

# EI Flashsheet

May 2008

## Monthly Employment Insurance Summary Data

Newfoundland and Labrador	Employment Insurance Claims ('000)							
	May. 2008		Apr. 2008	Apr-08 to May-08		May. 2007	May-07 vs. May-08	
	Count	%	Count	Change	% Change	Count	Change	% Change
<b>Gender</b>								
Both Sexes	58.8	100.0	62.7	-3.9	-6.2	62.0	-3.2	-5.2
Females	21.5	36.5	22.8	-1.3	-5.8	22.9	-1.4	-6.1
Males	37.3	63.5	39.9	-2.6	-6.5	39.1	-1.8	-4.6
<b>Age Distribution</b>								
Less than 19	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	1.6	0.1	0.0	3.2
19-24	4.4	7.5	4.5	-0.1	-2.3	5.0	-0.6	-12.4
25-29	4.7	8.0	4.9	-0.2	-4.3	5.2	-0.5	-9.1
30-39	11.3	19.2	12.1	-0.7	-6.2	12.7	-1.4	-10.8
40-49	16.5	28.1	17.5	-1.0	-5.7	17.7	-1.2	-6.9
50-59	15.6	26.5	16.8	-1.2	-7.2	15.8	-0.2	-1.4
60+	6.2	10.6	6.8	-0.6	-8.7	5.5	0.7	12.4
<i>Average age</i>	44.1	..	44.3	-0.2	-0.4	43.3	0.8	1.8
<b>Economic Zones</b>								
1 - Inukshuk	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.0	2.2	0.4	0.0	1.7
2 - Hyron	0.5	0.9	0.5	0.0	-1.9	0.8	-0.3	-36.4
3 - Central Labrador	0.7	1.1	0.6	0.0	2.3	0.7	0.0	-3.3
4 - Aurora	0.8	1.4	0.9	-0.1	-6.8	0.8	0.0	2.6
5 - Labrador Straits	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.0	-5.0	0.4	0.0	1.1
6 - Nordic	2.1	3.6	2.3	-0.2	-8.2	2.2	-0.1	-3.7
7 - Red Ochre	2.4	4.2	2.8	-0.4	-13.3	2.6	-0.2	-6.3
8 - Humber	4.6	7.9	4.7	-0.1	-1.7	4.8	-0.2	-3.3
9 - Long Range	3.1	5.3	3.3	-0.2	-5.8	3.4	-0.2	-6.7
10 - Marine and Mountain	1.8	3.0	1.9	-0.1	-4.7	1.8	0.0	-2.3
11 - Emerald	2.7	4.6	3.0	-0.3	-10.0	2.8	-0.1	-2.1
12 - Exploits Valley	2.9	5.0	3.0	0.0	-1.4	3.3	-0.4	-10.9
13 - Coast of Bays	1.8	3.0	2.1	-0.3	-13.9	1.9	-0.2	-8.2
14 - Kittiwake	8.0	13.7	8.6	-0.6	-6.9	8.5	-0.4	-5.0
15 - Discovery	5.5	9.3	5.8	-0.4	-6.2	5.5	0.0	-0.7
16 - Schooner	3.6	6.2	4.1	-0.4	-10.1	3.8	-0.2	-5.0
17 - Mariner	6.6	11.2	6.9	-0.3	-4.9	6.8	-0.2	-2.7
18 - Avalon Gateway	1.3	2.2	1.4	-0.1	-7.6	1.3	0.0	-0.2
19 - Capital Coast	7.2	12.3	7.7	-0.5	-6.3	8.2	-1.0	-11.6
20 - Irish Loop	1.7	3.0	1.8	-0.1	-4.7	1.8	0.0	-1.5
<b>Occupation</b>								
Management	1.2	2.1	1.3	0.0	-3.6	1.2	0.0	-0.3
Business, Finance and Administrative	1.3	2.2	1.3	0.0	-3.7	1.5	-0.3	-17.1
Clerical	2.2	3.7	2.2	0.0	-0.7	2.5	-0.3	-12.9
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related	1.8	3.0	1.9	-0.1	-5.8	1.9	-0.1	-5.6
Health	0.6	1.0	0.6	0.0	-6.6	0.8	-0.2	-27.6
Social Science, Education, Government, Religion	1.2	2.1	1.2	0.0	1.2	1.3	-0.1	-6.2
Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.0	-0.5	0.4	0.0	-0.7
Sales and Service	10.5	17.8	10.4	0.0	0.4	10.9	-0.4	-3.9
Trades, Transport and Equipment Operator and Related	13.7	23.3	14.1	-0.4	-2.6	14.3	-0.7	-4.6
Construction Labourer and Related	7.1	12.0	7.2	-0.1	-1.7	7.8	-0.8	-9.9
Fish Harvester	5.7	9.7	8.7	-3.0	-34.5	5.3	0.4	7.5
Other Primary	3.9	6.7	3.8	0.1	2.7	4.4	-0.5	-10.9
Fish Plant Worker	6.3	10.7	6.5	-0.2	-2.9	6.3	0.0	-0.5
Manufacturing and Other Processing	3.0	5.1	3.1	-0.1	-3.2	3.2	-0.2	-7.7
<b>Eligible Weekly Rate</b>								
Less than \$200	8.2	14.0	8.5	-0.2	-2.7	10.7	-2.5	-23.3
\$200 to \$299	11.2	19.0	11.6	-0.5	-4.0	12.7	-1.5	-12.0
\$300 to \$399	10.8	18.4	11.5	-0.7	-6.0	11.6	-0.8	-6.9
\$400 to \$413	28.6	48.6	31.1	-2.5	-8.1	26.9	1.6	6.0
<i>Average eligible rate</i>	\$340	..	\$342	-\$2	-0.5	\$323	\$17	5.2

.. 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).