

Express Employment Professionals Study of the Unemployed P122856
Canada Topline Results
Survey Fielded: May 5 – May 31, 2016

Respondent Qualifications:

- Canada resident
- Age 18+
- Mix of gender
- Unemployed but capable of working (excludes those that are currently retired, choose to stay at home and those that are unable to work due to a long-term disability)
 - Stat testing was done at the 95% confidence level

This report covers the Canada total and by how long respondents have been out of work; whether they receive employment insurance or not; gender; and province oversamples.

Notes:

- Upper case letters indicate a significant difference at the 95% confidence level. The total columns are not considered.
- Dashes represent <1%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q268 Are you...?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Male	55%	61%	59%	49%	54%	50%	64%	52%	100%	-
		GJ					L		N	
Female	45%	39%	41%	51%	46%	50%	36%	48%	-	100%
				B		B		K		M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Male	55%	48%	66%	54%	50%	51%
Female	45%	52%	34%	46%	50%	49%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS**Q280** Age

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
18 – 29	34%	47%	33%	34%	25%	21%	23%	38%	35%	32%
		FGIJ	J	J				K		
30 – 39	24%	20%	27%	26%	26%	23%	23%	24%	22%	25%
40 – 49	23%	19%	21%	20%	27%	29%	30%	20%	22%	23%
						BG	L			
50 – 59	14%	11%	15%	14%	14%	19%	20%	12%	14%	15%
						B	L			
60 and over	5%	3%	4%	6%	8%	8%	5%	5%	6%	4%
					B	B				
MEAN	37.5	34.2	37.3	37	39.9	41.4	40.7	36.4	37.6	37.4
			B	B	B	BFG	L			

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
18 - 29	34%	36%	24%	33%	23%	46%
						CE
30 - 39	24%	14%	23%	17%	24%	18%
40 - 49	23%	18%	28%	26%	25%	23%
50 - 59	14%	22%	17%	19%	20%	7%
		F				
60 and over	5%	10%	9%	5%	8%	6%
MEAN	37.5	40.1	41.2	38.4	41	35.5
			AF		AF	

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS**Q600** What is your current employment status? Please select **all** that apply.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Not employed, but looking for work	89%	94%	94%	92%	88%	76%	92%	88%	91%	87%
		IJ	J	J	J					
Not employed	11%	6%	6%	8%	12%	24%	8%	12%	9%	13%

and not looking for work										
					B	BFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Not employed, but looking for work	89%	95%	90%	88%	87%	90%
Not employed and not looking for work	11%	5%	10%	12%	13%	10%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q434 Which of the following, if any, is the highest educational or professional qualification you have obtained?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Less Than Secondary School	3%	1%	3%	4%	1%	4%	2%	3%	4%	1%
				B					N	
Completed some Secondary School	9%	6%	9%	11%	11%	12%	7%	10%	11%	8%
						B				
Graduated from Secondary School	29%	30%	26%	24%	31%	32%	27%	30%	30%	27%
Trade Certificate or diploma	10%	9%	14%	12%	6%	8%	14%	8%	10%	9%
			IJ				L			
Certificate or Diploma from Community College, Institution, CEGEP	21%	20%	22%	19%	20%	23%	24%	20%	18%	24%
										M
Teaching Certificate from	0	0	0	0	1%	-	0	0	0	0

Provincial Department of Education										
Completed some university study, but no degree	9%	11%	7%	10%	9%	8%	9%	9%	9%	9%
University Certificate or Diploma below Bachelor Level	5%	7%	4%	7%	6%	2%	8%	4%	5%	5%
		J		J	J		L			
Bachelor or first professional degree	9%	11%	10%	9%	10%	7%	7%	10%	8%	11%
Graduate or Professional Degree above Bachelor Level	5%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	5%	4%	5%

	Province Oversamples					
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Less Than Secondary School	3%	1%	3%	6%	-	3%
Completed some Secondary School	9%	9%	5%	12%	7%	8%
Graduated from Secondary School	29%	22%	37%	32%	21%	27%
Trade Certificate or diploma	10%	17%	15%	8%	4%	14%
		AE				
Certificate or Diploma from Community College, Institution, CEGEP	21%	22%	23%	17%	35%	23%
					AD	
Teaching Certificate from Provincial Department of Education	0	-	-	-	1%	-
Completed	9%	10%	5%	11%	14%	9%

some university study, but no degree						
University Certificate or Diploma below Bachelor Level	5%	4%	2%	4%	4%	1%
Bachelor or first professional degree	9%	11%	8%	9%	8%	10%
Graduate or Professional Degree above Bachelor Level	5%	4%	2%	-	7%	4%
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SECTION #2: SETTING THE STAGE

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q705 Why did you leave your last job? Please select [one](#).

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
I was laid off	30%	32%	38%	32%	27%	19%	39%	26%	35%	23%
		J	J	J			L		N	
I quit	16%	17%	13%	16%	16%	18%	7%	19%	16%	17%
								K		
I was downsized	11%	13%	9%	8%	7%	13%	17%	9%	12%	9%
							L			
I am a recent college graduate looking for a job	5%	7%	5%	5%	3%	4%	2%	6%	4%	7%
								K		M
I decided to go back to school	5%	3%	7%	6%	9%	3%	1%	6%	5%	5%
					BJ			K		
I was let go for performance reasons	4%	4%	2%	5%	6%	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%
My position was eliminated due to technology (i.e., people/workers were replaced by automated systems)	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	1%	7%	2%	3%	3%
							L			

My position went to an offshore team	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
I am a recent high school graduate looking for a job	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	0	3%	3%	1%
								K		
I recently left high school without a degree or GED and am looking for a job	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	0	1%	1%	1%
Something else	21%	16%	17%	21%	23%	31%	19%	22%	16%	28%
				E	E	BFG				M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
I was laid off	30%	36%	30%	31%	34%	27%
I quit	16%	16%	27%	11%	17%	14%
			AD			
I was downsized	11%	9%	8%	4%	12%	3%
I am a recent college graduate looking for a job	5%	3%	6%	1%	4%	5%
I decided to go back to school	5%	5%	2%	4%	5%	14%
						ACD
I was let go for performance reasons	4%	5%	0	2%	3%	4%
My position was eliminated due to technology (i.e., people/workers were replaced by automated systems)	3%	1%	3%	4%	0	4%
My position went to an offshore team	2%	-	-	3%	5%	1%
					C	
I am a recent high school graduate looking for a job	2%	3%	1%	1%	0	3%
I recently left high school without a degree or GED and am looking for a job	1%	1%	-	0	3%	4%

					A	A
Something else	21%	21%	23%	38%	16%	21%
				AE		

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q710/Q711 How long have you been out of work?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
3 months or less (net)	31%	100%	-	-	-	-	41%	27%	34%	27%
		FGIJ					L		N	
1 month	12%	38%	-	-	-	-	13%	12%	11%	12%
		FGIJ								
2 months	8%	25%	-	-	-	-	10%	7%	8%	7%
		FGIJ								
3 months	11%	37%	-	-	-	-	19%	9%	14%	8%
		FGIJ					L		N	
4 to 6 months	18%	-	100%	-	-	-	27%	15%	19%	17%
			BGIJ				L			
7-12 months	17%	-	-	100%	-	-	16%	17%	15%	19%
				BFIJ						m
13-24 months (net)	13%	-	-	-	100%	-	7%	15%	12%	13%
					BFGJ			K		
13-18 months	8%	-	-	-	63%	-	5%	9%	9%	7%
					BFGJ			K		
19-24 months	5%	-	-	-	37%	-	2%	6%	4%	6%
					BFGJ			K		
More than 24 months	22%	-	-	-	-	100%	9%	26%	20%	24%
						BFGI		K		
MEAN	15.9	2	5	9.5	17.6	49.3	9.3	18.3	14.8	17.3
			B	B	BFG	BFGI		K		M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
3 months or less (net)	31%	29%	35%	34%	17%	38%
	E		E	E		E
1 month	12%	14%	9%	12%	11%	12%
2 months	8%	5%	9%	8%	3%	12%
3 months	11%	10%	17%	14%	3%	13%
	E		E	E		E
4 to 6 months	18%	23%	14%	19%	21%	18%
7-12 months	17%	15%	12%	13%	14%	21%
13-24 months (net)	13%	18%	14%	10%	14%	12%
13-18 months	8%	13%	11%	4%	8%	4%
19-24 months	5%	5%	3%	6%	6%	8%
More than 24 months	22%	15%	25%	24%	34%	11%
	F				ABF	
MEAN	15.9	13.5	17.2	16.3	21.4	11.3
					ABF	

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q715 When was the last time that you were employed full-time? Please enter the number of months and years it's been since you were last employed full-time.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Less than 3 months ago	9%	28%	0	0	-	1%	9%	9%	9%	8%
		FGIJ								
3 to 6 months ago	17%	28%	45%	2%	0	-	28%	13%	20%	13%
		GIJ	BGIJ	J			L		N	
7 to 12 months ago	12%	4%	9%	51%	2%	0	13%	11%	10%	14%
		J	BIJ	BFIJ						
13 to 24 months ago	12%	5%	8%	12%	47%	4%	10%	13%	12%	12%
				BJEJ	BFGJ					
25+ months ago	32%	20%	18%	19%	35%	68%	29%	33%	31%	33%
					BFG	BFGI				

MEAN	50.7	40.8	40.6	45.8	61.2	73.4	53.8	49.4	49.4	52.3
					BF	BFG				
I have not been employed full time	18%	15%	19%	16%	16%	26%	11%	21%	18%	20%
						BGI		K		

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Less than 3 months ago	9%	12%	15%	5%	6%	13%
3 to 6 months ago	17%	22%	21%	24%	11%	22%
7 to 12 months ago	12%	13%	11%	13%	12%	17%
13 to 24 months ago	12%	21%	15%	15%	14%	6%
		AF				
25+ months ago	32%	18%	28%	32%	35%	17%
	BF				BF	
MEAN	50.7	31.2	40.2	41.4	36.5	31.3
I have not been employed full time	18%	14%	11%	10%	21%	26%
						CD

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q720 When was the last time that you were employed part-time? Please enter the number of months and years it's been since you were last employed full-time.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Less than 3 months ago	10%	19%	8%	10%	6%	3%	11%	10%	10%	11%
		FGIJ	J	J						
3 to 6 months ago	9%	11%	25%	4%	1%	1%	10%	8%	9%	8%
		GIJ	BGIJ	J						
7 to 12 months ago	5%	5%	1%	16%	3%	3%	3%	6%	4%	7%
				BFIJ						M

13 to 24 months ago	6%	3%	6%	8%	12%	5%	4%	7%	5%	7%
				B	BJ					
25+ months ago	23%	25%	15%	25%	20%	25%	24%	22%	22%	23%
		F		F		F				
MEAN	56.5	53.1	53.5	55.5	56	70.4	79.7	48.4	63.4	48.5
							L			
I have not been employed part time	47%	37%	44%	38%	59%	64%	47%	47%	49%	45%
					BFG	BFG				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Less than 3 months ago	10%	10%	12%	15%	6%	9%
3 to 6 months ago	9%	10%	3%	16%	14%	15%
				AC	C	C
7 to 12 months ago	5%	5%	3%	3%	2%	4%
13 to 24 months ago	6%	6%	7%	7%	12%	6%
					A	
25+ months ago	23%	22%	17%	26%	24%	26%
MEAN	56.5	39.3	52.2	32.5	46.6	48.6
I have not been employed full time	47%	47%	58%	32%	42%	39%
	D		D			

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS (Q99/1)

Q735 How much do you agree with each of the following statements? Please select **one** for each statement.

I am currently willing to accept available positions below my most recent pay level.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	82%	83%	89%	83%	81%	74%	86%	80%	84%	79%
		J	BIJ	J			L		N	
Agree completely	26%	28%	27%	29%	25%	22%	25%	27%	27%	26%

Agree a lot	15%	15%	16%	13%	18%	15%	15%	15%	16%	15%
Agree somewhat	25%	22%	28%	27%	22%	28%	24%	26%	26%	25%
Agree a little	15%	17%	18%	13%	16%	9%	22%	12%	16%	14%
		J	J		J		L			
Do not agree at all	18%	17%	11%	17%	19%	26%	14%	20%	16%	21%
		F			F	BFG		K		M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	82%	91%	79%	83%	73%	86%
		E				
Agree completely	26%	27%	36%	22%	22%	27%
Agree a lot	15%	25%	9%	17%	18%	18%
		AC				
Agree somewhat	25%	24%	19%	32%	18%	25%
Agree a little	15%	16%	15%	12%	15%	15%
Do not agree at all	18%	9%	21%	17%	27%	14%
					B	

I am currently willing to accept part-time positions.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	91%	90%	91%	94%	95%	88%	85%	93%	90%	91%
				J	J			K		
Agree completely	38%	38%	33%	41%	43%	38%	30%	41%	36%	40%
								K		
Agree a lot	20%	19%	24%	21%	18%	19%	17%	21%	18%	23%
										M
Agree somewhat	21%	20%	24%	19%	25%	21%	23%	21%	23%	19%
Agree a little	11%	13%	11%	13%	9%	10%	15%	10%	13%	9%
							L			
Do not agree at all	9%	10%	9%	6%	5%	12%	15%	7%	10%	9%
						GI	L			

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	91%	90%	98%	90%	86%	95%
			E			
Agree	38%	40%	36%	42%	39%	42%

completely						
Agree a lot	20%	23%	16%	28%	27%	19%
Agree somewhat	21%	18%	26%	12%	10%	15%
	E		E			
Agree a little	11%	10%	18%	8%	10%	19%
Do not agree at all	9%	10%	2%	10%	14%	5%
					C	

I am currently willing to accept temporary or seasonal positions.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	91%	92%	94%	91%	92%	84%	90%	91%	92%	89%
		J	J	J	J					
Agree completely	35%	36%	34%	37%	34%	32%	30%	37%	35%	35%
Agree a lot	21%	21%	27%	19%	20%	17%	22%	20%	20%	21%
			J							
Agree somewhat	22%	21%	19%	25%	19%	23%	19%	22%	21%	22%
Agree a little	14%	14%	14%	11%	20%	12%	19%	12%	15%	11%
					G		L			
Do not agree at all	9%	8%	6%	9%	8%	16%	10%	9%	8%	11%
						BFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	91%	93%	91%	92%	87%	90%
Agree completely	35%	40%	37%	40%	28%	40%
Agree a lot	21%	26%	13%	27%	23%	22%
Agree somewhat	22%	13%	24%	16%	17%	13%
Agree a little	14%	14%	17%	9%	19%	14%
Do not agree at all	9%	7%	9%	8%	13%	10%

I am currently willing to accept contract/freelance positions.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	87%	88%	88%	86%	88%	82%	89%	86%	88%	85%
Agree completely	31%	33%	31%	37%	27%	28%	29%	32%	33%	30%
				J						
Agree a lot	19%	20%	21%	18%	20%	15%	20%	18%	17%	20%
Agree somewhat	25%	25%	24%	23%	31%	25%	25%	25%	27%	23%
Agree a little	11%	11%	13%	9%	10%	15%	15%	10%	11%	12%
Do not agree at all	13%	12%	12%	14%	12%	18%	11%	14%	12%	15%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	87%	93%	89%	92%	86%	94%
Agree completely	31%	32%	33%	31%	30%	37%
Agree a lot	19%	23%	20%	19%	22%	14%
Agree somewhat	25%	27%	23%	33%	18%	28%
Agree a little	11%	11%	13%	10%	16%	15%
Do not agree at all	13%	7%	11%	8%	14%	6%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS (Q99/1)

Q740 How much do you agree with each of the following statements? Please select **one** for each statement.

