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Durham Region Statistical Profile

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Population and dwelling counts	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Population in 2006 ¹	561,258			12,160,282 [†]		
Population in 2001 ¹	506,901			11,410,046 [†]		
2001 to 2006 population change (%)	10.7			6.6		
Total private dwellings ²	202,155			4,972,869		
Private dwellings occupied by usual residents ³	194,672			4,554,251		
Population density per square kilometer	222.4			13.4		
Land area (square km)	2,523.15			907,573.82		

Age characteristics	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population ⁴	561,260	274,535	286,720	12,160,285	5,930,700	6,229,580
0 to 4 years	32,410	16,755	15,650	670,770	343,475	327,290
5 to 9 years	37,675	19,120	18,555	721,590	369,670	351,920
10 to 14 years	45,045	23,090	21,960	818,445	420,705	397,740
15 to 19 years	43,470	22,185	21,285	833,115	427,185	405,925
20 to 24 years	35,185	17,915	17,270	797,255	400,445	396,815
25 to 29 years	30,615	14,980	15,635	743,695	360,525	383,170
30 to 34 years	34,695	16,545	18,150	791,955	382,030	409,925
35 to 39 years	41,745	19,705	22,040	883,990	430,220	453,770
40 to 44 years	53,300	25,730	27,570	1,032,415	507,130	525,280
45 to 49 years	49,550	24,485	25,060	991,970	486,390	505,585
50 to 54 years	40,185	19,735	20,455	869,400	423,345	446,060
55 to 59 years	33,825	16,680	17,145	774,530	378,530	395,995
60 to 64 years	23,415	11,575	11,840	581,985	283,545	298,440
65 to 69 years	17,435	8,270	9,165	466,240	222,640	243,600
70 to 74 years	15,185	7,025	8,160	401,950	187,510	214,445
75 to 79 years	12,485	5,425	7,060	338,910	149,585	189,325
80 to 84 years	8,885	3,375	5,505	250,270	97,240	153,035
85 years and over	6,165	1,955	4,210	191,810	60,555	131,260
Median age of the population ⁵	37.7	36.8	38.5	39	38.1	39.9
% of the population aged 15 and over	79.5	78.5	80.4	81.8	80.9	82.7

Mother tongue	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population ³²	557,330	272,940	284,390	12,028,900	5,877,875	6,151,020
English only	472,285	231,550	240,735	8,230,705	4,044,755	4,185,945
French only	9,790	4,705	5,085	488,815	230,700	258,115
English and French	995	385	615	32,685	14,820	17,870
Other language(s) ³³	74,255	36,295	37,960	3,276,685	1,587,595	1,689,090

Knowledge of official languages	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population ³⁴	557,330	272,940	284,390	12,028,895	5,877,875	6,151,020
English only	513,415	254,115	259,305	10,335,700	5,130,945	5,204,755
French only	555	275	280	49,210	21,460	27,750
English and French	40,595	17,535	23,060	1,377,330	621,285	756,045
Neither English nor French	2,765	1,020	1,750	266,655	104,185	162,470

Language spoken most often at home	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population ³⁵	557,330	272,940	284,390	12,028,895	5,877,875	6,151,020
English	519,150	254,315	264,835	9,655,830	4,733,165	4,922,665
French	4,220	2,045	2,175	289,035	136,125	152,910
Non-official language	27,160	13,210	13,950	1,811,620	874,575	937,050
English and French	715	330	385	26,045	11,875	14,175
English and non-official language	5,950	2,965	2,980	239,890	119,205	120,685
French and non-official language	70	35	30	3,065	1,455	1,605
English, French and non-official language	60	25	35	3,405	1,480	1,925

Immigrant status and period of immigration	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population ³⁶	557,330	272,935	284,390	12,028,895	5,877,875	6,151,020
Non-immigrants ³⁷	442,080	217,870	224,215	8,512,020	4,197,560	4,314,460

