# Statistical portrait of English-speaking immigrants in Québec 

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## Executive summary

This report provides a statistical portrait of immigrants in Quebec whose First Official Language Spoken (FOLS) is English. The portrait applies 2006 Census data results to a comparison of the demographic and socio-economic outcomes of immigrants in the two English-speaking FOLS categories (English FOLS and English-French FOLS) with the French-speaking category (French FOLS) within the Province of Quebec and in Quebec Economic Regions (ERs).
The main findings are highlighted in this report, results are presented on GIS maps, and data tables are provided in the appendix. This enables us to get a better understanding of the similarities and differences between these FOLS immigrant categories, as well as the implications for the larger Anglophone immigrant community in Quebec. The portrait illustrates that immigrants in these two English-speaking categories have different geographic distributions, demographic characteristics and socio-economic outcomes. As a result, when the two Englishspeaking categories are combined into the larger Anglophone category, the nuances between them are hidden. The report also highlights that provincial-level assumptions need to take into consideration that the situation of immigrants assigned to individual English-speaking FOLS categories is different across Quebec ERs and between these categories.

## Highlights

- An examination of linguistic behavioural outcomes highlights how immigrants assigned to these two categories are different. Immigrants in the English-French FOLS category can speak both official languages, however, only a small percentage speak an official language most often at home ( $6 \%$ ) and almost all have a non-official mother tongue ( $98 \%$ ). Forty percent of immigrants assigned to the English FOLS speak both English and French, 54\% speak English most often at home, and $68 \%$ have a non-official mother tongue.
- Geography also makes a difference when examining linguistic behaviours. Of immigrants who reside in close proximity to centres with relatively large Anglophone populations, those assigned to English FOLS have lower rates of official language bilingualism than those assigned to French FOLS. This proximity also seems to make a difference in terms of immigrants having a higher percentage speaking English most often at work.
- Immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category tend to be younger, male and living in a Census Family than immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category.
- As a result of the steady growth of the immigrant population coming to Quebec from all corners of the world, the ethno-cultural composition of immigrant communities is also an important factor. Even though the percentage of recent immigrants in the English FOLS category is lower proportionally than that in the English-French FOLS, both categories have a similar percentage of immigrants born in European countries, and who are visible minorities. However, under these broad categories, immigrants in each FOLS category are represented by different individual ethno-cultural categories.
- The socio-economic results illustrate that immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category are more highly educated, have higher participation and employment rates, have a similar percentage of immigrants in professional and managerial occupations, and have lower median employment income.


## 1. Introduction

The concept of the vitality of official language minority communities is enshrined in both the Official Languages Act and the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms. Part VII of the 1988 Act sets out the federal government's commitment to "enhancing the vitality of the English and French linguistic minority communities in Canada and supporting and assisting their development." ${ }^{1}$ As highlighted by the Office of the Commissioner of Official Languages, the concept of vitality has many definitions: "Vitality can be understood as a state; that is, a set of situations that can be analyzed at a given moment in time....Vitality is also a process of development made up of actions occurring over time that contribute to its variable strength." ${ }^{2}$ In June 2008, the Canadian government published the second Five-Year Action Plan on Official Languages, titled Roadmap for Canada's Linguistic Duality 2008-2013. The Roadmap lays out policies and programs to enhance official language use and growth across Canada by targeting a number of areas for government action, including the promotion of linguistic duality among all Canadians and the promotion of access to services for official language minority communities. It calls for investment in five key sectors: health, justice, arts and culture, economic development, and immigration, each of which contributes to community vitality. ${ }^{3}$ Linguistic duality is a fundamental characteristic of Canadian identity and culture, and is at the heart of the values that have forged Canada, making it a strong and united country that is open to the world.

This study examines the intersection between immigrants and ethnocultural minorities on the one hand and official language minority communities on the other, with a particular focus on English-speaking immigrants living in the province of Quebec. The Statistics Canada report, Statistical Portrait of the French-Speaking Immigrant Population Outside Quebec (1991 to 2006) by René Houle and Jean-Pierre Corbeil ${ }^{4}$ presented information on the Francophone minority outside Quebec. Similarly, the purpose of this research is to present a portrait of the English-speaking, or Anglophone, immigrants in Quebec by applying the First Official Language Spoken (FOLS) variable. Using 2006 Census data, this project focuses on demographically unpacking and comparing the socio-economic outcomes of immigrants in the three FOLS categories (French only, English only and English and French) within the province of Quebec and in Quebec's ERs. All results provided in the text, Figures, and maps are supported by data tables for reference purposes, which can be found in the appendix ${ }^{5}$.

Immigration is an important source of human capital, which continues to expand the Quebec economy and strengthen its communities. It also has a direct impact on the vitality of official language minority communities. The concepts of linguistic duality and cultural diversity go hand in hand. Therefore, to understand the composition of Anglophone immigrant communities in Quebec, it is also important to understand the demographic and ethnocultural composition and socio-economic well-being of the immigrants who are an important part of the broader language communities.

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## 2. Population definition considerations

### 2.1. Applying the Mother Tongue (MT) concept to analyze immigrant outcomes within official language communities

Two census concepts, MT and FOLS, are frequently applied to study the results of official language communities in Canada. Although this paper will use the FOLS variable to define linguistic categories, it is important to understand why FOLS was the variable chosen. ${ }^{6}$ Mother Tongue, as asked on the Census, is defined as the first language learned and still understood. Historically, official language communities have been defined by results from the Census Mother Tongue question: ${ }^{7}$ those who report an English MT are assigned to the Anglophone category and those who report French MT are assigned to the Francophone category, while those who report a non-official language MT are assigned to the Allophone category. Those who reported multiple mother tongues are then divided into the appropriate categories to which they reported. ${ }^{8}$
Immigration has increased from $7 \%$ of the population of Quebec in 1911 to over $11 \%$ in 2006, a numeric increase from 147,100 in 1911 to 851,600 in 2006. With each census since World War II, there have been increases in the number of immigrants to Quebec and the share they represent within Quebec society (Figure 1). ${ }^{9}$

Figure 1: Number and percentage of immigrants in Quebec, 1991 to 2006 Censuses


Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census (97-557-XCB2006006)

[^1]A majority of immigrants are assigned to the Allophone Mother Tongue category since the first language they learned and still understand is a non-official language. The percentage of immigrants who are assigned Allophone (MT) has increased from 66.9\% of immigrants in 1991 to $72.1 \%$ in 2006, while the number of Allophone (MT) immigrants has jumped from 395,490 to $613,565 .{ }^{10}$ Since a majority of immigrants are Allophones (MT), rising immigration rates can be tied to the increase in the percentage of the population assigned Allophone (MT) within Quebec. Figure 2 shows that the percentage of the Quebec population that is assigned Allophone (MT) increased from $8.8 \%$ in 1991 to $12.3 \%$ in 2006 . $^{11}$

Figure 2: Number and percentage of Allophones (mother tongue) by immigrant status in Quebec, 1991-2006 Censuses, 20\% sample


Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables
*This includes people that are born in Canadaand does not include non-permanent residents.
As the number and percentage of the Allophone (MT) population increases, lower proportions for Anglophones (MT) and Francophones (MT) within Quebec are the result. As a percentage of the Quebec population, Francophones (MT) declined from $82.0 \%$ in 1991 to $79.6 \%$ in 2006, while Anglophones (MT) declined from $9.2 \%$ in 1991 to $8.2 \%$ in $2006 .{ }^{12}$ Although there was a percentage decline from 1991 to 2006, the Francophone (MT) population witnessed a numeric increase from 5,585,645 to 5,916,850, while the Anglophone (MT) population witnessed a numeric decline from 626,205 in 1991 to 607,165 in 2006. ${ }^{13}$

[^2]The percentage of the Allophone population increases as immigration rates increase and nonofficial languages, in some families, are transmitted from one generation to the next. Even when Anglophone and Francophone numbers increase, the percentage they comprise of the Quebec population will continue to decrease due to the growing size of the Allophone population. The definition of Mother Tongue-first language learned and still understood-means that once someone is assigned to the Allophone category they will always be assigned to the Allophone category unless they forget or no longer understand their mother tongue. Therefore, relying solely on the MT concept to identify immigrants in official language communities is problematic, since, even though an immigrant assigned to the Allophone category may be fluent in one or both official languages, they would not be counted as contributing to either the Anglophone or the Francophone community.

### 2.2. Applying the First Official Language Spoken (FOLS) concept to analyze immigrant outcomes within official language communities

### 2.2.1. FOLS methodology

The FOLS methodology is intended to assign people to the official language category based on mother tongue (or the first language they attained during childhood), language spoken most often at home (or current behaviour), and language knowledge (or a capacity for expression in a language respondents use in their daily lives). ${ }^{14}$ According to the Statistics Canada 2006 Census Dictionary, the aim of this process is to assign people to either the English FOLS or the French FOLS categories. English-French FOLS and Neither English nor French FOLS categories are considered residual categories and were included because not all individuals fit neatly into the English FOLS or French FOLS language categories. ${ }^{15}$ The methodology behind the FOLS categories, which assigns people, in this case immigrants, to FOLS categories, is a step by step process. ${ }^{16}$ The first step considers official language knowledge. The second step considers mother tongue responses. The third step examines home language(s) spoken most often at home. The fourth step assigns individuals to one of the four FOLS categories. These include English FOLS, French FOLS, English-French FOLS, and Neither English nor French FOLS. When researchers receive FOLS information, it is usually provided to them at the fourth step. To attain an OfficialLanguage community count, a fifth step is required to assign people to either an Anglophone (FOLS) or a Francophone (FOLS) category ${ }^{17}$.

[^3]Methodology for assigning First Official Language Spoken (FOLS) categories


[^4]| Step 1 <br> Official Language Knowledge <br> (OLK) | Step 2 <br> Mother Tongue (MT) | Step 3 <br> Language spoken most often at home (HL) ${ }^{18}$ | Step 4 <br> Official language knowledge (OLK) | Step 5 <br> Assigning Immigrants as an Anglophone or Francophone |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| The 148,800 immigrants who reported they can conduct a conversation in English only or in English and a non-official language are assigned English FOLS. <br> The 232,300 immigrants who reported they can conduct a conversation in French only or in French and a non-official language are assigned to French FOLS. <br> Immigrants not yet assigned include: <br> A) 428,100 immigrants who reported they can speak both English and French; and <br> B) 42,400 immigrants who reported they can speak neither English or French. <br> A + B sums to 470,500 immigrants who are considered in Step 2. | The Mother Tongue of immigrants who could not be assigned English FOLS or French FOLS in Step 1 are considered. <br> Of the 470,500 immigrants in Step 2: <br> 41,300 immigrants reported an English Only Mother Tongue or English and Non-Official Language Mother Tongues and they are assigned to English FOLS. <br> 93,100 immigrants reported a French Only Mother Tongue or French and Non-Official Language Mother Tongues and they are assigned to French FOLS. <br> Immigrants not yet assigned include: <br> A) 331,500 immigrants who reported <br> a Non-Official Language Mother <br> Tongue only; and <br> B) 4,600 immigrants who reported English and French Mother Tongues. <br> $A+B$ sums to 336,100 immigrants who are considered in Step 3. | Step 3 examines the language spoken most often at home of the 336,100 immigrants who remain unassigned. <br> Of these immigrants, 58,100 reported English and 86,800 French as the language they speak most often at home, and they were assigned to English FOLS and French FOLS respectively. <br> Immigrants not yet assigned include: <br> A) 10,000 immigrants who reported Both English and French Home Language; and <br> B) 181,200 immigrants who reported Neither English nor French Home Language. <br> $A+B$ sums to 191,200 immigrants who will be considered in Step 4. | By Step 4, the English FOLS and French FOLS categories have been established at 248,200 and 412,200, respectively. Step 4 focuses on assigning the remaining 191,200 immigrants who have not been assigned to English FOLS or French FOLS by examining their Official Language Knowledge. Of these, 149,800 reported knowledge of both English and French and are, therefore, assigned to the English-French FOLS category. The remaining 41,400 reported no knowledge of English or French and are assigned to the Neither English or French FOLS category. | A final step is required to calculate the broad categories of Anglophone (FOLS) and Francophone (FOLS). To do this, the number of people assigned to the residual English-French FOLS category is divided in half and each half is added to both English FOLS and French FOLS categories. In 2006, this entailed dividing $18 \%$ and adding $9 \%$ of immigrants to either the English FOLS or the French FOLS categories to produce Anglophone (FOLS) immigrant and Francophone (FOLS) immigrant categories. Using this method, 323,100 immigrants are assigned as Anglophone, and 487,100 immigrants are assigned as Francophone. ${ }^{19}$ |

[^5]A majority of immigrants in Quebec are assigned to the two principal FOLS language categories: $29 \%$ are assigned to English FOLS and $48 \%$ are assigned to French FOLS. The two residual FOLS categories-English-French FOLS and Neither English or French FOLS—comprise 18\% and $5 \%$ of Quebec immigrants respectively.

All the immigrants in the English-French FOLS category can speak both official languages, 98\% have a non-official-language mother tongue only and $93 \%$ do not speak English or French most often at home. Also, not all immigrants who speak both official languages are restricted to the English-French FOLS category. The step by step assignment process means that 40\% of English FOLS immigrants and $43 \%$ of French FOLS immigrants reported that they can conduct a conversation in both English and French.

Figure 3 takes Step 4 methodology and compares the results of Quebec immigrants with nonimmigrants. The percentage of non-immigrants assigned to the FOLS categories are $9 \%, 89 \%$ and $1 \%$ for English FOLS, French FOLS and English-French FOLS respectively, while the percentage of non-immigrants assigned to English MT, French MT and English-French MT are $8 \%, 88 \%$, and $1 \%$ respectively. The distribution between language categories for non-immigrants is similar for both Mother Tongue and First Official Languages Spoken.

Figure 3: Percentage of the population by immigrant status showing MT and FOLS categories in Quebec, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables
Note: Percents shown for $5 \%$ and higher. All percentages and numbers are provided in Appendix - Table 4.
*This includes people that are born in Canadaand does not include non-permanent residents.
The distribution between language categories for immigrants is very different, since $9 \%, 19 \%$, and $0 \%$ of immigrants are assigned to the English MT, French MT and English-French MT categories respectively, while $29 \%, 48 \%$, and $18 \%$ are assigned to the English FOLS, French FOLS and English-French FOLS categories respectively. For immigrants, the language variable applied (FOLS or MT) to define an official language community's size will make a difference, while for non-immigrants, the MT and FOLS results present similar numbers and percentages.

The relatively high percentage of the English-French FOLS category is an immigrant phenomenon.

Figure 4 compares the immigrant and non-immigrant results for the MT and FOLS variables. The non-immigrant percentages for MT and FOLS are similar, but this is not the case for immigrants. The FOLS concept assigns $38 \%$ and $57 \%$ of immigrants to an Anglophone (FOLS) or a Francophone (FOLS) category respectively, while the MT concept assigns $9 \%$ and $19 \%$ of immigrants to an Anglophone (MT) or a Francophone (MT) category respectively. This means that MT assigns $72 \%$ of immigrants to the Allophone category, while FOLS assigns $5 \%$ of immigrants to the Neither English nor French category. Compared with the Mother Tongue concept, FOLS is more inclusive and takes into consideration that peoples' knowledge of languages may change over time and that their capacity to participate in society is in part reflected in their knowledge of an official language(s).

Figure 4: Percentage of the population assigned to broad MT and FOLS categories showing immigrant status in Quebec, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample


Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables
Note: Percentages are shown for $5 \%$ and higher. All percentages and numbers are provided in Appendix- Table 4.
*This includes people that are born in Canada and does not include non-permanent residents.

### 2.2.2. FOLS distribution

This section examines and compares individual FOLS categories by immigrant and nonimmigrant from the 1991 to the 2006 Censuses. ${ }^{20}$

## English FOLS

Although the English FOLS category has decreased as a percentage of the Quebec population, from $12.2 \%$ in 1991 to $11.9 \%$ in 2006, numerically it has increased from 832,050 to $885,450 .^{21}$ Immigrants in the English FOLS category are increasing both numerically and as a percentage of the English FOLS category. In 1991, 214,800 people, or $25.8 \%$ of this category, were immigrants. By 2006, immigrants numbered 248,165 , or $28.0 \%$ of the category.

Figure 5: Number and percentage of people assigned to English FOLS by immigrant status in Quebec, 1991 to 2006 Censuses, 20\% samples


Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables
*This includes people that are born in Canada and does not include non-permanent residents.

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## French FOLS

The French FOLS category has decreased as a percentage of the population, from $84.8 \%$ in 1991 to $84.2 \%$ in 2006, but it has increased numerically, from 5,772,180 to $6,263,945$. Immigrants comprise a small portion of this category, but the number and percentage of immigrants are increasing. In 1991, 249,540 , or $4.3 \%$ of this category, were immigrants. By 2006, immigrants numbered 412,195 , or $6.6 \%$ of this category.

Figure 6: Number and percentage of people assigned to French FOLS by immigrant status in Quebec, 1991 to 2006 Censuses, 20\% samples


Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables
*This includes people that are born in Canadaand does not include non-permanent residents.

## English-French FOLS

As the number of immigrants in Quebec has increased, so has the number and percentage assigned to the English-French FOLS category. In 1991, the English-French FOLS category comprised 144,505 people, or $2.1 \%$ of Quebec's population. By 2006, it had increased to 218,555 , or $2.9 \%$ of Quebec's population. In 1991, immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS numbered 87,930 , or $60.8 \%$ of the English-French FOLS category. By 2006, the number of immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category had increased to 149,830, or $68.6 \%$ of this category. ${ }^{22}$ Although the English-French FOLS category is the smallest FOLS category, it is the most immigrant-concentrated.

Figure 7: Number and percentage of people assigned to English-French FOLS by immigrant status in Quebec, 1991 to 2006 Censuses, 20\% samples


Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables *This includes people that are born in Canadaand does not include non-permanent residents.

