

Population

Total population (100% data)	51,525
Total non-institutional population ⁽¹⁾	51,510

Sex and Age Groups

	Population	% of Population
Male	25,930	50.3
Female	25,565	49.6
0-4	4,870	9.5
5-19	11,960	23.2
20-24	3,815	7.4
25-44	18,435	35.8
45-64	10,060	19.5
65-74	1,590	3.1
75+	760	1.5

Legal Marital Status

Total population 15 years and over by legal marital status	38,355	% of Population (15+ yrs)
Single (never legally married)	12,190	31.8
Legally Married (and not separated)	21,515	56.1
Separated (but not divorced)	1,165	3.0
Divorced	2,340	6.1
Widowed	1,140	3.0
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	2,885	7.5

Family Structure

	Households	% of Households
Total census families and non-family persons ⁽³⁾	19,805	% of Households
Total census families ⁽⁴⁾	14,040	70.9
Total couple families by family structure	11,915	60.2
Married couples	10,470	52.9
Without children at home	2,920	14.7
With children at home	7,550	38.1
1 child	2,550	12.9
2 children	3,295	16.6
3 or more children	1,710	8.6
Common-law couples ⁽²⁾	1,445	7.3
Without children at home	755	3.8
With children at home	690	3.5
1 child	285	1.4
2 children	270	1.4
3 or more children	135	0.7
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	2,125	10.7
Female parent	1,715	8.7
1 child	920	4.6
2 children	575	2.9
3 or more children	225	1.1
Male parent	410	2.1
1 child	255	1.3
2 children	130	0.7
3 or more children	25	0.1
Non-family persons	5,765	29.1
Living with relatives	1,875	9.5
Living with non-relatives only	2,335	11.8
Living alone	1,555	7.9
65 years and over	700	3.5
Living with relatives	490	2.5
Living with non-relatives only	60	0.3
Living alone	145	0.7

* 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	48,815	94.8
English	30,190	58.6
French	215	0.4
Non-official languages	18,410	35.7
Chinese ⁽⁵⁾	1,260	2.4
German	20	0.0
Panjabi (Punjabi)	8,950	17.4
Vietnamese	965	1.9
Spanish	915	1.8
Other Languages	6,300	12.2
Multiple responses	2,685	5.2

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	45,920	89.1
French only	0	0.0
Both English and French	2,230	4.3
Neither English nor French	3,335	6.5

Aboriginal Identity Population

Total Aboriginal population	1,490	2.9
Single Aboriginal response	1,450	2.8
North American Indian	730	1.4
Métis single response	720	1.4
Inuit single response	0	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	10	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	30	0.1
Non-Aboriginal population	50,010	97.1

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁶⁾	42,995	83.5
Not Canadian citizens	8,505	16.5

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁷⁾	29,115	56.5
Born in Alberta	18,575	36.1
Immigrant population ⁽⁸⁾	21,885	42.5
United States	230	0.4
Central America	870	1.7
Caribbean and Bermuda	685	1.3
South America	335	0.7
Europe	1,370	2.7
Africa	1,265	2.5
Asia and the Middle East	16,935	32.9
Oceania and Other ⁽⁹⁾	180	0.3
Non-permanent residents ⁽¹⁰⁾	500	1.0

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

Total immigrant population	21,880	% of Immigrant Population
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	255	1.2
1961 - 1970	365	1.7
1971 - 1980	2,365	10.8
1981 - 1990	3,820	17.5
1991 - 2000	8,835	40.4
2001 - 2006 ⁽¹¹⁾	6,235	28.5

* 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.

