



2006 Census Profile

Nanaimo, C

A City located in Nanaimo

Geographic Classification
5921007

For a map, browse to
www.bcstats.gov.bc.ca/data/pop/maps/rdmap.htm

Data Quality for the Profiled Area

Data quality flag for this area is 01010:

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More Information

Our own website contains sections devoted to census and regional statistics.

www.bcstats.gov.bc.ca/census.asp
www.bcstats.gov.bc.ca/regions.asp

Statistics Canada offers community profiles.
<http://www12.statcan.ca/english/census06/data/profiles/community/Index.cfm?Lang=E>

The British Columbia Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Fisheries offers extensive statistics, for example:
<http://www.agf.gov.bc.ca/stats>

Indian and Northern Affairs Canada has a growing statistics site.
www.inac.gc.ca/pr/sts/index_e.htm

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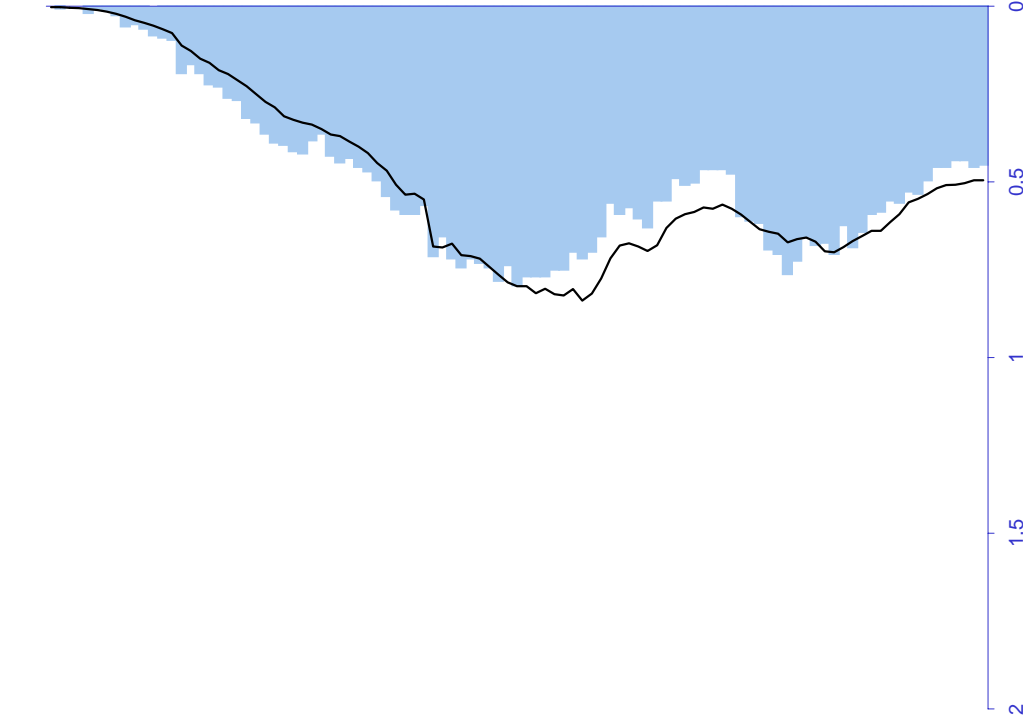
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Age pyramid of Nanaimo, CY compared to British Columbia (line)

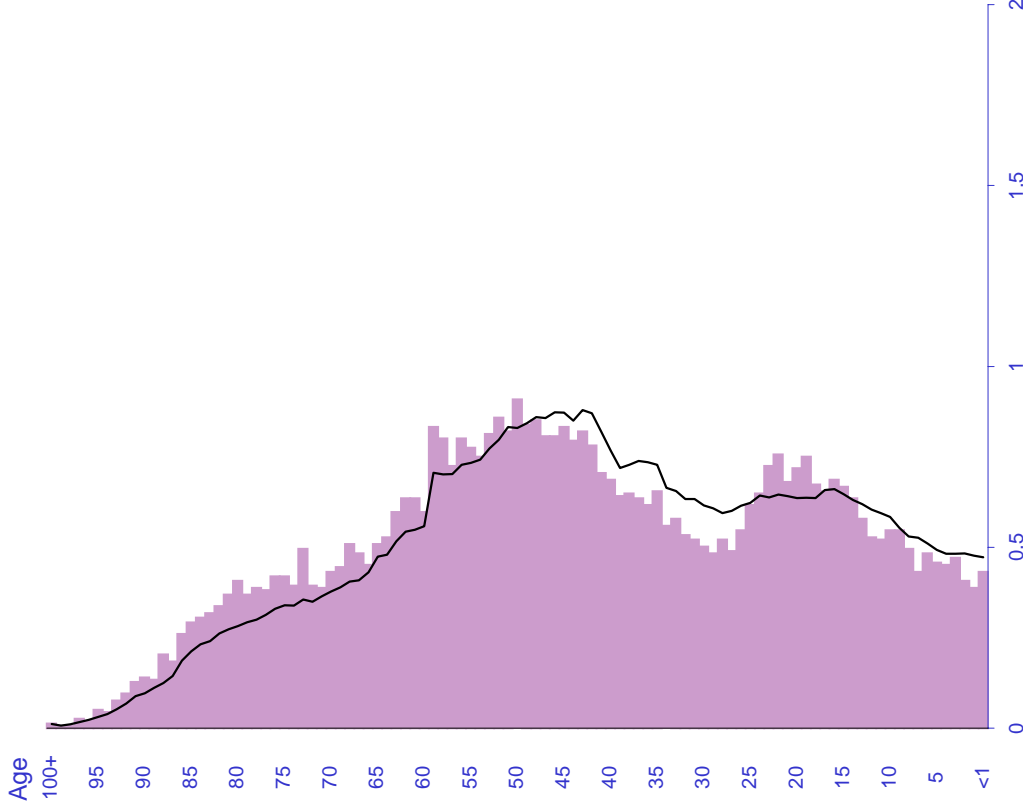
37,965 Males, median age 42.2; (BC median 40.0)



Males, by single year of age,
as a percent of the total population

Nanaimo, C: A City in Nanaimo

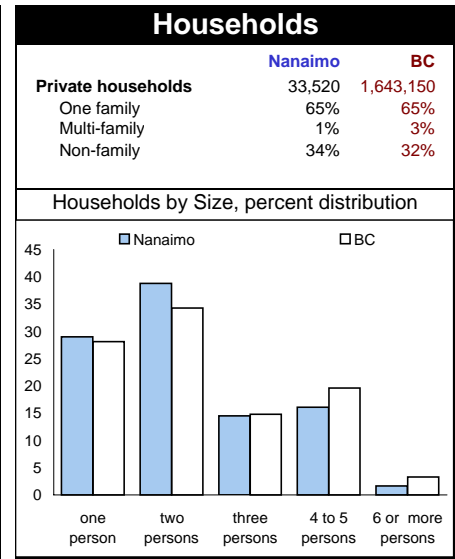
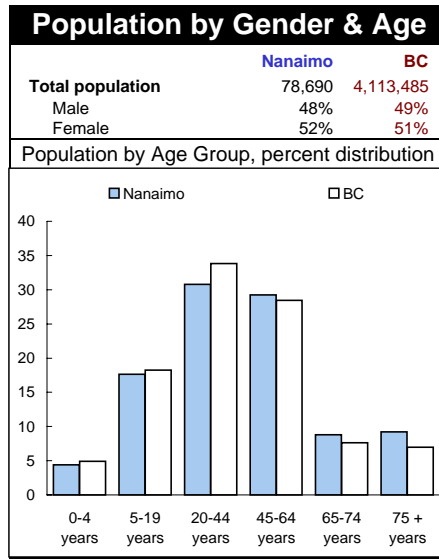
40,725 Females, median age 44.0; (BC median 41.5)



Females, by single year of age,
as a percent of the total population

Subject Area	Compared to
Nanaimo, C	British Columbia
City	BC
Geocode	59
Population (unrounded data)	78,692 4,113,487
Population (single year of age data)	78,690 4,113,485
Median Age	43.2 40.8
Age Cohorts % (5-year cohort data)	
0-19	22.0 23.2
20-29	12.3 12.4
30-44	18.5 21.4
45-64	29.2 28.4
65+	18.0 14.6
75+	9.2 7.0

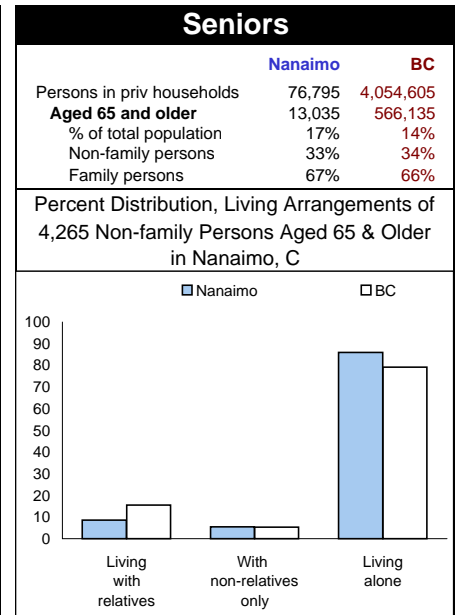
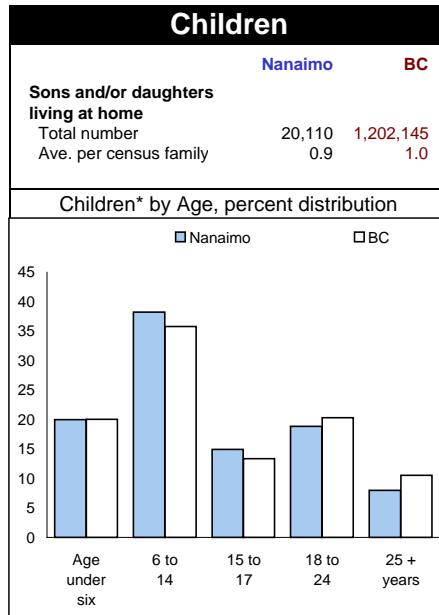
Summary		
	Nanaimo	BC
Total population		
(as of May 16, 2006)	78,692	4,113,487
Share of Regional District	56.8%	-
2001 Census Population		
(as of May 15, 2001)	73,000	3,907,738
Percent change '01-2006	7.8%	5.3%
Land area 2006		
km ²	89.30	
km ²		924,815
Occupied private dwellings		
(unrounded)	33,524	1,642,715
Total dwellings		
(unrounded)	35,042	1,788,474



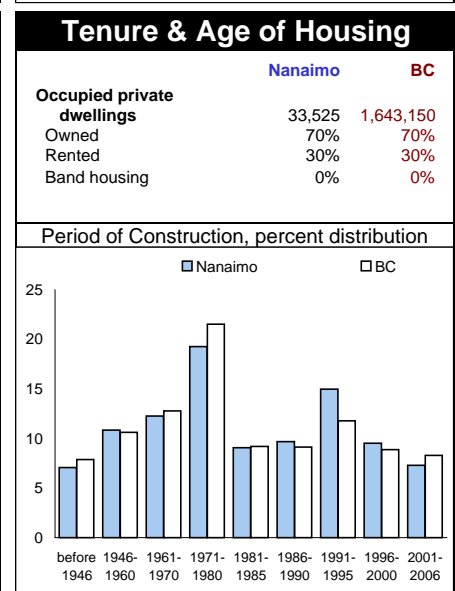
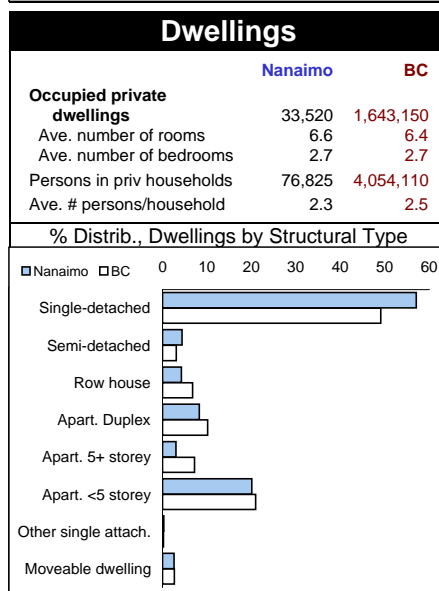
Marital Status & Families		
	Nanaimo	BC
Population 15+ years	66,685	3,433,880
Single, never married	31%	32%
Legally married	47%	50%
Separated	4%	3%
Divorced	10%	8%
Widowed	7%	6%

Census Families by Structure		
	Nanaimo	BC
Number, census families	22,575	1,161,420
Husband-wife families	18,780	986,255
Now-married couples	15,530	844,430
Without child* at home	56%	46%
With children* at home	44%	54%
Common-law couples	3,250	141,825
Without child* at home	62%	65%
With children* at home	38%	35%
Single-parent families	3,795	175,165
Male parent	17%	20%
Female parent	83%	80%

child*/children* - defined as sons and/or daughters at home

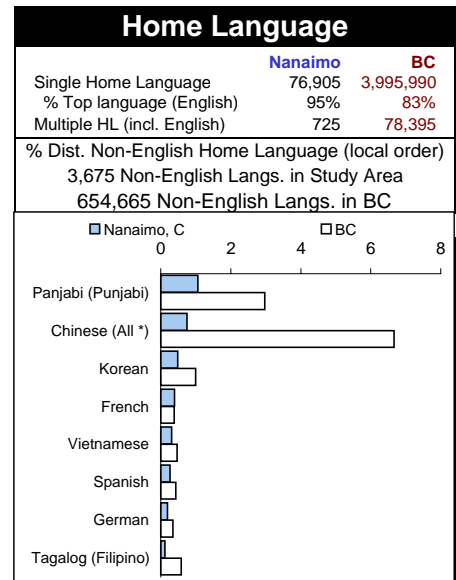
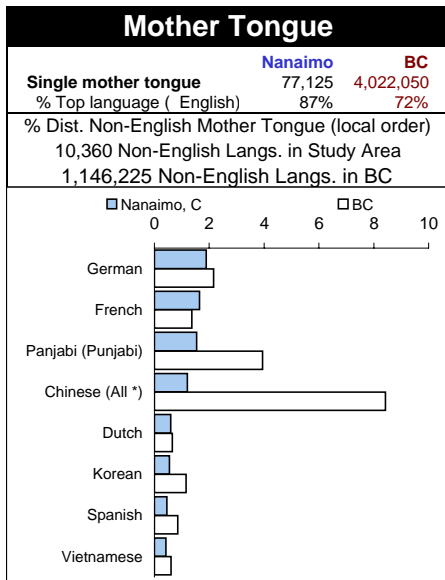
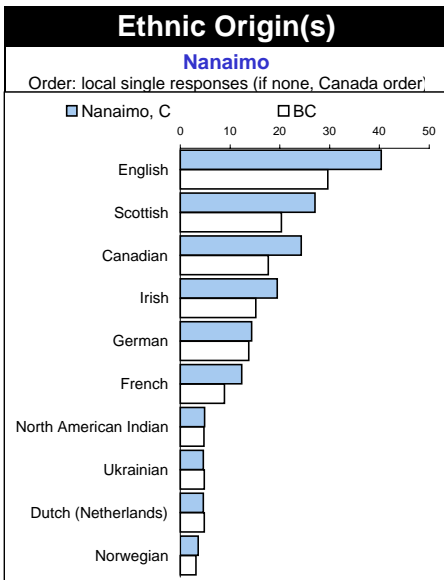
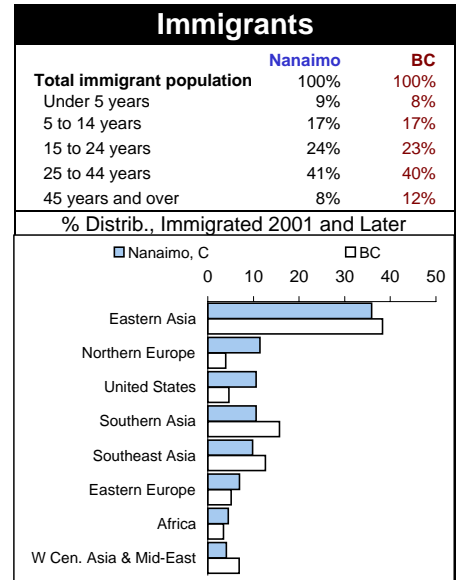
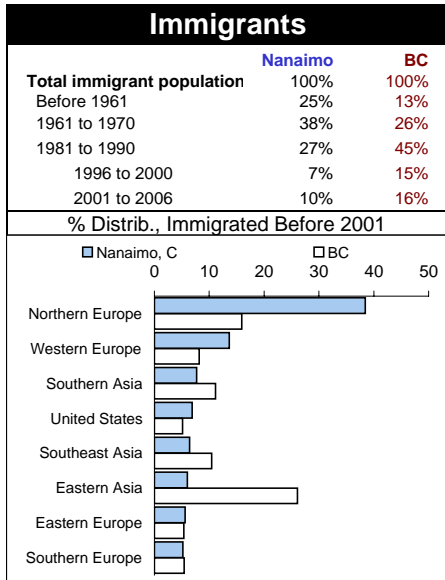
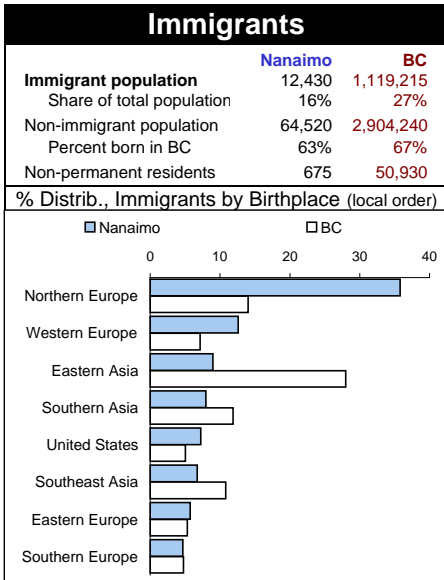
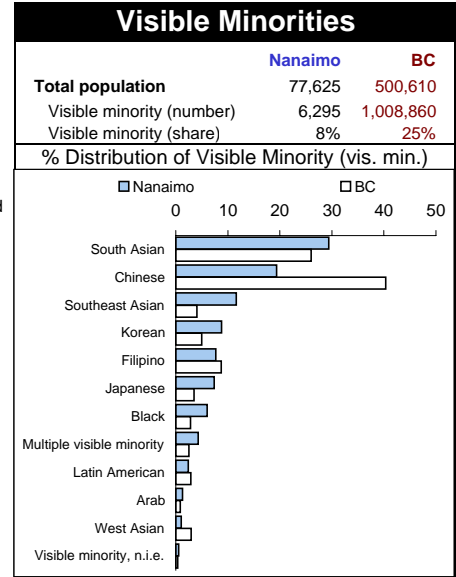
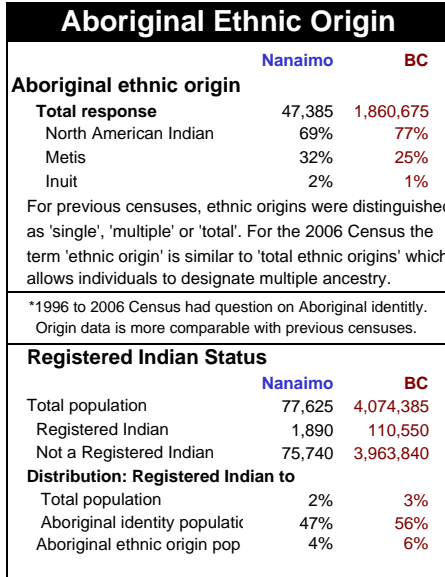
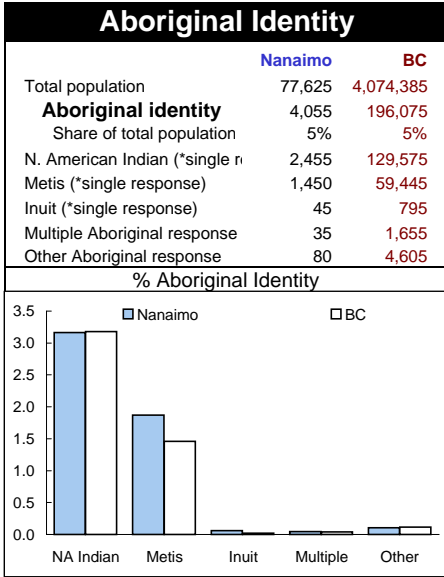


