

Population

Total population (100% data)	38,445
Total non-institutional population ⁽¹⁾	37,660

Sex and Age Groups

	Population	% of Population
Male	18,315	48.6
Female	19,345	51.4
0-4	2,145	5.7
5-19	7,085	18.8
20-24	3,255	8.6
25-44	10,925	29.0
45-64	9,475	25.2
65-74	2,660	7.1
75+	2,100	5.6

Legal Marital Status

	Population	% of Population (15+ yrs)
Total population 15 years and over by legal marital status	31,190	
Single (never legally married)	11,440	36.7
Legally Married (and not separated)	14,290	45.8
Separated (but not divorced)	985	3.2
Divorced	2,805	9.0
Widowed	1,665	5.3
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	2,790	8.9

Family Structure

	Households	% of Households
Total census families and non-family persons ⁽³⁾	17,550	
Total census families ⁽⁴⁾	10,550	60.1
Total couple families by family structure	8,425	48.0
Married couples	7,030	40.1
Without children at home	2,985	17.0
With children at home	4,045	23.0
1 child	1,550	8.8
2 children	1,735	9.9
3 or more children	760	4.3
Common-law couples ⁽²⁾	1,395	7.9
Without children at home	865	4.9
With children at home	530	3.0
1 child	285	1.6
2 children	150	0.9
3 or more children	95	0.5
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	2,125	12.1
Female parent	1,735	9.9
1 child	1,050	6.0
2 children	485	2.8
3 or more children	200	1.1
Male parent	385	2.2
1 child	280	1.6
2 children	105	0.6
3 or more children	0	0.0
Non-family persons	7,000	39.9
Living with relatives	1,035	5.9
Living with non-relatives only	1,985	11.3
Living alone	3,980	22.7
65 years and over	1,735	9.9
Living with relatives	200	1.1
Living with non-relatives only	110	0.6
Living alone	1,430	8.1

* 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	36,845	97.8
English	32,275	85.7
French	180	0.5
Non-official languages	4,395	11.7
Chinese ⁽⁵⁾	1,220	3.2
German	65	0.2
Panjabi (Punjabi)	160	0.4
Vietnamese	365	1.0
Spanish	115	0.3
Other Languages	2,465	6.5
Multiple responses	810	2.2

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	34,850	92.5
French only	15	0.0
Both English and French	2,185	5.8
Neither English nor French	610	1.6

Aboriginal Identity Population

Total Aboriginal population	2,425	6.4
Single Aboriginal response	2,385	6.3
North American Indian	1,180	3.1
Métis single response	1,175	3.1
Inuit single response	30	0.1
Multiple Aboriginal responses	15	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	25	0.1
Non-Aboriginal population	35,230	93.5

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁶⁾	35,320	93.8
Not Canadian citizens	2,335	6.2

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁷⁾	28,910	76.8
Born in Alberta	19,580	52.0
Immigrant population ⁽⁸⁾	8,540	22.7
United States	235	0.6
Central America	130	0.3
Caribbean and Bermuda	245	0.7
South America	180	0.5
Europe	2,955	7.8
Africa	360	1.0
Asia and the Middle East	4,220	11.2
Oceania and Other ⁽⁹⁾	220	0.6
Non-permanent residents ⁽¹⁰⁾	205	0.5

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

Total immigrant population	8,540	% of Immigrant Population
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	975	11.4
1961 - 1970	670	7.8
1971 - 1980	1,425	16.7
1981 - 1990	1,550	18.1
1991 - 2000	2,370	27.8
2001 - 2006 ⁽¹¹⁾	1,550	18.1

* 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⁾	37,175	Aged 1 Year & Over
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	30,130	81.0
Movers	7,045	19.0
Non-migrants	4,995	13.4
Migrants	2,050	5.5
Internal migrants	1,665	4.5
Intraprovincial migrants	725	2.0
Interprovincial migrants	935	2.5
External migrants	385	1.0
Total population, Mobility status 5 years ago ⁽¹²⁾	35,505	% of Population
By mobility status 5 years ago:		Aged 5 Years & Over
Non-movers	17,925	50.5
Movers	17,585	49.5
Non-migrants	11,460	32.3
Migrants	6,120	17.2
Internal migrants	4,775	13.4
Intraprovincial migrants	2,535	7.1
Interprovincial migrants	2,235	6.3
External migrants	1,350	3.8

