

# EI Flashsheet

## Monthly Employment Insurance Summary Data

January 2024

| Newfoundland and Labrador   | Employment Insurance Claims ('000) |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
|---|------------------------------------|-------|-----------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-----------------------|----------|
|   | Jan. 2024                          |       | Dec. 2023 | Dec-2023 to Jan-2024 |          | Jan. 2023 | Jan-2023 vs. Jan-2024 |          |
|   | Count                              | %     | Count     | Change               | % Change | Count     | Change                | % Change |
| <b>Gender</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Both Sexes  | 52.2                               | 100.0 | 47.9      | 4.3                  | 9.0      | 52.8      | -0.6                  | -1.2     |
| Females   | 18.4                               | 35.3  | 17.9      | 0.5                  | 2.8      | 19.2      | -0.8                  | -4.2     |
| Males   | 33.8                               | 64.7  | 30.0      | 3.8                  | 12.7     | 33.6      | 0.2                   | 0.6      |
| <b>Age Distribution</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Less than 19  | 0.3                                | 0.5   | 0.2       | 0.0                  | 13.4     | 0.3       | 0.0                   | -8.8     |
| 19-24   | 3.8                                | 7.2   | 3.3       | 0.4                  | 13.3     | 3.7       | 0.1                   | 3.2      |
| 25-29   | 3.2                                | 6.2   | 2.9       | 0.4                  | 12.2     | 3.3       | 0.0                   | -1.2     |
| 30-39   | 7.3                                | 14.0  | 6.6       | 0.7                  | 10.9     | 7.4       | -0.1                  | -1.7     |
| 40-49   | 9.1                                | 17.4  | 8.3       | 0.8                  | 9.2      | 9.4       | -0.3                  | -3.2     |
| 50-59   | 14.0                               | 26.8  | 12.8      | 1.1                  | 8.9      | 14.5      | -0.6                  | -3.8     |
| 60+   | 14.5                               | 27.8  | 13.7      | 0.8                  | 6.2      | 14.2      | 0.3                   | 2.2      |
| Average age   | 48.7                               | ..    | 49.0      | -0.3                 | -0.6     | 48.7      | 0.1                   | 0.2      |
| <b>Economic Zones</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Economic Zone 1   | 0.3                                | 0.6   | 0.3       | 0.0                  | 9.2      | 0.3       | 0.0                   | 0.0      |
| Economic Zone 2   | 0.3                                | 0.6   | 0.3       | 0.0                  | 1.2      | 0.4       | 0.0                   | -3.4     |
| Economic Zone 3   | 0.5                                | 0.9   | 0.4       | 0.1                  | 13.5     | 0.5       | -0.1                  | -14.8    |
| Economic Zone 4   | 0.6                                | 1.2   | 0.6       | 0.0                  | 1.8      | 0.6       | 0.0                   | 1.5      |
| Economic Zone 5   | 0.4                                | 0.7   | 0.3       | 0.0                  | 8.2      | 0.4       | 0.0                   | 1.9      |
| Economic Zone 6   | 1.6                                | 3.1   | 1.6       | 0.1                  | 3.3      | 1.7       | -0.1                  | -3.6     |
| Economic Zone 7   | 2.5                                | 4.9   | 2.5       | 0.1                  | 3.6      | 2.5       | 0.0                   | 0.2      |
| Economic Zone 8   | 4.1                                | 7.9   | 3.8       | 0.4                  | 9.6      | 4.3       | -0.1                  | -2.9     |
| Economic Zone 9   | 2.8                                | 5.4   | 2.5       | 0.3                  | 12.1     | 2.8       | 0.0                   | -0.8     |
| Economic Zone 10  | 1.3                                | 2.6   | 1.3       | 0.1                  | 5.5      | 1.3       | 0.0                   | -0.1     |
| Economic Zone 11  | 2.4                                | 4.6   | 2.3       | 0.1                  | 4.3      | 2.5       | -0.1                  | -5.5     |
| Economic Zone 12  | 2.7                                | 5.2   | 2.4       | 0.3                  | 11.6     | 2.8       | -0.1                  | -2.4     |
| Economic Zone 13  | 1.6                                | 3.1   | 1.6       | 0.1                  | 3.4      | 1.7       | -0.1                  | -4.6     |
| Economic Zone 14  | 7.4                                | 14.2  | 6.9       | 0.5                  | 7.2      | 7.5       | -0.1                  | -1.4     |