Affordability (vs. Household Income)		
	Nanaimo	BC
Non-farm, non-reserve private dwellings, occupied by usual residents		
Total number	33,510	1,606,875
Tenant occupied	9,890	488,720
Average gross rent	\$736	\$828
>=30% of hhld income	49%	43%
30-99% of hhld income	42%	35%
Owner occupied	23,620	1,118,160
Average value of dwelling	\$313,464	\$418,703
Average major payments	\$907	\$1,059
>=30% of hhld income	22%	23%
30-99% of hhld income	19%	19%
One-family households without additional persons in non-farm, non-reserve private dwellings		
Tenant households	33,510	1,606,875
Average gross rent	\$797	\$907
>=30% of hhld income	40%	35%
Owner occupied	33,510	1,606,875
Average major payments	\$959	\$1,119
>=30% of hhld income	18%	20%



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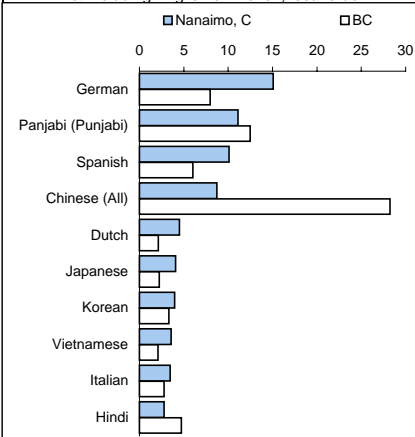
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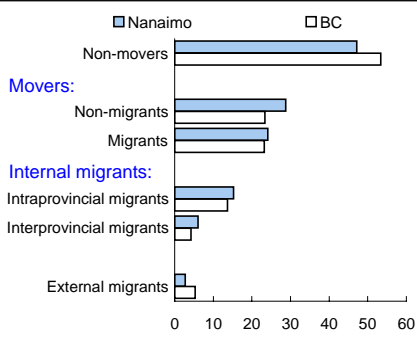
Note: Languages (NOT persons), % Distribution
Individuals may specify more than one language
Not including English or French; local order



Mobility - Migration (1-yr & 5-year)

	Nanaimo	BC
Population, 1 yr & older	77,010	4,034,390
Non-movers	81%	83%
Moved in last year	19%	17%
From other province/terr.	2%	1%
From outside Canada	1%	2%

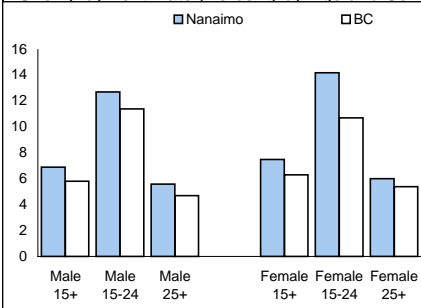
5-Year Mobility of Population 5 Years & Older, % distrib.



Labour Force Activity

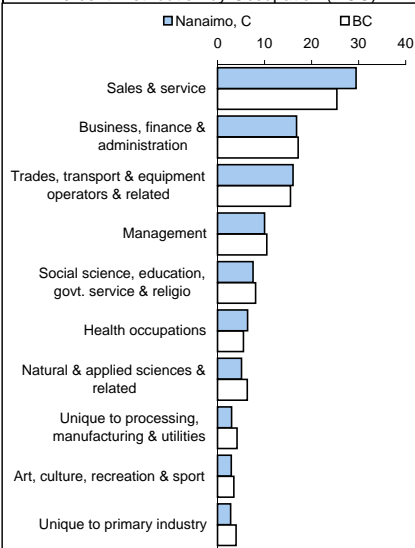
	Nanaimo	BC
Pop 15+ in labour force	40,440	2,226,385
Employed	37,520	2,092,770
Unemployed	2,915	133,615
Not in labour force	25,255	1,168,525
Participation rate	61.6	65.6
Unemployment rate	7.2	6.0

Unemployment Rate (Percent) by Age and Sex



Broad Occupational Categories

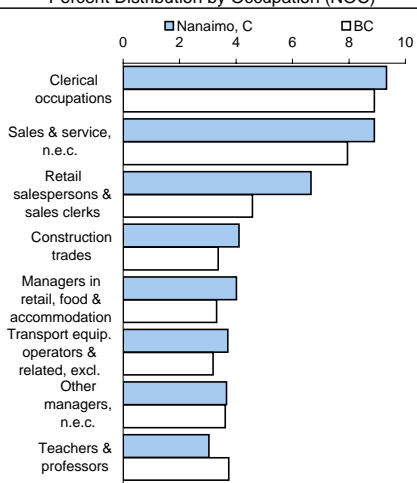
Percent Distribution by Occupation (NOC)



Top 8 Detailed Occupations

	Nanaimo	BC
Total labour force	40,440	2,226,385
Experienced LF	39,620	2,193,115

Percent Distribution by Occupation (NOC)

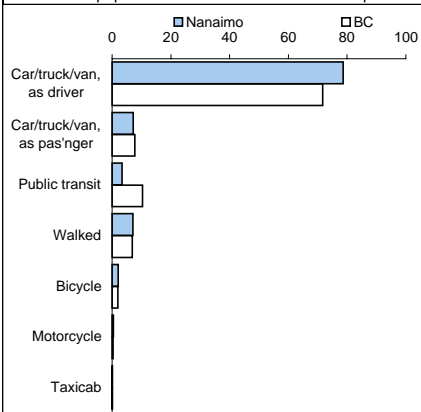


Workplace & Transportation

	Nanaimo	BC
Employed LF, 15+ yrs	37,520	2,092,770
Work in CSD of residence	24,960	787,185
Work at home	2,955	188,755
No fixed workplace	5,300	274,055

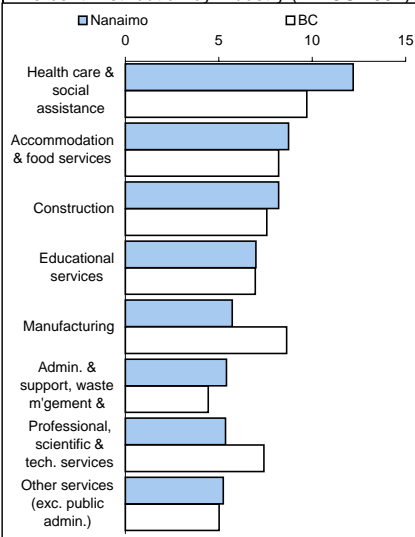
Mode of Transportation, percent distribution

Based on population with usual or no fixed workplace.



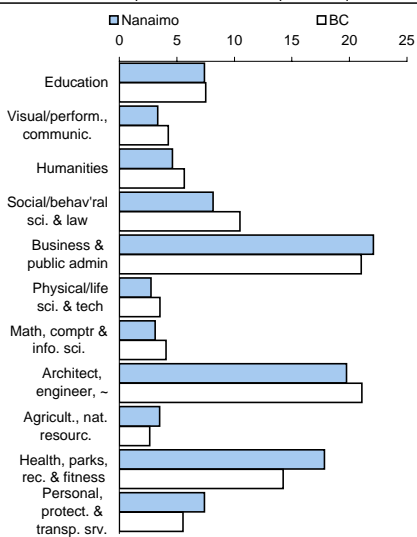
Top 8 Industries by Labour Force

Percent Distribution by Industry (NAICS 2002)



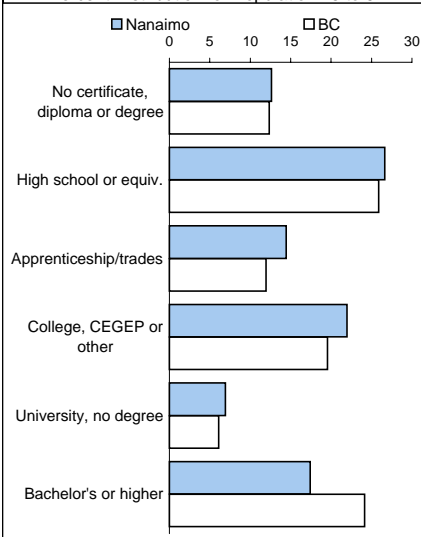
Education: Field of Study

% Distribution for Population 25 to 64, with post sec. qualification



Highest Level of Education

Percent Distribution for Population 25 to 64



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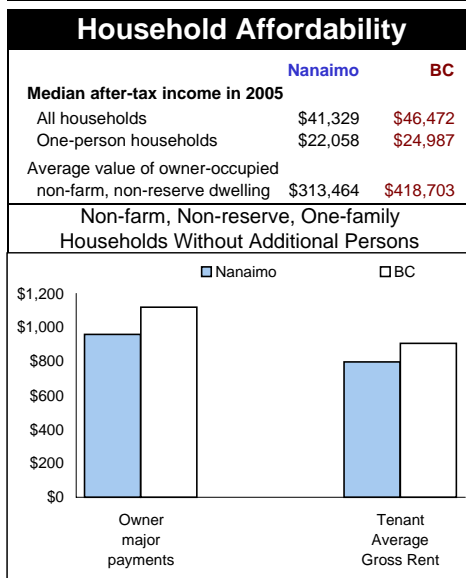
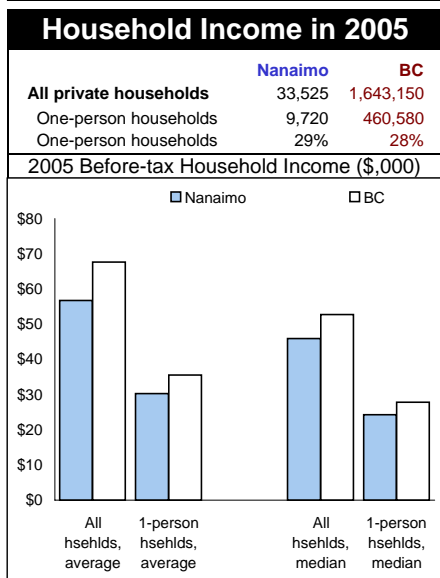
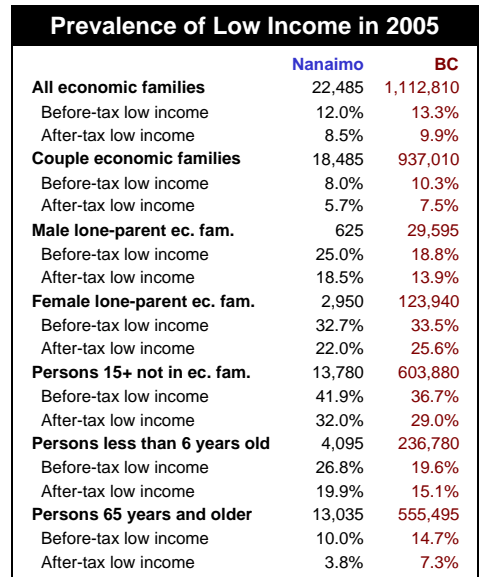
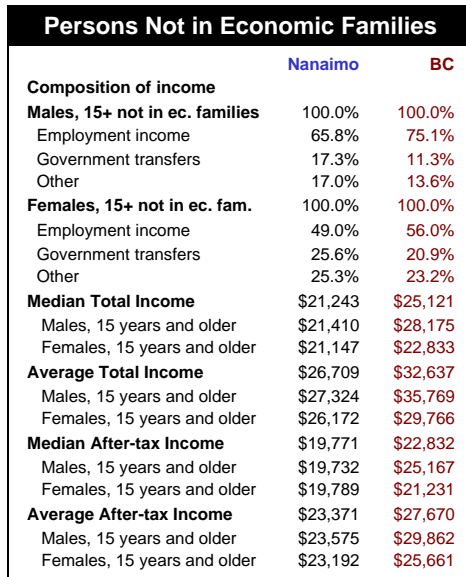
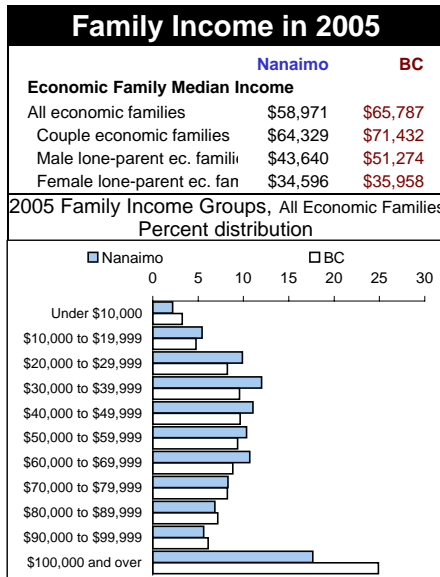
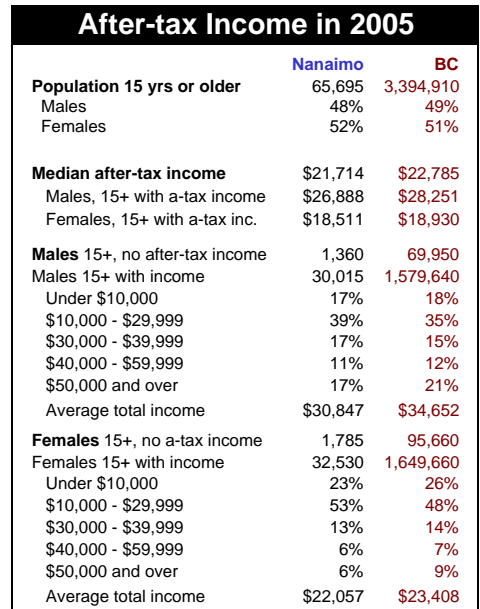
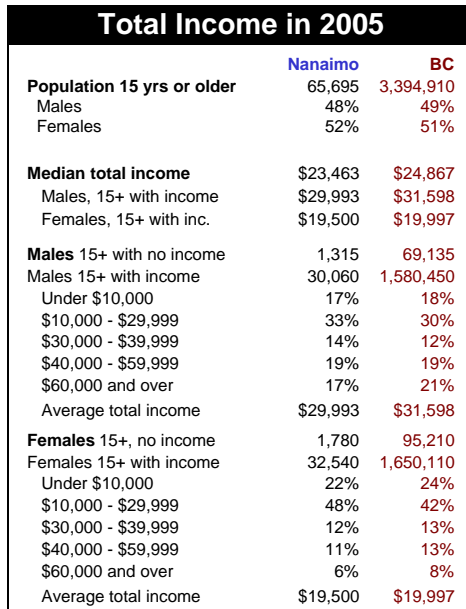
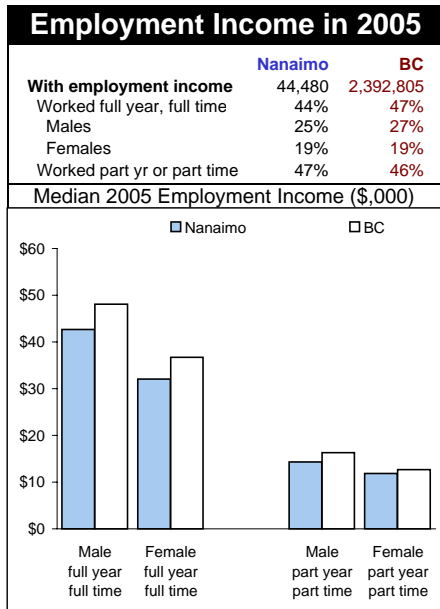
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All comparisons are to British Columbia (BC)



Notes

Population - effective since the 1991 Census, non-permanent residents included in total population.