Immigrants ³⁸	113,390	54,165	59,225	3,398,725	1,620,320	1,778,400
Before 1991	81,165	39,135	42,025	1,884,440	901,375	983,065
1991 to 2000	22,340	10,650	11,685	933,545	443,665	489,880
2001 to 2006 ³⁹	9,890	4,375	5,510	580,740	275,280	305,460
Non-permanent residents ⁴⁰	1,850	905	950	118,150	59,995	58,155

Citizenship	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population ⁴¹	557,330	272,935	284,395	12,028,900	5,877,875	6,151,020
Canadian citizens	535,915	263,200	272,710	11,131,465	5,455,880	5,675,585
Canadian citizens under age 18	139,755	71,105	68,650	2,572,660	1,320,670	1,251,990
Canadian citizens age 18 and over	396,155	192,100	204,060	8,558,810	4,135,210	4,423,595
Not Canadian citizens ⁴²	21,415	9,735	11,685	897,430	421,990	475,435

Educational attainment	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population 15 years and over ⁵¹	442,285	214,090	228,195	9,819,420	4,744,710	5,074,710
No certificate, diploma or degree	93,490	46,045	47,445	2,183,625	1,059,015	1,124,615
High school certificate or equivalent ⁵²	128,885	59,405	69,480	2,628,575	1,220,380	1,408,190
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	38,725	26,695	12,035	785,115	514,820	270,295
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma ⁵³	99,255	43,510	55,745	1,804,775	782,360	1,022,420
University certificate or diploma below the bachelor level	16,435	7,525	8,915	405,270	181,355	223,915
University certificate, diploma or degree	65,490	30,915	34,575	2,012,060	986,780	1,025,280
Total population aged 15 to 24 ⁵⁴	78,445	39,740	38,700	1,624,835	826,425	798,410
No certificate, diploma or degree	34,120	17,860	16,255	648,300	348,960	299,345

High school certificate or equivalent ⁵⁵	28,665	14,710	13,950	627,010	321,420	305,590
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	1,760	1,190	565	37,475	22,735	14,740
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma ⁵⁶	8,565	3,965	4,600	160,140	72,655	87,480
University certificate or diploma below the bachelor level	1,335	620	720	33,875	15,860	18,020
University certificate, diploma or degree	4,005	1,395	2,610	118,030	44,790	73,240
Total population aged 25 to 34 ⁵⁷	65,185	31,665	33,520	1,529,590	737,610	791,980
No certificate, diploma or degree	4,980	2,865	2,120	132,715	73,165	59,550
High school certificate or equivalent ⁵⁸	16,630	9,535	7,095	364,260	200,340	163,920
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	4,270	2,885	1,385	91,525	56,430	35,095
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma ⁵⁹	21,050	9,270	11,775	372,355	165,310	207,050
University certificate or diploma below the bachelor level	2,570	1,035	1,535	68,800	31,275	37,525
University certificate, diploma or degree	15,685	6,075	9,610	499,935	211,090	288,845
Total population aged 35 to 64 ⁶⁰	241,135	117,315	123,820	5,108,740	2,488,355	2,620,380
No certificate, diploma or degree	30,905	15,960	14,945	766,810	383,295	383,520
High school certificate or equivalent ⁶¹	69,590	30,350	39,240	1,296,405	580,705	715,710
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	25,725	17,820	7,900	489,605	320,260	169,345

College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma ⁶²	62,610	27,385	35,220	1,089,270	470,180	619,090
University certificate or diploma below the bachelor level	10,500	4,925	5,575	241,150	108,080	133,065
University certificate, diploma or degree	41,810	20,860	20,945	1,225,490	625,845	599,650

