

Aboriginal Population in Canada, derived from census data

	Canada			Nova Scotia		
	Total Population	Aboriginal Population	As %	Total Population	Aboriginal Population	As %
1996 (1)	28846761	799010	2.77	909282	12380	2.57
2001 (2)	30007094	976310	3.25	908007	17010	1.87
2006 (3)	31612897	1172785	3.71	913462	24175	2.65

Sources:

(1) Statistics Canada. Census of Population, ALL TABLES, 1996 - Canada, Provinces and Territories (table), 1996 Census of Population (Provinces, Census Divisions, Municipalities) (database), Using E-STAT (distributor).

(2) Statistics Canada. Census of Population: All Tables, 2001 - Canada, Provinces and Territories (table), 2001 Census of Population (Provinces, Census Divisions, Municipalities) (database), Using E-STAT (distributor).

(3) Statistics Canada. Cumulative Profile, 2006 - Canada, Provinces and Territories (table), 2006 Census of Population (Provinces, Census Divisions, Municipalities) (database), Using E-STAT (distributor).

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Table 251-0001 - Adult correctional services, admissions to provincial, territorial and federal programs, annual(1)
Survey or program details: Adult Correctional Services - 3306

Jurisdiction	Canada		Provinces and territories		Federal jurisdiction	
	Total admissions (number)	Aboriginal as %	Total admissions (number)	Aboriginal as %	Total admissions (number)	Aboriginal as %
1978	83833		83837	15	3448	
1979	84154		81217	14	2937	
1980	82584		89529	13	3055	
1981	100876		97205	13	3671	
1982	119572	13	115536	13	4036	9
1983	116694	13	112635	13	4059	10
1984	108446	15	104890	15	3956	10
1985	100295	18	100219	18	4076	10
1986	100743	15	97002	16	3741	10
1987	101158	20	96910	20	4248	11
1988	99761	16	95442	16	4319	13
1989	98533	15	93870	15	4663	11
1990	98935	16	94289	16	4646	12
1991	103431	11	98087	11	5344	11
1992	103629	11	98046	11	5580	13
1993	103410	14	97768	14	5642	12
1994	103099	14	98174	14	4925	13
1995	100618	12	96217	12	4401	12
1996	95813	12	91468	12	4345	17
1997	88576	11	84161	11	4417	18
1998	82200	13	77554	13	4646	18
1999	78509	14	72157	14	4352	17
2000	70349	15	66069	15	4280	18
2001	72054	16	67991	16	4063	18
2002	73209	19	68948	19	4261	18
2003	68964	19	64750	19	4214	18
2004	66971	20	62388	20	4583	18
2005	92613	23	87943	23	4870	19
2006	90551	24	84897	24	5154	18

Footnotes

- 1 Adult correctional services survey and Integrated correctional services survey, Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics (CCJS), Statistics Canada. Fiscal year (April 1 through March 31). Due to rounding, figures may not add to totals. These data are administrative data. Although the surveys attempt to standardize the way in which status changes are counted, limitations due to differences among jurisdictional operations may restrict uniform application of the definitions in some situations. For this reason, inter-jurisdictional comparisons of the data should be made with caution. Nevertheless, as a result of consistent counting practices within jurisdictions over time, statements may be made about the trends within each jurisdiction. For more information on the concepts, methods and quality of the data contained in this table, consult the Definitions, data sources and methods. For further information, see the Definitions, data sources and methods.
- 2 Canada totals represent the sum or weighted average of provincial and territorial government and federal government figures as applicable. In 2005/2006, all custodial admissions and total and conditional release community admissions for 2001/2002 and 2002/2003 were revised.
- 3 Data represent the total or weighted average for all reporting jurisdictions, and therefore not a complete provincial and territorial total where data for some jurisdictions are incomplete or not available. In 2005/2006, total and other statuses custodial admissions for 2001/2002 and 2002/2003 were revised.
- 4 Federal values represent the total for the 5 Correctional Service Canada regions. Data commencing in 2001/2002 are from the new Integrated Correctional Services Survey and have been tabulated from micro-data. Accordingly, comparisons to data from previous years and products should be made with caution. In 2005/2006, all data from 2001/2002 on were revised.
- 5 Sentenced admissions for provincial and territorial programs and warrant of committal admissions for federal programs are reported in this category. Provincial and territorial sentenced admissions include intermittent sentences for some jurisdictions and provincial and territorial inmate admissions as well as federal inmates admitted to the provincial and territorial system during an appeal period prior to being transferred to a federal penitentiary. Federal data represents admissions of federal jurisdiction offenders to federal or provincial or territorial facilities.
- 6 Canada total and federal figures are not available prior to 1982/1983.

