Seniors Profile, Alberta Electoral Boundaries<sup>†</sup>

Population				
Total non-institution Total population,	nal population of seni all ages	ors <sup>(1)</sup>	2,870 36,340	
Sex and Age Group	os			
	Total population	% of Total Population	Seniors <sup>§</sup> Population	% of Seniors Population
Male	17,805	49.0	1,305	45.5
Female	18,535	51.0	1,565	54.5
65-74 75+	 	 	1,955 915	68.1 31.9
Legal Marital Statu	s			
Single (never legally i			90	3.1
Legally Married (and			1,730	60.3
Separated (but not di			65	2.3
Divorced	,		205	7.1
Widowed			780	27.2
Common-Law (2)			20	0.7
Religion				
Christian			2,340	81.5
Catholic			940	32.8
Protestant			1,175	40.9
Other Christian			230	8.0
Non-Christian			205	7.1
No religious affiliation	1		330	11.5
Home Language				
Single responses			2,425	84.5
English			1,955	68.1
French			10	0.3
Non-official langu	ages		465	16.2
Chinese (3)	•		185	6.4
German			10	0.3
Punjabi			65	2.3
Vietnamese			10	0.3
Spanish			15	0.5
Multiple responses			445	15.5
Knowledge of Office	cial Languages			
English only			2,510	87.5
French only			10	0.3
Both English and Fre	nch		55	1.9
Neither English nor F			295	10.3
Ethnic Origin				
Single origins			2,270	79.1
Canadian			195	6.8
British Isles origin	s		350	12.2
German			180	6.3
Chinese			210	7.3
Ukrainian			545	19.0
Aboriginal origins			10	0.3
Other single response			785	27.4
Multiple origins			595	20.7

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

<sup>(2)</sup> 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		
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Total Aboriginal nanulation	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Total Aboriginal population	20	0.7
Single Aboriginal response  North American Indian	15 0	0.5 0.0
Métis single response	15	0.0
Inuit single response	0	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	0	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	0	0.0
Non-Aboriginal population	2,845	99.1
Citizenship		
Canadian citizenship <sup>(4)</sup>	2,735	95.3
Citizenship other than Canadian	130	4.5
Place of Birth		
Non-immigrant population <sup>(5)</sup>	1,760	61.3
Born in Alberta	1,185	41.3
Immigrant population <sup>(6)</sup>	1,090	38.0
United Kingdom	120	4.2
China, People's Republic of	165	5.7
United States	25	0.9
Philippines	25	0.9
India	70	2.4
Viet Nam	15	0.5
Germany	60	2.1
Poland	100	3.5
Hong Kong, Special Administrative Region	15	0.5
Netherlands All other places of birth	60	2.1
Non-permanent residents (7)	430 20	15.0 0.7
Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration		
Total immigrant population	1,090	
By period of immigration:	,- 3-	
Before 1961	460	42.2
1961 - 1970	155	14.2
1971 - 1980	200	18.3
1981 - 1990	150	13.8
1991 - 1995	85	7.8
1996 - 2001 <sup>(8)</sup>	30	2.8
Highest Level of Schooling		
Total population 65 years and over	2,865	
By highest level of schooling:		
Less than grade 9 (9)	845	29.5
Grades 9 - 13	1,190	41.5
Without high school graduation certificate	970	33.9
With high school graduation certificate	225	7.9
Trades certificate or diploma (10)	360	12.6
College	280	9.8
University Without degree	190	6.6
Without degree	75 110	2.6
With bachelor's degree or higher (11)	110	3.8

<sup>(4)</sup> Includes Canadian citizenship by birth and naturalization.

<sup>(5)</sup> 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.

<sup>(7)</sup> 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.

<sup>(9)</sup> Includes those who have never attended school or attended kindergarten only.

