

Population

Total non-institutional population of seniors⁽¹⁾	2,905
Total population, all ages	37,115

Sex and Age Groups

	Total population	% of Total Population	Seniors [§] Population	% of Seniors Population
Male	18,785	50.6	1,475	50.8
Female	18,330	49.4	1,430	49.2
65-74	--	--	1,810	62.3
75+	--	--	1,090	37.5

Legal Marital Status

Single (never legally married)	65	2.2
Legally Married (and not separated)	1,895	65.2
Separated (but not divorced)	80	2.8
Divorced	135	4.6
Widowed	725	25.0
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	45	1.5

Religion

Christian	2,665	91.7
Catholic	700	24.1
Protestant	1,895	65.2
Other Christian	75	2.6
Non-Christian	15	0.5
No religious affiliation	225	7.7

Home Language

Single responses	2,670	91.9
English	2,595	89.3
French	65	2.2
Non-official languages	10	0.3
Chinese ⁽³⁾	0	0.0
German	0	0.0
Punjabi	0	0.0
Vietnamese	0	0.0
Spanish	0	0.0
Multiple responses	240	8.3

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	2,710	93.3
French only	0	0.0
Both English and French	195	6.7
Neither English nor French	0	0.0

Ethnic Origin

Single origins	1,980	68.2
Canadian	295	10.2
British Isles origins	565	19.4
German	455	15.7
Chinese	0	0.0
Ukrainian	205	7.1
Aboriginal origins	0	0.0
Other single responses	450	15.5
Multiple origins	930	32.0

† 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	35	1.2
Single Aboriginal response	35	1.2
North American Indian	0	0.0
Métis single response	35	1.2
Inuit single response	0	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	0	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	0	0.0
Non-Aboriginal population	2,870	98.8

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁴⁾	2,850	98.1
Citizenship other than Canadian	50	1.7

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁵⁾	2,430	83.6
Born in Alberta	1,625	55.9
Immigrant population ⁽⁶⁾	465	16.0
United Kingdom	135	4.6
China, People's Republic of	0	0.0
United States	40	1.4
Philippines	0	0.0
India	10	0.3
Viet Nam	0	0.0
Germany	65	2.2
Poland	40	1.4
Hong Kong, Special Administrative Region	0	0.0
Netherlands	75	2.6
All other places of birth	110	3.8
Non-permanent residents ⁽⁷⁾	0	0.0

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

Total immigrant population	465	
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	345	74.2
1961 - 1970	75	16.1
1971 - 1980	25	5.4
1981 - 1990	0	0.0
1991 - 1995	10	2.2
1996 - 2001 ⁽⁸⁾	10	2.2

Highest Level of Schooling

Total population 65 years and over	2,905	
By highest level of schooling:		
Less than grade 9 ⁽⁹⁾	790	27.2
Grades 9 - 13	1,120	38.6
Without high school graduation certificate	930	32.0
With high school graduation certificate	195	6.7
Trades certificate or diploma ⁽¹⁰⁾	405	13.9
College	350	12.0
University	235	8.1
Without degree	65	2.2
With bachelor's degree or higher ⁽¹¹⁾	170	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	2,905	--
Participating in labour force	490	--
Employed	480	--
Unemployed	15	--
Not in labour force	2,415	--
Participation rate (%)	--	16.9
Employment rate (%)	--	16.5
Unemployment rate (%)	--	3.1
Males - 65 years and over	1,475	--
Participating in labour force	365	--
Employed	355	--
Unemployed	10	--
Not in labour force	1,110	--
Participation rate (%)	--	24.7
Employment rate (%)	--	24.1
Unemployment rate (%)	--	2.7
Females - 65 years and over	1,425	--
Participating in labour force	130	--
Employed	125	--
Unemployed	0	--
Not in labour force	1,300	--
Participation rate (%)	--	9.1
With no children at home (%) ⁽¹²⁾	--	7.5
With children at home (%)	--	18.8
Employment rate (%)	--	8.8
Unemployment rate (%)	--	0.0

Labour Force by Sex and Place of Work

Total employed labour force 65 years and over	480	
Males in employed labour force	350	72.9
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	135	28.1
At home	160	33.3
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	60	12.5
Females in employed labour force	125	26.0
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	55	11.5
At home	60	12.5
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⁾	490	
Males - All classes of workers	360	73.5
Paid-workers	235	48.0
Employees	195	39.8
Self-employed (incorporated)	40	8.2
Self-employed (unincorporated)	125	25.5
Unpaid family workers	0	0.0
Females - All classes of workers	125	25.5
Paid-workers	70	14.3
Employees	65	13.3
Self-employed (incorporated)	0	0.0
Self-employed (unincorporated)	35	7.1
Unpaid family workers	25	5.1

