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Provincial and Territorial Breakdown

THE UNION ADVANTAGE FOR PROVINCIAL AND TERRITORIAL BREAKDOWN

Saskatchewan

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SASKATCHEWAN'S UNION ADVANTAGE FOR WORKERS

Nearly **\$1.5 BILLION** in 2014



\$28.97/HOUR

\$23.49/HOUR

↪ This added up to **\$28,770,170** every week!

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Women with unions earned **\$7.46/hour** more than women without a union at work. The wage gap* was **\$99/week** smaller for women with a union.



Young workers (aged 15-24) earned **\$5.54/hour** more with a union at work. That provided an extra **\$3.4 MILLION** more each week to help start their lives and

the gap in average weekly pay between women and men working the same hours, union vs non-union.

support their families.



New Canadians (all landed immigrants) with a union earned **\$4.83/hour** more.

That put over **\$2.8 MILLION** more each week into their paycheques to support their families and communities.



Aboriginal workers* earned **\$6.92/hour** more with a union at work.

That added over **\$4.2 MILLION** more each week to help with the cost of living and providing for loved ones.

*Total Off Reserve.

The **UNION ADVANTAGE** really adds up. The fair wages and work hours that unions negotiated delivered over **\$28.7 MILLION more** every week into the provincial economy through better paycheques for workers.

Those extra dollars get spent at local businesses, where they sustain jobs, and support community services that add to everyone's quality of life. **That's the union advantage.**

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