

# THE VISIBLE MINORITY POPULATION IN PEEL, 2006\*

## Population

Male	283,760	49.2%
Female	292,500	50.8%
Total Visible Minorities	576,260	100.0%

## Age Groups

0 - 4 years	46,840	8.1%
5 - 9 years	48,660	8.4%
10 - 14 years	49,035	8.5%
15 - 24 years	85,410	14.8%
25 - 44 years	191,050	33.2%
45 - 64 years	120,435	20.9%
65+ years	34,835	6.0%

## Place of Birth

Total Visible Minorities	576,260	100.0%
Born in Canada	169,560	29.4%
Born outside Canada	406,700	70.6%

## Immigrant Status & Period of Immigration

Total Visible Minorities	576,260	100.0%
Non-permanent residents	8,490	1.5%
Non-immigrants	170,235	29.5%
Immigrants	397,535	69.0%
Before 1961	960	0.2%
1961 to 1970	13,715	2.4%
1971 to 1980	51,830	9.0%
1981 to 1990	74,660	13.0%
1991 to 2000	150,525	26.1%
2001 to 2006	105,850	18.4%

## Language (Mother Tongue) [single/multiple response]

Total Visible Minorities	576,260	100.0%
English	229,745	39.9%
French	2,585	0.4%
Non-Official Languages	343,930	59.7%

## Marital Status (Persons 15 Years+)

Total Visible Minorities 15+	431,720	100.0%
Single	130,615	30.3%
Married	259,975	60.2%
Divorced	15,790	3.7%
Separated	10,990	2.5%
Widowed	14,350	3.3%

## Home Ownership

Total Visible Minorities	576,255	100.0%
Owners	461,485	80.1%
Renters	114,770	19.9%

## Census Family Status

Lone parents	24,235	4.2%
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## Household Living Arrangements

Persons living alone	11,965	2.1%
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## Education

Total Visible Minorities 15+	431,720	100.0%
No Certificate or Diploma	80,665	18.7%
High School Certificate	109,030	25.3%
Trades with Cert/Diploma	23,605	5.5%
Community College	59,860	13.9%
University:		
Without degree	35,425	8.2%
Bachelor's degree or higher	123,145	28.5%

## Employment (Persons 15 Years+)

Participation rate	71.0%	(# 306,985)
Unemployment rate	8.0%	(# 24,920)

## Total Income 2005 (Persons 15 Years+)

Average Income	\$29,465
Median Income	\$22,489

## Employment Income 2005 (Persons 15 Years+)

Average Employment Income	\$32,059
Median Employment Income	\$26,262

## Low Income 2005

### Private Households

Prevalence of low income <b>before</b> tax	19.4%
Prevalence of low income <b>after</b> tax	14.7%

### Persons in Economic Families

Prevalence of low income <b>before</b> tax	18.7%
Prevalence of low income <b>after</b> tax	13.9%

### Unattached Individuals

Prevalence of low income <b>before</b> tax	39.9%
Prevalence of low income <b>after</b> tax	36.1%

\* All Visible Minority population figures are for residents in private households.

Note: Totals may not exactly equal the sum of their components due to rounding.

Source: The Social Planning Council of Peel, July 2009 (based on Statistics Canada, Census, 2006, Special Custom Cross-Tabulation).