



Monthly Labour Force Survey Statistics
January 2019

CALGARY CMA

Table 282-0135 Labour force survey estimates (LFS), by census metropolitan area based on 2011 census boundaries, 3-month moving average, seasonally adjusted, monthly (persons unless otherwise noted)

	January 2018	December 2018	January 2019	# Change December 2018 - January 2019	% Change December 2018 - January 2019	# Change January 2018 - January 2019	% Change January 2018 - January 2019
Population (x 1,000)	1,230.7	1,255.2	1,257.4	2.2	0.2%	26.7	2.2%
Labour force (x 1,000)	909.6	910.8	912.3	1.5	0.2%	2.7	0.3%
Employment (x 1,000)	838.6	842.6	845.5	2.9	0.3%	6.9	0.8%
Unemployment (x 1,000)	71.0	68.2	66.8	-1.4	-2.1%	-4.2	-5.9%
Unemployment rate (rate)	7.8%	7.5%	7.3%	-0.2%		-0.5%	
Participation rate (rate)	73.9%	72.6%	72.6%	0.0%		-1.3%	
Employment rate (rate)	68.1%	67.1%	67.2%	0.1%		-0.9%	

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Table 282-0128 Labour force survey estimates (LFS), by census metropolitan area based on 2011 census boundaries, 3-month moving average, unadjusted for seasonality, monthly (persons unless otherwise noted)

	January 2018	December 2018	January 2019	# Change December 2018 - January 2019	% Change December 2018 - January 2019	# Change January 2018 - January 2019	% Change January 2018 - January 2019
Population (x 1,000)	1,230.7	1,255.2	1,257.4	2.2	0.2%	26.7	2.2%
Labour force (x 1,000)	905.2	905.7	908.4	2.7	0.3%	3.2	0.4%
Employment (x 1,000)	837.8	841.9	845.6	3.7	0.4%	7.8	0.9%
Full-time employment (x 1,000)	680.1	680.4	682.1	1.7	0.2%	2.0	0.3%
Part-time employment (x 1,000)	157.7	161.5	163.5	2.0	1.2%	5.8	3.7%
Unemployment (x 1,000)	67.4	63.8	62.8	-1.0	-1.6%	-4.6	-6.8%
Not in labour force (x 1,000)	325.6	349.5	349.0	-0.5	-0.1%	23.4	7.2%
Unemployment rate (rate)	7.4%	7.0%	6.9%	-0.1%		-0.5%	
Participation rate (rate)	73.6%	72.2%	72.2%	0.0%		-1.4%	
Employment rate (rate)	68.1%	67.1%	67.2%	0.1%		-0.9%	

Province of Alberta

Table 282-0087 Labour force survey estimates (LFS), by sex and age group, seasonally adjusted, monthly (persons unless otherwise noted)

	Januar 2018	December 2018	January 2019	# Change December 2018 - January 2019	% Change December 2018 - January 2019	# Change January 2018 - January 2019	% Change January 2018 - January 2019
Population (x 1,000)	3,447.3	3,493.9	3,498.9	5.0	0.1%	51.6	1.5%
Labour force (x 1,000)	2,489.4	2,501.7	2,495.7	-6.0	-0.24%	6.3	0.3%
Employment (x 1,000)	2,315.7	2,341.9	2,326.4	-15.5	-0.7%	10.7	0.5%
Employment full-time (x 1,000)	1,918.8	1,919.0	1,904.4	-14.6	-0.8%	-14.4	-0.8%
Employment part-time (x 1,000)	396.8	422.9	422.0	-0.9	-0.2%	25.2	6.4%
Unemployment (x 1,000)	173.7	159.8	169.3	9.5	5.9%	-4.4	-2.5%
Unemployment rate (rate)	7.0%	6.4%	6.8%	0.4%		-0.2%	
Participation rate (rate)	72.2%	71.6%	71.3%	-0.3%		-0.9%	
Employment rate (rate)	67.2%	67.0%	66.5%	-0.5%		-0.7%	

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Table 282-0088 Labour force survey estimates (LFS), employment by North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), seasonally adjusted, monthly (persons x 1,000)

	January 2017	December 2018	January 2019	# Change December 2018 - January 2019	% Change December 2018 - January 2019	# Change January 2018 - January 2019	% Change January 2018 - January 2019
Total Employed - All Industries	2,315.7	2,341.9	2,326.4	-15.5	-0.7%	10.7	0.5%
Goods-Producing Sector	594.3	601.2	591.9	-9.3	-1.5%	-2.4	-0.4%
Agriculture	50.8	48.4	45.7	-2.7	-5.6%	-5.1	-10.0%
Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Quarrying, Oil and Gas	152.5	151.6	149.5	-2.1	-1.4%	-3.0	-2.0%
Utilities	21.3	23.8	21.9	-1.9	-8.0%	0.6	2.8%
Construction	240.4	241.2	237.5	-3.7	-1.5%	-2.9	-1.2%
Manufacturing	129.2	136.3	137.4	1.1	0.8%	8.2	6.3%
Services-Producing Sector	1,721.4	1,740.7	1,734.5	-6.2	-0.4%	13.1	0.8%
Wholesale & Retail Trade	335.3	325.0	332.7	7.7	2.4%	-2.6	-0.8%
Transportation and Warehousing	144.6	139.8	134.4	-5.4	-3.9%	-10.2	-7.1%
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	109.7	102.9	105.0	2.1	2.0%	-4.7	-4.3%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	178.9	181.3	177.4	-3.9	-2.2%	-1.5	-0.8%
Business, Building and Other Support Services	84.2	92.4	92.2	-0.2	-0.2%	8.0	9.5%
Educational Services	155.3	154.3	154.1	-0.2	-0.1%	-1.2	-0.8%
Health Care and Social Assistance	269.4	289.5	285.3	-4.2	-1.5%	15.9	5.9%
Information, Culture and Recreation	75.7	77.3	77.1	-0.2	-0.3%	1.4	1.8%
Accommodation and Food Services	149.7	149.4	144.2	-5.2	-3.5%	-5.5	-3.7%
Other Services	114.4	118.1	118.9	0.8	0.7%	4.5	3.9%
Public Administration	104.2	110.6	113.1	2.5	2.3%	8.9	8.5%