I've completely given up on looking for a job.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	36%	25%	28%	31%	43%	59%	26%	40%	39%	32%
					BFG	BFGI		K	N	
Agree completely	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	8%	3%	4%	4%	3%
						BFG				
Agree a lot	5%	4%	3%	4%	6%	8%	4%	5%	6%	4%
						F				
Agree somewhat	11%	8%	12%	7%	14%	17%	10%	12%	12%	10%
						BG				
Agree a little	17%	11%	11%	18%	19%	27%	9%	19%	17%	16%
				B	BF	BFG		K		
Do not agree at all	64%	75%	72%	69%	57%	41%	74%	60%	61%	68%
		IJ	IJ	IJ	J		L			M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	36%	24%	32%	34%	36%	33%
Agree completely	4%	-	4%	6%	3%	0
Agree a lot	5%	2%	2%	8%	5%	2%
Agree somewhat	11%	7%	7%	12%	10%	7%
Agree a little	17%	15%	19%	8%	18%	24%
						D
Do not agree at all	64%	76%	68%	66%	64%	67%

I'm hopeful that I will find a job I really want in the next 6 months.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	92%	97%	97%	97%	91%	77%	95%	91%	92%	92%
		IJ	IJ	IJ	J		L			
Agree completely	35%	47%	33%	40%	28%	21%	40%	33%	35%	35%
		FIJ	J	IJ						
Agree a lot	26%	30%	37%	26%	21%	14%	30%	24%	27%	24%
		J	GIJ	J						
Agree somewhat	22%	18%	19%	20%	31%	27%	21%	22%	22%	21%
					BFG	B				
Agree a little	9%	3%	8%	12%	11%	16%	4%	11%	8%	11%
			BC	BCdE	BCdE	BF		K		
Do not agree at all	8%	3%	3%	3%	9%	23%	5%	9%	8%	8%
					BFG	BFGI		K		

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	92%	95%	92%	88%	85%	92%
	E					
Agree completely	35%	26%	38%	34%	27%	41%
Agree a lot	26%	28%	32%	32%	28%	34%
Agree somewhat	22%	17%	17%	18%	16%	14%
Agree a little	9%	23%	6%	5%	14%	3%
		ACDF			F	
Do not agree at all	8%	5%	8%	12%	15%	8%
					A	

I'm confident that I will find a job in a reasonable amount of time.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	89%	98%	90%	96%	85%	71%	92%	87%	90%	87%
		FIJ	J	FIJ	J					
Agree completely	19%	30%	17%	13%	10%	13%	23%	17%	20%	17%
		FGIJ								
Agree a lot	22%	32%	23%	22%	16%	11%	30%	19%	23%	21%
		FGIJ	J	J			L			
Agree somewhat	32%	26%	37%	43%	33%	28%	29%	33%	31%	33%
			B	BJ						
Agree a little	16%	10%	13%	18%	26%	19%	10%	18%	15%	17%
				B	BF	BCD		K		
Do not agree at all	11%	2%	10%	4%	15%	29%	8%	13%	10%	13%
			BG		BG	BFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	89%	84%	94%	89%	76%	93%
	E		E	E		E
Agree completely	19%	10%	19%	22%	16%	27%
						B
Agree a lot	22%	21%	32%	28%	19%	23%
Agree somewhat	32%	38%	25%	28%	28%	32%
Agree a little	16%	16%	17%	11%	13%	11%
Do not agree at all	11%	16%	6%	11%	24%	7%
					ACDF	

I'm becoming more discouraged the longer I am unemployed.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	82%	80%	89%	81%	86%	79%	81%	83%	82%	82%
			BGJ							
Agree completely	21%	15%	18%	26%	24%	24%	19%	21%	19%	23%
				B	B	B				
Agree a lot	17%	18%	14%	18%	20%	15%	14%	18%	17%	17%
Agree somewhat	27%	31%	31%	27%	19%	22%	31%	25%	28%	25%
		IJ	IJ							
Agree a little	18%	15%	26%	11%	24%	17%	17%	18%	18%	18%
			BGJ		BG					
Do not agree at all	18%	20%	11%	19%	14%	21%	19%	17%	18%	18%
		F		F		F				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	82%	90%	85%	76%	86%	73%
		F				
Agree completely	21%	23%	13%	18%	27%	22%
					C	
Agree a lot	17%	28%	13%	13%	15%	14%
		ACD				
Agree somewhat	27%	28%	34%	29%	19%	28%
Agree a little	18%	10%	25%	16%	25%	9%
			F		BF	
Do not agree at all	18%	10%	15%	24%	14%	27%
						B

I'm confident everything will turn out fine.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	93%	97%	94%	96%	92%	83%	96%	92%	93%	93%
		IJ	J	J	J					
Agree completely	25%	34%	21%	24%	18%	19%	28%	23%	25%	24%
		FGIJ								
Agree a lot	22%	26%	28%	20%	23%	13%	26%	21%	22%	22%
		J	J		J					
Agree somewhat	33%	31%	34%	40%	34%	31%	31%	34%	33%	34%
Agree a little	13%	7%	12%	12%	17%	20%	10%	14%	13%	12%
					B	BFG				
Do not agree at all	7%	3%	6%	4%	8%	17%	4%	8%	7%	7%
			bC	c	B	BFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	93%	89%	95%	89%	87%	94%
Agree completely	25%	24%	18%	22%	21%	33%
Agree a lot	22%	18%	43%	27%	22%	32%
			ABE			
Agree somewhat	33%	35%	24%	34%	27%	21%
Agree a little	13%	12%	10%	6%	17%	9%
					D	
Do not agree at all	7%	11%	5%	11%	13%	6%

I find being unemployed really stressful.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	87%	87%	90%	92%	93%	79%	89%	87%	87%	88%
		J	J	J	J					
Agree completely	26%	24%	26%	31%	33%	22%	23%	27%	23%	30%
					J					M
Agree a lot	21%	24%	20%	22%	21%	15%	24%	19%	20%	21%
		J								
Agree somewhat	23%	24%	27%	23%	19%	21%	25%	22%	23%	23%

Agree a little	18%	15%	17%	17%	20%	21%	16%	18%	20%	14%
									N	
Do not agree at all	13%	13%	10%	8%	7%	21%	11%	13%	13%	12%
						BFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	87%	89%	85%	82%	87%	89%
Agree completely	26%	30%	13%	30%	32%	26%
	C	C		C	C	
Agree a lot	21%	31%	17%	16%	15%	17%
		ADE				
Agree somewhat	23%	18%	29%	23%	20%	30%
Agree a little	18%	9%	26%	14%	20%	16%
			B			
Do not agree at all	13%	11%	15%	18%	13%	11%

I am able to handle the stress of unemployment.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	86%	89%	88%	87%	87%	81%	85%	87%	88%	84%
		J	J							
Agree completely	14%	18%	13%	13%	8%	15%	15%	14%	17%	12%
		I							N	
Agree a lot	19%	22%	15%	20%	20%	16%	19%	19%	19%	18%
Agree somewhat	34%	30%	39%	34%	37%	33%	34%	34%	35%	32%
Agree a little	19%	18%	21%	20%	22%	17%	16%	20%	17%	22%
										M
Do not agree at all	14%	11%	12%	13%	13%	19%	15%	13%	12%	16%
						BF				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	86%	91%	96%	91%	87%	87%
			A			
Agree completely	14%	7%	19%	20%	14%	11%
Agree a lot	19%	26%	18%	19%	14%	19%

Agree somewhat	34%	33%	47%	33%	32%	34%
			A			
Agree a little	19%	25%	11%	19%	28%	23%
		C			C	
Do not agree at all	14%	9%	4%	9%	13%	13%
	C					

I am worried that my friends and family are disappointed in me for being unemployed.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	73%	72%	73%	71%	79%	71%	71%	74%	76%	69%
									N	
Agree completely	19%	16%	16%	24%	19%	20%	14%	20%	18%	19%
								K		
Agree a lot	15%	15%	13%	16%	18%	12%	11%	16%	14%	15%
Agree somewhat	21%	20%	26%	20%	22%	20%	23%	20%	22%	20%
Agree a little	19%	21%	18%	11%	20%	20%	22%	17%	22%	15%
		G			G	G			N	
Do not agree at all	27%	28%	27%	29%	21%	29%	29%	26%	24%	31%
										M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	73%	75%	69%	64%	74%	66%
Agree completely	19%	29%	15%	22%	17%	17%
		A				
Agree a lot	15%	10%	14%	16%	9%	13%
Agree somewhat	21%	22%	27%	13%	27%	14%
					D	
Agree a little	19%	14%	14%	14%	21%	21%
Do not agree at all	27%	25%	31%	36%	26%	34%

I'm willing to accept almost any job that will help me pay my bills.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	86%	88%	90%	88%	84%	80%	84%	87%	88%	84%
		J	J	J						
Agree completely	21%	22%	23%	18%	19%	20%	18%	22%	21%	21%
Agree a lot	19%	19%	19%	24%	22%	13%	19%	19%	20%	17%
				J	J					
Agree somewhat	31%	33%	30%	30%	27%	30%	32%	30%	31%	30%
Agree a little	16%	14%	17%	17%	16%	17%	15%	16%	16%	17%
Do not agree at all	14%	12%	10%	12%	16%	20%	16%	13%	12%	16%
						BFG				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	86%	92%	85%	81%	72%	92%
	E	E				E
Agree completely	21%	20%	21%	24%	23%	23%
Agree a lot	19%	31%	16%	15%	18%	24%
		AD				
Agree somewhat	31%	31%	32%	26%	19%	26%
	E					
Agree a little	16%	10%	16%	16%	12%	19%
Do not agree at all	14%	8%	15%	19%	28%	8%
					ABF	

I'll only accept a job that allows me to use my education and skills.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	70%	73%	74%	68%	66%	66%	73%	69%	74%	64%
									N	
Agree completely	6%	9%	6%	4%	4%	5%	4%	7%	8%	4%
								K	N	
Agree a lot	12%	13%	12%	13%	10%	14%	12%	12%	15%	9%
									N	
Agree somewhat	29%	32%	32%	27%	29%	26%	34%	28%	29%	29%
Agree a little	22%	19%	24%	24%	23%	22%	23%	22%	22%	22%
Do not agree at all	30%	27%	26%	32%	34%	34%	27%	31%	26%	36%
										M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	70%	65%	72%	58%	67%	61%
Agree completely	6%	-	4%	6%	4%	10%
						B
Agree a lot	12%	9%	19%	7%	18%	10%
			D		D	
Agree somewhat	29%	27%	27%	29%	24%	19%
Agree a little	22%	29%	21%	17%	20%	22%
Do not agree at all	30%	35%	28%	42%	33%	39%

There is no activity that is more important than finding a job.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	87%	92%	91%	89%	84%	76%	91%	85%	89%	84%
		IJ	J	J			L		N	
Agree completely	19%	25%	18%	21%	15%	11%	26%	17%	20%	18%
		IJ		J			L			
Agree a lot	26%	29%	27%	28%	27%	17%	29%	25%	28%	23%
		J	J	J	J					
Agree somewhat	27%	26%	31%	26%	23%	28%	27%	27%	26%	28%
Agree a little	15%	11%	15%	14%	18%	19%	9%	17%	15%	15%
						B		K		
Do not agree at all	13%	8%	9%	11%	16%	24%	9%	15%	11%	16%
					B	BFG		K		M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	87%	85%	84%	88%	82%	87%
Agree completely	19%	17%	20%	14%	19%	12%
Agree a lot	26%	26%	26%	27%	23%	28%
Agree somewhat	27%	31%	23%	38%	17%	34%
				E		E
Agree a little	15%	11%	15%	9%	24%	14%
					AD	
Do not agree at all	13%	15%	16%	12%	18%	13%

I don't apply for jobs that offer minimum wage because it's just not enough to pay the bills.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	74%	80%	77%	78%	70%	63%	84%	71%	78%	70%
		IJ	J	J			L		N	
Agree completely	23%	31%	25%	24%	15%	14%	37%	18%	24%	21%
		IJ	IJ	J			L			
Agree a lot	16%	17%	16%	16%	22%	12%	18%	16%	18%	14%
					J					
Agree somewhat	20%	18%	25%	22%	15%	20%	18%	21%	21%	18%
Agree a little	15%	13%	11%	17%	18%	17%	11%	16%	14%	16%
Do not agree at all	26%	20%	23%	22%	30%	37%	16%	29%	22%	30%
					B	BFG		K		M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	74%	77%	81%	68%	60%	77%
	E		E			
Agree completely	23%	15%	43%	12%	22%	22%
	D		ABDEF			
Agree a lot	16%	19%	5%	15%	12%	16%
	C	C				
Agree somewhat	20%	31%	15%	27%	16%	21%
		AC				
Agree a little	15%	12%	18%	13%	11%	19%
Do not agree at all	26%	23%	19%	32%	40%	23%
					AC	

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS WHO HAVE GIVEN UP LOOKING FOR WORK (Q740[1]/2-5)

Q745 Why have you given up looking for a job?