Dwelling Type

	Dwellings	% of Occupied
Total occupied private dwellings	15,110	Private Dwellings
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	6,970	46.1
Semi-detached house	605	4.0
Row house	2,705	17.9
Apartment or flat in a duplex	110	0.7
Apartment, building that has five or more storeys	405	2.7
Apartment, building that has fewer than five storeys	4,255	28.2
Other single-attached house	0	0.0
Movable dwelling	55	0.4

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	10,285	68.1
Rented	4,830	32.0
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.5	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	2.8	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	236,145	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	10,640	70.4
Minor repairs	3,720	24.6
Major repairs	750	5.0

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	170	1.1
1946 - 1960	925	6.1
1961 - 1970	2,445	16.2
1971 - 1980	4,375	29.0
1981 - 1985	2,205	14.6
1986 - 1990	950	6.3
1991 - 1995	1,355	9.0
1996 - 2000	1,090	7.2
2001 - 2006 ⁽¹³⁾	1,585	10.5

* 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	15,110	--
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	4,830	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$851	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	1,940	--
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽¹⁵⁾	2,315	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$884	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	815	--
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	10,280	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$990	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	1,815	--
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽¹⁵⁾	6,825	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$1,025	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	915	--

Ethnic Origin⁽¹⁶⁾

	Population⁽¹⁷⁾	% of Population
British Isles origins ⁽¹⁸⁾	16,020	42.5
English	9,280	24.6
Irish	5,965	15.8
Scottish	6,400	17.0
Welsh	600	1.6
French ⁽¹⁹⁾	8,950	23.8
Aboriginal origins ⁽²⁰⁾	6,500	17.3
Other North American origins	7,295	19.4
American	520	1.4
Canadian	6,940	18.4
European origins	16,435	43.6
Western European origins	7,670	20.4
Dutch (Netherlands)	1,490	4.0
German	5,935	15.8
Northern European origins	2,755	7.3
Scandinavian origins	2,625	7.0
Danish	475	1.3
Norwegian	1,150	3.1
Swedish	925	2.5
Eastern European origins	7,090	18.8
Polish	2,000	5.3
Russian	845	2.2
Ukrainian	4,110	10.9
Southern European origins	1,805	4.8
Italian	630	1.7
South Asian origins	1,290	3.4
East Indian	1,090	2.9
East and Southeast Asian origins	4,650	12.3
Chinese	2,305	6.1
Filipino	1,670	4.4
Other Origin ⁽²¹⁾	12,470	33.1

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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	20,420	% of Population 25-64 years
Total population 25 to 64 years with postsecondary qualifications	12,200	59.7
Education	675	3.3
Visual and performing arts, and communications technologies	430	2.1
Humanities	455	2.2
Social and behavioural sciences and law	950	4.7
Business, management and public administration	2,935	14.4
Physical and life sciences and technologies	365	1.8
Mathematics, computer and information sciences	610	3.0
Architecture, engineering, and related technologies	3,085	15.1
Agriculture, natural resources and conservation	145	0.7
Health, parks, recreation and fitness	1,960	9.6
Personal, protective and transportation services	580	2.8
Other fields of study	0	0.0

Labour Force Activity

	Population		Rate (%)
Total Population - 15 years and over	31,190		
Participating in labour force	21,860	Participation rate (%)	70.1
Employed	20,940	Employment rate (%)	67.1
Unemployed	925	Unemployment rate (%)	4.2
Not in labour force	9,325		
Males - 15 years and over	14,975		
Participating in labour force	11,290	Participation rate (%)	75.4
Employed	10,820	Employment rate (%)	72.3
Unemployed	475	Unemployment rate (%)	4.2
Not in labour force	3,675		
Females - 15 years and over	16,220		
Participating in labour force	10,565	Participation rate (%)	65.1
Employed	10,120	Employment rate (%)	62.4
Unemployed	450	Unemployment rate (%)	4.3
Not in labour force	5,650		