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	January 2018	December 2018	January 2019	# Change December 2018 - January 2019	% Change December 2018 - January 2019	# Change January 2018 - January 2019	% Change January 2018 - January 2019
Population (x 1,000)	30,094.5	30,485.2	30,526.6	41.4	0.1%	432.1	1.4%
Labour force (x 1,000)	19,705.0	19,932.2	20,035.9	103.7	0.52%	330.9	1.7%
Employment (x 1,000)	18,546.7	18,807.1	18,873.9	66.8	0.355%	327.2	1.8%
Employment full-time (x 1,000)	15,118.7	15,253.4	15,284.3	30.9	0.2%	165.6	1.1%
Employment part-time (x 1,000)	3,428.0	3,553.7	3,589.7	36.0	1.0%	161.7	4.7%
Unemployment (x 1,000)	1,158.2	1,125.1	1,162.0	36.9	3.3%	3.8	0.3%
Unemployment rate (rate)	5.9%	5.6%	5.8%	0.2%		-0.1%	
Participation rate (rate)	65.5%	65.4%	65.6%	0.2%		0.1%	
Employment rate (rate)	61.6%	61.7%	61.8%	0.1%		0.2%	

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Total Employed - All Industries	18,546.7	18,807.1	18,873.9	66.8	0.4%	327.2	1.8%
Goods-Producing Sector	3,936.6	3,969.5	3,937.2	-32.3	-0.8%	0.6	0.0%
Agriculture	276.9	283.8	274.9	-8.9	-3.1%	-2.0	-0.7%
Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Quarrying, Oil and Gas	332.2	344.1	339.5	-4.6	-1.3%	7.3	2.2%
Utilities	132.9	148.7	143.9	-4.8	-3.2%	11.0	8.3%
Construction	1,432.0	1,453.4	1,444.9	-8.5	-0.6%	12.9	0.9%
Manufacturing	1,762.5	1,739.5	1,734.0	-5.5	-0.3%	-28.5	-1.6%
Services-Producing Sector	14,610.2	14,837.6	14,936.8	99.2	0.7%	326.6	2.2%
Trade	2,835.5	2,774.5	2,808.4	33.9	1.2%	-27.1	-1.0%
Transportation and Warehousing	965.1	1,026.7	1,041.4	14.7	1.4%	76.3	7.9%
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	1,175.8	1,166.1	1,167.6	1.5	0.1%	-8.2	-0.7%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	1,446.0	1,489.2	1,517.7	28.5	1.9%	71.7	5.0%
Business, Building and Other Support Services	764.8	813.5	809.1	-4.4	-0.5%	44.3	5.8%
Educational Services	1,289.3	1,340.8	1,347.8	7.0	0.5%	58.5	4.5%
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,368.9	2,456.2	2,462.3	6.1	0.2%	93.4	3.9%
Information, Culture and Recreation	800.1	759.8	760.6	0.8	0.1%	-39.5	-4.9%
Accommodation and Food Services	1,217.6	1,246.8	1,232.1	-14.7	-1.2%	14.5	1.2%
Other Services	795.2	805.8	810.3	4.5	0.6%	15.1	1.9%
Public Administration	952.0	958.3	979.4	21.1	2.2%	27.4	2.9%

Unemployment Rates for Key Markets

	January 2018	December 2018	January 2019
Calgary	7.8%	7.5%	7.3%
Alberta	7.0%	6.4%	6.8%
Canada	5.9%	5.6%	5.8%
Montreal	5.9%	6.0%	6.1%
Ottawa	5.0%	5.0%	5.2%
Toronto	5.9%	5.0%	5.2%
Edmonton	7.1%	6.3%	6.4%
Vancouver	4.1%	4.5%	4.8%
Winnipeg	5.9%	5.8%	5.7%
Regina	4.7%	5.7%	4.8%
Saskatoon	7.4%	5.6%	5.8%
Wood Buffalo	6.3%	5.1%	5.6%

Facts & Figures

Highest Unemployment Rate during 2008-2010 downturn: 7.5% in January 2010

Highest Unemployment Rate during 1992-1996 downturn: 10.8% in July 1993
Number of additional jobs we would need to lose to reach this level: 31,728
(or amount labour force would need to grow by with no additional new jobs)

Highest Unemployment Rate during 1982-1985 downturn: 13.2% in March 1983
Number of additional jobs we would need to lose to reach this level: 53,624
(or amount labour force would need to grow by with no additional new jobs)

The last time Calgary had negative employment growth:

Between November 2009 and May 2010 Calgary lost 12,900 jobs.

Between November 2008 and July 2009 Calgary lost 27,000 jobs.

From peak employment in November 2008 to the lowest level reached in May 2010 - 33,400 jobs were lost in Calgary.

