

CENSUS BULLETIN #2: AGE & GENDER

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Subject: **Census Bulletin for the City of Brampton (City of Brampton: 2006 Census counts on Age and Gender)**

The following bulletin is a summary of population by Age and Gender in Brampton as published by Statistics Canada on July 17th, 2007.

In 2006 Brampton had a total population of 433,806, an increase of 33.3% from the 2001 Census. Brampton ranked 2nd in population growth between 2001 and 2006 when compared to other municipalities in the Greater Toronto Area. The population of all age groups increased in Brampton between 2001 and 2006. Below is a summary of the main findings.

Median Age

- Brampton is the youngest community in the Toronto census metropolitan area (CMA) according to the 2006 Census data released by Statistics Canada on July 17th, 2006.
- The median age of Brampton's population was 33.7 in 2006, an increase of 0.8 years from 2001. Median age is the point where exactly one-half of the population is older and the other half is younger.
- Toronto CMA's median age was 37.5 years, younger than the provincial median of 39.0 and the national median of 39.5.

Gender

- The 2006 Census counted 214,425 (49.43%) men and 219,375 (50.57%) women in Brampton for a ratio of 49 men for every 50 women.

Age Distributions

- In 2006, the **pre-school** population aged 4 and under accounted for 7.42% of Brampton's total population and 42.6% of the Peel Region's pre-school population. The number of pre-school children increased 31.5% between 2001 and 2006.
- The **youth population** aged 15 to 24 increased 30%. In 2006, the number of youths accounted for 13.92% of Brampton's total population.
- There were substantial increases in Brampton's **working-age population** (20-64) between 2001 and 2006. The number of people in the working-age group grew 32.28% to 270,015 in 2006, which is equivalent to 62.24% of total population.
- The **younger working-age** population aged 25 to 34 made up 15.34% of Brampton's population, down slightly from 16% in 2001.
- The **mid-career** population aged 35 to 44 accounted for 17.23% or 74,730 in Brampton, an increase of 29.4% from 2001.

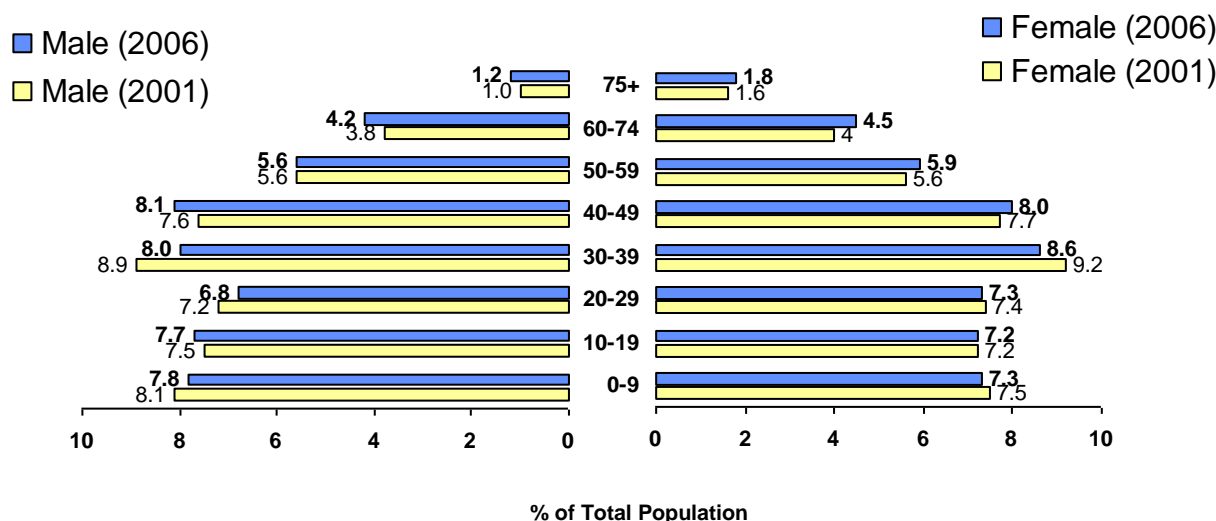
- The **older working-age** population aged 45 to 64 accounted for 22.86% or 99,165. This figure represents an increase of more than 28,610 people from 2001.
- The **young retirees** population aged 65 to 69 accounted for 2.75% (11,940) in 2006, up 46.32% from 2001.
- The 2006 Census data showed large gain in 75+, which increased 54.41% in Brampton during the past 5 years, growing from 8,455 to 13,050
- With 4,130 people the **oldest** population aged 80 and over accounted for 1.59% of total population in 2006.

The following tables and charts provide the age and gender profile for the City of Brampton.