| Economic Zone 15  | 4.6                                | 8.8   | 4.2       | 0.4                  | 10.1     | 4.6       | 0.0                   | -0.8     |
| Economic Zone 16  | 3.2                                | 6.2   | 3.0       | 0.3                  | 8.7      | 3.3       | -0.1                  | -2.3     |
| Economic Zone 17  | 5.8                                | 11.1  | 5.3       | 0.5                  | 8.7      | 5.9       | -0.1                  | -0.9     |
| Economic Zone 18  | 1.1                                | 2.1   | 1.1       | 0.0                  | 2.9      | 1.1       | 0.0                   | -3.4     |
| Economic Zone 19  | 7.1                                | 13.6  | 5.9       | 1.2                  | 19.5     | 6.8       | 0.3                   | 3.7      |
| Economic Zone 20  | 1.4                                | 2.6   | 1.3       | 0.1                  | 4.6      | 1.3       | 0.0                   | 3.2      |
| <b>Occupation</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Management  | 0.1                                | 0.3   | 0.1       | 0.0                  | 8.0      | 1.0       | -0.9                  | -85.5    |
| Other Business, Finance and Administration                          | 0.7                                | 1.4   | 0.7       | 0.0                  | 3.6      | 1.3       | -0.5                  | -40.5    |
| Office Support, Distribution, Tracking and Scheduling Co-ordination | 2.2                                | 4.2   | 2.1       | 0.1                  | 3.3      | 1.5       | 0.7                   | 47.9     |
| Natural and Applied Sciences and Related                            | 1.7                                | 3.2   | 1.6       | 0.1                  | 8.8      | 1.8       | -0.1                  | -7.7     |
| Health  | 0.6                                | 1.1   | 0.6       | 0.0                  | 0.5      | 0.7       | -0.1                  | -9.7     |
| Education, Law and Social, Community and Government Services        | 4.5                                | 8.6   | 4.5       | 0.0                  | 0.6      | 5.0       | -0.5                  | -10.8    |
| Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport                                  | 0.6                                | 1.1   | 0.5       | 0.0                  | 4.3      | 0.5       | 0.0                   | 3.7      |
| Sales and Service   | 7.6                                | 14.5  | 7.3       | 0.3                  | 4.2      | 7.2       | 0.3                   | 4.8      |
| Trades, Transport and Equipment Operator and Related                | 13.5                               | 25.8  | 11.0      | 2.4                  | 22.1     | 12.9      | 0.6                   | 4.6      |
| Trades Helpers, Construction Labourers and Related                  | 5.7                                | 10.9  | 4.7       | 1.0                  | 21.6     | 5.0       | 0.7                   | 14.0     |
| Fish Harvester  | 7.4                                | 14.1  | 7.5       | -0.2                 | -2.3     | 7.9       | -0.5                  | -6.9     |
| Other Natural Resources, Agriculture and Related Production         | 2.0                                | 3.8   | 1.8       | 0.2                  | 11.5     | 2.0       | 0.0                   | 0.1      |
| Fish Plant Worker   | 3.8                                | 7.3   | 3.7       | 0.1                  | 2.0      | 4.0       | -0.2                  | -4.4     |
| Other Occupations in Manufacturing and Utilities                    | 1.9                                | 3.6   | 1.7       | 0.1                  | 8.6      | 2.0       | -0.1                  | -5.9     |
| <b>Eligible Weekly Rate</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Less than \$200   | 0.5                                | 0.9   | 0.5       | 0.0                  | 1.9      | 0.8       | -0.3                  | -38.7    |
| \$200 to \$299  | 2.7                                | 5.1   | 2.5       | 0.1                  | 5.5      | 3.9       | -1.2                  | -31.0    |
| \$300 to \$399  | 6.2                                | 11.9  | 6.0       | 0.2                  | 3.7      | 6.8       | -0.6                  | -9.3     |
| \$400 to \$499  | 6.8                                | 12.9  | 6.5       | 0.3                  | 4.2      | 7.0       | -0.2                  | -3.3     |
| \$500 to \$501  | 36.1                               | 69.1  | 32.4      | 3.7                  | 11.3     | 34.3      | 1.8                   | 5.2      |
| Average eligible rate   | \$548                              | ..    | \$542     | \$6                  | 1.1      | \$528     | \$20                  | 3.8      |

