



# Statistical Review

2023 Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry

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# Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry Indicators

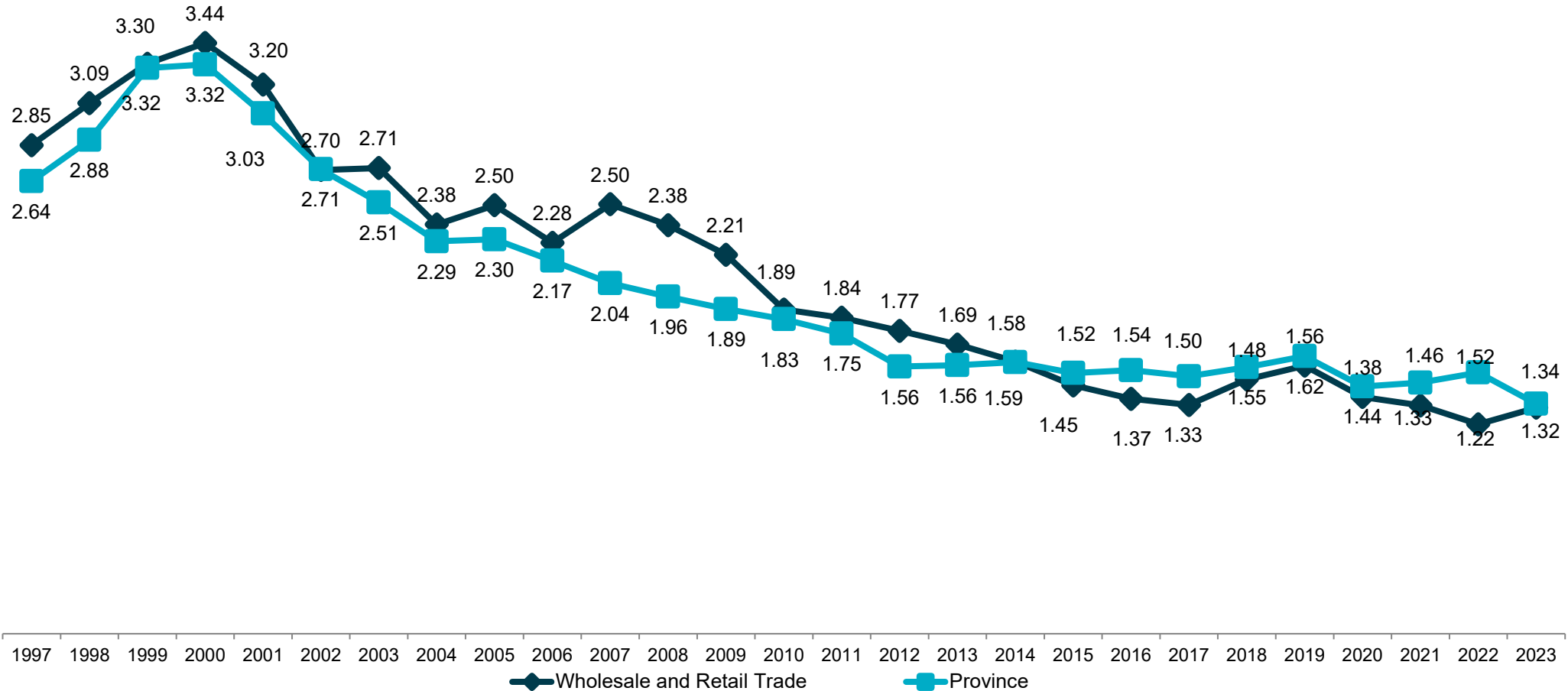
# Percentage of injury-free employers by industry


Newfoundland and Labrador, 2023



# Lost-time incident rate per 100 employees

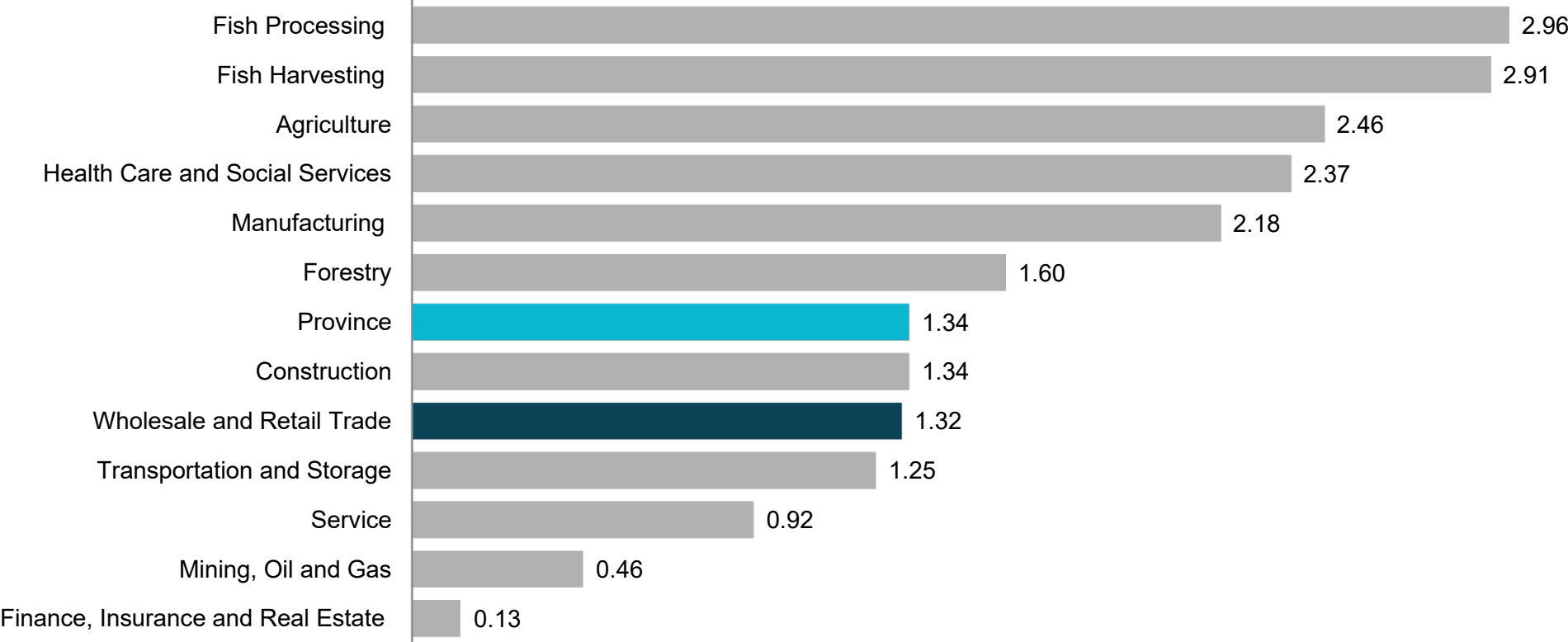
Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023



