	Type of income benefits								
		Regular benefits ⁶							
	All types of		Regular and not a Part II Employment	Regular and a Part II Skills	Regular and a Part II Job Creation	Regular and a	Work-		
Year	income benefits		Benefit participant	Development Participant	Partnerships Participant	employment Participant	sharing benefits	Fishing benefits	Special benefits
real	belletits		participant	Farticipant	Faiticipalit	Farticipant	Dellellts	belletits	benents
1997 1998	583,327 578,836	485,440 473,387					258 160	75,991 84,121	21,63 21,16
1999 2000	611,296 616,186	494,595 475,531					78 46	93,305 114,695	23,31 25,91
2001	673,740 747,230	513,835 556,750					130 114	126,648 143,771	33,12 46,59
2003	786,851	558,062					48	179,665	49,07
2004 2005	769,377 777,369	572,014 588,420					24 36	145,642 135,961	51,69 52,95
2006 2007	795,387 808,340	625,842 630,512					24 5	112,373 115,156	57,14 62,66
2008 2009	828,663 954,122	639,771 764,882					32 42	120,603 113,111	68,25 76,08
2010	904,754	726,576					41	99,963	78,17
2011 2012	896,414 887,476	705,798 685,317	683,760 665,396	19,562 18,104	1,660 1,260	816 557	 151	108,459 114,147	82,15 87,86
2013 2014	849,570 867,723	647,827 659,945	626,197 637,457	20,036 20,929	850 861	744 698	2 24	109,250 110,147	92,49 97,60
2015 2016	922,447 1,050,551	706,358 823,845	681,872 798.518	22,742 22.514	882 1,513	862 1,299	52 124	114,930 119,883	101,10
2017	1,122,515	879,359	854,636	21,864	1,299	1,560	142	132,526	110,48
2018 2019	1,106,108 1,030,726	851,189 767,526	829,504 749,057	19,110 16,377	1,132 1,131	1,442 961	23	143,175 148,035	111,7: 115,1
2020 2021	⁴ 575,365 1,711,692	448,573 1,400,607	440,814 1,376,972	7,207 21,453	220 551	332 1,631	130 245	75,010 165,344	51,65 145,49
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Notes:

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Footnotes:

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1 - Excludes amounts related to Employment Benefits and Support Measures, delivered under Part II of the Employment Insurance Act.
2 - For any data before January 1997 or for any amounts related to Employment Benefits and Support Measures before January 2011, refer to archived tables 14-10-0170-01 and 14-10-0179-01.

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- 3 Administrative data on Employment Insurance special benefits for self-employed workers are only available at the regional data centre level. For this reason, Atlantic provinces are rolled up and included in the Prince Edward Island statistics, while the western provinces and the territories are rolled up and included in the Alberta statistics.

 4 Due to the COVID-19 situation, many Canadians who were not employed and seeking income assistance between March 15 and September 26, 2020, were accessing Government of Canada benefit programs other than Employment Insurance, such as the Canada Emergency Response Benefit (ERB). As a result, the Employment Insurance
- Statistics program was suspended between the March and September 2020 reference months. 5 - Benefit characteristics are either benefit payments representing the total Employment Insurance (EI) disbursements to all beneficiaries including retroactive adjustments, or benefit weeks representing the total number of weeks for which benefit payments have been made to all beneficiaries, during the reference month.
- 6 Includes benefits paid to people receiving regular income benefits whether or not they participate in one of three employment benefit programs, namely Skills Development Program, Job Creation Partnerships Program and Self-employment Program

Source: Statistics Canada Table 14-10-0007-01