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## Immigrants by FOLS categories

Overall, immigrants' numbers are increasing in the three FOLS categories, particularly in the English-French FOLS categories. Figure 8 shows the 1991 to 2006 Censuses distributions of Quebec immigrants across these FOLS language categories. It highlights how the English-French FOLS category has increased as a percentage of the immigrant population, from $15 \%$ in 1991 to $18 \%$ in 2006, the French FOLS immigrant category has increased from $42 \%$ in 1991 to $48 \%$ in 2006, while the English FOLS immigrant category has decreased from $36 \%$ in 1991 to $29 \%$ in 2006. ${ }^{23}$

Figure 8: Percentage of immigrants by FOLS language categories in Quebec, 1991 to 2006 Censuses, 20\% Sample


Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables

[^8]The implications of an increasing English-French FOLS category and a decreasing English FOLS category for the Anglophone immigrant community is that the English-French FOLS category is comprising a larger proportion of Anglophone immigrants. As shown in Figure 9, within the Anglophone immigrant category, the English-French FOLS category increased from $17.0 \%$ to $23.2 \%$ while the English FOLS category decreased from $83.0 \%$ to $76.8 \%{ }^{24}$

Figure 9: Composition of Anglophone (FOLS) immigrants, Quebec, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables
This paper will focus its analysis on immigrants assigned to the English FOLS and EnglishFrench FOLS categories, while the French FOLS category will be included for comparative purposes. The rationale for considering immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category separately is: 1 ) almost one in four immigrants in the Anglophone (FOLS) category is from the English-French FOLS category; 2) its contribution to the Anglophone population is increasing over time as more and more immigrants in Quebec are assigned to this category, and; 3) of the three FOLS categories, it is the most immigrants-concentrated. ${ }^{25}$ This paper will investigate whether the immigrants in the English-French FOLS category are more similar to French FOLS, to English FOLS, to a combination of English FOLS and French FOLS or whether they are a unique category. ${ }^{26}$

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## 3. Geographic distribution and context of immigrants

### 3.1. Geographic distribution

In this paper, we will present results for the three FOLS categories for Quebec and Quebec ERs (ERs) to provide a greater understanding of regional differences and similarities across the province. An ER is a grouping of complete census divisions (CDs) created as a standard geographic unit to analyze regional economic activity. Within the province of Quebec, ERs (régions administratives) are designated by law and are commonly used by the Quebec government for administrative purposes. ${ }^{27}$

- Although immigrants are more concentrated in Montréal, there is a similar distribution pattern across the immigrant and non-immigrant populations, with a concentration in these larger urban centres, while the further one moves from these centres the more the population diminishes, with the exception of Outaouais ER due to its proximity to Ottawa.
- The top non-immigrant ERs are Montérégie (19\%) followed by Montréal (19\%) and Capitale-Nationale ( $10 \%$ ), while the top immigrant ERs are Montréal ( $66 \%$ ), Montérégie (12\%) and Laval (9\%).
- The proportion of immigrants living in Montréal ER is relatively high across the three FOLS language categories: 73\% of the English FOLS immigrants, 59\% of the French FOLS immigrants and $71 \%$ of the English-French FOLS immigrants live in the Montréal ER.
- Map 1's scale divides the immigrant population of Quebec into five geographic tiers.
- Tier One is the Montréal ER.
- Tier Two is the two ERs that border Montréal—Montérégie and Laval—which have the 2nd and 3rd highest percentage of Quebec immigrants, at $12 \%$ and $9 \%$ respectively.
- Tier Three ERs-Capitale-Nationale (3\%), Outaouais (3\%), Laurentides (2\%), Estrie (2\%) and Lanaudière ( $2 \%$ )-are those that are not immigrant-concentrated, although they have a large enough immigrant population to complete socio-economic analysis.
- In Tier Four ERs (Bas-Saint-Laurent, Abitibi-Témiscamingue, Mauricie, Saguenay--Lac-Saint-Jean, Centre-du-Quebec, Chaudière-Appalaches), there are between 1,000 and 9,999 immigrants.
- Tier Five comprises the most Eastern and Northern ERs (Côte-Nord, Nord-du-Quebec and Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine), and have fewer than 1,000 immigrants and fewer than $1 \%$ of Quebec immigrants.
- Information for all ERs will be provided when we examine the general distribution of language categories. Information pertaining to other demographic and socio-economic outcomes will use geographic roll-ups (a grouping together of smaller levels of geographies into a larger unit) in Tiers Four and Five, Eastern and Northern regions.
- The Eastern ER combines Centre-du-Quebec, Chaudière-Appalaches and Bas-Saint-Laurent ERs, while the Northern ER combines Saguenay--Lac-Saint-Jean, Mauricie, Côte-Nord, Abitibi-Témiscamingue and Nord-du-Quebec ERs.

[^10]Map 1: Number and percentage of the population that are immigrants across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


- As shown on Maps 2, 3 and 4, the three language categories have a similar geographic distribution pattern of immigrants: Montréal is at the centre and Tiers Four and Five have the fewest immigrants.
- The French FOLS category has the largest number of immigrants and it is the least concentrated in Tier 1.
- The main difference between the distribution of immigrants in the English FOLS and English-French FOLS categories is the ranking of Laval, which has more immigrants than Montérégie in the English-French FOLS category than the English FOLS category.
- English-French FOLS immigrants are more concentrated in Tiers 1 and 2 than English FOLS immigrants.

Map 2: Distribution of immigrants assigned to English FOLS across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 3: Distribution of immigrants assigned to French FOLS across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 4: Distribution of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 3.2. Geographic context

- The percentage of a specific FOLS language category that immigrants comprise may make a difference in the level of services they receive or the degree to which their issues are the focus of policy development.
- On Maps 5, 6 and 7, immigrants in each of the FOLS categories represent a different percentage of the total individual FOLS categories. ${ }^{28}$
- Immigrants represent $35 \%$ of the English FOLS population in Montréal, 31\% in Laval and $22 \%$ in Montérégie, while in Tier Three ERs immigrants represent between $11 \%$ and $17 \%$ of the population.
- For the French FOLS category, across all of the ERs except Montréal (22\%) and Laval ( $13 \%$ ), immigrants represent less than $5 \%$ of the French FOLS population.
- The English-French FOLS category is the most immigrant-concentrated. Immigrants comprise a much higher percentage than in the other two FOLS categories
- In Tier Four and Five ERs, the number of immigrants is small in some cases and findings should be used with caution. ${ }^{29}$

[^11]Map 5: Immigrants as a percentage of the English FOLS category across Quebec economic regions, 2006 census, $20 \%$ sample


Map 6: Immigrants as a percentage of the French FOLS category across Quebec economic regions, 2006 census, $20 \%$ sample


Map 7: Immigrants as a percentage of English-French FOLS category across Quebec economic regions, 2006 census, $20 \%$ sample


- When comparing the relative size of immigrant communities by FOLS categories, as shown on Map 8, in most ERs the French FOLS immigrant category is the largest and the English FOLS is the second largest category. The exceptions are Capitale-Nationale and Centre-duQuebec where more immigrants are assigned to the English-French FOLS than to the English FOLS category, and in Maurice where these two categories are approximately the same size. ${ }^{30}$
- The ERs with the highest percentages of immigrants assigned to the English FOLS are Montréal (32\%), Outaouais (31\%), and Montérégie (29\%).
- The ERs with the highest percentages of immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS are Laval (23\%), Montréal (19\%), and Outaouais (17\%),
- The percentages for immigrants who are assigned to the English FOLS in these most Northern and Eastern ERs are relatively high, but the actual numbers are relatively low.
- The English FOLS and English-French FOLS immigrant categories are more concentrated around Montréal and Outaouais. The former is a historic centre for Anglophones in Quebec. The latter is supported by the large Anglophone population concentration of Ottawa.

[^12]Map 8: Quebec immigrant population by FOLS category, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample


## 4. Linguistic behavioural outcomes of immigrants

Although the FOLS variable is derived from linguistic behaviours reported in the census and assigns people accordingly, it is important to examine the linguistic differences for immigrants between the three FOLS immigrant categories. In this section, immigrants in the FOLS language categories will be examined in terms of i) the percentage who report a non-official language mother tongue (i.e. Allophone); ii) the language transfer of Allophones to English or French; iii) the percentage who are bilingual in both official languages; and iv) the percentage who speak English or French, or both English and French, at work. Immigrants in the English-French FOLS category will only be included in the analysis of "the percent that speak English or French or English and French at work" since, as discussed above, they reported a non-official language mother tongue, they are bilingual immigrants, and the percentage who report speaking an official language most often at home is small. ${ }^{31}$

### 4.1. Non-official mother tongue

This section will consider the share of immigrants within the individual FOLS linguistic categories who reported neither English nor French as their mother tongue (i.e. Allophones). ${ }^{32}$

- Immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category are more likely to report a non-official language mother tongue ( $68 \%$ ) than immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category ( $59 \%$ ).
- This proportion is even higher among immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category in Montréal (70\%) and Laval (80\%). It is lower in the Eastern ERs (23\%), Estrie (31\%) and Capitale-Nationale (33\%).
- Immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category are mainly Allophones ( $98 \%$ ), which push up the percentage of Allophones in the Anglophone (FOLS) $(75 \%)$ and Francophone (FOLS) ( $65 \%$ ) immigrant categories.
- This is especially the case in the three inner tiers, where the immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category are concentrated.

[^13]Map 9: $\quad$ Number and percentage of Allophone (mother tongue single response) immigrants assigned to English FOLS across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 10: Number and percentage of Allophone (mother tongue single response) immigrants assigned to French FOLS across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 4.2. Official language bilingualism ${ }^{33}$

Quebec is the most bilingual province in Canada. In Quebec, $41 \%$ of people reported that they could speak both English and French well enough to conduct a conversation, ${ }^{34}$ while $50 \%$ of all Quebec immigrants are bilingual. Official language minorities often learn the other official language to participate in the mainstream economy, especially when they are not living in a geographically defined area (e.g. neighbourhood) or isolated community that is institutionally complete. ${ }^{35}$

- The percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS (40\%) and French FOLS (43\%) categories is closer to the overall provincial rate. ${ }^{36}$
- Close proximity to centres with large Anglophone populations reduces the rate of bilingualism for immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category, while raising it for immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category.
- Immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category in Outaouais and Montréal have the lowest rates of official language bilingualism, at $33 \%$ and $37 \%$ respectively
- Immigrants assigned French FOLS in Outaouais, Laurentides, Montérégie and Laval have high rates of official language bilingualism, at $53 \%, 48 \%, 47 \%$ and $47 \%$ respectively.
- For ERs further away from centres with large Anglophone populations, the reverse is true. The rate of bilingualism for immigrants assigned to the English FOLS increases while it decreases for immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category.
- In the Capitale-Nationale, Eastern ERs and Lanaudiére, the rate of official language bilingualism for immigrants who are assigned to the English FOLS category is 79\%, 75\% and $69 \%$ respectively.
- In Northern and Eastern ERs, immigrants who were assigned to the French FOLS category have the lowest rate of bilingualism, at $34 \%$ and $28 \%$.
- Immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS are all bilingual, which explains why Anglophone and Francophone immigrants' rates of official language bilingualism, at $54 \%$ and $52 \%$ respectively, are higher than the rates for English FOLS and French FOLS immigrants.

[^14]Map 11: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS with knowledge of English and French (official language bilingualism) across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 12: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to French FOLS with knowledge of English and French (official language bilingualism) across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 4.3. Language transfer of Allophones ${ }^{37}$

Language transfer for immigrants refers to the transfer from a non-official language mother tongue towards the use of an official language at home. Here, instead of looking at all immigrants assigned to the English FOLS and French FOLS categories, the focus is on those who reported a single-response non-official language mother tongue (Allophone) within these two FOLS categories. ${ }^{38}$ Language transfer is often considered an indicator of change because transmitting languages from one generation to the next usually requires that a language be spoken at home. ${ }^{39}$ The rate of transfer for Allophone immigrants to an English or French home language indicates the strengths of these languages.

- Language transfer for Allophone immigrants occurs less frequently in Montréal ER than in any other ER in Quebec.
- Allophone immigrants assigned English FOLS: language transfer rates range from $52 \%$ in Montréal to $80 \%$ in Lanaudière.
- Allophone immigrants assigned French FOLS: language transfer rates range from $57 \%$ in Montréal to $77 \%$ in Lanaudière.
- The low rate of language transfer for English-French FOLS (6\%) immigrants results in a lower rate of language transfer for Anglophone FOLS (39\%) immigrants than for English FOLS (54\%) immigrants.

[^15]Map 13: Number and percentage of Allophone immigrants assigned to English FOLS showing language transfer across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 14: Number and percentage of Allophone immigrants assigned to French FOLS showing language transfer across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 4.4. Language spoken most often at work ${ }^{40}$

The language(s) spoken most often at work is an important indicator of an immigrant's linguistic integration into Quebec society.

- Of working immigrants who were assigned to the English FOLS category, 76\% speak English, $14 \%$ speak French and $10 \%$ speak both English and French most often at work.
- English FOLS immigrants speak English most often at work especially in Montréal, Montérégie, Laval, and Outaouais ERs.
- Although most of the immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category reported speaking a non-official language most often at home, they did not do so at work.
- Of the working immigrants who were assigned to the English-French FOLS category, 22\% reported speaking both English and French at work, 50\% reported speaking French at work, and $28 \%$ reported speaking English at work.
- Of working immigrants who were assigned French FOLS, 8\% speak English, 83\% speak French and 10\% speak both English and French most often at work.
- Outaouais is the only ER where almost a quarter of Francophone immigrants speak English most often at work.

Map 15: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS showing the official language spoken most often at work across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample


[^16]Map 16: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to French FOLS showing the official language spoken most often at work across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample


Map 17: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS showing the official language spoken most often at work across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


## Summary

- Immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category are more likely to report a non-official language mother tongue (68\%) than immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category (59\%), especially in Montréal, Montérégie, Laval and Outaouais ERs.
- Immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category are mainly Allophone (98\%) which pushes up the percentage of Allophones in the Anglophone (FOLS) category to 75\%
- Close proximity to centres with large Anglophone populations reduces the rate of bilingualism for immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category, while raising it for the immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category.
- Immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS are all bilingual, which explains why Anglophone and Francophone immigrants` rates of official language bilingualism, at $54 \%$ and $52 \%$ respectively, are higher than the rates for English FOLS and French FOLS immigrants.
- Language transfer rate for Allophone immigrants occurs less frequently in Montréal ER than in any other ER in Quebec.
- The low rate of language transfer for English-French FOLS (6\%) immigrants results in a lower rate of language transfer for Anglophone FOLS (39\%) immigrants than English FOLS (54\%) immigrants.
- English FOLS immigrants speak English most often at work especially in Montréal, Montérégie, Laval, and Outaouais ERs.
- Although most of the immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category report speaking a non-official language most often at home, only $4 \%$ report speaking only a nonofficial language at work.


## 5. Demographic characteristics of immigrants

Basic demographic characteristics provide further insight into the composition of immigrants within the individual FOLS categories. In this section, immigrants in the FOLS categories will be examined and compared in terms of four demographic characteristics: i) mobility; ii) average age; iii) gender; and iv) Census Families.

### 5.1. Mobility ${ }^{41}$

Mobility ${ }^{42}$ in the Census refers to the relationship between a person's usual place of residence on Census Day and his or her usual place of residence one year and five years earlier. In this paper we examine the five-year earlier results for immigrants who lived in the same ER, those who moved to another ER within Quebec and those who lived in an ER outside of Quebec five years ago.

- English FOLS ( $80 \%$ ) immigrants are more likely to have lived in the same ER five years ago than either French FOLS immigrants ( $74 \%$ ) or English-French FOLS immigrants ( $73 \%$ ).
- 79\% of Anglophone immigrants (FOLS) live in the same ER as they did five years ago, compared with $74 \%$ of Francophone (FOLS) immigrants.
- Montréal ER has the highest percent of immigrants who lived in that ER five years ago.
- Eighty-two percent of immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category, 77\% of immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category and $77 \%$ of immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category live in Montréal, just as they did five years ago.
- For immigrants assigned as Anglophone (FOLS) and Francophone (FOLS), 81\% and 77\% live in Montréal, just as they did five years ago.
- Four percent and 6\% of English FOLS and English-French FOLS immigrants lived in a different ER in Quebec five years ago.
- In Lanaudière, 22\% of English FOLS immigrants and 33\% of English-French FOLS immigrants lived in a different ER in Quebec five years ago.
- English FOLS immigrants are the least likely of the three FOLS categories to have come from an ER outside Quebec.
- Fifteen percent of English FOLS immigrants, 19\% of French FOLS immigrants and 21\% of English-French FOLS immigrants lived outside of Quebec five years ago.
- Outaouais (33\%) has the highest percentage of English FOLS immigrants living in an ER outside Quebec five years ago.
- Capitale-Nationale (39\%) and Estrie (35\%) are the ERs with the highest percentage of English-French FOLS immigrants living in an ER outside Quebec five years ago.
- 31\% of Anglophone (FOLS) immigrants in Outaouais and $27 \%$ in Capitale-Nationale lived in an ER outside of Quebec five years ago, there are no percentages that are higher than those for any of the Francophone (FOLS) ERs.

[^17]Map 18: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS showing the economic regions they lived in five years ago, for the population five years and older, for Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample


Map 19: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to French FOLS showing the economic regions they lived in five years ago, for the population five years and older, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 20: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS showing the economic regions they lived in five years ago, for the population five years and older, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 5.2. Average age ${ }^{43}$

Age is an important indicator because it provides information as to where people are in their life cycle. When one community is younger than the others, the service delivery requirements and socio-economic outcomes are different.

- Immigrants assigned to the English FOLS (49 years) are on average older than immigrants assigned to either the French FOLS (42 years) or English-French FOLS (41 years).
- In every ER, immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category have the highest average age, in some cases by a difference of more than 10 years (Montérégie, Lanaudière, Eastern ERs and Northern ERs).
- Capitale-Nationale and Outaouais ERs have the youngest average age, not only for immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category but also for those assigned to French FOLS or English-French FOLS categories.
- The English-French FOLS category has a relatively high percentage of immigrants in the 15to 34-year-old category.
- Thirty-four percent of English-French FOLS immigrants are between the ages of 15 and 34, compared with $20 \%$ of English FOLS immigrants and $25 \%$ of French FOLS immigrants.
- Twenty-one percent of immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category are over the age of 65, compared with $14 \%$ for immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category and $12 \%$ of immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category.

Map 21: Average age of immigrants assigned to English FOLS in Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


[^18]Map 22: Average age of immigrants assigned to French FOLS in Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample


Map 23: Average age of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 5.3. Gender ${ }^{44}$

Gender is an important contextual element, especially when presenting socio-economic outcomes. Services for men and women can be gender-specific and different requirements may be necessary.

- There is a higher percentage of male immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category in Quebec than in the other two FOLS immigrant categories.
- Males make up $55 \%$ of the immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category and $49 \%$ of the immigrants assigned to the English FOLS and French FOLS categories.
- Across the province, males comprise more than $50 \%$ of the immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category in all ERs, while in Lanaudière and the Northern ERs the percentages are particularly high, at $60 \%$ and $65 \%$ respectively.
- If analysis was to focus solely on Anglophone (FOLS) and Francophone (FOLS) immigrants, the gender nuances between English FOLS and English-French FOLS immigrants would be missed.