UNCODED OPEN END – NOT INCLUDED IN THIS

REPORT

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q755 How much do you agree with each of the following statements? Please select **one** for each statement.

I'm finding it hard to keep my effort level high in my job search.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	82%	77%	85%	83%	88%	82%	80%	82%	83%	81%
			B		B					
Agree completely	14%	10%	11%	14%	15%	20%	11%	15%	16%	11%
					BF				N	
Agree a lot	18%	19%	14%	22%	22%	15%	15%	19%	16%	20%
Agree somewhat	29%	24%	38%	29%	30%	29%	32%	28%	31%	28%
			B							
Agree a little	21%	24%	22%	18%	21%	18%	22%	20%	20%	22%
Do not agree at all	18%	23%	15%	17%	12%	18%	20%	18%	17%	19%
		FI								

Province Oversamples

	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	82%	89%	82%	71%	89%	62%
	DF	DF	F		DF	
Agree completely	14%	14%	8%	13%	21%	10%
					C	
Agree a lot	18%	25%	13%	15%	12%	15%
Agree somewhat	29%	31%	32%	21%	38%	15%
	F	F	F		DF	
Agree a little	21%	19%	29%	23%	18%	22%
Do not agree at all	18%	11%	18%	29%	11%	38%
				ABE		ABCE

The longer I'm unemployed, the harder I'm finding it to keep working hard at finding a job.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	79%	74%	82%	77%	85%	80%	76%	80%	81%	76%
			B		B					
Agree completely	13%	8%	12%	15%	12%	19%	12%	13%	12%	13%
				B		BF				
Agree a lot	20%	21%	17%	18%	21%	21%	15%	22%	21%	19%
								K		
Agree somewhat	26%	25%	31%	24%	28%	25%	26%	26%	28%	25%
Agree a little	20%	20%	23%	19%	23%	15%	23%	19%	20%	19%
Do not agree at all	21%	26%	18%	23%	15%	20%	24%	20%	19%	24%
		FI								

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	79%	84%	81%	75%	89%	64%
	F	F	F		AF	
Agree completely	13%	12%	9%	12%	19%	11%
Agree a lot	20%	29%	16%	14%	17%	12%
		DF				
Agree somewhat	26%	22%	25%	30%	25%	21%
Agree a little	20%	22%	31%	20%	27%	20%
			A			
Do not agree at all	21%	16%	19%	25%	11%	36%
	E					ABCE

I expected to find a job more quickly.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	88%	85%	95%	92%	92%	80%	88%	88%	89%	87%
			BJ	BJ	J					
Agree completely	21%	16%	23%	27%	25%	21%	25%	20%	21%	22%
				B	B					
Agree a lot	24%	24%	32%	27%	27%	16%	26%	24%	24%	25%
		J	J	J	J					
Agree somewhat	26%	30%	27%	23%	21%	25%	23%	27%	27%	24%
Agree a little	16%	15%	13%	15%	19%	19%	14%	17%	17%	16%
					ff					
Do not agree at all	12%	15%	5%	8%	8%	20%	12%	12%	11%	13%
		FG				FGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	88%	93%	83%	77%	81%	85%
	D	D				
Agree completely	21%	23%	15%	13%	19%	20%
Agree a lot	24%	25%	29%	21%	20%	24%
Agree somewhat	26%	29%	24%	22%	20%	24%
Agree a little	16%	16%	16%	21%	21%	17%
Do not agree at all	12%	7%	17%	23%	19%	15%
				AB		

I feel like I know how to go about finding a job.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	93%	92%	98%	95%	94%	86%	95%	92%	93%	92%
		J	BJ	J	J					
Agree completely	18%	22%	17%	19%	16%	14%	22%	17%	19%	18%
		J								
Agree a lot	28%	32%	33%	28%	27%	20%	34%	26%	29%	27%
		J	J				L			
Agree somewhat	31%	29%	34%	32%	33%	28%	25%	32%	28%	33%
								K		
Agree a little	16%	10%	14%	16%	18%	24%	14%	16%	17%	14%
					B	BF				
Do not agree at all	7%	8%	2%	5%	6%	14%	5%	8%	7%	8%
		F				BFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	93%	97%	93%	87%	89%	96%
Agree completely	18%	16%	20%	19%	15%	26%
Agree a lot	28%	18%	30%	29%	32%	28%
Agree somewhat	31%	44%	27%	30%	27%	33%
		ACE				
Agree a little	16%	19%	15%	9%	16%	10%
Do not agree at all	7%	3%	7%	13%	11%	4%

I don't have the resources to look for a job.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	49%	43%	48%	48%	57%	55%	45%	51%	54%	43%
					B	B			N	
Agree completely	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%	6%	5%	4%	6%	3%
									N	
Agree a lot	7%	7%	5%	4%	11%	8%	7%	7%	8%	5%
					G					
Agree somewhat	17%	14%	17%	18%	17%	18%	12%	18%	19%	13%
								K	N	
Agree a little	22%	17%	23%	23%	26%	23%	22%	22%	22%	22%
					B					
Do not agree at all	51%	57%	52%	52%	43%	45%	55%	49%	46%	57%
		IJ								M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	49%	61%	45%	39%	37%	40%
	E	DEF				
Agree completely	4%	1%	1%	2%	5%	1%
Agree a lot	7%	2%	4%	9%	5%	3%
Agree somewhat	17%	21%	15%	15%	15%	13%
Agree a little	22%	37%	25%	13%	13%	24%
		ADE				
Do not agree at all	51%	39%	55%	61%	63%	60%
				B	AB	B

I'm becoming insecure about my ability to become employed again the longer I'm out of work.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	79%	74%	84%	81%	81%	81%	77%	80%	78%	80%
			B							
Agree completely	15%	10%	15%	16%	16%	23%	13%	16%	13%	18%
						BF				
Agree a lot	19%	20%	15%	23%	24%	16%	17%	20%	20%	19%
Agree somewhat	26%	23%	33%	26%	25%	23%	24%	26%	26%	25%
			BJ							
Agree a little	19%	21%	21%	16%	16%	19%	23%	18%	20%	18%
							L			
Do not agree at all	21%	26%	16%	19%	19%	19%	23%	20%	22%	20%
		F								

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	79%	88%	78%	70%	81%	60%
	F	DF	F		F	
Agree completely	15%	24%	11%	16%	20%	7%
		F			F	
Agree a lot	19%	23%	16%	16%	14%	13%
Agree somewhat	26%	25%	12%	21%	22%	18%
	C					
Agree a little	19%	16%	39%	16%	25%	22%
			ABD			
Do not agree at all	21%	12%	22%	30%	19%	40%
				B		ABCE

I'm angry about being out of work.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	72%	69%	80%	77%	74%	63%	73%	71%	72%	71%
			BJ	J	J					
Agree completely	14%	10%	15%	17%	16%	13%	14%	14%	14%	13%
				B						
Agree a lot	15%	18%	12%	17%	16%	9%	16%	14%	15%	14%
		J		J						
Agree somewhat	22%	16%	33%	22%	21%	21%	22%	22%	22%	21%
			BGIJ							
Agree a little	21%	24%	19%	21%	22%	19%	21%	21%	20%	23%
Do not agree at all	28%	31%	20%	23%	26%	37%	27%	29%	28%	29%
		F				FGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	72%	77%	55%	61%	74%	58%
	CF	CF			C	
Agree completely	14%	13%	6%	11%	20%	11%
					C	
Agree a lot	15%	10%	5%	19%	10%	14%
	C			C		
Agree somewhat	22%	29%	17%	14%	17%	15%
		D				
Agree a little	21%	26%	26%	16%	27%	18%
Do not agree at all	28%	23%	45%	39%	26%	42%
			ABE			AB

Being out of work makes me feel desperate.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	74%	72%	81%	77%	79%	67%	74%	75%	75%	73%
			BJ	J	J					
Agree completely	13%	12%	11%	17%	12%	14%	12%	14%	12%	14%
Agree a lot	13%	14%	14%	15%	15%	9%	12%	14%	13%	13%
Agree somewhat	25%	23%	29%	25%	25%	24%	26%	24%	26%	24%
Agree a little	23%	23%	27%	20%	26%	20%	23%	23%	24%	22%

Do not agree at all	26%	28%	19%	23%	21%	33%	26%	25%	25%	27%
		F				FGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	74%	81%	63%	66%	75%	62%
	F	CF				
Agree completely	13%	15%	5%	16%	12%	11%
Agree a lot	13%	10%	9%	10%	11%	12%
Agree somewhat	25%	33%	18%	25%	21%	18%
Agree a little	23%	23%	31%	15%	31%	20%
			D		D	
Do not agree at all	26%	19%	37%	34%	25%	38%
			B			AB

The way the economic system is set up in Canada only benefits the rich.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	85%	83%	90%	87%	78%	87%	84%	85%	85%	85%
			BI	I		I				
Agree completely	20%	18%	19%	19%	19%	24%	21%	19%	20%	19%
Agree a lot	20%	20%	18%	21%	15%	24%	20%	20%	21%	19%
Agree somewhat	26%	22%	34%	33%	24%	23%	25%	27%	26%	27%
			BJ	BJ						
Agree a little	19%	23%	18%	14%	20%	16%	19%	19%	18%	19%
		GJ								
Do not agree at all	15%	17%	10%	13%	22%	13%	16%	15%	15%	15%
		F			FGJ					

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	85%	90%	79%	74%	85%	71%
	DF	DF				
Agree completely	20%	20%	19%	16%	23%	11%
Agree a lot	20%	20%	22%	21%	27%	13%
Agree somewhat	26%	23%	24%	20%	23%	27%

Agree a little	19%	27%	14%	18%	12%	20%
		E				
Do not agree at all	15%	10%	21%	26%	15%	29%
				AB		AB

Being out of work makes me feel like I don't know what I'm going to do with my life.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	77%	74%	83%	84%	75%	73%	78%	77%	78%	77%
			BJ	BJ						
Agree completely	17%	15%	14%	16%	17%	21%	14%	18%	15%	18%
Agree a lot	19%	19%	21%	23%	16%	14%	18%	19%	18%	19%
			J	J						
Agree somewhat	24%	21%	25%	25%	25%	27%	23%	25%	27%	21%
									N	
Agree a little	18%	20%	23%	19%	17%	11%	24%	16%	17%	19%
		J	J	J			L			
Do not agree at all	23%	26%	17%	16%	25%	27%	22%	23%	22%	23%
		FG				FG				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	77%	82%	67%	70%	80%	66%
	F					
Agree completely	17%	18%	14%	21%	17%	21%
Agree a lot	19%	18%	13%	14%	18%	19%
Agree somewhat	24%	17%	23%	16%	21%	11%
	F					
Agree a little	18%	29%	17%	19%	24%	15%
		A				
Do not agree at all	23%	18%	33%	30%	20%	34%
						A

I feel like people are judging me because I'm still out of work.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	74%	64%	79%	81%	78%	77%	65%	77%	74%	74%
			B	B	B	B		K		
Agree completely	16%	12%	15%	19%	15%	22%	12%	18%	16%	17%
				B		B				
Agree a lot	15%	17%	17%	18%	16%	10%	13%	16%	18%	13%
		J	J	J					N	
Agree somewhat	23%	16%	27%	23%	28%	25%	18%	24%	23%	23%
			B		B	B				
Agree a little	20%	20%	20%	21%	19%	19%	21%	19%	18%	22%
Do not agree at all	26%	36%	21%	19%	22%	23%	35%	23%	26%	26%
		FGLJ					L			

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	74%	77%	69%	62%	83%	58%
	DF	F			DF	
Agree completely	16%	18%	10%	16%	23%	15%
Agree a lot	15%	23%	8%	23%	8%	13%
		CE		CE		
Agree somewhat	23%	21%	24%	19%	13%	14%
	E					
Agree a little	20%	14%	26%	4%	40%	16%
	D	D	D		ABDF	D
Do not agree at all	26%	23%	31%	38%	17%	42%
				AE		ABE

I wish I focused on a vocational career (e.g., automotive technology, electrician, plumber, HVAC specialist, dental assisting, medical assisting, etc.) rather than getting my college degree. (We will run this filtered by those who at least graduated university)

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Agree (net)	64%	63%	73%	61%	68%	57%	66%	63%	67%	59%
			BGJ						N	
Agree completely	11%	13%	10%	11%	8%	12%	12%	11%	12%	10%

Agree a lot	13%	13%	15%	14%	13%	9%	12%	13%	13%	12%
Agree somewhat	23%	23%	28%	20%	27%	19%	25%	22%	26%	20%
			J						N	
Agree a little	17%	14%	20%	15%	19%	17%	16%	17%	16%	17%
Do not agree at all	36%	37%	27%	39%	32%	43%	34%	37%	33%	41%
		F		F		F				M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Agree (net)	64%	69%	54%	51%	51%	54%
	E					
Agree completely	11%	10%	6%	2%	12%	14%
	D				D	D
Agree a lot	13%	12%	12%	18%	8%	5%
Agree somewhat	23%	18%	28%	11%	22%	15%
	D		D			
Agree a little	17%	29%	9%	21%	9%	19%
		ACE				
Do not agree at all	36%	31%	46%	49%	49%	46%
					A	

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q760 How many hours did you spend last week looking for work?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
0	12%	6%	5%	10%	9%	29%	8%	13%	10%	14%
				d		BFGI		K		
1-5 hours	22%	18%	19%	20%	35%	24%	14%	25%	21%	24%
					BFG			K		
6-10 hours	20%	22%	22%	23%	18%	15%	23%	19%	20%	20%
				J						
11-20 hours	21%	23%	26%	20%	17%	18%	24%	20%	21%	21%
			J							
21-30 hours	14%	17%	17%	14%	15%	7%	17%	13%	15%	13%
		J	J	J	J					
31+ hours	11%	14%	10%	13%	7%	6%	13%	9%	13%	7%
		ij		J					N	
MEAN	14.9	18	16.2	16.4	12.6	9.6	17.1	14.1	16.4	13.1
		IJ	IJ	IJ			L		N	

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
0	12%	5%	16%	10%	18%	12%
					B	
1-5 hours	22%	19%	14%	16%	23%	15%
6-10 hours	20%	25%	20%	25%	18%	19%
11-20 hours	21%	32%	29%	13%	20%	26%
		AD	D			
21-30 hours	14%	13%	14%	17%	14%	21%
31+ hours	11%	7%	6%	18%	8%	8%
				C		
MEAN	14.9	16.6	13.1	20.6	13.1	15.7
				AC		

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS WHO WERE LOOKING FOR WORK LAST WEEK (Q760 GREATER THAN 0)

Q765 Of the time you spent looking for work last week, how would you say you allocated your time? Your answers should total to 100%. Please enter in zero for each of the activities you did not do last week.

