

Population

Total non-institutional population of seniors⁽¹⁾	2,795
Total population, all ages	31,195

Sex and Age Groups

	Total population	% of Total Population	Seniors [§] Population	% of Seniors Population
Male	15,620	50.1	1,330	47.6
Female	15,570	49.9	1,465	52.4
65-74	--	--	1,815	64.9
75+	--	--	980	35.1

Legal Marital Status

Single (never legally married)	90	3.2
Legally Married (and not separated)	1,825	65.3
Separated (but not divorced)	25	0.9
Divorced	205	7.3
Widowed	650	23.3
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	50	1.8

Religion

Christian	2,410	86.2
Catholic	505	18.1
Protestant	1,890	67.6
Other Christian	15	0.5
Non-Christian	25	0.9
No religious affiliation	360	12.9

Home Language

Single responses	2,730	97.7
English	2,660	95.2
French	0	0.0
Non-official languages	65	2.3
Chinese ⁽³⁾	10	0.4
German	25	0.9
Punjabi	0	0.0
Vietnamese	0	0.0
Spanish	0	0.0
Multiple responses	70	2.5

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	2,640	94.5
French only	0	0.0
Both English and French	125	4.5
Neither English nor French	25	0.9

Ethnic Origin

Single origins	1,810	64.8
Canadian	295	10.6
British Isles origins	745	26.7
German	215	7.7
Chinese	35	1.3
Ukrainian	105	3.8
Aboriginal origins	20	0.7
Other single responses	400	14.3
Multiple origins	975	34.9

† 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	25	0.9
Single Aboriginal response	25	0.9
North American Indian	25	0.9
Métis single response	0	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	2,770	99.1

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁴⁾	2,695	96.4
Citizenship other than Canadian	100	3.6

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁵⁾	2,285	81.8
Born in Alberta	1,260	45.1
Immigrant population ⁽⁶⁾	500	17.9
United Kingdom	195	7.0
China, People's Republic of	10	0.4
United States	45	1.6
Philippines	0	0.0
India	10	0.4
Viet Nam	10	0.4
Germany	65	2.3
Poland	15	0.5
Hong Kong, Special Administrative Region	0	0.0
Netherlands	70	2.5
All other places of birth	85	3.0
Non-permanent residents ⁽⁷⁾	10	0.4

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

Total immigrant population	505	
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	275	54.5
1961 - 1970	105	20.8
1971 - 1980	85	16.8
1981 - 1990	20	4.0
1991 - 1995	15	3.0
1996 - 2001 ⁽⁸⁾	0	0.0

Highest Level of Schooling

Total population 65 years and over	2,790	
By highest level of schooling:		
Less than grade 9 ⁽⁹⁾	350	12.5
Grades 9 - 13	1,195	42.8
Without high school graduation certificate	925	33.2
With high school graduation certificate	270	9.7
Trades certificate or diploma ⁽¹⁰⁾	430	15.4
College	470	16.8
University	345	12.4
Without degree	180	6.5
With bachelor's degree or higher ⁽¹¹⁾	165	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	2,795	--
Participating in labour force	455	--
Employed	450	--
Unemployed	0	--
Not in labour force	2,335	--
Participation rate (%)	--	16.3
Employment rate (%)	--	16.1
Unemployment rate (%)	--	0.0
Males - 65 years and over	1,325	--
Participating in labour force	340	--
Employed	335	--
Unemployed	0	--
Not in labour force	990	--
Participation rate (%)	--	25.7
Employment rate (%)	--	25.3
Unemployment rate (%)	--	0.0
Females - 65 years and over	1,460	--
Participating in labour force	115	--
Employed	115	--
Unemployed	0	--
Not in labour force	1,350	--
Participation rate (%)	--	7.9
With no children at home (%) ⁽¹²⁾	--	7.2
With children at home (%)	--	13.8
Employment rate (%)	--	7.9
Unemployment rate (%)	--	0.0

Labour Force by Sex and Place of Work

Total employed labour force 65 years and over	450	
Males in employed labour force	335	74.4
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	120	26.7
At home	150	33.3
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	60	13.3
Females in employed labour force	115	25.6
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	40	8.9
At home	75	16.7
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 ⁽¹³⁾	455	
Males - All classes of workers	340	74.7
Paid-workers	225	49.5
Employees	150	33.0
Self-employed (incorporated)	80	17.6
Self-employed (unincorporated)	120	26.4
Unpaid family workers	0	0.0
Females - All classes of workers	115	25.3
Paid-workers	75	16.5
Employees	60	13.2
Self-employed (incorporated)	15	3.3
Self-employed (unincorporated)	35	7.7
Unpaid family workers	10	2.2

