	274	66	82	242	151	106	84	63
Management occupations	70	13	57	7	5	14	294	41	15	21	4	8	17	10	12	5	5
Business, finance and administrative occupations	133	44	89	11	7	41	629	69	31	51	9	15	44	22	16	17	11
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	91	15	77	4	3	15	266	24	9	29	3	7	14	10	5	5	4
Health occupations	47	9	38	9	4	14	155	24	15	16	5	6	23	13	5	7	6
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	108	24	84	12	6	20	272	40	19	23	7	12	25	13	14	7	7
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	37	6	31	2	2	4	144	14	4	8	0	2	6	3	4	0	0
Sales and service occupations	141	37	103	21	19	50	637	94	60	62	16	17	63	41	26	22	18
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	57	23	34	11	10	31	364	58	31	37	12	9	30	22	15	14	9
Occupations unique to primary industry	5	0	4	0	3	2	25	7	5	4	3	0	4	2	2	4	0
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	9	3	6	2	3	8	165	20	8	23	7	7	16	16	7	2	2

December 2010 (Unadjusted)

	Ottawa-Gatineau	Ottawa-Gatineau, Quebec part	Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part	Kingston	Peterborough	Oshawa	Toronto	Hamilton	St. Catharines-Niagara	Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo	Brantford	Guelph	London	Windsor	Barrie	Greater Sudbury	Thunder Bay
All occupations	685	166	519	76	56	191	2,968	374	193	265	69	71	242	150	104	83	61
Management occupations	68	13	56	6	4	18	313	33	16	23	5	7	19	12	10	7	5
Business, finance and administrative occupations	151	41	110	13	9	36	637	74	32	55	13	10	42	23	15	16	10
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	84	14	70	5	3	10	265	20	7	25	3	5	13	10	7	5	3
Health occupations	37	8	29	7	5	13	149	22	14	12	6	5	24	13	7	8	5
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	108	21	87	11	8	19	299	32	16	22	5	10	22	14	8	8	7
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	32	9	23	3	2	5	133	10	5	7	2	2	5	3	5	2	2
Sales and service occupations	132	36	96	20	12	49	677	97	59	57	17	17	60	33	27	19	18
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	61	22	40	8	10	31	334	58	29	39	12	9	33	22	18	14	8
Occupations unique to primary industry	6	2	4	0	2	0	24	6	5	3	0	0	4	3	0	3	2
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	7	2	6	2	2	7	138	22	11	24	6	7	19	17	5	2	0

* Monthly data are three-month moving averages. Statistics Canada releases labour force statistics for Census Metropolitan Areas (CMAs) as three-month moving averages to smooth out month-to-month irregular movements caused by relatively small sample sizes. Three-months moving averages are the average of a given month and the two previous months.

Note: A CMA is an area consisting of one or more adjacent municipalities situated around a major urban core with a population of at least 100,000 based on 2006 Census. The adjacent municipalities within a given CMA must have a high degree of integration with the central urban area, as measured by commuting flows derived from census place of work data. Based on the 2006 Census population estimates, there are now 15 CMAs in Ontario. Barrie, Peterborough, Brantford and Guelph are the new additions.

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Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey.

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Current Statistics by Highest Level of Educational Attainment

EMPLOYMENT BY HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (000s)

	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Employment	5,783	5,864	81.0	5,704	5,804	99.7	5,704	5,804	99.7
Without post-secondary credential	1,801	1,899	98.4	1,849	1,841	-7.8	1,849	1,841	-7.8
Less than high school	415	426	11.6	421	416	-5.5	421	416	-5.5
High school graduate	1,080	1,190	110.1	1,122	1,123	0.9	1,122	1,123	0.9
Some post-secondary	306	283	-23.3	306	302	-3.2	306	302	-3.2
With post-secondary credential	3,982	3,965	-17.4	3,855	3,963	107.6	3,855	3,963	107.6
With certificate or diploma	2,100	2,093	-7.8	2,028	2,081	53.3	2,028	2,081	53.3
University Graduate	1,882	1,872	-9.6	1,827	1,882	54.3	1,827	1,882	54.3

