



1996 Census Profile of British Columbia's Census Subdivisions (CSD)

Profile of
Invermere, DM

Located in East Kootenay Regional District

Standard Geographic Classification
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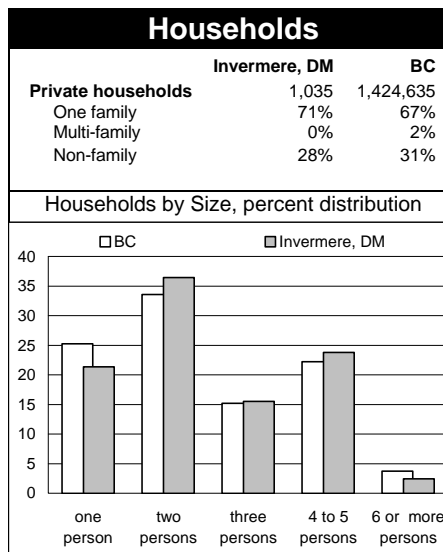
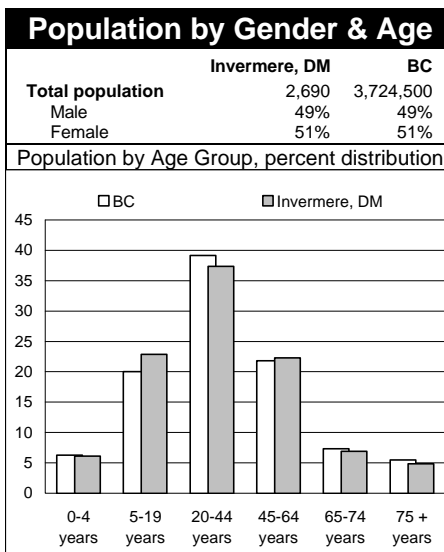
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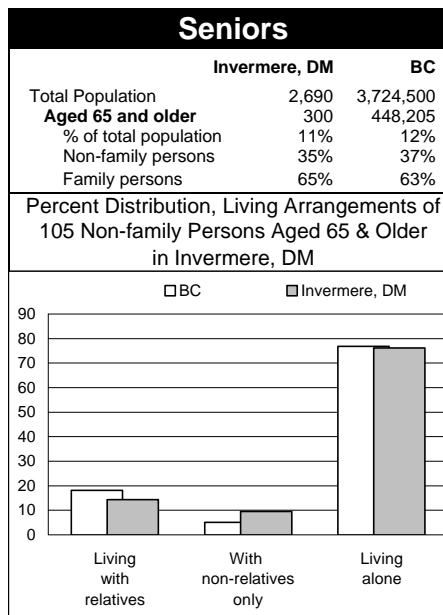
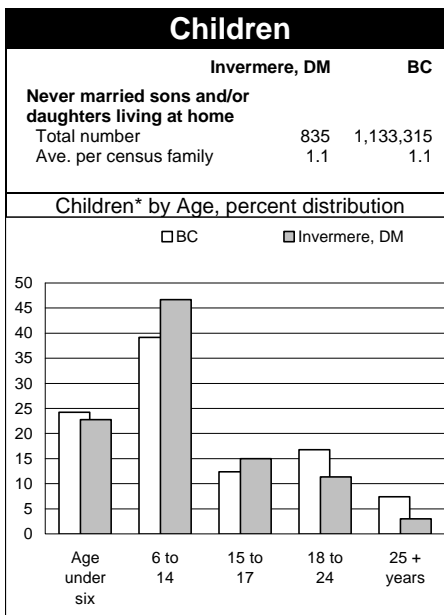
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Summary		
	Invermere, DM	BC
Total population		
(as of May 14, 1996)	2,687	3,724,500
Share of Regional District	4.8%	-
1991 Census Population		
(as of June 4, 1991)	2,207	3,282,061
Percent change 1991-1996	21.7%	13.5%
Land area 1996		
km ²	8.70	892,677
Invermere, DM		
Top 3 industries	Number	Percent
Experienced Labour Force	1,510	100%
Accom, food & beverage	200	13%
Construction	195	13%
Other services	150	10%
Top 3 occupations		
Experienced Labour Force	1,510	100%
Retail salespersons & clerks	85	6%
Technical, sciences related	85	6%
Construction trades	80	5%

