

**Household and family characteristics of persons including detailed information on stepfamilies by Indigenous identity and residence by Indigenous geography, Data Tables, 2021**  
**Universe: Population in private households, 2021 Census — 25% Sample data**

Registered or Treaty Indian status (1)	Nunavut								
	Total - Registered or Treaty Indian status (6)								
Residence by Indigenous geography (2)	Total - Residence on or off reserve (7)								
Age (3)	Total - Age								
Gender (4, 5)	Total - Gender								
Statistics	Count								
Indigenous identity (8)	Total - Indigenous identity (9)	Indigenous identity (10)	Single Indigenous responses (11)	First Nations (North American Indian)	Métis	Inuk (Inuit)	Multiple Indigenous responses (12)	Indigenous responses not included elsewhere (13)	Non- Indigenous identity
Household and family characteristics of persons including detailed information on stepfamilies									
Total - Household and family characteristics of persons including detailed information on stepfamilies	36,600	31,390	31,160	180	120	30,865	195	30	5,210
Married spouses and common-law partners	12,125	9,645	9,595	80	70	9,445	40	10	2,480
Married spouses	5,850	4,230	4,205	60	35	4,110	15	10	1,620
Common-law partners	6,275	5,415	5,390	20	35	5,335	25	0	860
Parents in a one-parent family	3,010	2,815	2,800	10	10	2,780	15	0	195
Parents in a one-parent family (men+) (14, 15)	915	835	830	10	0	825	10	0	85
Parents in a one-parent family (women+) (16, 17)	2,090	1,980	1,970	10	10	1,955	10	0	115
Total - Children in census families	17,120	15,995	15,865	50	15	15,805	105	20	1,135
Living in a two-parent family	11,425	10,475	10,400	35	10	10,355	65	10	950
In a non-stepfamily	9,745	8,910	8,865	30	10	8,830	40	0	825
In a stepfamily (18)	1,685	1,555	1,530	0	0	1,530	20	10	125
In a simple stepfamily (19)	445	410	405	0	0	405	0	0	40
In a simple stepfamily: with a stepparent (man+) (20, 21)	285	270	260	0	0	260	0	0	20
In a simple stepfamily: with a stepparent (woman+) (22, 23)	160	140	135	0	0	135	0	0	15
In a complex stepfamily (24)	1,235	1,150	1,130	0	0	1,125	15	10	85
In a complex stepfamily: with a stepparent (man+) (25, 26)	385	360	355	0	0	355	10	0	25
In a complex stepfamily: with a stepparent (woman+) (27, 28)	195	180	180	0	0	175	0	0	20
In a complex stepfamily: with two biological or adoptive parents	655	610	595	0	0	595	0	0	45
Living in a one-parent family	5,175	5,000	4,955	20	0	4,930	40	0	170
Living in a one-parent family: with a parent (man+) (29, 30)	1,490	1,450	1,430	0	10	1,425	15	0	40
Living in a one-parent family: with a parent (woman+) (31, 32)	3,685	3,555	3,520	10	0	3,505	25	0	130
Living with at least one grandparent and without parents	520	520	520	0	0	520	0	0	10
Living with at least one grandparent and without parents: with two grandparents	285	285	285	0	0	285	0	0	0
Living with at least one grandparent and without parents: with one grandparent	240	235	235	0	0	235	0	0	10
Total - Persons not in census families	4,345	2,940	2,900	35	30	2,835	40	0	1,405
Foster children	135	135	135	0	0	135	0	0	0
Persons living with other relatives	1,590	1,440	1,435	10	0	1,425	10	0	150
Persons living with non-relatives only	660	335	310	10	0	290	25	0	325
Persons living alone	1,955	1,030	1,020	20	20	975	10	0	925

Abbreviation notes:

List of abbreviations and acronyms found within various Census products. (<https://www12.statcan.gc.ca/census-recensement/2021/ref/symb-ab-acr-eng.cfm>)

Geography name: Nunavut

Geographic area type: Territory

Geographic area type abbreviation: TERR

Geographic level: Province or territory

Province or territory abbreviation: Nvt.

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Data quality note: ..."

Footnotes:

[1] Registered or Treaty Indian status

Registered or Treaty Indian status refers to whether or not a person is a Registered or Treaty Indian. Registered Indians are persons who are registered under the Indian Act of Canada. Treaty Indians are persons who belong to a First Nation or Indian band that signed a treaty with the Crown. Registered or Treaty Indians are sometimes also called Status Indians.