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February 2024

| Newfoundland and Labrador   | Employment Insurance Claims ('000) |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
|---|------------------------------------|-------|-----------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-----------------------|----------|
|   | Feb. 2024                          |       | Jan. 2024 | Jan-2024 to Feb-2024 |          | Feb. 2023 | Feb-2023 vs. Feb-2024 |          |
|   | Count                              | %     | Count     | Change               | % Change | Count     | Change                | % Change |
| <b>Gender</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Both Sexes  | 53.6                               | 100.0 | 52.2      | 1.4                  | 2.6      | 54.4      | -0.8                  | -1.4     |
| Females   | 18.6                               | 34.7  | 18.4      | 0.2                  | 1.1      | 19.6      | -0.9                  | -4.8     |
| Males   | 35.0                               | 65.3  | 33.8      | 1.2                  | 3.4      | 34.8      | 0.2                   | 0.5      |
| <b>Age Distribution</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Less than 19  | 0.3                                | 0.5   | 0.3       | 0.0                  | 4.4      | 0.3       | 0.0                   | -7.8     |
| 19-24   | 3.9                                | 7.2   | 3.8       | 0.1                  | 2.6      | 3.8       | 0.0                   | 0.7      |
| 25-29   | 3.4                                | 6.3   | 3.2       | 0.1                  | 4.5      | 3.4       | 0.0                   | -1.0     |
| 30-39   | 7.5                                | 14.1  | 7.3       | 0.2                  | 3.3      | 7.6       | -0.1                  | -0.9     |
| 40-49   | 9.3                                | 17.4  | 9.1       | 0.2                  | 2.4      | 9.6       | -0.3                  | -3.1     |
| 50-59   | 14.3                               | 26.6  | 14.0      | 0.3                  | 1.9      | 14.9      | -0.6                  | -4.2     |
| 60+   | 14.9                               | 27.8  | 14.5      | 0.4                  | 2.5      | 14.7      | 0.2                   | 1.7      |
| Average age   | 48.7                               | ..    | 48.7      | -0.1                 | -0.1     | 48.6      | 0.1                   | 0.2      |
| <b>Economic Zones</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Economic Zone 1   | 0.3                                | 0.6   | 0.3       | 0.0                  | 0.9      | 0.3       | 0.0                   | -5.3     |
| Economic Zone 2   | 0.3                                | 0.6   | 0.3       | 0.0                  | -2.7     | 0.4       | 0.0                   | -5.7     |
| Economic Zone 3   | 0.4                                | 0.8   | 0.5       | 0.0                  | -1.1     | 0.5       | -0.1                  | -14.7    |
| Economic Zone 4   | 0.6                                | 1.2   | 0.6       | 0.0                  | 2.6      | 0.6       | 0.0                   | -0.3     |
| Economic Zone 5   | 0.4                                | 0.7   | 0.4       | 0.0                  | 2.2      | 0.4       | 0.0                   | -1.8     |
| Economic Zone 6   | 1.7                                | 3.2   | 1.6       | 0.1                  | 4.3      | 1.8       | -0.1                  | -5.1     |
| Economic Zone 7   | 2.6                                | 4.9   | 2.5       | 0.1                  | 2.6      | 2.6       | 0.0                   | -0.3     |
| Economic Zone 8   | 4.3                                | 8.0   | 4.1       | 0.1                  | 2.7      | 4.4       | -0.1                  | -3.1     |
| Economic Zone 9   | 2.8                                | 5.3   | 2.8       | 0.0                  | 0.0      | 2.9       | -0.1                  | -2.1     |
| Economic Zone 10  | 1.4                                | 2.6   | 1.3       | 0.1                  | 3.7      | 1.4       | 0.0                   | -0.6     |
| Economic Zone 11  | 2.5                                | 4.6   | 2.4       | 0.1                  | 2.9      | 2.6       | -0.2                  | -6.0     |
| Economic Zone 12  | 2.8                                | 5.1   | 2.7       | 0.0                  | 1.8      | 2.8       | -0.1                  | -2.8     |
| Economic Zone 13  | 1.7                                | 3.1   | 1.6       | 0.0                  | 2.4      | 1.8       | -0.1                  | -5.1     |
| Economic Zone 14  | 7.6                                | 14.1  | 7.4       | 0.1                  | 1.8      | 7.7       | -0.1                  | -1.7     |
| Economic Zone 15  | 4.7                                | 8.8   | 4.6       | 0.1                  | 2.9      | 4.8       | 0.0                   | -1.0     |
