

YUKON BUREAU OF STATISTICS

Tourism Employment 2015

Highlights:

- Yukon's growth in the number of tourism jobs from 2014 to 2015 was the highest in Canada at 4.7%; the total compensation to employees of tourism industries grew 1.7%.
- In 2015, the average hourly compensation per job in Yukon tourism industries was \$19.06, a decrease of \$0.82, or 4.1%, compared to 2014 (\$19.88).

Figures in this summary report are based on Statistics Canada's Provincial-Territorial Human Resource Module (HRM) of the Tourism Satellite Account; Statistics Canada's 'The Daily' of June 7, 2017; and Statistics Canada's CANSIM table 383-0031, April 2017. Four main sources of data underlie the HRM: Canadian Productivity Accounts data in the Canadian System of National Accounts; the Census and National Household Survey; the Labour Force Survey; and the Survey of Employment Payroll and Hours.

Tourism industries are aggregated from five industry groups: transportation; accommodation; food and beverage services; recreation and entertainment; and travel services. Data includes jobs that are attributable to demand from both tourists and non-tourists.

Jobs in Tourism Industries

	Number of jobs ¹ in tourism industries, Canada, provinces, and territories, 2007 to 2015									Percent change 2014 to 2015 %
	2007 ^f	2008 ^f	2009 ^f	2010 ^f	2011 ^f	2012 ^f	2013	2014	2015	
	thousands of jobs									
CAN	1,588	1,614	1,604	1,639	1,665	1,698	1,728	1,736	1,782	2.6
NL	18	18	17	18	18	20	20	20	20	-0.3
PEI	8	8	7	7	7	8	8	8	8	2.6
NS	43	43	42	42	41	41	43	43	43	0.5
NB	29	29	31	29	29	30	29	30	30	-0.9
QC	339	353	349	363	362	369	370	370	376	1.6
ON	573	582	579	586	611	614	636	632	656	3.8
MB	56	58	58	59	60	62	63	61	62	1.7
SK	48	48	47	48	46	47	48	48	50	3.0
AB	194	196	195	191	198	205	205	213	221	4.1
BC	274	274	273	290	286	294	298	303	308	1.4
YT	3	3	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	4.7
NWT	3	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	-3.8
NU	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3.0
Total economy Canada	17,038	17,285	16,986	17,298	17,572	17,764	18,004	18,106	18,278	1.0

¹ Includes employee jobs and self-employment jobs (working-owners of unincorporated enterprises and unpaid family workers).

Source: Statistics Canada, Provincial-Territorial Human Resource Module of the Tourism Satellite Account, 2015 custom data table.

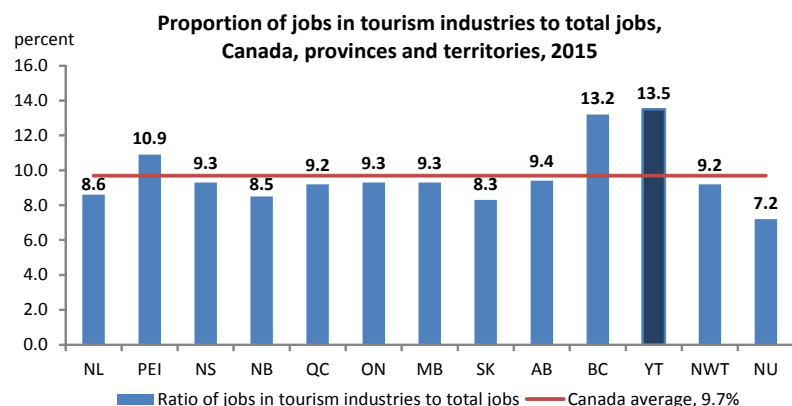
Tourism accounted for nearly 3,500 jobs in Yukon in 2015, up 4.7% from 2014. Every province and territory added tourism industry jobs in 2015 with the exceptions of: the Northwest Territories (-3.8%), New Brunswick (-0.9%) and Newfoundland and Labrador (-0.3%). Nationally, tourism industry jobs increased 2.6%.

Yukon's growth rate (+4.7%) was the highest in the country, followed by Alberta (+4.1%) and Ontario (+3.8%). Yukon outpaced Canadian growth (+2.6%) in tourism industry jobs by 2.1 percentage points in 2015.

Of the tourism jobs in Yukon (and based on numbers rounded to the nearest thousand), two-thirds were full-time, and one third were part-time.

Yukon's tourism sector accounted for 13.5% of all jobs in the Yukon labour market in 2015. Yukon's labour market had the highest proportion (13.5%) of tourism jobs followed by British Columbia (13.2%) and Prince Edward Island (10.9%). Nunavut's labour market had the lowest share (7.2%) of tourism jobs. Nationally, 9.7% of jobs were in tourism industries.

Yukon's tourism sector's share of all Yukon jobs increased from 12.5% in 2007 to 13.5% in 2015. After six years of having the second-highest share in the country (British Columbia had the highest share from 2009 to 2014), Yukon's tourism sector recaptured the highest share of all jobs in 2015.



Source: Statistics Canada, Provincial-Territorial Human Resource Module of the Tourism Satellite Account, 2015 custom data table and CANSIM 383-0031.

Compensation

In 2015, the total compensation to employees of Yukon tourism industries was \$108 million, an increase of \$1.8 million, or 1.7%, compared to 2014. The compensation to employees in Yukon tourism industries has grown every year since 2009. However, the growth has fluctuated greatly over the past eight years, ranging from a decrease between 2008 and 2009 of -5.5% to an increase of +16.9% between 2010 and 2011.

