

Population

Total population (100% data)	23,645
Total non-institutional population ⁽¹⁾	23,365

Sex and Age Groups

	Population	% of Population
Male	12,000	51.4
Female	11,345	48.6
0-4	1,635	7.0
5-19	5,380	23.0
20-24	1,360	5.8
25-44	5,655	24.2
45-64	6,160	26.4
65-74	1,880	8.0
75+	1,260	5.4

Legal Marital Status

	Population	% of Population (15+ yrs)
Total population 15 years and over by legal marital status	18,100	
Single (never legally married)	5,045	27.9
Legally Married (and not separated)	10,370	57.3
Separated (but not divorced)	510	2.8
Divorced	1,140	6.3
Widowed	1,035	5.7
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	1,825	10.1

Family Structure

	Households	% of Households
Total census families and non-family persons ⁽³⁾	9,370	
Total census families ⁽⁴⁾	6,545	69.9
Total couple families by family structure	5,945	63.4
Married couples	5,035	53.7
Without children at home	2,405	25.7
With children at home	2,630	28.1
1 child	780	8.3
2 children	1,000	10.7
3 or more children	845	9.0
Common-law couples ⁽²⁾	910	9.7
Without children at home	485	5.2
With children at home	425	4.5
1 child	190	2.0
2 children	145	1.5
3 or more children	85	0.9
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	600	6.4
Female parent	470	5.0
1 child	320	3.4
2 children	100	1.1
3 or more children	45	0.5
Male parent	130	1.4
1 child	60	0.6
2 children	40	0.4
3 or more children	25	0.3
Non-family persons	2,825	30.1
Living with relatives	340	3.6
Living with non-relatives only	435	4.6
Living alone	2,050	21.9
65 years and over	1,040	11.1
Living with relatives	110	1.2
Living with non-relatives only	60	0.6
Living alone	865	9.2

* Totals may not add to 100% due to random rounding.

- (1) With the exception of "Total Population (100% data)", all profile variables are based on the non-institutional population (weighted 20% sample data). In some instances, due to weighting, suppression and/or random rounding, it is possible for the non-institutional population to be higher than the total population (100% data).
- (2) Common-law category refers to persons who live together as a couple but who are not legally married to each other. These persons can be of the opposite sex or same sex. Common-law category is not mutually exclusive from legal marital status, and may include persons who are single, separated, divorced, widowed, and/or same-sex partners.
- (3) Includes private households only.
- (4) Refers to a married couple (with or without children of either or both spouses), a couple living common-law (with or without children of either or both partners) or a lone parent of any marital status, (with at least one child living in the same dwelling). A couple may be of opposite or same sex. 'Children' in a census family include grandchildren living with their grandparent(s) but with no parents present.

Home Language

	Population	% of Population
Single responses	23,180	99.2
English	20,080	85.9
French	1,185	5.1
Non-official languages	1,915	8.2
Chinese ⁽⁵⁾	65	0.3
German	1,605	6.9
Panjabi (Punjabi)	0	0.0
Vietnamese	0	0.0
Spanish	0	0.0
Other Languages	245	1.0
Multiple responses	165	0.7

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	19,935	85.3
French only	75	0.3
Both English and French	3,075	13.2
Neither English nor French	250	1.1

Aboriginal Identity Population

Total Aboriginal population	2,005	8.6
Single Aboriginal response	1,945	8.3
North American Indian	515	2.2
Métis single response	1,420	6.1
Inuit single response	10	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	0	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	60	0.3
Non-Aboriginal population	21,340	91.3

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁶⁾	22,985	98.4
Not Canadian citizens	360	1.5

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁷⁾	22,100	94.6
Born in Alberta	16,590	71.0
Immigrant population ⁽⁸⁾	1,215	5.2
United States	215	0.9
Central America	60	0.3
Caribbean and Bermuda	10	0.0
South America	155	0.7
Europe	565	2.4
Africa	15	0.1
Asia and the Middle East	200	0.9
Oceania and Other ⁽⁹⁾	0	0.0
Non-permanent residents ⁽¹⁰⁾	25	0.1

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

Total immigrant population	1,220	% of Immigrant Population
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	310	25.4
1961 - 1970	120	9.8
1971 - 1980	150	12.3
1981 - 1990	130	10.7
1991 - 2000	290	23.8
2001 - 2006 ⁽¹¹⁾	215	17.6

* Totals may not add to 100% due to random rounding.