[2] Residence on or off reserve

Residence on or off reserve refers to whether the person's usual place of residence is in a census subdivision (CSD) that is defined as 'on reserve' or 'off reserve.' 'On reserve' includes eight CSD types legally affiliated with First Nations or Indian bands, i.e., Indian reserve (IRI), Indian settlement (S-É) (except for the two Indian settlements of Champagne Landing 10 and Kloo Lake, located in Yukon), Indian government district (IGD), Terres réservées aux Cris (TC), Terres réservées aux Naskapis (TK), Nisga'a land (NL), Tsawwassen Lands (TWL) and Tla'amin Lands (TAL). 'Off reserve' includes all CSDs in Canada not defined as 'on reserve.' Residence inside or outside Inuit Nunangat Residence inside or outside Inuit Nunangat refers to whether the person's usual place of residence is in a census subdivision (CSD) that is inside or outside Inuit Nunangat. Inuit Nunangat is the homeland of the Inuit of Canada. It includes the communities located in the four Inuit regions: Nunatsiavut (Northern coastal Labrador), Nunavik (Northern Quebec), the territory of Nunavut and the Inuvialuit region of the Northwest Territories. These regions collectively encompass the area traditionally occupied by Inuit in Canada. Outside Inuit Nunangat includes all CSDs in Canada not located in the four Inuit regions of Inuit Nunangat.

[3] Age

'Age' refers to the age of a person (or subject) of interest at last birthday (or relative to a specified, well-defined reference date).

[4] Gender

Gender refers to an individual's personal and social identity as a man, woman or non-binary person (a person who is not exclusively a man or a woman). Gender includes the following concepts: gender identity, which refers to the gender that a person feels internally and individually, gender expression, which refers to the way a person presents their gender, regardless of their gender identity, through body language, aesthetic choices or accessories (e.g., clothes, hairstyle and makeup), which may have traditionally been associated with a specific gender. A person's gender may differ from their sex at birth, and from what is indicated on their current identification or legal documents such as their birth certificate, passport or driver's licence. A person's gender may change over time. Some people may not identify with a specific gender.

[5] Given that the non-binary population is small, data aggregation to a two-category gender variable is sometimes necessary to protect the confidentiality of responses provided. In these cases, individuals in the category "non-binary persons" are distributed into the other two gender categories and are denoted by the "+" symbol.

[6] Users should be aware that the estimates associated with this variable are more affected than most by the incomplete enumeration of certain reserves and settlements in the Census of Population. For more information on Indigenous variables, including information on their classifications, the questions from which they are derived, data quality and their comparability with other sources of data, please refer to the Indigenous Peoples Reference Guide, Census of Population, 2021 and the Indigenous Peoples Technical Report, Census of Population, 2021.

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[8] Indigenous identity

Indigenous identity refers to whether the person identified with the Indigenous peoples of Canada. This includes those who identify as First Nations (North American Indian), Métis and/or Inuk (Inuit), and/or those who report being Registered or Treaty Indians (that is, registered under the Indian Act of Canada), and/or those who have membership in a First Nation or Indian band. Aboriginal peoples of Canada (referred to here as Indigenous peoples) are defined in the Constitution Act, 1982, Section 35 (2) as including the Indian, Inuit and Métis peoples of Canada.

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[10] This category includes persons who identify as First Nations (North American Indian), Métis and/or Inuk (Inuit) and/or those who report being Registered or Treaty Indians (that is, registered under the Indian Act of Canada), and/or those who report having membership in a First Nation or Indian band.

[11] This category includes persons who identify as only one Indigenous group, that is First Nations (North American Indian), Métis or Inuk (Inuit).

[12] This category includes persons who identify as any two or all three of the following: First Nations (North American Indian), Métis and/or Inuk (Inuit).

[13] This category includes persons who do not identify as First Nations (North American Indian), Métis or Inuk (Inuit) but who report having Registered or Treaty Indian status and/or Membership in a First Nation or Indian band.

[14] This category includes men (and/or boys), as well as some non-binary persons.

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[18] Stepfamilies can only be identified among families which include Person 1”, the first person identified in the census household questionnaire. As a result, it is possible that the count of stepfamilies is slightly underestimated, and in turn, the count of two-parent non-stepfamilies slightly overestimated. In 2021, 98% of two-parent families included Person 1.”

[19] A stepfamily with no step or half-siblings. All children are the biological or adopted children of one and only one spouse or partner in the couple.

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[24] A stepfamily with at least one step or half-sibling, in any of the following configurations: a family in which there is at least one child of both spouses or partners in the couple and at least one child of only one spouse or partner in the couple, a family in which there is at least one child of each spouse or partner in the couple and no children of both spouses or partners in the couple, a family in which there is at least one child of both spouses or partners in the couple and at least one child of each spouse or partner in the couple.

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