

ALBERTA

2021 Census Profile

IMMIGRATION, PLACE OF BIRTH & CITIZENSHIP

ETHNOCULTURAL & RELIGIOUS DIVERSITY

MOBILITY & MIGRATION

Immigration, place of birth & citizenship



Total immigrants in Alta.

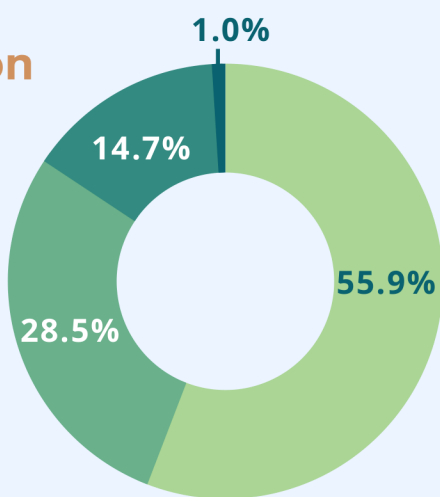
970,975

23.2% of the total population

9.2% of the population in Alberta were not Canadian citizens

Immigrant admission categories

- Economic Immigrants
- Immigrants sponsored by family
- Refugees
- Other immigrants



Period of immigration

2016 to 2021	193,170
2011 to 2015	193,335
2001 to 2010	239,260
1991 to 2000	126,610
1980 to 1990	91,320
Before 1980	127,275

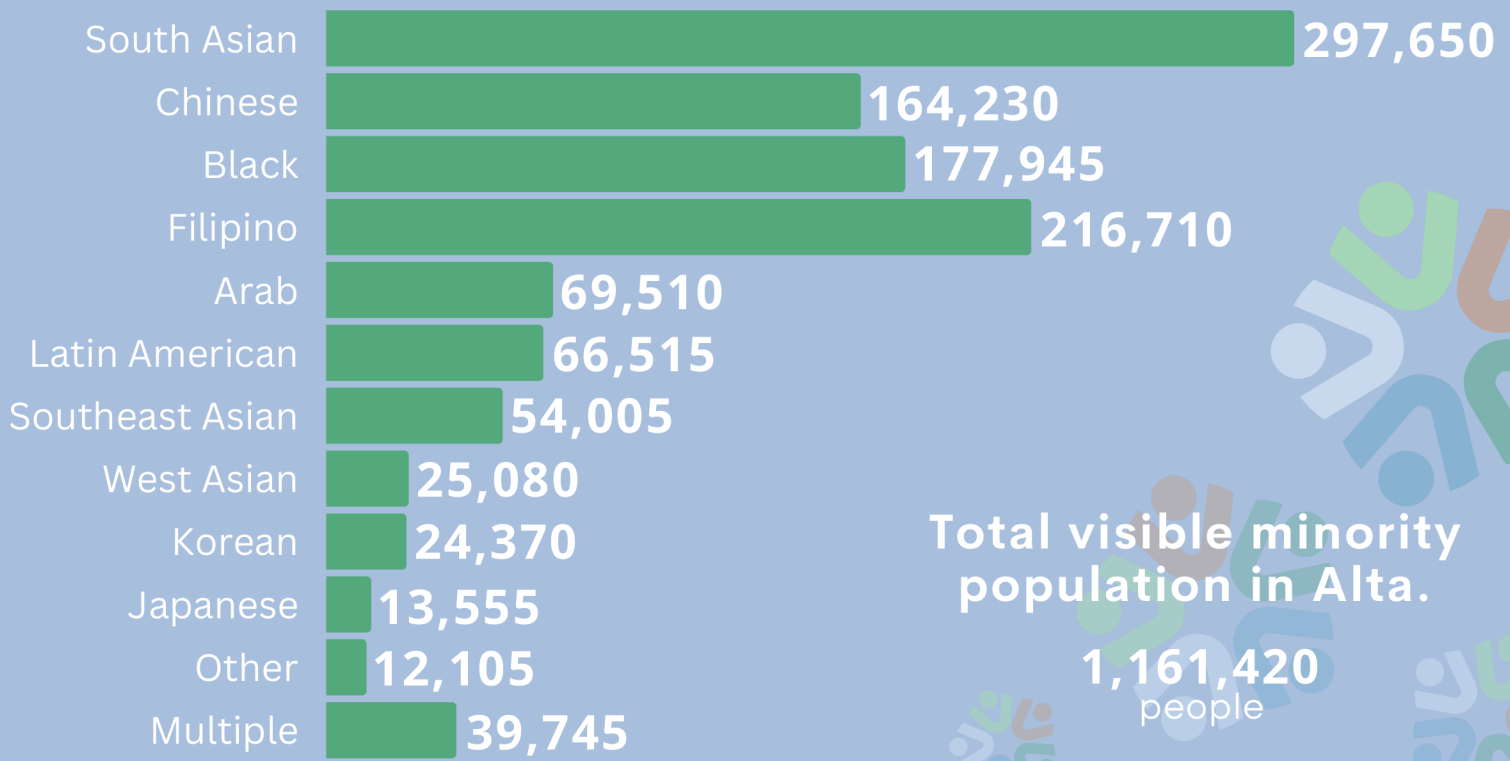
Top 5 countries of birth of recent immigrants*

- 1** Philippines **24.6%**
- 2** India **16.5%**
- 3** Nigeria **5.1%**
- 4** China **4.9%**
- 5** Syria **3.8%**

*Between 2016 to 2021

Ethnocultural & religious diversity

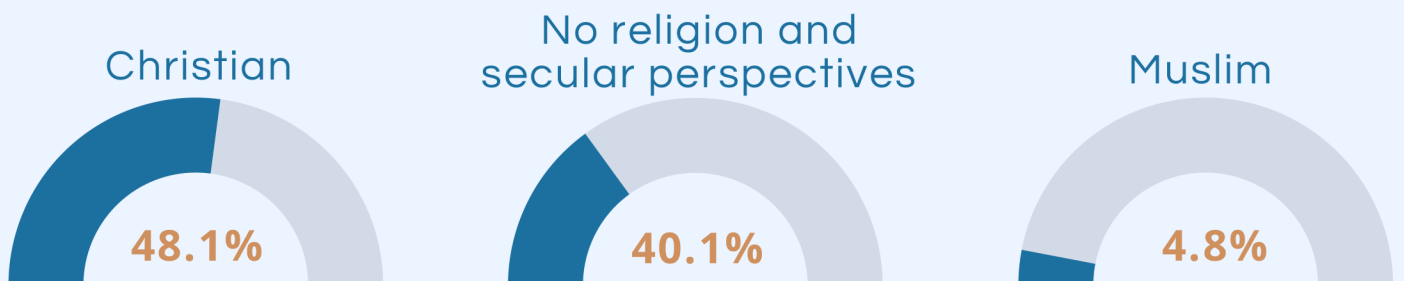
Breakdown by visible minority group in Alberta



Total visible minority population in Alta.

1,161,420 people

Top 3 Religious affiliations in Alberta



Mobility & migration

Migration in and out

	Interprovincial migrants	External migrants
1 year ago	45,475	28,555
5 years ago	165,195	164,010

Provinces of residence 5 years ago for interprovincial migrants

Top 4	
B.C.	52,810
Ont.	43,055
Sask.	27,230
Man.	13,045

Source: Statistics Canada, 2021 Census of Population

