



Data tables, 2016 Census

Employment Income Statistics (7), Occupation - National Occupational Classification (NOC) 2016 (193A), Work Activity During the Reference Year (9) and Sex (3) for the Population Aged 15 Years and Over in Private Households of Canada, Provinces and Territories and Census Metropolitan Areas, 2016 Census - 25% Sample Data

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Work activity during the reference year (9) ¹

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Total - Work activity during the reference year

Sex (3)

Total - Sex

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Total - occupation - National Occupational Classification (NOC) 2016 ²	32,330	27,155	52,996	63,796	26,420	53,650	64,120
Occupation - not applicable ⁴	6,765	2,595	4,271	16,359	2,505	4,240	16,219
All occupations ⁵	25,565	24,555	59,841	68,809	23,915	60,540	69,139
0 Management occupations	2,935	2,880	101,681	109,922	2,810	102,962	111,059
00 Senior management occupations	510	500	106,641	128,152	490	109,169	129,487
001 Legislators and senior management	505	505	106,641	128,152	490	109,169	129,487
01-05 Specialized middle management occupations	1,225	1,220	116,316	119,976	1,195	116,700	120,572
011 Administrative services managers	365	365	113,728	127,046	350	113,855	127,316
012 Managers in financial and business services	155	155	103,213	106,604	145	108,701	110,881
013 Managers in communication (except broadcasting)	10	10	0	0	10	0	0
021 Managers in engineering, architecture, science and information systems	90	90	116,453	129,084	90	116,453	129,106
031 Managers in health care	55	55	101,496	103,634	55	101,496	103,462
041 Managers in public administration	215	210	128,476	129,039	210	128,434	127,290
042 Managers in education and social and community services	215	215	122,253	115,123	215	122,278	115,497
043 Managers in public protection services	85	85	115,199	116,968	85	118,852	117,200
051 Managers in art, culture, recreation and sport	35	30	103,859	91,502	35	121,890	94,744
06 Middle management occupations in retail and wholesale trade and customer services	690	665	61,672	71,179	645	62,292	71,959
060 Corporate sales managers	20	20	67,634	75,590	20	67,634	75,590
062 Retail and wholesale trade managers	455	445	70,042	77,694	435	70,190	77,628
063 Managers in food service and accommodation	195	180	47,658	58,487	170	47,790	60,322

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065 Managers in customer and personal services, n.e.c.	25	20	43,956	40,818	20	44,006	43,718
07-09 Middle management occupations in trades, transportation, production and utilities	510	495	108,157	118,964	480	111,681	121,173
071 Managers in construction and facility operation and maintenance	260	245	91,460	92,731	235	94,123	95,331
073 Managers in transportation	90	90	91,103	113,492	90	93,270	114,669
081 Managers in natural resources production and fishing	85	85	215,669	196,684	85	215,669	196,683
082 Managers in agriculture, horticulture and aquaculture	0	10	0	0	10	0	0
091 Managers in manufacturing and utilities	65	65	136,424	129,517	65	136,424	129,859
1 Business, finance and administration occupations	4,240	4,165	66,791	68,000	4,095	66,851	67,884
11 Professional occupations in business and finance	605	595	91,770	90,736	565	94,521	91,218
111 Auditors, accountants and investment professionals	290	280	102,446	96,191	275	101,688	94,171
112 Human resources and business service professionals	315	310	84,932	85,783	290	89,165	88,418
12 Administrative and financial supervisors and administrative occupations	1,650	1,620	73,110	71,090	1,595	73,056	71,214
121 Administrative services supervisors	140	135	102,582	89,033	125	105,772	94,919
122 Administrative and regulatory occupations	910	880	78,220	77,877	875	78,071	77,485
124 Office administrative assistants - General, legal and medical	550	545	58,621	55,689	540	59,651	55,765
125 Court reporters, transcriptionists, records management technicians and statistical officers	60	60	72,868	70,741	60	72,868	69,777
13 Finance, insurance and related business administrative occupations	315	310	72,227	71,065	300	72,374	71,581
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14 Office support occupations	1,285	1,260	52,109	54,141	1,250	52,041	53,817
141 General office workers	740	720	43,104	46,362	710	43,075	46,238
142 Office equipment operators	60	60	24,361	41,545	60	24,361	41,598
143 Financial, insurance and related administrative support workers	345	345	74,260	70,261	345	73,056	69,152
145 Library, correspondence and other clerks	140	135	54,744	60,034	135	54,744	60,007
15 Distribution, tracking and scheduling co-ordination occupations	385	380	56,440	62,654	375	56,357	62,327
151 Mail and message distribution occupations	75	75	19,338	32,123	80	19,338	31,444
152 Supply chain logistics, tracking and scheduling co-ordination occupations	310	300	62,339	70,457	300	62,246	70,246
2 Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	1,635	1,615	90,474	88,808	1,595	91,722	89,093
21 Professional occupations in natural and applied sciences	645	630	101,903	98,652	625	103,092	98,838
211 Physical science professionals	50	55	101,081	93,003	55	101,081	93,610
212 Life science professionals	130	135	105,343	101,886	125	110,154	101,682
213 Civil, mechanical, electrical and chemical engineers	95	95	115,168	107,239	95	115,168	107,239
214 Other engineers	55	45	131,456	132,366	50	131,456	132,366
215 Architects, urban planners and land surveyors	140	135	84,968	83,283	135	84,968	83,282