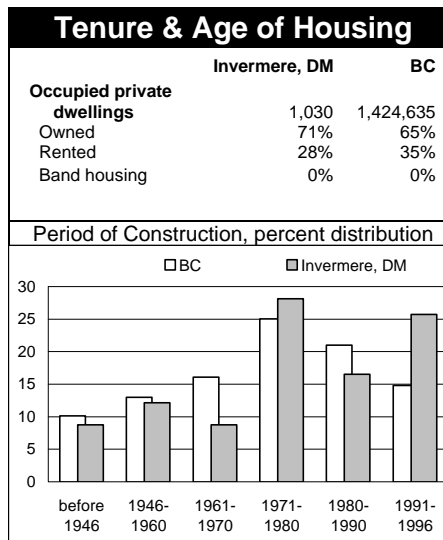
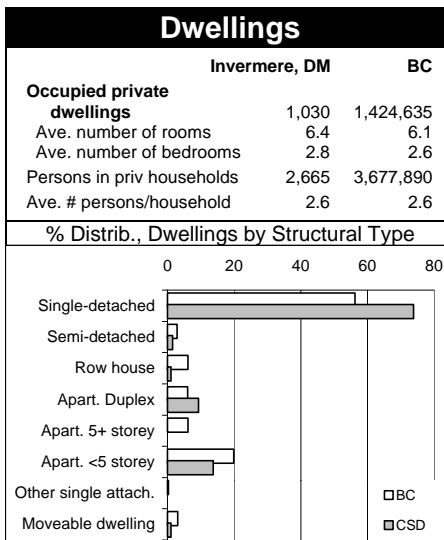


Marital Status & Families		
	Invermere, DM	BC
Population 15+ years	2,105	2,989,325
Single, never married	27%	31%
Legally married	57%	52%
Separated	4%	3%
Divorced	6%	8%
Widowed	6%	6%
Census Families by Structure		
Number of census families	745	1,008,440
Husband-wife families	670	869,430
Now-married couples	595	765,565
Without child* at home	42%	43%
With children* at home	58%	57%
Common-law couples	75	103,865
Without child* at home	87%	62%
With children* at home	20%	38%
Single-parent families	75	139,010
Male parent	20%	17%
Female parent	80%	83%

child*/children* - defined as never married sons and/or daughters at home



Affordability		
	Invermere, DM	BC
Average value of occupied private dwellings	\$156,069	\$239,745
Occupied dwellings	1,030	1,424,635
Regular maintenance	70%	69%
Require minor repairs	24%	24%
Require major repairs	6%	8%
Tenant 1-family households, non-farm, non-reserve, without extra persons	140	211,925
Average gross rent	\$754	\$772
Gross rent spending 30% or more of hh income on shelter	75	89,820
Above as % of tenants	54%	42%
Owner 1-family households, non-farm, non-reserve, without extra persons	555	623,225
Average owner's major payments	\$717	\$840
Owners major payments spending 30% or more of hh income on shelter	75	111,685
Above as % of owners	14%	18%



