

Alberta Labour Force Statistics December, 2011

Seasonally Adjusted

Statistics/Counts		December, 2011	November, 2011	December, 2010
Labour Force	(000s)	2,242.8	2,244.2	2,155.0
Employed	(000s)	2,133.2	2,132.2	2,033.9
Unemployed	(000s)	109.7	112.1	121.1
Unemployment Rate	(%)	4.9%	5.0%	5.6%

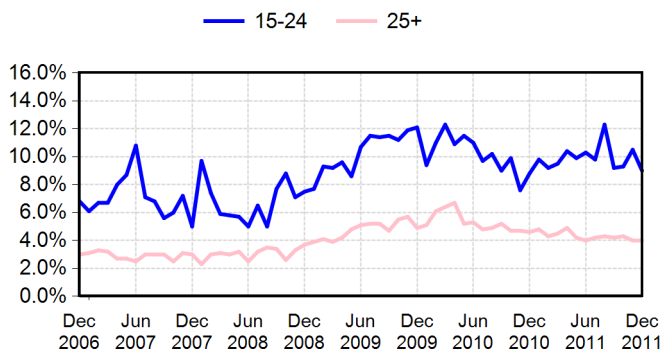
Unemployment Rate, Alberta Cities Seasonally Adjusted, 3- Month Moving Average

3-Month Moving Averages	Edmonton	Calgary
December 2011	4.9%	5.5%
November 2011	5.3%	5.4%
December 2010	5.7%	6.2%

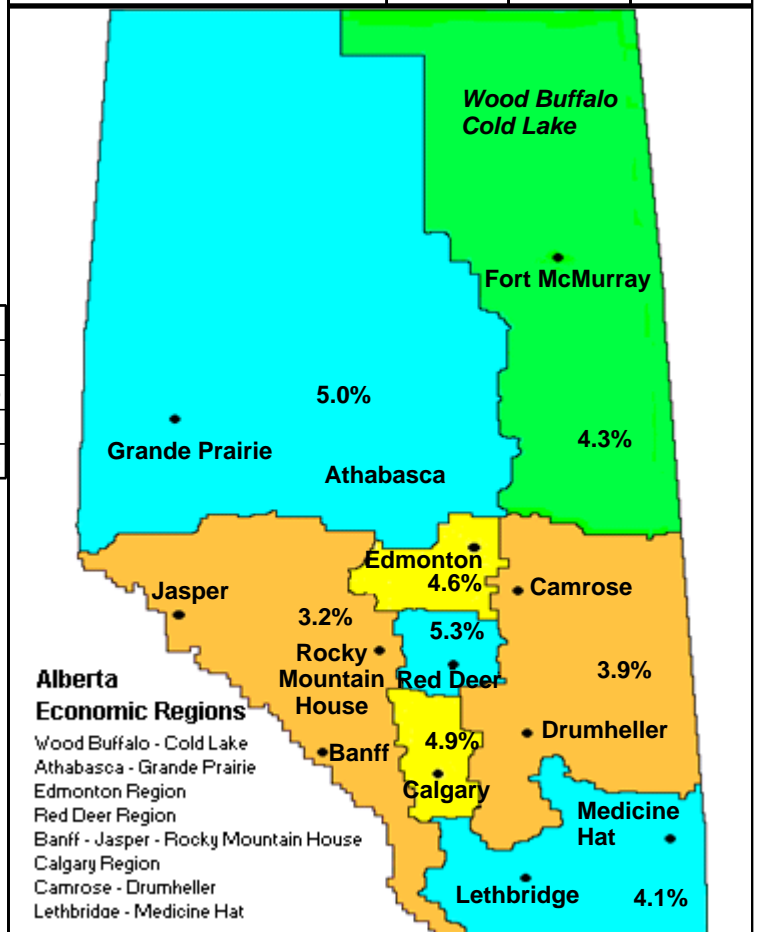
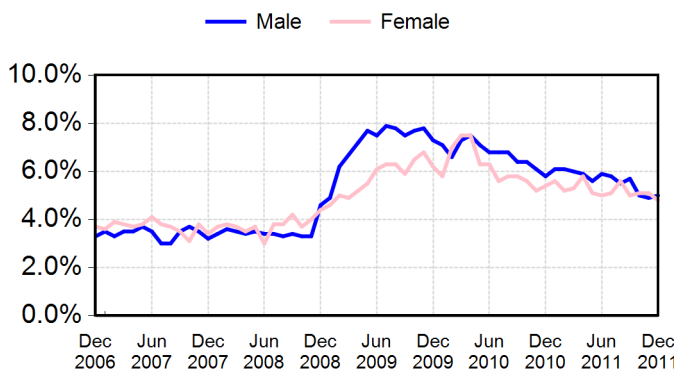
Unemployment Rate, Alberta Regions Unadjusted, 3- Month Moving Average

	December 2011	November 2011	December 2010
Wood Buffalo - Cold Lake	4.3%	4.9%	4.8%
Athabasca - Grande Prairie	5.0%	5.0%	5.6%
Edmonton Region	4.6%	5.3%	5.4%
Red Deer Region	5.3%	5.2%	5.2%
Banff - Jasper - Rocky Mountain House	3.2%	3.0%	5.9%
Calgary Region	4.9%	4.9%	5.9%
Camrose - Drumheller	3.9%	4.0%	5.0%
Lethbridge - Medicine Hat	4.1%	4.1%	4.3%