(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⁾	255	
Mode of Transportation:		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	195	76.5
Car, truck, van (as passenger)	10	3.9
Public transit	0	0.0
Walked	35	13.7
Bicycle	0	0.0
Motorcycle	0	0.0
Taxicab	0	0.0
Other method	15	5.9

Labour Force by Industry

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Total experienced labour force 65 years and over ⁽¹⁵⁾	490	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	235	48.0
Mining and oil and gas extraction	10	2.0
Utilities	0	0.0
Construction	45	9.2
Manufacturing	10	2.0
Wholesale trade	0	0.0
Retail trade	25	5.1
Transportation and warehousing	35	7.1
Information and cultural industries	0	0.0
Finance and insurance	15	3.1
Real estate and rental and leasing	15	3.1
Professional, scientific and technical services	15	3.1
Management of companies and enterprises	0	0.0
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	20	4.1
Educational services	20	4.1
Healthcare and social assistance	10	2.0
Arts, entertainment and recreation	10	2.0
Accommodation and food services	10	2.0
Other services (except public administration)	15	3.1
Public administration	10	2.0

Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Males - All occupations	365	74.5
Management occupations	25	5.1
Business, finance and administration occupations	20	4.1
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	10	2.0
Health occupations	0	0.0
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	10	2.0
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	10	2.0
Sales and service occupations	50	10.2
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	75	15.3
Occupations unique to primary industry	160	32.7
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	0	0.0
Females - All occupations	130	26.5
Management occupations	10	2.0
Business, finance and administration occupations	30	6.1
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	0	0.0
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	10	2.0
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	0	0.0
Sales and service occupations	20	4.1
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	0	0.0
Occupations unique to primary industry	65	13.3
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⁾

	2,905	% of Seniors Population
Total census seniors	2,905	
0 hours of unpaid housework	335	11.5
Less than 5 hours	335	11.5
5 to 14 hours	810	27.9
15 to 29 hours	665	22.9
30 to 59 hours	560	19.3
60 hours or more	200	6.9
Males	1,475	50.8
0 hours of unpaid housework	205	7.1
Less than 5 hours	195	6.7
5 to 14 hours	440	15.1
15 to 29 hours	310	10.7
30 to 59 hours	250	8.6
60 hours or more	70	2.4
Females	1,430	49.2
0 hours of unpaid housework	130	4.5
Less than 5 hours	145	5.0
5 to 14 hours	370	12.7
15 to 29 hours	350	12.0
30 to 59 hours	310	10.7
60 hours or more	125	4.3

Hours Spent Looking After Children, Unpaid ⁽¹⁶⁾

	2,905	
Total census seniors	2,905	
0 hours of unpaid child care	2,485	85.5
Less than 5 hours	225	7.7
5 to 14 hours	115	4.0
15 to 29 hours	40	1.4
30 to 59 hours	30	1.0
60 hours or more	15	0.5
Males	1,475	50.8
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,285	44.2
Less than 5 hours	100	3.4
5 to 14 hours	50	1.7
15 to 29 hours	30	1.0
30 to 59 hours	0	0.0
60 hours or more	10	0.3
Females	1,430	49.2
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,195	41.1
Less than 5 hours	125	4.3
5 to 14 hours	65	2.2
15 to 29 hours	10	0.3
30 to 59 hours	25	0.9
60 hours or more	0	0.0

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

	2,905	
Total census seniors	2,905	
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	2,430	83.6
Less than 5 hours	230	7.9
5 to 9 hours	120	4.1
10 hours or more	120	4.1
Males	1,475	50.8
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,280	44.1
Less than 5 hours	85	2.9
5 to 9 hours	50	1.7
10 hours or more	60	2.1
Females	1,430	49.2
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,150	39.6
Less than 5 hours	150	5.2
5 to 9 hours	70	2.4
10 hours or more	60	2.1

(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⁾	2,100	
Total census families ⁽¹⁸⁾	1,230	58.6
Total couple families by family structure	1,130	53.8
Married couples	1,100	52.4
Without children at home	925	44.0
With children at home	175	8.3
Common-law couples ⁽¹⁹⁾	30	1.4
Without children at home	30	1.4
With children at home	0	0.0
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	100	4.8
Female parent	75	3.6
Male parent	30	1.4
Non-family persons	870	41.4
Living with relatives	135	6.4
Living with non-relatives only	55	2.6
Living alone	680	32.4

