

Population

Total non-institutional population of seniors⁽¹⁾	1,995
Total population, all ages	36,340

Sex and Age Groups

	Total population	% of Total Population	Seniors[§] Population	% of Seniors Population
Male	18,505	50.9	1,080	54.1
Female	17,840	49.1	910	45.6
65-74	--	--	1,500	75.2
75+	--	--	490	24.6

Legal Marital Status

Single (never legally married)	35	1.8
Legally Married (and not separated)	1,560	78.2
Separated (but not divorced)	15	0.8
Divorced	85	4.3
Widowed	300	15.0
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	35	1.8

Religion

Christian	1,665	83.5
Catholic	320	16.0
Protestant	1,245	62.4
Other Christian	105	5.3
Non-Christian	25	1.3
No religious affiliation	300	15.0

Home Language

Single responses	1,850	92.7
English	1,795	90.0
French	10	0.5
Non-official languages	45	2.3
Chinese ⁽³⁾	0	0.0
German	25	1.3
Punjabi	0	0.0
Vietnamese	0	0.0
Spanish	0	0.0
Multiple responses	145	7.3

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	1,895	95.0
French only	0	0.0
Both English and French	85	4.3
Neither English nor French	10	0.5

Ethnic Origin

Single origins	1,325	66.4
Canadian	210	10.5
British Isles origins	435	21.8
German	255	12.8
Chinese	0	0.0
Ukrainian	130	6.5
Aboriginal origins	0	0.0
Other single responses	290	14.5
Multiple origins	670	33.6

† 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	1.3
Single Aboriginal response	25	1.3
North American Indian	0	0.0
Métis single response	25	1.3
Inuit single response	0	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	0	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	0	0.0
Non-Aboriginal population	1,970	98.7

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁴⁾	1,935	97.0
Citizenship other than Canadian	55	2.8

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁵⁾	1,515	75.9
Born in Alberta	965	48.4
Immigrant population ⁽⁶⁾	475	23.8
United Kingdom	130	6.5
China, People's Republic of	0	0.0
United States	30	1.5
Philippines	0	0.0
India	15	0.8
Viet Nam	0	0.0
Germany	70	3.5
Poland	40	2.0
Hong Kong, Special Administrative Region	10	0.5
Netherlands	65	3.3
All other places of birth	115	5.8
Non-permanent residents ⁽⁷⁾	0	0.0

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

Total immigrant population	480	
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	325	67.7
1961 - 1970	70	14.6
1971 - 1980	35	7.3
1981 - 1990	25	5.2
1991 - 1995	20	4.2
1996 - 2001 ⁽⁸⁾	0	0.0

Highest Level of Schooling

Total population 65 years and over	1,995	
By highest level of schooling:		
Less than grade 9 ⁽⁹⁾	400	20.1
Grades 9 - 13	790	39.6
Without high school graduation certificate	680	34.1
With high school graduation certificate	115	5.8
Trades certificate or diploma ⁽¹⁰⁾	335	16.8
College	285	14.3
University	180	9.0
Without degree	45	2.3
With bachelor's degree or higher ⁽¹¹⁾	135	6.8

(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	1,995	--
Participating in labour force	495	--
Employed	490	--
Unemployed	10	--
Not in labour force	1,500	--
Participation rate (%)	--	24.8
Employment rate (%)	--	24.6
Unemployment rate (%)	--	2.0
Males - 65 years and over	1,080	--
Participating in labour force	325	--
Employed	325	--
Unemployed	10	--
Not in labour force	750	--
Participation rate (%)	--	30.1
Employment rate (%)	--	30.1
Unemployment rate (%)	--	3.1
Females - 65 years and over	915	--
Participating in labour force	170	--
Employed	165	--
Unemployed	0	--
Not in labour force	745	--
Participation rate (%)	--	18.6
With no children at home (%) ⁽¹²⁾	--	16.4
With children at home (%)	--	33.3
Employment rate (%)	--	18.0
Unemployment rate (%)	--	0.0

Labour Force by Sex and Place of Work

Total employed labour force 65 years and over	490	
Males in employed labour force	320	65.3
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	80	16.3
At home	220	44.9
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	20	4.1
Females in employed labour force	170	34.7
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	45	9.2
At home	110	22.4
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	15	3.1

