

**Coverage and eligibility of the unemployed for
Employment Insurance benefits**

	2007	CV (%)
All unemployed¹	1,029,522	0.06
As a proportion of all unemployed	%	
EI Contributors	70.0	1.89
Potentially eligible	54.3	2.46
Eligible - Received or will receive employment insurance benefits	41.0	2.66
Eligible - Did not receive but eligible based on reported hours worked	3.7	14.25
Not eligible based on reported hours worked	9.6	10.00
Not potentially eligible	45.7	2.92
Left job for reason not deemed valid by the Employment Insurance Act	15.7	6.06
No insurable employment	5.2	13.93
Has not worked in a paid job in the previous 12 months	24.8	5.30
No insurable employment nor worked in a paid job in the previous 12 months	30.0	4.40
Eligible as a proportion of potentially eligible	82.3	1.91

¹ Average number of unemployed for the months of March, June,
October and December.