

COMMUNITY PROFILE
Chilliwack, British Columbia

LABOUR & INDUSTRY

Leading Employers

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Company	Sector
Chilliwack School District #33	Public Sector
Chilliwack General Hospital	Healthcare
Rainbow Greenhouses	Agriculture
City of Chilliwack	Public Sector
Overwaitea Food Group	Food and Grocery
Chilliwack Society for Community Living	Healthcare
RCMP	Public Sector
Devry Greenhouses	Agriculture
University of the Fraser Valley	Education
Hub International	Services
Meadow Valley Meats	Food Processing
Sto:lo Nation - First Nation Govt.	Public Sector
Tycrop Manufacturing	Manufacturing and Technology
Westeck Windows	Manufacturing
Fraser Valley Specialty Poultry	Agriculture/Processing
Woodtone	Manufacturing
Walmart	Retail Trade
Visscher Group of Companies	Forestry and Manufacturing
Masonite International	Manufacturing
Fraser Valley Regional District	Public Sector
Canadian Tire	Retail Trade
Clean Energy Compression	Manufacturing and Technology
Five Corners Meat Co	Food Processing
Langley Concrete	Manufacturing
Molson Coors	Food Processing

Chilliwack continues to undergo significant business growth and urban development. In the last ten years, Chilliwack business licenses have more than doubled to reach a total of over 4,895 business licenses, with an average of approximately 500 new business licences each year.

Employment by Industry (NAICS)

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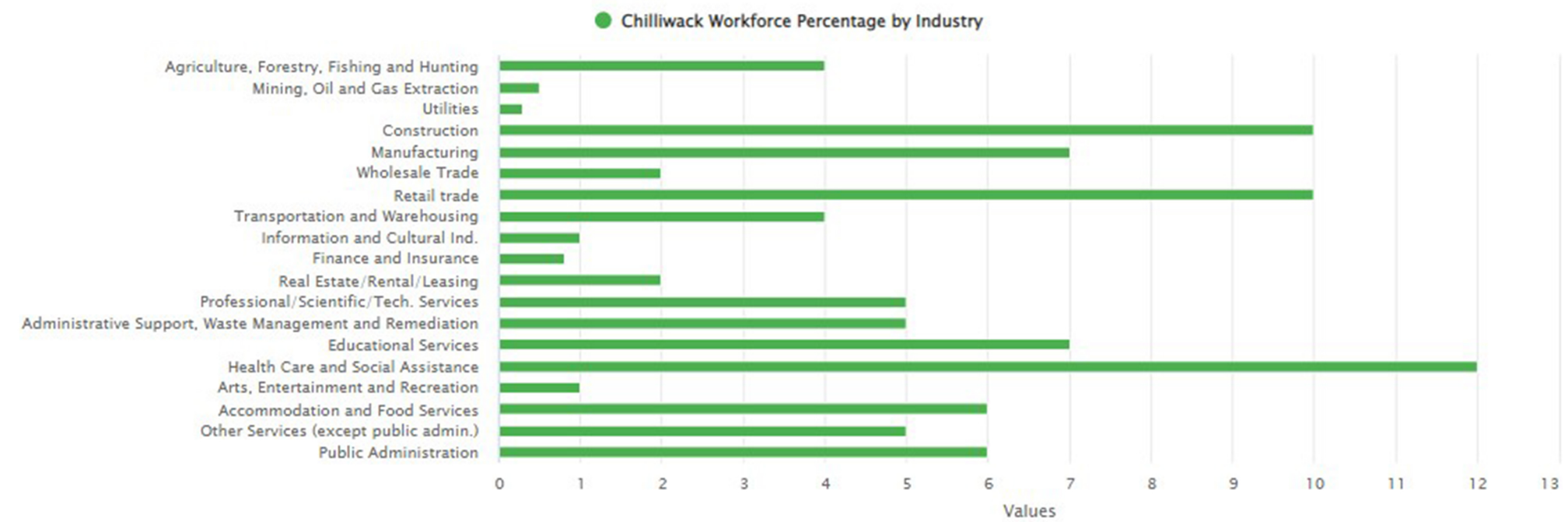
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INDUSTRY	BRITISH COLUMBIA	BRITISH COLUMBIA %	CHILLIWACK	CHILLIWACK %
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	60,320	2.00	2,305	4.00
Mining, Oil and Gas Extraction	24,955	1.00	285	0.50
Utilities	14,820	0.50	185	0.30
Construction	234,345	9.00	5,655	10.00
Manufacturing	152,790	6.00	3,965	7.00
Wholesale Trade	80,165	3.00	1,260	2.00
Retail trade	301,060	11.00	5,625	10.00
Transportation and Warehousing	142,230	5.00	2,195	4.00
Information and Cultural Ind.	71,295	3.00	430	1.00
Finance and Insurance	95,560	4.00	1,120	0.80
Real Estate/Rental/Leasing	59,155	2.00	925	2.00
Professional/Scientific/Tech. Services	238,650	9.00	2,680	5.00
Administrative Support, Waste Management and Remediation	110,215	4.00	2,500	5.00
Educational Services	192,855	7.00	4,020	7.00
Health Care and Social Assistance	319,525	12.00	6,415	12.00
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	60,775	2.00	945	1.00
Accommodation and Food Services	182,105	7.00	3,510	6.00
Other Services (except public admin.)	113,780	4.00	2,640	5.00
Public Administration	142,730	5.00	3,755	6.00

Work Force	Chilliwack	BC
POPULATION (15 YEARS)	66,310	3.9M
LABOUR FORCE	42,065	2.5M
EMPLOYED	39,355	2.3M
PARTICIPATION	63.4%	63.9%
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.4%	6.7%
FULL-TIME	52.3%	31%
PART-TIME	52.2%	36%

British Columbia's south west Lower Mainland is home to about 70% of the province's workforce. There were 1.5 million people working in the region in 2016. The Labour Market outlook for the next decade shows that about 40% of new jobs will be attributed to new growth, while about 60% will be attributed to the replacement of retiring workers.



Labour Type

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Industry	British Columbia	Chilliwack
Management	11.13%	10.41%
Business, Finance, Administration	14.93%	12.73%
Natural, Applied Sciences, and Related	6.53%	3.92%
Health	6.59%	6.75%
Education, Law, Social Services	10.89%	12.39%
Art, Culture, Recreation, Sport	3.77%	2.21%
Sales, Service	24.08%	22.62%
Trades, Transport, Equipment OPs, and Related	14.60%	18.77%
Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Related	2.60%	4.36%
Manufacturing and Utilities	3.10%	3.90%

Labour Quality

Population by Highest Educational Attainment (15+Yrs.)

