

**Population**

<b>Total non-institutional population of seniors<sup>(1)</sup></b>	6,240
Total population, all ages	37,785

**Sex and Age Groups**

	Total population	% of Total Population	Seniors <sup>§</sup> Population	% of Seniors Population
Male	18,290	48.4	2,615	41.9
Female	19,490	51.6	3,620	58.0
65-74	--	--	3,405	54.6
75+	--	--	2,840	45.5

**Legal Marital Status**

Single (never legally married)	220	3.5
Legally Married (and not separated)	3,780	60.6
Separated (but not divorced)	90	1.4
Divorced	495	7.9
Widowed	1,650	26.4
Common-Law <sup>(2)</sup>	85	1.4

**Religion**

Christian	5,250	84.1
Catholic	1,090	17.5
Protestant	3,955	63.4
Other Christian	210	3.4
Non-Christian	250	4.0
No religious affiliation	740	11.9

**Home Language**

<b>Single responses</b>	5,785	92.7
English	5,640	90.4
French	10	0.2
Non-official languages	135	2.2
Chinese <sup>(3)</sup>	50	0.8
German	0	0.0
Punjabi	0	0.0
Vietnamese	0	0.0
Spanish	0	0.0
<b>Multiple responses</b>	455	7.3

**Knowledge of Official Languages**

English only	5,850	93.8
French only	0	0.0
Both English and French	315	5.0
Neither English nor French	70	1.1

**Ethnic Origin**

<b>Single origins</b>	3,990	63.9
Canadian	545	8.7
British Isles origins	1,565	25.1
German	395	6.3
Chinese	65	1.0
Ukrainian	260	4.2
Aboriginal origins	20	0.3
Other single responses	1,140	18.3
<b>Multiple origins</b>	2,250	36.1

† Boundaries are based on 2004 Provincial Electoral Divisions. Data is based on 2001 census. Profiles compiled in 2005.

§ A senior is defined as a person aged 65 years and older.

(1) All profile variables are based on the non-institutional population of seniors (weighted 20% sample data).

(2) 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 the single response of Chinese, n.o.s.

**Aboriginal Identity Population**

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
<b>Total Aboriginal population</b>	20	0.3
Single Aboriginal response	20	0.3
North American Indian	10	0.2
Métis single response	10	0.2
Inuit single response	0	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	0	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	0	0.0
<b>Non-Aboriginal population</b>	6,220	99.7

**Citizenship**

Canadian citizenship <sup>(4)</sup>	6,085	97.5
Citizenship other than Canadian	155	2.5

**Place of Birth**

<b>Non-immigrant population <sup>(5)</sup></b>	4,365	70.0
Born in Alberta	2,035	32.6
<b>Immigrant population <sup>(6)</sup></b>	1,860	29.8
United Kingdom	570	9.1
China, People's Republic of	60	1.0
United States	230	3.7
Philippines	15	0.2
India	25	0.4
Viet Nam	0	0.0
Germany	125	2.0
Poland	105	1.7
Hong Kong, Special Administrative Region	0	0.0
Netherlands	145	2.3
All other places of birth	590	9.5
<b>Non-permanent residents <sup>(7)</sup></b>	10	0.2

**Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration**

<b>Total immigrant population</b>	1,860	
<b>By period of immigration:</b>		
Before 1961	1,320	71.0
1961 - 1970	225	12.1
1971 - 1980	115	6.2
1981 - 1990	140	7.5
1991 - 1995	25	1.3
1996 - 2001 <sup>(8)</sup>	35	1.9

**Highest Level of Schooling**

<b>Total population 65 years and over</b>	6,240	
<b>By highest level of schooling:</b>		
Less than grade 9 <sup>(9)</sup>	550	8.8
Grades 9 - 13	2,170	34.8
Without high school graduation certificate	1,515	24.3
With high school graduation certificate	655	10.5
Trades certificate or diploma <sup>(10)</sup>	560	9.0
College	1,375	22.0
University	1,585	25.4
Without degree	350	5.6
With bachelor's degree or higher <sup>(11)</sup>	1,230	19.7

(4) Includes Canadian citizenship by birth and naturalization.