 <sup>(10)</sup> 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		
Labour Force Activity		
	Seniors Population	Rate (%)
Total Population - 65 years and over	2,870	
Participating in labour force	280	
Employed	245	
Unemployed Not in labour force	40	
Participation rate (%)	2,585	9.8
Employment rate (%)	 	8.6
Unemployment rate (%)		14.3
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Males - 65 years and over Participating in labour force	1,305 185	
Employed	160	 
Unemployed	25	 
Not in labour force	1,120	
Participation rate (%)		14.2
Employment rate (%)		12.3
Unemployment rate (%)	<del></del>	13.5
Females - 65 years and over	1,565	
Participating in labour force	1,565 95	 
Employed	85	 
Unemployed	10	
Not in labour force	1.470	
Participation rate (%)		6.1
With no children at home (%) (12)	<del></del>	6.2
With children at home (%)		3.6
Employment rate (%)		5.4
Unemployment rate (%)		10.5
Labour Force by Sex and Place of Work		
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Total employed labour force 65 years and over	240	
Males in employed labour force	160	66.7
Usual place of work: Outside home, within Canada	100	41.7
At home	40	16.7
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	20	8.3
Females in employed labour force Usual place of work:	80	33.3
Outside home, within Canada	60	25.0
At home	20	8.3
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	0	0.0
Labour Force by Sex and Class of Worker		
Total experienced labour force 65 years and over <sup>(13)</sup>	270	
Males - All classes of workers	185	68.5
Paid-workers	125	46.3
Employees	100	37.0
Self-employed (incorporated)	20	7.4
Self-employed (unincorporated)	60	22.2
Unpaid family workers	10	3.7
Females - All classes of workers	85	31.5
		20.4
Paid-workers	55	
Paid-workers Employees	55	20.4
Paid-workers Employees Self-employed (incorporated)	55 0	20.4 0.0
Paid-workers Employees	55	20.4

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

<sup>(13)</sup> 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		
(44)	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Employed, travelling labour force 65 years and over <sup>(14)</sup>	180	
Mode of Transportation:		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	145	80.6
Car, truck, van (as passenger) Public transit	10 15	5.6 8.3
Walked	10	5.6
Bicycle	0	0.0
Motorcycle	0	0.0
Taxicab	0	0.0
Other method	0	0.0
Labour Force by Industry		
Total experienced labour force 65 years and over (15)	270	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	0	0.0
Mining and oil and gas extraction	10	3.7
Utilities	0	0.0
Construction	20	7.4
Manufacturing	25	9.3
Wholesale trade	15	5.6
Retail trade	45	16.7
Transportation and warehousing	10	3.7
Information and cultural industries Finance and insurance	0	0.0 0.0
Real estate and rental and leasing	40	14.8
Professional, scientific and technical services	25	9.3
Management of companies and enterprises	0	0.0
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	15	5.6
Educational services	0	0.0
Healthcare and social assistance	25	9.3
Arts, entertainment and recreation	0	0.0
Accommodation and food services	0	0.0
Other services (except public administration)	30	11.1
Public administration	0	0.0
Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups		
Males - All occupations	185	68.5
Management occupations	15	5.6
Business, finance and administration occupations	45	16.7
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	20	7.4
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	0	0.0
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	0	0.0
Sales and service occupations	50	18.5
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	45	16.7
Occupations unique to primary industry	0	0.0
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	0	0.0
Females - All occupations	85	31.5
Management occupations	15	5.6
Business, finance and administration occupations	20	7.4
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	0	0.0
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	10	3.7
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	10	3.7
Sales and service occupations  Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	25 0	9.3
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations  Occupations unique to primary industry	0	0.0 0.0
Occupations unique to primary industry  Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	0	0.0
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<sup>(14)</sup> Excludes those who work at home or outside of Canada.

