

Population

Total non-institutional population of seniors ⁽¹⁾	2,125
Total population, all ages	38,450

Sex and Age Groups

	Total population	% of Total Population	Seniors [§] Population	% of Seniors Population
Male	19,360	50.4	1,090	51.3
Female	19,090	49.6	1,035	48.7
65-74	--	--	1,465	68.9
75+	--	--	665	31.3

Legal Marital Status

Single (never legally married)	60	2.8
Legally Married (and not separated)	1,355	63.8
Separated (but not divorced)	60	2.8
Divorced	120	5.6
Widowed	540	25.4
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	25	1.2

Religion

Christian	1,775	83.5
Catholic	605	28.5
Protestant	1,105	52.0
Other Christian	70	3.3
Non-Christian	15	0.7
No religious affiliation	335	15.8

Home Language

Single responses	1,960	92.2
English	1,910	89.9
French	15	0.7
Non-official languages	35	1.6
Chinese ⁽³⁾	0	0.0
German	0	0.0
Punjabi	0	0.0
Vietnamese	10	0.5
Spanish	0	0.0
Multiple responses	165	7.8

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	1,970	92.7
French only	10	0.5
Both English and French	135	6.4
Neither English nor French	20	0.9

Ethnic Origin

Single origins	1,510	71.1
Canadian	280	13.2
British Isles origins	425	20.0
German	280	13.2
Chinese	10	0.5
Ukrainian	130	6.1
Aboriginal origins	40	1.9
Other single responses	345	16.2
Multiple origins	615	28.9

† 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	95	4.5
Single Aboriginal response	90	4.2
North American Indian	55	2.6
Métis single response	35	1.6
Inuit single response	0	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	10	0.5
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	0	0.0
Non-Aboriginal population	2,035	95.8

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁴⁾	2,050	96.5
Citizenship other than Canadian	75	3.5

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁵⁾	1,730	81.4
Born in Alberta	1,085	51.1
Immigrant population ⁽⁶⁾	400	18.8
United Kingdom	125	5.9
China, People's Republic of	10	0.5
United States	30	1.4
Philippines	15	0.7
India	0	0.0
Viet Nam	10	0.5
Germany	40	1.9
Poland	40	1.9
Hong Kong, Special Administrative Region	0	0.0
Netherlands	15	0.7
All other places of birth	115	5.4
Non-permanent residents ⁽⁷⁾	0	0.0

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

Total immigrant population	400	
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	205	51.3
1961 - 1970	55	13.8
1971 - 1980	85	21.3
1981 - 1990	45	11.3
1991 - 1995	0	0.0
1996 - 2001 ⁽⁸⁾	15	3.8

Highest Level of Schooling

Total population 65 years and over	2,125	
By highest level of schooling:		
Less than grade 9 ⁽⁹⁾	525	24.7
Grades 9 - 13	770	36.2
Without high school graduation certificate	625	29.4
With high school graduation certificate	150	7.1
Trades certificate or diploma ⁽¹⁰⁾	285	13.4
College	350	16.5
University	200	9.4
Without degree	90	4.2
With bachelor's degree or higher ⁽¹¹⁾	115	5.4

(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	2,125	--
Participating in labour force	370	--
Employed	360	--
Unemployed	10	--
Not in labour force	1,760	--
Participation rate (%)	--	17.4
Employment rate (%)	--	16.9
Unemployment rate (%)	--	2.7
Males - 65 years and over	1,090	--
Participating in labour force	295	--
Employed	280	--
Unemployed	10	--
Not in labour force	800	--
Participation rate (%)	--	27.1
Employment rate (%)	--	25.7
Unemployment rate (%)	--	3.4
Females - 65 years and over	1,040	--
Participating in labour force	75	--
Employed	75	--
Unemployed	0	--
Not in labour force	960	--
Participation rate (%)	--	7.2
With no children at home (%) ⁽¹²⁾	--	7.1
With children at home (%)	--	8.7
Employment rate (%)	--	7.2
Unemployment rate (%)	--	0.0