(5) Includes persons born outside of Alberta as well as persons born outside of Canada who have Canadian citizenship by birth and, therefore, will not have immigrated to Canada

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

(7) Refers to persons who hold a student authorization, employment authorization or Minister's permit, or who are refugee claimants, and family members living here with them.

(8) Includes only the first five months of 2001.

(9) Includes those who have never attended school or attended kindergarten only.

(10) Persons in this category may not have obtained their secondary (high) school graduation certificate.

(11) Includes bachelor's degree, university certificate above bachelor level, master's degree and earned doctorate.

**Labour Force Activity**

	Seniors Population	Rate (%)
<b>Total Population - 65 years and over</b>	6,240	--
Participating in labour force	1,025	--
Employed	985	--
Unemployed	35	--
Not in labour force	5,215	--
Participation rate (%)	--	16.4
Employment rate (%)	--	15.8
Unemployment rate (%)	--	3.4
<b>Males - 65 years and over</b>	2,620	--
Participating in labour force	675	--
Employed	660	--
Unemployed	15	--
Not in labour force	1,950	--
Participation rate (%)	--	25.8
Employment rate (%)	--	25.2
Unemployment rate (%)	--	2.2
<b>Females - 65 years and over</b>	3,625	--
Participating in labour force	350	--
Employed	325	--
Unemployed	25	--
Not in labour force	3,270	--
Participation rate (%)	--	9.7
With no children at home (%) <sup>(12)</sup>	--	9.5
With children at home (%)	--	11.4
Employment rate (%)	--	9.0
Unemployment rate (%)	--	7.1

**Labour Force by Sex and Place of Work**

<b>Total employed labour force 65 years and over</b>	985	
<b>Males in employed labour force</b>	660	67.0
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	455	46.2
At home	170	17.3
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	35	3.6
<b>Females in employed labour force</b>	330	33.5
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	185	18.8
At home	125	12.7
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	20	2.0

**Labour Force by Sex and Class of Worker**

<b>Total experienced labour force 65 years and over <sup>(13)</sup></b>	1,005	
<b>Males - All classes of workers</b>	660	65.7
Paid-workers	555	55.2
Employees	320	31.8
Self-employed (incorporated)	235	23.4
Self-employed (unincorporated)	105	10.4
Unpaid family workers	0	0.0
<b>Females - All classes of workers</b>	350	34.8
Paid-workers	305	30.3
Employees	240	23.9
Self-employed (incorporated)	60	6.0
Self-employed (unincorporated)	40	4.0
Unpaid family workers	10	1.0

(12) Participation rate is calculated for females 65 years and over in private households only.

(13) The inexperienced labour force refers to unemployed persons 65 years and over who have never worked or who had worked only prior to January 1, 2000. Job characteristics of the labour force (industry, occupation, and class of worker) are only collected for the experienced labour force (persons with recent paid work experience).

**Labour Force by Mode of Transportation**

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
<b>Employed, travelling labour force 65 years and over <sup>(14)</sup></b>	695	
<b>Mode of Transportation:</b>		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	510	73.4
Car, truck, van (as passenger)	40	5.8
Public transit	70	10.1
Walked	50	7.2
Bicycle	0	0.0
Motorcycle	0	0.0
Taxicab	10	1.4
Other method	0	0.0

**Labour Force by Industry**

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
<b>Total experienced labour force 65 years and over <sup>(15)</sup></b>	1,005	
<b>Industries:</b>		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	15	1.5
Mining and oil and gas extraction	125	12.4
Utilities	0	0.0
Construction	25	2.5
Manufacturing	25	2.5
Wholesale trade	55	5.5
Retail trade	105	10.4
Transportation and warehousing	30	3.0
Information and cultural industries	10	1.0
Finance and insurance	75	7.5
Real estate and rental and leasing	70	7.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	160	15.9
Management of companies and enterprises	30	3.0
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	20	2.0
Educational services	30	3.0
Healthcare and social assistance	105	10.4
Arts, entertainment and recreation	45	4.5
Accommodation and food services	25	2.5
Other services (except public administration)	25	2.5
Public administration	20	2.0

**Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups**

<b>Males - All occupations</b>	665	66.2
Management occupations	210	20.9
Business, finance and administration occupations	105	10.4
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	85	8.5
Health occupations	35	3.5
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	15	1.5
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	10	1.0
Sales and service occupations	105	10.4
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	75	7.5
Occupations unique to primary industry	10	1.0
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	10	1.0
<b>Females - All occupations</b>	350	34.8
Management occupations	45	4.5
Business, finance and administration occupations	130	12.9
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	40	4.0
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	15	1.5
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	20	2.0
Sales and service occupations	80	8.0
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	0	0.0
Occupations unique to primary industry	10	1.0
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	10	1.0

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

(15) The inexperienced labour force refers to unemployed persons 65 years and over who have never worked or who had worked only prior to January 1, 2000. Job characteristics of the labour force (industry, occupation, and class of worker) are only collected for the experienced labour force (persons with recent paid work experience).

**Hours Spent Doing Unpaid Housework <sup>(16)</sup>**

	6,240	% of Seniors Population
<b>Total census seniors</b>	6,240	
0 hours of unpaid housework	980	15.7
Less than 5 hours	1,040	16.7
5 to 14 hours	1,735	27.8
15 to 29 hours	1,325	21.2
30 to 59 hours	860	13.8
60 hours or more	295	4.7
<b>Males</b>	2,620	42.0
0 hours of unpaid housework	440	7.1
Less than 5 hours	510	8.2
5 to 14 hours	770	12.3
15 to 29 hours	535	8.6
30 to 59 hours	270	4.3
60 hours or more	90	1.4
<b>Females</b>	3,620	58.0
0 hours of unpaid housework	540	8.7
Less than 5 hours	530	8.5
5 to 14 hours	970	15.5
15 to 29 hours	785	12.6
30 to 59 hours	585	9.4
60 hours or more	205	3.3

**Hours Spent Looking After Children, Unpaid <sup>(16)</sup>**

<b>Total census seniors</b>	6,240	
0 hours of unpaid child care	5,310	85.1
Less than 5 hours	465	7.5
5 to 14 hours	365	5.8
15 to 29 hours	30	0.5
30 to 59 hours	40	0.6
60 hours or more	25	0.4
<b>Males</b>	2,620	42.0
0 hours of unpaid child care	2,215	35.5
Less than 5 hours	225	3.6
5 to 14 hours	135	2.2
15 to 29 hours	15	0.2
30 to 59 hours	15	0.2
60 hours or more	20	0.3
<b>Females</b>	3,620	58.0
0 hours of unpaid child care	3,095	49.6
Less than 5 hours	245	3.9
5 to 14 hours	230	3.7
15 to 29 hours	15	0.2
30 to 59 hours	25	0.4
60 hours or more	10	0.2

**Hours Spent Providing Unpaid Care or Assistance to Seniors <sup>(16)</sup>**

<b>Total census seniors</b>	6,240	
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	5,050	80.9
Less than 5 hours	655	10.5
5 to 9 hours	295	4.7
10 hours or more	240	3.8
<b>Males</b>	2,620	42.0
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	2,140	34.3
Less than 5 hours	295	4.7
5 to 9 hours	100	1.6
10 hours or more	90	1.4
<b>Females</b>	3,620	58.0
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	2,915	46.7
Less than 5 hours	365	5.8
5 to 9 hours	195	3.1
10 hours or more	150	2.4

(16) Number of hours is calculated from the total amount of time spent during the week prior to the census day.