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Mobility Status

	Population	% of Population
Total population, Mobility status 1 year ago ⁽¹²⁾	50,520	% of Population Aged 1 Year & Over
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	39,355	77.9
Movers	11,165	22.1
Non-migrants	8,280	16.4
Migrants	2,885	5.7
Internal migrants	1,970	3.9
Intraprovincial migrants	550	1.1
Interprovincial migrants	1,415	2.8
External migrants	915	1.8
Total population, Mobility status 5 years ago ⁽¹²⁾	46,620	% of Population Aged 5 Years & Over
By mobility status 5 years ago:		
Non-movers	17,295	37.1
Movers	29,330	62.9
Non-migrants	19,225	41.2
Migrants	10,100	21.7
Internal migrants	5,385	11.6
Intraprovincial migrants	1,455	3.1
Interprovincial migrants	3,930	8.4
External migrants	4,715	10.1

Dwelling Type

	Dwellings	% of Occupied Private Dwellings
Total occupied private dwellings	14,895	
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	12,020	80.7
Semi-detached house	890	6.0
Row house	920	6.2
Apartment or flat in a duplex	615	4.1
Apartment, building that has five or more storeys	0	0.0
Apartment, building that has fewer than five storeys	450	3.0
Other single-attached house	0	0.0
Movable dwelling	0	0.0

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	12,585	84.5
Rented	2,305	15.5
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.7	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	3.2	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	297,525	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	11,640	78.1
Minor repairs	2,785	18.7
Major repairs	475	3.2

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	40	0.3
1946 - 1960	55	0.4
1961 - 1970	150	1.0
1971 - 1980	1,820	12.2
1981 - 1985	2,830	19.0
1986 - 1990	1,525	10.2
1991 - 1995	1,405	9.4
1996 - 2000	2,405	16.1
2001 - 2006 ⁽¹³⁾	4,670	31.4

* 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	14,900	--
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	2,305	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$949	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	910	--
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,445	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$903	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	580	--
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	12,590	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$1,270	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	3,565	--
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽¹⁵⁾	8,015	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$1,264	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽¹⁴⁾	2,250	--

Ethnic Origin⁽¹⁶⁾

	Population ⁽¹⁷⁾	% of Population
British Isles origins ⁽¹⁸⁾	12,450	24.2
English	6,605	12.8
Irish	4,245	8.2
Scottish	5,165	10.0
Welsh	540	1.0
French ⁽¹⁹⁾	7,475	14.5
Aboriginal origins ⁽²⁰⁾	4,175	8.1
Other North American origins	8,690	16.9
American	495	1.0
Canadian	8,310	16.1
European origins	11,560	22.4
Western European origins	6,140	11.9
Dutch (Netherlands)	1,315	2.6
German	4,865	9.4
Northern European origins	1,795	3.5
Scandinavian origins	1,650	3.2
Danish	340	0.7
Norwegian	680	1.3
Swedish	395	0.8
Eastern European origins	3,460	6.7
Polish	1,060	2.1
Russian	540	1.0
Ukrainian	1,545	3.0
Southern European origins	2,710	5.3
Italian	830	1.6
South Asian origins	16,915	32.8
East Indian	13,700	26.6
East and Southeast Asian origins	7,705	15.0
Chinese	2,805	5.4
Filipino	3,415	6.6
Other Origin ⁽²¹⁾	23,625	45.9

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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	28,505	% of Population 25-64 years
Total population 25 to 64 years with postsecondary qualifications	14,020	49.2
Education	670	2.4
Visual and performing arts, and communications technologies	315	1.1
Humanities	1,055	3.7
Social and behavioural sciences and law	1,320	4.6
Business, management and public administration	3,145	11.0
Physical and life sciences and technologies	515	1.8
Mathematics, computer and information sciences	680	2.4
Architecture, engineering, and related technologies	3,795	13.3
Agriculture, natural resources and conservation	180	0.6
Health, parks, recreation and fitness	1,755	6.2
Personal, protective and transportation services	580	2.0
Other fields of study	0	0.0

Labour Force Activity

	Population		Rate (%)
Total Population - 15 years and over	38,355		
Participating in labour force	30,315	Participation rate (%)	79.0
Employed	28,975	Employment rate (%)	75.5
Unemployed	1,340	Unemployment rate (%)	4.4
Not in labour force	8,035		
Males - 15 years and over	19,085		
Participating in labour force	16,220	Participation rate (%)	85.0
Employed	15,605	Employment rate (%)	81.8
Unemployed	610	Unemployment rate (%)	3.8
Not in labour force	2,865		
Females - 15 years and over	19,270		
Participating in labour force	14,100	Participation rate (%)	73.2
Employed	13,375	Employment rate (%)	69.4
Unemployed	730	Unemployment rate (%)	5.2
Not in labour force	5,170		