Yukon Tourism Industry, \$ per hour, 2007 to 2015



Source: Statistics Canada, Provincial-Territorial Human Resource Module of the Tourism Satellite Account, 2015 custom data table.

Average hourly compensation in 2015 for workers in Yukon tourism industries (\$19.06) was the fifth-lowest in the Canada followed by: Manitoba (\$18.49); Nova Scotia (\$17.00); New Brunswick (\$14.91); and Prince Edward Island (\$14.19). Nunavut had the highest at \$31.84, followed by the Northwest Territories (\$30.18). Nationally, the average hourly compensation was \$20.83.

Yukon's average hourly compensation per job has decreased in each of the past four years, from \$21.96 in 2011 to \$19.06 in 2015, a difference of \$2.90, or 13.2%.

The average hourly compensation (including all benefits and income accrued to the self-employed) per job in tourism industries in Yukon was \$19.06 in 2015, compared to \$19.88 in 2014; a decrease of \$0.82, or 4.1%. This decrease (-\$0.82) was the largest in Canada in 2015; the largest increase was \$0.72 in Prince Edward Island.

Comparing 2015 to 2007, average hourly compensation has increased by \$2.19, or 13.0%; the second-lowest growth in the country over this period.

The average hourly compensation of tourism industries in Yukon (\$19.06) in 2015 was 56.8% of that for all Yukon industries (\$33.59); the lowest proportion in the last nine years.

In 2015, full-time average hourly wages for workers occupying employee jobs in Yukon tourism industries (including only those employments over 500) was \$16.35; part-time was \$15.46.

Average hourly compensation per job¹ in tourism industries, Canada, provinces, and territories, 2007 to 2015

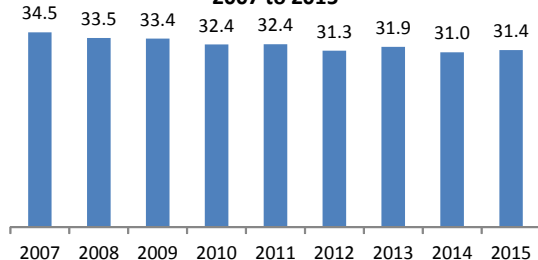
	2007 ^r	2008 ^r	2009 ^r	2010 ^r	2011 ^r	2012 ^r	2013	2014	2015	Percent change 2014 to 2015
	dollars per hour									%
CAN	17.27	17.91	18.52	18.76	19.32	19.45	20.16	20.92	20.83	-0.4
NL	14.97	15.65	17.99	18.80	19.64	20.64	22.13	22.74	22.93	0.8
PEI	11.01	11.60	12.49	13.86	13.53	12.81	13.30	13.47	14.19	5.4
NS	13.37	14.37	14.77	15.33	15.89	16.46	16.21	16.94	17.00	0.4
NB	12.41	13.31	13.08	14.11	14.89	14.28	14.54	14.97	14.91	-0.4
QC	17.42	17.60	18.43	18.11	18.73	19.30	20.00	20.56	20.44	-0.6
ON	17.62	18.07	18.90	19.49	19.77	19.71	20.44	21.26	20.79	-2.2
MB	15.48	16.16	15.86	16.69	17.63	17.58	18.17	18.95	18.49	-2.4
SK	13.24	14.28	15.69	15.67	16.47	16.89	18.68	18.56	19.13	3.1
AB	17.44	19.20	19.71	19.68	20.16	20.50	21.69	23.02	23.27	1.1
BC	18.62	19.23	19.19	19.31	20.20	20.05	20.35	21.00	21.38	1.8
YT	16.88	17.24	17.67	20.62	21.96	20.98	20.95	19.88	19.06	-4.1
NWT	30.12	32.32	36.65	32.05	30.90	27.21	29.74	30.56	30.18	-1.3
NU	24.01	30.81	33.56	40.71	40.30	37.24	32.38	32.56	31.84	-2.2
Total economy Canada	28.06	29.01	29.87	30.20	31.30	32.07	33.00	34.05	34.62	1.7

¹ Hourly compensation includes: wages and salaries (including tips and commissions); supplementary labour income (employer contributions to pension plans and social insurance and health plans); plus imputed labour income and income after expenses accruing to the self-employed.

Source: Statistics Canada, Provincial-Territorial Human Resource Module of the Tourism Satellite Account, 2015 custom data table.

Hours Worked

Average weekly hours worked per job in tourism industries, Yukon, 2007 to 2015



Source: Statistics Canada, Provincial-Territorial Human Resource Module of the Tourism Satellite Account, 2015 custom data table.

The average weekly hours worked per job in Yukon tourism industries was 31.4 in 2015, an increase of 0.4 hours, or 1.2%, compared to 2014.

Yukon's figure (31.4 hours) was the third-highest in Canada in 2015 following the Northwest Territories (31.9 hours) and Newfoundland and Labrador (31.5 hours). However, in 2007, the Yukon figure was 34.5 hours, the second-highest in Canada. The number of hours worked per job has decreased each year since 2007 with the exceptions of 2013 and 2015.

In 2015, full-time average weekly hours worked for workers occupying employee jobs in Yukon tourism industries (including only those employments over 500) was 35.5 hours; part-time was 21.9 hours.

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