**Household Type**

	Seniors Households	% of Seniors Households
<b>Total census families and non-family persons</b> <sup>(17)</sup>	4,485	
<b>Total census families</b> <sup>(18)</sup>	2,380	53.1
Total couple families by family structure	2,065	46.0
Married couples	2,010	44.8
Without children at home	1,825	40.7
With children at home	185	4.1
Common-law couples <sup>(19)</sup>	60	1.3
Without children at home	55	1.2
With children at home	0	0.0
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	315	7.0
Female parent	215	4.8
Male parent	90	2.0
<b>Non-family persons</b>	2,105	46.9
Living with relatives	115	2.6
Living with non-relatives only	80	1.8
Living alone	1,910	42.6

**Dwelling Type**

	Seniors Dwellings (unless otherwise noted)	% of Seniors Occupied Private Dwellings
<b>Total occupied private dwellings</b>	4,275	
<b>By structural type of dwelling:</b>		
Single-detached house	2,395	56.0
Semi-detached house	95	2.2
Row house	495	11.6
Apartment	1,305	30.5
Other single-attached house	0	0.0
Movable dwelling	0	0.0

**Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics**

<b>Tenure:</b>		
Owned	3,140	73.5
Rented	1,140	26.7
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.2	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	2.6	--
Average value of dwelling (\$) <sup>(20)</sup>	\$254,167	--

**Dwellings by Need of Repair**

Regular maintenance only	3,390	79.3
Minor repairs	700	16.4
Major repairs	185	4.3

**Dwellings by Period of Construction**

Before 1946	255	6.0
1946 - 1960	1,185	27.7
1961 - 1970	1,330	31.1
1971 - 1980	595	13.9
1981 - 1985	440	10.3
1986 - 1990	140	3.3
1991 - 1995	125	2.9
1996 - 2001 <sup>(21)</sup>	205	4.8

(17) Private households only.

(18) Children are included if they are blood, step- or adopted sons and daughters (regardless of age or marital status) who are living in the same dwelling as their parent(s), as well as grandchildren in households where there are no parents present. Sons and daughters who are living with their spouse or common-law partner, or with one or more of their own children, are not considered to be members of the census family of their parent(s), even if they are living in the same dwelling.

(19) A couple living common-law may be of opposite or same sex.

(20) Applies to owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings only.

(21) Includes the first five months of 2001 only.

**Dwelling Costs by Tenure**

<b>Total non-farm, non-reserve occupied private dwellings</b>	4,280	--
<b>Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings</b>	1,140	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$628	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs <sup>(22)</sup>	560	--
<b>Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings <sup>(23)</sup></b>	270	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$768	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs <sup>(22)</sup>	75	--
<b>Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings</b>	3,135	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	254,167	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$563	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs <sup>(22)</sup>	285	--
<b>Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings <sup>(23)</sup></b>	1,965	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$586	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs <sup>(22)</sup>	100	--

**Mobility Status**

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
<b>Total population 65 years of age and over <sup>(24)</sup></b>	6,240	
<b>By mobility status 1 year ago:</b>		
Non-movers	6,025	96.6
Movers	215	3.4
Non-migrants	150	2.4
Migrants	60	1.0
Internal migrants	40	0.6
Intraprovincial migrants	10	0.2
Interprovincial migrants	35	0.6
External migrants	20	0.3
<b>Total population 65 years of age and over <sup>(24)</sup></b>	6,240	
<b>By mobility status 5 years ago:</b>		
Non-movers	5,180	83.0
Movers	1,060	17.0
Non-migrants	800	12.8
Migrants	260	4.2
Internal migrants	215	3.4
Intraprovincial migrants	65	1.0
Interprovincial migrants	150	2.4
External migrants	45	0.7

**Household Income (2000)**

	Seniors Households	% of Seniors Private Households
<b>Total private households</b>	4,275	
<b>Household Income:</b>		
Under \$20,000	895	20.9
\$20,000 - \$39,999	1,250	29.2
\$40,000 - \$59,999	830	19.4
\$60,000 - \$79,999	305	7.1
\$80,000 - \$99,999	265	6.2
\$100,000 and over	730	17.1
<b>Average household income (\$)</b>	\$73,988	--
<b>Median household income (\$)</b>	\$39,941	--

(22) Excludes households who reported a loss in their total household income, or had no income in 2000.

(23) Without additional persons.