  
54% drop in the last 27 years

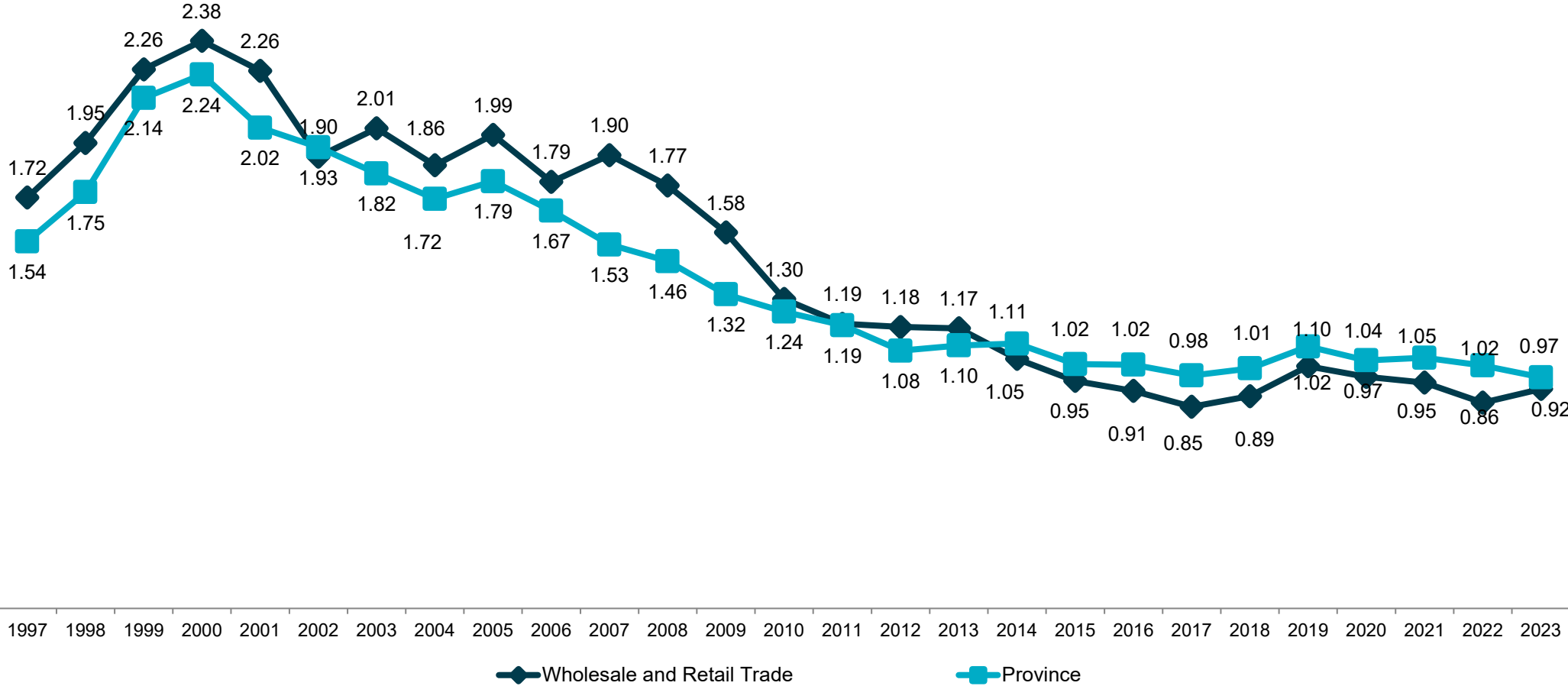
# Lost-time incidence rate per 100 employees


Industry Comparison, Newfoundland and Labrador, 2023



# Soft tissue incidence rate per 100 employees

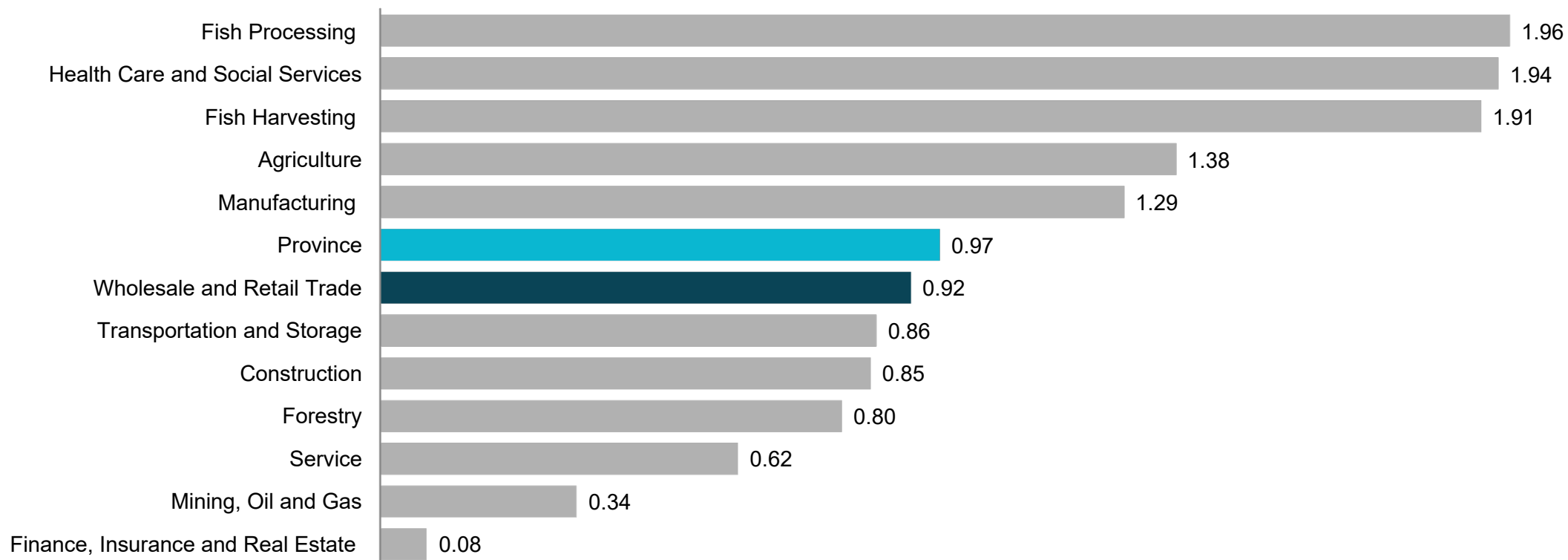
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47% drop in the last 27 years

# Soft tissue incidence rate per 100 employees

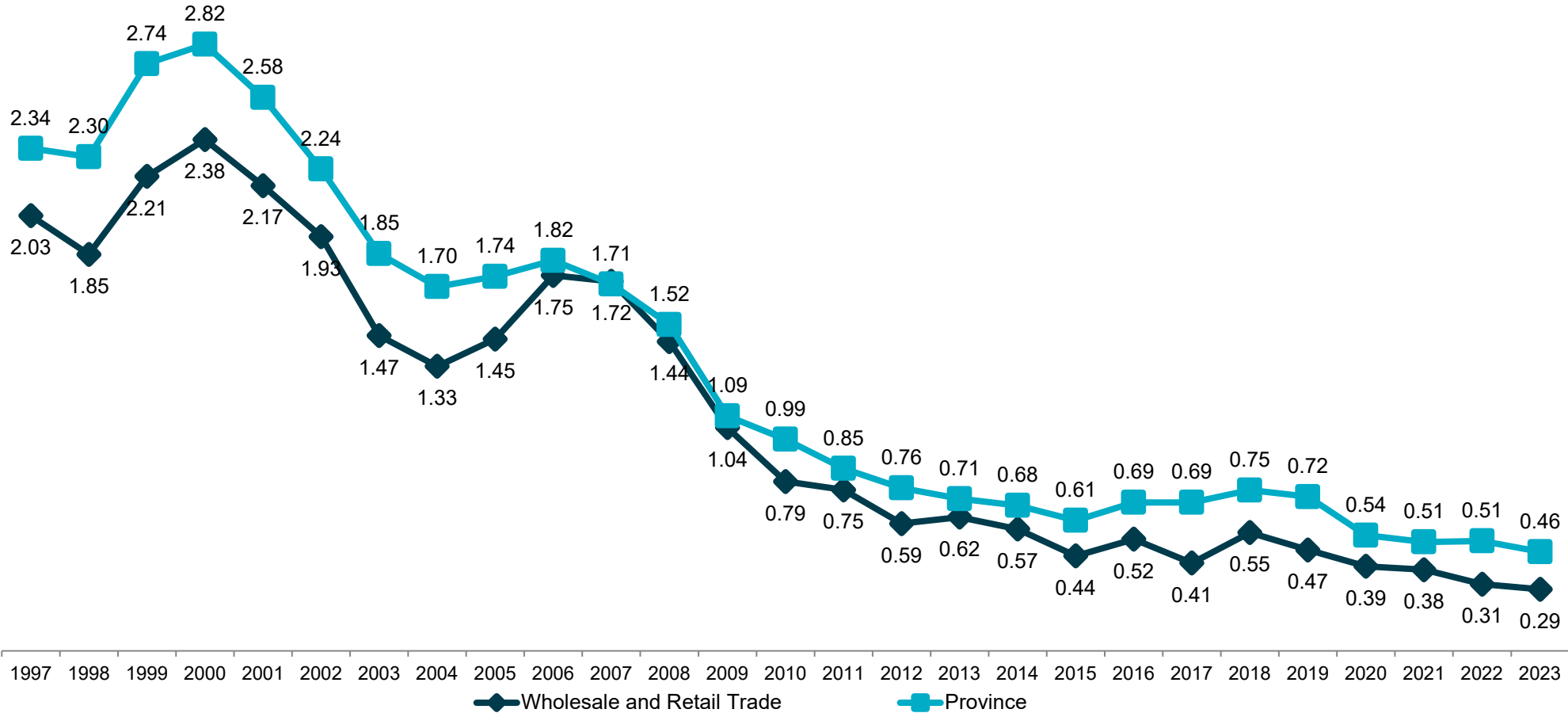
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# Health care only incidence rate / 100 employees

Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023

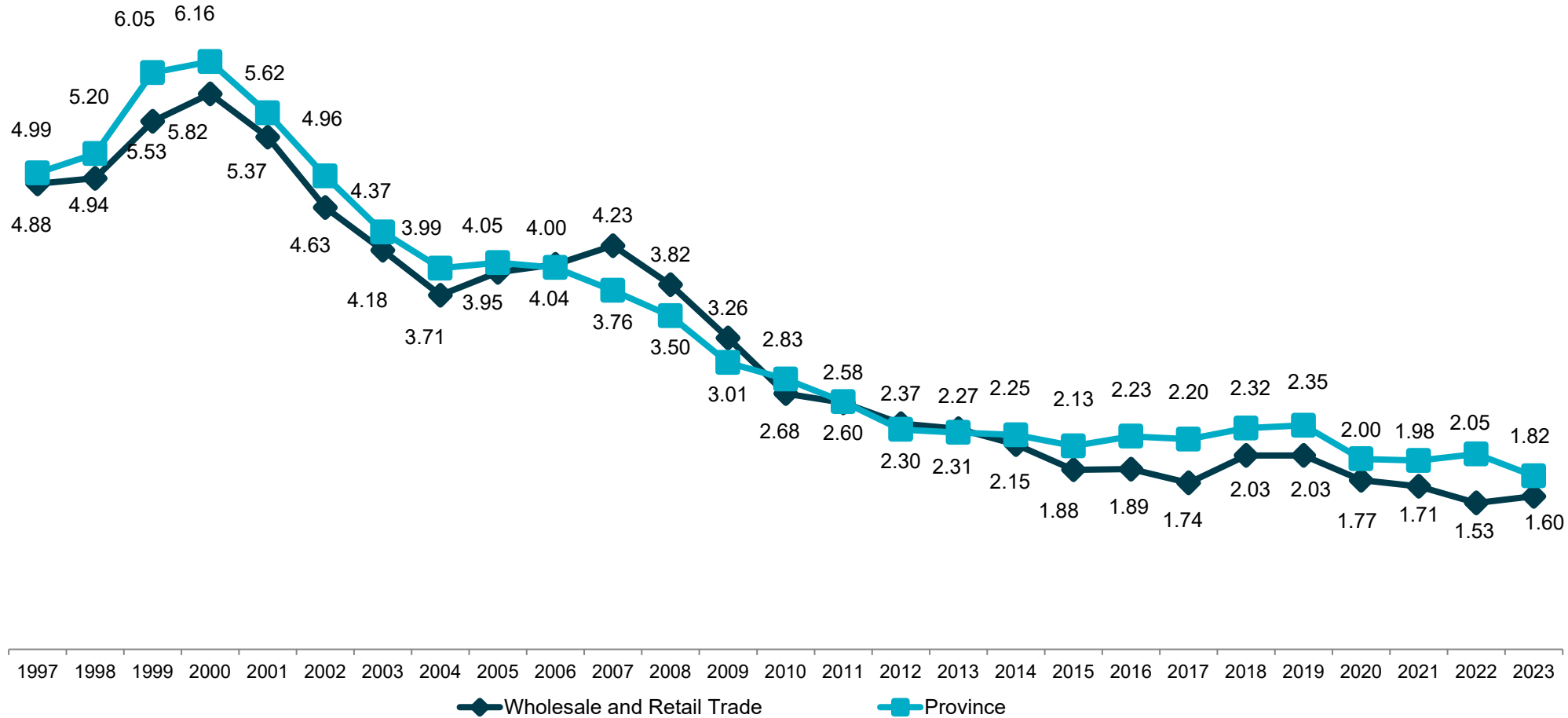



86% drop in the last 27 years

Health Care Only incidence rate in 2023 is the lowest in 27 years

# All claims incidence rate / 100 employees

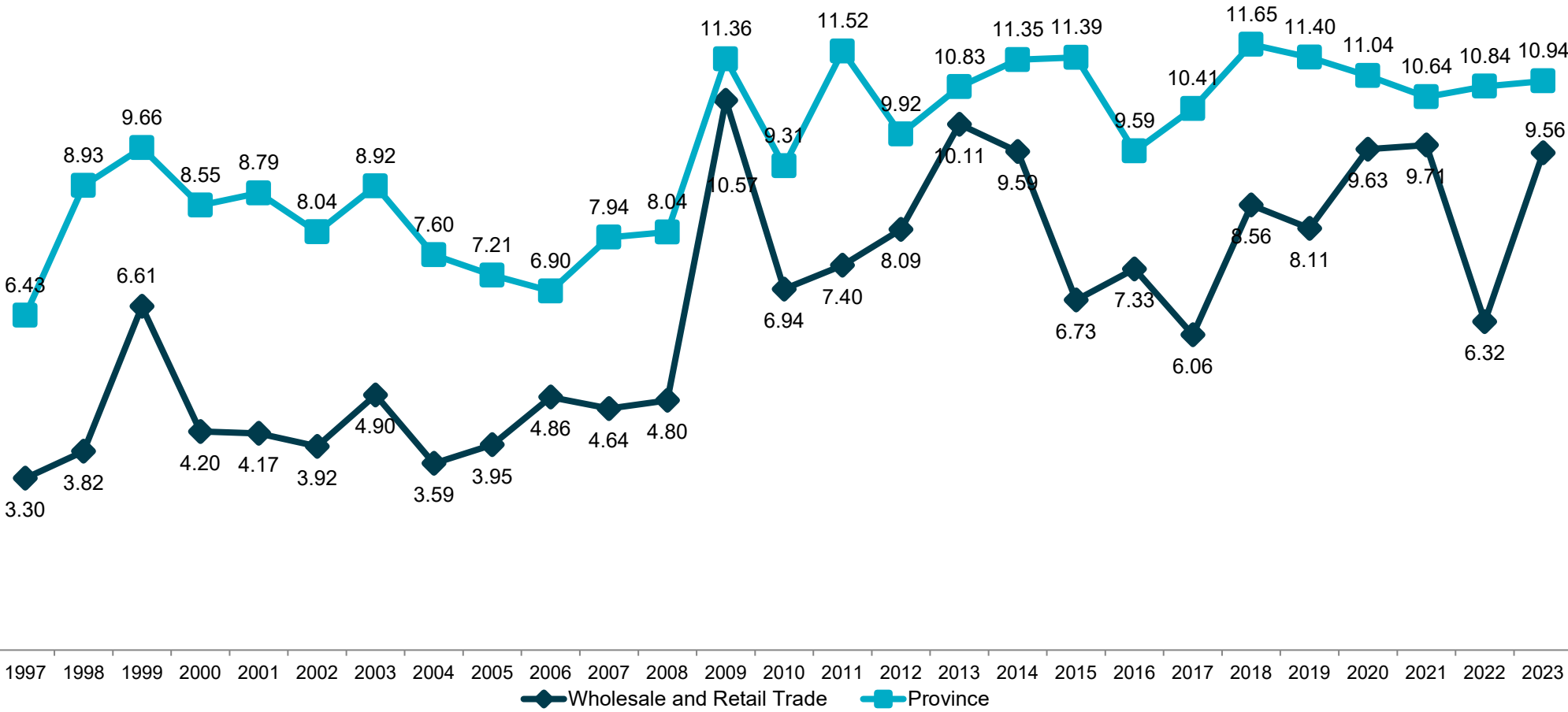
Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023