## Map 24: Percentage of male immigrants assigned to English FOLS across Quebec

 economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

[^19]Map 25: Percentage of male immigrants assigned to French FOLS across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 26: Percentage of male immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 5.4. Living in a Census Family ${ }^{45}$

- Family ${ }^{46}$ plays an important part in the integration of immigrants into Quebec society. If there are children in the family, schools and sports-based activities will get families involved in their neighbourhoods and communities. Individual immigrants often become socialized as the family interacts with mainstream society.
- The English-French FOLS category has the highest percentage of people living in Census Families, at $89 \%$, compared with $80 \%$ for English FOLS immigrants and $82 \%$ for French FOLS immigrants.
- For immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category, the highest percentages living in Census Families are in Montérégie (94\%), Laval (94\%), Laurentides (94\%) and the Eastern ERs (94\%).
- Laval has the highest percentage of immigrants living in Census Families for both English FOLS and French FOLS immigrants, at $89 \%$ for each.
- Seventy-four percent of immigrants in Census Families who are assigned to the English FOLS live as husbands or wives, compared with $56 \%$ for immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category and $63 \%$ assigned to the English-French FOLS category.
- French FOLS immigrants in Census Families have the highest share of common-law families, at $11 \%$, compared with $6 \%$ for English FOLS and $4 \%$ for English-French FOLS.
- English FOLS immigrants living in Census Families have the lowest percentage of children living in Census Families, at $12 \%$, compared with $24 \%$ for French FOLS immigrants and $28 \%$ of English-French FOLS immigrants.

[^20]Map 27: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS living in census families across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 28: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to French FOLS living in census families across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 29: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS living in census families across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


## Summary

- Demographic characteristics show how immigrants assigned to English FOLS and to French FOLS are different from those assigned to English-French FOLS.
- The English-French FOLS category of immigrants tends to be younger, male and living in a Census Family than either English FOLS or French FOLS.
- The demographic differences highlighted above between immigrants assigned to the English FOLS and English-French FOLS, mean that the Anglophone category has two subpopulations that are comprised of immigrants who may have varying service needs.


## 6. Diversity composition of immigrants

As a result of the steady growth of the immigrant population coming to Quebec from all corners of the world, diversity has become an important factor in understanding the integration of immigrants into Quebec society, especially for the three FOLS language categories. This section will consider the diversity composition of each FOLS language category. The details on diversity composition refer to recent immigrants, the percentage born in Europe, the percentage being assigned visible minority status, the top visible minority categories and the top five ethnic origins.

### 6.1. Recent immigrants ${ }^{47}$

- Recent immigrants are defined as landed immigrants who were granted the right to live in Canada permanently between January 1, 2001 and prior to Census Day, May 16, 2006. Recent immigrants may require different services than more established immigrants.
- English FOLS immigrants have a lower percentage of recent immigrants than French FOLS and English-French FOLS immigrants.
- Seventeen percent of immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category are recent immigrants compared with $26 \%$ assigned to the French FOLS category and $24 \%$ assigned to English-French FOLS category.
- Capitale-Nationale has the highest percentages of recent immigrants for the English-French FOLS and English FOLS immigrant category, at $45 \%$ and $21 \%$ respectively.
- Laval consistently has one of the lowest percentages of recent immigrants, at $8 \%$ for English FOLS and 14\% for English-French FOLS.
- English-French FOLS immigrants are more clustered in the 1991-2000 period of immigration category than English FOLS immigrants, at $30 \%$ versus $23 \%$, respectively.

[^21]Map 30: Percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS that are recent immigrants across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 31: Percentage of immigrants assigned to French FOLS that are recent immigrants across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 32: Percentage of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS that are recent immigrants across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 6.2. Place of birth ${ }^{48}$

Immigrants are coming to Quebec from around the world. This diversity is reflected in the place of birth results. Having a better understanding of place of birth results enables communities to orient policies to meet the demands of specific place of birth categories.

- Although recent immigrants come from more diverse backgrounds than ever before, Europe remains the largest place of birth category for immigrants in the three language categories. ${ }^{49}$
- Thirty-seven percent of immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category were born in Europe compared with $35 \%$ of immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category and $37 \%$ assigned to the English-French FOLS category.
- More and more immigrants are coming from around the world and settling in Quebec.
- For immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category, Asia is the top place-of-birth category for immigrants in Montréal (37\%), while in Montérégie, Laval and Outaouais, Asia is the second highest place of birth category after Europe.
- The United States is the top place of birth for immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category in Capitale-Nationale (32\%), Estrie ( $44 \%$ ) and Eastern ERs ( $49 \%$ ), while in the Laurentides ( $20 \%$ ) and Northern ERs ( $30 \%$ ), the United States is the second highest place of birth category after Europe.

[^22]- For immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category, Asia is the next highest place of birth, after Europe, in Montréal ( $25 \%$ ), Montérégie (33\%), Capitale-Nationale ( $23 \%$ ) and Estrie ( $22 \%$ ), the Middle East is the second highest place of birth in Laval (27\%) and Outaouais (22\%), while in Estrie (21\%), South America is the second highest place of birth. ${ }^{50}$

Map 33: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS that are born in Europe across Quebec economic regions, 2006 census, 20\% sample


[^23]Map 34: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to French FOLS that are born in Europe across Quebec economic regions, 2006 census, 20\% sample


Map 35: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS that are born in Europe across Quebec economic regions, 2006 census, 20\% sample


### 6.3. Visible minority status ${ }^{51}$

Visible minority status was established for employment equity purposes. Understanding the composition of a given official language linguistic community is important to see if it is reflected in the larger community.

- The percentage of the immigrants assigned visible minority status is similar for the three FOLS categories.
- Of immigrants assigned to either the English FOLS or the French FOLS categories, 50\% were assigned visible minority status, while $49 \%$ of immigrants assigned to the EnglishFrench FOLS category were assigned visible minority status. ${ }^{52}$
- For immigrants who are assigned to the English FOLS category, Montréal has the highest percentage of visible minority immigrants, at $55 \%$, followed by Montérégie ( $47 \%$ ), Outaouais ( $42 \%$ ), Capitale-National ( $32 \%$ ) and Laval ( $30 \%$ ).
- In Montréal and Laval, South Asians are the largest visible minority category for immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category, while in Montérégie and Outaouais, Chinese is the largest visible minority category.
- For immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category, Laval and Montréal have the highest percentage of visible minority immigrants, at $55 \%$ and $54 \%$ respectively, while the Laurentides has the lowest percentage of visible minorities, at $29 \%$.
- Black is the largest visible minority category in all ERs for French FOLS, except Estrie, Laurentides and the Eastern ERs, where Latin American is the largest visible minority category.
- For immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category, Montérégie (57\%), Estrie ( $52 \%$ ) and Outaouais ( $52 \%$ ) have the highest percentage of visible minorities, while the Laurentides ( $34 \%$ ) and Laval ( $38 \%$ ) have the lowest percentage.
- The top visible minority category for English-French FOLS immigrants is Arab, closely followed by Latin American, both of which comprise 11\% of immigrants.
- The top visible minority category for English-French FOLS immigrants in Montréal, Laval and Outaouais is Arab.
- The top visible minority category for English-French FOLS in Montérégie is Chinese, while in Estrie and Capitale-Nationale, Latin American is the top visible minority category.
- In sum, different FOLS categories are represented by different visible minority categories.
- The top two visible minority categories for immigrants who are assigned to the English FOLS category are South Asian and Chinese.
- The top two visible minority categories for immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category are Black and Arab.
- The top two visible minority categories for immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category are Arab and Latin American.
- Individual visible minority categories are not consistently represented across FOLS categories and across Quebec ERs. This highlights the fact that Quebec immigrants are diverse and are represented by different categories across the province.

[^24]Map 36: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS showing visible minority status across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 37: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to French FOLS showing visible minority status across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 38: Number and percentage of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS showing visible minority status across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 6.4. Top reported ethnic origins

The Ethnic Origin question on the long-form census asks people to report the ethnic origins of their ancestors. Here, the top five ethnic origins are considered to provide further insight into the diversity within these linguistic communities. ${ }^{53}$

- The top five origins for immigrants who are assigned to the English FOLS category are Chinese, Italian, English, East Indian and Greek, illustrating the European and non-European ethnic mix of immigrants within this linguistic community.
- English FOLS is the only category with immigrants reporting British Isles origins, such as English, Irish and Scottish.
- Other European origins, such as Italian, Greek and German, are also in the top five reported origins.
- When non-European origins are reported in the English FOLS category, they are mainly non-Francophonie origins, such as Chinese and East Indian.

Top English FOLS reported ethnic origins with over 200 responses

| Quebec | CapitaleNationale* | Estrie | Montérégie | Montréal | Laval | Laurentides | Outaouais | Northern ERs* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chinese | English | English | Chinese | Chinese | Greek | English | English | English |
| Italian | German | Irish | English | Italian | Italian | German | German |  |
| English |  | French | German | East Indian | Armenian | Italian | Chinese |  |
| East Indian |  | German | East Indian | Filipino | German | Scottish | Lebanese |  |
| Greek |  | Scottish | Italian | Jew ish | East Indian | Irish | Irish |  |

* Empty boxes indicate counts under 200 for the top five origins. The origins for some ERs are not provided since all individual ethnic origins had counts of less than 200. A label with no colour indicates that a given origin is listed only in that specific box.
- For immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category, the top five ethnic origins are French, Haitian, Italian, Spanish and Lebanese.
- Three of these five origins—French, Haitian and Lebanese—are origins from regions within the Francophonie.
- Of the top five origins in selected ERs, other origins associated with the Francophonie are Moroccan, Belgian and Swiss.
- Italian, is the third largest origin category reported by immigrants assigned to the French FOLS category.

Top French FOLS reported ethnic origins with over 200 responses

| Quebec | Capitale- <br> Nationale | Estrie | Montérégie | Montréal | Laval | Lanaudière | Laurentides | Outaouais | Eastern <br> ERs | Northern <br> ERs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| French | French | French | French | Haitian | Haitian | French | French | French | French | French |
| Haitian | Spanish | Italian | Italian | French | French | Haitian | Italian | Portuguese | Colombian | Chinese |
| Italian | Italian | Spanish | Haitian | Italian | Lebanese | Italian | Portuguese | Lebanese | Sw iss | Italian |
| Spanish | Chinese | Belgian | Spanish | Moroccan | Italian | Spanish | Spanish | Haitian | Chinese | Colombian |
| Lebanese | Colombian | Colombian | Chinese | Lebanese | Moroccan | Chinese | Belgian | Spanish | Spanish | Spanish |

- The top five origins reported by immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category are origins often closely associated with both the English FOLS and French FOLS categories, such as Italian for English FOLS and Lebanese for French FOLS.

[^25]- There are also several ethnic categories that are only found within the top five English-French FOLS category, such as Romanian and Vietnamese.


## Top English-French FOLS reported ethnic origins with over 200 responses

| Quebec | CapitaleNationale | Estrie | Montérégie | Montréal | Laval | Lanaudière | Laurentides | Outaouais |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Italian | Romanian | Serbian | Chinese | Italian | Armenian | Halian | Romanian | Lebanese |
| Romanian | Spanish | Spanish | Romanian | Chinese | Lebanese |  |  | Romanian |
| Chinese | Bosnian | Afghan | Spanish | Romanian | Italian |  |  | Portuguese |
| Lebanese | Chinese | Colombian | Vietnamese | Lebanese | Greek |  |  | Serbian |
| Spanish | Vietnamese | German | Italian | Vietnamese | Romanian |  |  |  |

- Although some ethnic origins seem to be more closely affiliated with particular FOLS categories, there also appears to be some convergence occurring in the English-French FOLS category.
- There are a variety of European and non-European origins within each linguistic category, which represent past and present immigration trends.
- Although Francophonie origins are predominant, some historically non-Francophonie origins, such as Italian, are contributing to all linguistic categories.


## Summary

- Immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category have a lower percentage of recent immigrants compared to English-French FOLS and French FOLS categories. This holds true across all Quebec ERs.
- In all three FOLS categories European-born is the highest place of birth category.
- The percentage of immigrants who reported visible minority status is similar for each of the FOLS categories, while the composition of the visible minority categories is different.
- The top visible minority categories for English FOLS immigrants are South Asian and Chinese. The top visible minority categories for French FOLS immigrants are Black, Arab and Latin American. The top visible minority categories for English-French FOLS are Arab, Latin American and Chinese.
- The top ethnic origins are a mix of European and non-European origins. However, the representation of ethnic origin sub-categories (i.e. East Indian and Greek) is not the same in across categories.
- Only in the case of more established immigrant ethnic origins categories, such as Italian, do we see representation across all three categories.


## 7. Education, labour force and income profiles of immigrants

In this section, selected educational, labour force and income-related characteristics are presented for immigrants assigned to the FOLS categories in Quebec. University education profiles apply to the population aged 15 years old and over, while Labour Force Participation, Employment Rates, Professional and Managerial Occupations and Median Income focus on the working population aged $35-64$ years old and over. ${ }^{54}$ Although points relating to gender and recent immigrants are not always highlighted below, reference data tables are provided in the appendix.

### 7.1. University education attainment ${ }^{55}$

- In 2006, $28 \%$ of English FOLS immigrants aged 15 years old and over reported having attained university degree or higher, which is higher than that for French FOLS immigrants ( $26 \%$ ), but lower than that assigned to the English-French FOLS category ( $32 \%$ ).
- As a result of the higher English-French education levels, Anglophone (29\%) and Francophone ( $27 \%$ ) immigrants' education levels are higher than the English FOLS and French FOLS levels.
- Regardless of the FOLS group examined, Capitale-Nationale immigrants have the highest levels of university education attainment, at $44 \%$ for English FOLS, 34\% for French FOLS and $53 \%$ for English-French FOLS immigrants.
- For all FOLS immigrant categories, males have a higher percentage with a university degree or higher.
- For English FOLS immigrants, $26 \%$ of women and $31 \%$ of men have a university degree or higher.
- For French FOLS immigrants, $24 \%$ of women and $29 \%$ of men have a university degree or higher.
- For English-French FOLS immigrants, the percentages were higher and the spread between genders less remarkable, at $32 \%$ for women and $33 \%$ men.
- A higher percentage of English FOLS (47\%) and English-French FOLS (56\%) recent immigrants aged 15 years and older have a university education than recent French FOLS immigrants ( $41 \%$ ).

[^26]Map 39: Percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS with a university degree or higher level of education across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 40: Percentage of immigrants assigned to French FOLS with a university degree or higher level of education across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 41: Percentage of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS with a university degree or higher level of education across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 7.2. Labour force participation and employment rates ${ }^{56}$

- Immigrants between the ages of 35-64 years who were assigned to the English FOLS category display slightly lower levels of labour force participation (75.5\%) than their counterparts in the French FOLS (77.9\%) and English-French FOLS (79.6\%) immigrant categories.
- The labour force participation rate for English FOLS immigrants in the Laurentides, Estrie and Eastern ERs is below the $70 \%$ mark.
- Female English FOLS immigrants display lower labour force participation rates than their male counterparts ( $67.7 \%$ and $83.2 \%$ ) and their French FOLS and English-French FOLS female counterparts ( $70.3 \%$ and $70.5 \%$, respectively).
- English FOLS recent immigrants' labour force participation rates (63.4\%) are below French FOLS ( $69.5 \%$ ) and English-French FOLS ( $68.2 \%$ ) recent immigrant rates.
- The employment rate of English FOLS (69.2\%) and French FOLS (69.8\%) immigrants aged 35 to 64 years is lower than the employment rate of English-French FOLS (72.2\%) immigrants in this same age category.
- Across all the FOLS categories, male immigrants aged 35-64 years have higher employment rates than their female counterparts.
- English-French FOLS recent immigrants (those who arrived between 2001-2006), immigrants who arrived between 1991 and 2001 and more established immigrants (those who arrived before 1991) have consistently higher employment rates than English FOLS and French FOLS immigrants who arrived during those same time periods.

[^27]Map 42: Labour force participation rates among immigrants assigned to English FOLS, who are 35 to 64 years of age, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 43: Labour force participation rates among immigrants assigned to French FOLS, who are 35 to 64 years of age, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 44: Labour force participation rates among immigrants assigned to EnglishFrench FOLS, who are 35 to 64 years of age, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 7.3. Professional and managerial occupations ${ }^{57}$

- Professional and managerial occupations comprise economic activities in the managerial, business, natural and applied sciences, health, social sciences, education and government.
- Fifty-two percent of English FOLS and English-French FOLS immigrant workers are in professional and managerial occupations, compared with $51 \%$ of French FOLS immigrants.
- For English FOLS immigrants, percentages are higher than $60 \%$ in the Northern ERs, Laurentide ER and Capitale-Nationale ER.
- English FOLS and English-French FOLS female immigrants are more concentrated in professional and managerial occupations at $57 \%$ and $60 \%$ respectively than their male counterparts at $48 \%$ and $47 \%$ respectively.

Map 45: Percentage of immigrants assigned to English FOLS in the work force, who are 35 to 64 years of age, showing those employed in professionalmanagerial related occupations across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


[^28]Map 46: Percentage of immigrants assigned to French FOLS in the work force, who are 35 to 64 years of age, showing those employed in professionalmanagerial related occupations across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


Map 47: Percentage of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS in the work force, who are 35 to 64 years of age, showing those employed in professionalmanagerial related occupations across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


### 7.4. Median employment income ${ }^{58}$

- The median employment income observed for immigrants aged 35 to 64 years in the three FOLS categories are $\$ 25,865$ for English FOLS, $\$ 25,607$ for French FOLS, and $\$ 25,116$ for English-French FOLS.
- Among immigrants assigned to the English FOLS, French FOLS and English-French FOLS categories, the highest median income is in Capitale-Nationale ER $(\$ 34,591)$, Outaouais $(\$ 32,772)$ and Laurentides $(\$ 36,994)$ respectively.
- Gender breakdowns of median employment incomes reveal that the median employment income of male and female immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category is slightly higher than for those assigned to either the French FOLS or the English-French FOLS categories.
- For English FOLS immigrants between the ages of 35 and 64 years, regardless of gender, the highest median income is in the Capitale-Nationale region (\$53,336 among males and \$25,371 among females).
- The median employment income for immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS is lower than for immigrants assigned to either English FOLS or French FOLS.
- Immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category are more highly educated, have higher participation rates, have a similar percentage of immigrants in professional and managerial occupations, and have lower median incomes.