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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	28,975	
Males in employed labour force	15,605	53.9
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	11,540	39.8
In census subdivision of residence	10,995	37.9
In different census subdivision	540	1.9
In same census division	365	1.3
At home	435	1.5
Outside Canada	45	0.2
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	3,590	12.4
Females in employed labour force	13,370	46.1
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	11,635	40.2
In census subdivision of residence	11,400	39.3
In different census subdivision	235	0.8
In same census division	165	0.6
At home	615	2.1
Outside Canada	20	0.1
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	1,095	3.8

Labour Force by Mode of Transportation

	Population	% of Employed, Travelling Labour Force
Employed, travelling labour force 15 years and over⁽²⁴⁾	27,865	
Mode of Transportation:		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	19,660	70.6
Car, truck, van (as passenger)	2,890	10.4
Public transit	4,630	16.6
Walked	260	0.9
Bicycle	70	0.3
Motorcycle	35	0.1
Taxicab	130	0.5
Other method	185	0.7

Labour Force by Industry

	Population	% of Experienced Labour Force
Total experienced labour force 15 years and over⁽²⁵⁾	29,990	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	75	0.3
Mining and oil and gas extraction	855	2.9
Utilities	190	0.6
Construction	2,490	8.3
Manufacturing	3,655	12.2
Wholesale trade	1,655	5.5
Retail trade	3,775	12.6
Transportation and warehousing	3,385	11.3
Information and cultural industries	730	2.4
Finance and insurance	915	3.1
Real estate and rental and leasing	575	1.9
Professional, scientific and technical services	1,995	6.7
Management of companies and enterprises	15	0.1
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	2,120	7.1
Educational services	720	2.4
Healthcare and social assistance	2,055	6.9
Arts, entertainment and recreation	340	1.1
Accommodation and food services	2,400	8.0
Other services (except public administration)	1,580	5.3
Public administration	440	1.5

* 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⁾	29,990	
Males - All occupations	16,115	53.7
Management occupations	1,330	4.4
Business, finance and administration occupations	1,485	5.0
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	1,610	5.4
Health occupations	115	0.4
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	245	0.8
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	125	0.4
Sales and service occupations	3,350	11.2
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	6,300	21.0
Occupations unique to primary industry	245	0.8
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	1,305	4.4
Females - All occupations	13,880	46.3
Management occupations	780	2.6
Business, finance and administration occupations	3,935	13.1
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	395	1.3
Health occupations	990	3.3
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	790	2.6
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	135	0.5
Sales and service occupations	5,290	17.6
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	595	2.0
Occupations unique to primary industry	45	0.2
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	915	3.1

Labour Force by Sex and Class of Worker

Males - All classes of workers	16,220	54.1
Paid-workers	15,025	50.1
Employees	14,250	47.5
Self-employed (incorporated)	775	2.6
Self-employed (unincorporated)	1,075	3.6
Unpaid family workers	15	0.1
Females - All classes of workers	14,100	47.0
Paid-workers	13,305	44.4
Employees	13,080	43.6
Self-employed (incorporated)	230	0.8
Self-employed (unincorporated)	520	1.7
Unpaid family workers	50	0.2

Employment Income (2005) by Sex and Work Activity

	Population (unless otherwise noted)	
Total Employed - 15 years and over:		
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$39,447	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$20,458	--
Males Employed - 15 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁷⁾	9,685	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$43,944	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁸⁾	6,145	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$24,964	--
Females Employed - 15 Years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁷⁾	6,895	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$33,128	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁸⁾	6,985	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$16,497	--

