

THE BLACK POPULATION* IN PEEL, 2001: FACT SHEET

Population

Male	33,550	47.5%
Female	37,095	52.5%
Total Black Population	70,645	100.0%

Age Groups

0-4 years	6,305	8.9%
5-9 years	7,420	10.5%
10-14 years	6,485	9.2%
15-24 years	11,555	16.4%
25-44 years	22,530	31.9%
45-64 years	13,505	19.1%
65+ Years	2,865	4.1%
Total	70,645	100.0%

Place of Birth

Total Population	70,645	100.0%
Born in Canada	30,050	42.5%
Born outside Canada	40,600	57.5%

Period of Immigration

Total Immigrant Population	39,745	100.0%
Before 1961	355	0.9%
1961-1970	5,405	13.6%
1971-1980	12,500	31.5%
1981-1990	8,835	22.2%
1991-2001	12,645	31.8%

Language (Mother Tongue) [single/multiple responses]

Total Population	70,645	100.0%
English	64,870	91.8%
French	545	0.8%
Non-official languages	5,230	7.4%

Marital Status

Total Population Aged 15+	50,425	100.0%
Never married (single)	21,775	43.2%
Legally married (and not separated)	20,930	41.5%
Separated, but still legally married	2,930	5.8%
Divorced	3,615	7.2%
Widowed	1,175	2.3%

Home Ownership

Total Population	70,645	100.0%
Owners	46,835	66.3%
Renters	23,810	33.7%

Census Family Status

Total Population	70,645	100.0%
Census family persons	63,185	89.4%
Spouse	20,325	28.8%
Common-law partners	2,805	4.0%
Lone parents	6,985	9.9%
Children in census families	33,070	46.8%
Non-family persons	7,460	10.6%

Household Living Arrangements

Total Population	70,645	100.0%
Total persons in family households	66,385	94.0%
Number of non-family persons	3,205	4.5%
Living with relatives	2,025	2.9%
Living with non-relatives	1,175	1.7%
Total persons in non-family households	4,255	6.0%
Living with relatives	610	0.9%
Living with non-relatives only	1,055	1.5%
Living alone	2,590	3.7%

Education

Total Population Aged 15+	50,445	100.0%
Less than Grade 9	1,805	3.6%
Grades 9 to 13	17,200	34.1%
Without Certificate	10,310	20.4%
With Certificate	6,890	13.7%
Trades Certificate or Diploma	5,920	11.7%
College	16,475	32.7%
Without Certificate or Diploma	4,775	9.5%
With Certificate or Diploma	11,700	23.2%
University	9,040	17.9%
Without Degree	3,505	6.9%
With Bachelor's Degree or higher	5,535	11.0%

Employment

Participation rate	79%
Employment rate	73%
Unemployment rate	7%

Income (2000) [Individual]

Average employment income	\$29,226
Median employment income	\$27,984

Source of Income

Employment income	88.4%
Government transfer payments	7.6%
Other	4.0%

Low Income Persons

Total Persons in Economic Families	65,825
Low income	11,185
Incidence of low income in 2000	17.0%

Total Unattached Individuals	4,690
Low income	1,620
Incidence of low income in 2000	34.5%

Total Population in Private Households	70,510
Low income	12,810
Incidence of low income in 2000	18.2%

* All Black Population figures are for residents in private households.

Source: The Social Planning Council of Peel (based on Statistics Canada, Custom Cross-Tabulation, Census 2001).
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