Map 48: Median employment income of immigrants assigned to English FOLS, who are 35 to 64 years of age, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


[^29]Map 49: Median employment income of immigrants assigned to French FOLS, who are 35 to 64 years of age, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample


Map 50: Median employment income of immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS, who are 35 to 64 years of age, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


## Summary

- In 2006, English-French FOLS (32\%) has the highest percentage of immigrants with a university degree or higher, than either English FOLS( $28 \%$ ) or French FOLS (26\%)
- Regardless of the FOLS group examined, Capitale-Nationale immigrants have the highest levels of university education attainment at $44 \%$ for English FOLS, $34 \%$ for French FOLS and $53 \%$ for English-French FOLS immigrants.
- A higher percentage of English-French FOLS (56\%) recent immigrants aged 15 years and older have a university education than either English FOLS (47\%) or French FOLS (41\%) recent immigrants.
- Immigrants between the ages of 35-64 years who were assigned to the English FOLS category display slightly lower levels of labour force participation (75.5\%) than their counterparts in the French FOLS (77.9\%) and English-French FOLS (79.6\%) immigrant categories.
- English-French FOLS recent immigrants, immigrants who arrived between 1991 and 2001 and more established immigrants have consistently higher employment rates than English FOLS and French FOLS immigrants who arrived during those same time periods.
- Fifty-two percent of English FOLS and English-French FOLS immigrant workers are in professional and managerial occupations, compared with $51 \%$ of French FOLS immigrants.
- English FOLS female immigrants are more concentrated in professional and managerial occupations than their male counterparts ( $57 \%$ to $48 \%$ ).
- English FOLS and English-French FOLS female immigrants are more concentrated in professional and managerial occupations at $57 \%$ and $60 \%$ respectively than their male counterparts at $48 \%$ and $47 \%$ respectively.
- The immigrants assigned to English-French FOLS appear to be better educated and have higher participation and employment rates, while their median income is lower than that of immigrants in the English FOLS or French FOLS categories


## 8. Conclusion

This study of English-speaking immigrants in Quebec reveals that, within this larger Anglophone immigrant population, there are two distinct linguistic subpopulations: English FOLS and English-French FOLS. As outlined in this paper and shown on the overview table below, each linguistic subpopulation under the Anglophone immigrant population umbrella has distinctive demographic traits, which are evolving as immigration rates continue to increase. Compared with the English-French FOLS category, the English FOLS category is composed of more established immigrants who are older on average, are living less often in Census Families, are less likely to have knowledge of English and French and less likely to have a non-official mother tongue. Even though similar proportions of immigrants in both categories are born in European and nonEuropean countries, the top visible minority sub-categories are different. Immigrants assigned to the English FOLS category are more likely to have self-identified as South Asian or Chinese, whereas immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category are more likely to have selfidentified as Latin American or Arab. The socio-economic results are a little more difficult to compare, due to age, period of immigration and gender differences between the categories. It appears that immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category are more highly educated, have higher participation and employment rates, have similar percentages represented in professional and managerial occupation groups, while their median employment income is lower. A next step could be more rigorous statistical analysis, which would control for these different factors.
With the English FOLS and English-French FOLS dynamic in mind, another interesting fact that emerged is that immigrant communities in ERs are heterogeneous. The importance of Montréal, Montrérégie and Laval can be identified for the two Anglophone (FOLS) subpopulations of immigrants. However, each region has its own demographic composition, which may or may not be similar to that of the provincial-level results. For instance, differences are highlighted by some of the following examples: the Laurentides has the highest percentage of European-born immigrants, Laval has a large percentage of immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category, and Outaouais has a relatively large percentage of immigrants who lived in an ER outside of Quebec five years ago.
With the addition of the English FOLS and half of the English-French FOLS categories to derive the total Anglophone population, having a relatively large English-French FOLS category can make a difference to the Anglophone outcomes. This is especially true in ERs such as Laval and Capitale-Nationale where, after assigning immigrants, the English FOLS category is approximately the same size or smaller than the English-French FOLS category. As a result, when examining the composition of immigrants assigned to the Anglophone (FOLS) category, it may also be important to keep in mind that in some ERs there are differences between these two categories.
From the information examined here, it is difficult to know whether immigrants from this English-French FOLS category learned English or French first, or to which official language community they are more closely affiliated. These results seem to show that the English-French FOLS category is a mix of immigrants from both the English FOLS or French FOLS categories. However, it also appears that immigrants from some selected backgrounds (e.g., Romanians) are more predisposed to this bilingual Allophone category.

In sum, immigrants are playing an increasingly larger role in Anglophone communities across Quebec. The results provided here show how diverse Anglophone immigrants are. This study also highlights the importance of understanding the FOLS sub-category distribution within the
province and in individual ERs, and the importance of analyzing the results for immigrants, not just in Montréal, but in ERs across the province.

Summary of results for Quebec Immigrants by FOLS categories, 2006 Census

| Topic | French FOLS | $\begin{gathered} \text { English - French } \\ \text { FOLS } \end{gathered}$ | English FOLS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% of immigrants in Quebec | 48\% | 18\% | 29\% |
| Immigrants as a \% of FOLS category | 7\% | 69\% | 28\% |
| Top ERs | Montréal, Montérégie, Laval, Capitale-Nationale | Montréal, Laval, Montérégie, Outaouais | Montréal, Montérégie , Laval, Outaouais |
| Non-Official Language Mother tongue | 59\% | 98\% | 68\% |
| \% Knowledge of English and French | 43\% | 100\% | 40\% |
| Language Transfer of Allophones to their FOLS community | 61\% | 6\% | 54\% |
| Language at Work - \% same as FOLS category | 83\% | 22\% | 76\% |
| Average Age | 42 years | 41 years | 49 years |
| \% male | 49\% | 55\% | 49\% |
| \% living in a Census Family | 82\% | 89\% | 80\% |
| \% recent Immigrants | 26\% | 24\% | 17\% |
| \% European Born | (18\% Western European) | (19\% Southern European) | (15\% Southern European) |
| \% Visible Minority (top categories) | $\begin{gathered} 50 \% \\ \text { 19\% Black \& 12\% Arab } \end{gathered}$ | 49\% 11\% Latin American \& 11\% Arab | 50\% <br> 13\% South Asian \& 10\% Chinese |
| Top Ethnic Origins | French, Haitian, Italian, Spanish, Lebanese | Italian, Romanian, Chinese, Lebanese, Spanish | Chinese, Italian, English, East Indian, Greek |
| University Education Attainment | 26\% | 32\% | 28\% |
| Labour Force Participation Rates | 77.9\% | 79.6\% | 75.5\% |
| Employment Rates | 69.8\% | 72.2\% | 69.2\% |
| Professional \& Managerial Occupations | 51\% | 52\% | 52\% |
| Median Employment Incomes | \$25,607 | \$25,116 | \$25,865 |

## Appendix A: Tables

Table 1: Number and percentage of immigrants in Quebec, 1911 to 2006 Censuses, 20\% sample

| Census year | Total population | Number of immigrants | Immigrants as a percent <br> of the total population |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1911 | $2,005,776$ | 147,070 | $7 \%$ |
| 1921 | $2,361,199$ | 188,576 | $8 \%$ |
| 1931 | $2,874,255$ | 251,743 | $9 \%$ |
| 1941 | $3,331,882$ | 223,943 | $7 \%$ |
| 1951 | $4,055,681$ | 228,923 | $6 \%$ |
| 1961 | $5,259,211$ | 388,449 | $7 \%$ |
| 1971 | $6,027,765$ | 468,930 | $8 \%$ |
| 1981 | $6,369,070$ | 522,150 | $8 \%$ |
| 1991 | $6,810,300$ | 591,210 | $9 \%$ |
| 2001 | $7,125,580$ | 706,965 | $10 \%$ |
| 2006 | $7,435,905$ | 851,560 | $11 \%$ |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census (97-557-XCB2006006)
Table 2: Number and percentage of immigrants and Allophones in Quebec, 1991 to 2006 Censuses, 20\% sample

|  | $\mathbf{1 9 9 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 9 9 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 1}$ | 2006 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Total Population | $\mathbf{6 , 8 1 0 , 3 0 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 0 4 5 , 0 8 5}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 1 2 5 , 5 8 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 , 4 3 5 , 9 0 5}$ |
| \# of immigrants | 591,205 | 664,495 | 706,965 | 851,555 |
| \% immigrants | $8.7 \%$ | $9.4 \%$ | $9.9 \%$ | $11.5 \%$ |
| \# of Allophones* | 598,455 | 681,785 | 732,170 | 911,900 |
| \% Allophones | $8.8 \%$ | $9.7 \%$ | $10.3 \%$ | $12.3 \%$ |
| \# of immigrants assigned Allophone* | 395,490 | 454,720 | 493,850 | 613,565 |
| \% of Allophones that are immigrants | $66.1 \%$ | $66.7 \%$ | $67.5 \%$ | $67.3 \%$ |
| \% of population assigned Allophone immigrant | $5.8 \%$ | $6.5 \%$ | $6.9 \%$ | $8.3 \%$ |
| \% immigrants assigned Allophone* | $66.9 \%$ | $68.4 \%$ | $69.9 \%$ | $72.1 \%$ |
| \# of non-immigrants** Allophones | 170,245 | 196,960 | 212,790 | 268,605 |
| \% of non-immigrant** Allophones | $28.4 \%$ | $28.9 \%$ | $29.1 \%$ | $29.5 \%$ |
| \% of population assigned Allophone that are not immigrants | $2.5 \%$ | $2.8 \%$ | $3.0 \%$ | $3.6 \%$ |

[^30]Table 3: Anglophone*, Francophone* and Allophone* populations by immigrant status in Quebec, 1991 to 2006 Censuses, 20\% sample

|  | 1991 |  | 1996 |  | 2001 |  | 2006 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Immigrant |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total ** | 591,205 | 8.7\% | 664,495 | 9.4\% | 706,965 | 9.9\% | 851,555 | 11.5\% |
| Anglophone | 83,860 | 1.2\% | 81,855 | 1.2\% | 75,340 | 1.1\% | 76,925 | 1.0\% |
| Francophone | 111,865 | 1.6\% | 127,915 | 1.8\% | 137,775 | 1.9\% | 161,080 | 2.2\% |
| Allophone | 395,490 | 5.8\% | 454,720 | 6.5\% | 493,850 | 6.9\% | 613,565 | 8.3\% |
| Non-Immigrants** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 6,175,125 | 90.7\% | 6,339,165 | 90.0\% | 6,378,420 | 89.5\% | 6,535,430 | 87.9\% |
| Anglophone | 536,495 | 7.9\% | 535,470 | 7.6\% | 510,750 | 7.2\% | 523,550 | 7.0\% |
| Francophone | 5,468,385 | 80.3\% | 5,606,735 | 79.6\% | 5,654,875 | 79.4\% | 5,743,280 | 77.2\% |
| Allophone | 170,245 | 2.5\% | 196,960 | 2.8\% | 212,790 | 3.0\% | 268,605 | 3.6\% |
| Total Population*** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total** | 6,810,300 | 100.0\% | 7,045,085 | 100.0\% | 7,125,580 | 100.0\% | 7,435,905 | 100.0\% |
| Anglophone | 626,205 | 9.2\% | 621,865 | 8.8\% | 591,380 | 8.3\% | 607,165 | 8.2\% |
| Francophone | 5,585,645 | 82.0\% | 5,741,435 | 81.5\% | 5,802,020 | 81.4\% | 5,916,850 | 79.6\% |
| Allophone | 598,455 | 8.8\% | 681,785 | 9.7\% | 732,170 | 10.3\% | 911,900 | 12.3\% |

* In this table Anglophone, Francophone and Allophone populations are based on results from the Census Mother Tongue question
** Non-immigrants refers to people that are born in Canada and does not include non-permanent residents
*** Total Population counts include non-permanent residents
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table
Table 4: Mother tongue versus First Official Language Spoken results for Quebec (QC), 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Total | French |  | English |  | English French |  | Non-Official language |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| QC (MT) | 7,435,905 | 5,893,335 | 79\% | 583,660 | 8\% | 46,095 | 1\% | 912,820 | 12\% |
| QC immigrants (MT) | 851,560 | 158,985 | 19\% | 74,830 | 9\% | 3,830 | 0\% | 613,915 | 72\% |
| QC non-immigrants* (MT) | 6,535,435 | 5,721,990 | 88\% | 502,255 | 8\% | 42,010 | 1\% | 269,175 | 4\% |
| QC (FOLS) | 7,435,905 | 6,263,945 | 84\% | 885,450 | 12\% | 218,555 | 3\% | 67,955 | 1\% |
| QC immigrants (FOLS) | 851,560 | 412,195 | 48\% | 248,165 | 29\% | 149,830 | 18\% | 41,370 | 5\% |
| QC non-immigrants* (FOLS) | 6,535,435 | 5,830,325 | 89\% | 618,070 | 9\% | 63,495 | 1\% | 23,540 | 0\% |
|  |  | Anglopho |  | Francopho |  | Allophon |  |  |  |
| QC (MT) |  | 607,165 | 8\% | 5,916,850 | 80\% | 911,900 | 12\% |  |  |
| QC immigrants (MT) |  | 76,925 | 9\% | 161,075 | 19\% | 613,565 | 72\% |  |  |
| QC non-immigrants* (MT) |  | 523,550 | 8\% | 5,743,280 | 88\% | 268,605 | 4\% |  |  |
| QC (FOLS) |  | 994,725 | 13\% | 6,373,225 | 86\% | 67,955 | 1\% |  |  |
| QC immigrants (FOLS) |  | 323,080 | 38\% | 487,110 | 57\% | 41,400 | 5\% |  |  |
| QC non-immigrants* (FOLS) |  | 649,815 | 10\% | 5,862,070 | 90\% | 23,540 | 0\% |  |  |

* Non-immigrants refers to people born in Canada and does not include non-permanent residents

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 5: FOLS categories by immigrant status for Quebec, 1991 to 2006 Censuses, 20\% sample

|  | Total | \% of Qc | \# of immigrants | \% of immigrants FOLS category | $\%$ of immigrants in Quebec | Nonimmigrant** | \% nonimmigrants** in FOLS category | $\begin{gathered} \text { \% non- } \\ \text { immigrants** } \\ \text { in Quebec } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total - Quebec |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1991 | 6,810,300 | 100.0\% | 591,205 | 8.7\% | 100.0\% | 6,175,125 | 90.7\% | 100.0\% |
| 1996 | 7,045,080 | 100.0\% | 664,495 | 9.4\% | 100.0\% | 6,339,165 | 90.0\% | 100.0\% |
| 2001 | 7,125,580 | 100.0\% | 706,965 | 9.9\% | 100.0\% | 6,378,420 | 89.5\% | 100.0\% |
| 2006 | 7,435,905 | 100.0\% | 851,560 | 11.5\% | 100.0\% | 6,535,430 | 87.9\% | 100.0\% |
| English FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1991 | 832,050 | 12.2\% | 214,800 | 25.8\% | 36.3\% | 599,410 | 72.0\% | 9.7\% |
| 1996 | 842,105 | 12.0\% | 223,855 | 26.6\% | 33.7\% | 603,670 | 71.7\% | 9.5\% |
| 2001 | 828,730 | 11.6\% | 224,875 | 27.1\% | 31.8\% | 588,785 | 71.0\% | 9.2\% |
| 2006 | 885,450 | 11.9\% | 248,165 | 28.0\% | 29.1\% | 618,070 | 69.8\% | 9.5\% |
| French FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1991 | 5,772,180 | 84.8\% | 249,540 | 4.3\% | 42.2\% | 5,506,885 | 95.4\% | 89.2\% |
| 1996 | 5,963,675 | 84.7\% | 293,045 | 4.9\% | 44.1\% | 5,653,900 | 94.8\% | 89.2\% |
| 2001 | 6,059,110 | 85.0\% | 326,840 | 5.4\% | 46.2\% | 5,714,220 | 94.3\% | 89.6\% |
| 2006 | 6,263,945 | 84.2\% | 412,195 | 6.6\% | 48.4\% | 5,830,325 | 93.1\% | 89.2\% |
| English-French FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1991 | 144,505 | 2.1\% | 87,930 | 60.8\% | 14.9\% | 51,230 | 35.5\% | 0.8\% |
| 1996 | 167,455 | 2.4\% | 105,430 | 63.0\% | 15.9\% | 57,960 | 34.6\% | 0.9\% |
| 2001 | 180,455 | 2.5\% | 118,485 | 65.7\% | 16.8\% | 57,860 | 32.1\% | 0.9\% |
| 2006 | 218,555 | 2.9\% | 149,830 | 68.6\% | 17.6\% | 63,495 | 29.1\% | 1.0\% |
| Anglophone FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1991 | 904,305 | 13.3\% | 258,765 | 28.6\% | 43.8\% | 625,025 | 69.1\% | 10.1\% |
| 1996 | 925,835 | 13.1\% | 276,570 | 29.9\% | 41.6\% | 632,650 | 68.3\% | 10.0\% |
| 2001 | 918,960 | 12.9\% | 284,120 | 30.9\% | 40.2\% | 617,715 | 67.2\% | 9.7\% |
| 2006 | 994,725 | 13.4\% | 323,080 | 32.5\% | 37.9\% | 649,815 | 65.3\% | 9.9\% |
| Francophone FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1991 | 5,844,435 | 85.8\% | 293,505 | 5.0\% | 49.6\% | 5,532,500 | 94.7\% | 89.6\% |
| 1996 | 6,047,405 | 85.8\% | 345,760 | 5.7\% | 52.0\% | 5,682,880 | 94.0\% | 89.6\% |
| 2001 | 6,149,340 | 86.3\% | 386,085 | 6.3\% | 54.6\% | 5,743,150 | 93.4\% | 90.0\% |
| 2006 | 6,373,225 | 85.7\% | 487,110 | 7.6\% | 57.2\% | 5,862,075 | 92.0\% | 89.7\% |

* The "Total" includes non-permanent residents, w ho are not represented in either the "Immigrant" or "Non-Immigrant" categories
${ }^{* *}$ Non-immigrant refers to people born in Canada and does not refer to non-permanent residents.
Source: Statistics Canada, 1991 to 2006 Censuses, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables
Table 6: Composition of Anglophone (FOLS) immigrants in Quebec, 1991 to 2006 Censuses, 20\% sample

|  | English FOLS | English-French FOLS* |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1991 | 214,800 | $83.0 \%$ | 43,965 | $17.0 \%$ |
| 1996 | 223,855 | $80.9 \%$ | 52,715 | $19.1 \%$ |
| 2001 | 224,875 | $79.1 \%$ | 59,245 | $20.9 \%$ |
| 2006 | 248,165 | $76.8 \%$ | 74,915 | $23.2 \%$ |
| * As |  |  |  |  |