  
67% drop in the last 27 years

# Serious injury rate / 10,000 employees


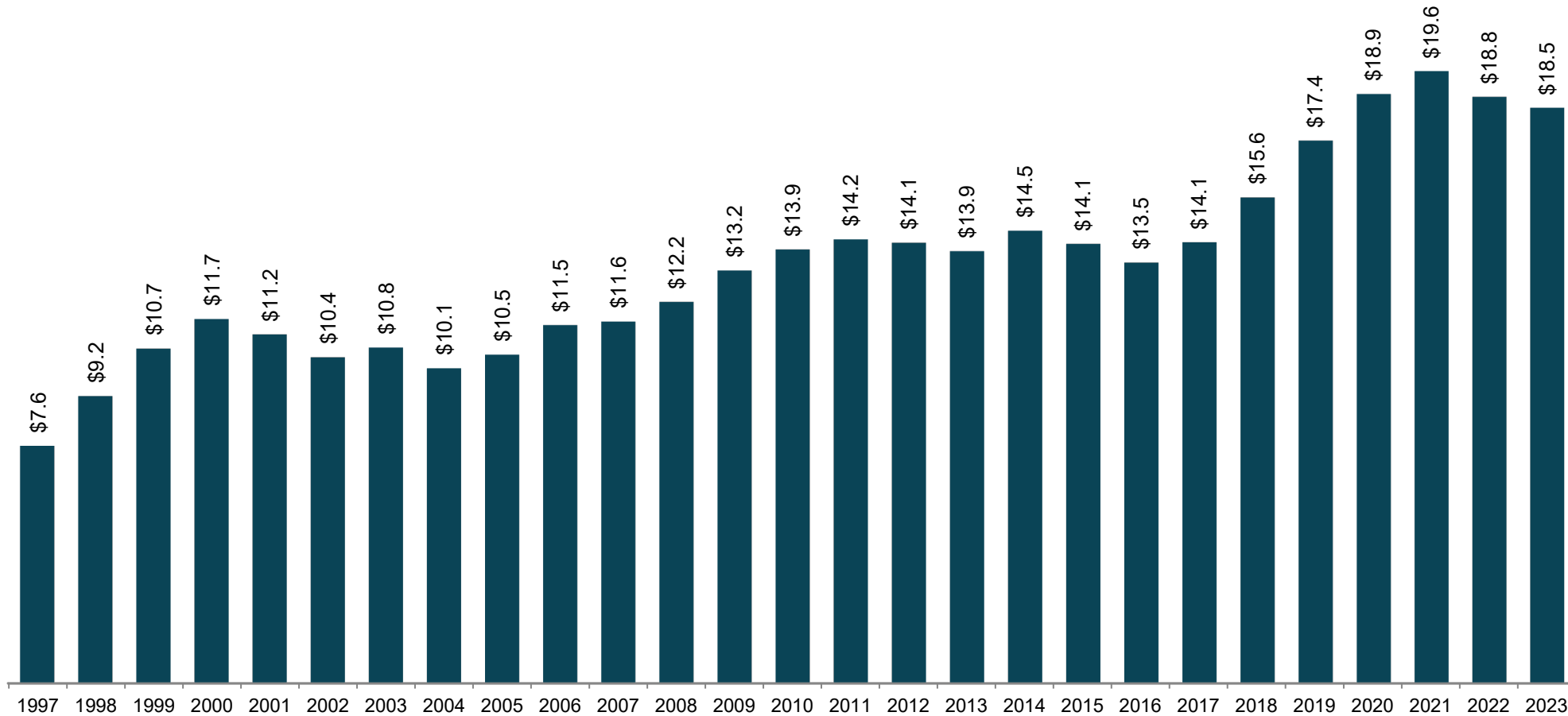
Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997 - 2023



