

Population

Total non-institutional population of seniors⁽¹⁾	3,115
Total population, all ages	37,800

Sex and Age Groups

	Total population	% of Total Population	Seniors[§] Population	% of Seniors Population
Male	19,555	51.7	1,485	47.7
Female	18,250	48.3	1,630	52.3
65-74	--	--	1,860	59.7
75+	--	--	1,255	40.3

Legal Marital Status

Single (never legally married)	105	3.4
Legally Married (and not separated)	2,045	65.7
Separated (but not divorced)	25	0.8
Divorced	115	3.7
Widowed	820	26.3
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	30	1.0

Religion

Christian	2,665	85.6
Catholic	615	19.7
Protestant	2,010	64.5
Other Christian	40	1.3
Non-Christian	20	0.6
No religious affiliation	425	13.6

Home Language

Single responses	2,925	93.9
English	2,835	91.0
French	0	0.0
Non-official languages	90	2.9
Chinese ⁽³⁾	10	0.3
German	25	0.8
Punjabi	0	0.0
Vietnamese	0	0.0
Spanish	0	0.0
Multiple responses	185	5.9

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	3,010	96.6
French only	0	0.0
Both English and French	80	2.6
Neither English nor French	20	0.6

Ethnic Origin

Single origins	2,190	70.3
Canadian	345	11.1
British Isles origins	655	21.0
German	475	15.2
Chinese	10	0.3
Ukrainian	45	1.4
Aboriginal origins	10	0.3
Other single responses	655	21.0
Multiple origins	920	29.5

† 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	0.8
Single Aboriginal response	30	1.0
North American Indian	15	0.5
Métis single response	15	0.5
Inuit single response	0	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	0	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	0	0.0
Non-Aboriginal population	3,085	99.0

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁴⁾	2,995	96.1
Citizenship other than Canadian	120	3.9

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁵⁾	2,425	77.8
Born in Alberta	1,445	46.4
Immigrant population ⁽⁶⁾	675	21.7
United Kingdom	120	3.9
China, People's Republic of	0	0.0
United States	125	4.0
Philippines	0	0.0
India	10	0.3
Viet Nam	0	0.0
Germany	50	1.6
Poland	25	0.8
Hong Kong, Special Administrative Region	0	0.0
Netherlands	95	3.0
All other places of birth	240	7.7
Non-permanent residents ⁽⁷⁾	10	0.3

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

Total immigrant population	675	
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	470	69.6
1961 - 1970	80	11.9
1971 - 1980	45	6.7
1981 - 1990	70	10.4
1991 - 1995	10	1.5
1996 - 2001 ⁽⁸⁾	10	1.5

Highest Level of Schooling

Total population 65 years and over	3,110	
By highest level of schooling:		
Less than grade 9 ⁽⁹⁾	860	27.7
Grades 9 - 13	1,345	43.2
Without high school graduation certificate	1,155	37.1
With high school graduation certificate	185	5.9
Trades certificate or diploma ⁽¹⁰⁾	310	10.0
College	360	11.6
University	230	7.4
Without degree	110	3.5
With bachelor's degree or higher ⁽¹¹⁾	115	3.7

(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	3,110	--
Participating in labour force	735	--
Employed	735	--
Unemployed	10	--
Not in labour force	2,375	--
Participation rate (%)	--	23.6
Employment rate (%)	--	23.6
Unemployment rate (%)	--	1.4
Males - 65 years and over	1,485	--
Participating in labour force	510	--
Employed	505	--
Unemployed	0	--
Not in labour force	975	--
Participation rate (%)	--	34.3
Employment rate (%)	--	34.0
Unemployment rate (%)	--	0.0
Females - 65 years and over	1,625	--
Participating in labour force	230	--
Employed	225	--
Unemployed	0	--
Not in labour force	1,395	--
Participation rate (%)	--	14.2
With no children at home (%) ⁽¹²⁾	--	13.1
With children at home (%)	--	14.3
Employment rate (%)	--	13.8
Unemployment rate (%)	--	0.0

Labour Force by Sex and Place of Work

Total employed labour force 65 years and over	735	
Males in employed labour force	505	68.7
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	145	19.7
At home	310	42.2
Outside Canada	0	0.0
No usual place of work (no fixed workplace address)	50	6.8
Females in employed labour force	225	30.6
Usual place of work:		
Outside home, within Canada	85	11.6
At home	145	19.7
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⁾	735	
Males - All classes of workers	505	68.7
Paid-workers	250	34.0
Employees	135	18.4
Self-employed (incorporated)	115	15.6
Self-employed (unincorporated)	255	34.7
Unpaid family workers	0	0.0
Females - All classes of workers	225	30.6
Paid-workers	130	17.7
Employees	110	15.0
Self-employed (incorporated)	20	2.7
Self-employed (unincorporated)	80	10.9
Unpaid family workers	15	2.0