Calgary lost a small number of jobs July-August 2012 (2,400), again in March 2013 (3,200), and again (3,300) in February to April 2014.

Calgary

Number of jobs gained/lost in 2014:	17,600
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2015:	(8,100)
Number of jobs gained/lost December 2014 to June 2016:	(13,300)
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2016:	14,400
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2017:	15,500
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2018:	10,100
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2019:	

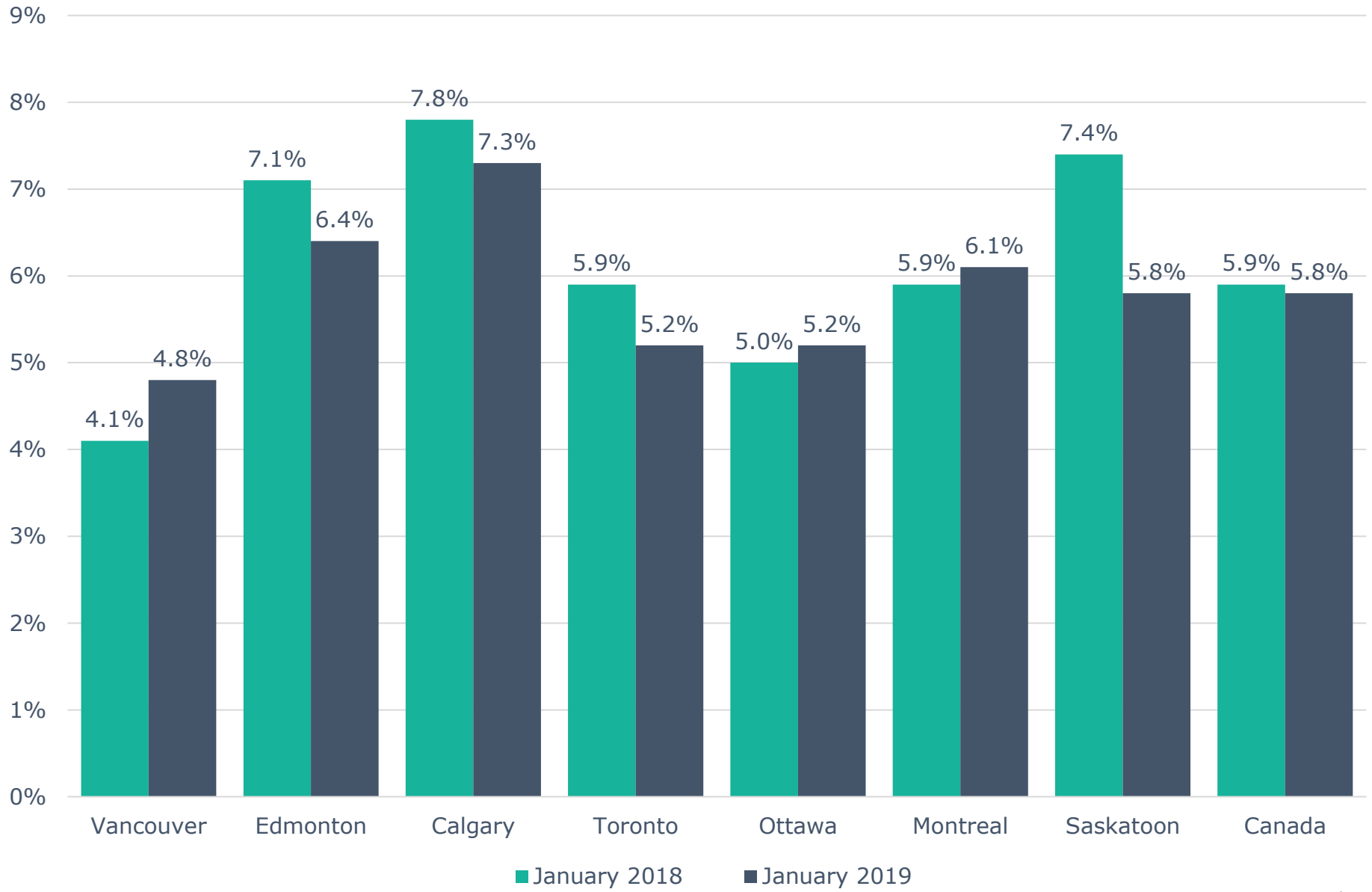
Alberta

Number of jobs gained/lost in 2014:	59,900
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2015:	(20,500)
Number of jobs gained/lost December 2014 to June 2016:	(46,100)
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2016:	(15,700)
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2017:	54,900
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2018:	21,300
Number of jobs gained/lost in 2019:	