Unemployment Rate by Age & Gender, Alberta Seasonally Adjusted, 3- Month Moving Average



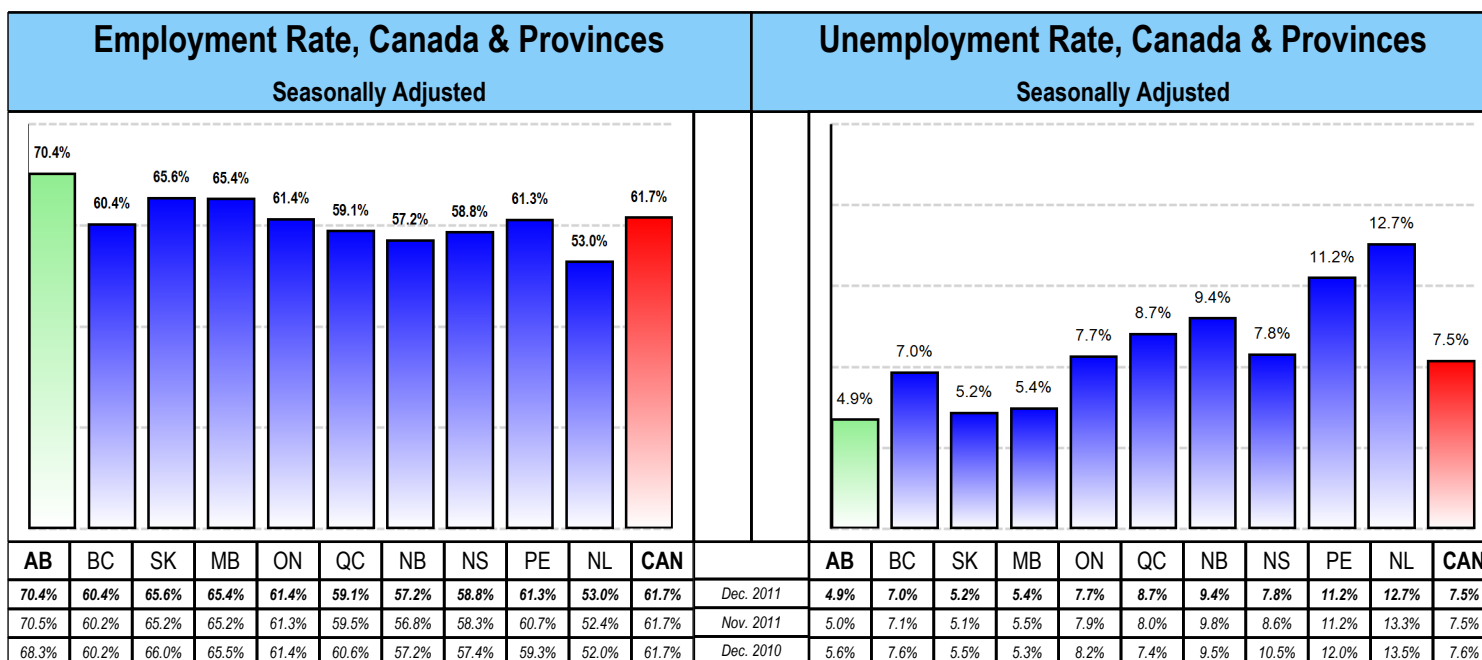
Age	All Ages(15+)			Youth(15-24)			Adults(25+)		
	Both	Male	Fem.	Both	Male	Fem.	Both	Male	Fem.
December 2011	4.9%	5.0%	4.8%	10.2%	11.3%	9.0%	3.9%	3.8%	4.0%
November 2011	5.0%	4.9%	5.1%	10.0%	9.7%	10.5%	4.0%	4.1%	4.0%
December 2010	5.6%	5.8%	5.4%	9.6%	10.4%	8.8%	4.8%	5.0%	4.6%



For further information, contact Communications, Employment and Immigration at (780) 427-5585

Employment by Industry, Alberta Seasonally Adjusted (000s)

	December, 2011	November, 2011	December, 2010
All Industries	2,133.2	2,132.2	2,033.9
Goods-Producing Sector	591.4	587.3	554.8
Agriculture	55.5	54.8	43.5
Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Oil and Gas	166.6	167.8	151.9
Utilities	14.6	14.4	19.2
Construction	218.2	214.2	212.0
Manufacturing	136.4	136.1	128.3
Services-Producing Sector	1,541.8	1,544.8	1,479.1
Trade	335.4	327.3	312.3
Transportation and Warehousing	109.1	111.2	107.9
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	100.1	102.3	98.9
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	164.2	164.0	158.4
Business, Building and Other Support Services	72.6	73.4	73.5
Educational Services	126.9	125.5	124.2
Health Care and Social Assistance	233.2	230.4	218.3
Information, Culture and Recreation	78.5	82.4	72.2
Accommodation and Food Services	125.7	129.4	121.7
Other Services	110.1	114.9	104.1
Public Administration	85.9	83.8	87.6



"n/a" is reported in instances of insufficient response. Unclassified Industries and Occupations are not included.