(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⁾	290	
Mode of Transportation:		
Car, truck, van (as driver)	195	67.2
Car, truck, van (as passenger)	15	5.2
Public transit	0	0.0
Walked	60	20.7
Bicycle	10	3.4
Motorcycle	0	0.0
Taxicab	0	0.0
Other method	10	3.4

Labour Force by Industry

Total experienced labour force 65 years and over ⁽¹⁵⁾	735	
Industries:		
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	445	60.5
Mining and oil and gas extraction	0	0.0
Utilities	0	0.0
Construction	35	4.8
Manufacturing	15	2.0
Wholesale trade	25	3.4
Retail trade	30	4.1
Transportation and warehousing	0	0.0
Information and cultural industries	10	1.4
Finance and insurance	0	0.0
Real estate and rental and leasing	15	2.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	15	2.0
Management of companies and enterprises	0	0.0
Administrative/support, waste management and remediation services	30	4.1
Educational services	0	0.0
Healthcare and social assistance	20	2.7
Arts, entertainment and recreation	0	0.0
Accommodation and food services	10	1.4
Other services (except public administration)	50	6.8
Public administration	20	2.7

Labour Force by Major Occupation Groups

Males - All occupations	505	68.7
Management occupations	35	4.8
Business, finance and administration occupations	10	1.4
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	10	1.4
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	10	1.4
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	0	0.0
Sales and service occupations	40	5.4
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	90	12.2
Occupations unique to primary industry	310	42.2
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	0	0.0
Females - All occupations	225	30.6
Management occupations	10	1.4
Business, finance and administration occupations	65	8.8
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	0	0.0
Health occupations	0	0.0
Occupations in social science, education, government and religion	20	2.7
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	0	0.0
Sales and service occupations	40	5.4
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	10	1.4
Occupations unique to primary industry	90	12.2
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	10	1.4

(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	3,115	
0 hours of unpaid housework	535	17.2
Less than 5 hours	380	12.2
5 to 14 hours	755	24.2
15 to 29 hours	475	15.2
30 to 59 hours	645	20.7
60 hours or more	330	10.6
Males	1,485	47.7
0 hours of unpaid housework	300	9.6
Less than 5 hours	240	7.7
5 to 14 hours	410	13.2
15 to 29 hours	195	6.3
30 to 59 hours	220	7.1
60 hours or more	120	3.9
Females	1,630	52.3
0 hours of unpaid housework	235	7.5
Less than 5 hours	145	4.7
5 to 14 hours	340	10.9
15 to 29 hours	285	9.1
30 to 59 hours	420	13.5
60 hours or more	215	6.9

Hours Spent Looking After Children, Unpaid ⁽¹⁶⁾

Total census seniors	3,115	
0 hours of unpaid child care	2,705	86.8
Less than 5 hours	165	5.3
5 to 14 hours	135	4.3
15 to 29 hours	50	1.6
30 to 59 hours	30	1.0
60 hours or more	35	1.1
Males	1,485	47.7
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,315	42.2
Less than 5 hours	75	2.4
5 to 14 hours	35	1.1
15 to 29 hours	15	0.5
30 to 59 hours	25	0.8
60 hours or more	15	0.5
Females	1,630	52.3
0 hours of unpaid child care	1,390	44.6
Less than 5 hours	85	2.7
5 to 14 hours	95	3.0
15 to 29 hours	35	1.1
30 to 59 hours	10	0.3
60 hours or more	20	0.6

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

Total census seniors	3,110	
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	2,445	78.5
Less than 5 hours	310	10.0
5 to 9 hours	180	5.8
10 hours or more	180	5.8
Males	1,485	47.7
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,250	40.1
Less than 5 hours	105	3.4
5 to 9 hours	70	2.2
10 hours or more	60	1.9
Females	1,625	52.2
0 hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	1,190	38.2
Less than 5 hours	210	6.7
5 to 9 hours	110	3.5
10 hours or more	125	4.0

(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⁾	2,160	
Total census families ⁽¹⁸⁾	1,220	56.5
Total couple families by family structure	1,150	53.2
Married couples	1,130	52.3
Without children at home	1,025	47.5
With children at home	105	4.9
Common-law couples ⁽¹⁹⁾	15	0.7
Without children at home	15	0.7
With children at home	0	0.0
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	70	3.2
Female parent	50	2.3
Male parent	20	0.9
Non-family persons	940	43.5
Living with relatives	115	5.3
Living with non-relatives only	65	3.0
Living alone	765	35.4

Dwelling Type

	Seniors Dwellings (unless otherwise noted)	% of Seniors Occupied Private Dwellings
Total occupied private dwellings	1,995	
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	1,445	72.4
Semi-detached house	100	5.0
Row house	60	3.0
Apartment	250	12.5
Other single-attached house	0	0.0
Movable dwelling	125	6.3

