# **NEW BRUNSWICK LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS**

DATA FOR APRIL 2025 (RELEASED MAY 2025)

#### YOUTH STATISTICS – UNADJUSTED FOR SEASONALITY

It is recommended to consider trends over the long-term

### Labour Force

- 51,200 in April 2025
- +1,000 (+2.0%) Month-over-Month (+1.7% Nationally) -5,600 (-9.9%) Year-over-Year (+3.0% Nationally)

#### **Employment**

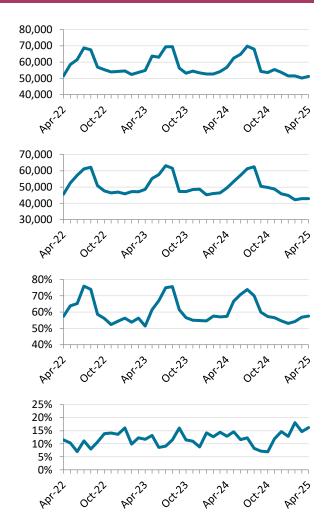
**42,900** in April 2025 **0** (0.0%) Month-over-Month (+1.0% Nationally) **-6,600** (-13.3%) Year-over-Year (+1.4% Nationally)

### **Full-Time Employment Rate**

**57.6%** in April 2025 (46.8% Nationally) **+0.7 p.p.** Month-over-Month (+1.9 p.p. Nationally) **+0.2 p.p.** Year-over-Year (+0.1 p.p. Nationally)

### **Unemployment Rate**

16.2% in April 2025 (14.5% Nationally)
+1.5 p.p. Month-over-Month (+0.6 p.p. Nationally)
+3.3 p.p. Year-over-Year (+1.3 p.p. Nationally)



#### Labour Force Characteristics - Seasonally Adjusted (Ages 15+)

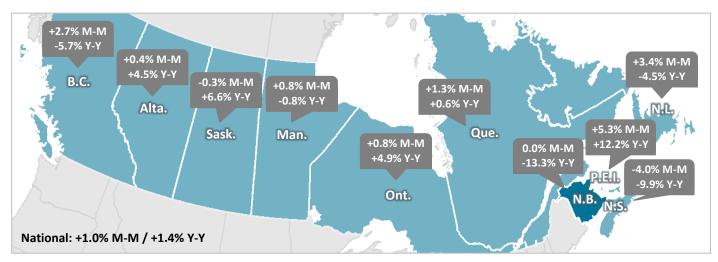
	Apr-24	Mar-25	Apr-25	M-M Change		Y-Y Change	
Working-Age Population	90,900	92,600	92,600	0	0.0%	+1,700	+1.9%
Labour Force	56,800	50,200	51,200	+1,000	+2.0%	-5,600	-9.9%
Employment	49,500	42,900	42,900	0	0.0%	-6,600	-13.3%
FT Employment	28,400	24,400	24,700	+300	+1.2%	-3,700	-13.0%
PT Employment	21,100	18,500	18,100	-400	-2.2%	-3,000	-14.2%
Unemployment	7,300	7,400	8,300	+900	+12.2%	+1,000	+13.7%
Participation Rate (%)	62.5%	54.2%	55.3%	+1.1 (pp)		-7.2 (pp)	
Employment Rate (%)	54.5%	46.3%	46.3%	0.0 (pp)		-8.2 (pp)	
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.9%	14.7%	16.2%	+1.5 (pp)		+3.3 (pp)	

*M*-*M* = month over month. Y-Y = year over year. The dark grey lines in the charts above represents the linear trend line.

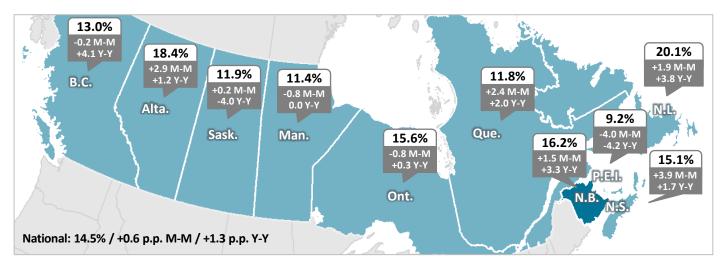
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# Youth Statistics - Data for April 2025 (Unadjusted for Seasonality)

### **Employment Growth**



### **Unemployment Rate**



# **Participation Rate**

