Labour force status by age and gender: Canada, provinces and territories, census divisions and census subdivisions, Data Tables, 2021 Universe: Population aged 15 years and over in private households, 2021 Census — 25% Sample data

Northwest Territories 2021

| Labour force status [1] | Total - Labour force status [5, 6] | | | Participation rate | | | Employment rate | | | Unemployment rate | | |
|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|------------|--------------------|----------|------------|-----------------|----------|------------|-------------------|----------|------------|
| Gender [3, 4] | Total - Gender | Men+ [7] | Women+ [8] | Total - Gender | Men+ [7] | Women+ [8] | Total - Gender | Men+ [7] | Women+ [8] | Total - Gender | Men+ [7] | Women+ [8] |
| Age [2] | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total - Age | 31,915 | 16,130 | 15,790 | 70.7 | 72.3 | 68.9 | 64.6 | 65.3 | 63.8 | 8.7 | 9.8 | 7.4 |
| 15 to 24 years | 4,985 | 2,560 | 2,425 | 57.0 | 58.8 | 55.1 | 47.9 | 50.0 | 45.6 | 15.8 | 15.0 | 16.9 |
| 15 to 19 years | 2,485 | 1,245 | 1,240 | 42.9 | 42.2 | 44.0 | 37.8 | 36.1 | 39.1 | 12.2 | 13.3 | 10.1 |
| 20 to 24 years | 2,495 | 1,315 | 1,185 | 71.1 | 74.9 | 66.7 | 58.3 | 63.1 | 52.7 | 18.0 | 15.2 | 21.5 |
| 25 to 64 years | 23,080 | 11,575 | 11,500 | 80.6 | 82.1 | 79.1 | 74.6 | 74.9 | 74.3 | 7.4 | 8.8 | 6.0 |
| 25 to 54 years | 17,870 | 8,935 | 8,930 | 83.0 | 84.3 | 81.8 | 76.8 | 76.8 | 76.7 | 7.5 | 8.8 | 6.2 |
| 25 to 34 years | 6,570 | 3,325 | 3,240 | 80.2 | 83.0 | 77.5 | 71.8 | 72.9 | 70.8 | 10.5 | 12.3 | 8.8 |
| 25 to 29 years | 3,095 | 1,615 | 1,485 | 77.4 | 79.6 | 74.7 | 68.3 | 69.3 | 66.7 | 11.7 | 12.8 | 10.8 |
| 30 to 34 years | 3,470 | 1,715 | 1,760 | 82.9 | 86.0 | 79.5 | 74.9 | 75.8 | 73.9 | 9.7 | 11.9 | 7.1 |
| 35 to 44 years | 6,035 | 2,960 | 3,070 | 85.0 | 84.8 | 85.3 | 80.0 | 78.4 | 81.6 | 5.8 | 7.4 | 4.4 |
| 45 to 54 years | 5,265 | 2,645 | 2,620 | 84.1 | 85.4 | 82.8 | 79.3 | 80.2 | 78.4 | 5.8 | 6.2 | 5.3 |
| 55 to 64 years | 5,210 | 2,640 | 2,570 | 72.5 | 74.8 | 69.8 | 67.1 | 68.2 | 66.1 | 7.3 | 8.9 | 5.3 |
| 65 years and over | 3,850 | 1,990 | 1,860 | 28.7 | 33.4 | 24.2 | 25.8 | 29.4 | 22.0 | 10.4 | 12.0 | 8.9 |
| 65 to 74 years | 2,710 | 1,425 | 1,285 | 35.2 | 39.6 | 30.7 | 32.3 | 35.4 | 28.8 | 8.9 | 10.6 | 6.3 |
| 75 years and over | 1,140 | 565 | 575 | 13.2 | 17.7 | 9.6 | 10.5 | 14.2 | 7.0 | 23.3 | 20.0 | 18.2 |

Footnotes:

[1] Labour force status

Labour force status refers to whether a person was employed, unemployed or not in the labour force during the reference period. The labour force consists of persons who contribute or are available to contribute to the production of goods and services falling within the System of National Accounts production boundary.

[2] Age

'Age' refers to the age of a person (or subject) of interest at last birthday (or relative to a specified, well-defined reference date).

[3] Gender

Gender refers to an individual's personal and social identity as a man, woman or non-binary person (a person who is not exclusively a man or a woman).

Gender includes the following concepts: gender identity, which refers to the gender that a person feels internally and individually.

- [4] Given that the non-binary population is small, data aggregation to a two-category gender variable is sometimes necessary to protect the confidentiality of responses provided. In these cases, individuals in the category "non-binary persons" are distributed into the other two gender categories and are denoted by the "+" symbol.
- [5] Refers to whether a person aged 15 years and over was employed, unemployed or not in the labour force during the week of Sunday, May 2 to Saturday, May 8, 2021.
- [6] For information on the comparability of the 2021 Census labour force status data with those of the Labour Force Survey, see Appendix 2.11 of the Dictionary, Census of Population, 2021.
- [7] This category includes men (and/or boys), as well as some non-binary persons.
- [8] This category includes women (and/or girls), as well as some non-binary persons.

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