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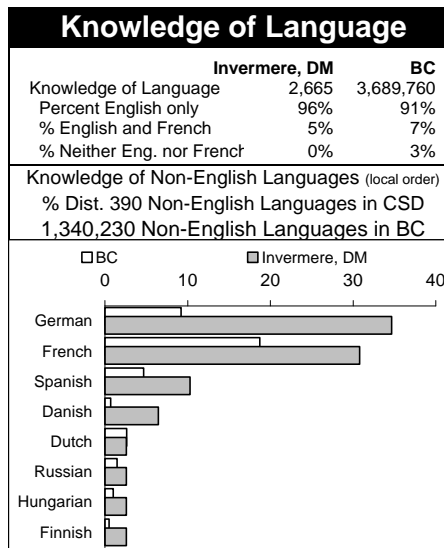
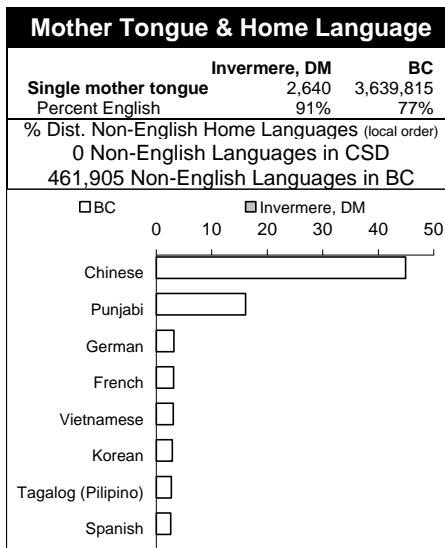
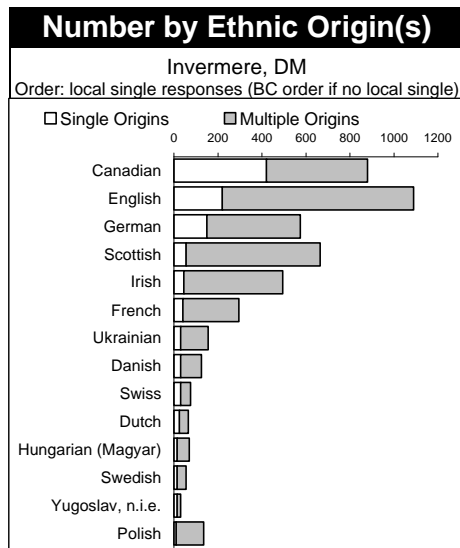
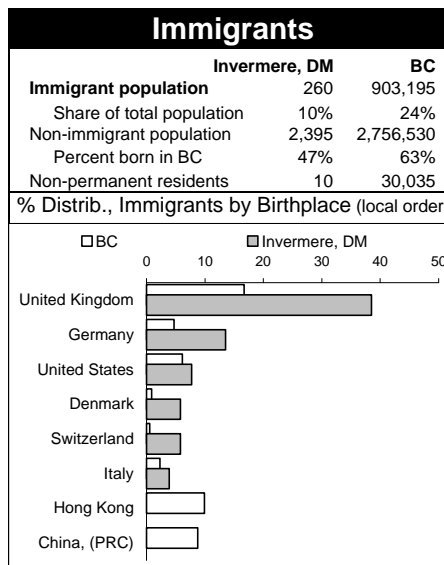
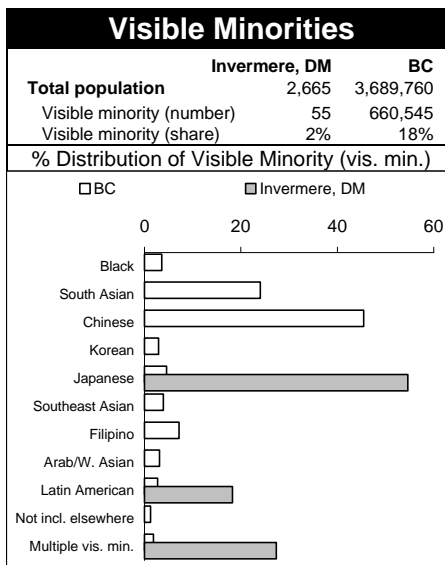
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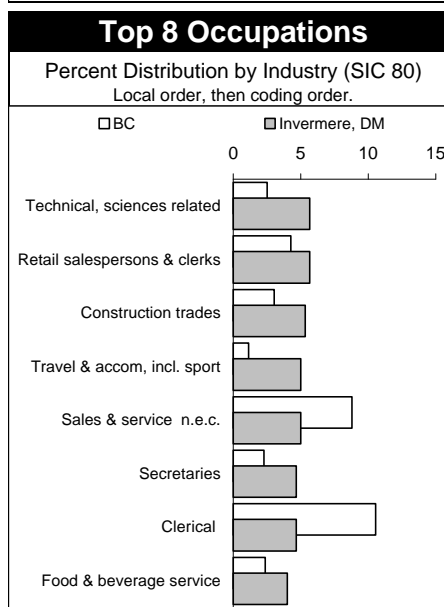
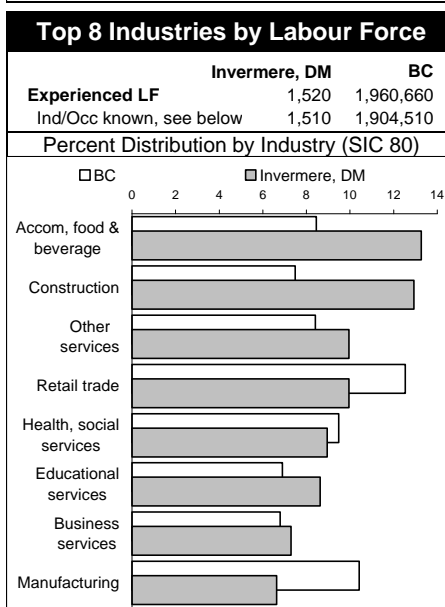
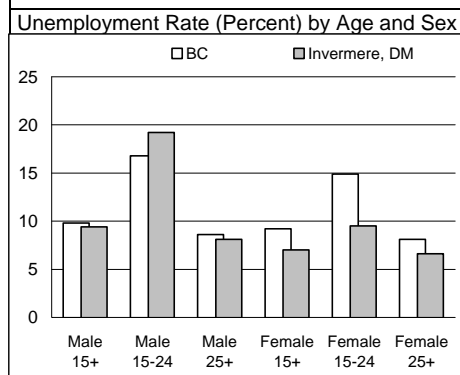
First Nations		
	Invermere, DM	BC
Total population	2,665	3,689,755
Aboriginal identity	70	139,655
Share of total population	3%	4%
North American Indian (*si...	25	107,370
Metis (*single response)	45	25,575
Inuit (*single response)	0	740
Multiple Aboriginal response	0	1,205
Other Aboriginal response	0	4,765
Aboriginal ethnic origin		
Single response	0	76,430
North American Indian	n/a	94%
Metis	n/a	6%
Inuit	n/a	0%
Multiple response	100	112,665
North American Indian	50%	76%
Metis	50%	22%
Inuit	0%	1%