Source: Table 282-0135 (Calgary, Table 282-0087 (Alberta), Statistics Canada

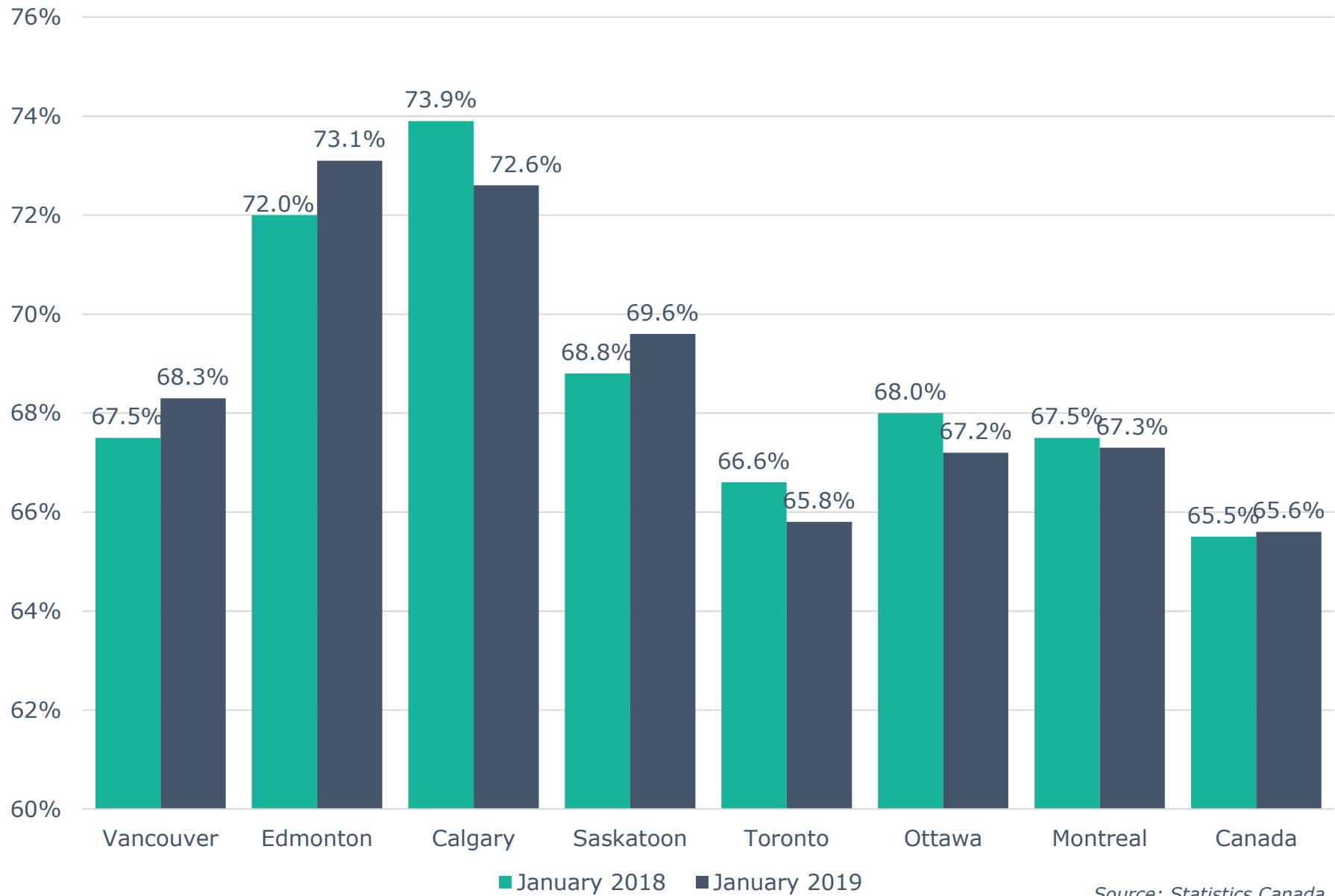
Note: Labour Force Survey, Employment, Seasonally Adjusted