City of Brampton Age and Gender Distributions						
Age	2006 Population			% Change 2001-2006		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
0-9	33,750	31,585	65,335	28.35%	29.21%	28.76%
10-19	33,440	31,330	64,770	37.39%	33.06%	35.26%
20-29	29,500	31,725	61,225	26.26%	30.88%	28.61%
30-39	34,670	37,285	71,955	19.10%	24.93%	22.05%
40-49	35,075	34,520	69,595	42.00%	37.28%	39.62%
50-59	24,560	25,700	50,260	34.32%	40.86%	37.59%
60-74	18,310	19,305	37,615	48.14%	47.87%	48.00%
75+	5,120	7,935	13,055	63.06%	49.29%	54.41%
Total	214,425	219,385	433,806	32.69%	33.91%	33.30%

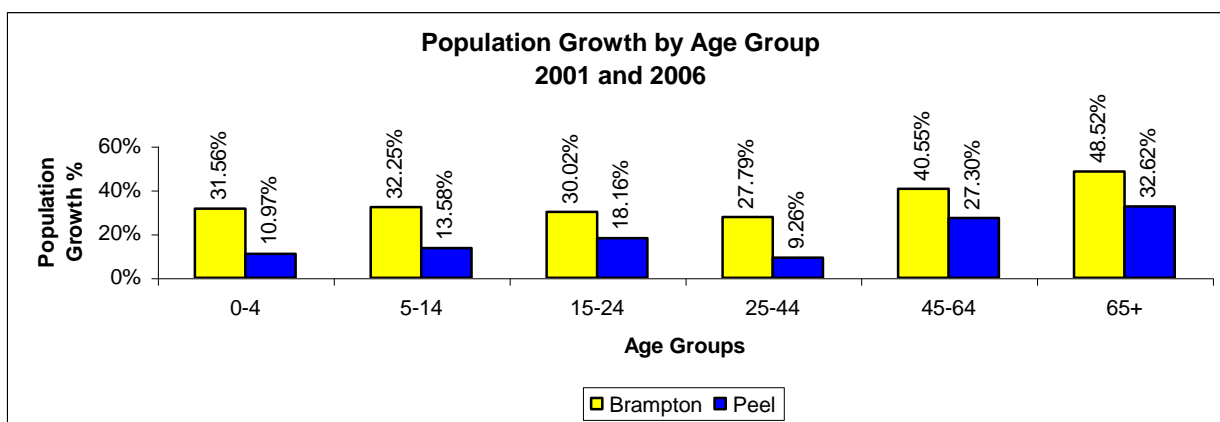
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Brampton Age Distributions by Gender, 2001-2006



The Regional Municipality of Peel Population by Age and Gender, 2006						
	Total	Male	Female	0-19 yrs	20-64 yrs	65+
Regional Municipality of Peel	1,159,405	570,395	589,010	329,170	725,715	104,525
Mississauga	668,550	327,530	341,020	182,270	420,580	65,700
Brampton	433,805	214,425	219,380	130,115	270,020	33,680
Caledon	57,050	28,435	28,615	16,795	35,095	5,155

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census
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Source: Statistics Canada, 2001 and 2006 Census

Median Age for Toronto CMA by Municipality			
	2006 Median Age	2001 Median Age	Change 2001-2006
Brampton	33.7	32.9	0.8
Milton	34.4	37.2	-2.8
Orangeville	35.4	33.3	2.1
Ajax	35.4	34.2	1.2
Bradford West Gwillimbury	36.7	34.1	2.6
Mississauga	36.7	34.5	2.2
Newmarket	37.2	35	2.2
Aurora	37.2	35.6	1.6
Caledon	37.7	35.8	1.9
Richmond Hill	37.8	36.1	1.7
Markham	38.1	36.9	1.2
Pickering	38.3	35.1	3.2
Toronto	38.4	36.3	2.1
Oakville	38.4	36.8	1.6
Georgina	38.5	35.9	2.6
New Tecumseth	40.0	36.1	3.9
East Gwillimbury	40.5	37.1	3.4
Uxbridge	41.0	37.7	3.3
King	41.1	38.5	2.6
Mono	42.5	38.6	3.9
Whitchurch-Stouffville	44.2	38.3	5.9
Toronto CMA	37.5	36.2	1.3

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census: Note: CMA denotes Census Metropolitan Area

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For more information on Age and Gender Counts from the 2006 Census visit www.brampton.ca

Census Data Release Dates

The Following table outlines the scheduled release dates of 2006 Census data by Statistics Canada. Also included is a brief description of each release. For more information about the 2006 Census visit Statistics Canada's website www.statcan.ca.

✓	Tuesday, March 13, 2007	Release no. 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Population and dwelling counts
✓	Tuesday, July 17, 2007	Release no. 2: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Age and sex
	Wednesday, September 12, 2007	Release no. 3: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marital status (including common-law status) • Families and households • Housing and shelter costs (dwelling characteristics)
	Tuesday, December 4, 2007	Release no. 4: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language • Mobility and migration • Immigration and citizenship
	Tuesday, January 15, 2008	Release no. 5: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal peoples
	Tuesday, March 4, 2008	Release no. 6: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Labour (including labour market activity, industry and occupation) • Place of work and commuting to work (including mode of transportation) • Education • Language (including language of work)
	Wednesday, April 2, 2008	Release no. 7: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ethnic origin and visible minorities
	Thursday, May 1, 2008	Release no. 8: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Income and earnings • Housing and shelter costs

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