

Table 18

## CANADIAN LABOUR FORCE

|      | <u>Labour Force</u><br>(Thousands) | <u>Total</u><br><u>Employment</u><br>(Thousands) | <u>Employment in</u><br><u>Manufacturing</u><br><u>Industries</u><br>(Thousands) | <u>Employment</u><br><u>in Services</u><br><u>Industries</u><br>(Thousands) | <u>Participation</u><br><u>Rate</u><br>(Percent) | <u>Unemployment</u><br><u>Rate</u><br>(Percent) |
|------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| 1976 | 10,530                             | 9,776                                            | 3,359                                                                            | 6,417                                                                       | 61.5                                             | 7.2                                             |
| 1977 | 10,860                             | 9,978                                            | 3,322                                                                            | 6,656                                                                       | 62.1                                             | 8.1                                             |
| 1978 | 11,265                             | 10,320                                           | 3,420                                                                            | 6,900                                                                       | 63.1                                             | 8.4                                             |
| 1979 | 11,630                             | 10,761                                           | 3,585                                                                            | 7,176                                                                       | 64.0                                             | 7.5                                             |
| 1980 | 11,983                             | 11,082                                           | 3,630                                                                            | 7,452                                                                       | 64.6                                             | 7.5                                             |
| 1981 | 12,332                             | 11,398                                           | 3,706                                                                            | 7,692                                                                       | 65.3                                             | 7.6                                             |
| 1982 | 12,398                             | 11,035                                           | 3,379                                                                            | 7,656                                                                       | 64.7                                             | 11.0                                            |
| 1983 | 12,610                             | 11,106                                           | 3,320                                                                            | 7,785                                                                       | 64.9                                             | 11.9                                            |
| 1984 | 12,853                             | 11,402                                           | 3,427                                                                            | 7,976                                                                       | 65.3                                             | 11.3                                            |
| 1985 | 13,123                             | 11,742                                           | 3,449                                                                            | 8,291                                                                       | 65.8                                             | 10.5                                            |
| 1986 | 13,378                             | 12,095                                           | 3,519                                                                            | 8,575                                                                       | 66.3                                             | 9.6                                             |
| 1987 | 13,631                             | 12,422                                           | 3,605                                                                            | 8,818                                                                       | 66.7                                             | 8.9                                             |
| 1988 | 13,900                             | 12,819                                           | 3,737                                                                            | 9,080                                                                       | 67.2                                             | 7.8                                             |
| 1989 | 14,151                             | 13,086                                           | 3,786                                                                            | 9,300                                                                       | 67.5                                             | 7.5                                             |
| 1990 | 14,329                             | 13,165                                           | 3,668                                                                            | 9,497                                                                       | 67.3                                             | 8.1                                             |
| 1991 | 14,408                             | 12,916                                           | 3,440                                                                            | 9,476                                                                       | 66.7                                             | 10.4                                            |
| 1992 | 14,482                             | 12,842                                           | 3,300                                                                            | 9,542                                                                       | 65.9                                             | 11.3                                            |
| 1993 | 14,663                             | 13,015                                           | 3,297                                                                            | 9,717                                                                       | 65.5                                             | 11.2                                            |
| 1994 | 14,832                             | 13,292                                           | 3,401                                                                            | 9,889                                                                       | 65.3                                             | 10.4                                            |

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