2001 Census population - based on 2006 boundaries.

Economic family - refers to two or more persons living in the same dwelling, related to each other by blood, marriage, common-law or adoption.

Experienced labour force - includes persons who worked since Jan 1, 2005 and who were employe or unemployed during the reference week

Non-movers - on Census Day were living at the same address as one or five years previous.

Non-migrant movers - lived at a different address but in the same census subdivision (CSD).

Average - or arithmetic mean is calculated by dividing the sum of included categories by the number of included categories.

Median - an alternate measure of 'averageness'. Median income of a specific group is that amount which divides their income size distribution into two halves (below and above the median)

Prevalence of low income - the percentage of a specific group below Statistics Canada's low income cut-offs (LICO).

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Population and dwellings

		BC		BC
Population, 2006 - unrounded data	78,692	4,113,487	Area, square kilometres	89,3018 924,815.4344
Population, 2001 - (2006 boundaries)	73,000	3,907,738	Population per sqare km.	881.2 4.4
Population percentage change, 2001-2006	7.8%	5.3%		
Occupied private dwellings (households)	33,524	1,642,715		
Total private dwellings (incl. seasonal, etc.)	35,042	1,788,474		

Age and sex

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total - Age	78,690	100.0%	100.0%	37,965	100.0%	100.0%	40,725	100.0%	100.0%
0 to 4 years	3,455	4.4%	4.9%	1,770	4.7%	5.1%	1,690	4.1%	4.7%
5 to 9 years	3,930	5.0%	5.4%	2,020	5.3%	5.6%	1,910	4.7%	5.1%
10 to 14 years	4,625	5.9%	6.2%	2,410	6.3%	6.6%	2,210	5.4%	5.9%
15 to 19 years	5,320	6.8%	6.7%	2,620	6.9%	7.0%	2,700	6.6%	6.3%
20 to 24 years	5,525	7.0%	6.5%	2,755	7.3%	6.7%	2,770	6.8%	6.3%
25 to 29 years	4,145	5.3%	6.0%	2,055	5.4%	6.0%	2,090	5.1%	6.0%
30 to 34 years	4,105	5.2%	6.2%	1,980	5.2%	6.1%	2,125	5.2%	6.3%
35 to 39 years	4,830	6.1%	7.1%	2,320	6.1%	7.0%	2,510	6.2%	7.1%
40 to 44 years	5,605	7.1%	8.1%	2,620	6.9%	8.1%	2,985	7.3%	8.2%
45 to 49 years	6,255	7.9%	8.4%	3,005	7.9%	8.3%	3,250	8.0%	8.4%
50 to 54 years	6,240	7.9%	7.8%	2,980	7.8%	7.8%	3,260	8.0%	7.8%
55 to 59 years	5,895	7.5%	7.0%	2,790	7.3%	7.1%	3,105	7.6%	7.0%
60 to 64 years	4,610	5.9%	5.2%	2,260	6.0%	5.3%	2,350	5.8%	5.2%
65 to 69 years	3,695	4.7%	4.1%	1,810	4.8%	4.1%	1,885	4.6%	4.1%
70 to 74 years	3,230	4.1%	3.5%	1,565	4.1%	3.5%	1,660	4.1%	3.5%
75 to 79 years	2,960	3.8%	2.9%	1,410	3.7%	2.8%	1,550	3.8%	3.1%
80 to 84 years	2,285	2.9%	2.2%	920	2.4%	1.8%	1,365	3.4%	2.5%
85 to 89 years	1,330	1.7%	1.2%	490	1.3%	0.9%	840	2.1%	1.5%
90 to 94 years	535	0.7%	0.5%	160	0.4%	0.3%	370	0.9%	0.7%
95 to 99 years	110	0.1%	0.1%	30	0.1%	0.1%	80	0.2%	0.2%
100 years and over	15	0.0%	0.0%	-	0.0%	0.0%	10	0.0%	0.0%
Median age (half are younger; half older)	43.2		40.8	42.2		40.0	44.0		41.5

Marital status

(legal marital status)			BC
Total population 15 years and over	66,685	100.0%	100.0%
Never legally married (single)	20,690	31.0%	32.1%
Legally married (and not separated)	31,660	47.5%	50.4%
Separated, but still legally married	2,435	3.7%	3.2%
Divorced	6,975	10.5%	8.3%
Widowed	4,930	7.4%	6.0%

Common-law status

			BC
Total population 15 years and over	66,685	100.0%	100.0%
Not in a common-law relationship	60,260	90.4%	91.8%
In a common-law relationship	6,430	9.6%	8.2%

Families

		BC
Total Number of Census Families in private households	22,575	1,161,420

Children by age

			BC
Children at home in census families	20,110	100.0%	100.0%
Under 6 years of age	4,020	20.0%	20.0%
6-14 years	7,680	38.2%	35.8%
15-17 years	3,005	14.9%	13.3%
18-24 years	3,790	18.8%	20.3%
25 years and over	1,610	8.0%	10.5%
Average number of children at home	0.9		1.0

Families by size

			BC
Census families in private households	22,575	100.0%	100.0%
Total number of census families	22,575	100.0%	100.0%
2 person census families	13,085	58.0%	50.6%
3 person census families	4,385	19.4%	21.1%
4 person census families	3,770	16.7%	20.0%
5 or more persons cen. families	1,330	5.9%	8.3%

Families

by type and presence and number of children

(share down)

	Couple families			Married couples			Common-law couples		
			BC			BC			BC
Total	18,780	100.0%	100.0%	15,530	100.0%	100.0%	3,250	100.0%	100.0%
Without children at home	10,715	57.1%	48.6%	8,715	56.1%	45.9%	2,000	61.5%	64.6%
With children at home	8,065	42.9%	51.4%	6,820	43.9%	54.1%	1,245	38.3%	35.4%
1 child	3,210	17.1%	19.8%	2,520	16.2%	20.1%	690	21.2%	17.9%
2 children	3,565	19.0%	22.2%	3,175	20.4%	23.9%	390	12.0%	12.0%
3 or more children	1,290	6.9%	9.4%	1,120	7.2%	10.1%	170	5.2%	5.5%
Lone-parent families									
			BC			BC			BC
Total	3,795	100.0%	100.0%	640	100.0%	100.0%	3,160	100.0%	100.0%
1 child	2,365	62.3%	61.9%	460	71.9%	66.9%	1,905	60.3%	60.7%
2 children	1,180	31.1%	28.7%	125	19.5%	25.3%	1,055	33.4%	29.6%
3 or more children	250	6.6%	9.3%	50	7.8%	7.8%	200	6.3%	9.7%

(share across)

	Couple families			Married couples			Common-law couples		
			BC			BC			BC
Total	18,780	100.0%	100.0%	15,530	82.7%	85.6%	3,250	17.3%	14.4%
Without children at home	10,715	100.0%	100.0%	8,715	81.3%	80.9%	2,000	18.7%	19.1%
With children at home	8,065	100.0%	100.0%	6,820	84.6%	90.1%	1,245	15.4%	9.9%
1 child	3,210	100.0%	100.0%	2,520	78.5%	87.0%	690	21.5%	13.0%
2 children	3,565	100.0%	100.0%	3,175	89.1%	92.2%	390	10.9%	7.8%
3 or more children	1,290	100.0%	100.0%	1,120	86.8%	91.6%	170	13.2%	8.4%
Lone-parent families									
			BC			BC			BC
Total	3,795	100.0%	100.0%	640	16.9%	20.2%	3,160	83.3%	79.8%
1 child	2,365	100.0%	100.0%	460	19.5%	21.8%	1,905	80.5%	78.2%
2 children	1,180	100.0%	100.0%	125	10.6%	17.8%	1,055	89.4%	82.2%
3 or more children	250	100.0%	100.0%	50	20.0%	16.8%	200	80.0%	83.2%

Private households

by age and living arrangements

(share down)

	All persons			Under 65 years of age			Seniors (65 and older)		
			BC			BC			BC
Total persons in private households	76,795	100.0%	100.0%	63,760	100.0%	100.0%	13,035	100.0%	100.0%
Number of persons not in census families	15,325	20.0%	17.4%	11,060	17.3%	14.6%	4,265	32.7%	34.5%
Living with relatives	1,515	2.0%	2.2%	1,150	1.8%	1.7%	365	2.8%	5.3%
Living with non-relatives only	4,090	5.3%	3.8%	3,855	6.0%	4.1%	235	1.8%	1.8%
Living alone	9,725	12.7%	11.4%	6,060	9.5%	8.8%	3,665	28.1%	27.3%
Number of census family persons	61,465	80.0%	82.6%	52,695	82.6%	85.4%	8,770	67.3%	65.5%
Ave. number of persons per census family	2.7		2.9						

(share across)

	All persons			Under 65 years of age			Seniors (65 and older)		
			BC			BC			BC
Total persons in private households	76,795	100.0%	100.0%	63,760	83.0%	86.0%	13,035	17.0%	14.0%
Number of persons not in census families	15,325	100.0%	100.0%	11,060	72.2%	72.3%	4,265	27.8%	27.7%
Living with relatives	1,515	100.0%	100.0%	1,150	75.9%	66.6%	365	24.1%	33.4%
Living with non-relatives only	4,090	100.0%	100.0%	3,855	94.3%	93.3%	235	5.7%	6.7%
Living alone	9,725	100.0%	100.0%	6,060	62.3%	66.4%	3,665	37.7%	33.6%
Number of census family persons	61,465	100.0%	100.0%	52,695	85.7%	88.9%	8,770	14.3%	11.1%
Ave. number of persons per census family	2.7		2.9						

by size

			BC
Total number of private households	33,525	100.0%	100.0%
1 person	9,715	29.0%	28.1%
2 persons	13,000	38.8%	34.2%
3 persons	4,865	14.5%	14.8%
4 to 5 persons	5,395	16.1%	19.6%
6 or more persons	550	1.6%	3.3%

by average number of persons and by type

		BC
Persons in private households	76,825	4,054,110
Ave. # of persons in priv. h'holds	2.3	2.5
Total number of private households	33,520	100.0%
One-family households	21,745	65.4%
Multiple-family households	405	2.5%
Non-family households	11,370	32.1%

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Dwellings

			BC				BC
Number of occupied private dwellings	33,525	100.0%	100.0%	Number of occupied private dwellings	33,525	100.0%	100.0%
Owned	23,630	70.5%	69.7%	Req'ng regular maintenance only	22,915	68.4%	67.7%
Rented	9,890	29.5%	30.1%	Requiring minor repairs	8,340	24.9%	24.9%
Band housing	-	0.0%	0.2%	Requiring major repairs	2,275	6.8%	7.4%
Single-detached house	19,115	57.0%	49.0%	Period of construction, before 1946	2,370	7.1%	7.9%
Semi-detached house	1,475	4.4%	3.1%	Period of construction, 1946 to 1960	3,635	10.8%	10.6%
Row house	1,430	4.3%	6.8%	Period of construction, 1961 to 1970	4,110	12.3%	12.8%
Apartment, duplex	2,775	8.3%	10.2%	Period of construction, 1971 to 1980	6,460	19.3%	21.5%
Apartment, building with 5 or more storeys	1,020	3.0%	7.2%	Period of construction, 1981 to 1985	3,040	9.1%	9.2%
Apartment, building with under 5 storeys	6,735	20.1%	20.9%	Period of construction, 1986 to 1990	3,245	9.7%	9.1%
Other single-attached house	105	0.3%	0.2%	Period of construction, 1991 to 1995	5,020	15.0%	11.8%
Movable dwelling	870	2.6%	2.6%	Period of construction, 1996 to 2000	3,190	9.5%	8.9%
				Period of construction, 2001 to 2006	2,445	7.3%	8.3%
Average number of rooms per dwelling	6.6		6.4				
Average number of bedrooms per dwelling	2.7		2.7				

Citizenship

			BC
Total population	77,630	100.0%	100.0%
Canadian citizens	74,450	95.9%	92.3%
Canadian citizens under age 18	14,795	19.1%	19.7%
Canadian citizens age 18 and over	59,650	76.8%	72.7%
Not Canadian citizens	3,180	4.1%	7.7%

Mobility status

by place of residence one year ago

			BC
Population, aged 1 year and over	77,010	100.0%	100.0%
Non-movers	62,010	80.5%	83.0%
Movers	15,000	19.5%	17.0%
Non-migrants	9,510	12.3%	9.3%
Migrants	5,490	7.1%	7.7%
Internal migrants	4,905	6.4%	6.2%
Intraprovincial migrants	3,620	4.7%	4.8%
Interprovincial migrants	1,280	1.7%	1.4%
External migrants	580	0.8%	1.5%

by place of residence five years ago

			BC
Population, aged five and over	74,160	100.0%	100.0%
Non-movers	34,945	47.1%	53.4%
Movers	39,215	52.9%	46.6%
Non-migrants	21,350	28.8%	23.4%
Migrants	17,870	24.1%	23.2%
Internal migrants	15,815	21.3%	17.9%
Intraprovincial migrants	11,305	15.2%	13.6%
Interprovincial migrants	4,510	6.1%	4.3%
External migrants	2,050	2.8%	5.3%

Aboriginal identity

			BC
Total population	77,625	100.0%	100.0%
Total Aboriginal identity population	4,055	5.2%	4.8%
North American Indian single response	2,455	3.2%	3.2%
Métis single response	1,450	1.9%	1.5%
Inuit single response	45	0.1%	0.0%
Multiple Aboriginal identity responses	35	0.0%	0.0%
Aboriginal responses not incl. elsewhere	80	0.1%	0.1%
Non-Aboriginal identity population	73,570	94.8%	95.2%

Refers to those persons who reported identifying with at least one

Aboriginal group, that is, North American Indian, Métis or Inuit, and/or those who reported being a Treaty Indian or a Registered Indian, as defined by the *Indian Act* of Canada, and/or those who reported they were members of an Indian band or First Nation.

In 1991 and previous censuses, the Aboriginal population was defined using the ethnic origin question (ancestry). The 1996 Census included a question on the individual's perception of his/her Aboriginal identity. The question used in the 2006 and 2001 censuses is the same as the one used in 1996.

2006 Census Dictionary, www.statcan.ca

Registered Indian status

			BC
Total population	77,625	100.0%	100.0%
Registered Indian	1,890	2.4%	2.7%
Not a Registered Indian	75,740	97.6%	97.3%

Refers to those persons who reported they were registered under the *Indian Act* of Canada. Treaty Indians are persons who are registered under the *Indian Act* and can prove descent from a band that signed a treaty.

2006 Census Dictionary

Immigrants - by place of birth

all immigrants (ever immigrants)

			BC
Total population	77,625		
Non-immigrants	64,520	100.0%	100.0%
Born in province of residence	40,865	63.3%	66.7%
Born outside province of residence	23,660	36.7%	33.3%
Immigrants	12,430	100.0%	100.0%
United States	900	7.2%	5.1%
Central America	130	1.0%	1.4%
Caribbean & Bermuda	130	1.0%	0.8%
South America	235	1.9%	1.5%
Europe	7,310	58.8%	31.2%
Western Europe	1,565	12.6%	7.1%
Eastern Europe	710	5.7%	5.3%
Southern Europe	580	4.7%	4.8%
Italy	220	1.8%	1.7%
Other Southern Europe	355	2.9%	3.1%
Northern Europe	4,450	35.8%	14.0%
United Kingdom	3,905	31.4%	12.3%
Other Northern Europe	545	4.4%	1.7%
Africa	330	2.7%	3.1%
Western Africa	10	0.1%	0.2%
Eastern Africa	100	0.8%	1.4%
Northern Africa	30	0.2%	0.3%
Central Africa	15	0.1%	0.1%
Southern Africa	175	1.4%	1.1%
Asia and the Middle East	3,075	24.7%	54.2%
W Cen. Asia & Mid-East	125	1.0%	3.5%
Eastern Asia	1,115	9.0%	28.0%
China, People's Republic of	290	2.3%	13.0%
Hong Kong, Special Admin. Region	140	1.1%	7.0%
Other Eastern Asia	690	5.6%	8.0%
Southeast Asia	840	6.8%	10.8%
Philippines	335	2.7%	6.2%
Other Southeast Asia	505	4.1%	4.6%
Southern Asia	990	8.0%	11.9%
India	915	7.4%	10.7%
Other Southern Asia	75	0.6%	1.2%
Oceania & other	330	2.7%	2.8%
Non-permanent residents	675		

recent immigrants (since 2001)

			BC
Total recent immigrants	1,225	100.0%	100.0%
United States	130	10.6%	4.6%
Central America	10	0.8%	1.8%
Caribbean & Bermuda	-	0.0%	0.4%
South America	-	0.0%	2.1%
Europe	265	21.6%	12.1%
Western Europe	35	2.9%	1.9%
Eastern Europe	85	6.9%	5.1%
Southern Europe	-	0.0%	1.2%
Italy	-	0.0%	0.1%
Other Southern Europe	-	0.0%	1.1%
Northern Europe	140	11.4%	3.9%
United Kingdom	145	11.8%	3.7%
Other Northern Europe	-	0.0%	0.3%
Africa	55	4.5%	3.4%
Western Africa	-	0.0%	0.5%
Eastern Africa	-	0.0%	1.3%
Northern Africa	10	0.8%	0.6%
Central Africa	-	0.0%	0.1%
Southern Africa	50	4.1%	1.0%
Asia and the Middle East	735	60.0%	73.4%
W Cen. Asia & Mid-East	50	4.1%	6.9%
Eastern Asia	440	35.9%	38.3%
China, People's Republic of	100	8.2%	23.3%
Hong Kong, Spec. Admin. Region	-	0.0%	1.7%
Other Eastern Asia	335	27.3%	13.3%
Southeast Asia	120	9.8%	12.6%
Philippines	85	6.9%	9.9%
Other Southeast Asia	35	2.9%	2.7%
Southern Asia	130	10.6%	15.7%
India	90	7.3%	13.5%
Other Southern Asia	40	3.3%	2.2%
Oceania & other	30	2.4%	2.2%

Immigrants

by period of immigration

			BC
Total immigrant population	12,430	100.0%	100.0%
Before 1961	3,160	25.4%	12.8%
1961 to 1970	2,290	18.4%	11.0%
1971 to 1980	2,385	19.2%	15.2%
1981 to 1990	1,460	11.7%	15.1%
1991 to 2000	1,910	15.4%	30.0%
1991 to 1995	985	7.9%	14.8%
1996 to 2000	920	7.4%	15.2%
2001 to 2006	1,225	9.9%	15.9%

by age at immigration

			BC
Total immigrant population	12,430	100.0%	100.0%
Under 5 years	1,130	9.1%	8.1%
5 to 14 years	2,170	17.5%	17.3%
15 to 24 years	3,010	24.2%	22.8%
25 to 44 years	5,125	41.2%	40.1%
45 years and over	990	8.0%	11.8%

Generation status

			BC
Total population 15 years and older	65,695	100.0%	100.0%
1st generation	12,840	19.5%	33.0%
2nd generation	15,135	23.0%	22.2%
3rd generation or more	37,720	57.4%	44.7%

1st generation: persons born outside Canada. **2nd generation:** persons born inside Canada with at least one parent born outside Canada. **3rd generation:** persons born inside Canada with both parents born inside Canada

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All comparisons are to British Columbia (BC)

Official languages (English and French)

Knowledge of official languages

			BC
Total population	77,630	100.0%	100.0%
English only	71,920	92.6%	89.7%
French only	25	0.0%	0.1%
English and French	5,310	6.8%	7.3%
Neither English nor French	380	0.5%	3.0%

First official language spoken

			BC
Total population	77,625	100.0%	100.0%
English	75,840	97.7%	95.3%
French	1,240	1.6%	1.3%
English and French	180	0.2%	0.4%
Neither English nor French	375	0.5%	3.0%

Official language minority

		BC
Official language minority - (number)	1,325	61,735
Official language minority - (percentage)	1.7%	1.5%

Mother tongue

First language learned at home in childhood
and still understood by the individual at the time of the census.