[^31]Table 7: FOLS categories by immigrant status for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census

|  | Total | Non-immigrants* |  |  | Immigrants |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | \# | \% ER | Distribution across QC | \# | \% ER | Distribution across QC |
| Total |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 7,435,905 | 6,535,430 | 87.9\% | 100.0\% | 851,560 | 11.5\% | 100.0\% |
| Montréal | 1,823,900 | 1,225,975 | 67.2\% | 18.8\% | 560,395 | 30.7\% | 65.8\% |
| Montérégie | 1,339,790 | 1,235,435 | 92.2\% | 18.9\% | 100,785 | 7.5\% | 11.8\% |
| Laval | 364,625 | 289,865 | 79.5\% | 4.4\% | 73,565 | 20.2\% | 8.6\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 649,605 | 622,310 | 95.8\% | 9.5\% | 25,165 | 3.9\% | 3.0\% |
| Outaouais | 338,190 | 313,775 | 92.8\% | 4.8\% | 23,635 | 7.0\% | 2.8\% |
| Laurentides | 506,075 | 485,690 | 96.0\% | 7.4\% | 19,825 | 3.9\% | 2.3\% |
| Estrie | 293,955 | 279,230 | 95.0\% | 4.3\% | 13,530 | 4.6\% | 1.6\% |
| Lanaudière | 425,210 | 412,165 | 96.9\% | 6.3\% | 12,675 | 3.0\% | 1.5\% |
| Eastern ERs | 896,180 | 882,775 | 98.5\% | 13.5\% | 12,405 | 1.4\% | 1.5\% |
| Centre-du-Québec | 219,640 | 214,505 | 97.7\% | 3.3\% | 4,890 | 2.2\% | 0.6\% |
| Chaudière-Appalaches | 387,315 | 382,325 | 98.7\% | 5.9\% | 4,670 | 1.2\% | 0.5\% |
| Gaspésie-liles-de-la-Madeleine | 93,180 | 92,305 | 99.1\% | 1.4\% | 845 | 0.9\% | 0.1\% |
| Bas-Saint-Laurent | 196,050 | 193,645 | 98.8\% | 3.0\% | 2,005 | 1.0\% | 0.2\% |
| Northern ERs | 798,365 | 788,210 | 98.7\% | 12.1\% | 9,575 | 1.2\% | 1.1\% |
| Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean | 269,215 | 266,535 | 99.0\% | 4.1\% | 2,535 | 0.9\% | 0.3\% |
| Mauricie | 252,930 | 248,635 | 98.3\% | 3.8\% | 3,990 | 1.6\% | 0.5\% |
| Côte-Nord | 94,805 | 93,850 | 99.0\% | 1.4\% | 920 | 1.0\% | 0.1\% |
| Abitibi-Témiscamingue | 141,865 | 139,995 | 98.7\% | 2.1\% | 1,780 | 1.3\% | 0.2\% |
| Nord-du-Québec | 39,550 | 39,190 | 99.1\% | 0.6\% | 355 | 0.9\% | 0.0\% |
| English FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 885,445 | 618,065 | 69.8\% | 100.0\% | 248,165 | 28.0\% | 100.0\% |
| Montréal | 523,575 | 324,980 | 62.1\% | 52.6\% | 182,065 | 34.8\% | 73.4\% |
| Montérégie | 132,065 | 102,020 | 77.2\% | 16.5\% | 28,820 | 21.8\% | 11.6\% |
| Laval | 56,065 | 38,580 | 68.8\% | 6.2\% | 17,225 | 30.7\% | 6.9\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 10,150 | 8,115 | 80.0\% | 1.3\% | 1,770 | 17.4\% | 0.7\% |
| Outaouais | 55,515 | 47,870 | 86.2\% | 7.7\% | 7,435 | 13.4\% | 3.0\% |
| Laurentides | 31,385 | 26,355 | 84.0\% | 4.3\% | 4,850 | 15.5\% | 2.0\% |
| Estrie | 22,365 | 19,675 | 88.0\% | 3.2\% | 2,370 | 10.6\% | 1.0\% |
| Lanaudière | 9,065 | 7,820 | 86.3\% | 1.3\% | 1,215 | 13.4\% | 0.5\% |
| Eastern ERs | 16,005 | 14,590 | 91.2\% | 2.4\% | 1,310 | 8.2\% | 0.5\% |
| Centre-du-Québec | 2,140 | 1,835 | 85.7\% | 0.3\% | 280 | 13.1\% | 0.1\% |
| Chaudière-Appalaches | 3,415 | 2,740 | 80.2\% | 0.4\% | 620 | 18.2\% | 0.2\% |
| Gaspésie-Illes-de-la-Madeleine | 9,290 | 9,040 | 97.3\% | 1.5\% | 245 | 2.6\% | 0.1\% |
| Bas-Saint-Laurent | 1,165 | 975 | 83.7\% | 0.2\% | 160 | 13.7\% | 0.1\% |
| Northern ERs | 29,250 | 28,070 | 96.0\% | 4.5\% | 1,105 | 3.8\% | 0.4\% |
| Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean | 1,630 | 1,365 | 83.7\% | 0.2\% | 245 | 15.0\% | 0.1\% |
| Mauricie | 2,270 | 1,980 | 87.2\% | 0.3\% | 260 | 11.5\% | 0.1\% |
| Côte-Nord | 5,285 | 5,195 | 98.3\% | 0.8\% | 90 | 1.7\% | 0.0\% |
| Abitibi-Témiscamingue | 5,080 | 4,655 | 91.6\% | 0.8\% | 405 | 8.0\% | 0.2\% |
| Nord-du-Québec | 14,990 | 14,880 | 99.3\% | 2.4\% | 105 | 0.7\% | 0.0\% |


|  | Total | Non-immigrants* |  |  | Immigrants |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | \# | \% ER | Distribution across QC | \# | \% ER | Distribution across QC |
| French FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 6,263,950 | 5,830,325 | 93.1\% | 100.0\% | 412,195 | 6.6\% | 100.0\% |
| Montréal | 1,110,145 | 853,940 | 76.9\% | 14.6\% | 241,390 | 21.7\% | 58.6\% |
| Montérégie | 1,179,055 | 1,125,040 | 95.4\% | 19.3\% | 52,515 | 4.5\% | 12.7\% |
| Laval | 278,370 | 241,630 | 86.8\% | 4.1\% | 36,040 | 12.9\% | 8.7\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 634,840 | 612,850 | 96.5\% | 10.5\% | 20,375 | 3.2\% | 4.9\% |
| Outaouais | 275,080 | 263,115 | 95.7\% | 4.5\% | 11,500 | 4.2\% | 2.8\% |
| Laurentides | 470,150 | 456,590 | 97.1\% | 7.8\% | 13,220 | 2.8\% | 3.2\% |
| Estrie | 268,530 | 258,500 | 96.3\% | 4.4\% | 9,350 | 3.5\% | 2.3\% |
| Lanaudière | 413,070 | 402,690 | 97.5\% | 6.9\% | 10,175 | 2.5\% | 2.5\% |
| Eastern ERs | 877,450 | 866,830 | 98.8\% | 14.9\% | 9,905 | 1.1\% | 2.4\% |
| Centre-du-Québec | 216,350 | 212,360 | 98.2\% | 3.6\% | 3,865 | 1.8\% | 0.9\% |
| Chaudière-Appalaches | 383,180 | 379,130 | 98.9\% | 6.5\% | 3,790 | 1.0\% | 0.9\% |
| Gaspésie-Illes-de-la-Madeleine | 83,420 | 82,860 | 99.3\% | 1.4\% | 530 | 0.6\% | 0.1\% |
| Bas-Saint-Laurent | 194,500 | 192,485 | 99.0\% | 3.3\% | 1,720 | 0.9\% | 0.4\% |
| Northern ERs | 757,255 | 749,140 | 98.9\% | 12.8\% | 7,710 | 1.0\% | 1.9\% |
| Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean | 267,090 | 264,875 | 99.2\% | 4.5\% | 2,130 | 0.8\% | 0.5\% |
| Mauricie | 249,425 | 245,825 | 98.6\% | 4.2\% | 3,370 | 1.4\% | 0.8\% |
| Côte-Nord | 88,095 | 87,275 | 99.1\% | 1.5\% | 795 | 0.9\% | 0.2\% |
| Abitibi-Témiscamingue | 136,070 | 134,800 | 99.1\% | 2.3\% | 1,200 | 0.9\% | 0.3\% |
| Nord-du-Québec | 16,570 | 16,360 | 98.7\% | 0.3\% | 215 | 1.3\% | 0.1\% |
| English-French FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 218,555 | 63,495 | 29.1\% | 100.0\% | 149,825 | 68.6\% | 100.0\% |
| Montréal | 144,690 | 34,885 | 24.1\% | 54.9\% | 105,720 | 73.1\% | 70.6\% |
| Montérégie | 23,160 | 6,920 | 29.9\% | 10.9\% | 15,855 | 68.5\% | 10.6\% |
| Laval | 24,790 | 7,810 | 31.5\% | 12.3\% | 16,830 | 67.9\% | 11.2\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 3,375 | 905 | 26.8\% | 1.4\% | 2,285 | 67.7\% | 1.5\% |
| Outaouais | 6,410 | 2,370 | 37.0\% | 3.7\% | 3,965 | 61.9\% | 2.6\% |
| Laurentides | 3,585 | 2,150 | 60.0\% | 3.4\% | 1,410 | 39.3\% | 0.9\% |
| Estrie | 2,425 | 820 | 33.8\% | 1.3\% | 1,440 | 59.4\% | 1.0\% |
| Lanaudière | 2,105 | 1,055 | 50.1\% | 1.7\% | 1,045 | 49.6\% | 0.7\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,830 | 1,045 | 57.1\% | 1.6\% | 715 | 39.1\% | 0.5\% |
| Centre-du-Québec | 555 | 200 | 36.0\% | 0.3\% | 340 | 61.3\% | 0.2\% |
| Chaudière-Appalaches | 580 | 360 | 62.1\% | 0.6\% | 215 | 37.1\% | 0.1\% |
| Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine | 435 | 365 | 83.9\% | 0.6\% | 70 | 16.1\% | 0.0\% |
| Bas-Saint-Laurent | 260 | 115 | 44.2\% | 0.2\% | 90 | 34.6\% | 0.1\% |
| Northern ERs | 6,180 | 5,545 | 89.7\% | 8.7\% | 565 | 9.1\% | 0.4\% |
| Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean | 400 | 245 | 61.3\% | 0.4\% | 120 | 30.0\% | 0.1\% |
| Mauricie | 610 | 320 | 52.5\% | 0.5\% | 260 | 42.6\% | 0.2\% |
| Côte-Nord | 695 | 660 | 95.0\% | 1.0\% | 25 | 3.6\% | 0.0\% |
| Abitibi-Témiscamingue | 565 | 440 | 77.9\% | 0.7\% | 130 | 23.0\% | 0.1\% |
| Nord-du-Québec | 3,905 | 3,880 | 99.4\% | 6.1\% | 30 | 0.8\% | 0.0\% |


|  |  | Non-immigrants* |  |  | Immigrants |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | \# | \% ER | Distribution across QC | \# | \% ER | Distribution across QC |
| Anglophone FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 994,723 | 649,813 | 65.3\% | 100.0\% | 323,078 | 32.5\% | 100.0\% |
| Montréal | 595,920 | 342,423 | 57.5\% | 52.7\% | 234,925 | 39.4\% | 72.7\% |
| Montérégie | 143,645 | 105,480 | 73.4\% | 16.2\% | 36,748 | 25.6\% | 11.4\% |
| Laval | 68,460 | 42,485 | 62.1\% | 6.5\% | 25,640 | 37.5\% | 7.9\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 11,838 | 8,568 | 72.4\% | 1.3\% | 2,913 | 24.6\% | 0.9\% |
| Outaouais | 58,720 | 49,055 | 83.5\% | 7.5\% | 9,418 | 16.0\% | 2.9\% |
| Laurentides | 33,178 | 27,430 | 82.7\% | 4.2\% | 5,555 | 16.7\% | 1.7\% |
| Estrie | 23,578 | 20,085 | 85.2\% | 3.1\% | 3,090 | 13.1\% | 1.0\% |
| Lanaudière | 10,118 | 8,348 | 82.5\% | 1.3\% | 1,738 | 17.2\% | 0.5\% |
| Eastern ERs | 16,920 | 15,113 | 89.3\% | 2.3\% | 1,668 | 9.9\% | 0.5\% |
| Centre-du-Québec | 2,418 | 1,935 | 80.0\% | 0.3\% | 450 | 18.6\% | 0.1\% |
| Chaudière-Appalaches | 3,705 | 2,920 | 78.8\% | 0.4\% | 728 | 19.6\% | 0.2\% |
| Gaspésie-lles-de-la-Madeleine | 9,508 | 9,223 | 97.0\% | 1.4\% | 280 | 2.9\% | 0.1\% |
| Bas-Saint-Laurent | 1,295 | 1,033 | 79.7\% | 0.2\% | 205 | 15.8\% | 0.1\% |
| Northern ERs | 32,340 | 30,843 | 95.4\% | 4.7\% | 1,388 | 4.3\% | 0.4\% |
| Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean | 1,830 | 1,488 | 81.3\% | 0.2\% | 305 | 16.7\% | 0.1\% |
| Mauricie | 2,575 | 2,140 | 83.1\% | 0.3\% | 390 | 15.1\% | 0.1\% |
| Côte-Nord | 5,633 | 5,525 | 98.1\% | 0.9\% | 103 | 1.8\% | 0.0\% |
| Abitibi-Témiscamingue | 5,363 | 4,875 | 90.9\% | 0.8\% | 470 | 8.8\% | 0.1\% |
| Nord-du-Québec | 16,943 | 16,820 | 99.3\% | 2.6\% | 120 | 0.7\% | 0.0\% |
| Francophone FOLS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 6,373,228 | 5,862,073 | 92.0\% | 100.0\% | 487,108 | 7.6\% | 100.0\% |
| Montréal | 1,182,490 | 871,383 | 73.7\% | 14.9\% | 294,250 | 24.9\% | 60.4\% |
| Montérégie | 1,190,635 | 1,128,500 | 94.8\% | 19.3\% | 60,443 | 5.1\% | 12.4\% |
| Laval | 290,765 | 245,535 | 84.4\% | 4.2\% | 44,455 | 15.3\% | 9.1\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 636,528 | 613,303 | 96.4\% | 10.5\% | 21,518 | 3.4\% | 4.4\% |
| Outaouais | 278,285 | 264,300 | 95.0\% | 4.5\% | 13,483 | 4.8\% | 2.8\% |
| Laurentides | 471,943 | 457,665 | 97.0\% | 7.8\% | 13,925 | 3.0\% | 2.9\% |
| Estrie | 269,743 | 258,910 | 96.0\% | 4.4\% | 10,070 | 3.7\% | 2.1\% |
| Lanaudière | 414,123 | 403,218 | 97.4\% | 6.9\% | 10,698 | 2.6\% | 2.2\% |
| Eastern ERs | 878,365 | 867,353 | 98.7\% | 14.8\% | 10,263 | 1.2\% | 2.1\% |
| Centre-du-Québec | 216,628 | 212,460 | 98.1\% | 3.6\% | 4,035 | 1.9\% | 0.8\% |
| Chaudière-Appalaches | 383,470 | 379,310 | 98.9\% | 6.5\% | 3,898 | 1.0\% | 0.8\% |
| Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine | 83,638 | 83,043 | 99.3\% | 1.4\% | 565 | 0.7\% | 0.1\% |
| Bas-Saint-Laurent | 194,630 | 192,543 | 98.9\% | 3.3\% | 1,765 | 0.9\% | 0.4\% |
| Northern ERs | 760,345 | 751,913 | 98.9\% | 12.8\% | 7,993 | 1.1\% | 1.6\% |
| Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean | 267,290 | 264,998 | 99.1\% | 4.5\% | 2,190 | 0.8\% | 0.4\% |
| Mauricie | 249,730 | 245,985 | 98.5\% | 4.2\% | 3,500 | 1.4\% | 0.7\% |
| Côte-Nord | 88,443 | 87,605 | 99.1\% | 1.5\% | 808 | 0.9\% | 0.2\% |
| Abitibi-Témiscamingue | 136,353 | 135,020 | 99.0\% | 2.3\% | 1,265 | 0.9\% | 0.3\% |
| Nord-du-Québec | 18,523 | 18,300 | 98.8\% | 0.3\% | 230 | 1.2\% | 0.0\% |
| Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used w ith caution |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| * Non-immigrant refers to people born in Canada and does not refer to non-permanent res Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 8: Immigrants by FOLS categories in Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Total English FOLS |  |  | French FOLS |  |  Neither <br> English nor <br> English- French <br> French FOLS FOLS |  |  |  | Anglophone (FOLS) |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Francophone } \\ & \text { (FOLS) } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Quebec total | 851,560 | 248,165 | 29\% | 412,195 | 48\% | 149,825 | 18\% | 41,375 | 5\% | 323,078 | 38\% | 487,108 | 57\% |
| Montréal | 560,395 | 182,065 | 32\% | 241,390 | 43\% | 105,720 | 19\% | 31,220 | 6\% | 234,925 | 42\% | 294,250 | 53\% |
| Montérégie | 100,785 | 28,820 | 29\% | 52,515 | 52\% | 15,855 | 16\% | 3,590 | 4\% | 36,748 | 36\% | 60,443 | 60\% |
| Laval | 73,565 | 17,225 | 23\% | 36,040 | 49\% | 16,830 | 23\% | 3,470 | 5\% | 25,640 | 35\% | 44,455 | 60\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 25,165 | 1,770 | 7\% | 20,375 | 81\% | 2,285 | 9\% | 730 | 3\% | 2,913 | 12\% | 21,518 | 86\% |
| Outaouais | 23,635 | 7,435 | $31 \%$ | 11,500 | 49\% | 3,965 | 17\% | 735 | 3\% | 9,418 | 40\% | 13,483 | 57\% |
| Laurentides | 19,825 | 4,850 | 24\% | 13,220 | 67\% | 1,410 | 7\% | 340 | 2\% | 5,555 | 28\% | 13,925 | 70\% |
| Estrie | 13,530 | 2,370 | 18\% | 9,350 | 69\% | 1,440 | 11\% | 370 | 3\% | 3,090 | 23\% | 10,070 | 74\% |
| Lanaudière | 12,675 | 1,215 | 10\% | 10,175 | 80\% | 1,045 | 8\% | 240 | 2\% | 1,738 | 14\% | 10,698 | 84\% |
| Eastern ERs | 12,405 | 1,310 | 11\% | 9,905 | 80\% | 715 | 6\% | 475 | 4\% | 1,668 | 13\% | 10,263 | 83\% |
| Centre-du-Québec | 4,890 | 280 | 6\% | 3,865 | 79\% | 340 | 7\% | 400 | 8\% | 450 | 9\% | 4,035 | 83\% |
| Chaudière-Appalaches | 4,670 | 620 | 13\% | 3,790 | 81\% | 215 | 5\% | 50 | 1\% | 728 | 16\% | 3,898 | 83\% |
| Gaspésie-Îles-de-la- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Madeleine | 845 | 245 | 29\% | 530 | 63\% | 70 | 8\% | 0 | 0\% | 280 | 33\% | 565 | 67\% |
| Bas-Saint-Laurent | 2,005 | 160 | 8\% | 1,720 | 86\% | 90 | 4\% | 25 | 1\% | 205 | 10\% | 1,765 | 88\% |
| Northern ERs | 9,575 | 1,105 | 12\% | 7,710 | 81\% | 565 | 6\% | 200 | 2\% | 1,388 | 14\% | 7,993 | 83\% |
| Saguenay-Lac-Saint- | 2,535 | 245 | 10\% | 2,130 | 84\% | 120 | 5\% | 35 | 1\% | 305 | 12\% | 2,190 | 86\% |
| Mauricie | 3,990 | 260 | 7\% | 3,370 | 84\% | 260 | 7\% | 95 | 2\% | 390 | 10\% | 3,500 | 88\% |
| Côte-Nord | 920 | 90 | 10\% | 795 | 86\% | 25 | 3\% | 10 | 1\% | 103 | 11\% | 808 | 88\% |
| Abitibi-Témiscamingue | 1,780 | 405 | 23\% | 1,200 | 67\% | 130 | 7\% | 45 | 3\% | 470 | 26\% | 1,265 | 71\% |
| Nord-du-Québec | 355 | 105 | 30\% | 215 | 61\% | 30 | 8\% | 10 | 3\% | 120 | 34\% | 230 | 65\% |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 9: Immigrants by FOLS categories showing persons reporting a single response non-official mother tongue (Allophone) for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Total | \# Allo- \% Allophone phone |  | Total | \# Allo- \% Allophone phone |  | Total | \# Allo- \% Allophone phone |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | English FOLS Immigrants |  |  | French FOLS Immigrants |  |  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |
| Quebec total | 248,165 | 168,560 | 68\% | 412,195 | 241,995 | 59\% | 149,825 | 147,350 | 98\% |
| Montréal | 182,065 | 127,665 | 70\% | 241,390 | 155,055 | 64\% | 105,720 | 103,980 | 98\% |
| Montérégie | 28,820 | 16,940 | 59\% | 52,515 | 25,965 | 49\% | 15,855 | 15,605 | 98\% |
| Laval | 17,225 | 13,760 | 80\% | 36,040 | 23,295 | 65\% | 16,830 | 16,565 | 98\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,770 | 585 | 33\% | 20,375 | 9,620 | 47\% | 2,285 | 2,260 | 99\% |
| Outaouais | 7,435 | 4,750 | 64\% | 11,500 | 6,360 | 55\% | 3,965 | 3,900 | 98\% |
| Laurentides | 4,850 | 2,645 | 55\% | 13,220 | 5,365 | 41\% | 1,410 | 1,380 | 98\% |
| Estrie | 2,370 | 725 | 31\% | 9,350 | 4,480 | 48\% | 1,440 | 1,390 | 97\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,215 | 730 | 60\% | 10,175 | 4,910 | 48\% | 1,045 | 1,010 | 97\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,310 | 305 | 23\% | 9,905 | 3,625 | 37\% | 715 | 705 | 99\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,105 | 465 | 42\% | 7,710 | 3,315 | 43\% | 565 | 555 | 98\% |