Labour Force by Sex and Class of Worker

Total experienced labour force 65 years and over ⁽¹³⁾	495	
Males - All classes of workers	325	65.7
Paid-workers	170	34.3
Employees	105	21.2
Self-employed (incorporated)	70	14.1
Self-employed (unincorporated)	155	31.3
Unpaid family workers	0	0.0
Females - All classes of workers	165	33.3
Paid-workers	75	15.2
Employees	70	14.1
Self-employed (incorporated)	10	2.0
Self-employed (unincorporated)	90	18.2
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⁾	160	
Mode of Transportation:		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	140	87.5
Car, truck, van (as passenger)	0	0.0
Public transit	0	0.0
Walked	15	9.4
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⁾	495	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	200	40.4
Mining and oil and gas extraction	0	0.0
Utilities	0	0.0
Construction	50	10.1
Manufacturing	50	10.1
Wholesale trade	0	0.0
Retail trade	25	5.1
Transportation and warehousing	20	4.0
Information and cultural industries	0	0.0
Finance and insurance	0	0.0
Real estate and rental and leasing	40	8.1
Professional, scientific and technical services	20	4.0
Management of companies and enterprises	0	0.0
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	10	2.0
Educational services	10	2.0
Healthcare and social assistance	20	4.0
Arts, entertainment and recreation	15	3.0
Accommodation and food services	0	0.0
Other services (except public administration)	10	2.0
Public administration	10	2.0

Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups

Males - All occupations	325	65.7
Management occupations	35	7.1
Business, finance and administration occupations	10	2.0
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	10	2.0
Health occupations	15	3.0
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	15	3.0
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	80	16.2
Occupations unique to primary industry	140	28.3
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	20	4.0
Females - All occupations	170	34.3
Management occupations	10	2.0
Business, finance and administration occupations	45	9.1
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	10	2.0
Health occupations	10	2.0
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	4.0
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	0	0.0
Occupations unique to primary industry	65	13.1
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⁾

	1,995	% of Seniors Population
Total census seniors	1,995	
0 hours of unpaid housework	180	9.0
Less than 5 hours	185	9.3
5 to 14 hours	450	22.6
15 to 29 hours	455	22.8
30 to 59 hours	485	24.3
60 hours or more	240	12.0
Males	1,075	53.9
0 hours of unpaid housework	120	6.0
Less than 5 hours	135	6.8
5 to 14 hours	230	11.5
15 to 29 hours	250	12.5
30 to 59 hours	245	12.3
60 hours or more	100	5.0
Females	915	45.9
0 hours of unpaid housework	60	3.0
Less than 5 hours	50	2.5
5 to 14 hours	215	10.8
15 to 29 hours	205	10.3
30 to 59 hours	245	12.3
60 hours or more	140	7.0

Hours Spent Looking After Children, Unpaid ⁽¹⁶⁾

Total census seniors	1,990	
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,515	75.9
Less than 5 hours	205	10.3
5 to 14 hours	195	9.8
15 to 29 hours	40	2.0
30 to 59 hours	30	1.5
60 hours or more	10	0.5
Males	1,080	54.1
0 hours of unpaid child care	840	42.1
Less than 5 hours	130	6.5
5 to 14 hours	85	4.3
15 to 29 hours	10	0.5
30 to 59 hours	15	0.8
60 hours or more	0	0.0
Females	915	45.9
0 hours of unpaid child care	670	33.6
Less than 5 hours	75	3.8
5 to 14 hours	115	5.8
15 to 29 hours	30	1.5
30 to 59 hours	15	0.8
60 hours or more	10	0.5

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

Total census seniors	1,990	
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,595	79.9
Less than 5 hours	250	12.5
5 to 9 hours	90	4.5
10 hours or more	60	3.0
Males	1,075	53.9
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	875	43.9
Less than 5 hours	135	6.8
5 to 9 hours	30	1.5
10 hours or more	40	2.0
Females	915	45.9
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	720	36.1
Less than 5 hours	120	6.0
5 to 9 hours	60	3.0
10 hours or more	20	1.0

(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⁾	1,335	
Total census families ⁽¹⁸⁾	1,005	75.3
Total couple families by family structure	920	68.9
Married couples	900	67.4
Without children at home	765	57.3
With children at home	130	9.7
Common-law couples ⁽¹⁹⁾	25	1.9
Without children at home	25	1.9
With children at home	0	0.0
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	85	6.4
Female parent	60	4.5
Male parent	20	1.5
Non-family persons	330	24.7
Living with relatives	95	7.1
Living with non-relatives only	10	0.7
Living alone	230	17.2