(24) Excludes Canadians (military and government personnel) in households outside Canada.

**Employment Income (2000) by Sex and Work Activity**

	Seniors Population	
<b>Total Employed - 65 years and over:</b>		
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$55,882	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$36,114	--
<b>Males Employed - 65 years and over:</b>		
Worked full year, full time <sup>(25)</sup>	225	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$62,362	--
Worked part year or part time <sup>(26)</sup>	435	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$45,894	--
<b>Females Employed - 65 Years and over:</b>		
Worked full year, full time <sup>(25)</sup>	70	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$34,701	--
Worked part year or part time <sup>(26)</sup>	310	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$22,568	--

**Total Income (2000) by Sex**

<b>Composition of Total Income</b>		
Employment income (%)	15.2	--
Government transfer payments (%)	25.1	--
Other income (%)	59.7	--
		<b>% of Seniors Population with Income</b>
<b>Total population 65 years and over with income</b>	6,240	
<b>Males 65 years and over with income</b>		
	2,615	41.9
Under \$20,000 <sup>(27)</sup>	595	9.5
\$20,000 - \$39,999	915	14.7
\$40,000 - \$59,999	405	6.5
\$60,000 and over	705	11.3
<b>Average total income (\$) <sup>(28)</sup></b>	\$70,854	--
<b>Median total income (\$) <sup>(28)</sup></b>	\$33,756	--
<b>Females 65 years and over with income</b>		
	3,625	58.1
Under \$20,000 <sup>(27)</sup>	1,860	29.8
\$20,000 - \$39,999	1,095	17.5
\$40,000 - \$59,999	360	5.8
\$60,000 and over	305	4.9
<b>Average total income (\$) <sup>(28)</sup></b>	\$31,021	--
<b>Median total income (\$) <sup>(28)</sup></b>	\$19,101	--

**Incidence of Low Income (2000)**

<b>Total economic families</b>		
Low income economic families <sup>(29)</sup>	65	--
Incidence of low income (%) <sup>(30)</sup>	2.7	--
<b>Total unattached individuals 65 years and over</b>		
Low income unattached individuals <sup>(29)</sup>	810	--
Incidence of low income (%) <sup>(30)</sup>	40.8	--
<b>Total population in private households</b>		
Persons in low income family units <sup>(29)</sup>	895	--
Incidence of low income (%) <sup>(30)</sup>	14.4	--

(25) Worked 49 - 52 weeks in 2000, mostly full time.

(26) Worked 49 - 52 weeks in 2000, mostly part time, or worked less than 49 weeks.

(27) Includes loss.

(28) Average and median total incomes of individuals are calculated for those who are at least 65 years of age and who have an income (positive or negative).

(29) Low income has been defined as spending 20 percentage points more than average on food, shelter and clothing.

(30) Incidence rates are calculated from unrounded estimates.



**Census Family Income (2000)**

	<b>Seniors Families/Population (unless otherwise noted)</b>	<b>% of Seniors Census Families</b>
<b>Total census families</b>	2,380	
<b>Family income:</b>		
Under \$20,000	35	1.5
\$20,000 - \$39,999	635	26.7
\$40,000 - \$59,999	645	27.1
\$60,000 - \$79,999	235	9.9
\$80,000 - \$99,999	245	10.3
\$100,000 and over	585	24.6
<b>Average family income (\$)</b>	\$99,974	--
<b>Median family income (\$)</b>	\$56,042	--
<b>Couple families:</b>		
Average family income (\$)	\$102,897	--
Median family income (\$)	\$56,202	--
<b>Married couple families:</b>		
Average family income (\$)	\$100,266	--
Median family income (\$)	\$56,349	--
<b>Common-law couple families:</b>		
Average family income (\$)	\$196,158	--
Median family income (\$)	\$55,131	--
<b>Male lone-parent families:</b>		
Average family income (\$)	\$117,949	--
Median family income (\$)	\$53,849	--
<b>Female lone-parent families:</b>		
Average family income (\$)	\$64,231	--
Median family income (\$)	\$55,801	--

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