Unemployment Rate Across Canada



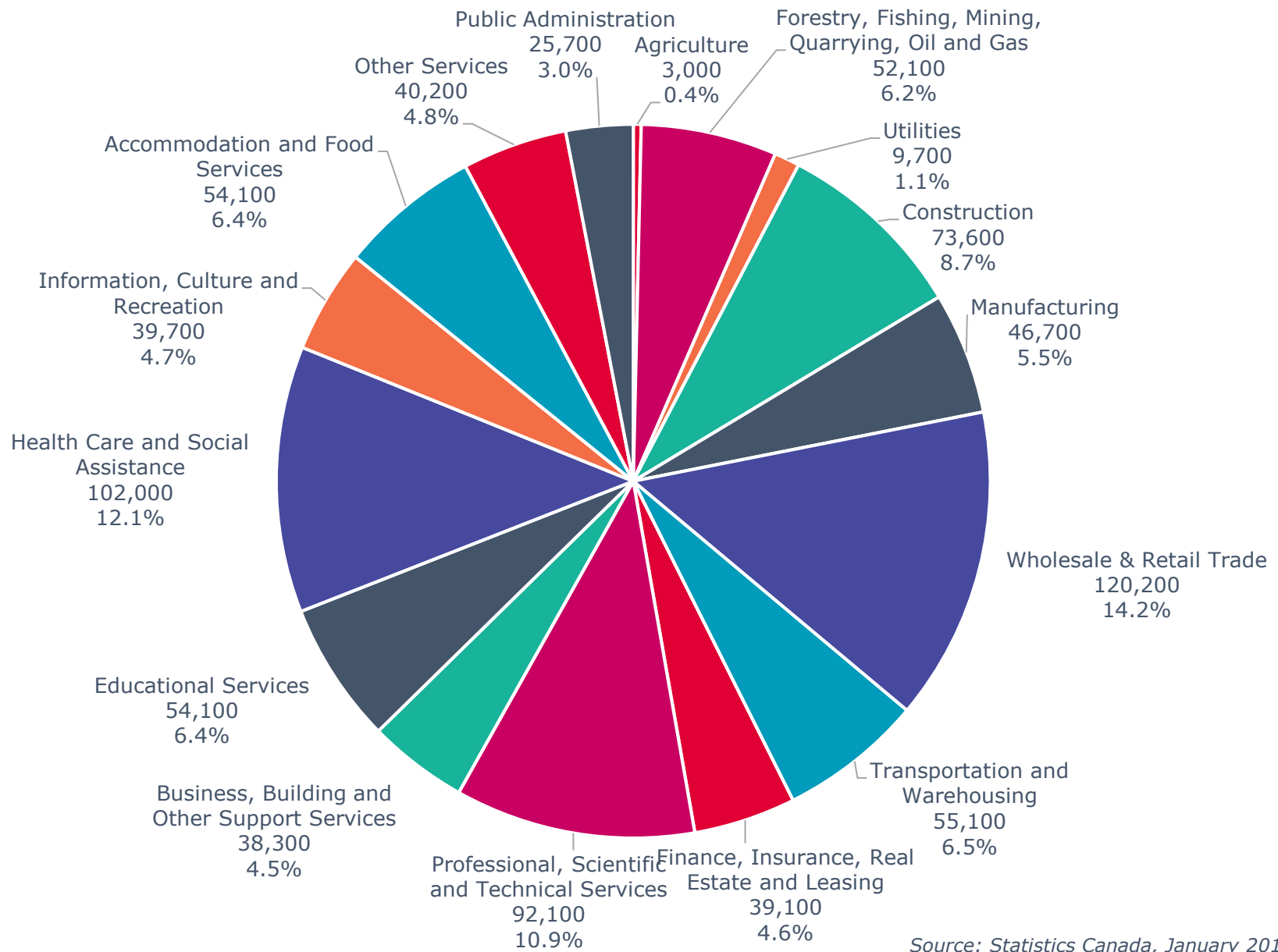
Source: Statistics Canada

Labour Force Participation Rate Across Canada



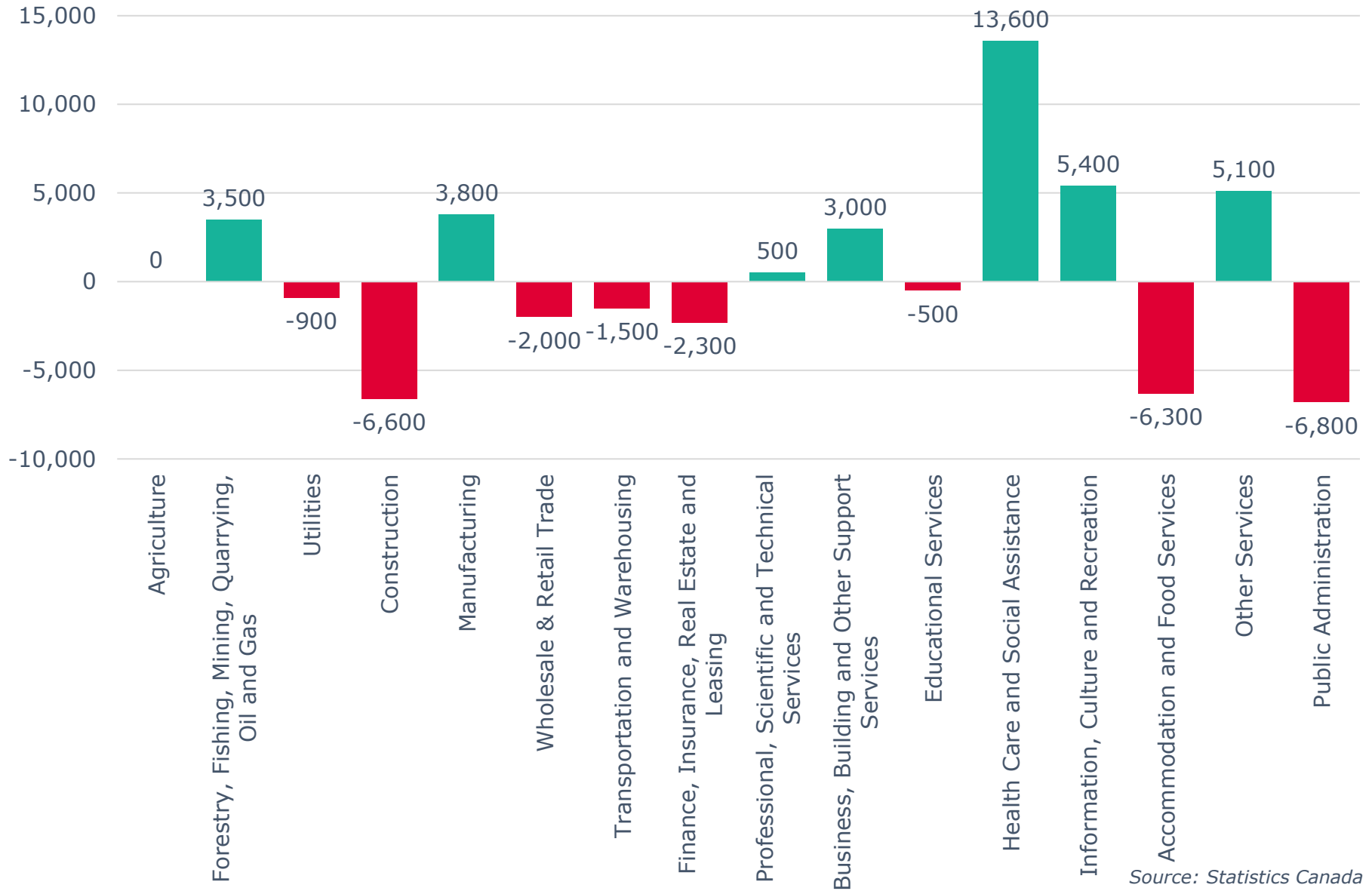
Source: Statistics Canada

Calgary CMA Employment by Industry (842,000)



