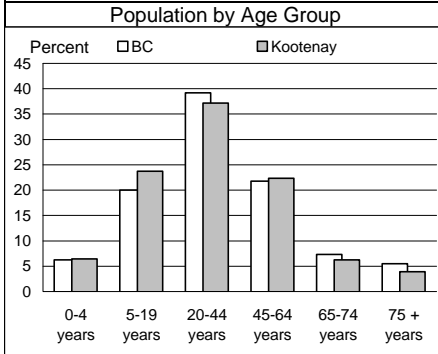


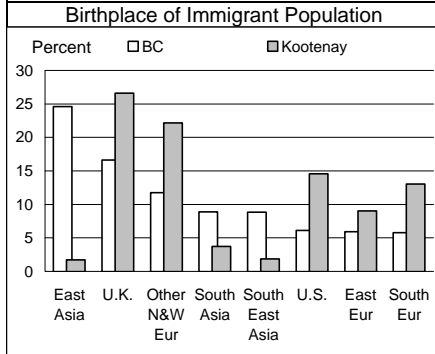
## Population by Age Group

	Kootenay	BC
<b>Total population</b> (as of May 14, 1996)	38,645	3,724,500
Percent of BC	1.0	100.0
<b>Aged 20+ years</b>	26,920	2,745,785
Percent of total population	69.7	73.7



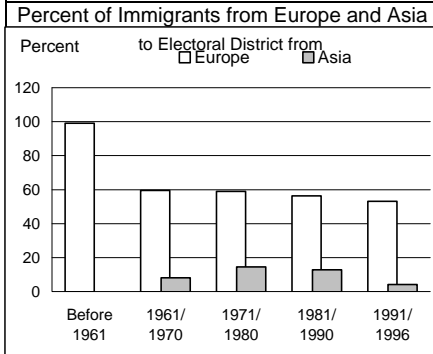
## Immigrant Population

	Kootenay	BC
<b>Non-Immigrants</b>	34,655	2,756,530
% born in BC	59.3	63.2
% born other provinces	40.6	36.8
<b>Immigrants</b>	3,495	903,190
% of population	9.0	24.2



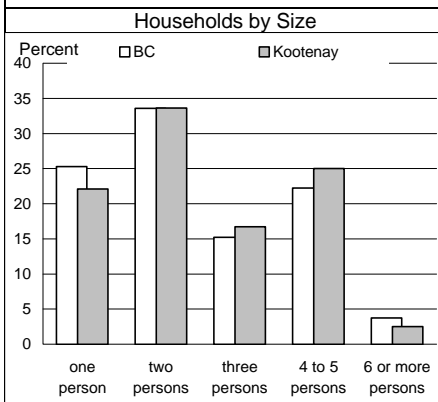
## Changing Face of Immigrants

	Kootenay	BC
<b>Ever immigrants</b>	3,495	903,190
% born in Europe	70.2	40.1
% born in Asia	7.4	44.4
<b>Immigrants since 1981</b>	715	402,475
% born in Europe	55.2	16.0
% born in Asia	9.8	69.8



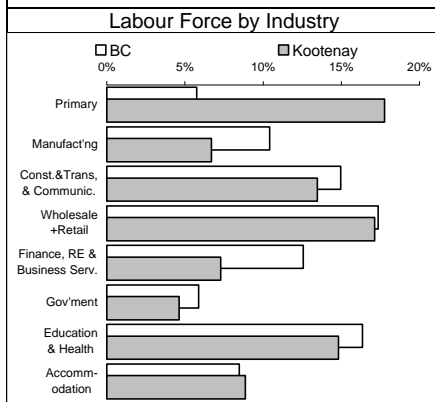
## Private Households

	Kootenay	BC
<b>Total private households</b>	14,595	1,424,635
% single person h'seholds	30.9	38.9
<b>Total families</b>	10,895	1,008,440
% with children	61.9	60.8
% lone parent family	13.1	13.8



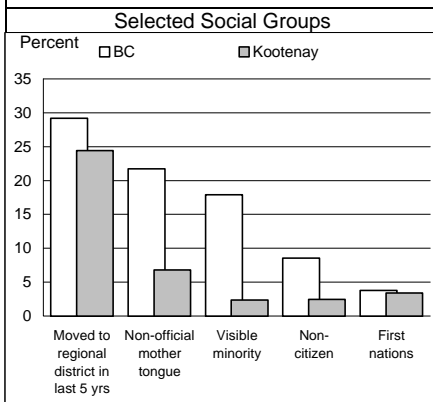
## Experienced Labour Force

	Kootenay	BC
Population 15+ years	29,655	2,954,700
<b>Labour force</b>	20,195	1,960,665
Participation rate	68.1	66.4
Unemployment rate	11.4	9.6
Males	12.3	9.8
Females	10.1	9.2

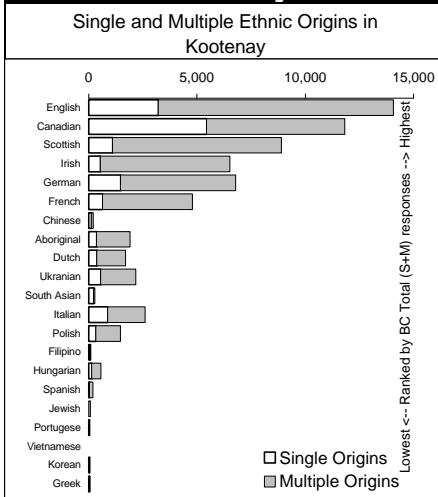


## Education & Social Groups

	Kootenay	BC
<b>% of population 15+ yrs having attained . . .</b>		
Less than high school grad.	33.7	31.1
High school graduation	13.5	12.9
Trade certificate	4.7	3.5
Some university	9.0	11.9
University degree	7.7	13.6

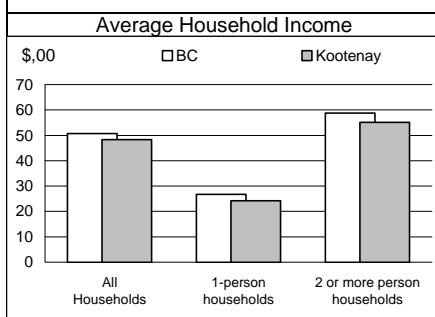


## Ethnicity



## Income

	Kootenay	BC
<b>Average Total Income</b>		
All 15 yrs+ with income	\$25,786	\$26,295
Males	\$34,034	\$32,457
Females	\$16,803	\$20,028
<b>Avg. Employment Income</b>	\$26,920	\$27,480



## Election Results

<b>General election May 28, 1996</b>	
Winning party and margin	<b>NDP 511</b>
Registered voters	24,422
Percent who voted	68.15

<b>Previous election</b>	
Winning party and margin	<b>NDP 2,338</b>

<b>Results of general election May 28, 1996</b>		
	Party	Votes
Erda Walsh	NDP	6,398
Ron Tarr	LIB	5,887
Wilf Hanni	RP	3,718
Casey Brennan	GP	363
Marko Makar	IND	215

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