<sup>(15)</sup> 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 (16)		
Total census seniors	2,870	% of Seniors Population
0 hours of unpaid housework	365	12.7
Less than 5 hours	435	15.2
5 to 14 hours	735	25.6
15 to 29 hours	675	23.5
30 to 59 hours	490	17.1
60 hours or more	165	5.7
Males	1,305	45.5
0 hours of unpaid housework	185	6.4
Less than 5 hours	240	8.4
5 to 14 hours	345	12.0
15 to 29 hours	320	11.1
30 to 59 hours	165	5.7
60 hours or more	55	1.9
Females	1,560	54.4
0 hours of unpaid housework	180	6.3
Less than 5 hours	195	6.8
5 to 14 hours	390	13.6
15 to 29 hours	355	12.4
30 to 59 hours	325	11.3
60 hours or more	325 115	4.0
Hours Spent Looking After Children, Unpaid (16)	113	4.0
Total census seniors	2.965	
0 hours of unpaid child care	2,865	90.4
•	2,300	80.1
Less than 5 hours	220	7.7
5 to 14 hours	200	7.0
15 to 29 hours	65	2.3
30 to 59 hours	50	1.7
60 hours or more	30	1.0
Males	1,305	45.5
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,040	36.2
Less than 5 hours	105	3.7
5 to 14 hours	95	3.3
15 to 29 hours	25	0.9
30 to 59 hours	15	0.5
60 hours or more	15	0.5
Females	1,560	54.4
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,260	43.9
Less than 5 hours	110	3.8
5 to 14 hours	105	3.7
15 to 29 hours	40	1.4
30 to 59 hours	30	1.0
60 hours or more	15	0.5
Hours Spent Providing Unpaid Care or Assistance to Sen	niors (16)	
Total census seniors	2,870	
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	2,470	86.1
Less than 5 hours	175	6.1
5 to 9 hours	100	3.5
10 hours or more	125	4.4
Males	1,305	45.5
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors		40.1
•	1,150	
Less than 5 hours	70	2.4
5 to 9 hours	25	0.9
10 hours or more	55	1.9
Females	1,565	54.5
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,320	46.0
Less than 5 hours	110	3.8
5 to 9 hours	70	2.4

<sup>(16)</sup> 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
Total census families and non-family persons (17)	2,165	
Total census families (18)	1,215	56.1
Total couple families by family structure	1,015	46.9
Married couples	1,000	46.2
Without children at home	780	36.0
With children at home	220	10.2
Common-law couples (19)	15	0.7
Without children at home	15	0.7
With children at home	0	0.0
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	200	9.2
Female parent	150	6.9
Male parent	45	2.1
Non-family persons	950	43.9
Living with relatives	300	13.9
Living with non-relatives only	55	2.5
Living alone	590	27.3
Dwelling Type		
	Seniors Dwellings	% of Seniors Occupied
	(unless otherwise noted)	Private Dwellings
Total occupied private dwellings	1,790	
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	1,075	60.1
Semi-detached house	125	7.0
Row house	170	9.5
Apartment	300	16.8
Other single-attached house	0	0.0
Movable dwelling	125	7.0
Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics		
Tenure:		
Owned	1,470	82.1
Rented	320	17.9
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.1	
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	2.8	
Average value of dwelling (\$) (20)	\$111,462	
Dwellings by Need of Repair		
Regular maintenance only	1,200	67.0
Minor repairs	445	24.9
Major repairs	145	8.1
Dwellings by Period of Construction		
Before 1946	20	1.1
1946 - 1960	60	3.4
1961 - 1970	725	40.5
1971 - 1980	505	28.2
1981 - 1985	225	12.6
1986 - 1990	125	7.0
1991 - 1995	85	4.7
1996 - 2001 <sup>(21)</sup>	35	2.0

<sup>(17)</sup> Private households only.

<sup>(18)</sup> 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.

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

<sup>(20)</sup> Applies to owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings only.

<sup>(21)</sup> Includes the first five months of 2001 only.

welling Costs by Tenure		
Total non-farm, non-reserve occupied private dwellings	1,790	
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	320	
Average gross rent (\$)	\$546	
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs (22)	180	
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings (23)	100	
Average gross rent (\$)	\$629	
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs (22)	35	
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	1,470	
Average value of dwelling (\$)	111,462	
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$501	
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs (22)	175	
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings (23)	955	
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$507	
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs (22)	85	
•	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
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Total population 65 years of age and over <sup>(24)</sup>	•	% of Seniors Population
Total population 65 years of age and over <sup>(24)</sup>	•	% of Seniors Population 95.1
Total population 65 years of age and over <sup>(24)</sup> By mobility status 1 year ago:  Non-movers  Movers	2,870	,
Total population 65 years of age and over <sup>(24)</sup> By mobility status 1 year ago:  Non-movers  Movers  Non-migrants	2,870 2,730 135 95	95.1 4.7 3.3
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Total population 65 years of age and over (24)  By mobility status 1 year ago:  Non-movers  Movers  Non-migrants  Migrants  Internal migrants	2,870 2,730 135 95 35 20	95.1 4.7 3.3 1.2 0.7
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Household Income (2000)