The 1996 Census had a question on Aboriginal identity. Origin data is more comparable with previous censuses.



Labour Force Activity

	Invermere, DM	BC
Pop 15+ in labour force	1,515	1,960,660
Employed	1,385	1,773,285
Unemployed	125	187,375
Not in labour force	565	994,040
Participation rate	72.7	66.4
Unemployment rate	8.3	9.6



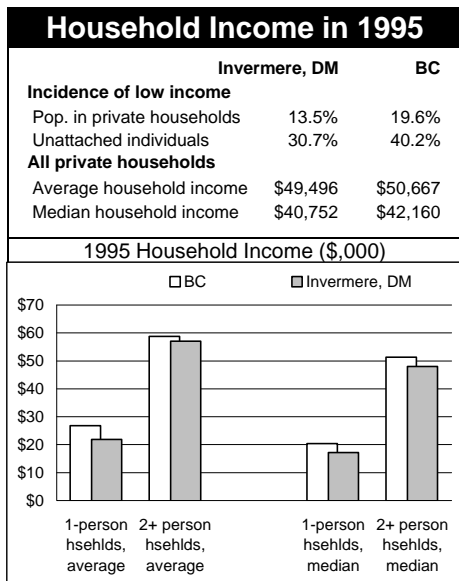
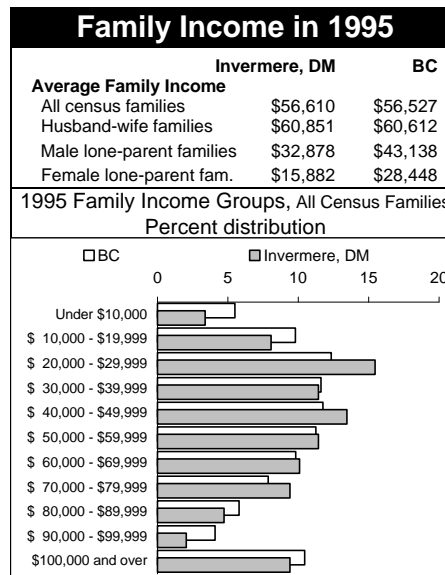
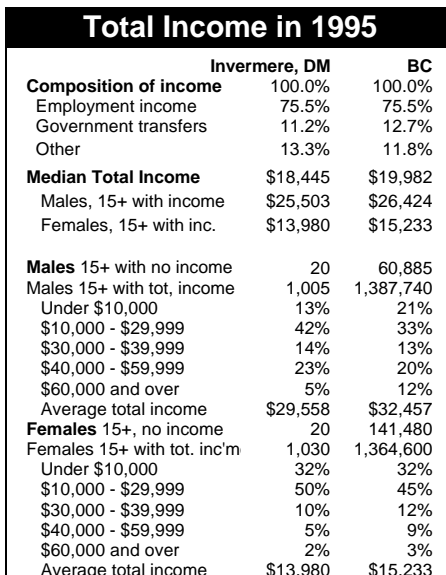
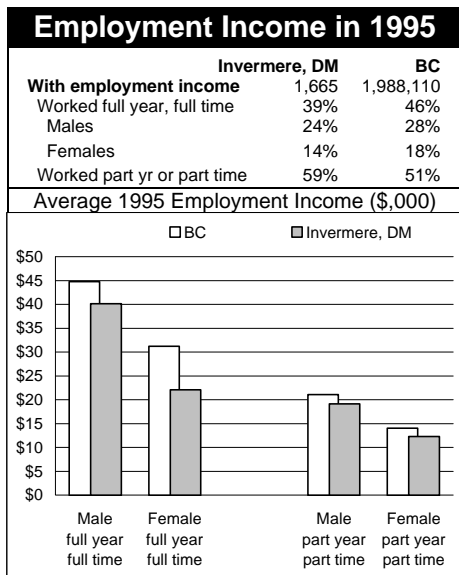
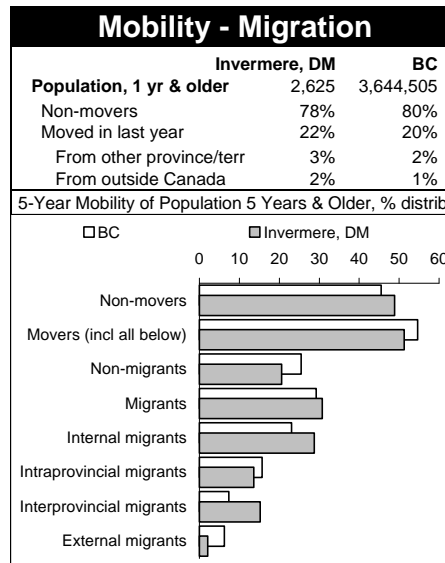
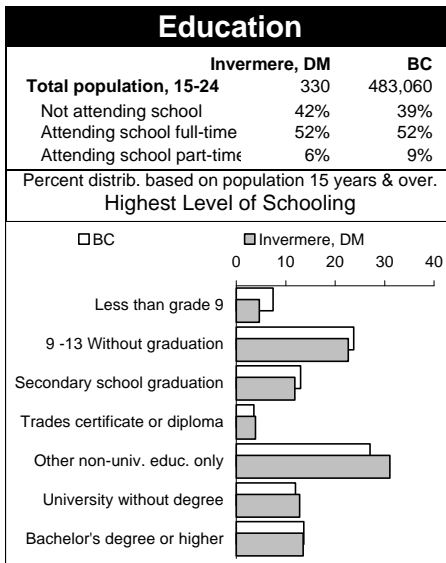
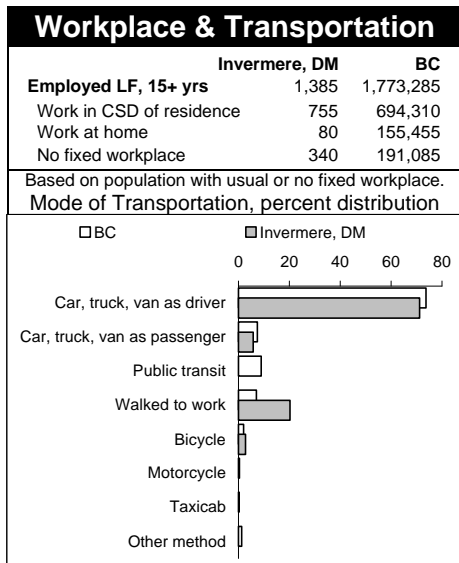
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Notes

Population - effective for 1991 & 1996 Census, non-permanent residents included in total population.

1991 Census population - based on 1996 boundaries.

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, 1995 and who were employed 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).