Labour Force by Sex and Place of Work

Total employed labour force 65 years and over	355	
Males in employed labour force	280	78.9
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	110	31.0
At home	110	31.0
Outside Canada	10	2.8
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	55	15.5
Females in employed labour force	75	21.1
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	35	9.9
At home	35	9.9
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⁾	370	
Males - All classes of workers	295	79.7
Paid-workers	185	50.0
Employees	155	41.9
Self-employed (incorporated)	30	8.1
Self-employed (unincorporated)	105	28.4
Unpaid family workers	0	0.0
Females - All classes of workers	75	20.3
Paid-workers	50	13.5
Employees	55	14.9
Self-employed (incorporated)	0	0.0
Self-employed (unincorporated)	25	6.8
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)	15	7.5
Public transit	15	7.5
Walked	25	12.5
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⁾	370	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	85	23.0
Mining and oil and gas extraction	15	4.1
Utilities	0	0.0
Construction	30	8.1
Manufacturing	30	8.1
Wholesale trade	10	2.7
Retail trade	40	10.8
Transportation and warehousing	10	2.7
Information and cultural industries	0	0.0
Finance and insurance	10	2.7
Real estate and rental and leasing	0	0.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	35	9.5
Management of companies and enterprises	0	0.0
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	35	9.5
Educational services	20	5.4
Healthcare and social assistance	0	0.0
Arts, entertainment and recreation	10	2.7
Accommodation and food services	10	2.7
Other services (except public administration)	15	4.1
Public administration	20	5.4

Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups

Males - All occupations	290	78.4
Management occupations	35	9.5
Business, finance and administration occupations	25	6.8
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	0	0.0
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	20	5.4
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	0	0.0
Sales and service occupations	55	14.9
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	40	10.8
Occupations unique to primary industry	95	25.7
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	15	4.1
Females - All occupations	75	20.3
Management occupations	0	0.0
Business, finance and administration occupations	35	9.5
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	0	0.0
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	10	2.7
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	0	0.0
Sales and service occupations	0	0.0
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	10	2.7
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	2,125	
0 hours of unpaid housework	190	8.9
Less than 5 hours	300	14.1
5 to 14 hours	675	31.8
15 to 29 hours	505	23.8
30 to 59 hours	320	15.1
60 hours or more	135	6.4
Males	1,095	51.5
0 hours of unpaid housework	110	5.2
Less than 5 hours	165	7.8
5 to 14 hours	385	18.1
15 to 29 hours	230	10.8
30 to 59 hours	130	6.1
60 hours or more	70	3.3
Females	1,035	48.7
0 hours of unpaid housework	85	4.0
Less than 5 hours	135	6.4
5 to 14 hours	285	13.4
15 to 29 hours	275	12.9
30 to 59 hours	190	8.9
60 hours or more	60	2.8

Hours Spent Looking After Children, Unpaid ⁽¹⁶⁾

Total census seniors	2,130	
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,780	83.8
Less than 5 hours	195	9.2
5 to 14 hours	95	4.5
15 to 29 hours	40	1.9
30 to 59 hours	10	0.5
60 hours or more	15	0.7
Males	1,090	51.3
0 hours of unpaid child care	915	43.1
Less than 5 hours	85	4.0
5 to 14 hours	45	2.1
15 to 29 hours	35	1.6
30 to 59 hours	10	0.5
60 hours or more	10	0.5
Females	1,035	48.7
0 hours of unpaid child care	860	40.5
Less than 5 hours	110	5.2
5 to 14 hours	55	2.6
15 to 29 hours	10	0.5
30 to 59 hours	10	0.5
60 hours or more	10	0.5

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

Total census seniors	2,130	
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,780	83.8
Less than 5 hours	170	8.0
5 to 9 hours	105	4.9
10 hours or more	75	3.5
Males	1,095	51.5
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	935	44.0
Less than 5 hours	80	3.8
5 to 9 hours	45	2.1
10 hours or more	35	1.6
Females	1,035	48.7
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	840	39.5
Less than 5 hours	95	4.5
5 to 9 hours	60	2.8
10 hours or more	40	1.9

(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⁾	1,570	
Total census families ⁽¹⁸⁾	885	56.4
Total couple families by family structure	795	50.6
Married couples	785	50.0
Without children at home	705	44.9
With children at home	80	5.1
Common-law couples ⁽¹⁹⁾	10	0.6
Without children at home	10	0.6
With children at home	0	0.0
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	90	5.7
Female parent	75	4.8
Male parent	15	1.0
Non-family persons	685	43.6
Living with relatives	100	6.4
Living with non-relatives only	35	2.2
Living alone	550	35.0