Filling out applications online

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1651	474	325	297	225	330	398	1253	657	994
0-10%	54%	52%	50%	56%	55%	61%	52%	55%	54%	55%
11-20%	20%	23%	21%	15%	24%	16%	23%	19%	22%	18%
		G								
21-30%	12%	12%	13%	13%	9%	11%	13%	11%	11%	12%
31-40%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	4%
41-50%	6%	4%	9%	5%	7%	6%	6%	6%	5%	6%
			B							
51-75%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%
76-100%	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
MEAN	17.4	17.3	19.3	18.6	16.5	14.7	17.5	17.3	16.9	18
			J							

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1651	87	75	88	80	78
0-10%	54%	53%	47%	49%	54%	49%

11-20%	20%	14%	17%	24%	12%	14%
21-30%	12%	15%	23%	9%	13%	18%
			A			
31-40%	3%	5%	1%	6%	10%	2%
					AC	
41-50%	6%	1%	5%	10%	8%	9%
51-75%	3%	5%	3%	2%	2%	8%
						A
76-100%	2%	6%	3%	-	-	0
		ADE				
MEAN	17.4	20.9	19.1	17.4	16.4	20.3

Filling out applications in-person

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1651	474	325	297	225	330	398	1253	657	994
0-10%	86%	87%	84%	87%	88%	83%	91%	84%	85%	87%
							L			
11-20%	9%	9%	11%	8%	7%	8%	6%	10%	8%	9%
21-30%	4%	2%	4%	3%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	2%
31-40%	1%	1%	0	1%	-	1%	0	1%	1%	0
41-50%	1%	1%	0	1%	1%	2%	0	1%	1%	1%
51-75%	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
76-100%	0	-	-	-	-	1%	-	0	-	0
MEAN	5.5	5.2	5.5	4.9	5.1	6.7	4.2	5.9	6	4.7
								K	N	

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1651	87	75	88	80	78
0-10%	86%	93%	77%	85%	92%	98%
		C				ACD
11-20%	9%	3%	8%	10%	3%	2%
21-30%	4%	1%	11%	4%	2%	-
			A			
31-40%	1%	-	2%	1%	-	-

41-50%	1%	-	2%	0	1%	-
51-75%	0	2%	-	-	2%	-
		A			A	
76-100%	0	-	-	-	-	-
MEAN	5.5	3.9	7.6	5.3	5.3	1.9
	F		F	F		

Sending resumes

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1651	474	325	297	225	330	398	1253	657	994
0-10%	50%	46%	45%	53%	47%	59%	44%	52%	53%	45%
				D		BFI		K	N	
11-20%	20%	23%	26%	14%	22%	14%	23%	19%	21%	20%
		GJ	GJ							
21-30%	14%	15%	12%	17%	13%	13%	18%	13%	13%	16%
31-40%	5%	5%	5%	7%	6%	3%	6%	5%	5%	6%
41-50%	5%	5%	3%	4%	6%	5%	4%	5%	3%	7%
										M
51-75%	3%	4%	4%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	5%
		G	G							M
76-100%	2%	1%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%
MEAN	18.5	18.9	20.1	18.1	19.7	15.7	19.6	18.1	17.2	20.3
										M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1651	87	75	88	80	78
0-10%	50%	57%	57%	42%	52%	40%
11-20%	20%	15%	20%	21%	20%	26%
21-30%	14%	18%	6%	18%	13%	13%
		C				
31-40%	5%	2%	13%	8%	6%	4%
			A			
41-50%	5%	3%	3%	5%	4%	8%
51-75%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	5%
76-100%	2%	3%	-	3%	4%	4%
MEAN	18.5	15.7	14.3	20.9	17.6	23.3

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Interviewing

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1651	474	325	297	225	330	398	1253	657	994
0-10%	92%	91%	87%	94%	95%	96%	92%	92%	90%	94%
				F	F	F				M
11-20%	5%	6%	7%	5%	4%	3%	4%	6%	6%	4%
21-30%	2%	2%	6%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%
			BG							
31-40%	0	0	-	-	0	-	0	0	0	0
41-50%	0	-	0	1%	0	-	0	0	0	-
51-75%	0	-	-	-	0	-	-	0	-	0
76-100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MEAN	3.7	4.2	4.7	3	3.4	2.3	4.2	3.5	4.4	2.7
		J	GJ						N	

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1651	87	75	88	80	78
0-10%	92%	97%	92%	96%	95%	99%
11-20%	5%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%
21-30%	2%	1%	5%	2%	3%	-
31-40%	0	-	-	-	-	-
41-50%	0	-	-	1%	-	-
51-75%	0	-	-	-	-	-
76-100%	-	-	-	-	-	-
MEAN	3.7	2.1	3.2	3.5	2.6	1.5
	F					

Following up on resumes/applications submitted

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1651	474	325	297	225	330	398	1253	657	994
0-10%	86%	90%	82%	87%	87%	83%	89%	85%	85%	88%
		FJ								
11-20%	10%	7%	14%	10%	7%	12%	8%	10%	11%	8%
			BI			bc				
21-30%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%
31-40%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0	0	1%	1%	1%	1%
41-50%	1%	-	-	1%	4%	1%	0	1%	1%	1%
					BF	b				
51-75%	0	0	-	-	-	0	-	0	0	0
76-100%	0	-	0	-	-	0	0	0	-	0
MEAN	6.4	6	7.2	5.3	7.6	6.6	6.4	6.5	6.8	5.9
			G							

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1651	87	75	88	80	78
0-10%	86%	96%	85%	80%	94%	90%
		AD				
11-20%	10%	1%	7%	12%	6%	8%
	B			B		
21-30%	2%	2%	4%	8%	1%	1%
				A		
31-40%	1%	-	1%	-	-	0
41-50%	1%	1%	0	-	-	-
51-75%	0	-	2%	-	-	-
			A			
76-100%	0	-	1%	-	-	1%
MEAN	6.4	4.1	7.7	8.3	4.4	5
	B			BE		

Researching job opportunities

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1651	474	325	297	225	330	398	1253	657	994
0-10%	39%	41%	40%	36%	36%	40%	38%	39%	42%	35%
									N	
11-20%	16%	14%	18%	16%	20%	16%	17%	16%	15%	18%
21-30%	14%	15%	15%	15%	16%	9%	14%	15%	14%	15%
31-40%	5%	7%	5%	4%	3%	2%	6%	4%	5%	5%
		J								
41-50%	10%	11%	8%	10%	12%	9%	10%	10%	10%	10%
51-75%	5%	7%	5%	6%	3%	5%	8%	4%	5%	6%
							L			
76-100%	10%	6%	9%	12%	9%	19%	7%	12%	9%	12%
				B		BFI		K		
MEAN	28.9	26.2	26.7	31.5	27.8	34.4	27.4	29.4	27.4	30.7
				B		BF				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1651	87	75	88	80	78
0-10%	39%	38%	37%	42%	37%	37%
11-20%	16%	11%	17%	16%	12%	23%
21-30%	14%	7%	9%	13%	12%	10%
31-40%	5%	7%	8%	12%	8%	3%
				A		
41-50%	10%	7%	5%	4%	13%	14%
51-75%	5%	10%	8%	4%	2%	4%
76-100%	10%	20%	17%	9%	16%	8%
		A				
MEAN	28.9	37.6	33.7	26.5	34.2	27.7
		A				

Attending professional networking events (i.e., job fairs)

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1651	474	325	297	225	330	398	1253	657	994
0-10%	94%	91%	92%	97%	94%	95%	94%	93%	92%	95%
				B						
11-20%	5%	6%	7%	2%	3%	3%	4%	5%	6%	4%
		G	G							
21-30%	1%	0	0	1%	2%	1%	0	1%	1%	1%
31-40%	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	0
41-50%	0	0	-	-	-	0	-	0	0	0
51-75%	0	1%	-	0	-	-	1%	0	0	0
							L			
76-100%	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	-
MEAN	3	3.8	3.2	2.2	3.2	2.2	3	3.1	3.7	2.1
									N	

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1651	87	75	88	80	78
0-10%	94%	99%	98%	95%	97%	100%
11-20%	5%	1%	2%	4%	2%	-
21-30%	1%	-	-	0	0	-
31-40%	0	-	-	-	-	-
41-50%	0	-	-	-	0	-
51-75%	0	-	-	-	-	-
76-100%	0	-	-	-	-	-
MEAN	3	0.8	1	2.5	1.9	0.6
	BF			F		

Networking on the phone (i.e., calling contacts looking for job leads)

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1651	474	325	297	225	330	398	1253	657	994
0-10%	89%	88%	91%	87%	92%	87%	89%	89%	88%	90%
11-20%	7%	9%	5%	8%	6%	9%	7%	8%	7%	8%
21-30%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%
31-40%	0	-	1%	1%	0	0	0	1%	1%	0
41-50%	0	0	1%	1%	-	-	1%	0	0	1%
51-75%	0	0	-	0	-	0	0	0	0	0
76-100%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0	0	1%	1%	2%	0
									N	
MEAN	5.2	6	4.8	5.9	3.7	4.9	5.2	5.2	6.4	3.7
									N	

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1651	87	75	88	80	78
0-10%	89%	95%	88%	90%	90%	90%
11-20%	7%	3%	5%	5%	4%	9%
21-30%	2%	2%	5%	-	3%	1%
31-40%	0	-	-	2%	2%	-
41-50%	0	-	0	2%	-	-
51-75%	0	-	-	-	1%	-
76-100%	1%	-	1%	-	-	-
MEAN	5.2	2.8	5.3	5.3	5.5	3.1

Networking online (i.e., emailing contacts looking for job leads)

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1651	474	325	297	225	330	398	1253	657	994
0-10%	73%	71%	78%	74%	72%	72%	69%	75%	74%	73%
11-20%	12%	14%	13%	10%	11%	10%	14%	12%	14%	10%
21-30%	6%	5%	6%	9%	6%	7%	9%	5%	6%	7%
31-40%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%
41-50%	4%	5%	2%	2%	5%	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%
51-75%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
76-100%	2%	1%	0	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%
						F				
MEAN	11.4	12.3	8.5	10.5	12.9	12.6	12.5	11	11.1	11.8
		F			F	F				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1651	87	75	88	80	78
0-10%	73%	75%	79%	76%	78%	57%
	F		F	F	F	
11-20%	12%	9%	10%	10%	7%	25%
						AE
21-30%	6%	8%	4%	4%	5%	3%
31-40%	1%	-	2%	3%	3%	-
41-50%	4%	0	1%	6%	3%	9%
						C
51-75%	1%	5%	3%	-	1%	2%
		AD				
76-100%	2%	3%	1%	1%	4%	4%
MEAN	11.4	12.1	7.9	10.3	12.2	16.7
						AC

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q770 Thinking about your current job search, which one statement comes closest to how you feel? Please select [one](#).

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
I expected it to be difficult and it's been more difficult than I thought.	38%	27%	45%	42%	39%	43%	33%	39%	36%	40%
			B	B	B	B				
I expected it to be difficult and it's been as difficult as I thought.	31%	42%	29%	23%	30%	23%	38%	29%	35%	26%
		FGIJ					L		N	
I expected it to be easy and it's been more difficult than I thought	6%	8%	2%	6%	6%	6%	5%	6%	6%	5%
		F								
I expected it to be difficult and it's been easier than I thought.	19%	18%	19%	23%	24%	16%	18%	20%	16%	23%
										M
I expected it to be easy and it's been about as easy as I thought.	4%	4%	2%	4%	2%	5%	4%	4%	4%	3%
I expected it to be easy and it's been easier than I thought.	3%	2%	2%	1%	-	8%	3%	3%	2%	3%
						BFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
I expected it to be difficult and it's been more difficult than I thought.	38%	44%	38%	31%	38%	33%
I expected it to be difficult and it's been as difficult as I thought.	31%	31%	34%	41%	35%	21%
				F		
I expected it to be difficult and it's been easier than I thought.	6%	1%	6%	6%	5%	11%
						B
I expected it to be easy and it's been more difficult than I thought.	19%	22%	17%	18%	19%	26%
I expected it to be easy and it's been about as easy as I thought.	4%	2%	2%	5%	1%	8%
I expected it to be easy and it's been easier than I thought.	3%	-	3%	0	3%	1%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q775 Which of the following statements comes closest to your opinion? Please select [one](#).

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
I am willing to take whatever job I can get.	41%	37%	46%	38%	38%	46%	31%	44%	41%	41%
						B		K		
I am looking for a job with a company that has a history of stability to reduce my risk of losing a job even if it means a lower salary or wage.	36%	36%	34%	41%	40%	29%	41%	34%	35%	36%
				J	J		L			
I am looking for a job that meets or exceeds my previous salary/wage and I would be unwilling to	24%	27%	20%	21%	22%	25%	27%	22%	24%	24%

accept a job making less money.										

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
I am willing to take whatever job I can get.	41%	51%	31%	43%	40%	45%
		C				
I am looking for a job with a company that has a history of stability to reduce my risk of losing a job even if it means a lower salary or wage.	36%	37%	43%	33%	38%	39%
I am looking for a job that meets or exceeds my previous salary/wage and I would be unwilling to accept a job making less money.	24%	12%	26%	24%	22%	16%
	B					

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q780 In your current job search, which one of the following statements comes closest to how you feel?

Please select [one](#).

