

Employment by occupation, annual average, in thousands - Metro Vancouver

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total employed	996.0	1032.1	1039.1	1072.1	1103.5	1127.5	1155.7	1187.1	1222.7	1241.6	1234.2
Management occupations	108.7	116.2	100.4	99.5	102.7	107.2	107.0	121.8	119.5	123.8	120.6
Senior management occupations	4.4	8.2	5.2	5.5	7.5	8.1	7.7	8.4	11.5	8.1	7.5
Other management occupations	104.3	108.0	95.2	94.1	95.3	99.0	99.3	113.4	108	115.8	113.1
Business, finance and administrative occupations	206.2	203.2	203.2	207.5	222.7	219.5	231.3	220.5	233.8	243.0	238.2
Professional occupations in business and finance	40.9	31.5	39.2	41.3	42.1	46.4	44.0	40.6	51.9	50.6	53.9
Financial, secretarial and administrative occupations	59.5	54.3	50.6	50.5	56.7	54.8	55.7	54.6	55.9	63.8	68.2
Clerical occupations, including supervisors	105.8	117.4	113.3	115.7	123.9	118.3	131.6	125.2	125.9	128.6	116.1
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	79.1	74.4	72.1	71.9	77.1	74.4	83.2	95.1	86.4	96.0	86
Health occupations	49.9	53.9	50.0	58.8	59.2	63.6	60.6	65.3	68.1	64.1	74.7
Professional occupations in health, nurse supervisors and registered nurses	26.1	29.5	25.5	30.8	31.9	32.8	31.2	31.4	31.8	35.1	41.4
Technical, assisting and related occupations in health	23.7	24.5	24.5	27.9	27.3	30.8	29.3	33.9	36.4	29.1	33.3
Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	71.8	78.6	79.0	94.3	92.4	88.3	98.9	101.1	101.9	110.3	111.3
Occupations in social science, government service and religion	37.5	42.6	39.9	49.1	47.0	45.4	48.5	46.4	47.2	54.9	59
Teachers and professors	34.3	36.0	39.0	45.3	45.3	43.0	50.4	54.7	54.7	55.4	52.2
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	43.0	40.1	36.7	41.8	42.2	49.9	45.4	49.1	49.6	45.6	57.1
Sales and service occupations	250.7	261.0	295.3	298.0	299.4	301.9	298.1	297.5	312.9	317.0	321.3
Wholesale, technical, insurance, real estate sales specialists, and retail, wholesale and grain buyers	40.7	40.2	50.7	53.1	50.7	48.9	51.9	53.8	54.3	56.2	59.4
Retail salespersons, sales clerks, cashiers, including retail trade supervisors	59.9	60.5	68.2	73.5	74.9	71.1	73.7	70.6	76.7	70.5	79.7
Chefs and cooks, and occupations in food and beverage service, including supervisors	37.7	42.2	45.0	40.1	42.1	46.7	44.2	49.8	50.1	46.9	40
Occupation in protective services	13.4	16.6	16.3	15.7	18.9	18.1	18.0	14	14.8	17.1	21.1
Childcare and home support workers	17.3	16.2	16.5	17.1	13.4	17.8	15.6	13.8	14.7	19.9	17.1
Sales and service occupations not elsewhere classified, including occupations in travel and accommodation, attendants in recreation and sport as well as supervisors	81.7	85.4	98.7	98.5	99.6	99.3	94.7	95.6	102.4	106.3	104
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	133.3	136.0	140.7	136.7	141.3	152.4	162.4	164.8	180.1	178.8	161.2
Contractors and supervisors in trades and transportation	11.8	12.7	15.8	15.6	12.9	17.5	14.5	15.4	18.7	20.8	19.3
Construction trades	23.7	21.9	20.7	23.9	19.6	26.1	31.8	33.2	31.4	31.4	29.4
Other trades occupations	44.6	46.1	51.4	47.1	50.7	50.1	52.1	52.8	59.3	59.2	51.9
Transport and equipment operators	32.1	33.2	32.1	31.5	34.9	36.9	40.4	34	42.2	37.5	34.9
Trades helpers, construction, and transportation labourers and related occupations	21.1	22.2	20.7	18.5	23.1	21.7	23.5	29.3	28.6	29.9	25.7
Occupations unique to primary industry	12.8	18.6	16.1	15.5	18.8	19.5	19.9	20.7	17.8	16.9	19.7
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	40.5	50.0	45.7	48.2	47.7	50.8	48.9	51.1	52.6	46.1	44.1
Machine operators and assemblers in manufacturing, including supervisors	33.8	41.8	37.8	41.8	39.2	40.1	37.3	41.9	41.8	37.0	34.1
Labourer in processing, manufacturing and utilities	6.7	8.2	7.9	6.4	8.5	10.7	11.7	9.2	10.8	9.1	10

Note: 0.0 are estimates with less than 1,500 employed.

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Statistics Division, Labour Force Survey.