			BC				BC
Total population	77,630			(continued from previous column)			
Single responses	77,125	100.0%	100.0%				
English	66,760	86.6%	71.5%	Sindhi	-	0.0%	0.0%
German	1,455	1.9%	2.2%	Bulgarian	-	0.0%	0.0%
French	1,270	1.6%	1.4%	Carrier	-	0.0%	0.0%
Punjabi (Punjabi)	1,190	1.5%	3.9%	Bosnian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Chinese (All *)	930	1.2%	8.4%	Amharic	-	0.0%	0.0%
Dutch	460	0.6%	0.7%	Gitksan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Korean	425	0.6%	1.2%	Cree	-	0.0%	0.0%
Spanish	355	0.5%	0.8%	Kurdish	-	0.0%	0.0%
Vietnamese	320	0.4%	0.6%	Chilcotin	-	0.0%	0.0%
Italian	315	0.4%	0.7%	Armenian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Japanese	315	0.4%	0.5%	Lao	-	0.0%	0.0%
Hungarian	285	0.4%	0.3%	Shuswap	-	0.0%	0.0%
Tagalog (Filipino)	245	0.3%	1.3%	Siouan (Dakota/Sioux)	-	0.0%	0.0%
Danish	230	0.3%	0.2%	Nisga'a	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ukrainian	205	0.3%	0.3%	Pashto	-	0.0%	0.0%
Hindi	150	0.2%	0.6%	Latvian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Croatian	150	0.2%	0.2%	Swahili	-	0.0%	0.0%
Polish	145	0.2%	0.4%	Telugu	-	0.0%	0.0%
Khmer (Cambodian)	140	0.2%	0.0%	Tigrigna	-	0.0%	0.0%
Czech	110	0.1%	0.1%	Macedonian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Russian	105	0.1%	0.5%	Maltese	-	0.0%	0.0%
Greek	105	0.1%	0.2%	North Slave (Hare)	-	0.0%	0.0%
Norwegian	105	0.1%	0.1%	Ojibway	-	0.0%	0.0%
Finnish	100	0.1%	0.1%	South Slave	-	0.0%	0.0%
Gujarati	90	0.1%	0.2%	Inuktitut, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%
Portuguese	85	0.1%	0.4%	Dene	-	0.0%	0.0%
Swedish	80	0.1%	0.1%	Kutchin-Gwich'in (Loucheux)	-	0.0%	0.0%
Arabic	75	0.1%	0.2%	Blackfoot	-	0.0%	0.0%
Malay	65	0.1%	0.1%	Dogrib	-	0.0%	0.0%
Persian (Farsi)	60	0.1%	0.7%	Oji-Cree	-	0.0%	0.0%
Romanian	50	0.1%	0.2%	Montagnais-Naskapi	-	0.0%	0.0%
Serbian	45	0.1%	0.2%	Mi'kmaq	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ilocano	40	0.1%	0.1%	Algonquin	-	0.0%	0.0%
Frisian	40	0.1%	0.0%	Tlingit	-	0.0%	0.0%
Urdu	35	0.0%	0.2%	Atikamekw	-	0.0%	0.0%
Slovak	35	0.0%	0.1%	Malecite	-	0.0%	0.0%
Turkish	35	0.0%	0.1%	Chipewyan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Estonian	25	0.0%	0.0%	Inuinnaqtun	-	0.0%	0.0%
Flemish	25	0.0%	0.0%	Other languages	330	0.4%	0.6%
Bisayan languages	20	0.0%	0.1%				
Slovenian	20	0.0%	0.0%	Breakout of Chinese mother tongue			
Mohawk	15	0.0%	0.0%	Chinese (All *)	930	100.0%	100.0%
Hebrew	10	0.0%	0.0%	Chinese, n.o.s.	510	54.8%	38.3%
Sinhala (Sinhalese)	10	0.0%	0.0%	Cantonese	220	23.7%	38.7%
Malayalam	10	0.0%	0.0%	Mandarin	145	15.6%	21.3%
Somali	10	0.0%	0.0%	Taiwanese	55	5.9%	1.7%
Creoles	10	0.0%	0.0%	(* See note on following page)			
Lithuanian	10	0.0%	0.0%				
Akan (Twi)	10	0.0%	0.0%	Multiple responses	505	100.0%	100.0%
Yiddish	10	0.0%	0.0%	English and French	100	19.8%	11.3%
Tamil	-	0.0%	0.1%	English and non-official language	340	67.3%	83.7%
Serbo-Croatian	-	0.0%	0.0%	French and non-official language	50	9.9%	3.5%
Bengali	-	0.0%	0.0%	English, French & non-official language	10	2.0%	1.5%

Home language

Language spoken most often at home

			BC		BC
Total population	77,625			(continued from previous column)	
Single responses	76,905	100.0%	100.0%		
English	73,245	95.2%	83.6%	Gitksan	- 0.0% 0.0%
Panjabi (Punjabi)	815	1.1%	3.0%	Malayalam	- 0.0% 0.0%
Chinese (All *)	575	0.7%	6.7%	Shuswap	- 0.0% 0.0%
Korean	375	0.5%	1.0%	Cree	- 0.0% 0.0%
French	305	0.4%	0.4%	Creoles	- 0.0% 0.0%
Vietnamese	240	0.3%	0.5%	Estonian	- 0.0% 0.0%
Spanish	205	0.3%	0.4%	Nisga'a	- 0.0% 0.0%
German	145	0.2%	0.3%	Tigrigna	- 0.0% 0.0%
Tagalog (Filipino)	95	0.1%	0.6%	North Slave (Hare)	- 0.0% 0.0%
Japanese	95	0.1%	0.3%	Swahili	- 0.0% 0.0%
Hindi	80	0.1%	0.3%	Akan (Twi)	- 0.0% 0.0%
Russian	70	0.1%	0.3%	Norwegian	- 0.0% 0.0%
Polish	65	0.1%	0.2%	Macedonian	- 0.0% 0.0%
Italian	55	0.1%	0.2%	Telugu	- 0.0% 0.0%
Czech	55	0.1%	0.0%	Slovenian	- 0.0% 0.0%
Malay	50	0.1%	0.0%	Latvian	- 0.0% 0.0%
Khmer (Cambodian)	50	0.1%	0.0%	Blackfoot	- 0.0% 0.0%
Persian (Farsi)	45	0.1%	0.5%	Yiddish	- 0.0% 0.0%
Croatian	40	0.1%	0.1%	Lithuanian	- 0.0% 0.0%
Hungarian	35	0.0%	0.1%	South Slave	- 0.0% 0.0%
Finnish	35	0.0%	0.0%	Frisian	- 0.0% 0.0%
Arabic	30	0.0%	0.1%	Maltese	- 0.0% 0.0%
Serbian	20	0.0%	0.1%	Inuktitut, n.i.e.	- 0.0% 0.0%
Dutch	20	0.0%	0.1%	Dene	- 0.0% 0.0%
Gujarati	15	0.0%	0.1%	Dogrib	- 0.0% 0.0%
Greek	15	0.0%	0.1%	Flemish	- 0.0% 0.0%
Turkish	15	0.0%	0.0%	Chipewyan	- 0.0% 0.0%
Urdu	10	0.0%	0.1%	Ojibway	- 0.0% 0.0%
Romanian	10	0.0%	0.1%	Montagnais-Naskapi	- 0.0% 0.0%
Ilocano	10	0.0%	0.0%	Oji-Cree	- 0.0% 0.0%
Swedish	10	0.0%	0.0%	Atikamekw	- 0.0% 0.0%
Sinhala (Sinhalese)	10	0.0%	0.0%	Mi'kmaq	- 0.0% 0.0%
Portuguese	-	0.0%	0.1%	Algonquin	- 0.0% 0.0%
Tamil	-	0.0%	0.1%	Malecite	- 0.0% 0.0%
Slovak	-	0.0%	0.0%	Inuinnaqtun	- 0.0% 0.0%
Bengali	-	0.0%	0.0%	Kutchin-Gwich'in (Loucheux)	- 0.0% 0.0%
Bisayan languages	-	0.0%	0.0%	Mohawk	- 0.0% 0.0%
Ukrainian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Tlingit	- 0.0% 0.0%
Bulgarian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Other languages	80 0.1% 0.2%
Hebrew	-	0.0%	0.0%		
Bosnian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Breakout of Chinese home language	
Kurdish	-	0.0%	0.0%	Chinese (All *)	575 100.0% 100.0%
Amharic	-	0.0%	0.0%	Chinese, n.o.s.	145 25.2% 40.4%
Serbo-Croatian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Cantonese	300 52.2% 35.4%
Siouan (Dakota/Sioux)	-	0.0%	0.0%	Mandarin	90 15.7% 23.0%
Sindhi	-	0.0%	0.0%	Taiwanese	40 7.0% 1.1%
Carrier	-	0.0%	0.0%		
Lao	-	0.0%	0.0%	Multiple responses	725 100.0% 100.0%
Somali	-	0.0%	0.0%	English and French	90 12.4% 4.6%
Armenian	-	0.0%	0.0%	English and non-official language	625 86.2% 94.0%
Pashto	-	0.0%	0.0%	French and non-official language	10 1.4% 0.6%
Chilcotin	-	0.0%	0.0%	English, French & non-official language	- 0.0% 0.7%
Danish	-	0.0%	0.0%		

* Note: the Chinese (All *) category identified here is calculated as the sum of Chinese, n.o.s. (not otherwise specified), Cantonese, Mandarin, and Taiwanese as these were the only Chinese languages identified in the dataset which is the basis of this graphic profile. A full accounting of Chinese languages would include additional languages, such as Fukien, Hakka, Shangainese, and Chaochow which will be included in the 'Other languages' category of this report. The effect of this is relatively insignificant but readers may wish to understand why other census sources may contain slightly different figures.

Non-official languages spoken

(This is a count of languages, not persons.
Some persons speak more than one language.)

			BC				BC
German	1,940	15.1%	8.0%	Akan (Twi)	10	0.1%	0.0%
Panjabi (Punjabi)	1,430	11.1%	12.5%	Ojibway	10	0.1%	0.0%
Spanish	1,300	10.1%	6.0%	Atikamekw	10	0.1%	0.0%
Chinese (All)	1,125	8.7%	28.2%	Tamil	-	0.0%	0.3%
Dutch	580	4.5%	2.1%	Carrier	-	0.0%	0.2%
Japanese	525	4.1%	2.2%	Sindhi	-	0.0%	0.2%
Korean	510	4.0%	3.3%	Bengali	-	0.0%	0.1%
Vietnamese	460	3.6%	2.1%	Bosnian	-	0.0%	0.1%
Italian	445	3.5%	2.8%	Bulgarian	-	0.0%	0.1%
Hindi	360	2.8%	4.7%	Amharic	-	0.0%	0.1%
Tagalog (Filipino)	320	2.5%	4.9%	Cree	-	0.0%	0.1%
Hungarian	270	2.1%	0.8%	Shuswap	-	0.0%	0.1%
Ukrainian	245	1.9%	1.0%	Chilcotin	-	0.0%	0.1%
Danish	210	1.6%	0.5%	Kurdish	-	0.0%	0.1%
Croatian	175	1.4%	0.7%	Armenian	-	0.0%	0.1%
Russian	160	1.2%	1.8%	Nisga'a	-	0.0%	0.1%
Khmer (Cambodian)	160	1.2%	0.1%	Pashto	-	0.0%	0.1%
Polish	155	1.2%	1.3%	Siouan languages (Dakota/Sioux)	-	0.0%	0.1%
Gujarati	135	1.0%	0.7%	Flemish	-	0.0%	0.0%
Swedish	125	1.0%	0.3%	Latvian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Norwegian	125	1.0%	0.3%	Telugu	-	0.0%	0.0%
Portuguese	120	0.9%	1.2%	Tigrigna	-	0.0%	0.0%
Czech	120	0.9%	0.5%	Macedonian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Finnish	120	0.9%	0.4%	Maltese	-	0.0%	0.0%
Arabic	105	0.8%	0.8%	North Slave (Hare)	-	0.0%	0.0%
Greek	100	0.8%	0.6%	South Slave	-	0.0%	0.0%
Urdu	95	0.7%	0.8%	Blackfoot	-	0.0%	0.0%
Persian (Farsi)	65	0.5%	2.1%	Inuktitut, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%
Romanian	60	0.5%	0.5%	Dene	-	0.0%	0.0%
Serbian	55	0.4%	0.5%	Kutchin-Gwich'in (Loucheux)	-	0.0%	0.0%
Turkish	55	0.4%	0.2%	Mohawk	-	0.0%	0.0%
Malay	45	0.3%	0.4%	Dogrib	-	0.0%	0.0%
Slovak	45	0.3%	0.3%	Mi'kmaq	-	0.0%	0.0%
Swahili	45	0.3%	0.2%	Tlingit	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ilocano	35	0.3%	0.2%	Oji-Cree	-	0.0%	0.0%
Frisian	35	0.3%	0.0%	Montagnais-Naskapi	-	0.0%	0.0%
Bisayan languages	25	0.2%	0.2%	Chipewyan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Estonian	25	0.2%	0.1%	Inuinnaqtun	-	0.0%	0.0%
Hebrew	20	0.2%	0.3%	Algonquin	-	0.0%	0.0%
Slovenian	20	0.2%	0.1%	Malecite	-	0.0%	0.0%
Sinhala (Sinhalese)	15	0.1%	0.1%	Other languages	805	6.2%	3.1%
Lao	15	0.1%	0.1%				
Lithuanian	15	0.1%	0.0%				
Serbo-Croatian	10	0.1%	0.1%	Breakout of Chinese spoken			
Gitksan	10	0.1%	0.1%	Chinese (All *)	1,125	100.0%	100.0%
Creoles	10	0.1%	0.1%	Chinese, n.o.s.	265	23.6%	37.7%
Malayalam	10	0.1%	0.1%	Cantonese	565	50.2%	31.6%
Somali	10	0.1%	0.1%	Mandarin	220	19.6%	28.5%
Yiddish	10	0.1%	0.0%	Taiwanese	75	6.7%	2.2%

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Broad categories

Original Sort			BC	Ordered by size			BC
Total population	77,630	100.0%	100.0%				
British Isles origins	47,385	61.0%	45.7%	British Isles origins	47,385	61.0%	45.7%
French origins	9,620	12.4%	8.9%	Other North American origins	19,910	25.6%	18.8%
Aboriginal origins	5,440	7.0%	6.2%	Western European origins	15,695	20.2%	19.2%
Other North American origins	19,910	25.6%	18.8%	French origins	9,620	12.4%	8.9%
Caribbean origins	275	0.4%	0.4%	Eastern European origins	8,850	11.4%	12.1%
Latin, Central & South American origins	465	0.6%	1.0%	Northern European origins	7,820	10.1%	7.9%
Western European origins	15,695	20.2%	19.2%	Aboriginal origins	5,440	7.0%	6.2%
Northern European origins	7,820	10.1%	7.9%	Southern European origins	5,040	6.5%	7.2%
Eastern European origins	8,850	11.4%	12.1%	East and Southeast Asian origins	3,800	4.9%	16.0%
Southern European origins	5,040	6.5%	7.2%	South Asian origins	2,030	2.6%	6.5%
Other European origins	665	0.9%	1.0%	Other European origins	665	0.9%	1.0%
African origins	430	0.6%	0.8%	Latin, Central & South American origin	465	0.6%	1.0%
Arab origins	285	0.4%	0.5%	African origins	430	0.6%	0.8%
West Asian origins	195	0.3%	1.1%	Oceania origins	310	0.4%	0.7%
South Asian origins	2,030	2.6%	6.5%	Arab origins	285	0.4%	0.5%
East and Southeast Asian origins	3,800	4.9%	16.0%	Caribbean origins	275	0.4%	0.4%
Oceania origins	310	0.4%	0.7%	West Asian origins	195	0.3%	1.1%

