

Unpaid Work and Place of Work



Highlights

The following statistics are from the 2001 Census of Canada which occurred on **May 15, 2001**.

Housework & Childcare

About one third of Yukoners (32.4%) did between 5 and 14 hours of unpaid housework in the reference week. The majority of Yukoners (60.1%) reported no hours of unpaid childcare during the reference week.

Place of Work

Yukoners were most likely to report having a usual place of work (82.9%).

Income

Yukoners who reported to a usual workplace were more likely than those who worked at home to have an income greater than \$40,000; those who worked at home were more likely to have an income of less than \$20,000.



Note: For definitions of terms used in this publication, see page 4.

Population 15 Years and Older, by Hours of Unpaid Housework, 2001 Census

	No hours of housework	Less than 5 hours of housework	5 to 14 hours of housework	15 to 29 hours of housework	30 to 59 hours of housework	60 or more hours of housework
Yukon	9.7%	18.9%	32.4%	22.8%	11.2%	5.0%
Canada	10.4%	23.5%	31.5%	19.7%	10.6%	4.3%
Newfoundland	13.0%	16.6%	26.6%	20.5%	14.5%	8.8%
P.E.I.	10.2%	20.2%	30.5%	22.2%	12.6%	4.5%
Nova Scotia	11.2%	20.2%	30.0%	20.7%	12.4%	5.6%
New Brunswick	11.3%	19.9%	29.9%	21.5%	12.3%	5.1%
Quebec	10.9%	26.0%	31.9%	18.8%	9.4%	3.0%
Ontario	10.3%	23.3%	32.0%	20.0%	10.4%	4.1%
Manitoba	9.4%	21.5%	31.1%	20.6%	11.7%	5.7%
Saskatchewan	8.9%	19.8%	29.9%	21.0%	13.5%	7.0%
Alberta	9.4%	23.7%	31.8%	19.3%	10.7%	5.1%
British Columbia	10.1%	23.6%	31.4%	19.7%	10.8%	4.4%
N.W.T.	10.3%	20.6%	32.4%	21.0%	9.5%	6.1%
Nunavut	12.7%	21.5%	28.9%	16.8%	9.9%	10.2%

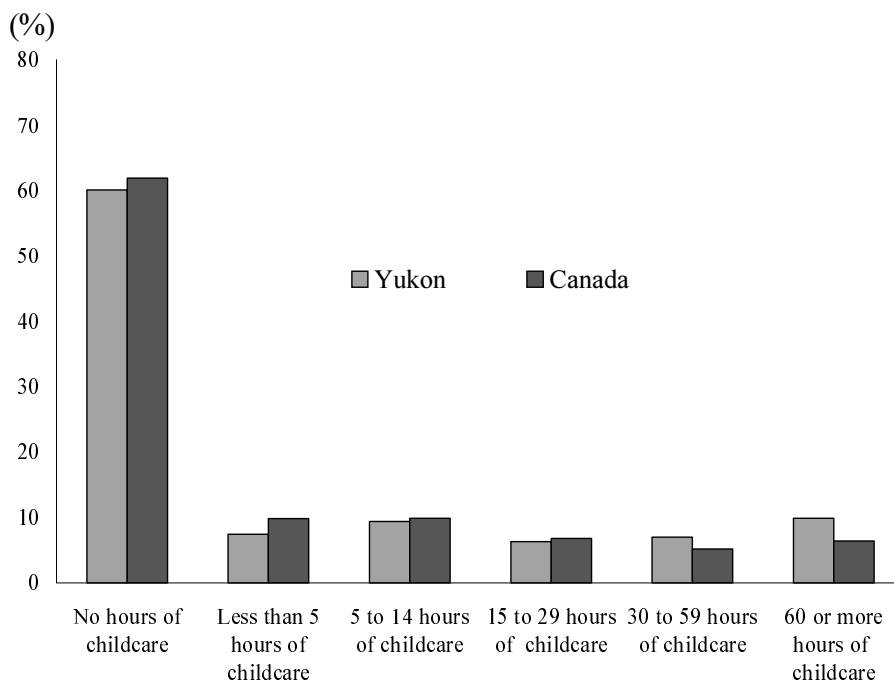
Population 15 Years and Older, Hours of Unpaid Housework, by Sex, Yukon, 2001 Census

	No hours of housework	Less than 5 hours of housework	5 to 14 hours of housework	15 to 29 hours of housework	30 to 59 hours of housework	60 hours or more of housework
Total	9.7%	18.9%	32.4%	22.8%	11.2%	5.0%
Male	12.3%	22.4%	34.6%	18.7%	8.4%	3.6%
Female	7.1%	15.3%	30.3%	26.9%	13.9%	6.4%

Population 15 Years and Older, Hours of Unpaid Housework, by Age, Yukon, 2001 Census

	No hours of housework	Less than 5 hours of housework	5 to 14 hours of housework	15 to 29 hours of housework	30 to 59 hours of housework	60 hours or more of housework
Total - Age groups	9.7%	18.9%	32.4%	22.8%	11.2%	5.0%
15-24 years	18.2%	41.5%	28.1%	7.8%	3.2%	1.4%
25-34 years	7.1%	17.7%	37.1%	21.7%	11.1%	5.3%
35-44 years	5.9%	11.4%	35.8%	26.4%	13.8%	6.6%
45-54 years	6.5%	14.7%	33.7%	29.3%	11.1%	4.8%
55-64 years	10.2%	13.1%	30.3%	25.7%	15.6%	5.4%
65 years and over	17.6%	14.9%	20.1%	24.0%	15.5%	7.9%