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216 Mathematicians, statisticians and actuaries	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
217 Computer and information systems professionals	175	165	101,422	94,620	160	101,236	95,326
22 Technical occupations related to natural and applied sciences	990	980	81,465	82,428	975	82,521	82,834
221 Technical occupations in physical sciences	65	70	102,165	96,117	70	102,165	96,117
222 Technical occupations in life sciences	100	95	84,469	79,239	100	84,469	79,230
223 Technical occupations in civil, mechanical and industrial engineering	45	50	97,039	91,249	50	97,039	91,249
224 Technical occupations in electronics and electrical engineering	155	155	78,171	82,291	145	86,237	85,103
225 Technical occupations in architecture, drafting, surveying, geomatics and meteorology	105	105	88,507	88,333	105	88,507	88,255
226 Other technical inspectors and regulatory officers	115	115	93,149	93,534	115	93,149	93,591
227 Transportation officers and controllers	265	265	56,110	66,391	265	56,110	66,412
228 Technical occupations in computer and information systems	130	130	94,538	93,029	130	94,538	92,866
3 Health occupations	1,285	1,270	83,736	90,887	1,230	83,936	90,351
30 Professional occupations in nursing	410	410	105,574	98,386	405	105,574	98,107
301 Professional occupations in nursing	410	410	105,574	98,386	410	105,574	98,107
31 Professional occupations in health (except nursing)	250	250	119,022	145,352	225	119,100	146,300
311 Physicians, dentists and veterinarians	90	95	150,471	217,650	75	197,130	230,370
312 Optometrists, chiropractors and other health diagnosing and treating professionals	45	50	124,372	123,570	40	124,736	131,081
313 Pharmacists, dietitians and nutritionists	35	35	134,323	114,677	30	133,998	114,430
314 Therapy and assessment professionals	75	75	90,090	83,267	70	90,090	83,152
32 Technical occupations in health	265	265	72,638	72,974	245	73,043	74,480
321 Medical technologists and technicians (except dental health)	95	95	67,721	72,241	100	67,721	71,994
322 Technical occupations in dental health care	35	40	90,738	88,563	35	90,684	88,162
323 Other technical occupations in health care	130	130	65,833	69,207	110	75,823	72,334
34 Assisting occupations in support of health services	360	350	62,068	56,973	350	60,259	56,352
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4 Occupations in education, law and social, community and government services	4,370	4,205	77,081	76,618	4,125	77,494	76,267
40 Professional occupations in education services	1,005	990	98,626	88,794	980	99,411	88,222
401 University professors and post-secondary assistants	20	20	22,299	20,683	20	22,299	20,292
402 College and other vocational instructors	170	165	108,625	89,523	165	108,896	87,942
403 Secondary and elementary school teachers and educational counsellors	810	800	98,350	90,502	795	99,333	90,146
41 Professional occupations in law and social, community and government services	1,280	1,255	100,374	97,247	1,220	100,302	96,215