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	1,680	84.2
Rented	315	15.8
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.2	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	2.7	--
Average value of dwelling (\$) ⁽²⁰⁾	\$116,855	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	1,305	65.4
Minor repairs	535	26.8
Major repairs	150	7.5

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	270	13.5
1946 - 1960	235	11.8
1961 - 1970	305	15.3
1971 - 1980	570	28.6
1981 - 1985	155	7.8
1986 - 1990	90	4.5
1991 - 1995	165	8.3
1996 - 2001 ⁽²¹⁾	200	10.0

(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	1,775	--
Tenant-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	305	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$449	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	100	--
Tenant one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	70	--
Average gross rent (\$)	\$508	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	15	--
Owner-occupied non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	1,465	--
Average value of dwelling (\$)	116,855	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$426	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	210	--
Owner one-family households in non-farm, non-reserve dwellings ⁽²³⁾	910	--
Average owner major payment (\$)	\$459	--
30% or more of household income spent on shelter costs ⁽²²⁾	105	--

Mobility Status

	Seniors Population	% of Seniors Population
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	3,115	
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	2,950	94.7
Movers	165	5.3
Non-migrants	60	1.9
Migrants	105	3.4
Internal migrants	100	3.2
Intraprovincial migrants	80	2.6
Interprovincial migrants	15	0.5
External migrants	0	0.0
Total population 65 years of age and over ⁽²⁴⁾	3,110	
By mobility status 5 years ago:		
Non-movers	2,400	77.2
Movers	710	22.8
Non-migrants	250	8.0
Migrants	455	14.6
Internal migrants	455	14.6
Intraprovincial migrants	315	10.1
Interprovincial migrants	135	4.3
External migrants	10	0.3

Household Income (2000)

	Seniors Households	% of Seniors Private Households
Total private households	1,995	
Household Income:		
Under \$20,000	465	23.3
\$20,000 - \$39,999	790	39.6
\$40,000 - \$59,999	345	17.3
\$60,000 - \$79,999	205	10.3
\$80,000 - \$99,999	65	3.3
\$100,000 and over	120	6.0
Average household income (\$)	\$43,440	--
Median household income (\$)	\$31,083	--

(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 (\$)	\$27,738	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$17,771	--
Males Employed - 65 years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	230	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$27,029	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	205	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$17,721	--
Females Employed - 65 Years and over:		
Worked full year, full time ⁽²⁵⁾	70	--
Average full-time employment income (\$)	\$29,990	--
Worked part year or part time ⁽²⁶⁾	100	--
Average part-time employment income (\$)	\$17,872	--

Total Income (2000) by Sex

Composition of Total Income		
Employment income (%)	20.4	--
Government transfer payments (%)	47.8	--
Other income (%)	31.8	--
		% of Seniors Population with Income
Total population 65 years and over with income	3,045	
Males 65 years and over with income		
	1,455	47.8
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	580	19.0
\$20,000 - \$39,999	595	19.5
\$40,000 - \$59,999	150	4.9
\$60,000 and over	135	4.4
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$31,613	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$22,982	--
Females 65 years and over with income		
	1,590	52.2
Under \$20,000 ⁽²⁷⁾	1,055	34.6
\$20,000 - \$39,999	405	13.3
\$40,000 - \$59,999	70	2.3
\$60,000 and over	55	1.8
Average total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$21,475	--
Median total income (\$) ⁽²⁸⁾	\$15,997	--

Incidence of Low Income (2000)

Total economic families		
	1,225	--
Low income economic families ⁽²⁹⁾	15	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	0.0	--
Total unattached individuals 65 years and over		
	825	--
Low income unattached individuals ⁽²⁹⁾	90	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	10.9	--
Total population in private households		
	3,035	--
Persons in low income family units ⁽²⁹⁾	130	--
Incidence of low income (%) ⁽³⁰⁾	4.3	--

(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	1,215	
Family income:		
Under \$20,000	20	1.6
\$20,000 - \$39,999	540	44.4
\$40,000 - \$59,999	315	25.9
\$60,000 - \$79,999	165	13.6
\$80,000 - \$99,999	70	5.8
\$100,000 and over	105	8.6
Average family income (\$)	\$54,011	--
Median family income (\$)	\$41,534	--
Couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$53,754	--
Median family income (\$)	\$41,257	--
Married couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$53,887	--
Median family income (\$)	\$41,290	--
Common-law couple families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$44,270	--
Median family income (\$)	\$38,503	--
Male lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$0	--
Median family income (\$)	\$0	--
Female lone-parent families:		
Average family income (\$)	\$61,228	--
Median family income (\$)	\$71,731	--

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