(5) Includes the single response of Cantonese, Mandarin, Chinese, n.o.s.

(6) Includes Canadian citizenship by birth and naturalization.

(7) Persons who are Canadian citizens by birth. Most Canadian citizens by birth were born in Canada, a small number were born outside Canada to Canadian parents.

(8) Includes persons born in Canada who do not have Canadian citizenship by birth, but who have a valid year of immigration.

(9) 'Other' includes Greenland, Saint Pierre and Miquelon, the category 'Other country,' as well as immigrants born in Canada.

(10) Persons from another country who, at the time of the census, held a Work or Study Permit or who were refugee claimants, as well as family members living with them in Canada.

(11) Includes immigrants who landed in Canada prior to Census Day, May 16, 2006.

Source: Statistics Canada



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Mobility Status

	Population	% of Population
Total population, Mobility status 1 year ago ⁽¹²⁾	23,015	Aged 1 Year & Over
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	20,145	87.5
Movers	2,870	12.5
Non-migrants	895	3.9
Migrants	1,970	8.6
Internal migrants	1,815	7.9
Intraprovincial migrants	1,260	5.5
Interprovincial migrants	555	2.4
External migrants	155	0.7
Total population, Mobility status 5 years ago ⁽¹²⁾	21,710	% of Population
By mobility status 5 years ago:		Aged 5 Years & Over
Non-movers	14,850	68.4
Movers	6,865	31.6
Non-migrants	2,365	10.9
Migrants	4,495	20.7
Internal migrants	4,070	18.7
Intraprovincial migrants	2,895	13.3
Interprovincial migrants	1,175	5.4
External migrants	425	2.0

Dwelling Type

	Dwellings	% of Occupied
Total occupied private dwellings	8,750	Private Dwellings
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	7,295	83.4
Semi-detached house	90	1.0
Row house	50	0.6
Apartment or flat in a duplex	150	1.7
Apartment, building that has five or more storeys	0	0.0
Apartment, building that has fewer than five storeys	160	1.8
Other single-attached house	80	0.9
Movable dwelling	925	10.6

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	7,290	83.3
Rented	1,455	16.6
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.9	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	3.0	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	139,707	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	4,095	46.8
Minor repairs	3,305	37.8
Major repairs	1,350	15.4

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	630	7.2
1946 - 1960	1,310	15.0
1961 - 1970	1,325	15.1
1971 - 1980	2,505	28.6
1981 - 1985	980	11.2
1986 - 1990	420	4.8
1991 - 1995	525	6.0
1996 - 2000	615	7.0
2001 - 2006 ⁽¹³⁾	435	5.0

* Totals may not add to 100% due to random rounding.
(12) Excludes Canadians (military and government personnel) in households outside Canada.
(13) Includes data up to May 16, 2006.

Dwelling Costs by Tenure

	Dwellings (unless otherwise noted)	
Total non-farm, non-reserve occupied private dwellings	7,720	--
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	1,440	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$601	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	410	--
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽¹⁵⁾	730	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$654	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	130	--
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	6,280	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$724	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	890	--
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽¹⁵⁾	4,555	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$775	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	505	--

Ethnic Origin⁽¹⁶⁾

	Population⁽¹⁷⁾	% of Population
British Isles origins ⁽¹⁸⁾	10,330	44.2
English	6,235	26.7
Irish	4,030	17.2
Scottish	4,160	17.8
Welsh	470	2.0
French ⁽¹⁹⁾	9,740	41.7
Aboriginal origins ⁽²⁰⁾	5,050	21.6
Other North American origins	6,140	26.3
American	505	2.2
Canadian	5,795	24.8
European origins	12,760	54.6
Western European origins	8,030	34.4
Dutch (Netherlands)	1,035	4.4
German	7,035	30.1
Northern European origins	2,560	11.0
Scandinavian origins	2,475	10.6
Danish	385	1.6
Norwegian	1,550	6.6
Swedish	800	3.4
Eastern European origins	4,400	18.8
Polish	1,200	5.1
Russian	550	2.4
Ukrainian	2,755	11.8
Southern European origins	630	2.7
Italian	265	1.1
South Asian origins	65	0.3
East Indian	25	0.1
East and Southeast Asian origins	245	1.0
Chinese	170	0.7
Filipino	15	0.1
Other Origin ⁽²¹⁾	2,630	11.3

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(14) Includes private households in occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings with household income greater than \$0 in 2005 (i.e., excludes negative or zero household income).