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
I'm willing to accept almost any job that will help me pay the bills.	60%	57%	67%	64%	58%	55%	60%	60%	63%	56%
			BJ						N	
I'll only accept a job that I <u>really</u> want to do.	40%	43%	33%	36%	42%	45%	40%	40%	37%	44%
		F				F				M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
I'm willing to accept almost any job that will help me pay the bills.	60%	71%	48%	66%	50%	56%
		CE				
I'll only accept a job that I <u>really</u> want to do.	40%	29%	52%	34%	50%	44%
			B		B	

SECTION #3: THE JOB SEARCH

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q800 What are you doing/have you done to help you find a job? Please select **all** that apply.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Visiting/researching online job boards	68%	67%	71%	75%	73%	60%	72%	67%	63%	75%
			J	J	J					M
Visiting a prospective company's website	55%	59%	57%	57%	63%	42%	68%	50%	55%	56%
		J	J	J	J		L			
Entering search terms directly into an internet search engine box (e.g., Google, Yahoo)	50%	51%	52%	64%	50%	36%	52%	49%	47%	53%
		J	J	BFIJ	J					
Posting resumes on a major online job board (e.g., CareerBuilder, Monster)	48%	52%	52%	55%	54%	30%	59%	45%	47%	50%
		J	J	J	J		L			
Visiting/researching websites that provide resume tips	44%	44%	45%	48%	47%	37%	42%	44%	44%	44%
				J						
Visiting social networking websites	43%	49%	43%	52%	45%	23%	50%	40%	41%	44%
		J	J	J	J		L			
Visiting professional networking websites	34%	41%	34%	37%	33%	23%	38%	33%	34%	34%
		J	J	J						

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Using resources at the state/provincial employment office	33%	29%	40%	42%	37%	24%	42%	30%	33%	33%
			BJ	BJ	J		L			
Going to job/career fairs	31%	31%	39%	28%	36%	23%	33%	30%	34%	27%
		J	GJ		J				N	
Working with an employment agency	28%	29%	31%	28%	31%	24%	33%	27%	29%	27%
							I			
Doing research on a professional organization's website (e.g., American Welding Society, Society, American Bar Association, IBEW or other trades, etc.)	25%	29%	24%	26%	31%	15%	26%	24%	25%	24%
		J	J	J	J					
Working with a job recruiter	20%	17%	23%	24%	26%	12%	22%	19%	22%	17%
			J	J	J				N	
Visiting demographically-specific websites (e.g., Jobs and Moms, Black Career Zone)	17%	16%	20%	22%	16%	12%	16%	17%	15%	20%
			J	J						M
Working with a temporary staffing agency	17%	19%	17%	17%	18%	12%	17%	17%	16%	17%
Attending professional networking group meetings/events	13%	16%	16%	15%	12%	7%	13%	13%	14%	12%
		J	J	J						
Attending social networking group meetings/events	13%	15%	16%	10%	11%	9%	16%	11%	13%	12%
			J				L			
Working with someone at a college/university/vo-tech career center	12%	14%	11%	14%	15%	9%	9%	13%	12%	12%
					B					
Something else	5%	3%	7%	4%	8%	5%	4%	5%	4%	6%
Nothing	6%	4%	2%	4%	5%	15%	5%	7%	5%	8%
						BFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Visiting/researching online job boards	68%	78%	76%	68%	64%	67%
Visiting a prospective company's website	55%	58%	66%	47%	57%	48%
Entering search terms directly into an internet search engine box (e.g., Google, Yahoo)	50%	52%	53%	49%	55%	44%
Posting resumes on a major online job board	48%	60%	37%	57%	53%	47%
		C		C		
Visiting/researching websites that provide resume tips	44%	58%	42%	44%	49%	45%
		A				
Visiting social networking websites	43%	43%	33%	47%	32%	45%
Visiting professional networking websites	34%	33%	30%	36%	27%	29%
Using resources at the state/provincial employment office	33%	32%	40%	34%	32%	25%
Going to job/career fairs	31%	16%	26%	38%	34%	29%
	B			B	B	
Working with an employment agency	28%	23%	31%	31%	29%	18%
Doing research on a professional organization's website	25%	28%	29%	16%	18%	31%
Working with a job recruiter	20%	20%	16%	24%	16%	11%
Visiting demographically-specific websites	17%	22%	12%	21%	19%	24%
Working with a temporary staffing agency	17%	13%	14%	27%	10%	7%
	F			AEF		
Attending professional	13%	9%	3%	16%	8%	9%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
networking group meetings/events						
	C			C		
Attending social networking group meetings/events	13%	11%	5%	19%	7%	8%
				C		
Working with someone at a college/university/vo-tech career center	12%	2%	10%	14%	5%	4%
	B			B		
Something else	5%	5%	6%	3%	11%	1%
					AF	
Nothing	6%	5%	8%	5%	10%	6%

BASE: USED SOCIAL NETWORKING SITES TO LOOK FOR A JOB (Q800/12)

Q805 How useful have you found social networking sites (e.g., LinkedIn, Twitter, Facebook, etc.) in helping you find a job?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	754	223	149	153	103	126	196	558	280	474
Extremely/very useful (net)	13%	15%	14%	8%	13%	17%	14%	13%	14%	12%
Extremely useful	3%	5%	-	4%	1%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%
Very useful	11%	10%	14%	4%	12%	16%	10%	11%	11%	10%
			G			G				
Somewhat useful	43%	46%	44%	48%	36%	36%	43%	43%	43%	44%
Not very useful	31%	24%	31%	35%	40%	31%	34%	29%	29%	32%
					B					
Not at all useful	13%	15%	11%	9%	11%	16%	8%	15%	14%	12%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	754	41	27	46	29	37
Extremely/very useful (net)	13%	9%	14%	10%	12%	15%
Extremely useful	3%	5%	7%	-	11%	-

Very useful	11%	4%	7%	10%	1%	15%
Somewhat useful	43%	38%	48%	47%	28%	35%
Not very useful	31%	43%	33%	24%	27%	35%
Not at all useful	13%	10%	4%	20%	33%	15%

BASE: HAVE NOT USED SOCIAL NETWORKING SITES TO LOOK FOR JOBS (Q800/N12)

Q810 What are some of the reasons why you have not used social networking sites to look for a job? Please select **all** that apply.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1138	281	194	176	147	340	232	906	462	676
I've been using other sites that are specifically tailored to job searching	38%	35%	43%	43%	48%	30%	40%	37%	35%	42%
			J	J	J					
I wasn't aware I could look for jobs on social networking sites	25%	23%	29%	34%	22%	22%	21%	26%	24%	27%
				J						
I have a sense that searching or applying for a job on a social networking site would be a waste of my time	22%	21%	29%	21%	18%	20%	17%	23%	26%	17%
									N	
I tried using them before and they weren't helpful	20%	26%	15%	21%	15%	20%	21%	20%	24%	15%
		F							N	
I don't know how to get started	20%	19%	22%	17%	22%	19%	17%	21%	17%	23%
I don't have routine access to a computer	7%	7%	8%	2%	5%	8%	9%	6%	8%	5%
						G				
Other reason	8%	7%	4%	5%	13%	12%	9%	8%	6%	11%
					F	F				M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1138	53	69	53	71	53
I've been using other sites that are specifically tailored to job searching	38%	40%	33%	53%	39%	40%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
I wasn't aware I could look for jobs on social networking sites	25%	18%	25%	36%	27%	28%
I have a sense that searching or applying for a job on a social networking site would be a waste of my time	22%	15%	19%	18%	29%	15%
I tried using them before and they weren't helpful	20%	10%	16%	16%	20%	18%
I don't know how to get started	20%	16%	30%	10%	14%	15%
I don't have routine access to a computer	7%	2%	7%	4%	1%	3%
Other reason	8%	21%	21%	5%	10%	1%
		AF	AF			

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q825 How many interviews have you been on in the last month?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
0	49%	38%	36%	49%	50%	74%	39%	52%	43%	56%
				BF	BF	BFGI		K		M
1	17%	20%	18%	21%	18%	8%	17%	17%	17%	17%
		J	J	J	J					
2	15%	16%	16%	17%	12%	11%	18%	13%	16%	13%
3	7%	10%	12%	3%	8%	3%	10%	7%	8%	7%
		GJ	GJ		J					
4	4%	4%	9%	4%	4%	1%	6%	4%	6%	3%
		J	BJ	J					N	
5	3%	5%	4%	1%	2%	0	4%	2%	4%	1%
		GJ	J				L		N	
6 to 9	5%	6%	5%	4%	6%	3%	5%	5%	6%	3%
									N	
10 to 14	0	0	0	1%	1%	-	0	0	0	0

15 to 19	0	0	-	1%	0	-	-	0	0	0
20+	0	0	0	0	-	-	0	0	0	0
MEAN	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.4	1.5	0.7	1.7	1.3	1.7	1.1
		J	J	J	J		L		N	

	Province Oversamples					
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
0	49%	49%	54%	45%	74%	50%
					ABCDF	
1	17%	24%	20%	18%	11%	20%
2	15%	10%	15%	19%	6%	13%
	E			E		
3	7%	9%	2%	5%	3%	8%
4	4%	4%	6%	1%	4%	8%
						D
5	3%	1%	0	6%	0	-
6 to 9	5%	2%	2%	5%	-	-
10 to 14	0	-	-	-	2%	-
15 to 19	0	-	-	1%	-	-
20+	0	-	-	-	-	-
MEAN	1.4	1.1	1	1.6	0.7	1
	E			E		

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS FOR THOSE WHO HAVE NOT BEEN ON ONE INTERVIEW IN THE LAST MONTH (Q825/1)

Q830 When was the last time you went on an interview?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	996	200	134	177	133	352	181	815	349	647
Q2 2016 (APR., MAY 2016)	4%	5%	7%	4%	-	2%	4%	3%	3%	4%
			I							
Q1 2016 (JAN., FEB. AND MAR. 2016)	17%	18%	31%	28%	17%	6%	18%	17%	18%	17%
		J	J	J	J					
Q4 2015 (OCT., NOV. AND DEC. 2015)	9%	14%	6%	10%	14%	5%	13%	9%	8%	10%
		J			J					
Q3 2015 (JULY, AUG. AND SEPT. 2015)	10%	11%	9%	9%	11%	9%	9%	10%	12%	7%
Q2 2015 (APR., MAY AND JUNE 2015)	5%	5%	5%	9%	3%	3%	6%	4%	3%	6%
				J						
Q1 2015 (JAN., FEB. AND MAR. 2015)	4%	6%	4%	4%	2%	3%	5%	4%	5%	4%
Q4 2014 or before	51%	41%	38%	37%	52%	72%	45%	53%	51%	52%
						BFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	996	49	54	54	71	50
Q2 2016 (APR., MAY 2016)	4%	2%	4%	5%	-	0
Q1 2016 (JAN., FEB. AND MAR. 2016)	17%	23%	10%	25%	15%	21%
Q4 2015 (OCT., NOV. AND DEC. 2015)	9%	9%	9%	6%	7%	10%
Q3 2015 (JULY, AUG. AND SEPT. 2015)	10%	22%	19%	4%	15%	6%
Q2 2015 (APR., MAY AND JUNE 2015)	5%	1%	3%	3%	1%	8%
Q1 2015 (JAN., FEB. AND MAR. 2015)	4%	3%	5%	2%	4%	7%

Q4 2014 or before	51%	40%	50%	55%	58%	47%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q835 Have you been told by an employer that you are overqualified for the position for which you were applying?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Yes	31%	31%	36%	35%	32%	27%	36%	30%	33%	29%
			J							
No	69%	69%	64%	65%	68%	73%	64%	70%	67%	71%
						F				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Yes	31%	35%	30%	26%	33%	19%
	F					
No	69%	65%	70%	74%	67%	81%
						A

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q840 Since becoming unemployed, have you applied for positions that are below the job level you had at your previous employer?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Yes	69%	68%	76%	75%	69%	59%	70%	68%	72%	64%
		J	J	J					N	
No	31%	32%	24%	25%	31%	41%	30%	32%	28%	36%
						BFG				M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Yes	69%	83%	63%	72%	64%	72%
		ACE				
No	31%	17%	37%	28%	36%	28%
	B		B		B	

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q845 Since becoming unemployed, have you received any job offers that you turned down?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Yes	21%	21%	25%	18%	27%	15%	18%	22%	23%	18%
			J		J				N	
No	79%	79%	75%	82%	73%	85%	82%	78%	77%	82%
					FI				M	

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Yes	21%	14%	26%	26%	14%	18%
No	79%	86%	74%	74%	86%	82%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS WHO HAVE TURNED DOWN JOBS (Q845/1)

Q850 Why have you turned down offers for a job? **UNCODED OPEN END – NOT INCLUDED IN THIS REPORT**

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q855 Which of the following reasons, if any, do you feel is holding you back from finding a job? Please select all that apply.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
There are no available jobs	40%	38%	46%	42%	40%	35%	43%	39%	40%	40%
			J							
My experience doesn't meet hiring requirements	35%	32%	37%	39%	36%	34%	37%	34%	33%	37%
I don't have relevant work experience	31%	25%	33%	35%	35%	32%	26%	32%	30%	31%
				B	B					
My education doesn't meet hiring requirements	29%	27%	24%	36%	39%	26%	30%	29%	28%	31%
				BFJ	BFJ					
I've been out of work too long	27%	6%	21%	26%	42%	54%	16%	31%	25%	29%
			B	B	BFG	BFGI		K		
I'm too old	24%	16%	25%	23%	27%	34%	28%	22%	25%	23%
			B		B	BFG				
I have breaks in my work history	22%	14%	21%	24%	27%	31%	18%	24%	21%	24%
				B	B	BF		K		
I don't want to relocate	22%	20%	28%	25%	18%	21%	27%	20%	24%	20%
			B				L			
I'm overqualified for the jobs that are available	21%	20%	23%	26%	25%	15%	28%	18%	22%	20%
			J	J	J		L			
My experience is too narrow (is not transferable to other industries/types of work)	21%	19%	25%	19%	27%	19%	17%	22%	22%	20%
The pay is too low for jobs that meet my skill set	19%	25%	19%	14%	21%	10%	29%	15%	22%	14%
		GJ	J		J		L		N	
I'm not willing to take something less than what I want	16%	18%	15%	21%	18%	11%	21%	15%	17%	15%
		J		J			L			
My personal background	12%	11%	10%	14%	12%	13%	9%	13%	14%	10%
I'm too young	6%	9%	5%	5%	3%	2%	4%	6%	6%	5%
		IJ								
Other	12%	10%	11%	12%	11%	14%	7%	13%	7%	18%