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (%)

	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Unemployment Rate	6.1	5.8	-0.4	7.1	6.4	-0.8	7.1	6.4	-0.8
Without post-secondary credential	8.1	7.7	-0.4	9.1	8.1	-1.0	9.1	8.1	-1.0
Less than high school	11.7	9.4	-2.3	11.5	10.4	-1.1	11.5	10.4	-1.1
High school graduate	6.6	6.9	0.2	7.9	7.0	-1.0	7.9	7.0	-1.0
Some post-secondary	8.4	8.7	0.4	9.7	9.1	-0.6	9.7	9.1	-0.6
With post-secondary credential	5.2	4.8	-0.4	6.2	5.6	-0.6	6.2	5.6	-0.6
With certificate or diploma	5.5	5.8	0.3	6.6	5.9	-0.6	6.6	5.9	-0.6
University Graduate	4.9	3.8	-1.2	5.8	5.2	-0.6	5.8	5.2	-0.6

Notes: Figures may not sum to total due to rounding.

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Unemployment rate is defined as the number of unemployed expressed as a percentage of the labour force.

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey

Ontario's Labour Market

Current Statistics by Immigrant Type and Highest Level of Educational Attainment

EMPLOYMENT BY IMMIGRANT TYPE, ALL EDUCATION LEVELS, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (000s)*									
	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Employment	5,806	5,853	47.0	5,704	5,804	99.8	5,704	5,804	99.8
Total Landed immigrants	1,769	1,826	56.9	1,765	1,808	43.5	1,765	1,808	43.5
Very recent immigrants, 5 years or less	200	160	-40.0	187	171	-15.9	187	171	-15.9
Recent immigrants, 5 to 10 years	291	303	12.3	266	274	7.3	266	274	7.3
Established immigrants, 10+ years	1,279	1,363	84.6	1,311	1,364	52.1	1,311	1,364	52.1
Non-landed immigrants	81	91	10.2	90	91	1.6	90	91	1.6
Born in Canada	3,956	3,935	-20.1	3,850	3,904	54.8	3,850	3,904	54.8
EMPLOYMENT BY IMMIGRANT TYPE, WITHOUT POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION CREDENTIAL, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (000s)*									
	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Employment	1,831	1,894	62.9	1,849	1,841	-7.8	1,849	1,841	-7.8
Total Landed immigrants	527	571	44.0	539	537	-2.1	539	537	-2.1
Very recent immigrants, 5 years or less	42	36	-6.4	36	44	7.5	36	44	7.5
Recent immigrants, 5 to 10 years	55	76	20.5	54	62	8.0	54	62	8.0
Established immigrants, 10+ years	430	460	29.9	449	432	-17.5	449	432	-17.5
Non-landed immigrants	25	26	1.1	27	26	-1.0	27	26	-1.0
Born in Canada	1,279	1,297	17.5	1,283	1,278	-4.8	1,283	1,278	-4.8
EMPLOYMENT BY IMMIGRANT TYPE, WITH POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION CREDENTIAL, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (000s)**									
	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Employment	3,974	3,959	-15.9	3,855	3,963	107.6	3,855	3,963	107.6
Total Landed immigrants	1,242	1,255	12.8	1,226	1,271	45.5	1,226	1,271	45.5
Very recent immigrants, 5 years or less	157	124	-32.7	150	127	-22.9	150	127	-22.9
Recent immigrants, 5 to 10 years	236	228	-8.4	213	212	-0.7	213	212	-0.7
Established immigrants, 10+ years	849	904	54.8	862	932	69.6	862	932	69.6
Non-landed immigrants	56	65	9.0	63	66	2.9	63	66	2.9
Born in Canada	2,676	2,639	-37.7	2,567	2,626	59.5	2,567	2,626	59.5

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Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

Ontario's Labour Market

Current Statistics by Immigrant Type and Highest Level of Educational Attainment

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY IMMIGRANT TYPE, ALL EDUCATION LEVELS, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (%)