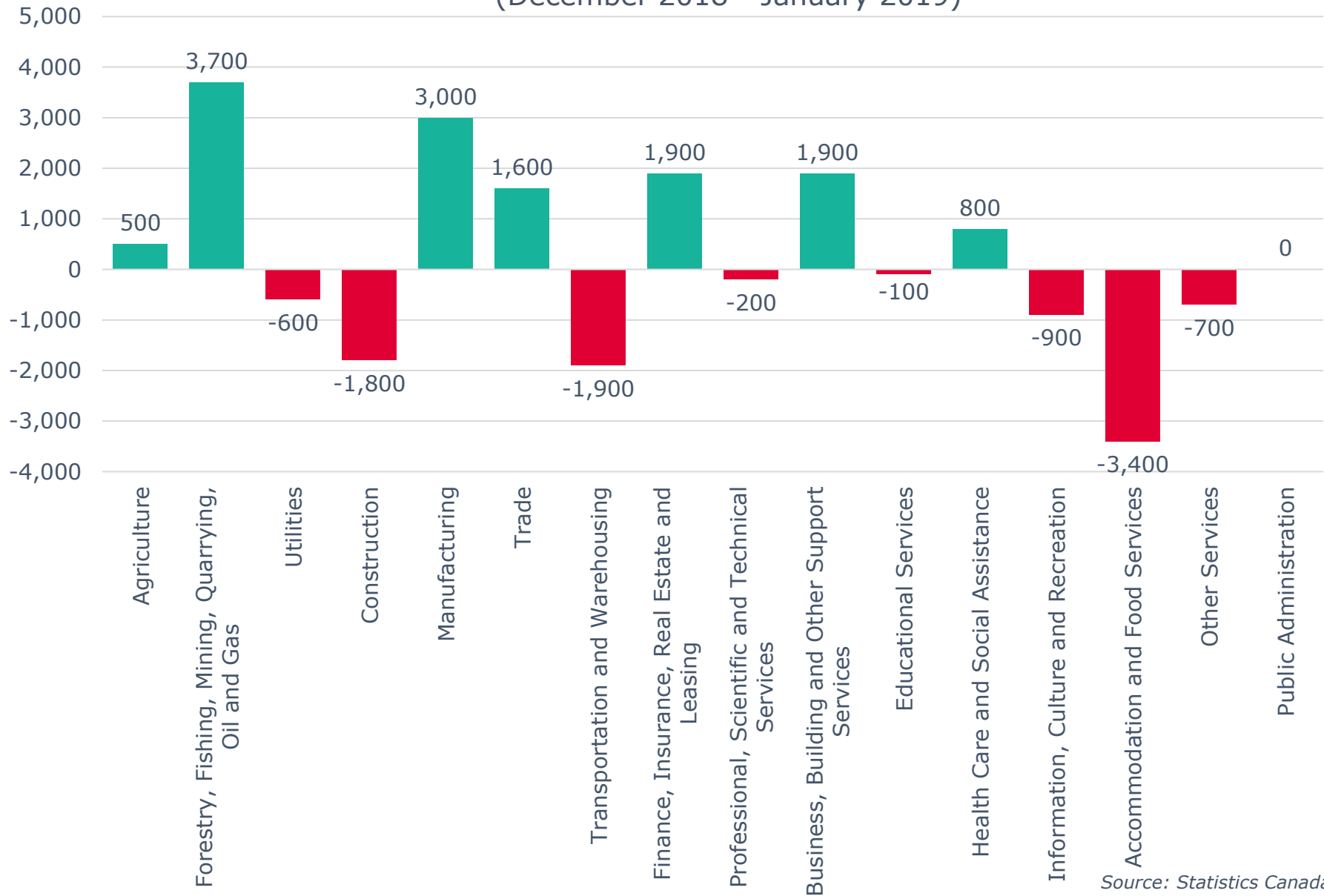
Source: Statistics Canada, January 2019

Calgary CMA 12-Month Net Jobs Gained or Lost by Industry (January 2019)