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Detailed categories

Original Sort (Includes broad categories)			BC	Ordered by size (Excludes broad categories)			BC
Total population	77,630	100.0%	100.0%				
British Isles origins	47,385	61.0%	45.7%	English	31,340	40.4%	29.6%
Cornish	10	0.0%	0.0%	Scottish	21,025	27.1%	20.3%
English	31,340	40.4%	29.6%	Canadian	18,840	24.3%	17.7%
Irish	15,125	19.5%	15.2%	Irish	15,125	19.5%	15.2%
Manx	-	0.0%	0.0%	German	11,150	14.4%	13.8%
Scottish	21,025	27.1%	20.3%	French	9,575	12.3%	8.9%
Welsh	2,625	3.4%	2.6%	North American Indian	3,770	4.9%	4.7%
British Isles, n.i.e.	1,735	2.2%	1.8%	Ukrainian	3,590	4.6%	4.8%
French origins	9,620	12.4%	8.9%	Dutch (Netherlands)	3,585	4.6%	4.8%
Acadian	75	0.1%	0.1%	Norwegian	2,775	3.6%	3.2%
French	9,575	12.3%	8.9%	Italian	2,770	3.6%	3.5%
Aboriginal origins	5,440	7.0%	6.2%	Swedish	2,755	3.5%	2.6%
Inuit	95	0.1%	0.1%	Welsh	2,625	3.4%	2.6%
Métis	1,745	2.2%	1.5%	Polish	2,235	2.9%	3.2%
North American Indian	3,770	4.9%	4.7%	Métis	1,745	2.2%	1.5%
Other North American origins	19,910	25.6%	18.8%	British Isles, n.i.e.	1,735	2.2%	1.8%
American	1,675	2.2%	1.6%	East Indian	1,725	2.2%	5.7%
Canadian	18,840	24.3%	17.7%	American	1,675	2.2%	1.6%
Newfoundlander	15	0.0%	0.0%	Russian	1,495	1.9%	2.8%
Nova Scotian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Chinese	1,395	1.8%	10.6%
Ontarian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Danish	1,340	1.7%	1.4%
Québécois	35	0.0%	0.0%	Hungarian (Magyar)	1,080	1.4%	1.2%
Other provincial or regional groups	-	0.0%	0.0%	Austrian	920	1.2%	1.1%
Caribbean origins	275	0.4%	0.4%	Finnish	920	1.2%	0.7%
Antiguan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Spanish	880	1.1%	1.3%
Bahamian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Belgian	650	0.8%	0.4%
Barbadian	40	0.1%	0.0%	Swiss	635	0.8%	0.7%
Bermudan	10	0.0%	0.0%	Korean	585	0.8%	1.3%
Carib	-	0.0%	0.0%	Icelandic	555	0.7%	0.5%
Cuban	15	0.0%	0.0%	Japanese	535	0.7%	1.0%
Dominican, n.o.s.	10	0.0%	0.0%	Filipino	525	0.7%	2.3%
Grenadian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Romanian	455	0.6%	0.6%
Guyanese	10	0.0%	0.0%	Jewish	420	0.5%	0.8%
Haitian	10	0.0%	0.0%	Czech	395	0.5%	0.5%
Jamaican	95	0.1%	0.2%	Vietnamese	375	0.5%	0.8%
Kittitian/Nevisian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Croatian	365	0.5%	0.5%
Martinican	-	0.0%	0.0%	Yugoslav, n.i.e.	340	0.4%	0.3%

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Detailed categories . . . continued

Original Sort (Includes broad categories)			BC	Ordered by size (Excludes broad categories)			BC
Montserratan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Portuguese	315	0.4%	0.9%
Puerto Rican	-	0.0%	0.0%	Scandinavian, n.i.e.	310	0.4%	0.3%
St. Lucian	35	0.0%	0.0%	Greek	285	0.4%	0.5%
Trinidadian/Tobagonian	35	0.0%	0.1%	Punjabi	230	0.3%	0.5%
Vincentian/Grenadinian	10	0.0%	0.0%	Australian	230	0.3%	0.3%
West Indian	25	0.0%	0.0%	Czechoslovakian	225	0.3%	0.2%
Caribbean, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%	European, n.i.e.	200	0.3%	0.2%
Latin, Central & South American origins	465	0.6%	1.0%	Mexican	195	0.3%	0.3%
Aboriginal from Central/South America	30	0.0%	0.0%	Cambodian	170	0.2%	0.1%
Argentinian	10	0.0%	0.0%	African, n.i.e.	165	0.2%	0.2%
Belizean	10	0.0%	0.0%	Slovak	140	0.2%	0.2%
Bolivian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Indonesian	120	0.2%	0.1%
Brazilian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Lebanese	115	0.1%	0.1%
Chilean	20	0.0%	0.1%	Lithuanian	110	0.1%	0.1%
Colombian	105	0.1%	0.1%	Colombian	105	0.1%	0.1%
Costa Rican	-	0.0%	0.0%	Slovenian	100	0.1%	0.1%
Ecuadorian	-	0.0%	0.0%	South African	100	0.1%	0.2%
Guatemalan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Inuit	95	0.1%	0.1%
Hispanic	-	0.0%	0.0%	Jamaican	95	0.1%	0.2%
Honduran	-	0.0%	0.0%	Estonian	85	0.1%	0.1%
Maya	-	0.0%	0.0%	Serbian	80	0.1%	0.2%
Mexican	195	0.3%	0.3%	Iranian	80	0.1%	0.7%
Nicaraguan	40	0.1%	0.0%	Pakistani	80	0.1%	0.2%
Panamanian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Acadian	75	0.1%	0.1%
Paraguayan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Turk	70	0.1%	0.1%
Peruvian	25	0.0%	0.1%	Taiwanese	70	0.1%	0.3%
Salvadorean	15	0.0%	0.2%	Thai	70	0.1%	0.1%
Uruguayan	10	0.0%	0.0%	Black	65	0.1%	0.1%
Venezuelan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Flemish	60	0.1%	0.0%
Latin, Central or South American, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%	Bulgarian	60	0.1%	0.1%
European origins	31,775	40.9%	39.1%	Latvian	55	0.1%	0.1%
Western European origins	15,695	20.2%	19.2%	Arab, n.i.e.	50	0.1%	0.1%
Austrian	920	1.2%	1.1%	Malaysian	50	0.1%	0.1%
Belgian	650	0.8%	0.4%	Barbadian	40	0.1%	0.0%
Dutch (Netherlands)	3,585	4.6%	4.8%	Nicaraguan	40	0.1%	0.0%
Flemish	60	0.1%	0.0%	Maltese	40	0.1%	0.1%
Frisian	25	0.0%	0.0%	Somali	40	0.1%	0.0%
German	11,150	14.4%	13.8%	Burmese	40	0.1%	0.0%
Luxembourger	10	0.0%	0.0%	New Zealander	40	0.1%	0.1%
Swiss	635	0.8%	0.7%	Pacific Islands origins	40	0.1%	0.3%
Northern European origins	7,820	10.1%	7.9%	Québécois	35	0.0%	0.0%
Finnish	920	1.2%	0.7%	St. Lucian	35	0.0%	0.0%
Scandinavian origins	7,190	9.3%	7.3%	Trinidadian/Tobagonian	35	0.0%	0.1%
Danish	1,340	1.7%	1.4%	Byelorussian	35	0.0%	0.0%
Icelandic	555	0.7%	0.5%	Aboriginal from Central/South America	30	0.0%	0.0%
Norwegian	2,775	3.6%	3.2%	Syrian	30	0.0%	0.0%
Swedish	2,755	3.5%	2.6%	South Asian, n.i.e.	30	0.0%	0.2%
Scandinavian, n.i.e.	310	0.4%	0.3%	West Indian	25	0.0%	0.0%
Eastern European origins	8,850	11.4%	12.1%	Peruvian	25	0.0%	0.1%
Baltic origins	240	0.3%	0.3%	Gypsy (Roma)	25	0.0%	0.0%
Estonian	85	0.1%	0.1%	Afrikaner	25	0.0%	0.0%
Latvian	55	0.1%	0.1%	Egyptian	25	0.0%	0.1%
Lithuanian	110	0.1%	0.1%	Moroccan	25	0.0%	0.0%
Byelorussian	35	0.0%	0.0%	Palestinian	25	0.0%	0.0%
Czech and Slovak origins	755	1.0%	0.9%	Sri Lankan	25	0.0%	0.1%
Czech	395	0.5%	0.5%	Hmong	25	0.0%	0.0%
Czechoslovakian	225	0.3%	0.2%	Chilean	20	0.0%	0.1%
Slovak	140	0.2%	0.2%	East African	20	0.0%	0.0%
Hungarian (Magyar)	1,080	1.4%	1.2%	Israeli	20	0.0%	0.0%
Polish	2,235	2.9%	3.2%	Newfoundlander	15	0.0%	0.0%
Romanian	455	0.6%	0.6%	Cuban	15	0.0%	0.0%

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Detailed categories . . . continued

Original Sort (Includes broad categories)			BC	Ordered by size (Excludes broad categories)			BC
Russian	1,495	1.9%	2.8%	Salvadoran	15	0.0%	0.2%
Ukrainian	3,590	4.6%	4.8%	Bosnian	15	0.0%	0.1%
Southern European origins	5,040	6.5%	7.2%	Basque	15	0.0%	0.0%
Albanian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Ethiopian	15	0.0%	0.0%
Bosnian	15	0.0%	0.1%	Sinhalese	15	0.0%	0.0%
Bulgarian	60	0.1%	0.1%	Cornish	10	0.0%	0.0%
Croatian	365	0.5%	0.5%	Bermudan	10	0.0%	0.0%
Cypriot	-	0.0%	0.0%	Dominican, n.o.s.	10	0.0%	0.0%
Greek	285	0.4%	0.5%	Guyanese	10	0.0%	0.0%
Italian	2,770	3.6%	3.5%	Haitian	10	0.0%	0.0%
Kosovar	-	0.0%	0.0%	Vincentian/Grenadinian	10	0.0%	0.0%
Macedonian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Argentinian	10	0.0%	0.0%
Maltese	40	0.1%	0.1%	Belizean	10	0.0%	0.0%
Montenegrin	-	0.0%	0.0%	Uruguayan	10	0.0%	0.0%
Portuguese	315	0.4%	0.9%	Luxembourger	10	0.0%	0.0%
Serbian	80	0.1%	0.2%	Nigerian	10	0.0%	0.0%
Sicilian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Zambian	10	0.0%	0.0%
Slovenian	100	0.1%	0.1%	Yemeni	10	0.0%	0.0%
Spanish	880	1.1%	1.3%	Armenian	10	0.0%	0.1%
Yugoslav, n.i.e.	340	0.4%	0.3%	Georgian	10	0.0%	0.0%
Other European origins	665	0.9%	1.0%	Tamil	10	0.0%	0.0%
Basque	15	0.0%	0.0%	Mongolian	10	0.0%	0.0%
Gypsy (Roma)	25	0.0%	0.0%	East or Southeast Asian, n.i.e.	10	0.0%	0.0%
Jewish	420	0.5%	0.8%	Asian, n.o.s.	10	0.0%	0.0%
Slav (European)	-	0.0%	0.0%	Manx	-	0.0%	0.0%
European, n.i.e.	200	0.3%	0.2%	Nova Scotian	-	0.0%	0.0%
African origins	430	0.6%	0.8%	Ontarian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Afrikaner	25	0.0%	0.0%	Other provincial or regional groups	-	0.0%	0.0%
Akan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Antiguan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Amhara	-	0.0%	0.0%	Bahamian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Angolan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Carib	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ashanti	-	0.0%	0.0%	Grenadian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Bantu	-	0.0%	0.0%	Kittitian/Nevisian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Black	65	0.1%	0.1%	Martinican	-	0.0%	0.0%
Burundian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Montserratan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Cameroonian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Puerto Rican	-	0.0%	0.0%
Chadian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Caribbean, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%
Congolese (Zairian)	-	0.0%	0.0%	Bolivian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Congolese, n.o.s.	-	0.0%	0.0%	Brazilian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Dinka	-	0.0%	0.0%	Costa Rican	-	0.0%	0.0%
East African	20	0.0%	0.0%	Ecuadorian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Eritrean	-	0.0%	0.0%	Guatemalan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ethiopian	15	0.0%	0.0%	Hispanic	-	0.0%	0.0%
Gabonese	-	0.0%	0.0%	Honduran	-	0.0%	0.0%
Gambian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Maya	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ghanaian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Panamanian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Guinean, n.o.s.	-	0.0%	0.0%	Paraguayan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Harari	-	0.0%	0.0%	Venezuelan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ibo	-	0.0%	0.0%	Latin, Central or South American, n.i.	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ivorian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Albanian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Kenyan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Cypriot	-	0.0%	0.0%
Malagasy	-	0.0%	0.0%	Kosovar	-	0.0%	0.0%
Malian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Macedonian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Mauritian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Montenegrin	-	0.0%	0.0%
Nigerian	10	0.0%	0.0%	Sicilian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Oromo	-	0.0%	0.0%	Slav (European)	-	0.0%	0.0%
Peulh	-	0.0%	0.0%	Akan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Rwandan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Amhara	-	0.0%	0.0%
Senegalese	-	0.0%	0.0%	Angolan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Seychellois	-	0.0%	0.0%	Ashanti	-	0.0%	0.0%
Sierra Leonean	-	0.0%	0.0%	Bantu	-	0.0%	0.0%

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Ethnicity

Detailed categories . . . continued

Original Sort (Includes broad categories)			BC	Ordered by size (Excludes broad categories)			BC
Somali	40	0.1%	0.0%	Burundian	-	0.0%	0.0%
South African	100	0.1%	0.2%	Cameroonian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Sudanese	-	0.0%	0.0%	Chadian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Tanzanian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Congolese (Zairian)	-	0.0%	0.0%
Tigrian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Congolese, n.o.s.	-	0.0%	0.0%
Togolese	-	0.0%	0.0%	Dinka	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ugandan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Eritrean	-	0.0%	0.0%
Yoruba	-	0.0%	0.0%	Gabonese	-	0.0%	0.0%
Zambian	10	0.0%	0.0%	Gambian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Zimbabwean	-	0.0%	0.0%	Ghanaian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Zulu	-	0.0%	0.0%	Guinean, n.o.s.	-	0.0%	0.0%
African, n.i.e.	165	0.2%	0.2%	Harari	-	0.0%	0.0%
Arab origins	285	0.4%	0.5%	Ibo	-	0.0%	0.0%
Egyptian	25	0.0%	0.1%	Ivorian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Iraqi	-	0.0%	0.0%	Kenyan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Jordanian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Malagasy	-	0.0%	0.0%
Kuwaiti	-	0.0%	0.0%	Malian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Lebanese	115	0.1%	0.1%	Mauritian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Libyan	-	0.0%	0.0%	Oromo	-	0.0%	0.0%
Maghrebi origins	30	0.0%	0.0%	Peulh	-	0.0%	0.0%
Algerian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Rwandan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Berber	-	0.0%	0.0%	Senegalese	-	0.0%	0.0%
Moroccan	25	0.0%	0.0%	Seychellois	-	0.0%	0.0%
Tunisian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Sierra Leonean	-	0.0%	0.0%
Maghrebi, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%	Sudanese	-	0.0%	0.0%
Palestinian	25	0.0%	0.0%	Tanzanian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Saudi Arabian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Tigrian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Syrian	30	0.0%	0.0%	Togolese	-	0.0%	0.0%
Yemeni	10	0.0%	0.0%	Ugandan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Arab, n.i.e.	50	0.1%	0.1%	Yoruba	-	0.0%	0.0%
West Asian origins	195	0.3%	1.1%	Zimbabwean	-	0.0%	0.0%
Afghan	-	0.0%	0.1%	Zulu	-	0.0%	0.0%
Armenian	10	0.0%	0.1%	Iraqi	-	0.0%	0.0%
Assyrian	-	0.0%	0.0%	Jordanian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Azerbaijani	-	0.0%	0.0%	Kuwaiti	-	0.0%	0.0%
Georgian	10	0.0%	0.0%	Libyan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Iranian	80	0.1%	0.7%	Algerian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Israeli	20	0.0%	0.0%	Berber	-	0.0%	0.0%
Kurd	-	0.0%	0.0%	Tunisian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Pashtun	-	0.0%	0.0%	Maghrebi, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%
Tatar	-	0.0%	0.0%	Saudi Arabian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Turk	70	0.1%	0.1%	Afghan	-	0.0%	0.1%
West Asian, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%	Assyrian	-	0.0%	0.0%
South Asian origins	2,030	2.6%	6.5%	Azerbaijani	-	0.0%	0.0%
Bangladeshi	-	0.0%	0.0%	Kurd	-	0.0%	0.0%
Bengali	-	0.0%	0.0%	Pashtun	-	0.0%	0.0%
East Indian	1,725	2.2%	5.7%	Tatar	-	0.0%	0.0%
Goan	-	0.0%	0.0%	West Asian, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%
Gujarati	-	0.0%	0.0%	Bangladeshi	-	0.0%	0.0%
Kashmiri	-	0.0%	0.0%	Bengali	-	0.0%	0.0%
Nepali	-	0.0%	0.0%	Goan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Pakistani	80	0.1%	0.2%	Gujarati	-	0.0%	0.0%
Punjabi	230	0.3%	0.5%	Kashmiri	-	0.0%	0.0%
Sinhalese	15	0.0%	0.0%	Nepali	-	0.0%	0.0%
Sri Lankan	25	0.0%	0.1%	Khmer	-	0.0%	0.0%
Tamil	10	0.0%	0.0%	Laotian	-	0.0%	0.0%
South Asian, n.i.e.	30	0.0%	0.2%	Singaporean	-	0.0%	0.0%
East and Southeast Asian origins	3,800	4.9%	16.0%	Tibetan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Burmese	40	0.1%	0.0%				
Cambodian	170	0.2%	0.1%				
Chinese	1,395	1.8%	10.6%				