	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Unemployment Rate	6.1	5.9	-0.2	7.1	6.4	-0.8	7.1	6.4	-0.8
Total Landed immigrants	8.4	8.0	-0.4	9.4	8.3	-1.1	9.4	8.3	-1.1
Very recent immigrants, 5 years or less	16.2	11.9	-4.3	17.2	14.6	-2.6	17.2	14.6	-2.6
Recent immigrants, 5 to 10 years	8.5	9.2	0.7	9.8	8.6	-1.2	9.8	8.6	-1.2
Established immigrants, 10+ years	7.0	7.2	0.2	8.0	7.3	-0.7	8.0	7.3	-0.7
Non-landed immigrants	6.9	7.9	1.0	7.9	7.7	-0.3	7.9	7.7	-0.3
Born in Canada	5.1	4.9	-0.2	6.1	5.5	-0.6	6.1	5.5	-0.6

UNEMPLOYMENT BY IMMIGRANT TYPE, WITHOUT POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION CREDENTIAL, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (%)

	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Unemployment Rate	8.0	7.4	-0.6	9.1	8.1	-1.0	9.1	8.1	-1.0
Total Landed immigrants	9.9	9.3	-0.6	10.7	9.7	-1.0	10.7	9.7	-1.0
Very recent immigrants, 5 years or less	14.0	13.6	-0.4	16.5	17.8	1.4	16.5	17.8	1.4
Recent immigrants, 5 to 10 years	13.7	10.7	-3.0	10.4	8.3	-2.2	10.4	8.3	-2.2
Established immigrants, 10+ years	8.8	8.6	-0.2	9.7	8.7	-0.9	9.7	8.7	-0.9
Non-landed immigrants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Born in Canada	7.1	6.5	-0.7	8.4	7.4	-1.0	8.4	7.4	-1.0

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY IMMIGRANT TYPE, WITH POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION CREDENTIAL, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (%)

	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Unemployment Rate	5.3	5.2	-0.1	6.2	5.6	-0.6	6.2	5.6	-0.6
Total Landed immigrants	7.7	7.4	-0.3	8.8	7.7	-1.1	8.8	7.7	-1.1
Very recent immigrants, 5 years or less	16.3	11.1	-5.2	16.7	13.3	-3.3	16.7	13.3	-3.3
Recent immigrants, 5 to 10 years	7.2	8.5	1.3	9.1	8.3	-0.8	9.1	8.3	-0.8
Established immigrants, 10+ years	6.1	6.6	0.5	7.1	6.7	-0.5	7.1	6.7	-0.5
Non-landed immigrants	5.5	6.5	1.0	7.9	6.5	-1.4	7.9	6.5	-1.4
Born in Canada	4.0	4.0	0.0	4.9	4.5	-0.4	4.9	4.5	-0.4

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Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey.

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Duration of Unemployment

NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, ALL AGES, ONTARIO (000s)									
	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Total Unemployed	517	490	-27.7	627	570	-56.2	627	570	-56.2
Unemployed 1-26 weeks	362	348	-14.1	449	416	-33.3	449	416	-33.3
Unemployed 27 weeks or more	145	134	-11.0	158	137	-20.9	158	137	-20.9
Average duration (weeks)	26	24	-2.4	22	22	-0.1	22	22	-0.1

NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, 15-24 YEARS, ONTARIO (000s)									
	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Total Unemployed	138	129	-9.6	188	174	-13.6	188	174	-13.6
Unemployed 1-26 weeks	118	107	-10.6	162	150	-11.5	162	150	-11.5
Unemployed 27 weeks or more	14	18	3.8	19	18	-1.1	19	18	-1.1
Average duration (weeks)	14	15	1.3	12	12	0.7	12	12	0.7

NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, 25-54 YEARS, ONTARIO (000s)									
	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Total Unemployed	301	282	-19.9	359	318	-41.0	359	318	-41.0
Unemployed 1-26 weeks	197	189	-8.3	242	218	-23.7	242	218	-23.7
Unemployed 27 weeks or more	100	88	-11.9	107	91	-16.4	107	91	-16.4
Average duration (weeks)	30	26	-4.2	25	25	-0.6	25	25	-0.6

NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, 55 YEARS AND OVER, ONTARIO (000s)									
	Unadjusted			Year-to-date			Annual		
	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	Dec-10	Dec-11	Change	2010	2011	Change
Total Unemployed	78	79	1.6	80	78	-1.5	80	78	-1.5
Unemployed 1-26 weeks	46	49	2.6	45	47	1.9	45	47	1.9
Unemployed 27 weeks or more	31	28	-2.8	32	28	-3.5	32	28	-3.5
Average duration (weeks)	33	31	-2.1	34	35	0.8	34	35	0.8

Notes: Figures may not sum to total unemployed because duration unknown.

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Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

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Annual Average Statistics by Key Age Group

LABOUR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS BY AGE GROUP, ONTARIO											
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
15 years and over											
Population (000s)	9,400	9,587	9,746	9,904	10,058	10,207	10,353	10,502	10,646	10,791	10,926
Labour force (000s)	6,322	6,493	6,675	6,766	6,823	6,884	7,013	7,133	7,147	7,237	7,302
Employment (000s)	5,921	6,029	6,212	6,308	6,371	6,449	6,564	6,666	6,502	6,610	6,731
Unemployment (000s)	401	464	462	459	452	435	449	466	645	627	570
Unemployment rate (%)	6.3	7.2	6.9	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.4	6.5	9.0	8.7	7.8
Participation rate (%)	67.3	67.7	68.5	68.3	67.8	67.4	67.7	67.9	67.1	67.1	66.8
Employment rate (%)	63.0	62.9	63.7	63.7	63.3	63.2	63.4	63.5	61.1	61.3	61.6
15-24 years											
Population (000s)	1,567	1,599	1,630	1,663	1,697	1,726	1,748	1,762	1,772	1,779	1,783
Labour force (000s)	1,028	1,064	1,092	1,105	1,097	1,110	1,138	1,144	1,111	1,094	1,101
Employment (000s)	899	916	934	948	945	963	990	987	917	906	927
Unemployment (000s)	129	148	158	157	152	147	147	157	194	188	174
Unemployment rate (%)	12.6	13.9	14.4	14.2	13.9	13.3	13.0	13.7	17.5	17.2	15.8
Participation rate (%)	65.6	66.5	67.0	66.4	64.6	64.3	65.1	64.9	62.7	61.5	61.8
Employment rate (%)	57.4	57.3	57.3	57.0	55.6	55.8	56.7	56.0	51.7	50.9	52.0
25 years and over											
Population (000s)	7,833	7,988	8,116	8,241	8,360	8,481	8,606	8,740	8,874	9,011	9,143
Labour force (000s)	5,293	5,429	5,583	5,662	5,726	5,774	5,875	5,988	6,036	6,143	6,200
Employment (000s)	5,021	5,113	5,278	5,360	5,427	5,486	5,574	5,679	5,585	5,704	5,804
Unemployment (000s)	272	316	305	302	299	288	301	309	451	439	396
Unemployment rate (%)	5.1	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.2	7.5	7.1	6.4
Participation rate (%)	67.6	68.0	68.8	68.7	68.5	68.1	68.3	68.5	68.0	68.2	67.8
Employment rate (%)	64.1	64.0	65.0	65.0	64.9	64.7	64.8	65.0	62.9	63.3	63.5
25-54 years											
Population (000s)	5,356	5,418	5,455	5,495	5,532	5,564	5,597	5,635	5,668	5,699	5,726
Labour force (000s)	4,616	4,691	4,753	4,782	4,802	4,807	4,846	4,887	4,893	4,918	4,933
Employment (000s)	4,373	4,410	4,484	4,524	4,545	4,564	4,593	4,632	4,516	4,559	4,615
Unemployment (000s)	243	281	268	258	257	242	253	256	377	359	318
Unemployment rate (%)	5.3	6.0	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.0	5.2	5.2	7.7	7.3	6.4
Participation rate (%)	86.2	86.6	87.1	87.0	86.8	86.4	86.6	86.7	86.3	86.3	86.1
Employment rate (%)	81.6	81.4	82.2	82.3	82.2	82.0	82.1	82.2	79.7	80.0	80.6
55 years and over											
Population (000s)	2,476	2,570	2,661	2,746	2,829	2,917	3,008	3,105	3,206	3,312	3,417
Labour force (000s)	678	739	830	879	924	968	1,030	1,101	1,144	1,226	1,268
Employment (000s)	648	703	794	835	882	922	981	1,048	1,070	1,146	1,189
Unemployment (000s)	29	35	37	44	42	46	49	54	74	80	78
Unemployment rate (%)	4.3	4.8	4.4	5.0	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.9	6.5	6.5	6.2
Participation rate (%)	27.4	28.7	31.2	32.0	32.6	33.2	34.2	35.5	35.7	37.0	37.1
Employment rate (%)	26.2	27.4	29.8	30.4	31.2	31.6	32.6	33.7	33.4	34.6	34.8