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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	20,935	
Males in employed labour force	10,820	51.7
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	8,435	40.3
In census subdivision of residence	7,450	35.6
In different census subdivision	985	4.7
In same census division	800	3.8
At home	355	1.7
Outside Canada	45	0.2
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	1,990	9.5
Females in employed labour force	10,115	48.3
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	9,080	43.4
In census subdivision of residence	8,520	40.7
In different census subdivision	560	2.7
In same census division	475	2.3
At home	465	2.2
Outside Canada	20	0.1
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	550	2.6

Labour Force by Mode of Transportation

	Population	% of Employed, Travelling Labour Force
Employed, travelling labour force 15 years and over⁽²⁴⁾	20,050	
Mode of Transportation:		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	14,645	73.0
Car, truck, van (as passenger)	1,735	8.7
Public transit	1,955	9.8
Walked	1,215	6.1
Bicycle	170	0.8
Motorcycle	10	0.0
Taxicab	75	0.4
Other method	245	1.2

Labour Force by Industry

	Population	% of Experienced Labour Force
Total experienced labour force 15 years and over⁽²⁵⁾	21,680	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	85	0.4
Mining and oil and gas extraction	560	2.6
Utilities	160	0.7
Construction	1,935	8.9
Manufacturing	1,760	8.1
Wholesale trade	1,360	6.3
Retail trade	3,025	14.0
Transportation and warehousing	1,025	4.7
Information and cultural industries	375	1.7
Finance and insurance	750	3.5
Real estate and rental and leasing	475	2.2
Professional, scientific and technical services	1,360	6.3
Management of companies and enterprises	40	0.2
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	715	3.3
Educational services	1,015	4.7
Healthcare and social assistance	2,250	10.4
Arts, entertainment and recreation	475	2.2
Accommodation and food services	1,880	8.7
Other services (except public administration)	1,280	5.9
Public administration	1,145	5.3

* 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.

Source: Statistics Canada

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Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups

	Population	% of Experienced Labour Force
Total experienced labour force 15 years and over ⁽²⁶⁾	21,680	
Males - All occupations	11,195	51.6
Management occupations	1,265	5.8
Business, finance and administration occupations	1,200	5.5
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	1,225	5.7
Health occupations	135	0.6
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	405	1.9
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	265	1.2
Sales and service occupations	2,565	11.8
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	3,325	15.3
Occupations unique to primary industry	365	1.7
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	440	2.0
Females - All occupations	10,485	48.4
Management occupations	875	4.0
Business, finance and administration occupations	3,040	14.0
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	260	1.2
Health occupations	1,135	5.2
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	880	4.1
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	250	1.2
Sales and service occupations	3,555	16.4
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	290	1.3
Occupations unique to primary industry	35	0.2
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	155	0.7

Labour Force by Sex and Class of Worker

Males - All classes of workers	11,295	52.1
Paid-workers	10,590	48.8
Employees	10,070	46.4
Self-employed (incorporated)	520	2.4
Self-employed (unincorporated)	605	2.8
Unpaid family workers	10	0.0
Females - All classes of workers	10,570	48.8
Paid-workers	10,100	46.6
Employees	9,940	45.8
Self-employed (incorporated)	160	0.7
Self-employed (unincorporated)	375	1.7
Unpaid family workers	10	0.0

Employment Income (2005) by Sex and Work Activity

	Population (unless otherwise noted)	
Total Employed - 15 years and over:		
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$49,037	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$21,343	--
Males Employed - 15 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁷⁾	6,795	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$56,546	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁸⁾	4,425	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$27,705	--
Females Employed - 15 Years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁷⁾	5,595	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$39,919	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁸⁾	5,405	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$16,131	--