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411 Judges, lawyers and Quebec notaries	150	150	136,674	137,962	135	136,501	135,342
415 Social and community service professionals	325	310	97,035	83,890	305	96,806	80,921
416 Policy and program researchers, consultants and officers	805	795	96,620	94,796	780	97,205	95,339
42 Paraprofessional occupations in legal, social, community and education services	775	745	38,608	45,677	730	38,494	45,403
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43 Occupations in front-line public protection services	450	445	87,365	85,315	445	87,441	85,455
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44 Care providers and educational, legal and public protection support occupations	865	775	48,660	52,438	755	48,840	52,753
441 Home care providers and educational support occupations	655	570	40,785	43,987	555	41,510	44,214
442 Legal and public protection support occupations	210	200	86,461	76,678	200	84,925	76,386
5 Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	690	605	23,575	40,040	560	22,940	40,898
51 Professional occupations in art and culture	235	205	40,370	47,981	185	47,002	50,709
511 Librarians, archivists, conservators and curators	30	25	90,154	71,065	30	90,154	70,243
512 Writing, translating and related communications professionals	135	130	26,339	41,145	110	35,962	43,112
513 Creative and performing artists	70	50	65,791	53,324	45	66,655	57,758
52 Technical occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	455	400	19,113	35,942	375	19,155	36,038
521 Technical occupations in libraries, public archives, museums and art galleries	75	70	34,092	45,781	65	22,636	41,328
522 Photographers, graphic arts technicians and technical and co-ordinating occupations in motion pictures, broadcasting and the performing arts	50	45	66,400	78,642	40	66,549	83,798
523 Announcers and other performers, n.e.c.	25	25	85,702	75,157	20	85,702	75,157
524 Creative designers and craftspersons	110	100	26,825	30,653	75	30,742	34,183
525 Athletes, coaches, referees and related occupations	195	170	13,879	18,820	170	13,092	18,323
6 Sales and service occupations	5,050	4,760	23,087	35,588	4,645	23,078	35,549
62 Retail sales supervisors and specialized sales occupations	225	220	49,107	100,349	220	49,107	99,473
621 Retail sales supervisors	115	115	39,983	41,957	110	39,983	41,957
622 Technical sales specialists in wholesale trade and retail and wholesale buyers	40	40	104,220	267,933	40	104,220	267,925
623 Insurance, real estate and financial sales occupations	70	65	59,918	98,056	70	59,918	95,232
63 Service supervisors and specialized service occupations	625	590	32,479	38,835	560	32,682	38,923
631 Service supervisors	65	65	50,139	58,624	65	50,139	59,070
632 Chefs and cooks	380	355	27,117	34,729	350	27,128	34,628
633 Butchers and bakers	55	55	35,914	37,363	55	35,914	37,363

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634 Specialized occupations in personal and customer services	120	120	41,868	40,992	95	35,507	42,016
64 Sales representatives and salespersons - Wholesale and retail trade	600	585	23,442	34,608	575	23,547	34,348
641 Sales and account representatives - Wholesale trade (non-technical)	20	15	0	0	15	0	0
642 Retail salespersons	575	565	21,817	32,523	555	22,315	32,222
65 Service representatives and other customer and personal services occupations	1,000	960	29,674	41,178	935	30,398	41,712
651 Occupations in food and beverage service	220	210	15,894	17,167	210	15,611	17,116
652 Occupations in travel and accommodation	260	245	38,504	42,189	250	38,396	41,749
653 Tourism and amusement services occupations	50	50	12,771	20,724	40	12,802	20,940
654 Security guards and related security service occupations	220	210	44,548	52,596	205	40,854	52,498
655 Customer and information services representatives	190	190	60,368	60,933	185	62,738	61,298
656 Other occupations in personal service	65	65	17,868	36,596	45	19,656	46,655
66 Sales support occupations	1,035	955	9,643	16,072	950	9,611	16,060
661 Cashiers	605	560	7,981	14,874	555	7,974	14,857
662 Other sales support and related occupations	430	400	11,675	17,760	395	11,691	17,767
67 Service support and other service occupations, n.e.c.	1,580	1,450	23,431	33,922	1,405	23,496	33,715
671 Food counter attendants, kitchen helpers and related support occupations	405	350	16,098	24,948	340	16,111	24,823
672 Support occupations in accommodation, travel and amusement services	35	35	8,284	16,874	35	8,292	17,255
673 Cleaners	1,110	1,045	27,415	37,681	1,015	27,463	37,310
674 Other service support and related occupations, n.e.c.	25	25	0	0	15	0	0
7 Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	4,185	3,975	50,026	60,000	3,815	52,319	61,148
72 Industrial, electrical and construction trades	1,065	1,020	55,209	65,205	970	57,165	65,913
720 Contractors and supervisors, industrial, electrical and construction trades and related workers	100	95	80,367	82,429	90	87,023	84,323
723 Machining, metal forming, shaping and erecting trades	125	125	73,976	71,280	120	74,201	73,221
724 Electrical trades and electrical power line and telecommunications workers	240	235	90,615	93,044	230	91,502	94,989
725 Plumbers, pipefitters and gas fitters	140	135	60,470	71,977	130	59,580	64,784
727 Carpenters and cabinetmakers	375	355	37,915	43,865	325	38,418	44,921
728 Masonry and plastering trades	15	10	0	0	15	0	0
729 Other construction trades	70	60	19,041	33,980	55	18,977	34,619
73 Maintenance and equipment operation trades	710	680	84,413	87,587	665	84,331	88,446
730 Contractors and supervisors, maintenance trades and heavy equipment and transport operators	140	135	95,927	93,995	130	97,972	95,020
731 Machinery and transportation equipment mechanics (except motor vehicles)	300	300	86,933	94,699	295	88,619	95,069