| Economic Zone 16  | 3.3                                | 6.1   | 3.2       | 0.0                  | 1.4      | 3.4       | -0.1                  | -2.9     |
| Economic Zone 17  | 6.0                                | 11.1  | 5.8       | 0.2                  | 2.8      | 6.0       | 0.0                   | -0.7     |
| Economic Zone 18  | 1.1                                | 2.1   | 1.1       | 0.0                  | 4.3      | 1.2       | 0.0                   | -2.3     |
| Economic Zone 19  | 7.4                                | 13.8  | 7.1       | 0.3                  | 4.6      | 7.1       | 0.3                   | 4.4      |
| Economic Zone 20  | 1.4                                | 2.6   | 1.4       | 0.0                  | 2.8      | 1.4       | 0.0                   | 1.2      |
| <b>Occupation</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Management  | 0.2                                | 0.3   | 0.1       | 0.0                  | 4.7      | 0.9       | -0.8                  | -83.6    |
| Other Business, Finance and Administration                          | 0.7                                | 1.4   | 0.7       | 0.0                  | -0.3     | 1.2       | -0.4                  | -36.5    |
| Office Support, Distribution, Tracking and Scheduling Co-ordination | 2.1                                | 4.0   | 2.2       | -0.1                 | -3.0     | 1.6       | 0.6                   | 35.8     |
| Natural and Applied Sciences and Related                            | 1.8                                | 3.3   | 1.7       | 0.1                  | 4.2      | 1.9       | -0.1                  | -4.6     |
| Health  | 0.6                                | 1.1   | 0.6       | 0.0                  | 1.7      | 0.7       | -0.1                  | -9.2     |
| Education, Law and Social, Community and Government Services        | 4.4                                | 8.2   | 4.5       | -0.1                 | -1.7     | 5.0       | -0.6                  | -11.4    |
| Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport                                  | 0.6                                | 1.0   | 0.6       | 0.0                  | -0.9     | 0.5       | 0.0                   | 2.0      |
| Sales and Service   | 7.9                                | 14.7  | 7.6       | 0.3                  | 4.2      | 7.6       | 0.3                   | 4.3      |
| Trades, Transport and Equipment Operator and Related                | 14.0                               | 26.1  | 13.5      | 0.5                  | 3.8      | 13.3      | 0.7                   | 5.5      |
| Trades Helpers, Construction Labourers and Related                  | 6.0                                | 11.2  | 5.7       | 0.3                  | 6.0      | 5.4       | 0.6                   | 11.0     |
| Fish Harvester  | 7.6                                | 14.1  | 7.4       | 0.2                  | 2.7      | 8.3       | -0.7                  | -8.5     |
| Other Natural Resources, Agriculture and Related Production         | 2.0                                | 3.7   | 2.0       | 0.0                  | 0.6      | 2.0       | 0.0                   | -1.7     |
| Fish Plant Worker   | 3.8                                | 7.1   | 3.8       | 0.0                  | -0.4     | 4.0       | -0.2                  | -5.1     |
| Other Occupations in Manufacturing and Utilities                    | 1.9                                | 3.6   | 1.9       | 0.1                  | 3.6      | 2.0       | -0.1                  | -5.5     |
| <b>Eligible Weekly Rate</b>   |                                    |       |           |                      |          |           |                       |          |
| Less than \$200   | 0.5                                | 0.9   | 0.5       | 0.0                  | -1.8     | 0.8       | -0.3                  | -38.6    |
| \$200 to \$299  | 2.9                                | 5.4   | 2.7       | 0.2                  | 7.4      | 4.1       | -1.2                  | -29.8    |
| \$300 to \$399  | 6.3                                | 11.8  | 6.2       | 0.1                  | 2.1      | 7.0       | -0.6                  | -9.2     |
| \$400 to \$499  | 6.9                                | 12.8  | 6.8       | 0.1                  | 1.7      | 7.2       | -0.3                  | -4.0     |
| \$500 to \$501  | 37.0                               | 69.1  | 36.1      | 0.9                  | 2.6      | 35.3      | 1.7                   | 4.7      |
| Average eligible rate   | \$549                              | ..    | \$548     | \$1                  | 0.1      | \$529     | \$21                  | 3.9      |

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