

# EI Flashsheet

February 2008

## Monthly Employment Insurance Summary Data

Newfoundland and Labrador	Employment Insurance Claims ('000)							
	Feb. 2008		Jan. 2008	Jan-08 to Feb-08		Feb. 2007	Feb-07 vs. Feb-08	
	Count	%	Count	Change	% Change	Count	Change	% Change
<b>Gender</b>								
Both Sexes	64.9	100.0	59.6	5.3	8.9	66.9	-2.0	-3.0
Females	23.2	35.8	22.1	1.2	5.3	24.3	-1.0	-4.2
Males	41.7	64.2	37.6	4.1	11.0	42.6	-0.9	-2.2
<b>Age Distribution</b>								
Less than 19	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	15.4	0.1	0.0	7.1
19-24	4.6	7.0	4.1	0.5	11.8	5.0	-0.5	-9.0
25-29	5.1	7.8	4.8	0.3	7.2	5.4	-0.3	-6.0
30-39	12.6	19.4	11.5	1.1	9.3	13.7	-1.1	-8.1
40-49	18.2	28.0	16.8	1.4	8.4	19.2	-1.0	-5.4
50-59	17.4	26.7	15.9	1.4	9.0	17.3	0.1	0.3
60+	7.0	10.8	6.4	0.6	8.8	6.1	0.9	14.3
<i>Average age</i>	44.3	..	44.3	0.0	-0.1	43.6	0.7	1.5
<b>Economic Zones</b>								
1 - Inukshuk	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.0	7.3	0.4	0.0	-8.5
2 - Hyron	0.5	0.8	0.5	0.0	6.3	0.6	0.0	-8.0
3 - Central Labrador	0.7	1.0	0.6	0.0	6.8	0.7	0.0	-1.0
4 - Aurora	0.8	1.3	0.7	0.1	13.5	0.9	0.0	-2.3
5 - Labrador Straits	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.1	16.9	0.5	0.0	0.9
6 - Nordic	2.3	3.6	2.1	0.2	8.6	2.3	0.0	-1.2
7 - Red Ochre	2.9	4.5	2.8	0.2	5.7	3.0	-0.1	-2.7
8 - Humber	4.9	7.5	4.5	0.4	9.1	4.9	0.0	0.0
9 - Long Range	3.5	5.4	3.3	0.2	6.5	3.7	-0.2	-4.8
10 - Marine and Mountain	1.8	2.8	1.7	0.1	7.8	1.8	0.0	-0.4
11 - Emerald	3.2	4.9	2.9	0.3	9.4	3.3	-0.1	-2.3
12 - Exploits Valley	3.0	4.6	2.8	0.2	5.8	3.3	-0.3	-8.1
13 - Coast of Bays	2.1	3.3	2.0	0.2	7.7	2.2	-0.1	-2.4
14 - Kittiwake	8.9	13.8	8.2	0.7	8.4	9.2	-0.2	-2.4
15 - Discovery	5.9	9.0	5.1	0.7	14.2	5.9	0.0	-0.4
16 - Schooner	4.3	6.6	3.9	0.4	11.4	4.2	0.1	2.6
17 - Mariner	7.3	11.2	6.8	0.5	7.2	7.4	-0.1	-1.5
18 - Avalon Gateway	1.4	2.2	1.3	0.1	10.4	1.5	-0.1	-4.7
19 - Capital Coast	8.3	12.8	7.7	0.7	8.7	9.3	-0.9	-9.9
20 - Irish Loop	1.9	2.9	1.7	0.2	10.6	1.9	0.0	-0.3
<b>Occupation</b>								
Management	1.3	2.0	1.2	0.1	5.9	1.3	0.0	2.1
Business, Finance and Administrative	1.4	2.2	1.4	0.0	2.4	1.6	-0.2	-9.6
Clerical	2.4	3.7	2.3	0.1	4.3	2.6	-0.2	-7.5
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related	2.0	3.0	1.8	0.2	8.7	2.0	-0.1	-3.6
Health	0.6	1.0	0.6	0.0	0.3	0.8	-0.1	-17.6
Social Science, Education, Government, Religion	1.4	2.1	1.3	0.0	1.8	1.3	0.0	0.6
Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.0	5.5	0.4	0.0	-1.6
Sales and Service	10.6	16.3	10.0	0.5	5.3	10.9	-0.3	-3.1
Trades, Transport and Equipment Operator and Related	14.8	22.7	12.8	2.0	15.5	14.7	0.1	0.7
Construction Labourer and Related	7.0	10.7	6.1	0.9	15.2	7.8	-0.8	-10.7
Fish Harvester	9.4	14.5	8.8	0.7	7.5	9.4	0.0	-0.3
Other Primary	4.1	6.3	3.9	0.2	5.7	4.1	-0.1	-1.3
Fish Plant Worker	6.4	9.9	6.2	0.3	4.6	6.6	-0.1	-2.0
Manufacturing and Other Processing	3.2	4.9	2.9	0.3	11.0	3.4	-0.2	-5.1
<b>Eligible Weekly Rate</b>								
Less than \$200	8.2	12.6	7.5	0.7	8.7	10.7	-2.5	-23.5
\$200 to \$299	12.0	18.4	11.2	0.8	6.9	13.1	-1.2	-8.8
\$300 to \$399	11.8	18.1	10.9	0.9	7.8	12.6	-0.9	-6.9
\$400 to \$413	33.0	50.8	30.0	3.0	10.1	30.4	2.6	8.4
<i>Average eligible rate</i>	\$344	..	\$343	\$1	0.3	\$328	\$16	5.0

.. Not Applicable

\*The Employment Insurance data reported here includes only claims related to job loss and fishing activity. All other types of claims are excluded (maternity leave, sickness, parental/adoption, work sharing, job creation, training and self-employment).

Source: Newfoundland & Labrador Statistics Agency, Economics and Statistics Branch, Department of Finance (Special Tabulations).