  
 190% increase  
 since 1997

# Total claim costs (millions) by payment year

Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023

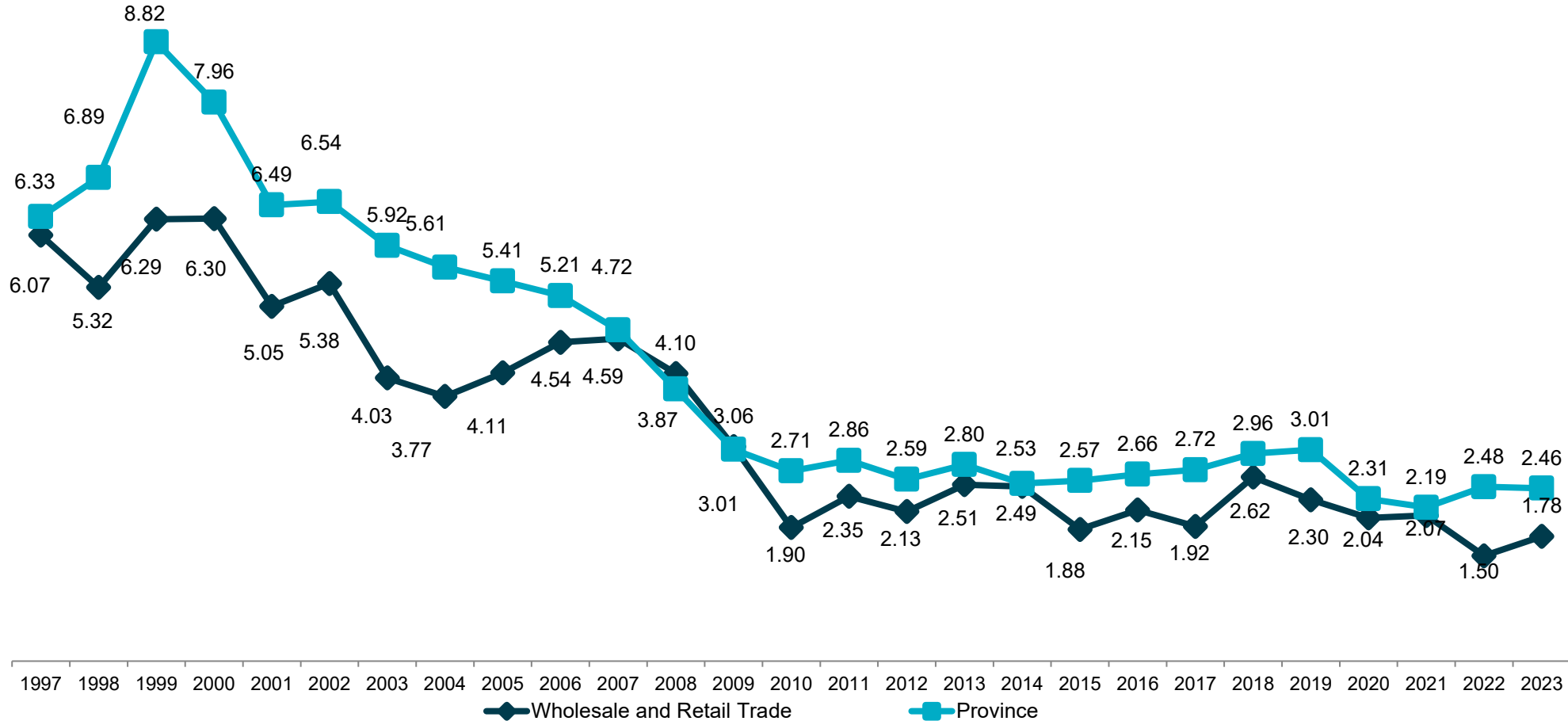



143% increase  
since 1997

# Body Parts Metrics

# Head injury rate / 1,000 employees

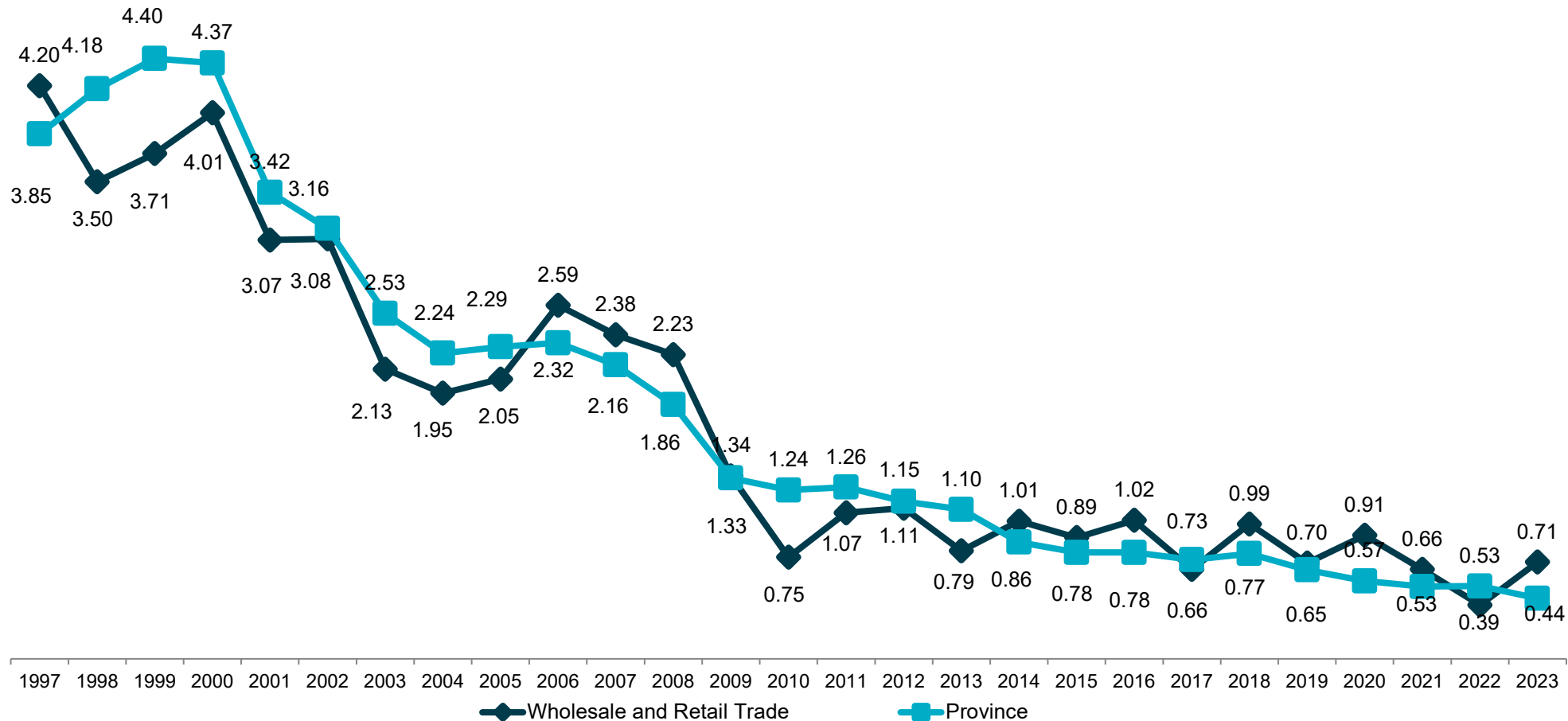
Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023




  
72% drop in the last 27 years

# Eye injury rate / 1,000 employees

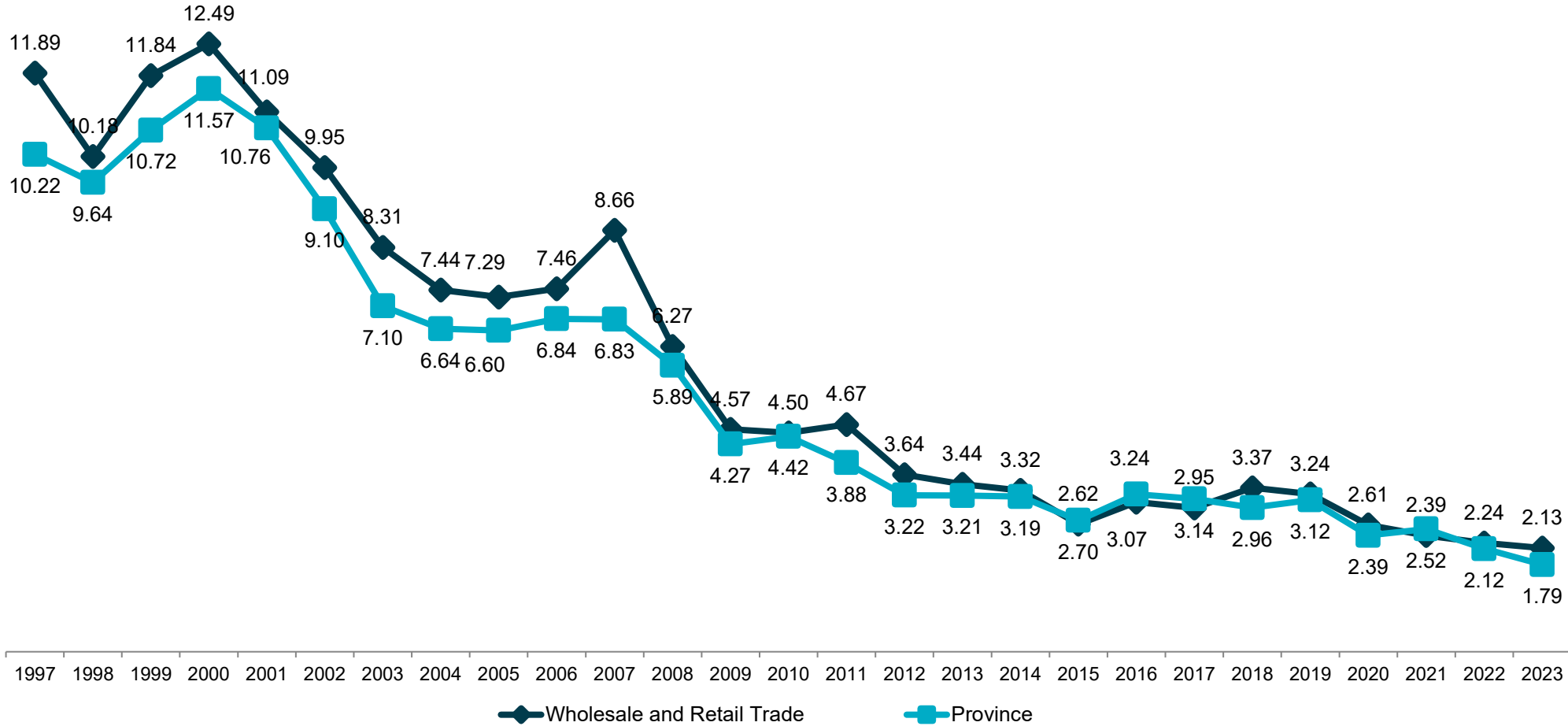
Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023