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		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
There are no available jobs	40%	50%	34%	54%	45%	43%
				AC		
My experience doesn't meet hiring requirements	35%	43%	43%	33%	35%	37%
I don't have relevant work experience	31%	33%	29%	24%	21%	24%
My education doesn't meet hiring requirements	29%	30%	25%	39%	26%	22%
I've been out of work too long	27%	26%	29%	29%	39%	23%
					A	
I'm too old	24%	31%	36%	23%	36%	11%
	F	F	AF		AF	
I have breaks in my work history	22%	22%	16%	29%	25%	20%
I don't want to relocate	22%	20%	16%	16%	27%	18%
I'm overqualified for the jobs that are available	21%	24%	20%	18%	27%	17%
My experience is too narrow (is not transferable to other industries/types of work)	21%	27%	23%	18%	18%	14%
The pay is too low for jobs that meet my skill set	19%	19%	28%	14%	24%	15%
I'm not willing to take something less than what I want	16%	6%	16%	10%	23%	14%
	B				B	

My personal background	12%	6%	5%	16%	12%	10%
I'm too young	6%	5%	2%	7%	2%	5%
Other	12%	19%	13%	9%	18%	12%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS (Q99/1)

Q870 Since becoming unemployed, are you **going** or **have you gone back to school** to make yourself more marketable?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Yes (net)	43%	47%	40%	44%	45%	37%	38%	44%	42%	44%
		J								
Yes, I <u>plan on</u> enrolling in classes	25%	27%	25%	31%	24%	17%	24%	25%	23%	27%
		J	J	J						
Yes, I am <u>currently enrolled</u> in classes	7%	10%	7%	5%	4%	5%	8%	7%	7%	7%
		GJ								
Yes, I have <u>already gone back</u> and attended classes/earned a certificate/earned a degree	11%	9%	8%	8%	16%	16%	6%	13%	12%	11%
					FG	BFG		K		
No	57%	53%	60%	56%	55%	63%	62%	56%	58%	56%
						B				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Yes (net)	43%	43%	24%	36%	33%	52%
	C	C				CE
Yes, I <u>plan on</u> enrolling in classes	25%	25%	10%	18%	22%	36%
	C	C				CD
Yes, I am <u>currently enrolled</u> in classes	7%	6%	4%	7%	5%	3%
Yes, I have <u>already gone back</u> and attended classes/earned a certificate/earned a degree	11%	12%	11%	11%	7%	13%

No	57%	57%	76%	64%	67%	48%
			ABF		F	

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS (Q99/1)

Q875 How willing are you to consider relocating to another city/town or province to find a job?

City/Town

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Already did	6%	8%	3%	4%	5%	6%	4%	6%	6%	5%
		F								
Willing (net)	54%	57%	62%	52%	56%	47%	57%	54%	60%	49%
Extremely willing	12%	16%	10%	10%	13%	9%	13%	12%	15%	9%
		J							N	
Very willing	6%	8%	5%	9%	7%	4%	9%	6%	8%	5%
									N	
Willing	14%	14%	17%	14%	15%	11%	12%	15%	14%	13%
Somewhat willing	22%	19%	30%	20%	21%	22%	22%	22%	22%	22%
			BG							
Not at all willing	40%	35%	35%	44%	39%	47%	39%	40%	34%	46%
						BF				M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Already did	6%	2%	13%	5%	3%	12%
		A				AB
Willing (net)	54%	69%	43%	57%	51%	50%
Extremely willing	12%	14%	10%	15%	12%	9%
Very willing	6%	3%	7%	4%	6%	7%
Willing	14%	12%	10%	22%	15%	14%
Somewhat willing	22%	39%	17%	17%	18%	20%
		ACDEF				
Not at all willing	40%	29%	44%	37%	46%	38%

Province

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Already did	4%	6%	4%	1%	6%	2%	2%	5%	5%	3%
		GJ			GJ					
Willing (net)	36%	40%	35%	40%	34%	32%	38%	36%	43%	29%
Extremely willing	6%	7%	5%	7%	6%	7%	7%	6%	7%	5%
Very willing	4%	4%	3%	5%	8%	3%	6%	4%	6%	3%
									N	
Willing	9%	10%	12%	8%	3%	7%	10%	8%	11%	5%
		I	I						N	
Somewhat willing	17%	19%	15%	19%	17%	15%	15%	18%	19%	15%
Not at all willing	60%	54%	61%	59%	60%	66%	60%	59%	52%	69%
						B				M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Already did	4%	-	8%	5%	4%	10%
						AB
Willing (net)		47%	31%	38%	21%	36%
Extremely willing	6%	10%	2%	5%	5%	9%
		C				
Very willing	4%	7%	4%	7%	-	1%
		E				
Willing	9%	10%	11%	12%	5%	6%
Somewhat willing	17%	21%	14%	15%	10%	20%
Not at all willing	60%	53%	61%	57%	75%	54%
					ABDF	

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q1615 During this current period of unemployment, have you done a “gig” economy job? When you think of “gig” economy jobs, please think of jobs like driving for Lyft or Uber, performing jobs for Task Rabbit or doing odd jobs, etc., please do not include jobs like playing in a band, catering, housekeeping or yardwork.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Unemployment Benefits		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Yes, I’m doing one right now	8%	10%	7%	4%	11%	7%	5%	9%	10%	5%
		G			G			K	N	
Yes, I’ve done one in the recent past, just not at this time	12%	13%	14%	11%	13%	10%	13%	12%	15%	9%
									N	
No	80%	78%	79%	85%	76%	83%	82%	79%	75%	86%
				I						M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Yes, I’m doing one right now	8%	4%	4%	0	14%	4%
	D				CD	
Yes, I’ve done one in the recent past, just not at this time	12%	14%	17%	16%	8%	7%
No	80%	82%	79%	83%	78%	90%

BASE: THOSE WHO HAVE WORKED A GIG JOB

Q1620 Does/did your gig work produce a liveable wage?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Unemployment Benefits		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	337	101	64	47	51	74	74	263	170	167
Yes	35%	37%	48%	19%	24%	35%	40%	33%	39%	25%
No	65%	63%	52%	81%	76%	65%	60%	67%	61%	75%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	337	12	15	18	17	11
Yes	35%	21%	14%	61%	39%	29%
No	65%	79%	86%	39%	61%	71%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q1625 Before today, had you heard the term “gig economy job”?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Unemployment Benefits		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Yes	13%	19%	13%	13%	14%	7%	17%	12%	15%	11%
		J	J	J	J					
No	87%	81%	87%	87%	86%	93%	83%	88%	85%	89%
					BFGI					

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Yes	13%	4%	10%	16%	15%	8%
	B				B	
No	87%	96%	90%	84%	85%	92%
		AE				

BASE: THOSE WHO ARE CURRENTLY WORKING A GIG JOB

Q1630a. How would you characterize your gig job? Please select **all** that apply.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Unemployment Benefits		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	116	38	20	14	18	26	19	97	61	55
It is just helping to pay some bills while I look for something more permanent	42%	34%	20%	44%	71%	47%	46%	41%	33%	65%
I like the flexibility of gig work	36%	51%	27%	36%	9%	42%	58%	32%	37%	35%

It is a hobby I enjoy but I can also earn money doing it	29%	35%	16%	27%	14%	40%	35%	28%	26%	36%
It is a replacement for a permanent part time job	23%	21%	56%	6%	8%	23%	24%	23%	30%	7%
I'd rather do gig work than work for the same company and doing the same job all the time	16%	24%	19%	7%	4%	16%	18%	16%	18%	11%
It is a replacement for a permanent full time job	14%	1%	13%	4%	19%	39%	8%	15%	14%	15%
It means I have less time to find a full or part time job with an employer	13%	6%	23%	13%	19%	14%	3%	15%	12%	16%
Other	10%	3%	-	15%	36%	5%	2%	12%	10%	9%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	116	3	2	1	9	4
It is just helping to pay some bills while I look for something more permanent	42%	23%	-	100%	75%	62%
I like the flexibility of gig work	36%	-	-	100%	26%	34%
It is a hobby I enjoy but I can also earn money doing it	29%	-	10%	-	19%	41%
It is a replacement for a permanent part time job	23%	-	-	-	8%	31%
I'd rather do gig work than work for the same company and doing the same job all the time	16%	-	90%	-	-	34%
It is a replacement for a permanent full time job	14%	-	-	-	4%	-
It means I have less	13%	10%	-	-	-	-

time to find a full or part time job with an employer						
Other	10%	77%	-	-	8%	-

BASE: THOSE WHO ARE CURRENTLY WORKING A GIG JOB AND SEES IT AS A REPLACEMENT (Q1630a/1,2)

Q1635: With your current gig work being a replacement for a full- or part-time job, why do you consider yourself currently unemployed? **OPEN ENDED QUESTION - NOT INCLUDED IN THIS REPORT**

SECTION #4: UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q905 What sources of income, if any, are you currently personally relying on during your unemployment?
Please select **all** that apply.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Using my savings	40%	51%	41%	36%	40%	28%	37%	42%	44%	36%
		GIJ	J		J				N	
Income from my spouse/partner who is working	31%	35%	27%	36%	34%	26%	29%	32%	24%	40%
		J		J						M
Receiving unemployment compensation benefits/employment insurance	26%	35%	39%	25%	15%	11%	100%	-	30%	21%
		GIJ	GIJ	IJ			L		N	
Financial support from friends/family members (i.e., borrowed money from them)	19%	19%	20%	18%	22%	17%	10%	22%	18%	21%
								K		
Receiving income from various odd jobs for cash	16%	17%	17%	12%	17%	18%	11%	18%	20%	11%
								K	N	
Non-financial support from friends/family members (i.e., living with them until things turn around)	16%	15%	17%	18%	17%	15%	7%	19%	17%	15%
								K		
Something else	17%	8%	11%	19%	20%	31%	4%	21%	16%	18%
				BF	BF	BFGI		K		

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Using my savings	40%	55%	58%	27%	55%	36%
	D	AD	ADF		ADF	
Income from my spouse/partner who is working	31%	29%	20%	33%	30%	40%
						C
Receiving unemployment compensation benefits/employment insurance	26%	30%	22%	25%	26%	24%
Financial support from friends/family members	19%	18%	19%	17%	18%	23%
Receiving income from various odd jobs for cash	16%	11%	18%	13%	20%	22%
Non-financial support from friends/family members	16%	11%	15%	14%	16%	26%
						A
Something else	17%	17%	15%	19%	19%	12%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION (Q905/1)

Q910 When will your employment insurance run out?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	414	149	113	86	27	39	414	0	202	212
Q1 2016 (JAN, FEB, MAR 2016) (NET)	5%	6%	2%	3%	20%	2%	5%	-	6%	3%
Q2 2016 (APR, MAY, JUNE 2016) (NET)	18%	16%	12%	31%	17%	28%	18%	-	20%	17%
				BF						
Q3 2016 (JULY, AUG, SEPT 2016) (NET)	26%	22%	30%	35%	18%	20%	26%	-	24%	29%
Q4 2016 (OCT., NOV., DEC. 2016) (NET)	26%	29%	35%	16%	20%	7%	26%	-	27%	25%
			G							
Q1 2017 (JAN., FEB., MAR. 2017) (NET)	8%	9%	11%	8%	2%	-	8%	-	8%	10%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	414	25	18	21	19	21
Q1 2016 (JAN, FEB, MAR 2016) (NET)	5%	9%	-	12%	6%	-
Q2 2016 (APR, MAY, JUNE 2016) (NET)	18%	16%	-	22%	10%	29%
Q3 2016 (JULY, AUG, SEPT 2016) (NET)	26%	17%	26%	27%	25%	50%
Q4 2016 (OCT., NOV., DEC. 2016) (NET)	26%	39%	54%	21%	41%	9%
Q1 2017 (JAN., FEB., MAR. 2017) (NET)	8%	9%	5%	8%	-	5%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION (Q905/1)

Q920 If your employment insurance runs out before you find a job, which is more likely to happen? Please select [one](#).

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	428	153	116	86	31	42	428	0	209	219
I'd search harder and wider for a job.	90%	93%	93%	92%	96%	64%	90%	-	90%	90%
I'd give up looking for work altogether	10%	7%	7%	8%	4%	36%	10%	-	10%	10%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	428	26	18	21	20	21
I'd search harder and wider for a job.	90%	89%	100%	81%	96%	100%
I'd give up looking for work altogether	10%	11%	-	19%	4%	-

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION (Q905/1)

Q925 If your employment insurance runs out before you find a job, how will it affect your efforts to find a job?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	428	153	116	86	31	42	428	0	209	219
I will put more effort into looking for a job.	60%	68%	61%	58%	59%	29%	60%	-	63%	56%
It will have no effect on my efforts to look for a job.	37%	30%	39%	40%	35%	64%	37%	-	35%	42%
I will put less effort into looking for a job.	2%	2%	1%	2%	6%	7%	2%	-	3%	1%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	428	26	18	21	20	21
I will put more effort into looking for a job.	60%	47%	75%	72%	62%	66%
It will have no effect on my efforts to look for a job.	37%	48%	25%	25%	36%	34%
I will put less effort into looking for a job.	2%	5%	-	3%	2%	-

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS RECEIVING UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION (Q905/1)

Q930 Thinking about your employment insurance, how much do you agree with each of the following statements?