Dwelling Type

	Seniors Dwellings (unless otherwise noted)	% of Seniors Occupied Private Dwellings
Total occupied private dwellings	1,215	
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	1,145	94.2
Semi-detached house	15	1.2
Row house	25	2.1
Apartment	0	0.0
Other single-attached house	0	0.0
Movable dwelling	25	2.1

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	1,160	95.5
Rented	60	4.9
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.8	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	3.0	--
Average value of dwelling (\$) ⁽²⁰⁾	\$174,920	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	740	60.9
Minor repairs	375	30.9
Major repairs	100	8.2

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	80	6.6
1946 - 1960	190	15.6
1961 - 1970	190	15.6
1971 - 1980	335	27.6
1981 - 1985	50	4.1
1986 - 1990	85	7.0
1991 - 1995	145	11.9
1996 - 2001 ⁽²¹⁾	140	11.5

(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	1,070	--
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	55	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$574	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	25	--
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	30	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$397	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	10	--
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	1,015	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	174,920	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$516	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	135	--
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	755	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$557	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	85	--

Mobility Status

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	1,995	
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	1,925	96.5
Movers	65	3.3
Non-migrants	10	0.5
Migrants	55	2.8
Internal migrants	55	2.8
Intraprovincial migrants	40	2.0
Interprovincial migrants	10	0.5
External migrants	0	0.0
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	1,995	
By mobility status 5 years ago:		
Non-movers	1,600	80.2
Movers	390	19.5
Non-migrants	140	7.0
Migrants	250	12.5
Internal migrants	235	11.8
Intraprovincial migrants	165	8.3
Interprovincial migrants	70	3.5
External migrants	15	0.8

Household Income (2000)

	Seniors Households	% of Seniors Private Households
Total private households	1,215	
Household Income:		
Under \$20,000	150	12.3
\$20,000 - \$39,999	465	38.3
\$40,000 - \$59,999	295	24.3
\$60,000 - \$79,999	125	10.3
\$80,000 - \$99,999	65	5.3
\$100,000 and over	120	9.9
Average household income (\$)	\$51,980	--
Median household income (\$)	\$38,876	--

(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 (\$)	\$19,382	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$9,417	--
Males Employed - 65 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	150	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$21,306	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	165	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$7,428	--
Females Employed - 65 Years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	50	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$13,774	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	110	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$12,433	--

Total Income (2000) by Sex

Composition of Total Income		
Employment income (%)	18.7	--
Government transfer payments (%)	41.4	--
Other income (%)	39.8	--
		% of Seniors Population with Income
Total population 65 years and over with income	1,990	
Males 65 years and over with income	1,075	54.0
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	425	21.4
\$20,000 - \$39,999	410	20.6
\$40,000 - \$59,999	160	8.0
\$60,000 and over	80	4.0
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$32,965	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$24,544	--
Females 65 years and over with income	915	46.0
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	565	28.4
\$20,000 - \$39,999	230	11.6
\$40,000 - \$59,999	80	4.0
\$60,000 and over	40	2.0
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$22,328	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$16,679	--

Incidence of Low Income (2000)

Total economic families		
Low income economic families ⁽²⁹⁾	60	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	6.4	--
Total unattached individuals 65 years and over		
Low income unattached individuals ⁽²⁹⁾	0	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	0.0	--
Total population in private households		
Persons in low income family units ⁽²⁹⁾	95	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	4.8	--

(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	1,005	
Family income:		
Under \$20,000	40	4.0
\$20,000 - \$39,999	385	38.3
\$40,000 - \$59,999	290	28.9
\$60,000 - \$79,999	120	11.9
\$80,000 - \$99,999	75	7.5
\$100,000 and over	100	10.0
Average family income (\$)	\$56,312	--
Median family income (\$)	\$45,308	--
Couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$56,573	--
Median family income (\$)	\$45,669	--
Married couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$57,088	--
Median family income (\$)	\$45,746	--
Common-law couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$36,205	--
Median family income (\$)	\$42,346	--
Male lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$57,989	--
Median family income (\$)	\$57,010	--
Female lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$52,112	--
Median family income (\$)	\$44,064	--

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