

Population

Total non-institutional population of seniors⁽¹⁾	2,220
Total population, all ages	37,860

Sex and Age Groups

	Total population	% of Total Population	Seniors [§] Population	% of Seniors Population
Male	18,500	48.9	915	41.2
Female	19,360	51.1	1,300	58.6
65-74	--	--	1,465	66.0
75+	--	--	750	33.8

Legal Marital Status

Single (never legally married)	85	3.8
Legally Married (and not separated)	1,205	54.3
Separated (but not divorced)	50	2.3
Divorced	125	5.6
Widowed	755	34.0
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	55	2.5

Religion

Christian	1,490	67.1
Catholic	595	26.8
Protestant	780	35.1
Other Christian	120	5.4
Non-Christian	490	22.1
No religious affiliation	240	10.8

Home Language

Single responses	1,645	74.1
English	1,050	47.3
French	10	0.5
Non-official languages	585	26.4
Chinese ⁽³⁾	140	6.3
German	15	0.7
Punjabi	130	5.9
Vietnamese	30	1.4
Spanish	35	1.6
Multiple responses	570	25.7

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	1,680	75.7
French only	0	0.0
Both English and French	170	7.7
Neither English nor French	360	16.2

Ethnic Origin

Single origins	1,835	82.7
Canadian	145	6.5
British Isles origins	205	9.2
German	285	12.8
Chinese	175	7.9
Ukrainian	80	3.6
Aboriginal origins	0	0.0
Other single responses	935	42.1
Multiple origins	380	17.1

† 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
Total Aboriginal population	20	0.9
Single Aboriginal response	20	0.9
North American Indian	10	0.5
Métis single response	10	0.5
Inuit single response	0	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	0	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	10	0.5
Non-Aboriginal population	2,200	99.1

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁴⁾	2,055	92.6
Citizenship other than Canadian	165	7.4

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁵⁾	860	38.7
Born in Alberta	490	22.1
Immigrant population ⁽⁶⁾	1,350	60.8
United Kingdom	85	3.8
China, People's Republic of	120	5.4
United States	10	0.5
Philippines	110	5.0
India	225	10.1
Viet Nam	55	2.5
Germany	110	5.0
Poland	100	4.5
Hong Kong, Special Administrative Region	15	0.7
Netherlands	40	1.8
All other places of birth	490	22.1
Non-permanent residents ⁽⁷⁾	10	0.5

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

Total immigrant population	1,350	
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	320	23.7
1961 - 1970	115	8.5
1971 - 1980	315	23.3
1981 - 1990	385	28.5
1991 - 1995	140	10.4
1996 - 2001 ⁽⁸⁾	80	5.9

Highest Level of Schooling

Total population 65 years and over	2,215	
By highest level of schooling:		
Less than grade 9 ⁽⁹⁾	765	34.5
Grades 9 - 13	795	35.9
Without high school graduation certificate	550	24.8
With high school graduation certificate	250	11.3
Trades certificate or diploma ⁽¹⁰⁾	180	8.1
College	270	12.2
University	205	9.3
Without degree	75	3.4
With bachelor's degree or higher ⁽¹¹⁾	130	5.9

(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 (%)
Total Population - 65 years and over	2,215	--
Participating in labour force	270	--
Employed	250	--
Unemployed	15	--
Not in labour force	1,950	--
Participation rate (%)	--	12.2
Employment rate (%)	--	11.3
Unemployment rate (%)	--	5.6
Males - 65 years and over	920	--
Participating in labour force	175	--
Employed	165	--
Unemployed	15	--
Not in labour force	745	--
Participation rate (%)	--	19.0
Employment rate (%)	--	17.9
Unemployment rate (%)	--	8.6
Females - 65 years and over	1,300	--
Participating in labour force	95	--
Employed	90	--
Unemployed	0	--
Not in labour force	1,210	--
Participation rate (%)	--	7.3
With no children at home (%) ⁽¹²⁾	--	7.5
With children at home (%)	--	6.5
Employment rate (%)	--	6.9
Unemployment rate (%)	--	0.0

Labour Force by Sex and Place of Work

Total employed labour force 65 years and over	255	
Males in employed labour force	160	62.7
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	90	35.3
At home	25	9.8
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	40	15.7
Females in employed labour force	95	37.3
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	65	25.5
At home	20	7.8
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	10	3.9