* 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	30,075	
Males 15 years and over with income	14,465	48.1
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	4,325	14.4
Under \$5,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	1,340	4.5
\$5,000 - \$9,999	830	2.8
\$10,000 - \$14,999	1,125	3.7
\$15,000 - \$19,999	1,030	3.4
\$20,000 - \$39,999	3,955	13.2
\$20,000 - \$29,999	1,840	6.1
\$30,000 - \$39,999	2,115	7.0
\$40,000 - \$59,999	2,945	9.8
\$40,000 - \$49,999	1,650	5.5
\$50,000 - \$59,999	1,295	4.3
\$60,000 and over	3,220	10.7
Average total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$43,227	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$34,215	--
Females 15 years and over with income	15,610	51.9
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	7,095	23.6
Under \$5,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	1,545	5.1
\$5,000 - \$9,999	1,700	5.7
\$10,000 - \$14,999	1,800	6.0
\$15,000 - \$19,999	2,050	6.8
\$20,000 - \$39,999	5,150	17.1
\$20,000 - \$29,999	2,810	9.3
\$30,000 - \$39,999	2,340	7.8
\$40,000 - \$59,999	2,070	6.9
\$40,000 - \$49,999	1,275	4.2
\$50,000 - \$59,999	795	2.6
\$60,000 and over	1,295	4.3
Average total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$27,563	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$22,145	--

Household Income (2005)

	Households (unless otherwise noted)	% of Private Households
Total private households	15,110	
Household Income: ⁽³¹⁾		
Under \$20,000	1,700	11.3
Under \$10,000	405	2.7
\$10,000 - \$19,999	1,295	8.6
\$20,000 - \$39,999	3,230	21.4
\$20,000 - \$29,999	1,350	8.9
\$30,000 - \$39,999	1,880	12.4
\$40,000 - \$59,999	2,955	19.6
\$40,000 - \$49,999	1,475	9.8
\$50,000 - \$59,999	1,480	9.8
\$60,000 - \$79,999	2,425	16.0
\$60,000 - \$69,999	1,215	8.0
\$70,000 - \$79,999	1,210	8.0
\$80,000 - \$99,999	1,590	10.5
\$80,000 - \$89,999	825	5.5
\$90,000 - \$99,999	765	5.1
\$100,000 and over	3,200	21.2
Average household income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$69,793	--
Median household income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$57,296	--

* 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⁾	10,505	
Family income:⁽³³⁾		
Under \$20,000	660	6.3
Under \$10,000	175	1.7
\$10,000 - \$19,999	485	4.6
\$20,000 - \$39,999	1,735	16.5
\$20,000 - \$29,999	540	5.1
\$30,000 - \$39,999	1,195	11.4
\$40,000 - \$59,999	2,020	19.2
\$40,000 - \$49,999	940	8.9
\$50,000 - \$59,999	1,080	10.3
\$60,000 - \$79,999	1,855	17.7
\$60,000 - \$69,999	970	9.2
\$70,000 - \$79,999	885	8.4
\$80,000 - \$99,999	1,360	12.9
\$80,000 - \$89,999	655	6.2
\$90,000 - \$99,999	705	6.7
\$100,000 and over	2,865	27.3
Average family income (\$)	\$80,210	--
Median family income (\$)	\$68,318	--
Couple families:⁽³⁴⁾		
Average family income (\$)	\$87,524	--
Median family income (\$)	\$76,311	--
Male lone-parent families:⁽⁴⁰⁾		
Average family income (\$)	\$70,482	--
Median family income (\$)	\$66,607	--
Female lone-parent families:⁽³⁵⁾		
Average family income (\$)	\$48,353	--
Median family income (\$)	\$39,084	--

Incidence of Low Income (2005)

Total economic families	10,500	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	12.8	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	9.3	--
Couple economic families	8,285	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	8.9	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	6.5	--
Male lone-parent economic families	330	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	6.1	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	6.2	--
Female lone-parent economic families	1,595	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	33.9	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	25.1	--

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

(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.