Major field of study	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female

Total population 15 years and over ⁶³	442,285	214,090	228,195	9,819,420	4,744,710	5,074,710
No postsecondary certificate, diploma or degree	222,375	105,450	116,920	4,812,200	2,279,390	2,532,810
Education	14,080	3,670	10,410	335,715	81,810	253,900
Visual and performing arts, and communications technologies	8,605	4,590	4,015	193,790	90,735	103,060
Humanities	10,095	3,995	6,100	292,845	110,970	181,875
Social and behavioural sciences and law	24,485	6,865	17,620	576,100	202,080	374,020
Business, management and public administration	48,965	18,595	30,375	1,061,210	417,010	644,200
Physical and life sciences and technologies	6,105	3,140	2,970	181,250	94,220	87,030
Mathematics, computer and information sciences	10,845	6,300	4,545	254,440	151,930	102,505
Architecture, engineering, and related technologies	50,550	47,515	3,040	1,089,310	995,690	93,620
Agriculture, natural resources and conservation	3,235	2,050	1,180	91,965	62,180	29,780
Health, parks,	29,595	4,775	24,820	665,490	124,885	540,605

recreation and fitness						
Personal, protective and transportation services	13,350	7,150	6,205	264,620	133,610	131,015
Other ⁶⁴	0	0	0	480	190	285

Location of study	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female

Total population 15 years and over ⁶⁵	442,285	214,090	228,190	9,819,420	4,744,710	5,074,710
No postsecondary certificate, diploma or degree	222,375	105,450	116,925	4,812,200	2,279,390	2,532,805
Postsecondary certificate, diploma or degree	219,910	108,640	111,270	5,007,220	2,465,315	2,541,905
Inside Canada	188,310	91,730	96,580	3,928,555	1,906,245	2,022,310
Outside Canada	31,605	16,915	14,690	1,078,670	559,075	519,590

Labour force activity	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female

Total population 15 years and over ⁶⁶	442,285	214,090	228,190	9,819,420	4,744,710	5,074,710
In the labour force ⁶⁷	313,865	163,215	150,655	6,587,580	3,437,670	3,149,905
Employed ⁶⁸	294,155	153,815	140,345	6,164,245	3,230,050	2,934,195
Unemployed ⁶⁹	19,710	9,400	10,310	423,335	207,620	215,710
Not in the labour force ⁷⁰	128,415	50,875	77,540	3,231,840	1,307,035	1,924,805
Participation rate ⁷¹	71	76.2	66	67.1	72.5	62.1

Occupation	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female

Total experienced labour force 15 years and over ⁷⁴	308,890	161,080	147,810	6,473,735	3,385,885	3,087,850
A Management occupations ⁷⁵	33,530	21,160	12,365	666,485	418,355	248,125
B Business, finance and administration occupations	62,330	17,185	45,150	1,204,490	360,225	844,260

C Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	19,620	15,025	4,595	451,930	349,305	102,630
D Health occupations	15,120	2,160	12,960	340,690	66,950	273,740
E Occupations in social science, education, government service and religion	24,175	6,640	17,535	546,385	174,765	371,620
F Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	8,215	3,755	4,460	200,980	90,590	110,390
G Sales and service occupations	72,050	31,500	40,545	1,522,820	657,605	865,215
H Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	47,845	44,485	3,360	911,250	845,595	65,655
I Occupations unique to primary industry	5,830	4,315	1,510	165,085	125,660	39,430
J Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	20,175	14,855	5,320	463,610	296,825	166,785

Industry	Durham		
	Total	Male	Female
Total experienced labour force 15 years and over ⁷⁶	308,895	161,080	147,810
Agriculture and other resource-based industries	10,880	7,485	3,400
Construction industries	20,755	18,050	2,705
Manufacturing industries	40,535	30,100	10,435
Wholesale trade	16,045	10,290	5,760
Retail trade	36,605	16,660	19,950
Finance and real estate	24,680	10,360	14,320

Industry	Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female
Total experienced labour force 15 years and over ⁷⁶	6,473,730	3,385,885	3,087,850
Agriculture and other resource-based industries	190,000	137,345	52,660
Construction industries	384,775	338,850	45,930
Manufacturing industries	899,670	628,460	271,210
Wholesale trade	307,465	199,755	107,710
Retail trade	720,235	322,715	397,515
Finance and real estate	442,610	193,375	249,230