Intraprovincial migrants

Interprovincial migrants

External migrants

	Seniors Households	
Total private households	1,790	% of Seniors Private Households
Household Income:		
Under \$20,000	455	25.4
\$20,000 - \$39,999	645	36.0
\$40,000 - \$59,999	400	22.3
\$60,000 - \$79,999	130	7.3
\$80,000 - \$99,999	80	4.5
\$100,000 and over	75	4.2
Average household income (\$)	\$40,582	
Median household income (\$)	\$32,649	

60

55

55

2.1

1.9

1.9

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

<sup>(23)</sup> Without additional persons.

<sup>(24)</sup> Excludes Canadians (military and government personnel) in households outside Canada.

Employment Income (2000) by Sex and Work Activity		
	Seniors Population	
Total Employed - 65 years and over:		
Average full-time employment income (\$) Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$23,009 \$17,220	 
Males Employed - 65 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time <sup>(25)</sup> Average full-time employment income (\$)	50 \$23,363	<del></del>
Worked part year or part time (26)	\$23,363 210	
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$19,250	
Females Employed - 65 Years and over:		
Worked full year, full time (25)	45 \$32.500	
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$22,588	<del></del>
Worked part year or part time <sup>(26)</sup> Average part-time employment income (\$)	55 \$9,676	 
Total Income (2000) by Sex		
Composition of Total Income		
Employment income (%)	12.4	
Government transfer payments (%)	60.2	
Other income (%)	27.5	<del></del>
		% of Seniors Population
Total population 65 years and over with income	2,870	with Income
Males 65 years and over with income	1,305	45.5
Under \$20,000 <sup>(27)</sup>	590	20.6
\$20,000 - \$39,999	545	19.0
\$40,000 - \$59,999 \$60,000 and over	135 35	4.7 1.2
		1.2
Average total income (\$) <sup>(28)</sup> Median total income (\$) <sup>(28)</sup>	\$26,156 \$22,166	
median total income (4)	Ψ22,100	-
Females 65 years and over with income	1,565	54.5
Under \$20,000 <sup>(27)</sup>	1,210	42.2
\$20,000 - \$39,999 \$40,000 - \$50,000	290	10.1
\$40,000 - \$59,999 \$60.000 and over	60 0	2.1 0.0
Average total income (\$) (28)	\$17,555	
Median total income (\$) (28)	\$15,423	
Incidence of Low Income (2000)		
Total economic families	1,255	
Low income economic families (29)	125	
Incidence of low income (%) (30)	9.6	
Total unattached individuals 65 years and over	645	
Low income unattached individuals (29)	380	
Incidence of low income (%) (30)	58.9	<del></del>
Total population in private households	2,865	<del></del>
Persons in low income family units (29)	530	
Incidence of low income (%) (30)	18.3	

<sup>(25)</sup> Worked 49 - 52 weeks in 2000, mostly full time.

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

<sup>(27)</sup> Includes loss

<sup>(28)</sup> 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).

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

<sup>(30)</sup> Incidence rates are calculated from unrounded estimates.

ensus Family Income (2000)		
	Seniors Families/Population (unless otherwise noted)	
Total census families	1,210	% of Seniors Census Families
Family income:		
Under \$20,000	85	7.0
\$20,000 - \$39,999	540	44.6
\$40,000 - \$59,999	315	26.0
\$60,000 - \$79,999	135	11.2
\$80,000 - \$99,999	75	6.2
\$100,000 and over	65	5.4
Average family income (\$)	\$47,241	
Median family income (\$)	\$39,567	
Couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$47,300	
Median family income (\$)	\$38,718	
Married couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$47,597	
Median family income (\$)	\$38,876	
Common-law couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$0	
Median family income (\$)	\$0	
Male lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$59,052	
Median family income (\$)	\$60,684	
Female lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$43,544	
Median family income (\$)	\$46,133	

Source: Statistics Canada

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