

## Saskatchewan Economic Checklist April 2016

ECONOMIC INDICATORS	PERIOD	VALUES	YEAR-OVER-YEAR % GROWTH	CANADIAN AVERAGE (%)	RANK IN CANADA % GROWTH
Population	January 1, 2016	1,142,570	1.2%	0.9%	3rd
Number of People Employed	Mar 2016	559,200	-1.0%	0.9%	7th
Unemployment Rate(Seasonally-Unadjusted)	Mar 2016	6.9%	--	7.7%	3rd
Economic Growth					
Real GDP at Basic Prices in Billions of Dollars*	2014**	\$59.3B	1.6%	2.4%	5th
Forecasted Economic Growth (Real GDP)	2015				
-CIBC (March 2016)		--	-0.5%	1.2%	8th
-Global Insight (March 2016)		--	-0.6%	1.2%	8th
-Scotiabank (November 2015)		--	0.1%	1.1%	8th
-TD Bank (April 2016)		--	-0.9%	1.2%	8th
-RBC (March 2016)		--	-0.8%	1.2%	8th
-BMO (April 2016)		--	-0.5%	1.2%	8th
-CBOC (Winter 2016)		--	-2.8%	0.7%	8th
Average Forecasted Economic Growth (Real GDP)***	2015	--	-0.9%	1.1%	8th

\* Statistics Canada reports GDP at market prices, chained 2007 dollars.

\*\* Preliminary estimates

\*\*\* Average of seven private sector forecasts

Figures are as of April 8, 2016

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