(15) Without additional persons.

(16) Ethnic Origin responses selected to be shown, were chosen based upon groups with population reported higher than the Alberta average-minus 5 per cent.

(17) The sum of the ethnic groups in this table is greater than the total population count because a person may report more than one ethnic origin in the census.

(18) Includes the single responses of 'British Isles origins' and 'British Isles, n.i.e.'

(19) Includes the single responses of 'French' and 'French origins'

(20) Includes the single responses of Inuit, Metis, and North American Indian.

(21) 'Other Origin' includes all other responses not included above.

Highest Level of Schooling

Total population 25+ years	33,775	% of Population 25+ years
By highest level of schooling:⁽²²⁾		
No certificate, diploma or degree	4,925	14.6
Certificate, diploma or degree	28,850	85.4
High school certificate or equivalent	8,880	26.3
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	4,940	14.6
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma	8,695	25.7
University certificate, diploma or degree	6,330	18.7
University certificate or diploma below bachelor level	1,490	4.4
University certificate or degree	4,835	14.3
Bachelor's degree	3,735	11.1
University certificate or diploma above bachelor level	345	1.0
Degree in medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine or optometry	85	0.3
Master's degree	585	1.7
Earned doctorate	85	0.3

Postsecondary Qualifications, Field of Study⁽²³⁾

Total population 25-64 years	11,825	% of Population 25-64 years
Total population 25 to 64 years with postsecondary qualifications	5,370	45.4
Education	490	4.1
Visual and performing arts, and communications technologies	55	0.5
Humanities	95	0.8
Social and behavioural sciences and law	260	2.2
Business, management and public administration	990	8.4
Physical and life sciences and technologies	125	1.1
Mathematics, computer and information sciences	30	0.3
Architecture, engineering, and related technologies	1,710	14.5
Agriculture, natural resources and conservation	520	4.4
Health, parks, recreation and fitness	785	6.6
Personal, protective and transportation services	310	2.6
Other fields of study	0	0.0

Labour Force Activity

	Population		Rate (%)
Total Population - 15 years and over	18,100		
Participating in labour force	13,170	Participation rate (%)	72.8
Employed	12,685	Employment rate (%)	70.1
Unemployed	485	Unemployment rate (%)	3.7
Not in labour force	4,930		
Males - 15 years and over	9,285		
Participating in labour force	7,455	Participation rate (%)	80.3
Employed	7,170	Employment rate (%)	77.2
Unemployed	275	Unemployment rate (%)	3.7
Not in labour force	1,835		
Females - 15 years and over	8,810		
Participating in labour force	5,715	Participation rate (%)	64.9
Employed	5,510	Employment rate (%)	62.5
Unemployed	205	Unemployment rate (%)	3.6
Not in labour force	3,095		

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(22) Highest certificate, diploma or degree' refers to the highest certificate, diploma or degree completed based on a hierarchy which is generally related to the amount of time spent 'in-class.' For postsecondary completers, a university education is considered to be a higher level of schooling than a college education, while a college education is considered to be a higher level of education than in the trades. Although some trades requirements may take as long or longer to complete than a given college or university program, the majority of time is spent in on-the-job paid training and less time is spent in the classroom.

(23) 'Field of study' is defined as the main discipline or subject of learning. It is collected for the highest certificate, diploma or degree above the high school or secondary school level.