  
83% drop in the last 27 years

# Hand injury rate / 1,000 employees

Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023

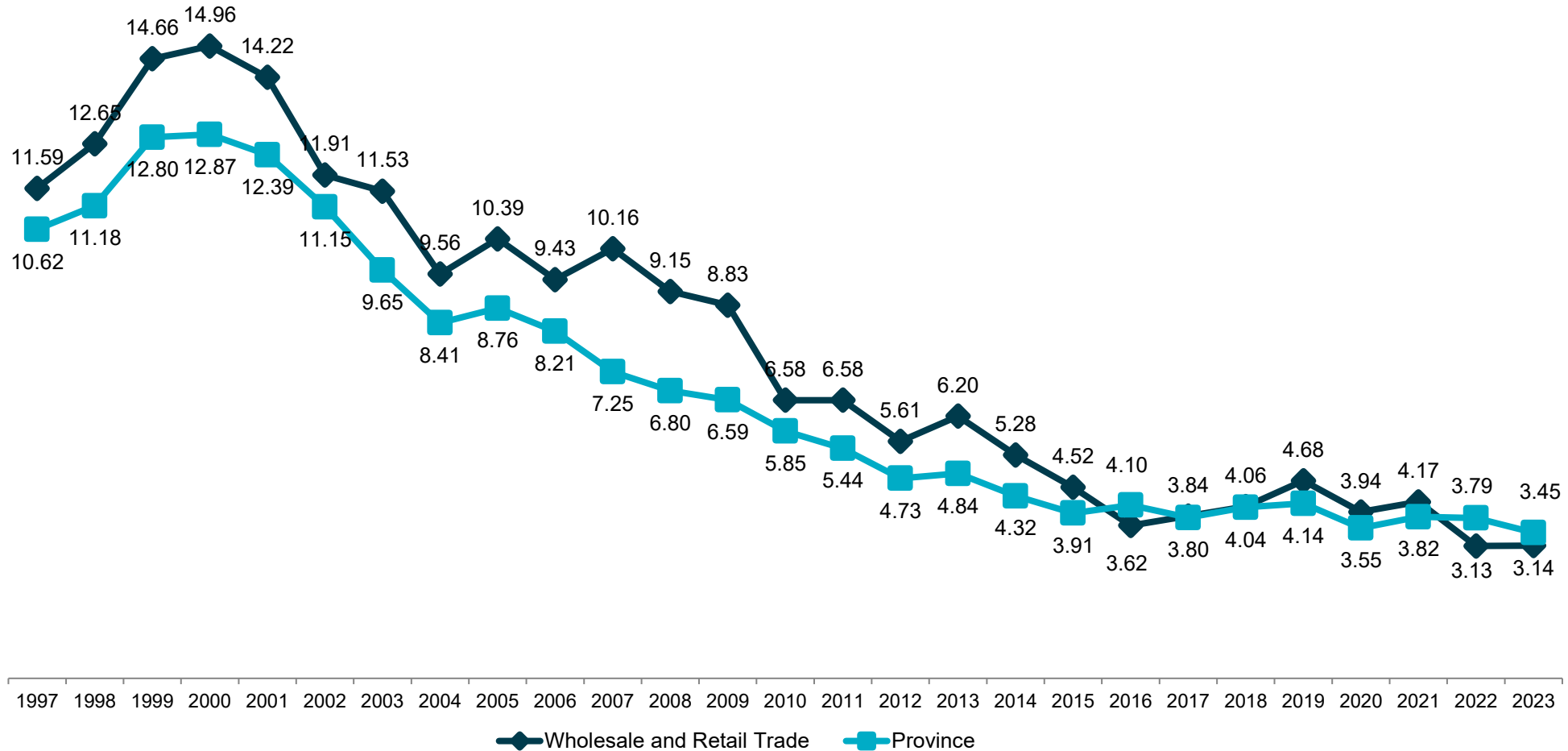



  
82% drop in the last 27 years



# Back injury rate / 1,000 employees

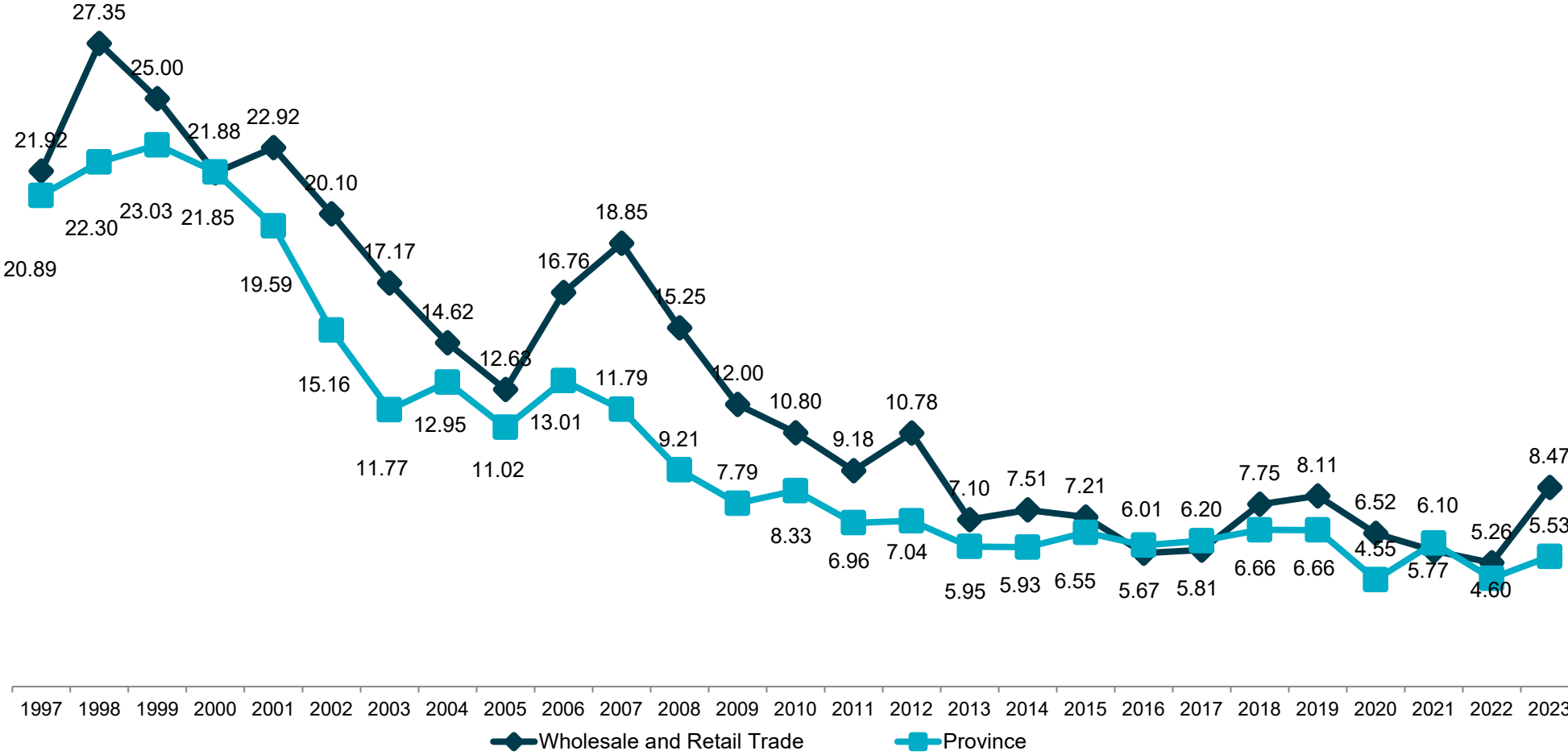
Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023