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732 Automotive service technicians	190	170	80,114	77,160	160	79,899	78,505
733 Other mechanics and related repairers	35	35	58,513	53,865	35	63,235	55,507
736 Train crew operating occupations	0	0	0	0	10	0	0
737 Crane operators, drillers and blasters	25	30	118,563	98,686	25	118,563	98,581
738 Printing press operators and other trades and related occupations, n.e.c.	10	15	0	0	10	0	0
74 Other installers, repairers and servicers and material handlers	190	185	42,075	49,619	185	42,008	48,353
744 Other installers, repairers and servicers	50	45	30,252	44,735	45	30,252	44,679
745 Longshore workers and material handlers	145	145	42,541	51,077	145	42,226	49,451
75 Transport and heavy equipment operation and related maintenance occupations	1,595	1,495	47,792	57,116	1,405	51,291	59,796
751 Motor vehicle and transit drivers	850	785	39,361	49,530	700	44,248	53,746
752 Heavy equipment operators	560	550	68,268	70,855	545	68,365	71,081
753 Other transport equipment operators and related maintenance workers	185	170	42,045	47,547	160	42,082	48,030
76 Trades helpers, construction labourers and related occupations	625	590	17,097	29,854	590	17,055	29,867
761 Trades helpers and labourers	460	440	16,661	27,901	445	16,510	27,885
762 Public works and other labourers, n.e.c.	160	150	17,789	35,588	150	17,965	35,709
8 Natural resources, agriculture and related production occupations	790	715	42,444	66,578	690	43,219	67,483
82 Supervisors and technical occupations in natural resources, agriculture and related production	320	305	106,724	102,756	290	110,644	105,276
821 Supervisors, logging and forestry	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
822 Contractors and supervisors, mining, oil and gas	90	90	159,831	148,324	90	159,831	147,484
823 Underground miners, oil and gas drillers and related occupations	150	150	111,708	107,047	145	111,664	106,884
824 Logging machinery operators	25	20	54,101	44,200	25	44,885	42,262
825 Contractors and supervisors, agriculture, horticulture and related operations and services	10	10	0	0	10	0	0
826 Fishing vessel masters and fishermen/women	40	30	6,128	14,561	25	5,200	14,629
84 Workers in natural resources, agriculture and related production	230	205	22,376	36,238	190	22,322	36,554
841 Mine service workers and operators in oil and gas drilling	50	45	84,122	83,031	50	84,122	83,031
842 Logging and forestry workers	100	90	21,151	22,611	80	19,136	21,863
843 Agriculture and horticulture workers	30	30	18,100	15,846	30	18,100	15,627
844 Other workers in fishing and trapping and hunting occupations	50	35	9,840	24,227	35	9,920	25,209
86 Harvesting, landscaping and natural resources labourers	240	205	18,643	42,933	205	17,479	42,319
861 Harvesting, landscaping and natural resources labourers	240	210	18,643	42,933	205	17,479	42,319
9 Occupations in manufacturing and utilities	380	360	71,650	79,371	360	70,953	78,452
92 Processing, manufacturing and utilities supervisors and central control operators	220	215	103,230	106,889	210	103,134	106,668
921 Supervisors, processing and manufacturing occupations	20	15	98,408	90,880	15	95,080	88,027