Labour Force by Sex and Place of Work

	Population	% of Employed Labour Force
Total employed labour force 15 years and over	12,685	
Males in employed labour force	7,175	56.6
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	3,425	27.0
In census subdivision of residence	1,375	10.8
In different census subdivision	2,050	16.2
In same census division	1,545	12.2
At home	1,890	14.9
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	1,850	14.6
Females in employed labour force	5,510	43.4
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	3,745	29.5
In census subdivision of residence	1,715	13.5
In different census subdivision	2,030	16.0
In same census division	1,650	13.0
At home	1,435	11.3
Outside Canada	10	0.1
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	325	2.6

Labour Force by Mode of Transportation

	Population	% of Employed, Travelling Labour Force
Employed, travelling labour force 15 years and over⁽²⁴⁾	9,355	
Mode of Transportation:		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	7,485	80.0
Car, truck, van (as passenger)	610	6.5
Public transit	20	0.2
Walked	970	10.4
Bicycle	65	0.7
Motorcycle	10	0.1
Taxicab	0	0.0
Other method	190	2.0

Labour Force by Industry

	Population	% of Experienced Labour Force
Total experienced labour force 15 years and over⁽²⁵⁾	13,065	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	2,995	22.9
Mining and oil and gas extraction	1,290	9.9
Utilities	130	1.0
Construction	1,060	8.1
Manufacturing	470	3.6
Wholesale trade	365	2.8
Retail trade	1,050	8.0
Transportation and warehousing	975	7.5
Information and cultural industries	40	0.3
Finance and insurance	275	2.1
Real estate and rental and leasing	65	0.5
Professional, scientific and technical services	445	3.4
Management of companies and enterprises	0	0.0
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	220	1.7
Educational services	805	6.2
Healthcare and social assistance	970	7.4
Arts, entertainment and recreation	95	0.7
Accommodation and food services	585	4.5
Other services (except public administration)	725	5.5
Public administration	490	3.8

* Totals may not add to 100% due to random rounding.

(24) Excludes those who work at home or outside of Canada.

(25) The experienced labour force population: includes persons who were employed and persons who were unemployed who worked for pay or in self-employment since January 1, 2005.

Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups

	Population	% of Experienced Labour Force
Total experienced labour force 15 years and over ⁽²⁶⁾	13,065	
Males - All occupations	7,395	56.6
Management occupations	625	4.8
Business, finance and administration occupations	230	1.8
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	225	1.7
Health occupations	105	0.8
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	175	1.3
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	25	0.2
Sales and service occupations	600	4.6
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	2,610	20.0
Occupations unique to primary industry	2,380	18.2
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	415	3.2
Females - All occupations	5,665	43.4
Management occupations	280	2.1
Business, finance and administration occupations	1,575	12.1
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	80	0.6
Health occupations	460	3.5
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	395	3.0
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	70	0.5
Sales and service occupations	1,700	13.0
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	235	1.8
Occupations unique to primary industry	825	6.3
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	40	0.3

Labour Force by Sex and Class of Worker

Males - All classes of workers	7,450	57.0
Paid-workers	5,720	43.8
Employees	4,725	36.2
Self-employed (incorporated)	995	7.6
Self-employed (unincorporated)	1,600	12.2
Unpaid family workers	75	0.6
Females - All classes of workers	5,720	43.8
Paid-workers	4,780	36.6
Employees	4,370	33.4
Self-employed (incorporated)	410	3.1
Self-employed (unincorporated)	720	5.5
Unpaid family workers	165	1.3

Employment Income (2005) by Sex and Work Activity

	Population (unless otherwise noted)	
Total Employed - 15 years and over:		
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$43,569	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$22,091	--
Males Employed - 15 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁷⁾	4,285	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$49,089	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁸⁾	3,160	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$28,249	--
Females Employed - 15 Years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁷⁾	2,450	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$33,925	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁸⁾	3,245	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$16,095	--

* Totals may not add to 100% due to random rounding.

(26) The experienced labour force population: includes persons who were employed and persons who were unemployed who worked for pay or in self-employment since January 1, 2005.

(27) Worked 49 to 52 weeks in 2005, mostly full time.

(28) Worked less than 49 weeks or worked mostly part time in 2005.