|  | Total | \# Allo- \% Allophone phone |  | Total | \# Allo- \% Allo phone phone |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Anglophone FOLS |  |  | Francophone FOLS |  |  |
| Quebec total | 323,078 | 242,235 | 75\% | 487,108 | 315,670 | 65\% |
| Montréal | 234,925 | 179,655 | 76\% | 294,250 | 207,045 | 70\% |
| Montérégie | 36,748 | 24,743 | 67\% | 60,443 | 33,768 | 56\% |
| Laval | 25,640 | 22,043 | 86\% | 44,455 | 31,578 | 71\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,913 | 1,715 | 59\% | 21,518 | 10,750 | 50\% |
| Outaouais | 9,418 | 6,700 | 71\% | 13,483 | 8,310 | 62\% |
| Laurentides | 5,555 | 3,335 | 60\% | 13,925 | 6,055 | 43\% |
| Estrie | 3,090 | 1,420 | 46\% | 10,070 | 5,175 | 51\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,738 | 1,235 | 71\% | 10,698 | 5,415 | 51\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,668 | 658 | 39\% | 10,263 | 3,978 | 39\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,388 | 743 | 54\% | 7,993 | 3,593 | 45\% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 10: Immigrants by FOLS categories showing knowledge of English and French (official language bilingualism) for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


|  | \# |  | \% |  | \% |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total bilingual bilingual |  |  | Total bilingual bilingual |  |  |
|  | Anglophone FOLS |  |  | Francophone FOLS |  |  |
| Quebec total | 323,078 | 173,960 | 54\% | 487,108 | 254,150 | 52\% |
| Montréal | 234,925 | 120,890 | 51\% | 294,245 | 156,725 | 53\% |
| Montérégie | 36,748 | 20,613 | 56\% | 60,448 | 32,518 | 54\% |
| Laval | 25,635 | 16,160 | 63\% | 44,455 | 25,515 | 57\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,913 | 2,538 | 87\% | 21,523 | 9,028 | 42\% |
| Outaouais | 9,418 | 4,420 | 47\% | 13,488 | 8,115 | 60\% |
| Laurentides | 5,555 | 3,530 | 64\% | 13,925 | 7,080 | 51\% |
| Estrie | 3,090 | 2,135 | 69\% | 10,070 | 4,490 | 45\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,745 | 1,368 | 78\% | 10,700 | 4,688 | 44\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,673 | 1,340 | 80\% | 10,263 | 3,130 | 30\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,388 | 963 | 69\% | 7,993 | 2,868 | 36\% |

Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table
Table 11: Allophone immigrants by FOLS categories showing language transfer for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | English FOLS to English |  | French FOLS to French |  | FOLS to English and French |  | Anglophones to English |  | Francophones to French |  |
| Quebec total | 90,715 | 54\% | 147,425 | 61\% | 8,455 | 6\% | 94,360 | 39\% | 151,653 | 48\% |
| Montréal | 66,265 | 52\% | 88,425 | 57\% | 5,890 | 6\% | 68,685 | 38\% | 91,370 | 44\% |
| Montérégie | 9,705 | 57\% | 17,805 | 69\% | 825 | 5\% | 10,175 | 41\% | 18,218 | 54\% |
| Laval | 7,820 | 57\% | 15,075 | 65\% | 945 | 6\% | 8,180 | 37\% | 15,548 | 49\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 445 | 76\% | 6,415 | 67\% | 105 | 5\% | 505 | 29\% | 6,468 | 60\% |
| Outaouais | 2,730 | 57\% | 4,230 | 67\% | 235 | 6\% | 2,835 | 42\% | 4,348 | 52\% |
| Laurentides | 2,010 | 76\% | 3,940 | 73\% | 145 | 11\% | 2,095 | 63\% | 4,013 | 66\% |
| Estrie | 550 | 76\% | 2,950 | 66\% | 60 | 4\% | 590 | 42\% | 2,980 | 58\% |
| Lanaudière | 585 | 80\% | 3,775 | 77\% | 155 | 15\% | 635 | 51\% | 3,853 | 71\% |
| Eastern ERs | 240 | 79\% | 2,305 | 64\% | 45 | 6\% | 260 | 40\% | 2,328 | 59\% |
| Northern ERs | 360 | 77\% | 2,515 | 76\% | 55 | 10\% | 395 | 53\% | 2,543 | 71\% |

[^32]Table 12: Working immigrants by FOLS categories showing language spoken most often at work* for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Total | English - most often at work** |  | French-most often at work*** |  | English and French most often at work**** |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 148,250 | 112,010 | 76\% | 20,730 | 14\% | 15,510 | 10\% |
| Montréal | 109,330 | 85,555 | 78\% | 12,275 | 11\% | 11,500 | 11\% |
| Montérégie | 17,020 | 12,070 | 71\% | 3,205 | 19\% | 1,745 | 10\% |
| Laval | 10,240 | 6,560 | 64\% | 2,115 | 21\% | 1,565 | 15\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,055 | 330 | 32\% | 650 | 62\% | 75 | 7\% |
| Outaouais | 5,015 | 4,565 | 91\% | 270 | 5\% | 180 | 4\% |
| Laurentides | 2,405 | 1,430 | 60\% | 775 | 32\% | 200 | 8\% |
| Estrie | 1,120 | 610 | 54\% | 380 | 34\% | 130 | 12\% |
| Lanaudière | 715 | 315 | 44\% | 315 | 44\% | 85 | 12\% |
| Eastern ERs | 805 | 280 | 36\% | 480 | 61\% | 45 | 6\% |
| Northern ERs | 560 | 300 | 53\% | 260 | 46\% | 0 | 0\% |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 240,640 | 18,680 | 8\% | 198,885 | 83\% | 23,075 | 10\% |
| Montréal | 137,545 | 11,665 | 8\% | 110,670 | 80\% | 15,210 | 11\% |
| Montérégie | 31,815 | 2,295 | 7\% | 27,230 | 86\% | 2,290 | 7\% |
| Laval | 23,035 | 1,530 | 7\% | 18,605 | 81\% | 2,900 | 13\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 12,255 | 180 | 1\% | 11,625 | 95\% | 450 | 4\% |
| Outaouais | 7,270 | 1,675 | 23\% | 4,785 | 66\% | 810 | 11\% |
| Laurentides | 8,120 | 495 | 6\% | 7,115 | 88\% | 510 | 6\% |
| Estrie | 5,145 | 270 | 5\% | 4,630 | 90\% | 245 | 5\% |
| Lanaudière | 6,360 | 325 | 5\% | 5,650 | 89\% | 385 | 6\% |
| Eastern ERs | 5,400 | 120 | 2\% | 5,115 | 95\% | 165 | 3\% |
| Northern ERs | 3,720 | 145 | 4\% | 3,460 | 93\% | 115 | 3\% |
| English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 96,315 | 26,800 | 28\% | 48,155 | 50\% | 21,360 | 22\% |
| Montréal | 65,595 | 19,855 | 30\% | 31,215 | 48\% | 14,525 | 22\% |
| Montérégie | 10,955 | 2,660 | 24\% | 6,030 | 55\% | 2,265 | 21\% |
| Laval | 12,015 | 630 | 22\% | 6,110 | 51\% | 3,270 | 27\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,610 | 95 | 6\% | 1,390 | 86\% | 125 | 8\% |
| Outaouais | 2,865 | 1,045 | 36\% | 1,160 | 40\% | 660 | 23\% |
| Laurentides | 905 | 175 | 19\% | 510 | 56\% | 220 | 24\% |
| Estrie | 845 | 150 | 18\% | 560 | 66\% | 135 | 16\% |
| Lanaudière | 685 | 85 | 12\% | 505 | 74\% | 95 | 14\% |
| Eastern ERs | 460 | 25 | 5\% | 390 | 85\% | 45 | 10\% |
| Northern ERs | 380 | 75 | 20\% | 295 | 78\% | 10 | 3\% |


|  | Total | English - most often at work** |  | French-most often at work*** |  | English and French most often at work ${ }^{* * * *}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 196,408 | 125,410 | 64\% | 44,808 | 23\% | 26,190 | 13\% |
| Montréal | 142,128 | 95,483 | 67\% | 27,883 | 20\% | 18,763 | 54\% |
| Montérégie | 22,498 | 13,400 | 60\% | 6,220 | 28\% | 2,878 | 58\% |
| Laval | 16,248 | 6,875 | 42\% | 5,170 | 32\% | 3,200 | 61\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,860 | 378 | 20\% | 1,345 | 72\% | 138 | 50\% |
| Outaouais | 6,448 | 5,088 | 79\% | 850 | 13\% | 510 | 58\% |
| Laurentides | 2,858 | 1,518 | 53\% | 1,030 | 36\% | 310 | 52\% |
| Estrie | 1,543 | 685 | 44\% | 660 | 43\% | 198 | 48\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,058 | 358 | 34\% | 568 | 54\% | 133 | 54\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,035 | 293 | 28\% | 675 | 65\% | 68 | 51\% |
| Northern ERs | 750 | 338 | 45\% | 408 | 54\% | 5 | 54\% |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 487,108 | 47,120 | 10\% | 129,660 | 27\% | 241,645 | 50\% |
| Montréal | 294,250 | 24,738 | 8\% | 84,643 | 29\% | 141,768 | 48\% |
| Montérégie | 60,443 | 6,770 | 11\% | 13,378 | 22\% | 31,515 | 52\% |
| Laval | 44,455 | 2,898 | 7\% | 10,155 | 23\% | 25,420 | 57\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 21,518 | 3,303 | 15\% | 6,088 | 28\% | 9,978 | 46\% |
| Outaouais | 13,483 | 1,658 | 12\% | 3,633 | 27\% | 7,223 | 54\% |
| Laurentides | 13,925 | 1,558 | 11\% | 2,483 | 18\% | 7,633 | 55\% |
| Estrie | 10,070 | 1,540 | 15\% | 2,770 | 28\% | 4,505 | 45\% |
| Lanaudière | 10,698 | 1,125 | 11\% | 2,135 | 20\% | 5,838 | 55\% |
| Eastern ERs | 10,263 | 1,883 | 18\% | 2,578 | 25\% | 4,363 | 43\% |
| Northern ERs | 7,993 | 1,650 | 21\% | 1,795 | 22\% | 3,410 | 43\% |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used w ith caution

* The total immigrant count for each FOLS category that w as used to calculate these percentages, did not include people who reported speaking a "non-official language only" most often at work since in many cases the numbers and percentages w ere too small for presentation purposes.
**Includes "English only" and "English and a non-official language" spoken most often at w ork.
***Includes "French only" and "French and a non-official language" spoken most often at w ork.
****Includes "English and French" and "English, French and a non-official language" spoken most often at w ork.

Table 13: Immigrants by FOLS categories showing economic regions they lived in five years ago, for the population five years and older, for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


|  | Total | Lived in same economic region 5 years ago |  | Lived in different economic region in Quebec 5 years ago |  | Lived in different economic region outside Quebec 5 years ago |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 321,643 | 253,193 | 79\% | 14,883 | 5\% | 53,568 | 17\% |
| Montréal | 233,880 | 189,223 | 81\% | 3,215 | 1\% | 41,443 | 18\% |
| Montérégie | 36,605 | 26,878 | 73\% | 5,068 | 14\% | 4,660 | 13\% |
| Laval | 25,575 | 19,198 | 75\% | 4,425 | 17\% | 1,953 | 8\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,875 | 1,948 | 68\% | 140 | 5\% | 788 | 27\% |
| Outaouais | 9,375 | 6,145 | 66\% | 293 | 3\% | 2,938 | 31\% |
| Laurentides | 5,503 | 4,080 | 74\% | 900 | 16\% | 523 | 9\% |
| Estrie | 3,063 | 2,328 | 76\% | 158 | 5\% | 578 | 19\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,740 | 1,173 | 67\% | 443 | 25\% | 125 | 7\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,673 | 1,218 | 73\% | 123 | 7\% | 333 | 20\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,380 | 1,018 | 74\% | 123 | 9\% | 240 | 17\% |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 480,073 | 354,848 | 74\% | 33,583 | 7\% | 91,643 | 19\% |
| Montréal | 290,960 | 223,458 | 77\% | 6,000 | 2\% | 61,503 | 21\% |
| Montérégie | 59,285 | 41,658 | 70\% | 7,983 | 13\% | 9,645 | 16\% |
| Laval | 44,110 | 30,868 | 70\% | 8,950 | 20\% | 4,293 | 10\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 20,985 | 14,583 | 69\% | 1,490 | 7\% | 4,913 | 23\% |
| Outaouais | 13,220 | 9,195 | 70\% | 963 | 7\% | 3,063 | 23\% |
| Laurentides | 13,578 | 9,495 | 70\% | 2,530 | 19\% | 1,553 | 11\% |
| Estrie | 9,863 | 6,723 | 68\% | 753 | 8\% | 2,388 | 24\% |
| Lanaudière | 10,545 | 6,543 | 62\% | 3,013 | 29\% | 990 | 9\% |
| Eastern ERs | 9,898 | 6,813 | 69\% | 1,243 | 13\% | 1,843 | 19\% |
| Northern ERs | 7,625 | 5,518 | 72\% | 658 | 9\% | 1,450 | 19\% |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used w ith caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 14: Immigrants by FOLS categories showing average age and age distribution for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Total | 0 to 14 years |  | 15 to 34 years | 35 to 64 years |  |  | 65 years + |  | Average age |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 851,560 | 60,610 | 7\% | 206,800 | 24\% | 435,040 | 51\% | 149,110 | 18\% | 45 |
| Montréal | 560,395 | 34,210 | 6\% | 144,075 | 26\% | 280,505 | 50\% | 101,605 | 18\% | 45 |
| Montérégie | 100,785 | 8,260 | 8\% | 20,390 | 20\% | 54,315 | 54\% | 17,820 | 18\% | 45 |
| Laval | 73,565 | 3,665 | 5\% | 14,845 | 20\% | 42,330 | 58\% | 12,735 | 17\% | 46 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 25,165 | 3,675 | 15\% | 7,055 | 28\% | 11,655 | 46\% | 2,780 | 11\% | 38 |
| Outaouais | 23,635 | 2,115 | 9\% | 6,120 | 26\% | 12,910 | 55\% | 2,490 | 11\% | 41 |
| Laurentides | 19,825 | 1,860 | 9\% | 3,300 | 17\% | 10,690 | 54\% | 3,965 | 20\% | 47 |
| Estrie | 13,530 | 1,770 | 13\% | 3,450 | 25\% | 6,190 | 46\% | 2,115 | 16\% | 41 |
| Lanaudière | 12,675 | 1,200 | 9\% | 2,440 | 19\% | 6,885 | 54\% | 2,145 | 17\% | 45 |
| Eastern ERs | 12,405 | 2,110 | 17\% | 3,095 | 25\% | 5,345 | 43\% | 1,855 | 15\% | 39 |
| Northern ERs | 9,575 | 1,745 | 18\% | 2,035 | 21\% | 4,210 | 44\% | 1,595 | 17\% | 41 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 248,165 | 6,620 | 3\% | 48,960 | 20\% | 141,070 | 57\% | 51,520 | 21\% | 49 |
| Montréal | 182,065 | 4,805 | 3\% | 39,035 | 21\% | 102,165 | 56\% | 36,065 | 20\% | 48 |
| Montérégie | 28,820 | 685 | 2\% | 4,155 | 14\% | 17,050 | 59\% | 6,930 | 24\% | 51 |
| Laval | 17,225 | 325 | 2\% | 2,205 | 13\% | 10,795 | 63\% | 3,895 | 23\% | 51 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,770 | 130 | 7\% | 370 | 21\% | 905 | 51\% | 365 | 21\% | 46 |
| Outaouais | 7,435 | 215 | 3\% | 1,670 | 22\% | 4,460 | 60\% | 1,085 | 15\% | 46 |
| Laurentides | 4,850 | 235 | 5\% | 595 | 12\% | 2,565 | 53\% | 1,455 | 30\% | 53 |
| Estrie | 2,370 | 85 | 4\% | 325 | 14\% | 1,190 | 50\% | 775 | 33\% | 53 |
| Lanaudière | 1,215 | 55 | 5\% | 140 | 12\% | 655 | 54\% | 360 | 30\% | 53 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,310 | 35 | 3\% | 330 | 25\% | 675 | 52\% | 265 | 20\% | 48 |
| Northern ERs | 1,105 | 45 | 4\% | 135 | 12\% | 605 | 55\% | 320 | 29\% | 53 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 412,195 | 43,080 | 10\% | 104,555 | 25\% | 204,860 | 50\% | 59,705 | 14\% | 42 |
| Montréal | 241,390 | 21,880 | 9\% | 66,470 | 28\% | 116,880 | 48\% | 36,165 | 15\% | 42 |
| Montérégie | 52,515 | 6,275 | 12\% | 10,785 | 21\% | 27,325 | 52\% | 8,135 | 15\% | 43 |
| Laval | 36,040 | 2,550 | 7\% | 7,850 | 22\% | 20,550 | 57\% | 5,085 | 14\% | 44 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 20,375 | 3,245 | 16\% | 5,615 | 28\% | 9,435 | 46\% | 2,080 | 10\% | 38 |
| Outaouais | 11,500 | 1,530 | 13\% | 2,885 | 25\% | 6,180 | 54\% | 915 | 8\% | 39 |
| Laurentides | 13,220 | 1,515 | 11\% | 2,305 | 17\% | 7,285 | 55\% | 2,110 | 16\% | 44 |
| Estrie | 9,350 | 1,480 | 16\% | 2,455 | 26\% | 4,205 | 45\% | 1,210 | 13\% | 39 |
| Lanaudière | 10,175 | 1,115 | 11\% | 1,990 | 20\% | 5,555 | 55\% | 1,520 | 15\% | 43 |
| Eastern ERs | 9,905 | 1,855 | 19\% | 2,480 | 25\% | 4,180 | 42\% | 1,390 | 14\% | 38 |
| Northern ERs | 7,710 | 1,630 | 21\% | 1,715 | 22\% | 3,270 | 42\% | 1,090 | 14\% | 38 |
| English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 149,825 | 8,080 | 5\% | 50,210 | 34\% | 73,570 | 49\% | 17,970 | 12\% | 41 |
| Montréal | 105,720 | 5,715 | 5\% | 36,345 | 34\% | 49,775 | 47\% | 13,890 | 13\% | 41 |
| Montérégie | 15,855 | 990 | 6\% | 5,185 | 33\% | 8,380 | 53\% | 1,305 | 8\% | 40 |
| Laval | 16,830 | 695 | 4\% | 4,610 | 27\% | 9,740 | 58\% | 1,780 | 11\% | 43 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,285 | 115 | 5\% | 945 | 41\% | 1,085 | 47\% | 145 | 6\% | 37 |
| Outaouais | 3,965 | 255 | 6\% | 1,495 | 38\% | 2,085 | 53\% | 130 | 3\% | 37 |
| Laurentides | 1,410 | 85 | 6\% | 355 | 25\% | 695 | 49\% | 275 | 20\% | 45 |
| Estrie | 1,440 | 120 | 8\% | 630 | 44\% | 600 | 42\% | 90 | 6\% | 35 |
| Lanaudière | 1,045 | 20 | 2\% | 290 | 28\% | 565 | 54\% | 175 | 17\% | 45 |
| Eastern ERs | 715 | 55 | 8\% | 195 | 27\% | 365 | 51\% | 100 | 14\% | 41 |
| Northern ERs | 565 | 40 | 7\% | 160 | 28\% | 280 | 50\% | 85 | 15\% | 43 |