Dwelling Type

	Seniors Dwellings (unless otherwise noted)	% of Seniors Occupied Private Dwellings
Total occupied private dwellings	1,965	
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	1,420	72.3
Semi-detached house	95	4.8
Row house	45	2.3
Apartment	310	15.8
Other single-attached house	10	0.5
Movable dwelling	90	4.6

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	1,570	79.9
Rented	390	19.8
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.4	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	2.8	--
Average value of dwelling (\$) ⁽²⁰⁾	\$118,628	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	1,290	65.6
Minor repairs	555	28.2
Major repairs	120	6.1

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	120	6.1
1946 - 1960	295	15.0
1961 - 1970	375	19.1
1971 - 1980	640	32.6
1981 - 1985	165	8.4
1986 - 1990	90	4.6
1991 - 1995	175	8.9
1996 - 2001 ⁽²¹⁾	110	5.6

(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	1,845	--
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	395	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$527	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	210	--
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	95	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$615	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	50	--
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	1,455	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	118,628	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$489	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	155	--
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	950	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$509	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	65	--

Mobility Status

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	2,905	
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	2,740	94.3
Movers	160	5.5
Non-migrants	55	1.9
Migrants	110	3.8
Internal migrants	110	3.8
Intraprovincial migrants	95	3.3
Interprovincial migrants	15	0.5
External migrants	0	0.0
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	2,905	
By mobility status 5 years ago:		
Non-movers	2,310	79.5
Movers	595	20.5
Non-migrants	180	6.2
Migrants	415	14.3
Internal migrants	400	13.8
Intraprovincial migrants	300	10.3
Interprovincial migrants	100	3.4
External migrants	15	0.5

Household Income (2000)

	Seniors Households	% of Seniors Private Households
Total private households	1,960	
Household Income:		
Under \$20,000	460	23.5
\$20,000 - \$39,999	760	38.8
\$40,000 - \$59,999	395	20.2
\$60,000 - \$79,999	185	9.4
\$80,000 - \$99,999	75	3.8
\$100,000 and over	95	4.8
Average household income (\$)	\$41,855	--
Median household income (\$)	\$32,038	--

(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 (\$)	\$25,777	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$18,428	--
Males Employed - 65 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	165	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$25,645	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	165	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$22,960	--
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⁾	85	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$9,806	--

Total Income (2000) by Sex

Composition of Total Income			
Employment income (%)	14.0	--	
Government transfer payments (%)	49.7	--	
Other income (%)	36.2	--	
			% of Seniors Population with Income
Total population 65 years and over with income	2,900		
Males 65 years and over with income	1,475		50.9
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	635		21.9
\$20,000 - \$39,999	505		17.4
\$40,000 - \$59,999	255		8.8
\$60,000 and over	85		2.9
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$30,277		--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$23,172		--
Females 65 years and over with income	1,425		49.1
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	1,070		36.9
\$20,000 - \$39,999	295		10.2
\$40,000 - \$59,999	40		1.4
\$60,000 and over	25		0.9
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$18,289		--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$14,926		--

Incidence of Low Income (2000)

Total economic families	1,290	--
Low income economic families ⁽²⁹⁾	10	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	0.0	--
Total unattached individuals 65 years and over	735	--
Low income unattached individuals ⁽²⁹⁾	120	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	16.4	--
Total population in private households	2,885	--
Persons in low income family units ⁽²⁹⁾	135	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	4.7	--

(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	1,230	
Family income:		
Under \$20,000	20	1.6
\$20,000 - \$39,999	595	48.4
\$40,000 - \$59,999	340	27.6
\$60,000 - \$79,999	165	13.4
\$80,000 - \$99,999	55	4.5
\$100,000 and over	50	4.1
Average family income (\$)	\$47,618	--
Median family income (\$)	\$39,657	--
Couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$47,961	--
Median family income (\$)	\$39,554	--
Married couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$47,503	--
Median family income (\$)	\$38,843	--
Common-law couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$64,314	--
Median family income (\$)	\$47,663	--
Male lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$45,522	--
Median family income (\$)	\$34,382	--
Female lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$43,188	--
Median family income (\$)	\$41,852	--

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