(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⁾	225	
Mode of Transportation:		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	225	100.0
Car, truck, van (as passenger)	0	0.0
Public transit	0	0.0
Walked	0	0.0
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⁾	455	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	170	37.4
Mining and oil and gas extraction	20	4.4
Utilities	0	0.0
Construction	50	11.0
Manufacturing	10	2.2
Wholesale trade	15	3.3
Retail trade	20	4.4
Transportation and warehousing	25	5.5
Information and cultural industries	15	3.3
Finance and insurance	10	2.2
Real estate and rental and leasing	10	2.2
Professional, scientific and technical services	20	4.4
Management of companies and enterprises	0	0.0
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	0	0.0
Educational services	15	3.3
Healthcare and social assistance	25	5.5
Arts, entertainment and recreation	25	5.5
Accommodation and food services	0	0.0
Other services (except public administration)	20	4.4
Public administration	10	2.2

Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups

Males - All occupations	340	74.7
Management occupations	65	14.3
Business, finance and administration occupations	0	0.0
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	10	2.2
Health occupations	10	2.2
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	0	0.0
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	10	2.2
Sales and service occupations	40	8.8
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	65	14.3
Occupations unique to primary industry	140	30.8
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	0	0.0
Females - All occupations	115	25.3
Management occupations	0	0.0
Business, finance and administration occupations	35	7.7
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	15	3.3
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	10	2.2
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	15	3.3
Occupations unique to primary industry	40	8.8
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⁾

	2,795	% of Seniors Population
Total census seniors	2,795	
0 hours of unpaid housework	355	12.7
Less than 5 hours	450	16.1
5 to 14 hours	765	27.4
15 to 29 hours	585	20.9
30 to 59 hours	535	19.1
60 hours or more	110	3.9
Males	1,330	47.6
0 hours of unpaid housework	185	6.6
Less than 5 hours	240	8.6
5 to 14 hours	375	13.4
15 to 29 hours	260	9.3
30 to 59 hours	220	7.9
60 hours or more	40	1.4
Females	1,465	52.4
0 hours of unpaid housework	165	5.9
Less than 5 hours	215	7.7
5 to 14 hours	380	13.6
15 to 29 hours	320	11.4
30 to 59 hours	310	11.1
60 hours or more	65	2.3

Hours Spent Looking After Children, Unpaid ⁽¹⁶⁾

Total census seniors	2,795	
0 hours of unpaid child care	2,495	89.3
Less than 5 hours	95	3.4
5 to 14 hours	110	3.9
15 to 29 hours	70	2.5
30 to 59 hours	15	0.5
60 hours or more	0	0.0
Males	1,330	47.6
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,200	42.9
Less than 5 hours	45	1.6
5 to 14 hours	55	2.0
15 to 29 hours	10	0.4
30 to 59 hours	10	0.4
60 hours or more	0	0.0
Females	1,465	52.4
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,295	46.3
Less than 5 hours	45	1.6
5 to 14 hours	55	2.0
15 to 29 hours	60	2.1
30 to 59 hours	10	0.4
60 hours or more	0	0.0

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

Total census seniors	2,790	
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	2,310	82.6
Less than 5 hours	245	8.8
5 to 9 hours	105	3.8
10 hours or more	135	4.8
Males	1,330	47.6
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,125	40.3
Less than 5 hours	105	3.8
5 to 9 hours	55	2.0
10 hours or more	45	1.6
Females	1,465	52.4
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,185	42.4
Less than 5 hours	140	5.0
5 to 9 hours	50	1.8
10 hours or more	90	3.2

(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⁾	2,000	
Total census families ⁽¹⁸⁾	1,200	60.0
Total couple families by family structure	1,075	53.8
Married couples	1,040	52.0
Without children at home	945	47.3
With children at home	90	4.5
Common-law couples ⁽¹⁹⁾	40	2.0
Without children at home	40	2.0
With children at home	0	0.0
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	125	6.3
Female parent	85	4.3
Male parent	40	2.0
Non-family persons	800	40.0
Living with relatives	80	4.0
Living with non-relatives only	45	2.3
Living alone	675	33.8