|  | Total | 0 to 14 years |  | 15 to 34 years |  | 35 to 64 years |  | 65 years + |  | Average age |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 323,078 | 10,660 | 3\% | 74,065 | 23\% | 177,855 | 55\% | 60,505 | 19\% | 45 |
| Montréal | 234,925 | 7,663 | 3\% | 57,208 | 24\% | 127,053 | 54\% | 43,010 | 18\% | 45 |
| Montérégie | 36,748 | 1,180 | 3\% | 6,748 | 18\% | 21,240 | 58\% | 7,583 | 21\% | 45 |
| Laval | 25,640 | 673 | 3\% | 4,510 | 18\% | 15,665 | 61\% | 4,785 | 19\% | 46 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,913 | 188 | 6\% | 843 | 29\% | 1,448 | 50\% | 438 | 15\% | 38 |
| Outaouais | 9,418 | 343 | 4\% | 2,418 | 26\% | 5,503 | 58\% | 1,150 | 12\% | 41 |
| Laurentides | 5,555 | 278 | 5\% | 773 | 14\% | 2,913 | 52\% | 1,593 | 29\% | 47 |
| Estrie | 3,090 | 145 | 5\% | 640 | 21\% | 1,490 | 48\% | 820 | 27\% | 41 |
| Lanaudière | 1,738 | 65 | 4\% | 285 | 16\% | 938 | 54\% | 448 | 26\% | 45 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,668 | 63 | 4\% | 428 | 26\% | 858 | 51\% | 315 | 19\% | 39 |
| Northern ERs | 1,388 | 65 | 5\% | 215 | 15\% | 745 | 54\% | 363 | 26\% | 41 |
|  |  |  |  | Franc | ophon | FOLS Im | migran |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 487,108 | 47,120 | 10\% | 129,660 | 27\% | 241,645 | 50\% | 68,690 | 14\% | 45 |
| Montréal | 294,250 | 24,738 | 8\% | 84,643 | 29\% | 141,768 | 48\% | 43,110 | 15\% | 45 |
| Montérégie | 60,443 | 6,770 | 11\% | 13,378 | 22\% | 31,515 | 52\% | 8,788 | 15\% | 45 |
| Laval | 44,455 | 2,898 | 7\% | 10,155 | 23\% | 25,420 | 57\% | 5,975 | 13\% | 46 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 21,518 | 3,303 | 15\% | 6,088 | 28\% | 9,978 | 46\% | 2,153 | 10\% | 38 |
| Outaouais | 13,483 | 1,658 | 12\% | 3,633 | 27\% | 7,223 | 54\% | 980 | 7\% | 41 |
| Laurentides | 13,925 | 1,558 | 11\% | 2,483 | 18\% | 7,633 | 55\% | 2,248 | 16\% | 47 |
| Estrie | 10,070 | 1,540 | 15\% | 2,770 | 28\% | 4,505 | 45\% | 1,255 | 12\% | 41 |
| Lanaudière | 10,698 | 1,125 | 11\% | 2,135 | 20\% | 5,838 | 55\% | 1,608 | 15\% | 45 |
| Eastern ERs | 10,263 | 1,883 | 18\% | 2,578 | 25\% | 4,363 | 43\% | 1,440 | 14\% | 39 |
| Northern ERs | 7,993 | 1,650 | 21\% | 1,795 | 22\% | 3,410 | 43\% | 1,133 | 14\% | 41 |

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Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 15: Immigrants by FOLS categories showing gender, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Total | Male | \% Male | Female | \% Female |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 851,560 | 417,925 | 49\% | 433,635 | 51\% |
| Montréal | 560,395 | 272,365 | 49\% | 288,030 | 51\% |
| Montérégie | 100,785 | 50,090 | 50\% | 50,700 | 50\% |
| Laval | 73,565 | 36,855 | 50\% | 36,715 | 50\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 25,165 | 12,600 | 50\% | 12,570 | 50\% |
| Outaouais | 23,635 | 11,645 | 49\% | 11,990 | 51\% |
| Laurentides | 19,825 | 10,320 | 52\% | 9,500 | 48\% |
| Estrie | 13,530 | 6,745 | 50\% | 6,790 | 50\% |
| Lanaudière | 12,675 | 6,455 | 51\% | 6,225 | 49\% |
| Eastern ERs | 12,405 | 6,205 | 50\% | 6,205 | 50\% |
| Northern ERs | 9,575 | 4,665 | 49\% | 4,915 | 51\% |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 248,165 | 121,455 | 49\% | 126,710 | 51\% |
| Montréal | 182,065 | 88,970 | 49\% | 93,095 | 51\% |
| Montérégie | 28,820 | 13,875 | 48\% | 14,940 | 52\% |
| Laval | 17,225 | 8,780 | 51\% | 8,445 | 49\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,770 | 800 | 45\% | 975 | 55\% |
| Outaouais | 7,435 | 3,825 | 51\% | 3,605 | 48\% |
| Laurentides | 4,850 | 2,445 | 50\% | 2,405 | 50\% |
| Estrie | 2,370 | 1,045 | 44\% | 1,330 | 56\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,215 | 580 | 48\% | 635 | 52\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,310 | 615 | 47\% | 695 | 53\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,105 | 515 | 47\% | 595 | 54\% |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 412,195 | 201,635 | 49\% | 210,560 | 51\% |
| Montréal | 241,390 | 116,260 | 48\% | 125,130 | 52\% |
| Montérégie | 52,515 | 26,460 | 50\% | 26,060 | 50\% |
| Laval | 36,040 | 17,635 | 49\% | 18,405 | 51\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 20,375 | 10,265 | 50\% | 10,115 | 50\% |
| Outaouais | 11,500 | 5,440 | 47\% | 6,070 | 53\% |
| Laurentides | 13,220 | 6,935 | 52\% | 6,285 | 48\% |
| Estrie | 9,350 | 4,775 | 51\% | 4,580 | 49\% |
| Lanaudière | 10,175 | 5,165 | 51\% | 5,005 | 49\% |
| Eastern ERs | 9,905 | 4,975 | 50\% | 4,930 | 50\% |
| Northern ERs | 7,710 | 3,720 | 48\% | 3,995 | 52\% |
| English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 149,825 | 81,715 | 55\% | 68,115 | 45\% |
| Montréal | 105,720 | 57,410 | 54\% | 48,305 | 46\% |
| Montérégie | 15,855 | 8,530 | 54\% | 7,330 | 46\% |
| Laval | 16,830 | 9,410 | 56\% | 7,420 | 44\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,285 | 1,255 | 55\% | 1,030 | 45\% |
| Outaouais | 3,965 | 2,165 | 55\% | 1,800 | 45\% |
| Laurentides | 1,410 | 805 | 57\% | 605 | 43\% |
| Estrie | 1,440 | 775 | 54\% | 665 | 46\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,045 | 630 | 60\% | 420 | 40\% |
| Eastern ERs | 715 | 380 | 53\% | 335 | 47\% |
| Northern ERs | 565 | 365 | 65\% | 200 | 35\% |


|  | Total | Male | \% Male | Female | \% Female |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | $\mathbf{3 2 3 , 0 7 8}$ | 162,313 | $50 \%$ | 160,768 | $50 \%$ |
| Montréal | $\mathbf{2 3 4 , 9 2 5}$ | 117,675 | $50 \%$ | 117,248 | $50 \%$ |
| Montérégie | $\mathbf{3 6 , 7 4 8}$ | 18,140 | $49 \%$ | 18,605 | $51 \%$ |
| Laval | $\mathbf{2 5 , 6 4 0}$ | 13,485 | $53 \%$ | 12,155 | $47 \%$ |
| Capitale-Nationale | $\mathbf{2 , 9 1 3}$ | 1,428 | $49 \%$ | 1,490 | $51 \%$ |
| Outaouais | $\mathbf{9 , 4 1 8}$ | 4,908 | $52 \%$ | 4,505 | $48 \%$ |
| Laurentides | $\mathbf{5 , 5 5 5}$ | 2,848 | $51 \%$ | 2,708 | $49 \%$ |
| Estrie | $\mathbf{3 , 0 9 0}$ | 1,433 | $46 \%$ | 1,663 | $54 \%$ |
| Lanaudière | $\mathbf{1 , 7 3 8}$ | 895 | $52 \%$ | 845 | $49 \%$ |
| Eastern ERs | $\mathbf{1 , 6 6 8}$ | 805 | $48 \%$ | 863 | $52 \%$ |
| Northern ERs | $\mathbf{1 , 3 8 8}$ | 698 | $50 \%$ | 695 | $50 \%$ |
|  |  | Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | $\mathbf{4 8 7 , 1 0 8}$ | 242,493 | $50 \%$ | 244,618 | $50 \%$ |
| Montréal | $\mathbf{2 9 4 , 2 5 0}$ | 144,965 | $49 \%$ | 149,283 | $51 \%$ |
| Montérégie | $\mathbf{6 0 , 4 4 3}$ | 30,725 | $51 \%$ | 29,725 | $49 \%$ |
| Laval | $\mathbf{4 4 , 4 5 5}$ | 22,340 | $50 \%$ | 22,115 | $50 \%$ |
| Capitale-Nationale | $\mathbf{2 1 , 5 1 8}$ | 10,893 | $51 \%$ | 10,630 | $49 \%$ |
| Outaouais | $\mathbf{1 3 , 4 8 3}$ | 6,523 | $48 \%$ | 6,970 | $52 \%$ |
| Laurentides | $\mathbf{1 3 , 9 2 5}$ | 7,338 | $53 \%$ | 6,588 | $47 \%$ |
| Estrie | $\mathbf{1 0 , 0 7 0}$ | 5,163 | $51 \%$ | 4,913 | $49 \%$ |
| Lanaudière | $\mathbf{1 0 , 6 9 8}$ | 5,480 | $51 \%$ | 5,215 | $49 \%$ |
| Eastern ERs | $\mathbf{1 0 , 2 6 3}$ | 5,165 | $50 \%$ | 5,098 | $50 \%$ |
| Northern ERs | $\mathbf{7 , 9 9 3}$ | 3,903 | $49 \%$ | 4,095 | $51 \%$ |

[^33]Table 16: Immigrants in private households by FOLS categories showing census family status, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Total | \# and \% of Census family persons | \# and \% <br> Husbands or wives in Census families | \# and \% of Common-law partners in Census families | \# and \% Lone parents Census familie | \% of <br> e <br> s in us $\qquad$ | \# and <br> Childre Cens familie |  | \# and \% persons in cens familie |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 848,925 | 699,345 82\% | 442,250 63\% | 54,840 8\% | 57,215 | 8\% | 145,035 | 21\% | 149,580 | 18\% |
| Montréal | 559,125 | 447,325 80\% | 286,645 64\% | 28,705 6\% | 41,240 | 9\% | 90,735 | 20\% | 111,805 | 20\% |
| Montérégie | 100,455 | 87,685 87\% | 55,390 63\% | 8,575 10\% | 5,495 | 6\% | 18,225 | 21\% | 12,770 | 13\% |
| Laval | 73,470 | 65,670 89\% | 45,610 69\% | 3,890 6\% | 4,550 | 7\% | 11,620 | 18\% | 7,800 | 11\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 24,890 | 20,910 84\% | 10,570 51\% | 3,015 14\% | 1,285 | 6\% | 6,035 | 29\% | 3,975 | 16\% |
| Outaouais | 23,565 | 20,215 86\% | 12,330 61\% | 1,915 9\% | 1,485 | 7\% | 4,480 | 22\% | 3,345 | 14\% |
| Laurentides | 19,630 | 16,800 86\% | 10,445 62\% | 2,470 15\% | 880 | 5\% | 3,005 | 18\% | 2,830 | 14\% |
| Estrie | 13,445 | 11,180 83\% | 5,900 53\% | 1,540 14\% | 710 | 6\% | 3,030 | 27\% | 2,265 | 17\% |
| Lanaudière | 12,620 | 10,910 86\% | 6,440 59\% | 1,660 15\% | 675 | 6\% | 2,140 | 20\% | 1,705 | 14\% |
| Eastern ERs | 12,240 | 10,620 87\% | 4,940 47\% | 1,965 19\% | 480 | 5\% | 3,235 | 30\% | 1,615 | 13\% |
| Northern ERs | 9,490 | 8,025 85\% | 3,970 49\% | 1,110 14\% | 410 | 5\% | 2,530 | 32\% | 1,470 | 15\% |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 247,485 | 198,625 80\% | 147,180 74\% | 12,785 6\% | 15,795 | 8\% | 22,860 | 12\% | 48,860 | 20\% |
| Montréal | 181,750 | 142,345 78\% | 104,745 74\% | 8,195 6\% | 12,145 | 9\% | 17,255 | 12\% | 39,405 | 22\% |
| Montérégie | 28,710 | 24,810 86\% | 18,730 75\% | 1,820 7\% | 1,670 | 7\% | 2,585 | 10\% | 3,900 | 14\% |
| Laval | 17,210 | 15,315 89\% | 12,210 80\% | 750 5\% | 1,020 | 7\% | 1,340 | 9\% | 1,900 | 11\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,750 | 1,490 85\% | 935 63\% | 200 13\% | 100 | 7\% | 255 | 17\% | 260 | 15\% |
| Outaouais | 7,400 | 6,105 83\% | 4,510 74\% | 650 11\% | 390 | 6\% | 560 | 9\% | 1,295 | 18\% |
| Laurentides | 4,760 | 3,855 81\% | 2,785 72\% | 465 12\% | 165 | 4\% | 430 | 11\% | 905 | 19\% |
| Estrie | 2,340 | 1,795 77\% | 1,285 72\% | 230 13\% | 145 | 8\% | 140 | 8\% | 540 | 23\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,210 | 1,010 83\% | 710 70\% | 145 14\% | 35 | 3\% | 120 | 12\% | 205 | 17\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,260 | 1,070 85\% | 660 62\% | 235 22\% | 75 | 7\% | 100 | 9\% | 190 | 15\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,095 | 840 77\% | 620 74\% | 100 12\% | 50 | 6\% | 75 | 9\% | 260 | 24\% |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 410,510 | 336,120 82\% | 188,120 56\% | 36,765 11\% | 30,205 | 9\% | 81,025 | 24\% | 74,385 | 18\% |
| Montréal | 240,595 | 189,275 79\% | 107,425 57\% | 17,110 9\% | 20,505 | 11\% | 44,240 | 23\% | 51,325 | 21\% |
| Montérégie | 52,330 | 45,165 86\% | 25,225 56\% | 6,140 14\% | 2,900 | 6\% | 10,895 | 24\% | 7,165 | 14\% |
| Laval | 35,965 | 31,975 89\% | 20,235 63\% | 2,600 8\% | 2,580 | 8\% | 6,565 | 21\% | 3,985 | 11\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 20,165 | 16,735 83\% | 8,005 48\% | 2,705 16\% | 985 | 6\% | 5,040 | 30\% | 3,430 | 17\% |
| Outaouais | 11,470 | 9,990 87\% | 5,290 53\% | 1,120 11\% | 825 | 8\% | 2,755 | 28\% | 1,485 | 13\% |
| Laurentides | 13,125 | 11,365 87\% | 6,560 58\% | 1,880 17\% | 640 | 6\% | 2,280 | 20\% | 1,765 | 13\% |
| Estrie | 9,300 | 7,810 84\% | 3,790 49\% | 1,185 15\% | 490 | 6\% | 2,340 | 30\% | 1,490 | 16\% |
| Lanaudière | 10,125 | 8,795 87\% | 4,940 56\% | 1,415 16\% | 605 | 7\% | 1,845 | 21\% | 1,325 | 13\% |
| Eastern ERs | 9,790 | 8,450 86\% | 3,690 44\% | 1,635 19\% | 355 | 4\% | 2,770 | 33\% | 1,335 | 14\% |
| Northern ERs | 7,645 | 6,560 86\% | 2,970 45\% | 975 15\% | 325 | 5\% | 2,300 | 35\% | 1,080 | 14\% |