  
73% drop in the last 27 years  
  
The second lowest back injury rate in 27 years

# Foot injury rate / 10,000 employees

Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023

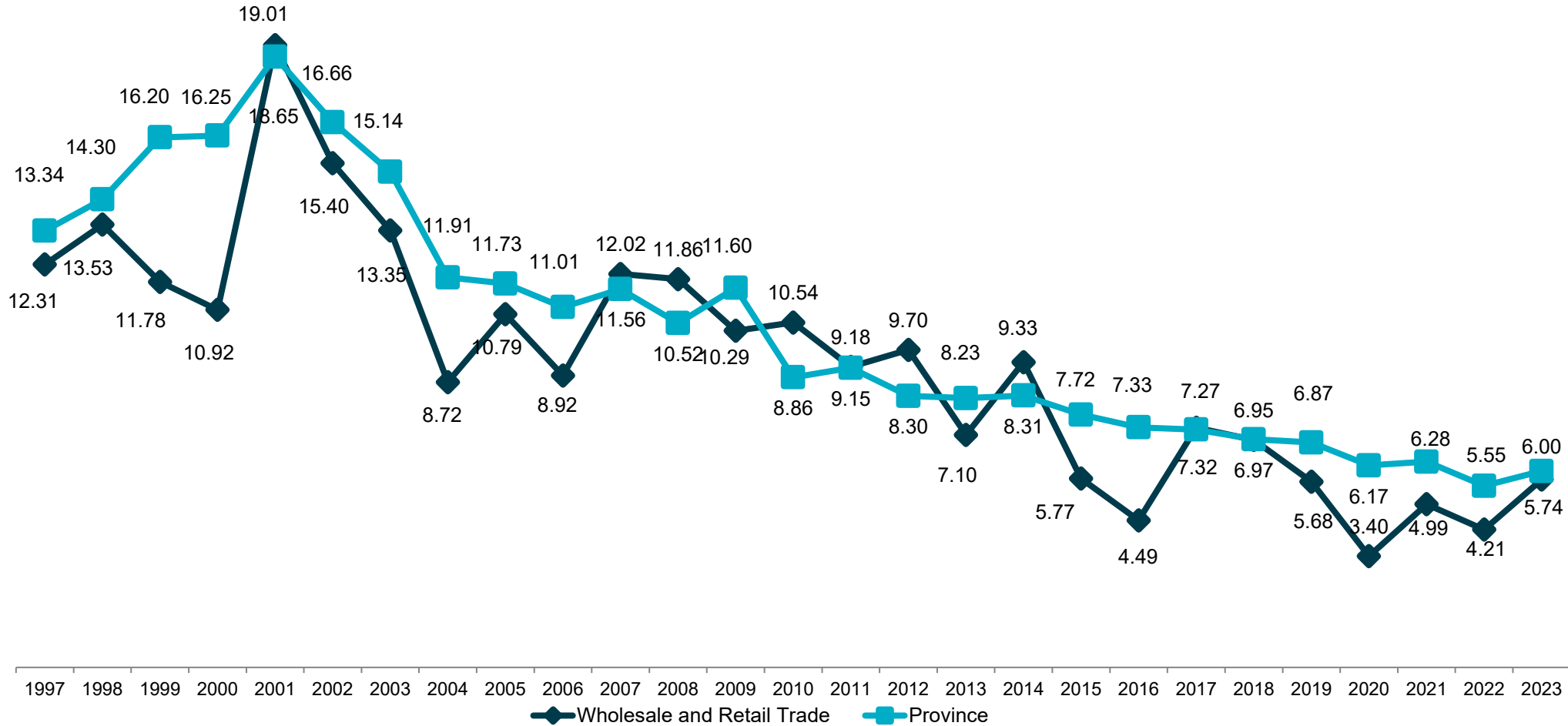



  
61% drop in the last 27 years

# Type of Accidents Metrics

# Falls from heights injury rate / 10,000 employees

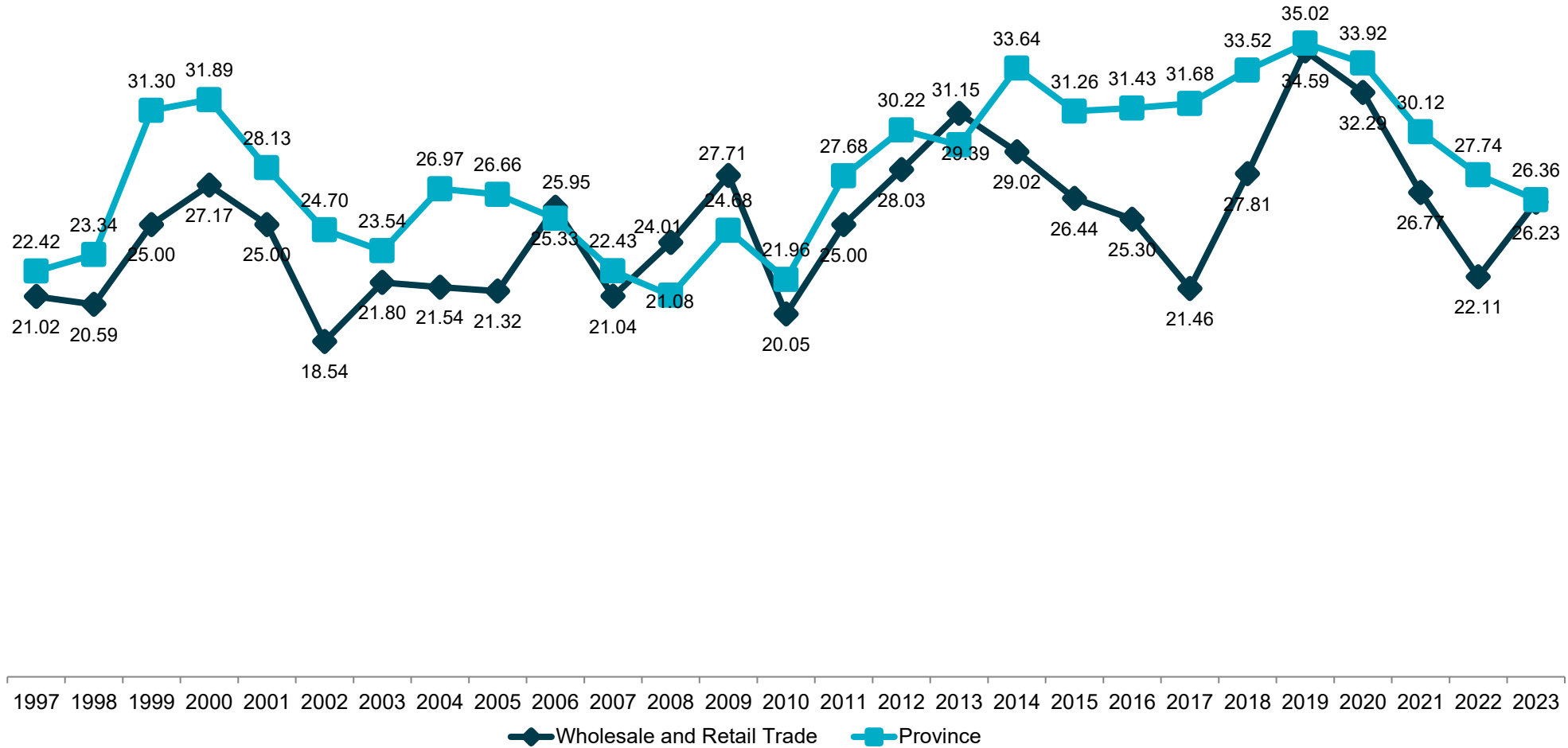
Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023