Total Income (2005) by Sex

		% of Population with Income
Total population 15 years and over with income	17,180	
Males 15 years and over with income	8,900	51.8
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	2,970	17.3
Under \$5,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	810	4.7
\$5,000 - \$9,999	530	3.1
\$10,000 - \$14,999	760	4.4
\$15,000 - \$19,999	870	5.1
\$20,000 - \$39,999	2,370	13.8
\$20,000 - \$29,999	1,125	6.5
\$30,000 - \$39,999	1,245	7.2
\$40,000 - \$59,999	1,635	9.5
\$40,000 - \$49,999	1,020	5.9
\$50,000 - \$59,999	615	3.6
\$60,000 and over	1,935	11.3
Average total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$41,741	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$33,492	--
Females 15 years and over with income	8,285	48.2
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	4,340	25.3
Under \$5,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	920	5.4
\$5,000 - \$9,999	1,055	6.1
\$10,000 - \$14,999	1,130	6.6
\$15,000 - \$19,999	1,235	7.2
\$20,000 - \$39,999	2,505	14.6
\$20,000 - \$29,999	1,565	9.1
\$30,000 - \$39,999	940	5.5
\$40,000 - \$59,999	975	5.7
\$40,000 - \$49,999	710	4.1
\$50,000 - \$59,999	265	1.5
\$60,000 and over	450	2.6
Average total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$24,603	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$19,086	--

Household Income (2005)

	Households (unless otherwise noted)	% of Private Households
Total private households	8,750	
Household Income: ⁽³¹⁾		
Under \$20,000	1,295	14.8
Under \$10,000	295	3.4
\$10,000 - \$19,999	1,000	11.4
\$20,000 - \$39,999	1,840	21.0
\$20,000 - \$29,999	880	10.1
\$30,000 - \$39,999	960	11.0
\$40,000 - \$59,999	1,810	20.7
\$40,000 - \$49,999	1,045	11.9
\$50,000 - \$59,999	765	8.7
\$60,000 - \$79,999	1,255	14.3
\$60,000 - \$69,999	665	7.6
\$70,000 - \$79,999	590	6.7
\$80,000 - \$99,999	1,010	11.5
\$80,000 - \$89,999	540	6.2
\$90,000 - \$99,999	470	5.4
\$100,000 and over	1,540	17.6
Average household income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$65,482	--
Median household income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$52,989	--

* Totals may not add to 100% due to random rounding.

(29) Includes loss.

(30) Average and median total incomes of individuals are calculated for those who are at least 15 years of age and who have an income (positive or negative).

(31) Household total income - The total income of a household is the sum of the total incomes of all members of that household.

Economic Family Income (2005)

	Families/Population (unless otherwise noted)	% of Census Families
Total economic families⁽³²⁾	6,555	
Family income:⁽³³⁾		
Under \$20,000	470	7.2
Under \$10,000	160	2.4
\$10,000 - \$19,999	310	4.7
\$20,000 - \$39,999	1,210	18.5
\$20,000 - \$29,999	545	8.3
\$30,000 - \$39,999	665	10.1
\$40,000 - \$59,999	1,410	21.5
\$40,000 - \$49,999	785	12.0
\$50,000 - \$59,999	625	9.5
\$60,000 - \$79,999	1,115	17.0
\$60,000 - \$69,999	600	9.2
\$70,000 - \$79,999	515	7.9
\$80,000 - \$99,999	920	14.0
\$80,000 - \$89,999	500	7.6
\$90,000 - \$99,999	420	6.4
\$100,000 and over	1,430	21.8
Average family income (\$)	\$75,009	--
Median family income (\$)	\$63,364	--
Couple families:⁽³⁴⁾		
Average family income (\$)	\$78,439	--
Median family income (\$)	\$67,766	--
Male lone-parent families:⁽⁴⁰⁾		
Average family income (\$)	\$60,321	--
Median family income (\$)	\$57,069	--
Female lone-parent families:⁽³⁵⁾		
Average family income (\$)	\$32,324	--
Median family income (\$)	\$30,669	--

Incidence of Low Income (2005)

Total economic families	6,525	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	7.5	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	5.5	--
Couple economic families	5,885	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	5.7	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	4.2	--
Male lone-parent economic families	105	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	9.5	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	9.5	--
Female lone-parent economic families	420	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	25.0	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	18.1	--

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(32) Economic family - Refers to a group of two or more persons who live in the same dwelling and are related to each other by blood, marriage, common-law or adoption.

(33) Economic family total income - The total income of an economic family is the sum of the total incomes of all members of that family.

(34) Couple families are those in which a member of either a married or common-law couple is the economic family reference person.

(35) Lone-parent families are those in which either a male or female lone parent is the economic family reference person.

(36) Low income has been defined as spending 20 percentage points more than average on food, shelter and clothing. See "Appendix II - Definitions" for a detailed description of the Low Income Cut-offs (LICO) concept.

(37) Incidence rates are calculated from rounded estimates.