Source:
Statistics Canada. Table 251-0001 - Adult correctional services, admissions to provincial, territorial and federal programs, annual (table), CANSIM (database), Using E-STAT (distributor).
http://estat.statcan.gc.ca/cgi-win/cnsmcqi.exe?Lang=E&EST-F=EStat/English/CIL_1-eng.htm
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Table 251-0002 - Adult correctional services, admissions to provincial and territorial programs, annual(1)
Survey or program details: Adult Correctional Services - 3306

Geography	Provinces and territories		Nova Scotia	
	Total admissions (number)	Aboriginal as %	Total admissions (number)	Aboriginal as %
1978	83387		2933	
1979	81217		2989	
1980	89529		2824	
1981	97205		3026	
1982	115536		3285	
1983	112635		3625	
1984	104890		4123	
1985	100219		3090	4
1986	97002		2965	4
1987	96910		2912	4
1988	95442		2613	5
1989	93870		1767	3
1990	94289		1927	3
1991	98087		2140	4
1992	98046		2542	4
1993	97768		2743	4
1994	98174		2748	3
1995	96217		2822	4
1996	91468		2113	5
1997	84161		1914	4
1998	77554		1964	5
1999	72157		1825	6
2000	66069		1624	7
2001	67991		1507	7
2002	68948		1550	7
2003	64750		1523	8
2004	62388		1667	7
2005	87943		1550	9
2006	84897		1798	8

Footnotes

- 1 Adult correctional services survey and Integrated correctional services survey, Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics (CCJS), Statistics Canada. Fiscal year (Apr
- 2 Data represent the total or weighted average for all reporting jurisdictions, and therefore not a complete provincial and territorial total where data for some jurisc
- 3 For 1981/1982 and 1982/1983, intermittent sentences are estimated. In 1982/1983, the median time served on remand represents the average time served, calc
- 4 Sentenced admissions include intermittent sentences for some jurisdictions, including Newfoundland and Labrador, Quebec, Ontario, Saskatchewan, British Co
- 5 For most jurisdictions, percentages shown for 1981/1982 and 1982/1983 are estimates. For the following jurisdictions, the calculations exclude intermittent sent
- 6 The following figures are unavailable: 1984/1985, 1985/1986, and 1987/1988 for Quebec, prior to 1985/1986 for Nova Scotia, 1991/1992 and 1992/1993 for Ont
- 7 Data commencing in 2002/2003 are from the new Integrated Correctional Services Survey and have been tabulated from micro-data. Accordingly, comparisons

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Statistics Canada. Table 251-0002 - Adult correctional services, admissions to provincial and territorial programs, annual (table), CANSIM (database), Using E-STAT (distributor).
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Table 251-0012 - Youth custody and community services (YCCS), admissions to correctional services, by sex and aboriginal identity, annual (number)(1,9)

Survey or program details: Youth Custody and Community Services - 3323

Jurisdiction Correctional Service by Type	Canada Total correctional services			Canada ††Total secure custody			Canada †††Total open custody			Canada †††Total community sentences		
	Total admissions	Admissions of aboriginal identity	As %	Total admissions	Admissions of aboriginal identity	As %	Total admissions	Admissions of aboriginal identity	As %	Total admissions	Admissions of aboriginal identity	As %
1998-1999	71520	9304	13.01%	8851	1285	14.52%	8410	1278	15.20%			
1999-2000	70189	10222	14.56%	7850	1413	18.00%	8386	1599	19.07%			
2000-2001	66270	9717	14.66%	7426	1333	17.95%	8303	1562	18.81%			
2001-2002	66473	10481	15.77%	6958	1346	19.34%	7951	1535	19.31%			
2002-2003	70327	10139	14.42%	7385	1285	17.40%	7702	1292	16.77%			
2003-2004	52430	8468	16.15%	4814	1003	20.84%	4527	1057	23.35%			
2004-2005	58453	9383	16.05%	3239	695	21.46%	3087	779	25.23%	37906	4797	12.65%
2005-2006	53971	10395	19.26%	2927	708	24.19%	2909	799	27.47%	31086	5582	17.96%
2006-2007	57948	10452	18.04%	2896	648	22.38%	2783	705	25.33%	35463	5487	15.47%
2007-2008	57926	10580	18.26%	2328	613	26.33%	2361	664	28.12%	35665	5660	15.87%
2008-2009	57892	10365	17.90%	2185	515	23.57%	2272	630	27.73%	35673	5368	15.05%