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

More Information

Our own website contains sections devoted to census and regional statistics.
www.bcstats.gov.bc.ca/census.htm
www.bcstats.gov.bc.ca/regions.htm

Statistics Canada offers community profiles.
<http://CEPS.statcan.ca/english/profil/PlaceSearchForm1.cfm>

The British Columbia Ministry of Multiculturalism and Immigration offers extensive profiles.
www.gov.bc.ca/mi/rpts/profiles.htm

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

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Source data for tables and charts

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Ethnic Origins		
Total population by ethnic origin (single and multiple responses)		2,665
	Single	Multiple
Total population	1,180	1,485
Canadian	420	460
English	220	870
German	150	425
Scottish	55	610
Irish	45	450
French	40	255
Ukrainian	30	125
Danish	30	95
Swiss	30	45
Dutch	25	40
Hungarian (Magyar)	15	55
Swedish	15	40
Yugoslav, n.i.e.	15	15
Polish	10	125

Labour Force Activity		
Unemployment rates	Male	Female
Age 15+	9.4	7.0
Age 15-24	19.2	9.5
Age 25+	8.1	6.6

Employment Income in 1995		
All persons with employment income by work activity		1,665
	Male	Female
With emp. income by work activity	840	825
Ave. emp. income \$	28,869	17,293
Standard error of Ave. emp. income \$	1,514	2,165
Worked full year, full time	405	240
Ave. emp. income \$	40,110	22,074
Std. error of Ave. emp. income \$	2,085	1,886
Worked part year or part time	420	560
Ave. emp. income \$	19,105	12,291
Std. error of Ave. emp. income \$	1,554	1,140

Total Income in 1995		
Population 15+ by income	Male	Female
Without income	1,025	1,055
With income	1,005	1,030
Under \$1,000	20	15
\$ 1,000 - \$ 2,999	15	85
\$ 3,000 - \$ 4,999	35	80
\$ 5,000 - \$ 6,999	-	75
\$ 7,000 - \$ 9,999	65	75
\$10,000 - \$11,999	75	105
\$12,000 - \$14,999	90	125
\$15,000 - \$19,999	70	150
\$20,000 - \$24,999	115	90
\$25,000 - \$29,999	70	50
\$30,000 - \$34,999	70	90
\$35,000 - \$39,999	70	15
\$40,000 - \$44,999	45	-
\$45,000 - \$49,999	80	30
\$50,000 - \$59,999	110	25
\$60,000 and over	55	25
Average income \$	29,558	20,693
Median income \$	25,503	13,980
Std. error of ave. income \$	1,356	2,900

Household Income in 1995		
One person households \$	Average	Median
Std. error of ave. income \$	21,901	17,203
Two or more person households \$	2,145	
Std. error of ave. income \$	57,060	48,000
	4,154	

Workplace and Transportation		
Total employed labour force 15 years and over by place of work status		1,385
	Male	Female
Total employed labour force	725	665
Usual place of work	565	590
In CSD of residence	315	440
In different CSD	250	150
In same CD	225	130
At home	30	50
Outside Canada	-	-
No fixed workplace	140	25
Total employed labour force 15 years and over by mode of transportation		1,315
	Male	Female
Total employed labour force	700	615
Car, truck, van as driver	535	400
Car, truck, van as passenger	50	25
Public transit	-	-
Walked to work	90	175
Bicycle	25.0	10.0
Motorcycle	-	-
Taxicab	-	-
Other method	-	-

Mobility & Migration		
Total by mobility status over period	1-year	5-year
Non-movers	2,625	2,510
Movers	2,035	1,225
Non-migrants	590	1,285
Migrants	240	515
Internal migrants	350	770
Intraprovincial migrants	305	720
Interprovincial migrants	225	340
External migrants	80	380
	50	50

Experienced Labour Force by Industry	
Total labour force 15 years and over by industry divisions	1,520
Industry - Not applicable	10
All industries	1,510
Division A - Agricultural and related service industries	25
Division B - Fishing and trapping industries	-
Division C - Logging and forestry industries	65
Division D - Mining (+ milling), quarrying & oil well ind.	35
Division E - Manufacturing industries	100
Division F - Construction industries	195
Division G - Transportation and storage industries	40
Division H - Communication and other utility industries	30
Division I - Wholesale trade industries	10
Division J - Retail trade industries	150
Division K - Finance and insurance industries	20
Division L - Real estate operator & insurance agent ind.	20
Division M - Business service industries	110
Division N - Government service industries	90
Division O - Educational service industries	130
Division P - Health and social service industries	135
Division Q - Accommodation, food & beverage service	200
Division R - Other service industries	150

Top 10 Occupations	
Technical, sciences related	85
Retail salespersons & clerks	85
Construction trades	80
Travel & accom, incl. sport	75
Sales & service n.e.c.	75
Secretaries	70
Clerical	70
Food & beverage service	60
Mgrs. in retail, food, etc	55
Chefs & cooks	55