Labour Force by Sex and Class of Worker

Total experienced labour force 65 years and over ⁽¹³⁾	265	
Males - All classes of workers	170	64.2
Paid-workers	155	58.5
Employees	115	43.4
Self-employed (incorporated)	40	15.1
Self-employed (unincorporated)	15	5.7
Unpaid family workers	0	0.0
Females - All classes of workers	95	35.8
Paid-workers	80	30.2
Employees	75	28.3
Self-employed (incorporated)	10	3.8
Self-employed (unincorporated)	15	5.7
Unpaid family workers	0	0.0

(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
Employed, travelling labour force 65 years and over ⁽¹⁴⁾	200	
Mode of Transportation:		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	145	72.5
Car, truck, van (as passenger)	0	0.0
Public transit	45	22.5
Walked	10	5.0
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⁾	265	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	15	5.7
Mining and oil and gas extraction	0	0.0
Utilities	0	0.0
Construction	20	7.5
Manufacturing	0	0.0
Wholesale trade	15	5.7
Retail trade	15	5.7
Transportation and warehousing	25	9.4
Information and cultural industries	0	0.0
Finance and insurance	0	0.0
Real estate and rental and leasing	20	7.5
Professional, scientific and technical services	15	5.7
Management of companies and enterprises	0	0.0
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	40	15.1
Educational services	10	3.8
Healthcare and social assistance	35	13.2
Arts, entertainment and recreation	15	5.7
Accommodation and food services	0	0.0
Other services (except public administration)	25	9.4
Public administration	0	0.0

Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups

Males - All occupations	170	64.2
Management occupations	20	7.5
Business, finance and administration occupations	35	13.2
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	10	3.8
Health occupations	0	0.0
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	0	0.0
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	10	3.8
Sales and service occupations	35	13.2
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	40	15.1
Occupations unique to primary industry	20	7.5
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	0	0.0
Females - All occupations	95	35.8
Management occupations	0	0.0
Business, finance and administration occupations	15	5.7
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	0	0.0
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	20	7.5
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	0	0.0
Sales and service occupations	55	20.8
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	0	0.0
Occupations unique to primary industry	0	0.0
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	0	0.0

(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 ⁽¹⁶⁾

		% of Seniors Population
Total census seniors	2,215	
0 hours of unpaid housework	340	15.3
Less than 5 hours	370	16.7
5 to 14 hours	630	28.4
15 to 29 hours	385	17.4
30 to 59 hours	360	16.3
60 hours or more	130	5.9
Males	915	41.3
0 hours of unpaid housework	205	9.3
Less than 5 hours	145	6.5
5 to 14 hours	300	13.5
15 to 29 hours	120	5.4
30 to 59 hours	105	4.7
60 hours or more	35	1.6
Females	1,300	58.7
0 hours of unpaid housework	135	6.1
Less than 5 hours	220	9.9
5 to 14 hours	335	15.1
15 to 29 hours	265	12.0
30 to 59 hours	255	11.5
60 hours or more	95	4.3

Hours Spent Looking After Children, Unpaid ⁽¹⁶⁾

Total census seniors	2,220	
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,580	71.3
Less than 5 hours	245	11.1
5 to 14 hours	180	8.1
15 to 29 hours	125	5.6
30 to 59 hours	50	2.3
60 hours or more	45	2.0
Males	915	41.3
0 hours of unpaid child care	665	30.0
Less than 5 hours	125	5.6
5 to 14 hours	55	2.5
15 to 29 hours	35	1.6
30 to 59 hours	15	0.7
60 hours or more	15	0.7
Females	1,300	58.7
0 hours of unpaid child care	910	41.1
Less than 5 hours	115	5.2
5 to 14 hours	125	5.6
15 to 29 hours	90	4.1
30 to 59 hours	30	1.4
60 hours or more	25	1.1

Hours Spent Providing Unpaid Care or Assistance to Seniors ⁽¹⁶⁾

Total census seniors	2,220	
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,815	81.9
Less than 5 hours	220	9.9
5 to 9 hours	120	5.4
10 hours or more	70	3.2
Males	920	41.5
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	760	34.3
Less than 5 hours	100	4.5
5 to 9 hours	45	2.0
10 hours or more	15	0.7
Females	1,300	58.7
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,050	47.4
Less than 5 hours	125	5.6
5 to 9 hours	70	3.2
10 hours or more	60	2.7

(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
Total census families and non-family persons ⁽¹⁷⁾	1,710	
Total census families ⁽¹⁸⁾	900	52.6
Total couple families by family structure	720	42.1
Married couples	700	40.9
Without children at home	550	32.2
With children at home	150	8.8
Common-law couples ⁽¹⁹⁾	15	0.9
Without children at home	20	1.2
With children at home	0	0.0
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	180	10.5
Female parent	155	9.1
Male parent	25	1.5
Non-family persons	810	47.4
Living with relatives	310	18.1
Living with non-relatives only	85	5.0
Living alone	420	24.6