Health care and social services	27,985	3,745	24,235	611,740	104,935	506,805
Educational services	20,335	6,175	14,155	433,485	141,630	291,855
Business services	58,945	33,685	25,265	1,274,345	755,215	519,130
Other services	52,120	24,530	27,585	1,209,390	563,600	645,790

Language used most often at work	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population 15 years and over who worked since 2005 ⁸¹	334,705	172,875	161,825	7,054,270	3,652,835	3,401,430
English	331,215	171,510	159,710	6,754,045	3,511,580	3,242,460
French	1,260	355	895	97,965	40,635	57,330
Non-official language	850	420	430	112,125	57,295	54,830
English and French	750	275	475	42,945	19,035	23,910
English and non-official language	585	290	295	45,400	23,405	22,000
French and non-official language	0	0	0	230	100	130
English, French and non-official language	30	20	10	1,560	780	775

Mode of transportation to work	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total employed labour force 15 years and over with a usual place of work or no fixed workplace address ⁸³	274,845	144,775	130,075	5,690,960	2,985,495	2,705,465
Car, truck, van, as driver	213,995	119,975	94,020	4,038,035	2,274,810	1,763,230
Car, truck, van, as passenger	23,690	9,665	14,020	470,410	191,695	278,715
Public transit	24,975	9,710	15,260	736,060	299,920	436,140
Walked or bicycled	10,155	4,510	5,635	389,105	190,340	198,765
All other modes	2,040	905	1,135	57,350	28,740	28,610

Visible minority population characteristics						
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total population ⁸⁴	557,330	272,935	284,390	12,028,895	5,877,875	6,151,020
Total visible minority population ⁸⁵	93,420	45,585	47,830	2,745,200	1,332,995	1,412,205
Chinese	7,560	3,610	3,945	576,975	277,500	299,475
South Asian ⁸⁶	24,110	11,995	12,120	794,170	401,900	392,270
Black	33,300	16,140	17,160	473,765	223,220	250,540
Filipino	7,650	3,500	4,155	203,215	87,025	116,190
Latin American	3,100	1,515	1,590	147,140	71,370	75,765
Southeast Asian ⁸⁷	1,410	655	745	110,045	53,135	56,910
Arab	3,050	1,630	1,415	111,405	58,625	52,785
West Asian ⁸⁸	2,605	1,435	1,165	96,620	49,275	47,340
Korean	1,165	555	610	69,540	33,720	35,820
Japanese	1,535	875	660	28,080	12,775	15,300
Visible minority, n.i.e. ⁸⁹	3,420	1,535	1,890	56,845	26,680	30,160
Multiple visible minority ⁹⁰	4,505	2,135	2,370	77,400	37,755	39,645
Not a visible minority ⁹¹	463,910	227,350	236,560	9,283,695	4,544,875	4,738,815

Income in 2005	Durham			Ontario		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Persons 15 years and over with income (counts) ⁹⁵	418,835	204,255	214,580	9,340,020	4,540,895	4,799,125
Median income - Persons 15 years and over (\$) ⁹⁶	32,005	41,452	24,444	27,258	34,454	21,669
Median income after tax - Persons 15 years and over (\$) ⁹⁶	28,227	35,208	22,196	24,604	30,182	20,201
Composition of total income (100%) ⁹⁷	100	100	100	100	100	100
Earnings - As a % of total income	81.9	85.1	77.1	77.4	80.7	72.4
Government transfers - As a % of total income	8	5.3	12.1	9.8	6.9	14
Other money - As a % of total income	10.1	9.6	10.8	12.9	12.4	13.5

Income status of all persons in private households (counts) ⁹⁸	555,875	272,205	283,670	11,926,140	5,825,145	6,100,995
% in low income before tax - All persons	9.4	8.5	10.3	14.7	13.7	15.6
% in low income after tax - All persons	6.9	6.4	7.4	11.1	10.5	11.6
% in low income before tax - Persons less than 18 years of age	11.9	12.4	11.5	18	17.9	18.1
% in low income after tax - Persons less than 18 years of age	8.9	9.2	8.6	13.7	13.7	13.8