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Ethnicity

Detailed categories ... concluded

Original Sort (Includes broad categories)			BC
Filipino	525	0.7%	2.3%
Hmong	25	0.0%	0.0%
Indonesian	120	0.2%	0.1%
Japanese	535	0.7%	1.0%
Khmer	-	0.0%	0.0%
Korean	585	0.8%	1.3%
Laotian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Malaysian	50	0.1%	0.1%
Mongolian	10	0.0%	0.0%
Singaporean	-	0.0%	0.0%
Taiwanese	70	0.1%	0.3%
Thai	70	0.1%	0.1%
Tibetan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Vietnamese	375	0.5%	0.8%
East or Southeast Asian, n.i.e.	10	0.0%	0.0%
Asian, n.o.s.	10	0.0%	0.0%
Oceania origins	310	0.4%	0.7%
Australian	230	0.3%	0.3%
New Zealander	40	0.1%	0.1%
Pacific Islands origins	40	0.1%	0.3%
Fijian	-	0.0%	0.2%
Hawaiian	25	0.0%	0.0%
Maori	-	0.0%	0.0%
Polynesian	-	0.0%	0.0%
Samoan	-	0.0%	0.0%
Pacific Islander, n.i.e.	-	0.0%	0.0%

Visible minorities

(excludes Aboriginal)

			BC
Total population	77,625	100.0%	100.0%
Total Visible Minorities	6,295	8.1%	24.8%
South Asian	1,850	2.4%	6.4%
Chinese	1,220	1.6%	10.0%
Southeast Asian	730	0.9%	1.0%
Korean	555	0.7%	1.2%
Filipino	485	0.6%	2.2%
Japanese	465	0.6%	0.9%
Black	380	0.5%	0.7%
Multiple visible minority	270	0.3%	0.6%
Latin American	150	0.2%	0.7%
Arab	80	0.1%	0.2%
West Asian	65	0.1%	0.7%
Visible minority, n.i.e.	35	0.0%	0.1%
Not a visible minority	71,335	91.9%	75.2%

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Labour force

Class of worker

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total labour force 15 years & over	40,445	100.0%	100.0%	20,575	100.0%	100.0%	19,870	100.0%	100.0%
Class of worker - Not applicable	820	2.0%	1.5%	350	1.7%	1.3%	465	2.3%	1.7%
All classes of worker	39,620	98.0%	98.5%	20,225	98.3%	98.7%	19,400	97.6%	98.3%
Paid workers	35,545	87.9%	89.0%	17,675	85.9%	88.0%	17,865	89.9%	90.1%
Employees	33,965	84.0%	84.1%	16,490	80.1%	81.3%	17,475	87.9%	87.2%
Self-employed (incorporated)	1,585	3.9%	4.9%	1,190	5.8%	6.7%	395	2.0%	2.9%
Without paid help	560	1.4%	1.8%	415	2.0%	2.4%	140	0.7%	1.1%
With paid help	1,025	2.5%	3.1%	770	3.7%	4.2%	250	1.3%	1.8%
Self-employed (unincorporated)	3,935	9.7%	9.2%	2,520	12.2%	10.5%	1,415	7.1%	7.7%
Without paid help	2,910	7.2%	6.5%	1,805	8.8%	7.1%	1,105	5.6%	5.8%
With paid help	1,020	2.5%	2.7%	715	3.5%	3.4%	305	1.5%	1.9%
Unpaid family workers	140	0.3%	0.3%	25	0.1%	0.2%	115	0.6%	0.5%

Labour force

Labour force activity

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total population 15 years and over	65,695	100.0%	100.0%	31,375	100.0%	100.0%	34,320	100.0%	100.0%
In the labour force	40,440	61.6%	65.6%	20,575	65.6%	70.7%	19,865	57.9%	60.7%
Employed	37,520	57.1%	61.6%	19,155	61.1%	66.7%	18,370	53.5%	56.9%
Unemployed	2,915	4.4%	3.9%	1,420	4.5%	4.1%	1,495	4.4%	3.8%
Not in the labour force	25,255	38.4%	34.4%	10,800	34.4%	29.3%	14,450	42.1%	39.3%
Participation rate (LF to Pop, %)	61.6		65.6	65.6		70.7	57.9		60.7
Employment rate (Emp to Pop, %)	57.1		61.6	61.1		66.7	53.5		56.9
Unemployment rate (U to LF, %)	7.2		6.0	6.9		5.8	7.5		6.3
Population 15 to 24 years	10,835	100.0%	100.0%	5,345	100.0%	100.0%	5,490	100.0%	100.0%
In the labour force	7,530	69.5%	64.6%	3,715	69.5%	64.3%	3,810	69.4%	65.0%
Employed	6,520	60.2%	57.5%	3,245	60.7%	57.0%	3,275	59.7%	58.0%
Unemployed	1,010	9.3%	7.2%	470	8.8%	7.3%	540	9.8%	7.0%
Not in the labour force	3,305	30.5%	35.4%	1,625	30.4%	35.7%	1,680	30.6%	35.0%
Participation rate (LF to Pop, %)	69.5		64.6	69.5		64.3	69.4		65.0
Employment rate (Emp to Pop, %)	60.2		57.5	60.7		57.0	59.7		58.0
Unemployment rate (U to LF, %)	13.4		11.1	12.7		11.4	14.2		10.7
Population 25 years and over	54,860	100.0%	100.0%	26,035	100.0%	100.0%	28,825	100.0%	100.0%
In the labour force	32,910	60.0%	65.8%	16,860	64.8%	72.0%	16,055	55.7%	60.0%
Employed	31,005	56.5%	62.4%	15,910	61.1%	68.6%	15,090	52.4%	56.7%
Unemployed	1,905	3.5%	3.3%	950	3.6%	3.4%	960	3.3%	3.2%
Not in the labour force	21,945	40.0%	34.2%	9,175	35.2%	28.0%	12,775	44.3%	40.0%
Participation rate (LF to Pop, %)	60.0		65.8	64.8		72.0	55.7		60.0
Employment rate (Emp to Pop, %)	56.5		62.4	61.1		68.6	52.4		56.7
Unemployment rate (U to LF, %)	5.8		5.1	5.6		4.7	6.0		5.4

Labour force

Mode of transportation

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total employed labour force 15 years and over	34,470	100.0%	100.0%	17,765	100.0%	100.0%	16,700	100.0%	100.0%
Car/truck/van, as driver	27,125	78.7%	71.6%	14,170	79.8%	75.5%	12,955	77.6%	67.3%
Car/truck/van, as passenger	2,460	7.1%	7.7%	1,125	6.3%	6.4%	1,335	8.0%	9.2%
Public transit	1,160	3.4%	10.3%	480	2.7%	8.2%	680	4.1%	12.8%
Walked	2,445	7.1%	6.9%	1,140	6.4%	5.7%	1,310	7.8%	8.2%
Bicycle	695	2.0%	2.0%	475	2.7%	2.5%	215	1.3%	1.3%
Motorcycle	140	0.4%	0.3%	115	0.6%	0.5%	20	0.1%	0.1%
Taxicab	30	0.1%	0.1%	15	0.1%	0.1%	15	0.1%	0.1%
Other method	415	1.2%	1.0%	240	1.4%	1.1%	165	1.0%	0.9%

Labour force

Population 15 years and over, in private households,
by presence of children and labour force activity

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total population 15 years and over	64,880	100.0%	100.0%	31,035	100.0%	100.0%	33,850	100.0%	100.0%
In the labour force	40,160	61.9%	65.7%	20,430	65.8%	70.8%	19,735	58.3%	60.8%
Employed	37,280	57.5%	61.7%	19,035	61.3%	66.8%	18,240	53.9%	57.0%
Unemployed	2,880	4.4%	3.9%	1,390	4.5%	4.1%	1,490	4.4%	3.8%
Not in the labour force	24,720	38.1%	34.3%	10,605	34.2%	29.2%	14,115	41.7%	39.2%
Participation rate	61.9		65.7	65.8		70.8	58.3		60.8
Employment rate	57.5		61.7	61.3		66.8	53.9		57.0
Unemployment rate	7.2		6.0	6.8		5.7	7.6		6.3
With no children at home	44,955	100.0%	100.0%	22,335	100.0%	100.0%	22,620	100.0%	100.0%
In the labour force	24,305	54.1%	58.8%	12,785	57.2%	63.1%	11,520	50.9%	54.5%
Employed	22,185	49.3%	54.8%	11,675	52.3%	58.5%	10,510	46.5%	51.0%
Unemployed	2,120	4.7%	4.0%	1,115	5.0%	4.6%	1,005	4.4%	3.5%
Not in the labour force	20,650	45.9%	41.2%	9,545	42.7%	36.9%	11,100	49.1%	45.5%
Participation rate	54.1		58.8	57.2		63.1	50.9		54.5
Employment rate	49.3		54.8	52.3		58.5	46.5		51.0
Unemployment rate	8.7		6.9	8.7		7.2	8.7		6.5
With children at home	19,925	100.0%	100.0%	8,700	100.0%	100.0%	11,230	100.0%	100.0%
In the labour force	15,855	79.6%	78.3%	7,640	87.8%	86.5%	8,215	73.2%	71.4%
Employed	15,095	75.8%	74.6%	7,365	84.7%	83.5%	7,730	68.8%	67.1%
Unemployed	765	3.8%	3.7%	275	3.2%	3.0%	485	4.3%	4.3%
Not in the labour force	4,070	20.4%	21.7%	1,060	12.2%	13.5%	3,010	26.8%	28.6%
Participation rate	79.6		78.3	87.8		86.5	73.2		71.4
Employment rate	75.8		74.6	84.7		83.5	68.8		67.1
Unemployment rate	4.8		4.8	3.6		3.5	5.9		6.0
With children under 6 years only	3,190	100.0%	100.0%	1,430	100.0%	100.0%	1,760	100.0%	100.0%
In the labour force	2,520	79.0%	80.3%	1,345	94.1%	93.7%	1,175	66.8%	68.5%
Employed	2,285	71.6%	75.0%	1,270	88.8%	90.6%	1,015	57.7%	61.3%
Unemployed	235	7.4%	5.3%	75	5.2%	3.1%	155	8.8%	7.3%
Not in the labour force	670	21.0%	19.7%	80	5.6%	6.3%	590	33.5%	31.5%
Participation rate	79.0		80.3	94.1		93.7	66.8		68.5
Employment rate	71.6		75.0	88.8		90.6	57.7		61.3
Unemployment rate	9.3		6.6	5.6		3.3	13.2		10.6
With children < 6 years and > 6 years	2,345	100.0%	100.0%	1,055	100.0%	100.0%	1,295	100.0%	100.0%
In the labour force	1,970	84.0%	80.3%	1,025	97.2%	93.5%	945	73.0%	68.4%
Employed	1,855	79.1%	75.9%	1,005	95.3%	90.2%	850	65.6%	63.1%
Unemployed	120	5.1%	4.4%	20	1.9%	3.3%	100	7.7%	5.3%
Not in the labour force	375	16.0%	19.7%	25	2.4%	6.5%	350	27.0%	31.6%
Participation rate	84.0		80.3	97.2		93.5	73.0		68.4
Employment rate	79.1		75.9	95.3		90.2	65.6		63.1
Unemployment rate	6.1		5.4	2.0		3.5	10.6		7.8
With children 6 years and over only	14,385	100.0%	100.0%	6,215	100.0%	100.0%	8,175	100.0%	100.0%
In the labour force	11,355	78.9%	77.5%	5,265	84.7%	83.6%	6,095	74.6%	72.5%
Employed	10,950	76.1%	74.2%	5,090	81.9%	80.6%	5,865	71.7%	69.0%
Unemployed	410	2.9%	3.3%	180	2.9%	3.0%	230	2.8%	3.5%
Not in the labour force	3,025	21.0%	22.5%	950	15.3%	16.4%	2,080	25.4%	27.5%
Participation rate	78.9		77.5	84.7		83.6	74.6		72.5
Employment rate	76.1		74.2	81.9		80.6	71.7		69.0
Unemployment rate	3.6		4.2	3.4		3.6	3.8		4.8

LF by occupation

Population 15 years and over, National Occupational Classification for Statistics, 2006

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total labour force 15 years and over	40,440	100.0%	100.0%	20,575	100.0%	100.0%	19,865	100.0%	100.0%
Occupation - Not applicable	820	2.0%	1.5%	350	1.7%	1.3%	465	2.3%	1.7%
All occupations	39,620	98.0%	98.5%	20,220	98.3%	98.7%	19,395	97.6%	98.3%
A Management occupations	3,965	9.8%	10.3%	2,585	12.6%	12.4%	1,380	6.9%	8.0%
A0 Senior management occupations	230	0.6%	1.1%	190	0.9%	1.6%	45	0.2%	0.5%
A1 Specialist managers	690	1.7%	2.4%	470	2.3%	2.9%	220	1.1%	1.9%
A2 Managers in retail trade, food and accommodation services	1,590	3.9%	3.3%	980	4.8%	3.4%	605	3.0%	3.1%
A3 Other managers, n.e.c.	1,450	3.6%	3.6%	945	4.6%	4.5%	505	2.5%	2.5%
B Business, finance and administration occupations	6,650	16.4%	16.9%	1,865	9.1%	8.8%	4,785	24.1%	25.8%
B0 Professional occupations in business and finance	780	1.9%	2.5%	470	2.3%	2.4%	315	1.6%	2.5%
B1 Finance and insurance administration occupations	600	1.5%	1.5%	100	0.5%	0.6%	495	2.5%	2.6%
B2 Secretaries	605	1.5%	1.5%	20	0.1%	0.1%	580	2.9%	3.0%
B3 Administrative and regulatory occupations	755	1.9%	2.2%	155	0.8%	1.1%	605	3.0%	3.5%
B4 Clerical supervisors	215	0.5%	0.5%	100	0.5%	0.4%	115	0.6%	0.5%
B5 Clerical occupations	3,695	9.1%	8.8%	1,020	5.0%	4.3%	2,675	13.5%	13.6%
C Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	2,025	5.0%	6.2%	1,650	8.0%	9.5%	375	1.9%	2.7%
C0 Professional occupations in natural and applied sciences	845	2.1%	3.3%	695	3.4%	5.0%	145	0.7%	1.5%
and applied sciences	1,180	2.9%	2.9%	950	4.6%	4.4%	225	1.1%	1.2%
D Health occupations	2,540	6.3%	5.4%	555	2.7%	2.3%	1,985	10.0%	8.9%
D0 Professional occupations in health	460	1.1%	1.1%	230	1.1%	1.1%	230	1.2%	1.2%
D1 Nurse supervisors and registered nurses	815	2.0%	1.5%	50	0.2%	0.2%	765	3.9%	3.0%
D2 Technical and related occupations in health	635	1.6%	1.3%	190	0.9%	0.7%	445	2.2%	1.9%
D3 Assisting occupations in support of health services	625	1.5%	1.5%	85	0.4%	0.3%	540	2.7%	2.7%
E Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	2,980	7.4%	8.0%	880	4.3%	5.1%	2,095	10.5%	11.2%
E0 Judges, lawyers, psychologists, social workers, ministers of religion, and policy and program officers	725	1.8%	2.2%	345	1.7%	1.9%	380	1.9%	2.5%
E1 Teachers and professors	1,205	3.0%	3.7%	355	1.7%	2.5%	850	4.3%	5.0%
E2 Paralegals, social services workers and occupations in education and religion, n.e.c.	1,050	2.6%	2.2%	180	0.9%	0.7%	865	4.4%	3.7%
F Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	1,170	2.9%	3.4%	525	2.6%	3.0%	645	3.2%	3.9%
F0 Professional occupations in art and culture	420	1.0%	1.5%	150	0.7%	1.2%	270	1.4%	1.7%
F1 Technical occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	745	1.8%	2.0%	375	1.8%	1.8%	370	1.9%	2.1%

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LF by occupation

Population 15 years and over, National Occupational Classification for Statistics, 2006

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	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
G Sales and service occupations	11,660	28.8%	25.0%	4,305	20.9%	19.5%	7,355	37.0%	31.0%
G0 Sales and service supervisors	480	1.2%	0.8%	170	0.8%	0.6%	305	1.5%	1.0%
G1 Wholesale, technical, insurance, real estate sales specialists, and retail, wholesale and grain buyers	640	1.6%	2.0%	365	1.8%	2.4%	280	1.4%	1.7%
G2 Retail salespersons and sales clerks	2,635	6.5%	4.5%	910	4.4%	3.4%	1,725	8.7%	5.8%
G3 Cashiers	935	2.3%	1.8%	80	0.4%	0.5%	855	4.3%	3.3%
G4 Chefs and cooks	955	2.4%	1.7%	520	2.5%	2.0%	435	2.2%	1.5%
G5 Occupations in food and beverage service	735	1.8%	1.8%	65	0.3%	0.7%	670	3.4%	2.9%
G6 Occupations in protective services	635	1.6%	1.5%	530	2.6%	2.3%	105	0.5%	0.6%
G7 Occupations in travel and accommodation, including attendants in recreation and sport	430	1.1%	1.2%	140	0.7%	1.0%	295	1.5%	1.5%
G8 Child care and home support workers	690	1.7%	1.7%	45	0.2%	0.3%	645	3.2%	3.2%
G9 Sales and service occupations, n.e.c.	3,525	8.7%	7.8%	1,480	7.2%	6.2%	2,045	10.3%	9.6%
H Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	6,350	15.7%	15.2%	5,995	29.1%	27.2%	355	1.8%	2.1%
H0 Contractors and supervisors in trades and transportation	255	0.6%	0.8%	245	1.2%	1.4%	10	0.1%	0.1%
H1 Construction trades	1,625	4.0%	3.3%	1,530	7.4%	6.1%	95	0.5%	0.3%
H2 Stationary engineers, power station operators and electrical trades and telecommunications occupations	375	0.9%	1.0%	355	1.7%	1.8%	25	0.1%	0.1%
H3 Machinists, metal forming, shaping and erecting occupations	285	0.7%	0.9%	265	1.3%	1.7%	15	0.1%	0.0%
H4 Mechanics	635	1.6%	2.0%	625	3.0%	3.8%	10	0.1%	0.1%
H5 Other trades, n.e.c.	350	0.9%	0.8%	300	1.5%	1.2%	50	0.3%	0.3%
H6 Heavy equipment and crane operators, including drillers	240	0.6%	0.7%	240	1.2%	1.3%	-	0.0%	0.0%
H7 Transportation equipment operators and related workers, excluding labourers	1,470	3.6%	3.1%	1,380	6.7%	5.5%	95	0.5%	0.5%
H8 Trades helpers, construction and transportation labourers and related occupations	1,110	2.7%	2.6%	1,055	5.1%	4.4%	55	0.3%	0.6%
I Occupations unique to primary industry	1,105	2.7%	3.9%	925	4.5%	5.3%	180	0.9%	2.3%
I0 Occupations unique to agriculture, excluding labourers	175	0.4%	1.7%	115	0.6%	1.9%	55	0.3%	1.5%
I1 Occupations unique to forestry operations, mining, oil and gas extraction and fishing, excluding labourers	285	0.7%	0.9%	270	1.3%	1.5%	10	0.1%	0.1%
I2 Primary production labourers	650	1.6%	1.3%	540	2.6%	1.9%	110	0.6%	0.7%
J Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	1,175	2.9%	4.1%	930	4.5%	5.6%	245	1.2%	2.5%
J0 Supervisors in manufacturing	80	0.2%	0.3%	80	0.4%	0.5%	-	0.0%	0.1%
J1 Machine operators in manufacturing	525	1.3%	1.8%	395	1.9%	2.4%	125	0.6%	1.2%
J2 Assemblers in manufacturing	190	0.5%	0.8%	180	0.9%	1.1%	15	0.1%	0.3%
J3 Labourers in processing, manufacturing and utilities	370	0.9%	1.3%	270	1.3%	1.5%	100	0.5%	0.9%