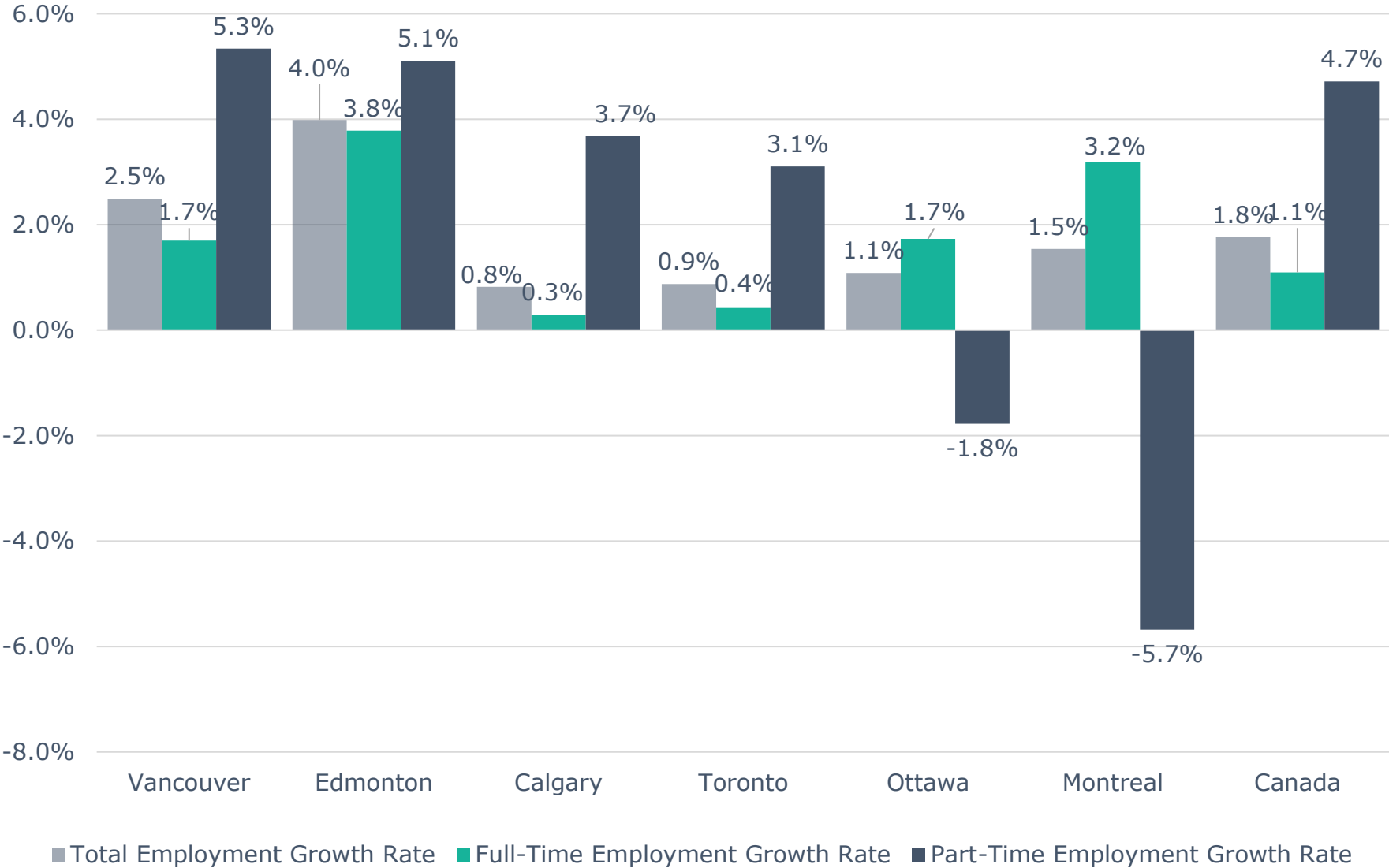
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Calgary CMA Monthly Net Jobs Gained or Lost by Industry (December 2018 - January 2019)