Dwelling Type

	Seniors Dwellings (unless otherwise noted)	% of Seniors Occupied Private Dwellings
Total occupied private dwellings	1,235	
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	625	50.6
Semi-detached house	120	9.7
Row house	225	18.2
Apartment	250	20.2
Other single-attached house	0	0.0
Movable dwelling	20	1.6

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	965	78.1
Rented	270	21.9
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.0	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	2.8	--
Average value of dwelling (\$) ⁽²⁰⁾	\$122,933	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	830	67.2
Minor repairs	305	24.7
Major repairs	100	8.1

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	0	0.0
1946 - 1960	0	0.0
1961 - 1970	65	5.3
1971 - 1980	745	60.3
1981 - 1985	195	15.8
1986 - 1990	95	7.7
1991 - 1995	120	9.7
1996 - 2001 ⁽²¹⁾	10	0.8

(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

Total non-farm, non-reserve occupied private dwellings	1,235	--
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	270	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$591	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	125	--
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	105	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$663	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	35	--
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	970	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	122,933	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$543	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	190	--
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	585	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$556	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	75	--

Mobility Status

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	2,215	
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	2,095	94.6
Movers	125	5.6
Non-migrants	85	3.8
Migrants	45	2.0
Internal migrants	30	1.4
Intraprovincial migrants	10	0.5
Interprovincial migrants	20	0.9
External migrants	15	0.7
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	2,215	
By mobility status 5 years ago:		
Non-movers	1,670	75.4
Movers	545	24.6
Non-migrants	400	18.1
Migrants	145	6.5
Internal migrants	110	5.0
Intraprovincial migrants	45	2.0
Interprovincial migrants	60	2.7
External migrants	35	1.6

Household Income (2000)

	Seniors Households	% of Seniors Private Households
Total private households	1,235	
Household Income:		
Under \$20,000	290	23.5
\$20,000 - \$39,999	455	36.8
\$40,000 - \$59,999	270	21.9
\$60,000 - \$79,999	130	10.5
\$80,000 - \$99,999	30	2.4
\$100,000 and over	65	5.3
Average household income (\$)	\$40,418	--
Median household income (\$)	\$31,770	--

(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	
Total Employed - 65 years and over:		
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$24,143	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$14,629	--
Males Employed - 65 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	65	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$25,663	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	140	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$15,945	--
Females Employed - 65 Years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	0	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$0	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	65	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$11,934	--

Total Income (2000) by Sex

Composition of Total Income		
Employment income (%)	12.0	--
Government transfer payments (%)	61.1	--
Other income (%)	26.6	--
		% of Seniors Population with Income
Total population 65 years and over with income	2,215	
Males 65 years and over with income	915	41.3
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	395	17.8
\$20,000 - \$39,999	370	16.7
\$40,000 - \$59,999	135	6.1
\$60,000 and over	20	0.9
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$26,600	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$21,906	--
Females 65 years and over with income	1,300	58.7
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	1,020	46.0
\$20,000 - \$39,999	205	9.3
\$40,000 - \$59,999	65	2.9
\$60,000 and over	15	0.7
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$17,157	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$14,658	--

Incidence of Low Income (2000)

Total economic families		
Low income economic families ⁽²⁹⁾	95	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	11.4	--
Total unattached individuals 65 years and over		
Low income unattached individuals ⁽²⁹⁾	260	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	52.0	--
Total population in private households		
Persons in low income family units ⁽²⁹⁾	455	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	20.5	--

(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)

	Seniors Families/Population (unless otherwise noted)	% of Seniors Census Families
Total census families	900	
Family income:		
Under \$20,000	45	5.0
\$20,000 - \$39,999	465	51.7
\$40,000 - \$59,999	220	24.4
\$60,000 - \$79,999	105	11.7
\$80,000 - \$99,999	20	2.2
\$100,000 and over	40	4.4
Average family income (\$)	\$43,595	--
Median family income (\$)	\$36,799	--
Couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$44,141	--
Median family income (\$)	\$36,812	--
Married couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$43,421	--
Median family income (\$)	\$36,034	--
Common-law couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$71,146	--
Median family income (\$)	\$74,385	--
Male lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$35,590	--
Median family income (\$)	\$42,154	--
Female lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$42,278	--
Median family income (\$)	\$33,209	--

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