Hours of Unpaid Childcare, Yukon, Census 2001



Place of Work

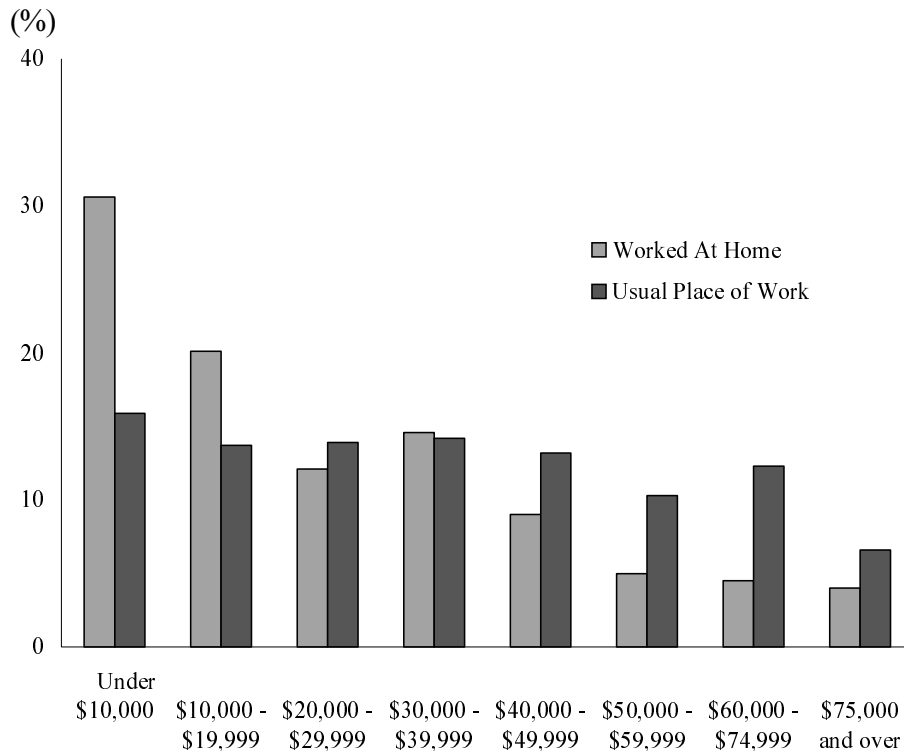
Employed Labour Force 15 Years and Older, by Place of Work Status, Canada, Provinces and Territories, Census 2001

	Worked at home	Non-farming occupations	Worked outside Canada	No fixed workplace address	Usual place of work
Yukon	6.7%	6.5%	0.2%	10.1%	82.9%
Canada	8.0%	6.2%	0.5%	8.7%	82.9%
Newfoundland	6.1%	5.9%	0.3%	8.4%	85.2%
P.E.I.	8.9%	5.8%	0.3%	9.5%	81.3%
Nova Scotia	6.7%	5.9%	0.6%	10.1%	82.6%
New Brunswick	6.2%	5.4%	0.5%	9.2%	84.1%
Quebec	6.5%	5.5%	0.3%	6.6%	86.6%
Ontario	7.1%	6.0%	0.6%	8.2%	84.1%
Manitoba	9.9%	5.3%	0.3%	7.9%	82.0%
Saskatchewan	18.0%	6.1%	0.2%	8.4%	73.4%
Alberta	10.3%	6.6%	0.4%	11.8%	77.5%
British Columbia	9.1%	8.2%	0.6%	11.2%	79.1%
N.W.T.	4.2%	4.2%	0.1%	7.7%	88.1%
Nunavut	4.8%	4.9%	0.0%	9.1%	86.0%

Employed Labour Force 15 Years and Older, by Place of Work Status and Sex, Yukon, Census 2001

	Worked at home	Worked outside Canada	No fixed workplace address	Usual place of work
Total	6.7%	0.2%	10.1%	82.9%
Male	7.0%	0.3%	16.9%	75.7%
Female	6.5%	0.0%	3.4%	90.0%

Employed Labour Force, 15 Years and Older, by Place of Work Status and Income, Yukon, Census 2001



Notes

Place of work status: Refers to the place of work of non-institutional residents 15 years of age and over who have worked since January 1, 2000. The variable usually relates to the individual's job held in the week prior to enumeration. However, if the person had not worked during that week but had worked at some time since January 1, 2000, the information relates to the job held longest during that period.

Worked at home: Persons whose job is located in the same building as their place of residence, persons who live and work on the same farm, and teleworkers who spend most of their work week working at home.

Worked outside Canada: Persons who worked as diplomats, Armed Forces personnel and other persons enumerated abroad. Includes also recent immigrants who may not currently be employed but whose job of longest duration since January 1, 2000 was held outside Canada.

No fixed workplace: Persons who do not go from home to the same workplace location at the beginning of each shift. Such persons include building and landscape contractors, travelling salespersons, independent truck drivers, etc.

Usual place of work: Persons who are not included in the categories described above and who report to the same (usual) workplace location at the beginning of each shift.

Unpaid housework: Refers to the number of hours spent doing unpaid housework, yard work or home maintenance in the week (Sunday to Saturday) prior to Census Day. It includes hours spent doing housework for one's own household or the household of others. Data are available for persons 15 years of age and over, excluding institutional residents.

Unpaid childcare: Refers to the number of hours persons spent taking care of their own or someone else's children without pay in the week (Sunday to Saturday) prior to Census Day. Data are available for persons 15 years of age and over, excluding institutional residents.