Source: Statistics Canada

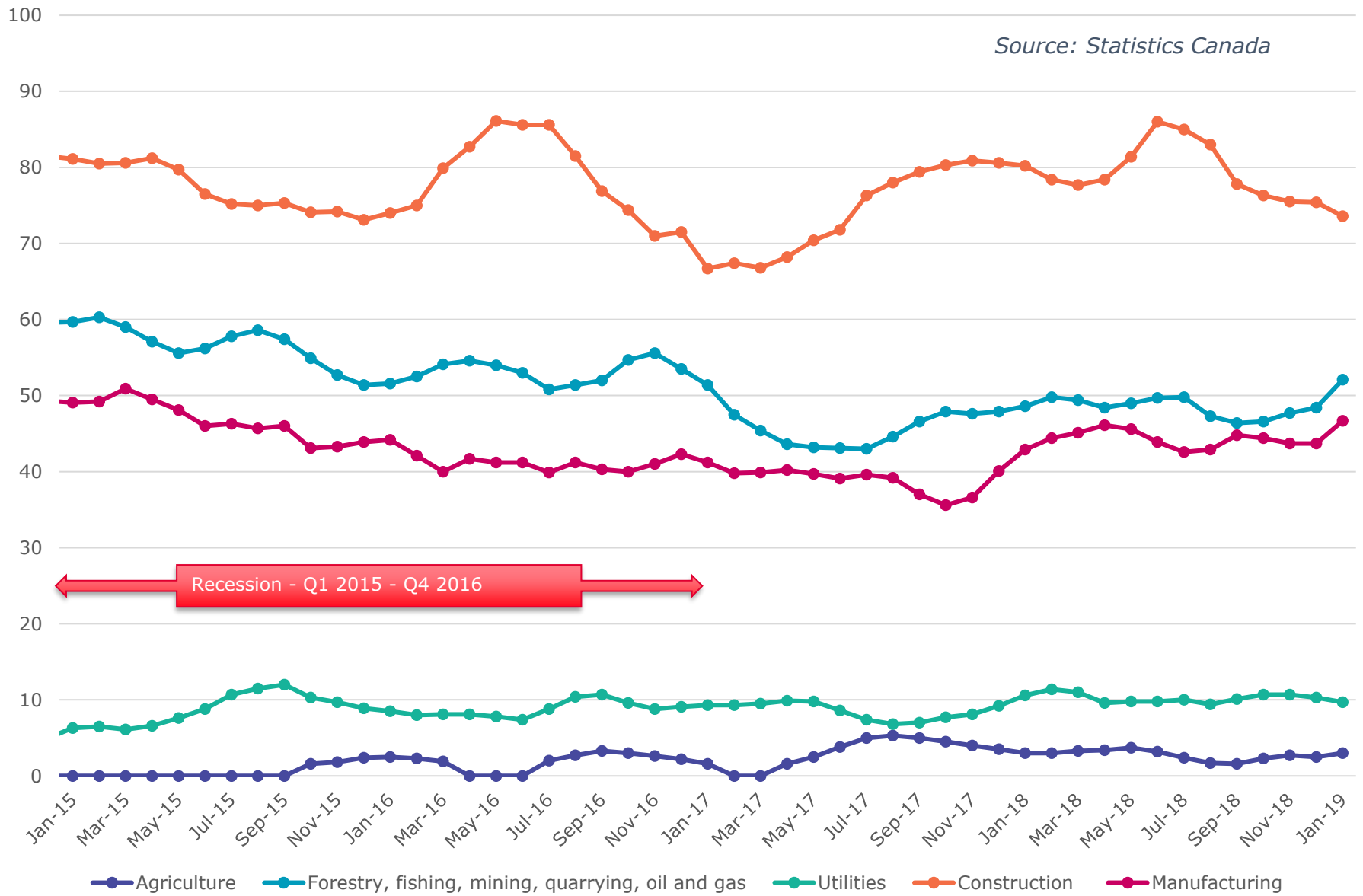
Annual Employment Growth



Source: Statistics Canada, January 2018 - January 2019

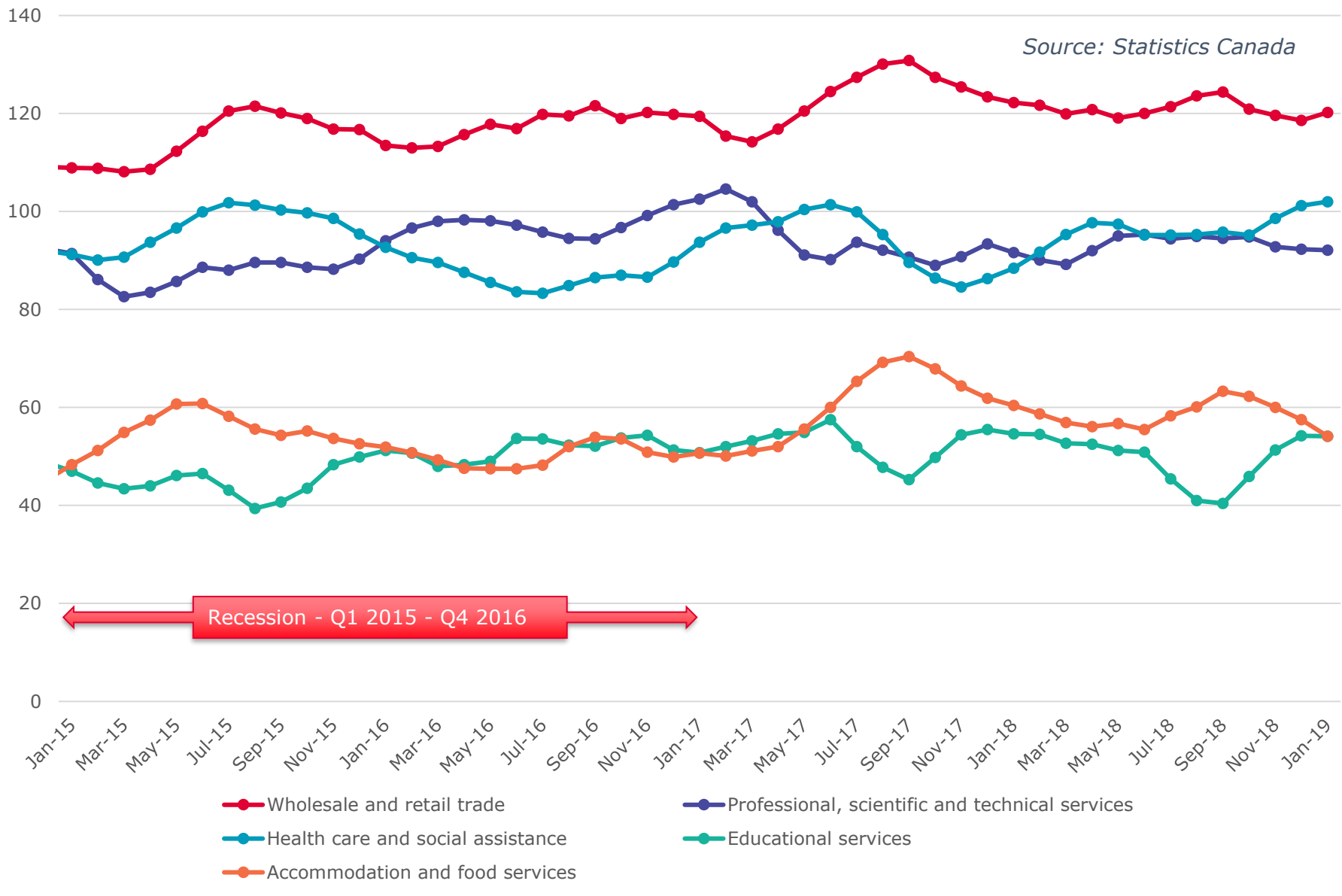
Calgary CMA Goods Producing Sectors - Number of Employees (In thousands)

Source: Statistics Canada



Calgary CMA Largest 5 Services Sector by Number of Employees (In thousands)

Source: Statistics Canada



Calgary CMA Smallest 6 Service Sectors by Number of Employees (In thousands)

