

Table 6
Workforce participation of mothers by age of youngest child – 2001 (rounded estimate)

Province/ Territory	Youngest child less than 3 years old		Youngest child 3-5 years old		Youngest child 6-15 years old	
	No. of mothers in the workforce	(%)	No. of mothers in the workforce	(%)	No. of mothers in the workforce	(%)
Newfoundland & Labrador	8,000	64.1	6,000	66.0	26,000	74.4
Prince Edward Island	3,000	76.9	2,000	79.3	8,000	85.4
Nova Scotia	18,000	71.4	13,000	72.2	44,000	78.1
New Brunswick	13,000	66.8	12,000	74.4	35,000	78.6
Québec	133,000	67.3	108,000	75.1	340,000	79.1
Ontario	230,000	67.0	187,000	74.2	579,000	82.1
Manitoba	22,000	65.7	17,000	75.1	56,000	85.5
Saskatchewan	21,000	64.9	14,000	73.5	46,000	81.7
Alberta	56,000	59.5	47,000	71.4	147,000	83.5
British Columbia	65,000	62.8	49,000	69.4	185,000	77.3
Northwest Territories¹	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Nunavut¹	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Yukon Territory¹	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Canada¹	568,000	65.8	456,000	73.4	1,465,000	80.7

¹Information for the territories not available. Therefore, totals do not include the territories. Totals may not add up due to rounding.