Dwelling Type

	Seniors Dwellings (unless otherwise noted)	% of Seniors Occupied Private Dwellings
Total occupied private dwellings	1,845	
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	1,140	61.8
Semi-detached house	285	15.4
Row house	125	6.8
Apartment	210	11.4
Other single-attached house	0	0.0
Movable dwelling	80	4.3

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	1,600	86.7
Rented	230	12.5
Band Housing	15	0.8
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.2	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	2.6	--
Average value of dwelling (\$) ⁽²⁰⁾	\$168,658	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	1,410	76.4
Minor repairs	360	19.5
Major repairs	75	4.1

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	115	6.2
1946 - 1960	125	6.8
1961 - 1970	155	8.4
1971 - 1980	425	23.0
1981 - 1985	180	9.8
1986 - 1990	190	10.3
1991 - 1995	310	16.8
1996 - 2001 ⁽²¹⁾	340	18.4

(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	1,740	--
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	225	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$596	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	115	--
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	65	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$608	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	20	--
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	1,515	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	168,658	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$520	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	220	--
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	955	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$562	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	125	--

Mobility Status

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	2,795	
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	2,575	92.1
Movers	215	7.7
Non-migrants	90	3.2
Migrants	125	4.5
Internal migrants	120	4.3
Intraprovincial migrants	90	3.2
Interprovincial migrants	35	1.3
External migrants	0	0.0
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	2,795	
By mobility status 5 years ago:		
Non-movers	1,840	65.8
Movers	955	34.2
Non-migrants	240	8.6
Migrants	715	25.6
Internal migrants	690	24.7
Intraprovincial migrants	435	15.6
Interprovincial migrants	260	9.3
External migrants	15	0.5

Household Income (2000)

	Seniors Households	% of Seniors Private Households
Total private households	1,845	
Household Income:		
Under \$20,000	360	19.5
\$20,000 - \$39,999	640	34.7
\$40,000 - \$59,999	390	21.1
\$60,000 - \$79,999	260	14.1
\$80,000 - \$99,999	115	6.2
\$100,000 and over	80	4.3
Average household income (\$)	\$45,199	--
Median household income (\$)	\$35,605	--

(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 (\$)	\$28,948	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$16,875	--
Males Employed - 65 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	135	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$31,489	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	190	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$20,683	--
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⁾	120	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$10,798	--

Total Income (2000) by Sex

Composition of Total Income		
Employment income (%)	15.1	--
Government transfer payments (%)	42.2	--
Other income (%)	42.7	--
		% of Seniors Population with Income
Total population 65 years and over with income	2,785	
Males 65 years and over with income		
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	1,325	47.6
\$20,000 - \$39,999	475	17.1
\$40,000 - \$59,999	420	15.1
\$60,000 and over	275	9.9
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	150	5.4
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$35,429	--
	\$29,518	--
Females 65 years and over with income		
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	1,460	52.4
\$20,000 - \$39,999	940	33.8
\$40,000 - \$59,999	355	12.7
\$60,000 and over	120	4.3
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	40	1.4
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$21,032	--
	\$16,543	--

Incidence of Low Income (2000)

Total economic families		
Low income economic families ⁽²⁹⁾	1,175	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	25	--
	2.1	--
Total unattached individuals 65 years and over		
Low income unattached individuals ⁽²⁹⁾	720	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	35	--
	5.6	--
Total population in private households		
Persons in low income family units ⁽²⁹⁾	2,755	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	75	--
	2.7	--

(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	1,205	
Family income:		
Under \$20,000	35	2.9
\$20,000 - \$39,999	490	40.7
\$40,000 - \$59,999	290	24.1
\$60,000 - \$79,999	230	19.1
\$80,000 - \$99,999	85	7.1
\$100,000 and over	70	5.8
Average family income (\$)	\$52,726	--
Median family income (\$)	\$46,173	--
Couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$53,794	--
Median family income (\$)	\$46,149	--
Married couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$53,821	--
Median family income (\$)	\$46,091	--
Common-law couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$53,090	--
Median family income (\$)	\$51,292	--
Male lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$33,111	--
Median family income (\$)	\$28,112	--
Female lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$48,265	--
Median family income (\$)	\$50,412	--

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