Notes: Figures may not sum to total due to rounding.

*Unemployment rate is defined as the number of unemployed in an age group expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same age group.

**Participation rate is defined as the total labour force in an age group expressed as a percentage of the population in the same age group.

***Employment rate is defined as the number employed in an age group expressed as a percentage of the population in the same age group.

Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

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Annual Average Statistics by Census Metropolitan Area

EMPLOYMENT BY CENSUS METROPOLITAN AREA, ONTARIO (000s)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Ontario	5,921	6,029	6,212	6,308	6,371	6,449	6,564	6,666	6,502	6,610	6,731
Ottawa-Gatineau	578	577	608	609	616	641	656	681	672	688	694
Ottawa-Gatineau, QC part	137	138	146	148	153	158	161	170	168	169	173
Ottawa-Gatineau, ON part	442	439	462	460	463	483	495	510	504	519	522
Kingston	72	71	73	73	75	77	79	81	80	77	80
Peterborough	49	50	53	60	61	60	62	63	59	57	58
Oshawa	155	159	174	173	176	176	179	184	178	188	193
Toronto	2,541	2,589	2,640	2,688	2,730	2,763	2,837	2,894	2,853	2,919	2,960
Hamilton	342	341	360	369	362	366	370	373	374	372	379
St. Catharines - Niagara	185	187	193	189	194	192	196	200	188	193	197
Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo	223	226	235	240	254	254	254	260	255	264	276
Brantford	59	61	64	62	65	66	69	69	69	67	68
Guelph	68	69	72	74	74	74	74	77	75	76	78
London	231	230	238	248	249	252	254	252	243	245	243
Windsor	156	160	163	163	162	165	157	156	148	149	148
Barrie	84	87	92	95	102	105	106	101	93	102	106
Greater Sudbury	73	75	75	79	77	79	82	83	80	82	83
Thunder Bay	63	62	66	64	64	61	63	62	60	60	60

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY CENSUS METROPOLITAN AREA, ONTARIO (%)