LF by industry

Population 15 years and over,
North American Industry Classification System 2002

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total labour force 15 years and over	40,440	100.0%	100.0%	20,575	100.0%	100.0%	19,865	100.0%	100.0%
Industry - Not applicable	820	2.0%	1.5%	350	1.7%	1.3%	465	2.3%	1.7%
All industries	39,625	98.0%	98.5%	20,225	98.3%	98.7%	19,400	97.7%	98.3%
Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting	940	2.3%	3.4%	730	3.5%	4.4%	205	1.0%	2.4%
Mining and oil & gas extraction	125	0.3%	0.9%	120	0.6%	1.4%	-	0.0%	0.3%
Utilities	205	0.5%	0.5%	155	0.8%	0.7%	45	0.2%	0.3%
Construction	3,250	8.0%	7.5%	2,905	14.1%	12.4%	340	1.7%	2.0%
Manufacturing	2,265	5.6%	8.5%	1,780	8.7%	11.9%	485	2.4%	4.7%
Wholesale trade	1,140	2.8%	4.1%	785	3.8%	5.3%	355	1.8%	2.9%
Retail trade	6,135	15.2%	11.2%	2,595	12.6%	9.4%	3,540	17.8%	13.1%
Transportation & warehousing	1,810	4.5%	5.2%	1,395	6.8%	7.4%	420	2.1%	2.6%
Information & cultural industries	975	2.4%	2.6%	485	2.4%	2.9%	485	2.4%	2.4%
Finance & insurance	1,350	3.3%	3.8%	460	2.2%	2.7%	895	4.5%	5.0%
Real estate & rental & leasing	1,085	2.7%	2.3%	635	3.1%	2.3%	455	2.3%	2.3%
Professional, scientific & tech. services	2,125	5.3%	7.3%	1,135	5.5%	7.6%	995	5.0%	6.9%
Management of companies & enterprises	20	0.0%	0.1%	-	0.0%	0.1%	20	0.1%	0.1%
Admin. & support, waste m'gement & remediation	2,145	5.3%	4.4%	1,330	6.5%	4.6%	810	4.1%	4.1%
Educational services	2,765	6.8%	6.9%	985	4.8%	4.5%	1,780	9.0%	9.5%
Health care & social assistance	4,830	11.9%	9.6%	900	4.4%	3.3%	3,935	19.8%	16.4%
Arts, entertainment & recreation	880	2.2%	2.3%	365	1.8%	2.2%	510	2.6%	2.4%
Accommodation & food services	3,460	8.6%	8.1%	1,275	6.2%	6.0%	2,180	11.0%	10.3%
Other services (exc. public admin.)	2,075	5.1%	4.9%	1,020	5.0%	4.3%	1,050	5.3%	5.6%
Public administration	2,050	5.1%	5.0%	1,165	5.7%	5.0%	880	4.4%	4.9%

Labour force

Employed, 15 years and over by place of work status

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total employed labour force 15 and over	37,520	100.0%	100.0%	19,155	100.0%	100.0%	18,365	100.0%	100.0%
Usual place of work	29,170	77.7%	77.2%	13,695	71.5%	72.0%	15,475	84.3%	83.0%
In census subdivision of residence	24,960	66.5%	37.6%	11,035	57.6%	32.6%	13,920	75.8%	43.2%
In different census subdivision	4,210	11.2%	39.6%	2,655	13.9%	39.4%	1,550	8.4%	39.8%
In same census division	2,145	5.7%	35.7%	1,215	6.3%	34.9%	925	5.0%	36.6%
At home	2,955	7.9%	9.0%	1,340	7.0%	8.1%	1,610	8.8%	10.0%
Outside Canada	105	0.3%	0.7%	50	0.3%	0.9%	50	0.3%	0.4%
No fixed workplace address	5,300	14.1%	13.1%	4,065	21.2%	18.9%	1,230	6.7%	6.6%

Labour force

By language used most often at work

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Pop 15+, worked since January 1, 2005	43,960	100.0%	100.0%						
Single responses	43,810	99.7%	98.9%	Spanish			10	0.0%	0.1%
English	43,430	98.8%	95.4%	Vietnamese			50.0	0.1%	0.1%
French	115	0.3%	0.2%	Korean			25.0	0.1%	0.2%
Non-official languages	265	0.6%	3.3%	Italian			-	0.0%	0.0%
Chinese, n.o.s.	25	0.1%	0.8%	Other languages			75	0.2%	0.3%
Cantonese	20	0.0%	0.7%	Multiple responses			150	0.3%	1.1%
Panjabi (Punjabi)	40	0.1%	0.7%	English and French			45	0.1%	0.1%
German	10	0.0%	0.0%	English & non-official language			90	0.2%	0.9%
Mandarin	-	0.0%	0.4%	French & non-official language			-	0.0%	0.0%
Portuguese	-	0.0%	0.0%	Eng., Fr. & non-official language			10.0	0.0%	0.0%

Unpaid work/care

Population 15 years and over, by hours of unpaid housework

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total population 15 years and over	65,695	100.0%	100.0%	31,375	100.0%	100.0%	34,315	100.0%	100.0%
No hours of unpaid housework	6,000	9.1%	9.9%	3,470	11.1%	12.0%	2,525	7.4%	7.8%
Less than 5 hours of unpaid housework	14,575	22.2%	24.1%	8,835	28.2%	30.1%	5,740	16.7%	18.4%
5 to 14 hours of unpaid housework	21,215	32.3%	31.6%	10,755	34.3%	33.8%	10,455	30.5%	29.5%
15 to 29 hours of unpaid housework	14,000	21.3%	19.9%	5,475	17.5%	15.8%	8,525	24.8%	23.7%
30 to 59 hours of unpaid housework	7,080	10.8%	10.4%	2,095	6.7%	6.3%	4,985	14.5%	14.4%
60 hours or more of unpaid housework	2,825	4.3%	4.2%	740	2.4%	2.0%	2,080	6.1%	6.2%

Population 15 years and over, by hours spent looking after children, without pay

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total population 15 years and over	65,695	100.0%	100.0%	31,375	100.0%	100.0%	34,320	100.0%	100.0%
No hours of unpaid child care	44,130	67.2%	64.8%	22,210	70.8%	68.1%	21,925	63.9%	61.7%
Less than 5 hours of unpaid child care	5,090	7.7%	8.5%	2,595	8.3%	9.2%	2,490	7.3%	7.7%
5 to 14 hours of unpaid child care	5,110	7.8%	8.7%	2,580	8.2%	9.4%	2,530	7.4%	8.1%
15 to 29 hours of unpaid child care	3,355	5.1%	6.3%	1,580	5.0%	6.2%	1,775	5.2%	6.4%
30 to 59 hours of unpaid child care	2,935	4.5%	4.8%	1,115	3.6%	3.7%	1,815	5.3%	5.9%
60 hours or more of unpaid child care	5,080	7.7%	6.9%	1,290	4.1%	3.3%	3,785	11.0%	10.2%

Population 15+, by hours spent providing unpaid care or assistance to seniors

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Total population 15 years and over	65,695	100.0%	100.0%	31,375	100.0%	100.0%	34,320	100.0%	100.0%
No hours of unpaid care or assistance to seniors	54,715	83.3%	82.5%	26,825	85.5%	85.2%	27,885	81.3%	80.0%
Less than 5 hrs. of unpaid care/assist. to seniors	6,360	9.7%	10.3%	2,870	9.1%	9.4%	3,485	10.2%	11.1%
5 to 9 hours of unpaid care/assist. to seniors	2,480	3.8%	3.9%	920	2.9%	3.1%	1,555	4.5%	4.7%
10 to 19 hours of unpaid care/assist. to seniors	880	1.3%	1.6%	300	1.0%	1.1%	575	1.7%	2.0%
20 hours or more of unpaid care/assist. to seniors	1,270	1.9%	1.7%	450	1.4%	1.2%	815	2.4%	2.2%

Education

Population 25 to 64 years old with postsecondary qualifications by major field of study (Classification of Instructional Programs, 2000)

	Both Sexes (calculated)			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Population 25-64 with postsecondary	25,170	100.0%	100.0%	11,835	100.0%	100.0%	13,335	100.0%	100.0%
Education	1,860	7.4%	7.5%	505	4.3%	3.8%	1,355	10.2%	11.0%
Visual/perform., communic.	840	3.3%	4.2%	385	3.3%	3.9%	455	3.4%	4.6%
Humanities	1,165	4.6%	5.6%	455	3.8%	4.6%	710	5.3%	6.7%
Social/behav'ral sci. & law	2,050	8.1%	10.5%	745	6.3%	8.1%	1,305	9.8%	12.8%
Business & public admin	5,560	22.1%	21.0%	1,880	15.9%	15.9%	3,680	27.6%	25.9%
Physical/life sci. & tech	695	2.8%	3.5%	400	3.4%	4.1%	295	2.2%	3.0%
Math, comptr & info. sci.	785	3.1%	4.1%	495	4.2%	5.0%	290	2.2%	3.2%
Architect, engineer, ~	4,970	19.7%	21.1%	4,595	38.8%	39.6%	375	2.8%	3.5%
Agricult., nat. resourc.	880	3.5%	2.6%	545	4.6%	3.5%	335	2.5%	1.8%
Health, parks, rec. & fitness	4,485	17.8%	14.2%	785	6.6%	5.6%	3,700	27.7%	22.4%
Personal, protect. & transp. srv.	1,860	7.4%	5.5%	1,035	8.7%	5.8%	825	6.2%	5.3%
Other fields of study	-	0.0%	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%

Education

Population 25 years and older, by age group, by highest certificate, diploma or degree

	Both sexes		
			BC
Total population 15 to 24 years	10,835	100.0%	100.0%
No certificate, diploma or degree	4,040	37.3%	37.3%
Certificate, diploma or degree	6,795	62.7%	62.7%
High school certificate or equivalent	4,595	42.4%	41.3%
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	545	5.0%	3.9%
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma	765	7.1%	8.1%
University certificate, diploma or degree	890	8.2%	9.4%
University certificate or diploma below bachelor level	440	4.1%	3.0%
University certificate or degree	445	4.1%	6.4%
Bachelor's degree	425	3.9%	5.7%
University certificate or diploma above bachelor level	-	0.0%	0.4%
Degree in medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine or optometry	-	0.0%	0.0%
Master's degree	10	0.1%	0.2%
Earned doctorate	-	0.0%	0.0%
Total population 25 to 64 years	41,440	100.0%	100.0%
No certificate, diploma or degree	5,235	12.6%	12.4%
Certificate, diploma or degree	36,205	87.4%	87.6%
High school certificate or equivalent	11,035	26.6%	25.9%
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	5,985	14.4%	12.0%
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma	9,095	21.9%	19.6%
University certificate, diploma or degree	10,095	24.4%	30.2%
University certificate or diploma below bachelor level	2,875	6.9%	6.1%
University certificate or degree	7,220	17.4%	24.1%
Bachelor's degree	4,735	11.4%	15.2%
University certificate or diploma above bachelor level	700	1.7%	2.4%
Degree in medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine or optometry	275	0.7%	0.7%
Master's degree	1,340	3.2%	4.9%
Earned doctorate	180	0.4%	0.9%
Total population 65 years and over	13,425	100.0%	100.0%
No certificate, diploma or degree	3,385	25.2%	33.6%
Certificate, diploma or degree	10,035	74.7%	66.4%
High school certificate or equivalent	3,315	24.7%	23.3%
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	2,200	16.4%	13.0%
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma	2,280	17.0%	13.1%
University certificate, diploma or degree	2,240	16.7%	17.0%
University certificate or diploma below bachelor level	640	4.8%	5.1%
University certificate or degree	1,600	11.9%	11.9%
Bachelor's degree	825	6.1%	6.5%
University certificate or diploma above bachelor level	205	1.5%	1.4%
Degree in medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine or optometry	105	0.8%	0.6%
Master's degree	320	2.4%	2.4%
Earned doctorate	140	1.0%	1.0%

Total population 25 to 64 years with postsecondary qualification by location of study

	Both sexes				Both sexes		
			BC				BC
Total population 25 to 64 years with postsecondary qualification	25,165	100.0%	100.0%	Manitoba	430	1.7%	1.6%
Inside Canada	22,080	87.7%	77.7%	Saskatchewan	460	1.8%	1.5%
Newfoundland and Labrador	105	0.4%	0.3%	Alberta	1,485	5.9%	5.1%
Prince Edward Island	10	0.0%	0.1%	British Columbia	16,830	66.9%	59.7%
Nova Scotia	255	1.0%	0.7%	Yukon Territory	10	0.0%	0.0%
New Brunswick	75	0.3%	0.3%	Northwest Territories	10	0.0%	0.0%
Quebec	405	1.6%	1.6%	Nunavut	-	0.0%	0.0%
Ontario	1,995	7.9%	6.7%	Outside Canada	3,085	12.3%	22.3%

Income (individuals)

Total income in 2005 of population 15 years and over

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Population 15 years and over	65,695	100.0%	100.0%	31,380	100.0%	100.0%	34,315	100.0%	100.0%
Without income	3,095	4.7%	4.8%	1,315	4.2%	4.2%	1,780	5.2%	5.5%
With income	62,605	100.0%	100.0%	30,060	100.0%	100.0%	32,540	100.0%	100.0%
Under \$1,000	2,455	3.9%	4.8%	1,345	4.5%	5.3%	1,110	3.4%	4.3%
\$1,000 to \$2,999	1,885	3.0%	3.6%	745	2.5%	2.8%	1,135	3.5%	4.3%
\$3,000 to \$4,999	1,705	2.7%	3.4%	545	1.8%	2.5%	1,160	3.6%	4.2%
\$5,000 to \$6,999	2,305	3.7%	3.6%	780	2.6%	2.6%	1,530	4.7%	4.5%
\$7,000 to \$9,999	3,920	6.3%	5.8%	1,560	5.2%	4.4%	2,360	7.3%	7.1%
\$10,000 to \$11,999	3,630	5.8%	5.0%	1,460	4.9%	4.1%	2,175	6.7%	5.8%
\$12,000 to \$14,999	4,395	7.0%	6.5%	1,560	5.2%	4.9%	2,840	8.7%	8.1%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	7,015	11.2%	9.7%	2,630	8.7%	7.8%	4,390	13.5%	11.6%
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5,525	8.8%	7.8%	2,265	7.5%	6.9%	3,260	10.0%	8.7%
\$25,000 to \$29,999	4,950	7.9%	6.8%	2,120	7.1%	6.3%	2,835	8.7%	7.3%
\$30,000 to \$34,999	4,485	7.2%	6.7%	2,270	7.6%	6.5%	2,215	6.8%	6.9%
\$35,000 to \$39,999	3,770	6.0%	5.8%	1,965	6.5%	5.9%	1,805	5.5%	5.8%
\$40,000 to \$44,999	3,295	5.3%	5.1%	1,805	6.0%	5.4%	1,485	4.6%	4.7%
\$45,000 to \$49,999	2,490	4.0%	4.3%	1,545	5.1%	5.0%	945	2.9%	3.6%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	3,520	5.6%	6.5%	2,310	7.7%	8.3%	1,215	3.7%	4.7%
\$60,000 and over	7,240	11.6%	14.7%	5,150	17.1%	21.3%	2,090	6.4%	8.3%
Median income \$	\$23,463		\$24,867	\$29,993		\$31,598	\$19,500		\$19,997
Average income \$	\$30,562		\$34,519	\$36,703		\$42,469	\$24,889		\$26,905
Standard error of average income \$	\$259		\$77	\$451		\$147	\$258		\$50