  
53% drop in the last 27 years

# Slips, trips and falls injury rate / 10,000 employees

Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023


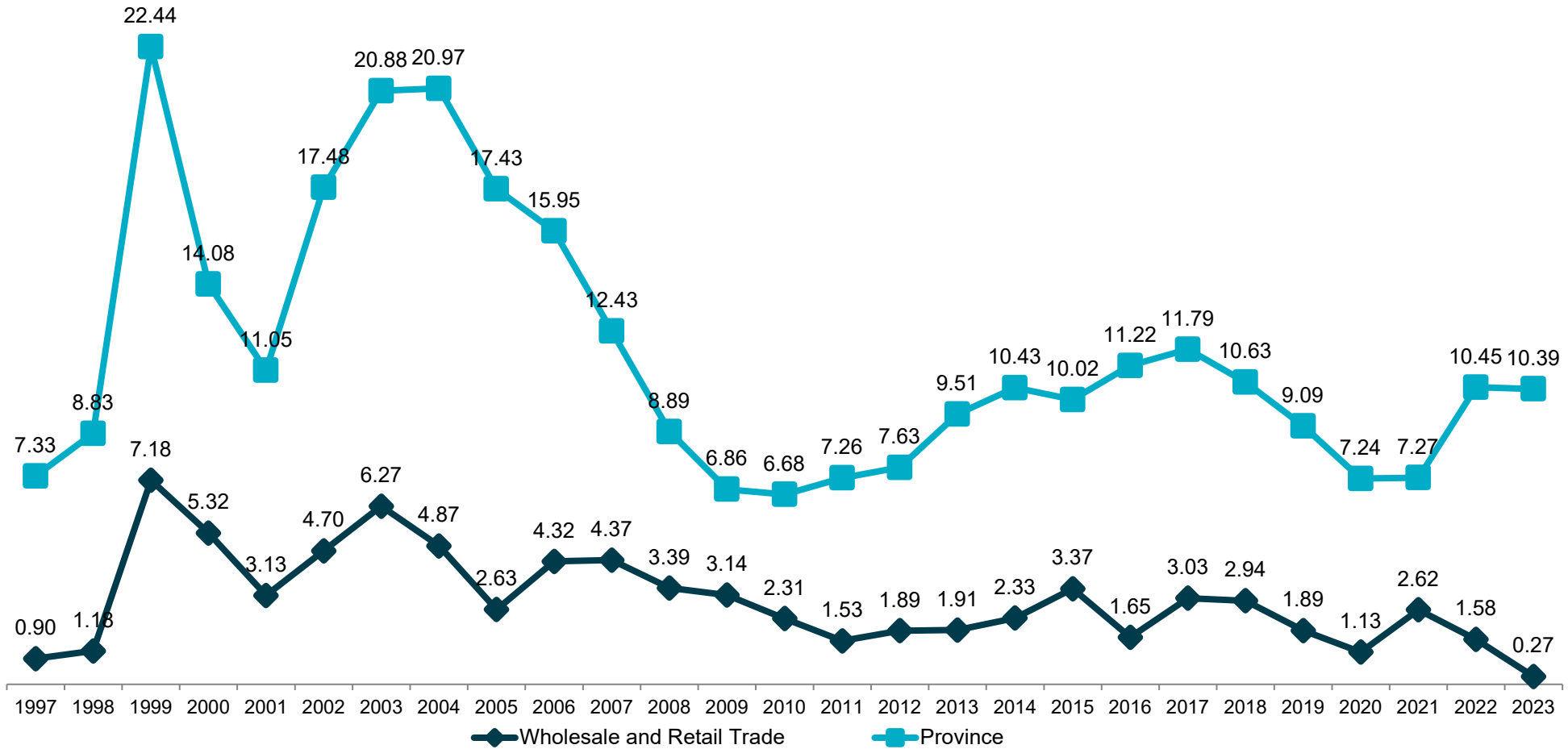


  
25% increase  
since 1997

# Occupational Disease Indicators

# Hearing loss injury rate / 10,000 employees

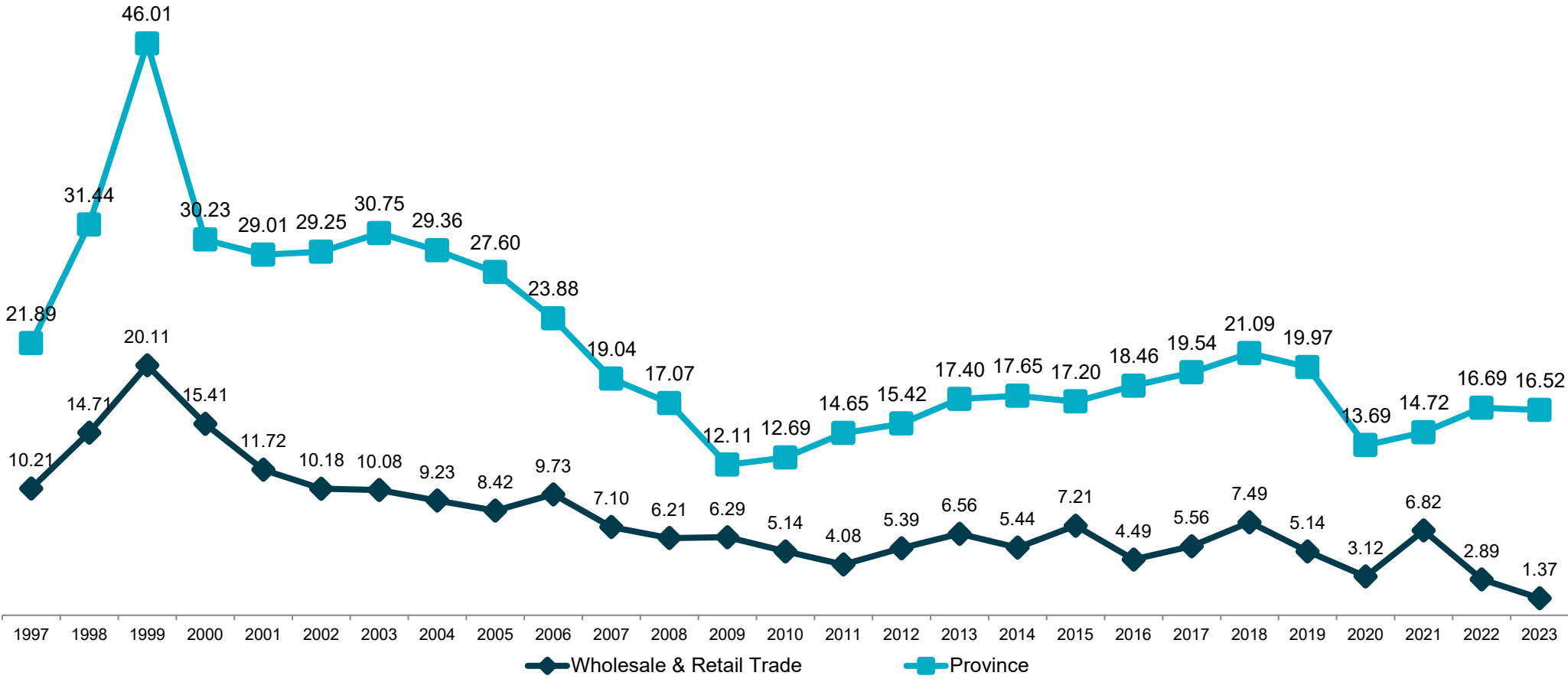
Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023




70% drop in the last 27 years

# Occupational disease incidence rate / 10,000 employees

Wholesale and Retail Trade Industry, Newfoundland and Labrador, 1997-2023



  
87% drop in the last 27 years



# Definitions

- **Annual Average Employment:** Annual average employment levels are used in all WorkplaceNL calculations of its injury rates. This is based on Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates.
  - “The Labour Force Survey (LFS) provides estimates of employment and unemployment, which are among the most timely and important measures of the performance of the Canadian economy.” Statistics Canada.
  - Annual average employment captures those aged 15 and older who are employed at the time of the Labour Force Survey.
- **Injury Rates:** All injury rates are presented as per either 100 employees, 1,000 employees, 10,000 employees or 100,000 employees. These various dimensions are used to make the injury rates meaningful statistics as a proportion of workers employed.
  - Employment levels used in the calculations are based on Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey. Supplied by the Newfoundland and Labrador Statistics Agency.
  - Injury rate calculation example:  $(\text{Claims} \times 100) / \text{Employment Level}$
- **Claims Costs by Payment Year:** Claims costs by payment year are claim costs that are paid out in a given year irrespective of the injury date.