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Ontario	6.3	7.2	6.9	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.4	6.5	9.0	8.7	7.8
Ottawa-Gatineau	6.4	7.4	6.8	6.6	6.6	5.2	5.2	4.8	5.7	6.5	5.9
Ottawa-Gatineau, QC part	7.2	7.0	6.5	6.6	6.6	5.6	5.5	4.8	5.9	6.6	6.8
Ottawa-Gatineau, ON part	6.1	7.5	6.8	6.6	6.6	5.1	5.1	4.8	5.6	6.5	5.6
Kingston	6.4	6.9	6.3	6.4	6.2	6.2	5.3	5.6	6.1	6.1	6.5
Peterborough	8.5	6.5	4.2	5.7	7.0	6.1	5.6	6.1	7.5	9.7	9.5
Oshawa	5.7	6.8	5.1	5.4	6.5	6.5	6.2	7.2	9.0	10.0	8.1
Toronto	6.3	7.4	7.7	7.5	7.0	6.6	6.8	6.9	9.4	9.1	8.3
Hamilton	6.2	6.8	6.1	6.4	5.6	6.0	6.0	6.1	8.4	7.6	6.4
St. Catharines - Niagara	6.3	7.5	6.8	7.4	7.0	6.4	6.8	7.4	10.3	9.4	8.2
Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo	6.2	5.7	5.9	5.1	5.8	5.3	5.5	6.0	9.5	8.0	6.8
Brantford	6.8	7.4	6.2	6.7	6.6	6.1	5.9	5.9	9.9	8.7	8.5
Guelph	4.9	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.8	5.5	5.7	5.6	8.3	7.9	5.6
London	6.4	7.1	6.8	5.9	6.6	6.2	6.1	7.1	9.9	8.6	9.0
Windsor	6.8	8.1	7.4	8.6	7.9	9.0	9.3	9.3	13.8	11.5	9.7
Barrie	5.8	5.7	5.8	4.9	4.8	6.2	5.1	5.6	9.4	9.5	9.7
Greater Sudbury	8.9	9.3	8.6	8.3	7.8	7.3	5.7	5.6	9.3	9.3	6.8
Thunder Bay	8.2	6.6	6.0	8.1	7.1	7.6	6.7	5.9	8.3	6.6	6.8

Notes: A CMA is an area consisting of one or more adjacent municipalities situated around a major urban core with a population of at least 100,000 based on 2006 Census. The adjacent municipalities within a given CMA must have a high degree of integration with the central urban area, as measured by commuting flows derived from census place of work data. Based on the 2006 Census population estimates, there are now 15 CMAs in Ontario. Barrie, Peterborough, Brantford and Guelph are the new additions.

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Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

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Annual Average Statistics by Highest Level of Educational Attainment

EMPLOYMENT BY HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (000s)											
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Employment	5,021	5,113	5,278	5,360	5,427	5,486	5,574	5,679	5,585	5,704	5,804
Without post-secondary credential	2,057	2,059	2,064	2,072	2,003	1,959	1,913	1,924	1,840	1,849	1,841
Less than high school	604	581	580	568	553	534	494	490	449	421	416
High school graduate	1,095	1,110	1,085	1,105	1,121	1,123	1,117	1,100	1,091	1,122	1,123
Some post-secondary	359	368	400	399	329	303	302	334	300	306	302
With post-secondary credential	2,965	3,054	3,214	3,287	3,424	3,527	3,662	3,755	3,745	3,855	3,963
With certificate or diploma	1,706	1,730	1,815	1,841	1,921	1,934	2,022	2,034	2,026	2,028	2,081
University Graduate	1,258	1,324	1,399	1,446	1,502	1,593	1,640	1,721	1,719	1,828	1,882

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, AGES 25 AND ABOVE, ONTARIO (%)											
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Unemployment Rate	5.1	5.8	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.0	5.1	5.2	7.5	7.1	6.4
Without post-secondary credential	5.8	6.8	6.3	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.5	6.3	9.7	9.1	8.1
Less than high school	7.0	8.4	7.7	7.4	7.4	7.7	8.0	7.5	12.1	11.5	10.4
High school graduate	5.2	6.2	5.7	5.5	5.6	5.8	5.8	5.9	9.0	7.9	7.0
Some post-secondary	5.6	6.3	5.8	6.4	6.9	6.6	6.6	5.8	8.7	9.7	9.1
With post-secondary credential	4.7	5.1	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.2	4.4	4.6	6.3	6.2	5.6
With certificate or diploma	4.6	5.1	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.4	4.7	4.6	7.0	6.6	5.9
University Graduate	4.7	5.2	5.3	4.7	4.3	3.9	4.0	4.5	5.5	5.8	5.2

Notes: Figures may not sum to total due to rounding.

Unemployment rate is defined as the number of unemployed expressed as a percentage of the labour force.

Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

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Annual Average Statistics by Occupation

EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION, ONTARIO (000s)											
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
All occupations	5,921	6,029	6,212	6,308	6,371	6,449	6,564	6,666	6,502	6,610	6,731
Management occupations	553	563	586	619	620	655	635	660	646	636	608
Business, finance and administrative occupations	1,114	1,120	1,151	1,200	1,168	1,213	1,217	1,257	1,231	1,235	1,268
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	455	445	447	434	465	464	482	503	482	519	529
Health occupations	292	318	330	341	344	353	367	387	393	395	437
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	465	470	474	473	540	544	575	603	630	661	641
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	183	178	191	201	198	198	206	225	227	236	247
Sales and service occupations	1,358	1,394	1,452	1,432	1,444	1,473	1,581	1,557	1,541	1,567	1,571
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	848	866	891	904	910	906	900	933	880	869	905
Occupations unique to primary industry	129	123	130	136	145	156	154	131	131	135	148
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	524	553	562	570	537	486	448	410	342	358	379

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY OCCUPATION, ONTARIO (%)											
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
All occupations	6.3	7.2	6.9	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.4	6.5	9.0	8.7	7.8
Management occupations	1.9	2.6	2.2	1.9	2.3	1.7	1.7	2.3	2.6	2.8	2.3
Business, finance and administrative occupations	3.7	4.4	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.8	5.0	4.3	4.2
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	3.5	4.8	3.9	3.3	2.7	2.2	3.5	3.1	4.9	3.7	3.3
Health occupations	1.0	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.6
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	2.9	2.5	2.8	3.2	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.2
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	4.9	6.6	6.0	4.3	4.7	5.3	4.3	4.4	5.1	5.4	4.7
Sales and service occupations	4.8	5.7	6.2	5.7	5.4	5.0	5.2	5.4	7.0	6.3	5.7
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	5.4	6.3	5.7	6.2	5.5	5.7	6.0	5.6	10.4	8.0	6.0
Occupations unique to primary industry	7.7	8.2	8.0	8.7	8.2	7.7	6.6	8.9	11.4	9.9	7.0
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	7.0	6.5	6.4	6.1	7.2	8.2	8.6	9.5	15.8	9.3	7.1

Notes: Figures may not sum to total due to rounding.

Occupation estimates are based on 2006 National Occupation Classification-Statistics (NOC-S)

0.0 indicates data are not available.

Unemployment rate is defined as the number of unemployed expressed as a percentage of the labour force.

Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).

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Annual Statistics by Duration of Unemployment

NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, ALL AGES, ONTARIO (000s)											
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Total Unemployed	401	464	462	459	452	435	449	466	645	627	570
Unemployed 1-26 weeks	335	377	371	368	365	353	374	387	507	449	416
Unemployed 27 weeks or more	51	72	75	71	68	62	58	62	118	158	137
Average duration (weeks)	15	16	17	16	16	16	15	15	18	22	22

NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, 15-24 YEARS, ONTARIO (000s)											
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Total Unemployed	129	148	158	157	152	147	147	157	194	188	174
Unemployed 1-26 weeks	116	132	140	139	137	132	135	142	170	162	150
Unemployed 27 weeks or more	7	10	10	9	9	8	6	8	17	19	18
Average duration (weeks)	9	9	9	9	9	9	8	8	11	12	12

NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, 25-54 YEARS, ONTARIO (000s)											
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Total Unemployed	243	281	268	258	257	242	253	256	377	359	318
Unemployed 1-26 weeks	197	220	207	199	199	189	204	205	289	242	218
Unemployed 27 weeks or more	38	53	54	50	47	43	40	42	78	107	91
Average duration (weeks)	18	19	19	19	19	18	17	17	20	25	25

NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED BY DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT, 55 YEARS AND OVER, ONTARIO (000s)											
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Total Unemployed	29	35	37	44	42	46	49	54	74	80	78
Unemployed 1-26 weeks	21	23	23	29	28	31	34	38	47	45	46
Unemployed 27 weeks or more	7	10	11	13	12	11	12	13	24	32	28
Average duration (weeks)	24	28	33	28	27	27	21	23	31	33	35

Notes: Figures may not sum to total unemployed because duration unknown.
 0.0 indicates data are not available.
 Source: Statistics Canada, [Labour Force Survey](#).