I haven't had to look for work as hard knowing I have some income to rely on

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	428	153	116	86	31	42	428	0	209	219
Agree (net)	52%	54%	51%	41%	64%	57%	52%	-	55%	47%
Agree completely	5%	8%	5%	1%	5%	2%	5%	-	5%	6%
Agree a lot	7%	5%	6%	7%	22%	4%	7%	-	8%	5%
Agree somewhat	21%	23%	21%	18%	10%	32%	21%	-	23%	18%
Agree a little	18%	18%	19%	15%	27%	19%	18%	-	19%	18%
Do not agree at all	48%	46%	49%	59%	36%	43%	48%	-	45%	53%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	428	26	18	21	20	21
Agree (net)	52%	55%	43%	34%	50%	57%
Agree completely	5%	8%	7%	-	4%	3%
Agree a lot	7%	5%	-	-	-	22%
Agree somewhat	21%	23%	9%	22%	20%	17%

Agree a little	18%	19%	27%	12%	27%	17%
Do not agree at all	48%	45%	57%	66%	50%	43%

It has allowed me to turn down positions that weren't right for me.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	428	153	116	86	31	42	428	0	209	219
Agree (net)	47%	49%	48%	45%	32%	55%	47%	-	51%	41%
Agree completely	5%	7%	9%	2%	2%	-	5%	-	6%	5%
Agree a lot	7%	10%	4%	8%	10%	2%	7%	-	7%	8%
Agree somewhat	20%	18%	15%	19%	20%	51%	20%	-	23%	16%
Agree a little	14%	14%	20%	16%	-	3%	14%	-	15%	12%
Do not agree at all	53%	51%	52%	55%	68%	45%	53%	-	49%	59%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	428	26	18	21	20	21
Agree (net)	47%	27%	54%	38%	59%	37%
Agree completely	5%	5%	7%	3%	4%	-
Agree a lot	7%	-	4%	-	7%	1%
Agree somewhat	20%	8%	9%	24%	45%	10%
Agree a little	14%	14%	34%	11%	4%	25%
Do not agree at all	53%	73%	46%	62%	41%	63%

It is giving me a cushion so that I can take my time in searching for a job.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	428	153	116	86	31	42	428	0	209	219
Agree (net)	74%	83%	69%	68%	66%	67%	74%	-	77%	70%
		FG								
Agree completely	12%	14%	11%	13%	9%	3%	12%	-	10%	15%
Agree a lot	17%	25%	13%	11%	14%	2%	17%	-	20%	11%
Agree somewhat	26%	21%	26%	27%	21%	46%	26%	-	27%	22%
Agree a little	20%	23%	19%	17%	22%	15%	20%	-	19%	21%
Do not agree at all	26%	17%	31%	32%	34%	33%	26%	-	23%	30%
			B	B						

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	428	26	18	21	20	21
Agree (net)	74%	57%	87%	53%	82%	91%
Agree completely	12%	-	10%	18%	14%	25%
Agree a lot	17%	12%	24%	16%	5%	15%
Agree somewhat	26%	43%	16%	10%	44%	37%
Agree a little	20%	2%	37%	9%	20%	14%
Do not agree at all	26%	43%	13%	47%	18%	9%

It has allowed me to take time for myself.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	428	153	116	86	31	42	428	0	209	219
Agree (net)	69%	72%	63%	63%	76%	71%	69%	-	70%	66%
Agree completely	10%	11%	11%	9%	9%	5%	10%	-	7%	16%
										M
Agree a lot	14%	18%	8%	12%	17%	18%	14%	-	16%	11%
Agree somewhat	21%	21%	20%	16%	26%	36%	21%	-	24%	16%
Agree a little	23%	23%	24%	26%	24%	11%	23%	-	23%	22%
Do not agree at all	31%	28%	37%	37%	24%	29%	31%	-	30%	34%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	428	26	18	21	20	21
Agree (net)	69%	56%	80%	45%	82%	90%
Agree completely	10%	5%	7%	16%	6%	14%
Agree a lot	14%	2%	4%	10%	12%	16%
Agree somewhat	21%	27%	19%	4%	47%	28%
Agree a little	23%	21%	50%	15%	17%	32%
Do not agree at all	31%	44%	20%	55%	18%	10%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS NOT RECEIVING EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (Q905/N1)

Q935 You indicated that you are not currently receiving employment insurance. Which one of the following statements most closely describes your situation? Please select **one**.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1464	351	227	243	219	424	0	1464	533	931
My employment insurance has already run out.	26%	8%	20%	39%	44%	31%	-	26%	29%	23%
			B	BF	BFJ	BF				
I am not eligible for employment insurance.	32%	30%	34%	29%	28%	35%	-	32%	27%	36%
										M
I never applied for employment insurance.	36%	53%	40%	27%	20%	32%	-	36%	37%	35%
		FGIJ	GI							
I was denied employment insurance.	6%	9%	7%	5%	8%	3%	-	6%	7%	5%
		J			J					

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1464	68	78	78	80	69
My employment insurance has already run out.	26%	21%	19%	16%	26%	9%
	F				F	
I am not eligible for employment insurance.	32%	25%	29%	46%	31%	32%
				A		
I never applied for employment insurance.	36%	54%	48%	35%	37%	52%
		A				A
I was denied employment insurance.	6%	-	4%	3%	6%	7%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS NOT RECEIVING EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BECAUSE IT RAN OUT

(Q935/1)

Q940 How long has it been since you last received employment insurance?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	340	25	30	68	86	131	0	340	138	202
Less than 1 month	7%	23%	15%	14%	0	-	-	7%	9%	5%
				IJ						
1 month to less than 3 months	13%	9%	23%	30%	7%	2%	-	13%	12%	14%
				IJ						
4 months to less than 6 months	15%	30%	28%	16%	18%	2%	-	15%	15%	15%
				J	J					
6 months to less than 9 months	13%	2%	19%	13%	20%	7%	-	13%	16%	8%
9 months to less than 1 year	8%	4%	-	10%	20%	1%	-	8%	12%	3%
					J				N	
1 year to less than 2 years	15%	10%	14%	8%	28%	12%	-	15%	11%	20%
					G					
2 years to less than 3 years	12%	22%	-	6%	3%	26%	-	12%	11%	13%
						GI				
3 or more years	17%	-	1%	2%	3%	50%	-	17%	13%	21%
						GI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	340	18	16	13	22	7
Less than 1 month	7%	2%	9%	3%	-	5%
1 month to less than 3 months	13%	12%	6%	5%	14%	4%
4 months to less than 6 months	15%	34%	7%	23%	20%	15%
6 months to less than 9 months	13%	26%	30%	-	5%	10%
9 months to less than 1 year	8%	-	5%	-	3%	-
1 year to less than 2 years	15%	17%	15%	40%	11%	55%

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
2 years to less than 3 years	12%	7%	2%	8%	22%	-
3 or more years	17%	2%	26%	20%	25%	10%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q945 Who do think is most responsible for you being currently unemployed? Please select **all** that apply.

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Myself	46%	44%	41%	45%	46%	55%	34%	50%	45%	47%
						BFG		K		
The economy	39%	38%	45%	48%	38%	31%	51%	35%	44%	34%
			J	BJ			L		N	
My last boss	24%	26%	28%	25%	24%	16%	31%	21%	25%	22%
		J	J	J			L			
The government	15%	11%	15%	13%	18%	18%	14%	15%	17%	11%
					bd	BD			N	
Someone/something else	16%	12%	16%	15%	21%	18%	16%	15%	12%	21%
					B					M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Myself	46%	37%	32%	50%	41%	42%
	C					
The economy	39%	53%	30%	39%	48%	43%
		AC			C	
My last boss	24%	25%	32%	16%	23%	14%
			DF			
The government	15%	11%	11%	24%	16%	11%
				A		
Someone/somethin g else	16%	11%	22%	10%	20%	19%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS**Q950** How hopeful are you that you will soon find a job...?

In your field

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Hopeful (net)	82%	92%	85%	83%	76%	66%	86%	80%	82%	81%
		FGIJ	J	J			L			
Extremely hopeful	11%	18%	11%	6%	5%	8%	11%	11%	12%	10%
		FGIJ								
Very hopeful	16%	20%	20%	18%	11%	8%	21%	14%	16%	17%
		IJ	J	J			L			
Hopeful	31%	32%	29%	34%	35%	29%	34%	30%	32%	31%
Somewhat hopeful	23%	22%	25%	25%	24%	21%	20%	24%	23%	24%
Not at all hopeful	18%	8%	15%	17%	24%	34%	14%	20%	18%	19%
			B	B	B	BFG		K		

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Hopeful (net)	82%	81%	86%	88%	74%	86%
				E		
Extremely hopeful	11%	6%	16%	11%	6%	13%
Very hopeful	16%	14%	21%	16%	14%	24%
Hopeful	31%	27%	31%	34%	27%	28%
Somewhat hopeful	23%	33%	18%	27%	27%	22%
Not at all hopeful	18%	19%	14%	12%	26%	14%
					D	

For the pay you want

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Hopeful (net)	81%	90%	83%	81%	75%	68%	84%	79%	80%	81%
		FGIJ	J	J						
Extremely hopeful	10%	17%	9%	5%	3%	9%	11%	10%	11%	9%
		FGIJ				II				
Very hopeful	16%	22%	16%	16%	10%	10%	22%	13%	16%	15%
		IJ		J			L			
Hopeful	34%	30%	38%	38%	34%	31%	31%	34%	32%	36%
Somewhat hopeful	21%	21%	20%	22%	28%	18%	19%	22%	21%	22%
					J					
Not at all hopeful	19%	10%	17%	19%	25%	32%	16%	21%	20%	19%
			B	B	B	BFG				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Hopeful (net)	81%	69%	87%	89%	70%	78%
	BE		BE	BE		
Extremely hopeful	10%	5%	12%	11%	10%	16%
Very hopeful	16%	8%	14%	23%	10%	18%
				B		
Hopeful	34%	28%	49%	31%	29%	33%
			ABE			
Somewhat hopeful	21%	28%	12%	23%	21%	12%
		CF				
Not at all hopeful	19%	31%	13%	11%	30%	22%
		ACD			ACD	

That has decent benefits

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Hopeful (net)	81%	85%	86%	82%	81%	68%	84%	80%	81%	81%
		J	J	J	J					
Extremely hopeful	10%	15%	12%	8%	5%	8%	13%	9%	11%	9%
		GIJ	I							
Very hopeful	16%	21%	14%	20%	13%	8%	21%	14%	16%	15%
		J		J			L			
Hopeful	31%	28%	35%	35%	34%	26%	32%	31%	30%	32%
			J							
Somewhat hopeful	24%	21%	26%	20%	30%	26%	18%	26%	24%	24%
								K		
Not at all hopeful	19%	15%	14%	18%	19%	32%	16%	20%	19%	19%
						BFGICDEFGI				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Hopeful (net)	81%	78%	88%	83%	70%	88%
	E		E			E
Extremely hopeful	10%	3%	11%	11%	7%	11%
Very hopeful	16%	12%	20%	24%	11%	22%
Hopeful	31%	27%	42%	30%	28%	34%
Somewhat hopeful	24%	36%	15%	19%	24%	21%
		ACD				
Not at all hopeful	19%	22%	12%	17%	30%	12%
					ACF	

That is as good or better than the last job you had

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Hopeful (net)	82%	92%	82%	84%	78%	69%	86%	81%	81%	83%
		FGIJ	J	J						
Extremely hopeful	13%	19%	14%	9%	8%	9%	15%	12%	12%	13%
		GIJ								
Very hopeful	16%	23%	12%	17%	9%	12%	21%	14%	16%	16%
		FJ					L			
Hopeful	33%	35%	33%	35%	40%	27%	31%	34%	33%	34%
					J					
Somewhat hopeful	20%	15%	23%	24%	21%	21%	19%	20%	20%	20%
			B	B						
Not at all hopeful	18%	8%	18%	16%	22%	31%	14%	19%	19%	17%
			B	B	B	BFG				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Hopeful (net)	82%	65%	85%	86%	76%	87%
	B		B	B		B
Extremely hopeful	13%	7%	15%	13%	14%	16%
Very hopeful	16%	8%	20%	24%	11%	16%
				B		
Hopeful	33%	20%	35%	33%	25%	37%
	B					
Somewhat hopeful	20%	30%	16%	17%	25%	19%
Not at all hopeful	18%	35%	15%	14%	24%	13%
		ACDF				

NEW SECTION – RE: THE ECONOMY AND PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q1640 Would you say things in the country are headed in the right direction, or the wrong direction regarding the economy?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Unemployment Benefits		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Headed in the right direction	46%	50%	44%	40%	46%	48%	46%	47%	50%	42%
		G							N	
Headed in the wrong direction	54%	50%	56%	60%	54%	52%	54%	53%	50%	58%
				B						M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Headed in the right direction	46%	34%	50%	48%	41%	47%
Headed in the wrong direction	54%	66%	50%	52%	59%	53%

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED CANADA RESPONDENTS

Q1660 Thinking about the recent election of Prime Minister Trudeau, what kind of impact do you think his new government will have on creating jobs?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Unemployment Benefits		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
A positive impact	40%	43%	41%	42%	38%	36%	39%	41%	41%	40%
No impact at all	42%	37%	43%	38%	47%	46%	42%	42%	39%	46%
									M	
A negative impact	18%	20%	15%	20%	14%	18%	18%	18%	20%	15%
									N	

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
A positive impact	40%	31%	35%	44%	37%	41%
No impact at all	42%	41%	44%	47%	48%	35%
A negative impact	18%	28%	21%	9%	16%	23%
		AD				D

BASE: ALL QUALIFIED CANADA RESPONDENTS

Q1665 What type of impact do you feel your current provincial government will have on creating jobs?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Unemployment Benefits		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
A positive impact	24%	29%	23%	25%	22%	18%	25%	24%	25%	23%
		J								
No impact at all	47%	43%	47%	45%	50%	52%	46%	47%	43%	52%
						B			M	
A negative impact	29%	28%	30%	30%	28%	30%	29%	29%	32%	25%
									N	

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
A positive impact	24%	27%	21%	32%	24%	38%
						A
No impact at all	47%	36%	56%	44%	53%	42%
			B			
A negative impact	29%	37%	23%	24%	23%	20%
		F				

SECTION 5: DEMOGRAPHICS
BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q1004 Which of the following skills, if any, do you think employers are looking for these days? And which of the following attributes, if any, do you think you possess?

