NEW BRUNSWICK LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS

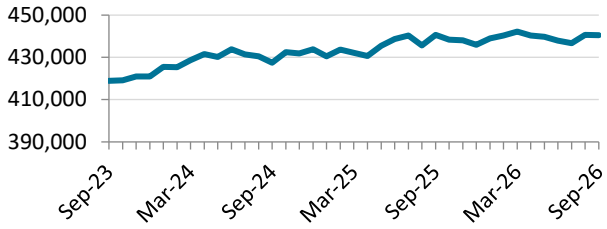
DATA FOR SEPTEMBER 2026 (RELEASED OCTOBER 2026)

PROVINCIAL OVERVIEW – SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

It is recommended to consider trends over the long-term

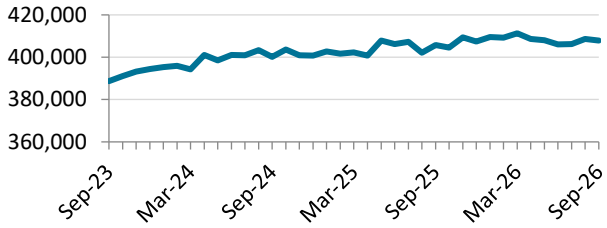
Labour Force

440,500 in September 2026
-200 (-0.0%) Month-over-Month (-0.2% Nationally)
-200 (-0.0%) Year-over-Year (-0.1% Nationally)



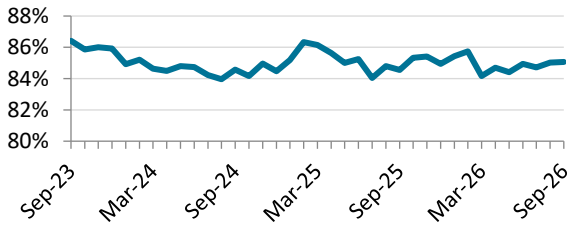
Employment

407,900 in September 2026
-700 (-0.2%) Month-over-Month (-0.3% Nationally)
+2,100 (+0.5%) Year-over-Year (+0.5% Nationally)



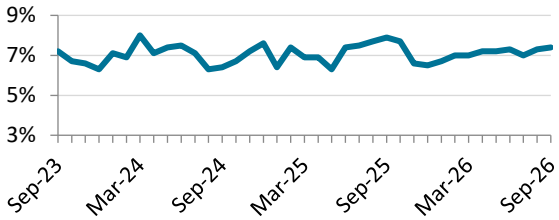
Full-Time Employment Rate

85.1% in September 2026 (81.9% Nationally)
+0.0 p.p. Month-over-Month (+0.1 p.p. Nationally)
+0.5 p.p. Year-over-Year (-0.2 p.p. Nationally)



Unemployment Rate

7.4% in September 2026 (6.5% Nationally)
+0.1 p.p. Month-over-Month (+0.1 p.p. Nationally)
-0.5 p.p. Year-over-Year (-0.6 p.p. Nationally)



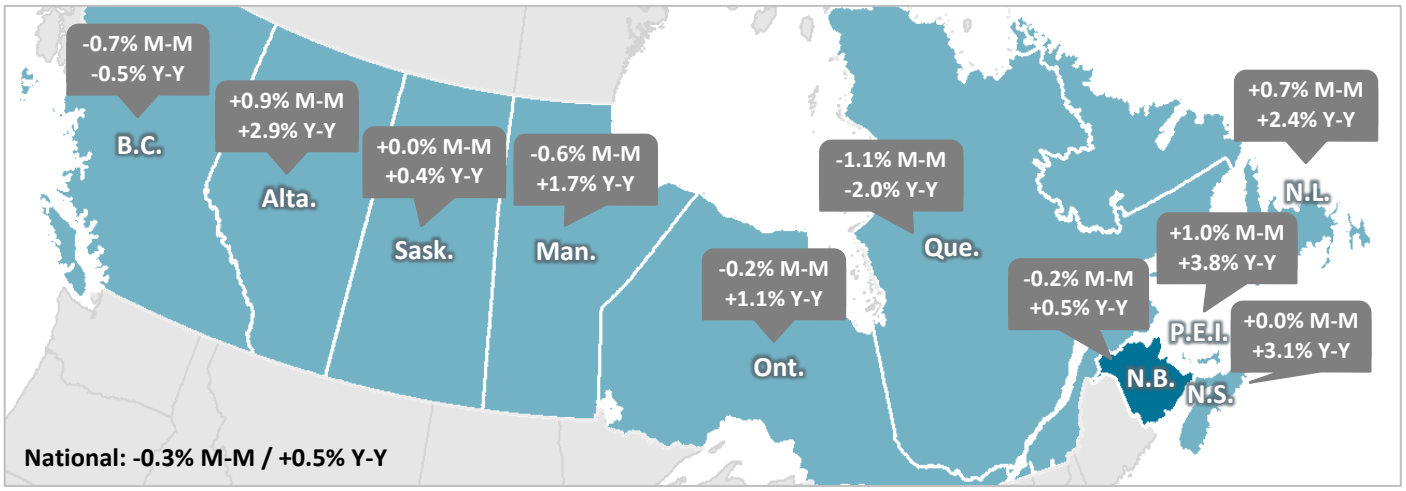
Labour Force Characteristics - Seasonally Adjusted (Ages 15+)

