

**Number of Businesses by Employment Size Range
Newfoundland and Labrador by Rural Secretariat Region
December 2025**

Rural Secretariat Region	Employment Size Range					Total
	1 to 4	5 to 19	20 to 99	100 to 499	500 +	
Unknown	16	13	..	1	..	30
Labrador	283	323	108	27	1	742
St. Anthony - Port au Choix	217	137	21	5	..	380
Corner Brook - Rocky Harbour Region	708	550	160	19	3	1,440
Stephenville - Port aux Basques Region	407	228	50	11	..	696
Grand Falls-Windsor - Baie Verte - Harbour Breton	617	468	114	20	1	1,220
Gander - New-Wes-Valley	688	481	102	20	2	1,293
Clarenville - Bonavista	436	307	81	10	3	837
Burin Peninsula	289	145	45	6	..	485
Avalon Peninsula	4,046	2,836	1,026	206	28	8,142
Newfoundland and Labrador	7,707	5,488	1,707	325	38	15,265

Symbol legend:

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Notes:

All businesses with employees included in the totals have been assigned a valid Industry classification.

Business counts provided are based on establishment which is defined as the most homogeneous unit of production for which the business maintains accounting records. A more detailed definition of an establishment can be viewed at:

<https://www23.statcan.gc.ca/imdb/p3Var.pl?Function=Unit&Id=23893>

Establishment counts will differ from the counts provided by Statistics Canada, Table: 33-10-1095-01 which counts according to the number of statistical locations. For example, a retail business with 10 stores and a head office is counted 11 times in the Canadian business counts. Please consult the guide for more information:

[Definitions and Concepts used in Business Register \(statcan.gc.ca\)](#)

Fluctuations in these figures from one reference period to another can come from methodological changes (for example, changes to the method for identifying inactive units or in business industrial classification strategies). As a result, these data do not only represent changes in the business population over time. Statistics Canada advises users not to use these data as a time series.

Source: Statistics Canada, Business Register