What employers are looking for

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Customer service skills	77%	78%	77%	75%	79%	75%	76%	77%	73%	82%
										M
Can work the hours needed	77%	76%	73%	85%	74%	76%	71%	79%	71%	83%
				BFIJ				K		M
Computer skills	76%	75%	78%	77%	79%	74%	77%	76%	72%	82%
										M
Verbal communication skills	76%	74%	72%	81%	81%	75%	75%	76%	70%	83%
				F						M
Technology skills	76%	77%	77%	81%	70%	73%	73%	77%	73%	79%
				I						M
Trustworthiness	75%	72%	77%	81%	72%	75%	74%	75%	71%	80%
				B						M
People management skills	74%	73%	72%	77%	80%	72%	70%	76%	71%	78%
										M
Leadership skills	74%	73%	75%	78%	74%	72%	72%	75%	71%	78%
										M
Time management skills	74%	73%	71%	82%	75%	71%	74%	74%	68%	81%
				BFJ						M
Can handle stress	74%	75%	71%	80%	78%	66%	71%	75%	67%	82%
		J		J	J					M
Organizational skills	73%	72%	74%	81%	77%	68%	72%	74%	69%	79%
				BJ						M
Interpersonal skills	72%	73%	70%	75%	74%	70%	69%	74%	71%	75%
Written communication skills	70%	66%	72%	74%	71%	71%	66%	72%	64%	78%
										M
Complex problem solving skills	69%	70%	67%	73%	68%	66%	69%	69%	65%	74%
										M
Critical thinking skills	69%	69%	66%	76%	69%	64%	66%	70%	64%	74%
				FJ						M
Collaboration skills	68%	67%	65%	70%	71%	71%	64%	70%	66%	71%
Analytical skills	67%	63%	66%	73%	69%	68%	66%	67%	63%	72%
				B						M
Negotiation skills	63%	62%	65%	62%	63%	61%	60%	63%	60%	65%
Math skills	59%	58%	57%	59%	65%	57%	56%	60%	56%	63%
										M
Persuasiveness	55%	58%	53%	56%	56%	52%	54%	56%	52%	60%
										M

Other	24%	19%	25%	26%	32%	26%	24%	25%	24%	25%
					B	B				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Customer service skills	77%	81%	79%	75%	76%	86%
Can work the hours needed	77%	89%	91%	76%	82%	85%
		A	AD			
Computer skills	76%	84%	82%	88%	78%	80%
				A		
Verbal communication skills	76%	91%	90%	74%	84%	85%
		AD	AD			
Technology skills	76%	85%	88%	72%	71%	84%
			ADE			
Trustworthiness	75%	87%	87%	76%	77%	87%
		A	A			A
People management skills	74%	80%	87%	83%	73%	89%
			A			AE
Leadership skills	74%	77%	80%	80%	76%	88%
						A
Time management skills	74%	86%	85%	75%	78%	89%
		A	A			A
Can handle stress	74%	89%	86%	75%	80%	80%
		A	A			
Organizational skills	73%	86%	77%	76%	80%	84%
		A				
Interpersonal skills	72%	78%	86%	68%	75%	86%
			AD			AD
Written communication skills	70%	87%	77%	75%	77%	83%
		A				A
Complex problem solving skills	69%	77%	73%	69%	75%	69%
Critical thinking skills	69%	80%	84%	69%	73%	83%
			A			A
Collaboration skills	68%	74%	68%	69%	74%	70%
Analytical skills	67%	74%	64%	67%	67%	71%
Negotiation skills	63%	62%	71%	65%	55%	74%

						E
Math skills	59%	64%	63%	66%	64%	73%
						A
Persuasiveness	55%	55%	59%	47%	54%	62%
Other	24%	21%	17%	23%	23%	31%

What I possess

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Trustworthiness	84%	85%	85%	84%	85%	79%	85%	83%	80%	89%
										M
Organizational skills	74%	73%	76%	77%	83%	66%	73%	74%	69%	80%
			J	J	BJ					M
Verbal communication skills	73%	77%	77%	76%	74%	61%	75%	72%	70%	77%
		J	J	J	J					M
Time management skills	71%	72%	73%	75%	75%	61%	72%	70%	66%	76%
		J	J	J	J					M
Can handle stress	70%	77%	72%	74%	65%	60%	73%	70%	72%	69%
		IJ	J	J						
Computer skills	70%	71%	69%	72%	76%	65%	70%	70%	69%	72%
					J					
Customer service skills	69%	70%	76%	71%	75%	56%	74%	67%	61%	78%
		J	J	J	J					M
Written communication skills	68%	67%	71%	69%	72%	61%	68%	68%	60%	77%
			J		J					M
Critical thinking skills	67%	69%	70%	72%	70%	56%	65%	68%	67%	68%
		J	J	J	J					
Can work the hours needed	67%	73%	73%	67%	60%	58%	72%	65%	69%	64%
		IJ	IJ				L			
Interpersonal skills	65%	68%	65%	70%	71%	53%	69%	63%	62%	69%
		J	J	J	J					M
Complex problem solving skills	60%	64%	61%	66%	57%	53%	63%	60%	63%	57%
		J		J					N	
Collaboration skills	58%	63%	54%	59%	59%	52%	56%	58%	56%	60%
Analytical skills	56%	59%	52%	58%	61%	53%	58%	56%	60%	52%
									N	
Technology skills	54%	59%	54%	58%	53%	47%	54%	54%	61%	46%
		J		J					N	
People management skills	54%	59%	57%	55%	52%	45%	61%	52%	51%	58%
		J	J	J			L			M
Math skills	53%	55%	55%	55%	53%	49%	54%	53%	59%	46%
									N	
Leadership skills	53%	61%	58%	54%	50%	40%	58%	51%	53%	53%
		IJ	J	J						
Negotiation skills	42%	45%	43%	46%	42%	35%	44%	42%	45%	39%
		J		J						
Persuasiveness	42%	47%	45%	42%	40%	33%	42%	42%	45%	38%

		J	J	J					N	
Other	20%	23%	20%	21%	22%	15%	19%	20%	22%	18%
		J								

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Trustworthiness	84%	92%	95%	85%	88%	91%
			A			
Organizational skills	74%	84%	77%	78%	81%	79%
Verbal communication skills	73%	85%	80%	76%	74%	83%
		A				
Time management skills	71%	84%	85%	62%	72%	80%
		AD	AD			D
Can handle stress	70%	80%	80%	68%	72%	68%
Computer skills	70%	80%	79%	65%	76%	76%
Customer service skills	69%	71%	69%	73%	77%	77%
Written communication skills	68%	77%	75%	72%	78%	82%
						A
Critical thinking skills	67%	74%	77%	63%	74%	80%
						A
Can work the hours needed	67%	79%	68%	73%	61%	77%
		AE				
Interpersonal skills	65%	68%	60%	57%	77%	71%
					ACD	
Complex problem solving skills	60%	68%	65%	57%	60%	71%
Collaboration skills	58%	57%	59%	51%	66%	54%
Analytical skills	56%	65%	62%	45%	58%	59%
		D				
Technology skills	54%	57%	55%	56%	58%	65%
People management skills	54%	62%	57%	62%	57%	60%
Math skills	53%	59%	55%	55%	62%	55%
Leadership skills	53%	65%	59%	53%	57%	66%
						A
Negotiation skills	42%	32%	49%	36%	45%	50%
Persuasiveness	42%	44%	35%	40%	37%	42%
Other	20%	24%	12%	20%	14%	27%

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BASE: ALL QUALIFIED RESPONDENTS

Q1001 How financially secure do you feel right now?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Extremely/Very (net)	5%	8%	3%	4%	3%	6%	6%	5%	6%	4%
Extremely secure	1%	2%	1%	0	0	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Very secure	4%	6%	2%	4%	2%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%
Somewhat secure	28%	32%	29%	24%	25%	25%	31%	27%	28%	28%
Not very	30%	29%	30%	31%	36%	27%	33%	29%	30%	31%
Not at all secure	36%	31%	38%	40%	36%	41%	31%	39%	36%	38%
				B		B		K		

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Extremely/Very (net)	5%	-	4%	3%	3%	9%
						B
Extremely secure	1%	-	2%	2%	2%	1%
Very secure	4%	-	2%	1%	1%	8%
Somewhat secure	28%	23%	39%	32%	39%	20%
			F		AF	
Not very	30%	32%	29%	30%	29%	31%
Not at all secure	36%	44%	28%	35%	29%	40%

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Q1002 Which of the following messages, if any, did you get from your parents regarding work and higher education?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Getting a college degree is important, but you should work while you go to school too	19%	23%	19%	22%	13%	15%	19%	19%	19%	20%
		IJ								
Getting a college degree is most important, and you shouldn't be distracted by trying to work as well	15%	15%	17%	13%	14%	14%	13%	15%	12%	18%
										M
Getting a vocational education is a valuable way for you to get a good job and build a future	14%	15%	16%	12%	16%	12%	16%	14%	15%	14%
We can't afford to send you to college/university, but there are plenty of jobs for those who don't have a college degree	8%	7%	9%	10%	10%	7%	9%	8%	8%	8%
We can't afford to send you to college, therefore you're going to have limited prospects when you get out of high school	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	5%
You aren't smart enough to go to college so you better get a job right out of high school	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	5%	2%	4%	5%	2%
									N	
A college degree isn't worth the money, so you should get a job right out of high school	3%	5%	1%	1%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	2%
		FG								
Getting a vocational education is the last choice you should consider	3%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	1%

									N	
None of these	31%	26%	28%	31%	32%	41%	32%	31%	33%	29%
						BF				

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Getting a college degree is important, but you should work while you go to school too	19%	12%	10%	15%	23%	28%
					C	BC
Getting a college degree is most important, and you shouldn't be distracted by trying to work as well	15%	21%	8%	12%	18%	16%
		C				
Getting a vocational education is a valuable way for you to get a good job and build a future	14%	17%	11%	25%	11%	8%
				AEF		
We can't afford to send you to college/university, but there are plenty of jobs for those who don't have a college degree	8%	5%	11%	11%	3%	3%
We can't afford to send you to college, therefore you're going to have limited prospects when you get out of high school	4%	7%	5%	4%	2%	2%
You aren't smart enough to go to college so you better get a job right out of high school	4%	4%	7%	5%	2%	2%
A college degree isn't worth the money, so you should get a job right out of high school	3%	1%	6%	-	0	4%
Getting a vocational education is the last choice you should consider	3%	-	2%	4%	-	3%
None of these	31%	33%	39%	24%	40%	33%

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Q1003 Which of the following work values do you think your parents modeled for you?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Employment Insurance		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
Honesty/integrity	72%	71%	71%	79%	78%	65%	73%	72%	68%	77%
					J					M
Trustworthiness	67%	66%	66%	74%	73%	60%	71%	65%	64%	71%
				J	J					M
Dependability/Responsibility	65%	65%	65%	71%	74%	55%	67%	64%	59%	72%
		J	J	J	J					M
Loyalty	63%	61%	63%	69%	70%	59%	71%	61%	61%	66%
				J	J		L			
A strong work ethic	62%	63%	63%	70%	65%	53%	62%	62%	59%	67%
		J	J	J	J					M
Punctuality	61%	61%	62%	65%	65%	56%	68%	59%	57%	67%
							L			M
Helping others	59%	59%	54%	66%	67%	52%	61%	58%	53%	66%
				FJ	FJ					M
A positive attitude	57%	60%	55%	60%	64%	50%	60%	56%	56%	59%
		J		J	J					
Keeping promises	52%	51%	53%	58%	56%	46%	55%	51%	48%	57%
				J						M
Professionalism	51%	56%	50%	59%	45%	43%	57%	49%	48%	55%
		J		J			L			M
Desire to learn and grow	49%	50%	46%	55%	52%	42%	48%	49%	45%	53%
				J						M
Self-motivation	47%	47%	54%	48%	47%	39%	49%	46%	46%	49%
			J							
Adaptability	44%	45%	42%	47%	45%	42%	45%	43%	43%	45%
Communication skills	42%	41%	43%	50%	48%	34%	41%	43%	40%	45%
				BJ	J					
Meeting deadlines	42%	44%	42%	45%	42%	35%	43%	41%	39%	45%
		J		J						
A strong sense of self/Confidence	38%	40%	39%	40%	37%	34%	40%	37%	39%	38%
Creativity	36%	36%	33%	38%	39%	37%	36%	36%	36%	37%
Leadership	34%	40%	35%	35%	28%	26%	34%	34%	35%	32%
		IJ								
Customer service	33%	35%	34%	36%	36%	28%	38%	32%	29%	39%
										M
Collaboration	29%	31%	26%	33%	37%	21%	34%	28%	30%	28%
		J		J	FJ					
Autonomy	29%	31%	21%	28%	34%	30%	33%	27%	30%	27%
		F			F	F				

Other	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0	2%
										M

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
Honesty/integrity	72%	73%	76%	70%	69%	83%
Trustworthiness	67%	74%	73%	68%	59%	78%
						E
Dependability/Responsibility	65%	66%	69%	64%	59%	74%
Loyalty	63%	65%	62%	56%	60%	75%
						D
A strong work ethic	62%	70%	69%	60%	58%	77%
						AE
Punctuality	61%	58%	69%	59%	57%	70%
Helping others	59%	53%	54%	63%	61%	74%
						ABC
A positive attitude	57%	63%	57%	60%	51%	71%
						AE
Keeping promises	52%	47%	58%	47%	51%	66%
						A
Professionalism	51%	55%	47%	47%	45%	61%
Desire to learn and grow	49%	56%	50%	45%	40%	64%
						ADE
Self-motivation	47%	49%	56%	46%	43%	59%
Adaptability	44%	41%	39%	41%	39%	47%
Communication skills	42%	41%	33%	48%	39%	48%
Meeting deadlines	42%	49%	43%	42%	36%	52%
A strong sense of self/Confidence	38%	34%	33%	40%	30%	47%
Creativity	36%	33%	34%	46%	30%	45%
Leadership	34%	39%	35%	44%	26%	46%
				E		E
Customer service	33%	39%	30%	36%	33%	35%
Collaboration	29%	16%	26%	24%	26%	26%
	B					
Autonomy	29%	18%	20%	17%	19%	20%
	D					
Other	1%	1%	-	0	-	-

None	6%	12%	9%	7%	11%	6%

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Q1000 How many dependents do you currently care for?

		How Long Out of Work					Receiving Unemployment Benefits		Gender	
	Total	3 months or less	4 – 6 months	7 – 12 months	13 – 24 months	More than 24 months	Yes	No	Male	Female
	A	B	F	G	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base	1892	504	343	329	250	466	428	1464	742	1150
0	65%	66%	61%	61%	67%	70%	59%	67%	68%	61%
						FgFg		K	N	
1	16%	18%	20%	16%	13%	13%	19%	15%	15%	18%
2	12%	11%	12%	14%	17%	9%	14%	11%	10%	14%
					J					M
3+	7%	6%	8%	8%	3%	8%	7%	7%	7%	7%
				I						
MEAN	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7
			B							

		Province Oversamples				
	Total	Alberta	British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Ontario	Saskatchewan
	A	B	C	D	E	F
Base	1892	94	96	99	100	90
0	65%	75%	75%	73%	63%	77%
1	16%	16%	15%	6%	21%	10%
	D				D	
2	12%	8%	6%	10%	13%	9%
3+	7%	1%	4%	10%	2%	4%
MEAN	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.4
	B					