	Sep-25	Aug-26	Sep-26	M-M Change		Y-Y Change	
Working-Age Population	722,500	730,000	**731,300**	+1,300	+0.2%	+8,800	+1.2%
Labour Force	440,700	440,700	**440,500**	-200	-0.0%	-200	-0.0%
Employment	405,800	408,600	**407,900**	-700	-0.2%	+2,100	+0.5%
FT Employment	343,100	347,400	**347,000**	-400	-0.1%	+3,900	+1.1%
PT Employment	62,700	61,200	**60,800**	-400	-0.7%	-1,900	-3.0%
Unemployment	34,900	32,100	**32,600**	+500	+1.6%	-2,300	-6.6%
Participation Rate (%)	61.0%	60.4%	**60.2%**	-0.2 (pp)		-0.8 (pp)	
Employment Rate (%)	56.2%	56.0%	**55.8%**	-0.2 (pp)		-0.4 (pp)	
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9%	7.3%	**7.4%**	+0.1 (pp)		-0.5 (pp)	

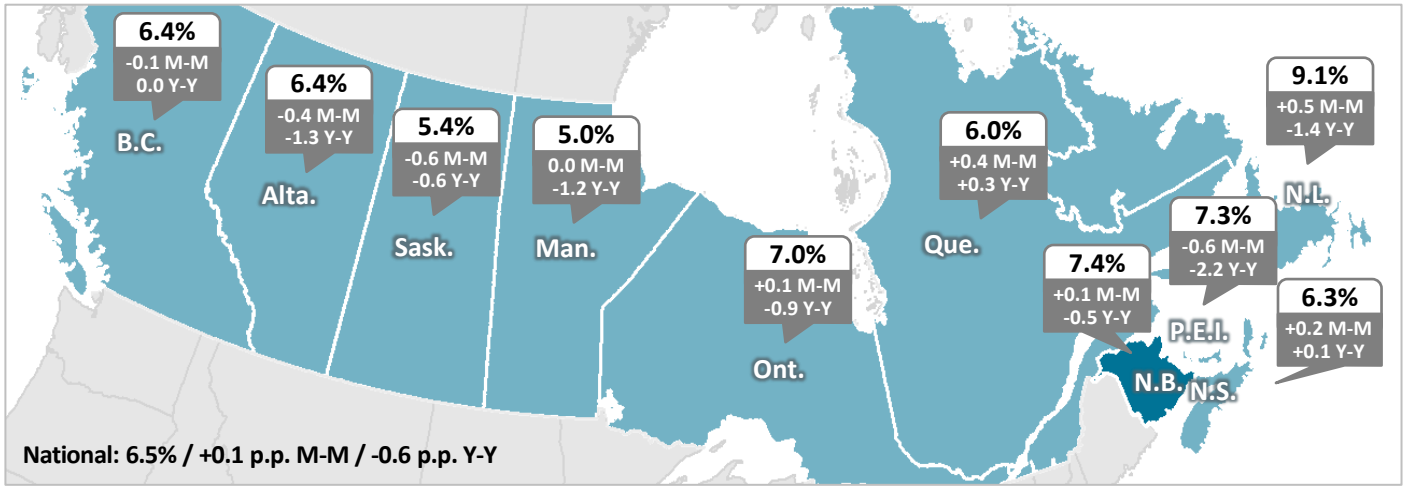
M-M = month over month. Y-Y = year over year. The dark grey lines in the charts above represents the linear trend line.

Provincial Overview - Data for September 2026 (Seasonally Adjusted)

Employment Growth



Unemployment Rate



Participation Rate