Total after-tax income in 2005 of population 15 years and over

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Population 15 years and over	65,695	100.0%	100.0%	31,375	100.0%	100.0%	34,320	100.0%	100.0%
Without after-tax income	3,145	4.8%	4.9%	1,360	4.3%	4.2%	1,785	5.2%	5.5%
With after-tax income	62,545	100.0%	100.0%	30,015	100.0%	100.0%	32,530	100.0%	100.0%
Under \$1,000	2,485	4.0%	4.9%	1,345	4.5%	5.4%	1,140	3.5%	4.4%
\$1,000 to \$2,999	1,875	3.0%	3.6%	745	2.5%	2.8%	1,130	3.5%	4.4%
\$3,000 to \$4,999	1,710	2.7%	3.4%	545	1.8%	2.5%	1,165	3.6%	4.2%
\$5,000 to \$6,999	2,335	3.7%	3.6%	795	2.6%	2.7%	1,540	4.7%	4.5%
\$7,000 to \$9,999	4,015	6.4%	5.9%	1,615	5.4%	4.5%	2,400	7.4%	7.2%
\$10,000 to \$11,999	3,745	6.0%	5.1%	1,475	4.9%	4.3%	2,265	7.0%	6.0%
\$12,000 to \$14,999	4,605	7.4%	6.9%	1,650	5.5%	5.2%	2,955	9.1%	8.6%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	8,060	12.9%	11.1%	3,065	10.2%	9.0%	4,990	15.3%	13.1%
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6,730	10.8%	9.2%	2,780	9.3%	8.3%	3,950	12.1%	10.1%
\$25,000 to \$29,999	5,650	9.0%	8.3%	2,695	9.0%	8.0%	2,955	9.1%	8.6%
\$30,000 to \$34,999	4,995	8.0%	7.8%	2,735	9.1%	7.9%	2,260	6.9%	7.6%
\$35,000 to \$39,999	4,200	6.7%	6.5%	2,330	7.8%	7.1%	1,865	5.7%	6.0%
\$40,000 to \$44,999	2,910	4.7%	5.2%	1,850	6.2%	6.4%	1,065	3.3%	4.2%
\$45,000 to \$49,999	2,060	3.3%	4.1%	1,305	4.3%	5.2%	760	2.3%	2.9%
\$50,000 and over	7,165	11.5%	14.3%	5,080	16.9%	20.7%	2,085	6.4%	8.1%
Median after-tax income \$	\$21,714		\$22,785	\$26,888		\$28,251	\$18,511		\$18,930
Average after-tax income \$	\$26,275		\$28,908	\$30,847		\$34,652	\$22,057		\$23,408
Standard error of average after-tax income \$	\$185		\$52	\$315		\$97	\$196		\$38

Employment income (individuals)

Total population 15 years and over with employment income

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Population 15+ with employment income	44,480	100.0%	100.0%	22,460	100.0%	100.0%	22,020	100.0%	100.0%
Median employment income in 2005 \$	\$21,542		\$25,722	\$27,318		\$32,375	\$17,676		\$20,458
Average employment income in 2005 \$	\$29,216		\$34,978	\$35,056		\$42,655	\$23,258		\$26,783
Standard error of ave. employment income \$	\$312		\$83	\$531		\$149	\$301		\$60
Worked full year, full time	19,675	44.2%	46.5%	11,330	50.4%	52.8%	8,345	37.9%	39.8%
Median employment income in 2005 \$	\$37,746		\$42,230	\$42,660		\$48,070	\$32,052		\$36,739
Average employment income in 2005 \$	\$43,356		\$50,855	\$48,935		\$57,772	\$35,782		\$41,073
Standard error of average employment income	\$512		\$128	\$798		\$202	\$481		\$109
Worked part year or part time	20,845	46.9%	45.9%	9,070	40.4%	40.3%	11,770	53.5%	51.8%
Median employment income in 2005 \$	\$12,511		\$14,086	\$14,327		\$16,312	\$11,826		\$12,670
Average employment income in 2005 \$	\$20,053		\$23,036	\$24,355		\$28,265	\$16,738		\$18,699
Standard error of ave. employment income \$	\$348		\$95	\$674		\$191	\$321		\$65

Family income

Family income in 2005 of economic families

Economic families	All economic families			Couple economic families		
			BC			BC
Under \$10,000	22,485	100.0%	100.0%	18,485	100.0%	100.0%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	495	2.2%	3.2%	245	1.3%	2.5%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,225	5.4%	4.8%	625	3.4%	3.0%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	2,220	9.9%	8.2%	1,525	8.2%	7.0%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2,695	12.0%	9.5%	1,925	10.4%	8.6%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	2,485	11.1%	9.7%	1,890	10.2%	9.2%
\$60,000 to \$69,999	2,325	10.3%	9.3%	2,025	11.0%	9.3%
\$70,000 to \$79,999	2,405	10.7%	8.8%	2,195	11.9%	9.1%
\$80,000 to \$89,999	1,865	8.3%	8.2%	1,660	9.0%	8.7%
\$90,000 to \$99,999	1,540	6.8%	7.2%	1,395	7.5%	7.8%
\$100,000 and over	1,260	5.6%	6.1%	1,170	6.3%	6.7%
	3,965	17.6%	24.9%	3,825	20.7%	28.1%
Median family income \$	\$58,971		\$65,787	\$64,329		\$71,432
Average family income \$	\$68,239		\$80,511	\$73,964		\$86,574
Standard error of average family income \$	\$757		\$221	\$871		\$259

Composition of family income in 2005 for economic families

Economic families %	All economic families		Couple economic families	
		BC		BC
Employment income %	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Government transfer payments %	70.6%	77.1%	70.7%	77.6%
Other %	13.3%	9.6%	12.4%	8.8%
	16.1%	13.4%	16.9%	13.6%
Economic families %	Male lone-parent		Female lone-parent	
		BC		BC
Employment income %	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Government transfer payments %	74.1%	79.2%	68.2%	69.9%
Other %	17.3%	11.6%	21.1%	18.6%
	8.6%	9.2%	10.7%	11.5%

Family income

After-tax income in 2005 of economic families

Economic families	All economic families			Couple economic families		
			BC			BC
22,485	100.0%	100.0%	18,485	100.0%	100.0%	
Under \$10,000	505	2.2%	3.4%	245	1.3%	2.6%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,275	5.7%	5.0%	670	3.6%	3.2%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	2,440	10.9%	9.1%	1,660	9.0%	7.7%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	3,330	14.8%	11.9%	2,485	13.4%	10.8%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3,050	13.6%	12.0%	2,450	13.3%	11.8%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	2,950	13.1%	11.5%	2,640	14.3%	11.7%
\$60,000 to \$69,999	2,490	11.1%	10.4%	2,205	11.9%	11.0%
\$70,000 to \$79,999	1,850	8.2%	8.8%	1,705	9.2%	9.5%
\$80,000 and over	4,600	20.5%	28.1%	4,430	24.0%	31.7%
Median after-tax family income \$	\$52,130	\$57,599	\$56,416	\$61,988		
Average after-tax family income \$	\$58,346	\$67,200	\$62,851	\$71,805		
Standard error of average after-tax family income \$	\$533	\$147	\$605	\$171		

Family income in 2005 of economic families

Economic families	All economic families			Couple economic families		
			BC			BC
22,480	100.0%	100.0%	18,485	82.2%	84.0%	
Median family income \$	\$58,971	\$65,787	\$64,329	\$71,432		
Average family income \$	\$68,239	\$80,511	\$73,964	\$86,574		
Standard error of average family income \$	\$757	\$221	\$871	\$259		
Median after-tax family income \$	\$52,130	\$57,599	\$56,416	\$61,988		
Average after-tax family income \$	\$58,346	\$67,200	\$62,851	\$71,805		
Standard error of average after-tax family income \$	\$533	\$147	\$605	\$171		

Lone-parent economic families	Male lone-parent			Female lone-parent		
			BC			BC
620	2.8%	2.7%	2,950	13.1%	11.2%	
Median family income \$	\$43,640	\$51,274	\$34,596	\$35,958		
Average family income \$	\$46,893	\$61,598	\$40,532	\$43,491		
Standard error of average family income \$	\$2,364	\$694	\$1,184	\$222		
Median after-tax family income \$	\$40,120	\$45,074	\$32,404	\$34,004		
Average after-tax family income \$	\$41,435	\$52,248	\$36,548	\$39,031		
Standard error of average after-tax family income \$	\$1,883	\$495	\$912	\$172		

Income (persons not in economic families)

Total income in 2005 of persons 15 years and over not in economic families

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Persons 15+ not in economic families	13,780	100.0%	100.0%	6,425	100.0%	100.0%	7,360	100.0%	100.0%
Under \$1,000	875	6.3%	5.7%	590	9.2%	6.7%	280	3.8%	4.8%
\$1,000 to \$2,999	220	1.6%	1.5%	140	2.2%	1.5%	80	1.1%	1.5%
\$3,000 to \$4,999	240	1.7%	1.6%	140	2.2%	1.6%	95	1.3%	1.6%
\$5,000 to \$6,999	445	3.2%	2.2%	230	3.6%	2.5%	210	2.9%	2.0%
\$7,000 to \$9,999	815	5.9%	4.8%	390	6.1%	5.0%	425	5.8%	4.6%
\$10,000 to \$11,999	1,030	7.5%	4.9%	495	7.7%	5.2%	530	7.2%	4.6%
\$12,000 to \$14,999	965	7.0%	7.3%	335	5.2%	5.6%	625	8.5%	8.8%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1,985	14.4%	13.1%	735	11.4%	9.7%	1,255	17.1%	16.2%
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1,485	10.8%	8.8%	650	10.1%	7.7%	830	11.3%	9.8%
\$25,000 to \$29,999	1,035	7.5%	7.5%	385	6.0%	6.9%	650	8.8%	8.0%
\$30,000 to \$34,999	1,095	7.9%	7.6%	545	8.5%	7.4%	545	7.4%	7.8%
\$35,000 to \$39,999	740	5.4%	6.2%	285	4.4%	6.2%	455	6.2%	6.3%
\$40,000 to \$44,999	675	4.9%	5.3%	310	4.8%	5.6%	370	5.0%	5.1%
\$45,000 to \$49,999	500	3.6%	4.5%	270	4.2%	5.0%	225	3.1%	4.1%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	540	3.9%	6.5%	295	4.6%	7.8%	245	3.3%	5.4%
\$60,000 and over	1,140	8.3%	12.5%	620	9.6%	15.9%	520	7.1%	9.4%
Median income \$	\$21,243		\$25,121	\$21,410		\$28,175	\$21,147		\$22,833
Average income \$	\$26,709		\$32,637	\$27,324		\$35,769	\$26,172		\$29,766
Standard error of average income \$	\$424		\$116	\$722		\$215	\$490		\$104

Composition of income in 2005 for persons 15 years and over not in economic families

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Persons 15+ not in economic families	100.0%		100.0%	100.0%		100.0%	100.0%		100.0%
Employment income %	57.0%		66.0%	65.8%		75.1%	49.0%		56.0%
Government transfer payments %	21.6%		15.9%	17.3%		11.3%	25.6%		20.9%
Other %	21.3%		18.2%	17.0%		13.6%	25.3%		23.2%

After-tax income in 2005 of persons 15 years and over not in economic families

	Both sexes			Male			Female		
			BC			BC			BC
Persons 15+ not in economic families	13,780	100.0%	100.0%	6,420	100.0%	100.0%	7,355	100.0%	100.0%
Under \$1,000	880	6.4%	5.9%	590	9.2%	6.9%	290	3.9%	5.0%
\$1,000 to \$2,999	215	1.6%	1.5%	140	2.2%	1.5%	75	1.0%	1.5%
\$3,000 to \$4,999	240	1.7%	1.6%	140	2.2%	1.6%	95	1.3%	1.6%
\$5,000 to \$6,999	475	3.4%	2.3%	250	3.9%	2.5%	225	3.1%	2.1%
\$7,000 to \$9,999	805	5.8%	4.8%	380	5.9%	5.0%	420	5.7%	4.6%
\$10,000 to \$11,999	1,085	7.9%	5.0%	505	7.9%	5.3%	575	7.8%	4.7%
\$12,000 to \$14,999	1,000	7.3%	7.7%	385	6.0%	6.0%	615	8.4%	9.3%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	2,260	16.4%	14.8%	840	13.1%	11.3%	1,425	19.4%	18.1%
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1,725	12.5%	10.6%	740	11.5%	9.5%	985	13.4%	11.6%
\$25,000 to \$29,999	1,290	9.4%	9.5%	565	8.8%	9.0%	725	9.9%	10.0%
\$30,000 to \$34,999	1,060	7.7%	8.4%	470	7.3%	8.4%	585	8.0%	8.5%
\$35,000 to \$39,999	830	6.0%	6.7%	375	5.8%	7.2%	460	6.3%	6.3%
\$40,000 to \$44,999	510	3.7%	5.4%	260	4.0%	6.2%	255	3.5%	4.7%
\$45,000 to \$49,999	265	1.9%	4.0%	145	2.3%	4.7%	115	1.6%	3.3%
\$50,000 and over	1,130	8.2%	11.7%	625	9.7%	14.8%	510	6.9%	8.9%
Median after-tax income \$	\$19,771		\$22,832	\$19,732		\$25,167	\$19,789		\$21,231
Average after-tax income \$	\$23,371		\$27,670	\$23,575		\$29,862	\$23,192		\$25,661
Standard error of average after-tax income \$	\$326		\$90	\$537		\$168	\$393		\$78

Low income

Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005

	All economic families			Couple economic families		
Total economic families	22,485	100.0%	100.0%	18,485	82.2%	84.2%
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 %	12.0%		13.3%	8.0%		10.3%
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 %	8.5%		9.9%	5.7%		7.5%
	Male lone-parent			Female lone-parent		
Total economic families	625	2.8%	2.7%	2,950	13.1%	11.1%
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 %	12.0%		18.8%	8.0%		33.5%
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 %	8.5%		13.9%	5.7%		25.6%
	Both sexes		Male		Female	
Persons 15+ not in economic families	13,780	100.0%	100.0%	6,420	46.6%	47.8%
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 %	41.9%		36.7%	42.6%		34.3%
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 %	32.0%		29.0%	35.6%		28.8%
	Total households		Male		Female	
Persons in private households	76,760	100.0%	100.0%	4,095	5.3%	6.0%
Prevalence of low income before tax in 2005 %	17.8%		17.3%	26.8%		19.6%
Prevalence of low income after tax in 2005 %	13.1%		13.1%	19.9%		15.1%

Affordability (housing)

Non-farm, non-reserve private dwellings occupied by usual residents

Total number of non-farm, non-reserve private dwellings occupied by usual residents	33,510	1,606,875
Tenant-occupied private non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	9,890	488,720
Average gross rent \$	\$736	\$828
Tenant-occupied households spending 30% or more of household income on gross rent	4,850	212,040
Tenant-occupied households spending from 30% to 99% of household income on gross rent	4,125	171,885
Owner-occupied private non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	23,620	1,118,160
Average value of dwelling \$	\$313,464	\$418,703
Average owner major payments \$	\$907	\$1,059
Owner households spending 30% or more of household income on owner's major payments	5,310	253,820
Owner households spending 30% to 99% of household income on owner's major payments	4,505	212,880
Tenant one-family households without additional persons in non-farm, non-reserve private dwellings occupied by usual residents	4,165	213,490
Average gross rent \$	\$797	\$907
Tenant one-family households without additional persons spending 30% or more of household income on shelter costs	1,660	75,130
Owner one-family households without additional persons in non-farm, non-reserve private dwellings occupied by usual residents	15,995	761,015
Average owner major payments \$	\$959	\$1,119
Owner one-family households without additional persons spending 30% or more of household income on shelter costs	2,850	151,215

Household income

Household income in 2005 of private households

	All households			One-person households		
			BC			BC
Private households	33,525	100.0%	100.0%	9,720	100.0%	100.0%
Under \$10,000	1,765	5.3%	5.7%	1,190	12.2%	11.8%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4,115	12.3%	10.4%	2,830	29.1%	25.1%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	4,125	12.3%	10.5%	1,765	18.2%	16.2%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	4,350	13.0%	10.9%	1,490	15.3%	14.4%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3,715	11.1%	10.0%	975	10.0%	10.6%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	2,905	8.7%	8.8%	455	4.7%	7.3%
\$60,000 to \$69,999	2,930	8.7%	8.0%	365	3.8%	5.6%
\$70,000 to \$79,999	2,225	6.6%	6.8%	295	3.0%	3.2%
\$80,000 to \$89,999	1,740	5.2%	5.7%	125	1.3%	1.8%
\$90,000 to \$99,999	1,400	4.2%	4.7%	85	0.9%	1.1%
\$100,000 and over	4,245	12.7%	18.7%	135	1.4%	2.9%
Median household income \$	\$45,937		\$52,709	\$24,262		\$27,773
Average household income \$	\$56,744		\$67,675	\$30,288		\$35,513
Standard error of average household income \$	\$573		\$162	\$530		\$145

After-tax household income in 2005 of private households

	All households			One-person households		
			BC			BC
Private households	33,520	100.0%	100.0%	9,725	100.0%	100.0%
Under \$10,000	1,785	5.3%	5.8%	1,205	12.4%	12.1%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	4,420	13.2%	11.2%	3,080	31.7%	27.3%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	4,785	14.3%	12.2%	2,170	22.3%	20.3%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	5,185	15.5%	13.0%	1,625	16.7%	16.3%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3,880	11.6%	11.5%	635	6.5%	10.3%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	3,660	10.9%	10.1%	535	5.5%	6.5%
\$60,000 to \$69,999	2,880	8.6%	8.4%	225	2.3%	3.1%
\$70,000 to \$79,999	2,010	6.0%	6.8%	135	1.4%	1.6%
\$80,000 to \$89,999	1,540	4.6%	5.3%	35	0.4%	0.8%
\$90,000 to \$99,999	915	2.7%	4.0%	25	0.3%	0.4%
\$100,000 and over	2,460	7.3%	11.6%	40	0.4%	1.2%
Median after-tax household income \$	\$41,329		\$46,472	\$22,058		\$24,987
Average after-tax household income \$	\$48,737		\$56,646	\$26,293		\$29,910
Standard error of average after-tax household income \$	\$417		\$110	\$398		\$113