



Data tables, 2016 Census

Population, Dwellings and Households (8) of Canada, Provinces and Territories, 1981 to 2016 Censuses - 100% Data

Data table

Nunavut								
Population, dwellings and households (8)	Census year (8)							
	2016	2011	2006	2001	1996 ¹	1991 ²	1986 ³	1981 ⁴
Total population ⁵	35,945	31,910	29,475	26,745	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)
Total - Dwellings occupied by usual residents	9,870	8,705	7,905	7,220	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)
Private dwellings occupied by usual residents	9,820	8,665	7,855	7,175	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)
Collective dwellings occupied by usual residents	50	40	50	45	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)
Total - Population in dwellings ⁶	35,920	31,905	29,470	26,745	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)
Population in private dwellings ⁷	35,580	31,700	29,200	26,525	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)
Average household size in private dwellings	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)
Population in collective dwellings	340	205	270	220	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)	.. (not available for a specific reference period)

Symbol(s)

- .. not available for a specific reference period
- ... not applicable
- x suppressed to meet the confidentiality requirements of the *Statistics Act*
- F too unreliable to be published

Footnote(s)

- ¹ Prior to its creation as a territory on April 1, 1999, Nunavut was part of the Northwest Territories.
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- 5 In each census year, the figure for the 'total population' is equal to the 'population in private dwellings' plus 'population in collective dwellings' plus persons residing outside Canada on government, military or diplomatic postings (counts for this last sub-group are not usually published separately). In the data of the 1991 Census, there is a discrepancy between the total population and the sum of these three sub-groups, equal to 92,584 or 0.3% for Canada, due to coverage adjustments made to the database at that time.
- 6 Population in dwellings excludes persons residing outside Canada on government, military or diplomatic postings.
- 7 Population in private dwellings is equivalent to the population in private households. A private household corresponds to the usual residents living in a private dwelling.

Data quality note(s) – Nunavut

- **Incomplete enumeration flag**
Default. Not applicable.
- **Short-form data quality flag**
Global non-response rate (GNR), short-form census questionnaire: 7.9%.
- **Short-form income data quality flag**
Data quality index showing a short-form income non-response rate higher than or equal to 10%, but lower than 20%.

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