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922 Supervisors, assembly and fabrication	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
923 Central control and process operators in processing and manufacturing	30	30	174,879	178,814	30	174,879	178,814
924 Utilities equipment operators and controllers	165	160	99,346	95,663	165	99,346	95,569
94 Processing and manufacturing machine operators and related production workers	55	55	28,822	49,644	55	28,822	49,164
941 Machine operators and related workers in mineral and metal products processing and manufacturing	20	20	50,756	47,539	20	50,756	47,418
942 Machine operators and related workers in chemical, plastic and rubber processing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
943 Machine operators and related workers in pulp and paper production and wood processing and manufacturing	10	10	0	0	10	0	0
944 Machine operators and related workers in textile, fabric, fur and leather products processing and manufacturing	10	10	0	0	10	0	0
946 Machine operators and related workers in food, beverage and associated products processing	10	10	0	0	10	0	0
947 Printing equipment operators and related occupations	0	10	0	0	0	0	0
95 Assemblers in manufacturing	30	30	39,172	47,819	30	24,958	40,124
952 Mechanical, electrical and electronics assemblers	10	10	0	0	10	0	0
953 Other assembly and related occupations	15	20	32,389	28,503	20	12,960	16,531
96 Labourers in processing, manufacturing and utilities	75	70	20,535	29,580	65	20,535	29,354
961 Labourers in processing, manufacturing and utilities	80	65	20,535	29,580	70	20,535	29,354

Symbol(s)

- .. not available for a specific reference period
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- F too unreliable to be published

Footnote(s)

1 Refers to the number of weeks in which a person aged 15 years and over worked for pay or in self-employment in 2015 at all jobs held, even if only for a few hours, and whether these weeks were mostly full time (30 hours or more per week) or mostly part time (less than 30 hours per week).

2 Employment income - All income received as wages, salaries and commissions from paid employment and net self-employment income from farm or non-farm unincorporated business and/or professional practice during the reference period.

Wages, salaries and commissions - Gross wages and salaries before deductions for such items as income taxes, pension plan contributions and employment insurance premiums during the reference period. While other employee remuneration such as security options benefits, board and lodging and other taxable allowances and benefits are included in this source, employers' contributions to pension plans and employment insurance plans are excluded. Other receipts included in this source are military pay and allowances, tips, commissions and cash bonuses associated with paid employment, benefits from wage-loss replacement plans or income-maintenance insurance plans, supplementary unemployment benefits from an employer or union, research grants, royalties from a work or invention with no associated expenses and all types of casual earnings during the reference period.

For the 2016 Census, the reference period is the calendar year 2015 for all income variables.

The median income of a specified group is the amount that divides the income distribution of that group into two halves, i.e., the incomes of half of the units in that group are below the median, while those of the other half are above the median. Median incomes of individuals are calculated for those with income (positive or negative).

Average income of a specified group is calculated by dividing the aggregate income of that group by the number of units in that group. Average incomes of individuals are calculated for those with income (positive or negative).

3 Refers to the kind of work performed by persons aged 15 years and over as determined by their kind of work and the description of the main activities in their job. The occupation data are produced according to the NOC 2016.

4 Includes persons aged 15 years and over who never worked for pay or self-employment or last worked for pay or self-employment prior to 2015.

5 Includes persons aged 15 years and over who have worked at some point in time between January 2015 and May 2016.

Data quality note(s) – Northwest Territories / Territoires du Nord-Ouest

- **Incomplete enumeration flag**

Default. Not applicable.

- **Long-form data quality flag**

Global non-response rate (GNR), long-form census questionnaire: 8.8%.

- **Long-form income data quality flag**

Data quality index showing a long-form income non-response rate higher than or equal to 10%, but lower than 20%.

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