* 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	36,215	
Males 15 years and over with income	18,295	50.5
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	5,900	16.3
Under \$5,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	1,605	4.4
\$5,000 - \$9,999	1,320	3.6
\$10,000 - \$14,999	1,450	4.0
\$15,000 - \$19,999	1,525	4.2
\$20,000 - \$39,999	5,880	16.2
\$20,000 - \$29,999	2,750	7.6
\$30,000 - \$39,999	3,130	8.6
\$40,000 - \$59,999	4,080	11.3
\$40,000 - \$49,999	2,410	6.7
\$50,000 - \$59,999	1,670	4.6
\$60,000 and over	2,445	6.8
Average total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$35,088	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$31,777	--
Females 15 years and over with income	17,920	49.5
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	8,825	24.4
Under \$5,000 ⁽²⁹⁾	2,110	5.8
\$5,000 - \$9,999	2,230	6.2
\$10,000 - \$14,999	2,230	6.2
\$15,000 - \$19,999	2,255	6.2
\$20,000 - \$39,999	6,290	17.4
\$20,000 - \$29,999	3,595	9.9
\$30,000 - \$39,999	2,695	7.4
\$40,000 - \$59,999	2,015	5.6
\$40,000 - \$49,999	1,370	3.8
\$50,000 - \$59,999	645	1.8
\$60,000 and over	790	2.2
Average total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$24,064	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽³⁰⁾	\$20,284	--

Household Income (2005)

	Households (unless otherwise noted)	% of Private Households
Total private households	14,895	
Household Income: ⁽³¹⁾		
Under \$20,000	950	6.4
Under \$10,000	375	2.5
\$10,000 - \$19,999	575	3.9
\$20,000 - \$39,999	2,275	15.3
\$20,000 - \$29,999	865	5.8
\$30,000 - \$39,999	1,410	9.5
\$40,000 - \$59,999	3,125	21.0
\$40,000 - \$49,999	1,435	9.6
\$50,000 - \$59,999	1,690	11.3
\$60,000 - \$79,999	3,275	22.0
\$60,000 - \$69,999	1,675	11.2
\$70,000 - \$79,999	1,600	10.7
\$80,000 - \$99,999	2,260	15.2
\$80,000 - \$89,999	1,285	8.6
\$90,000 - \$99,999	975	6.5
\$100,000 and over	3,010	20.2
Average household income (\$) ⁽³¹⁾	\$71,992	--
Median household income (\$) ⁽³¹⁾	\$66,540	--

* 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⁾	12,775	
Family income:⁽³³⁾		
Under \$20,000	660	5.2
Under \$10,000	230	1.8
\$10,000 - \$19,999	430	3.4
\$20,000 - \$39,999	1,885	14.8
\$20,000 - \$29,999	700	5.5
\$30,000 - \$39,999	1,185	9.3
\$40,000 - \$59,999	2,665	20.9
\$40,000 - \$49,999	1,175	9.2
\$50,000 - \$59,999	1,490	11.7
\$60,000 - \$79,999	2,835	22.2
\$60,000 - \$69,999	1,435	11.2
\$70,000 - \$79,999	1,400	11.0
\$80,000 - \$99,999	2,000	15.7
\$80,000 - \$89,999	1,170	9.2
\$90,000 - \$99,999	830	6.5
\$100,000 and over	2,725	21.3
Average family income (\$)	\$74,020	--
Median family income (\$)	\$68,260	--
Couple families:⁽³⁴⁾		
Average family income (\$)	\$77,385	--
Median family income (\$)	\$71,645	--
Male lone-parent families:⁽⁴⁰⁾		
Average family income (\$)	\$67,426	--
Median family income (\$)	\$62,260	--
Female lone-parent families:⁽³⁵⁾		
Average family income (\$)	\$51,436	--
Median family income (\$)	\$45,131	--

Incidence of Low Income (2005)

Total economic families	12,775	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	14.8	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	10.8	--
Couple economic families	10,655	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	13.2	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	9.3	--
Male lone-parent economic families	330	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	12.1	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	13.4	--
Female lone-parent economic families	1,400	--
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁶⁾	29.3	--
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 (%) ⁽³⁷⁾	23.9	--

* 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.