

Population

Total population (100% data)	55,570
Total non-institutional population ⁽¹⁾	55,375

Sex and Age Groups

	Population	% of Population
Male	26,855	48.5
Female	28,490	51.4
0-4	4,170	7.5
5-19	11,370	20.5
20-24	2,920	5.3
25-44	17,785	32.1
45-64	14,085	25.4
65-74	2,585	4.7
75+	2,400	4.3

Legal Marital Status

	Population	% of Population (15+ yrs)
Total population 15 years and over by legal marital status	43,400	
Single (never legally married)	12,095	27.9
Legally Married (and not separated)	25,800	59.4
Separated (but not divorced)	860	2.0
Divorced	2,950	6.8
Widowed	1,695	3.9
Common-Law ⁽²⁾	2,690	6.2

Family Structure

	Households	% of Households
Total census families and non-family persons ⁽³⁾	22,700	
Total census families ⁽⁴⁾	15,730	69.3
Total couple families by family structure	14,110	62.2
Married couples	12,765	56.2
Without children at home	4,690	20.7
With children at home	8,075	35.6
1 child	2,775	12.2
2 children	3,865	17.0
3 or more children	1,440	6.3
Common-law couples ⁽⁵⁾	1,345	5.9
Without children at home	935	4.1
With children at home	415	1.8
1 child	240	1.1
2 children	100	0.4
3 or more children	75	0.3
Total lone-parent families by sex of parent	1,620	7.1
Female parent	1,335	5.9
1 child	720	3.2
2 children	485	2.1
3 or more children	130	0.6
Male parent	280	1.2
1 child	170	0.7
2 children	95	0.4
3 or more children	15	0.1
Non-family persons	6,970	30.7
Living with relatives	1,035	4.6
Living with non-relatives only	1,615	7.1
Living alone	4,325	19.1
65 years and over	1,515	6.7
Living with relatives	220	1.0
Living with non-relatives only	40	0.2
Living alone	1,255	5.5

* Totals may not add to 100% due to random rounding.

(1) With the exception of "Total Population (100% data)", all profile variables are based on the non-institutional population (weighted 20% sample data). In some instances, due to weighting, suppression and/or random rounding, it is possible for the non-institutional population to be higher than the total population (100% 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) Private households only.

(4) 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.

(5) A couple living common-law may be of opposite or same sex.

Home Language

	Population	% of Population
Single responses	54,365	98.2
English	47,610	86.0
French	500	0.9
Non-official languages	6,250	11.3
Chinese ⁽⁶⁾	1,285	2.3
German	45	0.1
Panjabi (Punjabi)	115	0.2
Vietnamese	210	0.4
Spanish	280	0.5
Other Languages	4,320	7.8
Multiple responses	985	1.8

Knowledge of Official Languages

English only	49,285	89.0
French only	30	0.1
Both English and French	5,440	9.8
Neither English nor French	590	1.1

Aboriginal Identity Population

Total Aboriginal population	910	1.6
Single Aboriginal response	895	1.6
North American Indian	455	0.8
Métis single response	430	0.8
Inuit single response	10	0.0
Multiple Aboriginal responses	0	0.0
Aboriginal responses not included elsewhere	20	0.0
Non-Aboriginal population	54,435	98.3

Citizenship

Canadian citizenship ⁽⁷⁾	50,960	92.0
Not Canadian citizens	4,385	7.9

Place of Birth

Non-immigrant population ⁽⁸⁾	41,265	74.5
Born in Alberta	25,480	46.0
Immigrant population ⁽⁹⁾	13,150	23.7
United States	925	1.7
Central America	100	0.2
Caribbean and Bermuda	235	0.4
South America	400	0.7
Europe	4,490	8.1
Africa	900	1.6
Asia and the Middle East	5,930	10.7
Oceania and Other	165	0.3
Non-permanent residents ⁽¹⁰⁾	935	1.7

Immigrant Population by Period of Immigration

	Population	% of Immigrant Population
Total immigrant population	13,150	
By period of immigration:		
Before 1961	1,130	8.6
1961 - 1970	1,290	9.8
1971 - 1980	2,365	18.0
1981 - 1990	2,165	16.5
1991 - 2000	3,595	27.3
2001 - 2006 ⁽¹¹⁾	2,610	19.8

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(6) Includes the single response of Cantonese, Mandarin, Chinese, n.o.s.

(7) Includes the single responses of Inuit, Metis, and North American Indian.

(8) Includes Canadian citizenship by birth and naturalization.

(9) Includes persons born in Canada who do not have Canadian citizenship by birth, but who have a valid year of immigration.

(10) 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.

(11) Includes immigrants who landed in Canada prior to Census Day, May 16, 2006.

Mobility Status

	Population	% of Population Aged 1 Year & Over
Total population, Mobility status 1 year ago ⁽¹²⁾	54,425	
By mobility status 1 year ago:		
Non-movers	44,780	82.3
Movers	9,645	17.7
Non-migrants	6,880	12.6
Migrants	2,770	5.1
Internal migrants	1,960	3.6
Intraprovincial migrants	650	1.2
Interprovincial migrants	1,310	2.4
External migrants	805	1.5
Total population, Mobility status 5 years ago ⁽¹²⁾	51,165	
By mobility status 5 years ago:		
Non-movers	21,060	41.2
Movers	30,110	58.8
Non-migrants	20,355	39.8
Migrants	9,760	19.1
Internal migrants	6,355	12.4
Intraprovincial migrants	2,290	4.5
Interprovincial migrants	4,065	7.9
External migrants	3,400	6.6

Dwelling Type

	Dwellings	% of Occupied Private Dwellings
Total occupied private dwellings	20,510	
By structural type of dwelling:		
Single-detached house	13,270	64.7
Semi-detached house	1,940	9.5
Row house	2,570	12.5
Apartment, detached duplex	240	1.2
Apartment, building that has five or more storeys	305	1.5
Apartment, building that has fewer than five storeys	2,175	10.6
Other single-attached house	0	0.0
Movable dwelling	10	0.0

Dwelling Tenure & Characteristics

Tenure:		
Owned	18,530	90.3
Rented	1,980	9.7
Band Housing	0	0.0
Average number of rooms per dwelling	7.6	--
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	3.1	--

Dwellings by Need of Repair

Regular maintenance only	16,885	82.3
Minor repairs	3,050	14.9
Major repairs	575	2.8

Dwellings by Period of Construction

Before 1946	60	0.3
1946 - 1960	770	3.8
1961 - 1970	780	3.8
1971 - 1980	1,830	8.9
1981 - 1985	1,405	6.9
1986 - 1990	1,845	9.0
1991 - 1995	2,525	12.3
1996 - 2000	4,190	20.4
2001 - 2006 ⁽¹³⁾	7,110	34.7

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(12) Excludes Canadians (military and government personnel) in households outside Canada.

(13) Includes data up to May 16, 2006.

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