Jurisdiction Correctional Service by Type	Nova Scotia Total correctional services			Nova Scotia ††Total secure custody			Nova Scotia †††Total open custody			Nova Scotia †††Total community sentences		
	Total admissions	Admissions of aboriginal identity	As %	Total admissions	Admissions of aboriginal identity	As %	Total admissions	Admissions of aboriginal identity	As %	Total admissions	Admissions of aboriginal identity	As %
1998-1999	2528	115	4.55%	56	3	5.36%	356	14	3.93%			
1999-2000	2446	112	4.58%	62	4	6.45%	362	13	3.59%			
2000-2001	2270	95	4.19%	45	2	4.44%	364	11	3.02%			
2001-2002	1962	81	4.13%	25	5	20.00%	344	18	5.23%			
2002-2003	1856	82	4.42%	30	1	3.33%	287	9	3.14%			
2003-2004	1621	72	4.44%	33	4	12.12%	282	10	3.55%			
2004-2005	1269	80	6.30%	20	0	0.00%	140	9	6.43%	892	59	6.61%
2005-2006	1196	80	6.69%	16	3	18.75%	120	5	4.17%	855	47	5.50%
2006-2007	612	47	7.68%	5	1	20.00%	141	10	7.09%	214	17	7.94%
2007-2008	719	66	9.18%	2	0	0.00%	161	16	9.94%	212	20	9.43%
2008-2009	745	51	6.85%	10	2	20.00%	148	5	3.38%	194	9	4.64%

Footnotes Youth custody and community services in Canada, Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics, Statistics Canada. Fiscal year April 1 through March 31. For more information on the concepts, methods and quality of the data contained in this table, consult the Definitions, data sources and methods <http://www.statcan.gc.ca/imdb-bmdi/3323-eng.htm>. For further information, please contact the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics, 19th Floor, R.H. Coats Building, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0T6 (613) 951-9023 or toll-free 1 800 387-2231 or by e-mail at ccjccsj@statcan.gc.ca.

2 Data represent the total for all reporting jurisdictions, and therefore, not a complete national total where data for some jurisdictions are incomplete or not available.

6 Ontario did not report pre-trial detention for 12 to 15-year-olds prior to 2004/2005 and data for 12 to 15-year-olds was not provided for 2002/2003. As a result, caution is recommended when making trend comparisons for Canada.

9 Data were revised for the years 2003/04 to 2005/06, in the 2007/2008 data release.

13 Indicates whether the youth is Aboriginal. Aboriginal identity includes North American Indian, Metis and Inuit whether registered or not. Please note that this variable is self-reported and data availability varies among jurisdictions.

14 Totals for secure and open custody include Youth Criminal Justice Act (YCJA) and Young Offenders Act (YOA) based admissions.

17 A facility is considered secure when youths are detained by security devices, including those which operate with full perimeter security features and/or where youths are under constant observation. The extent to which facilities are 'secure' varies across jurisdictions.

20 Custody in (a) a community residential centre, group home, childcare institution, or forest or wilderness camp or (b) any like place or facility. A facility is considered 'open' when there is minimal use of security devices or perimeter security. The extent to which facilities are 'open' varies across jurisdictions.

21 Include all services in which young persons may be supervised in the community, such as probation, the community portion of a custody and supervision order, deferred custody, restitution and community service orders.

27 Total secure custody: The sum of the types of secure custody will not equal total secure custody because the following types of secure custody are not listed in the data table, but are included in the total: custody and supervision (murder); custody and supervision (other presumptive); intensive rehabilitative custody and supervision.

28 Total open custody: The sum of the types of open custody will not equal total open custody because the following types of open custody are not listed in the data table, but are included in the total: custody and supervision (murder); custody and supervision (other presumptive); intensive rehabilitative custody and supervision.

29 Total community: The sum of the types of community programs will not equal total community because the following types of community programs are not listed in the data table, but are included in the total: custody and supervision (murder); custody and supervision (other presumptive); intensive rehabilitative custody and supervision; non-residential supervision.

30 In July 2008, the number of admissions to secure custody and open custody for 2003/2004 and 2004/2005 were revised.

32 Some pre-trial detention and total correctional services admissions counts were updated for the years 2001/2002 and 2002/2003 for in Quebec, and have affected Canada totals for the same categories. Therefore, use caution when comparing these data with prior years.

Source: Statistics Canada. Table 251-0012 - Youth custody and community services (YCCS), admissions to correctional services, by sex and aboriginal identity, annual (number) (table), CANSIM (database), Using E-STAT (distributor).

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