Dwelling Type

	Seniors Dwellings (unless otherwise noted)	% of Seniors Occupied Private Dwellings
Total occupied private dwellings	1,435	
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	990	69.0
Semi-detached house	55	3.8
Row house	80	5.6
Apartment	175	12.2
Other single-attached house	10	0.7
Movable dwelling	130	9.1

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	1,120	78.0
Rented	300	20.9
Band Housing	20	1.4
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.1	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	2.7	--
Average value of dwelling (\$) ⁽²⁰⁾	\$124,777	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	955	66.6
Minor repairs	395	27.5
Major repairs	85	5.9

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	35	2.4
1946 - 1960	90	6.3
1961 - 1970	160	11.1
1971 - 1980	505	35.2
1981 - 1985	170	11.8
1986 - 1990	160	11.1
1991 - 1995	190	13.2
1996 - 2001 ⁽²¹⁾	125	8.7

(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	1,335	--
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	300	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$604	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	150	--
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	85	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$641	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	20	--
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	1,035	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	124,777	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$523	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	150	--
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	655	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$559	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	60	--

Mobility Status

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	2,125	
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	2,015	94.8
Movers	115	5.4
Non-migrants	40	1.9
Migrants	75	3.5
Internal migrants	70	3.3
Intraprovincial migrants	60	2.8
Interprovincial migrants	10	0.5
External migrants	0	0.0
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	2,130	
By mobility status 5 years ago:		
Non-movers	1,510	70.9
Movers	615	28.9
Non-migrants	230	10.8
Migrants	380	17.8
Internal migrants	370	17.4
Intraprovincial migrants	270	12.7
Interprovincial migrants	100	4.7
External migrants	15	0.7

Household Income (2000)

	Seniors Households	% of Seniors Private Households
Total private households	1,435	
Household Income:		
Under \$20,000	255	17.8
\$20,000 - \$39,999	625	43.6
\$40,000 - \$59,999	260	18.1
\$60,000 - \$79,999	175	12.2
\$80,000 - \$99,999	65	4.5
\$100,000 and over	50	3.5
Average household income (\$)	\$41,042	--
Median household income (\$)	\$33,240	--

(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 (\$)	\$24,396	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$12,967	--
Males Employed - 65 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	110	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$26,006	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	155	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$12,197	--
Females Employed - 65 Years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	30	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$18,699	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	75	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$14,617	--

Total Income (2000) by Sex

Composition of Total Income		
Employment income (%)	14.0	--
Government transfer payments (%)	48.0	--
Other income (%)	38.1	--
		% of Seniors Population with Income
Total population 65 years and over with income	2,125	
Males 65 years and over with income		
	1,090	51.3
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	375	17.6
\$20,000 - \$39,999	470	22.1
\$40,000 - \$59,999	185	8.7
\$60,000 and over	55	2.6
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$29,660	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$24,661	--
Females 65 years and over with income		
	1,035	48.7
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	575	27.1
\$20,000 - \$39,999	385	18.1
\$40,000 - \$59,999	45	2.1
\$60,000 and over	20	0.9
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$21,266	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$17,627	--

Incidence of Low Income (2000)

Total economic families		
	880	--
Low income economic families ⁽²⁹⁾	10	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	0.0	--
Total unattached individuals 65 years and over		
	580	--
Low income unattached individuals ⁽²⁹⁾	105	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	18.1	--
Total population in private households		
	2,100	--
Persons in low income family units ⁽²⁹⁾	115	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	5.7	--

(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	885	
Family income:		
Under \$20,000	35	4.0
\$20,000 - \$39,999	355	40.1
\$40,000 - \$59,999	225	25.4
\$60,000 - \$79,999	165	18.6
\$80,000 - \$99,999	60	6.8
\$100,000 and over	45	5.1
Average family income (\$)	\$50,820	--
Median family income (\$)	\$41,861	--
Couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$51,364	--
Median family income (\$)	\$43,819	--
Married couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$51,373	--
Median family income (\$)	\$43,821	--
Common-law couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$50,838	--
Median family income (\$)	\$40,952	--
Male lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$43,213	--
Median family income (\$)	\$35,160	--
Female lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$46,713	--
Median family income (\$)	\$40,974	--

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