|  | Total | \# and \% of Census family persons |  | \# and \% <br> Husbands or wives in Census families |  | \# and \% Common partners Censu familie | of <br> -law <br> s in <br> Is <br> s | \# and Lone parent Cens familie |  | \# and <br> Childre <br> Censu <br> familie |  | \# and \% persons in cens familie | of not us s |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 149,620 | 133,115 | 89\% | 84,445 | 63\% | 4,745 | 4\% | 6,520 | 5\% | 37,410 | 28\% | 16,505 | 11\% |
| Montréal | 105,605 | 92,095 | 87\% | 57,245 | 62\% | 3,085 | 3\% | 4,925 | 5\% | 26,840 | 29\% | 13,505 | 13\% |
| Montérégie | 15,830 | 14,895 | 94\% | 9,435 | 63\% | 590 | 4\% | 555 | 4\% | 4,315 | 29\% | 930 | 6\% |
| Laval | 16,825 | 15,825 | 94\% | 11,180 | 71\% | 515 | 3\% | 585 | 4\% | 3,545 | 22\% | 995 | 6\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,245 | 2,045 | 91\% | 1,305 | 64\% | 100 | 5\% | 115 | 6\% | 520 | 25\% | 205 | 9\% |
| Outaouais | 3,960 | 3,595 | 91\% | 2,260 | 63\% | 135 | 4\% | 145 | 4\% | 1,055 | 29\% | 365 | 9\% |
| Laurentides | 1,405 | 1,325 | 94\% | 940 | 71\% | 115 | 9\% | 35 | 3\% | 225 | 17\% | 85 | 6\% |
| Estrie | 1,435 | 1,265 | 88\% | 705 | 56\% | 45 | 4\% | 65 | 5\% | 450 | 36\% | 170 | 12\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,045 | 930 | 89\% | 665 | 72\% | 80 | 9\% | 25 | 3\% | 160 | 17\% | 115 | 11\% |
| Eastern ERs | 715 | 670 | 94\% | 415 | 62\% | 45 | 7\% | 35 | 5\% | 175 | 26\% | 40 | 6\% |
| Northern ERs | 560 | 460 | 82\% | 295 | 64\% | 30 | 7\% | 25 | 5\% | 120 | 26\% | 95 | 17\% |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 322,295 | 265,183 | 82\% | 189,403 | 71\% | 15,158 | 6\% | 19,055 | 7\% | 41,565 | 16\% | 57,113 | 18\% |
| Montréal | 234,553 | 188,393 | 80\% | 133,368 | 71\% | 9,738 | 5\% | 14,608 | 8\% | 30,675 | 16\% | 46,158 | 20\% |
| Montérégie | 36,625 | 32,258 | 88\% | 23,448 | 73\% | 2,115 | 7\% | 1,948 | 6\% | 4,743 | 15\% | 4,365 | 12\% |
| Laval | 25,623 | 23,228 | 91\% | 17,800 | 77\% | 1,008 | 4\% | 1,313 | 6\% | 3,113 | 13\% | 2,398 | 9\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,873 | 2,513 | 87\% | 1,588 | 63\% | 250 | 10\% | 158 | 6\% | 515 | 20\% | 363 | 13\% |
| Outaouais | 9,380 | 7,903 | 84\% | 5,640 | 71\% | 718 | 9\% | 463 | 6\% | 1,088 | 14\% | 1,478 | 16\% |
| Laurentides | 5,463 | 4,518 | 83\% | 3,255 | 72\% | 523 | 12\% | 183 | 4\% | 543 | 12\% | 948 | 17\% |
| Estrie | 3,058 | 2,428 | 79\% | 1,638 | 67\% | 253 | 10\% | 178 | 7\% | 365 | 15\% | 625 | 20\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,733 | 1,475 | 85\% | 1,043 | 71\% | 185 | 13\% | 48 | 3\% | 200 | 14\% | 263 | 15\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,618 | 1,405 | 87\% | 868 | 62\% | 258 | 18\% | 93 | 7\% | 188 | 13\% | 210 | 13\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,375 | 1,070 | 78\% | 768 | 72\% | 115 | 11\% | 63 | 6\% | 135 | 13\% | 308 | 22\% |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 485,320 | 402,678 | 83\% | 230,343 | 57\% | 39,138 | 10\% | 33,465 | 8\% | 99,730 | 25\% | 82,638 | 17\% |
| Montréal | 293,398 | 235,323 | 80\% | 136,048 | 58\% | 18,653 | 8\% | 22,968 | 10\% | 57,660 | 25\% | 58,078 | 20\% |
| Montérégie | 60,245 | 52,613 | 87\% | 29,943 | 57\% | 6,435 | 12\% | 3,178 | 6\% | 13,053 | 25\% | 7,630 | 13\% |
| Laval | 44,378 | 39,888 | 90\% | 25,825 | 65\% | 2,858 | 7\% | 2,873 | 7\% | 8,338 | 21\% | 4,483 | 10\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 21,288 | 17,758 | 83\% | 8,658 | 49\% | 2,755 | 16\% | 1,043 | 6\% | 5,300 | 30\% | 3,533 | 17\% |
| Outaouais | 13,450 | 11,788 | 88\% | 6,420 | 54\% | 1,188 | 10\% | 898 | 8\% | 3,283 | 28\% | 1,668 | 12\% |
| Laurentides | 13,828 | 12,028 | 87\% | 7,030 | 58\% | 1,938 | 16\% | 658 | 5\% | 2,393 | 20\% | 1,808 | 13\% |
| Estrie | 10,018 | 8,443 | 84\% | 4,143 | 49\% | 1,208 | 14\% | 523 | 6\% | 2,565 | 30\% | 1,575 | 16\% |
| Lanaudière | 10,648 | 9,260 | 87\% | 5,273 | 57\% | 1,455 | 16\% | 618 | 7\% | 1,925 | 21\% | 1,383 | 13\% |
| Eastern ERs | 10,148 | 8,785 | 87\% | 3,898 | 44\% | 1,658 | 19\% | 373 | 4\% | 2,858 | 33\% | 1,355 | 13\% |
| Northern ERs | 7,925 | 6,790 | 86\% | 3,118 | 46\% | 990 | 15\% | 338 | 5\% | 2,360 | 35\% | 1,128 | 14\% |

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Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 17: Immigrants by FOLS categories showing period of immigration for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Immigrant |  | Before 199 |  | 1991 to 200 |  | 2001 to 20 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 851,560 | 100\% | 438,940 | 52\% | 218,715 | 26\% | 193,905 | 23\% |
| Montréal | 560,395 | 100\% | 277,995 | 50\% | 145,725 | 26\% | 136,675 | 24\% |
| Montérégie | 100,785 | 100\% | 57,455 | 57\% | 24,250 | 24\% | 19,080 | 19\% |
| Laval | 73,565 | 100\% | 46,270 | 63\% | 18,360 | 25\% | 8,935 | 12\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 25,165 | 100\% | 9,515 | 38\% | 7,370 | 29\% | 8,285 | 33\% |
| Outaouais | 23,635 | 100\% | 11,025 | 47\% | 7,185 | 30\% | 5,430 | 23\% |
| Laurentides | 19,825 | 100\% | 12,565 | 63\% | 4,055 | 20\% | 3,200 | 16\% |
| Estrie | 13,530 | 100\% | 6,065 | 45\% | 3,330 | 25\% | 4,135 | 31\% |
| Lanaudière | 12,675 | 100\% | 7,605 | 60\% | 3,205 | 25\% | 1,870 | 15\% |
| Eastern ERs | 12,405 | 100\% | 5,755 | 46\% | 3,075 | 25\% | 3,575 | 29\% |
| Northern ERs | 9,575 | 100\% | 4,695 | 49\% | 2,165 | 23\% | 2,720 | 28\% |
|  |  |  | Englis | FOL | migrants |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 248,165 | 100\% | 150,045 | 60\% | 55,965 | 23\% | 42,155 | 17\% |
| Montréal | 182,065 | 100\% | 103,455 | 57\% | 43,720 | 24\% | 34,885 | 19\% |
| Montérégie | 28,820 | 100\% | 20,140 | 70\% | 5,630 | 20\% | 3,050 | 11\% |
| Laval | 17,225 | 100\% | 13,000 | 75\% | 2,895 | 17\% | 1,330 | 8\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,770 | 100\% | 1,005 | 57\% | 395 | 22\% | 365 | 21\% |
| Outaouais | 7,435 | 100\% | 4,370 | 59\% | 1,675 | 23\% | 1,395 | 19\% |
| Laurentides | 4,850 | 100\% | 3,645 | 75\% | 755 | 16\% | 445 | 9\% |
| Estrie | 2,370 | 100\% | 1,760 | 74\% | 290 | 12\% | 315 | 13\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,215 | 100\% | 1,000 | 82\% | 150 | 12\% | 70 | 6\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,310 | 100\% | 920 | 70\% | 215 | 16\% | 180 | 14\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,105 | 100\% | 755 | 68\% | 235 | 21\% | 120 | 11\% |
|  |  |  | Frenc | FOL | migrants |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 412,195 | 100\% | 198,515 | 48\% | 108,515 | 26\% | 105,160 | 26\% |
| Montréal | 241,390 | 100\% | 109,920 | 46\% | 63,785 | 26\% | 67,685 | 28\% |
| Montérégie | 52,515 | 100\% | 28,845 | 55\% | 12,440 | 24\% | 11,230 | 21\% |
| Laval | 36,040 | 100\% | 21,285 | 59\% | 10,020 | 28\% | 4,740 | 13\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 20,375 | 100\% | 7,815 | 38\% | 6,140 | 30\% | 6,425 | 32\% |
| Outaouais | 11,500 | 100\% | 4,990 | 43\% | 3,660 | 32\% | 2,855 | 25\% |
| Laurentides | 13,220 | 100\% | 7,845 | 59\% | 2,970 | 22\% | 2,400 | 18\% |
| Estrie | 9,350 | 100\% | 3,895 | 42\% | 2,440 | 26\% | 3,025 | 32\% |
| Lanaudière | 10,175 | 100\% | 5,870 | 58\% | 2,745 | 27\% | 1,565 | 15\% |
| Eastern ERs | 9,905 | 100\% | 4,465 | 45\% | 2,590 | 26\% | 2,845 | 29\% |
| Northern ERs | 7,710 | 100\% | 3,590 | 47\% | 1,725 | 22\% | 2,400 | 31\% |
|  |  |  | English-Fr | ench | S Immigran |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 149,825 | 100\% | 68,940 | 46\% | 44,750 | 30\% | 36,140 | 24\% |
| Montréal | 105,720 | 100\% | 47,720 | 45\% | 31,105 | 29\% | 26,890 | 25\% |
| Montérégie | 15,855 | 100\% | 7,005 | 44\% | 5,155 | 33\% | 3,695 | 23\% |
| Laval | 16,830 | 100\% | 9,860 | 59\% | 4,695 | 28\% | 2,275 | 14\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,285 | 100\% | 550 | 24\% | 720 | 32\% | 1,020 | 45\% |
| Outaouais | 3,965 | 100\% | 1,370 | 35\% | 1,695 | 43\% | 900 | 23\% |
| Laurentides | 1,410 | 100\% | 850 | 60\% | 290 | 21\% | 260 | 18\% |
| Estrie | 1,440 | 100\% | 380 | 26\% | 485 | 34\% | 570 | 40\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,045 | 100\% | 655 | 63\% | 220 | 21\% | 170 | 16\% |
| Eastern ERs | 715 | 100\% | 270 | 38\% | 245 | 34\% | 200 | 28\% |
| Northern ERs | 565 | 100\% | 270 | 48\% | 145 | 26\% | 150 | 27\% |



Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 18: Immigrants by FOLS categories showing place of birth for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Quebec |  | Montréal |  | Montérégie |  | Laval |  | CapitaleNationale |  | Outaouais |  | Laurentides |  | Estrie |  | Lanaudière |  | Eastern ERs |  | Northern ERs |  |
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|  | English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 248,160 | 100\% | 182,065 | 100\% | 28,820 | 100\% | 17,225 | 100\% | 1,770 | 100\% | 7,435 | 100\% | 4,850 | 100\% | 2,370 | 100\% | 1,215 | 100\% | 1,310 | 100\% | 1,105 | 100\% |
| United States of America | 16,520 | 7\% | 8,910 | 5\% | 2,525 | 9\% | 535 | 3\% | 560 | 32\% | 835 | 11\% | 955 | 20\% | 1,045 | 44\% | 175 | 14\% | 640 | 49\% | 335 | 30\% |
| Central America | 3,250 | 1\% | 2,290 | 1\% | 270 | 1\% | 250 | 1\% | 40 | 2\% | 255 | 3\% | 55 | 1\% | 15 | 1\% | 60 | 5\% | 10 | 1\% | 10 | 1\% |
| Caribbean and Bermuda | 18,090 | 7\% | 14,555 | 8\% | 2,135 | 7\% | 775 | 4\% | 65 | 4\% | 215 | 3\% | 165 | 3\% | 75 | 3\% | 45 | 4\% | 55 | 4\% | 15 | 1\% |
| South America | 7,760 | 3\% | 5,925 | 3\% | 870 | 3\% | 370 | 2\% | 65 | 4\% | 320 | 4\% | 115 | 2\% | 25 | 1\% | 25 | 2\% | 35 | 3\% | 10 | 1\% |
| Europe | 91,885 | 37\% | 61,570 | 34\% | 11,755 | 41\% | 9,725 | 56\% | 545 | 31\% | 2,960 | 40\% | 2,820 | 58\% | 925 | 39\% | 750 | 62\% | 360 | 27\% | 485 | 44\% |
| Western Europe | 12,595 | 5\% | 6,855 | 4\% | 2,610 | 9\% | 795 | 5\% | 130 | 7\% | 720 | 10\% | 820 | 17\% | 280 | 12\% | 130 | 11\% | 95 | 7\% | 150 | 14\% |
| Eastern Europe | 24,195 | 10\% | 19,170 | 11\% | 2,110 | 7\% | 1,260 | 7\% | 70 | 4\% | 720 | 10\% | 445 | 9\% | 75 | 3\% | 185 | 15\% | 40 | 3\% | 105 | 10\% |
| Southern Europe | 37,765 | 15\% | 25,585 | 14\% | 3,040 | 11\% | 7,255 | 42\% | 60 | 3\% | 630 | 8\% | 655 | 14\% | 120 | 5\% | 350 | 29\% | 40 | 3\% | 40 | 4\% |
| Northern Europe | 17,335 | 7\% | 9,960 | 5\% | 3,990 | 14\% | 405 | 2\% | 285 | 16\% | 890 | 12\% | 890 | 18\% | 450 | 19\% | 80 | 7\% | 185 | 14\% | 190 | 17\% |
| Africa | 12,025 | 5\% | 8,915 | 5\% | 1,495 | 5\% | 720 | 4\% | 95 | 5\% | 590 | 8\% | 110 | 2\% | 25 | 1\% | 10 | 1\% | 25 | 2\% | 40 | 4\% |
| Northern Africa | 5,235 | 2\% | 3,870 | 2\% | 630 | 2\% | 475 | 3\% | 10 | 1\% | 175 | 2\% | 55 | 1\% | 10 | 0\% | 10 | 1\% | 0 | 0\% | 10 | 1\% |
| Subtotal - Saharan Africa | 6,785 | 3\% | 5,040 | 3\% | 865 | 3\% | 250 | 1\% | 85 | 5\% | 415 | 6\% | 55 | 1\% | 10 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 20 | 2\% | 35 | 3\% |
| Middle East | 15,400 | 6\% | 11,875 | 7\% | 845 | 3\% | 1,655 | 10\% | 45 | 3\% | 745 | 10\% | 120 | 2\% | 15 | 1\% | 55 | 5\% | 25 | 2\% | 35 | 3\% |
| Asia | 82,025 | 33\% | 67,350 | 37\% | 8,805 | 31\% | 3,100 | 18\% | 330 | 19\% | 1,385 | 19\% | 455 | 9\% | 215 | 9\% | 80 | 7\% | 135 | 10\% | 180 | 16\% |
| West Central Asia | 7,155 | 3\% | 5,475 | 3\% | 690 | 2\% | 710 | 4\% | 20 | 1\% | 205 | 3\% | 15 | 0\% | 20 | 1\% | 0 | 0\% | 10 | 1\% | 10 | 1\% |
| Eastern Asia | 24,345 | 10\% | 18,835 | 10\% | 3,815 | 13\% | 410 | 2\% | 175 | 10\% | 625 | 8\% | 160 | 3\% | 130 | 5\% | 65 | 5\% | 55 | 4\% | 80 | 7\% |
| Southeast Asia | 20,330 | 8\% | 16,970 | 9\% | 1,865 | 6\% | 655 | 4\% | 70 | 4\% | 400 | 5\% | 205 | 4\% | 35 | 1\% | 10 | 1\% | 30 | 2\% | 90 | 8\% |
| Southern Asia | 30,200 | 12\% | 26,070 | 14\% | 2,435 | 8\% | 1,330 | 8\% | 60 | 3\% | 150 | 2\% | 75 | 2\% | 25 | 1\% | 0 | 0\% | 40 | 3\% | 10 | 1\% |
| Oceania and other | 930 | 0\% | 505 | 0\% | 95 | 0\% | 55 | 0\% | 25 | 1\% | 115 | 2\% | 60 | 1\% | 30 | 1\% | 15 | 1\% | 25 | 2\% | 10 | 1\% |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 412,195 | 100\% | 241,390 | 100\% | 52,520 | 100\% | 36,040 | 100\% | 20,380 | 100\% | 11,500 | 100\% | 13,220 | 100\% | 9,350 | 100\% | 10,175 | 100\% | 9,905 | 100\% | 7,710 | 100\% |
| United States of America | 9,155 | 2\% | 2,320 | 1\% | 1,925 | 4\% | 480 | 1\% | 640 | 3\% | 265 | 2\% | 375 | 3\% | 1,065 | 11\% | 425 | 4\% | 1,230 | 12\% | 435 | 6\% |
| Central America | 16,765 | 4\% | 11,110 | 5\% | 1,650 | 3\% | 1,135 | 3\% | 650 | 3\% | 405 | 4\% | 330 | 2\% | 590 | 6\% | 370 | 4\% | 280 | 3\% | 245 | 3\% |
| Caribbean and Bermuda | 56,745 | 14\% | 39,475 | 16\% | 4,935 | 9\% | 6,980 | 19\% | 915 | 4\% | 980 | 9\% | 750 | 6\% | 360 | 4\% | 1,460 | 14\% | 415 | 4\% | 470 | 6\% |
| South America | 27,300 | 7\% | 13,955 | 6\% | 4,500 | 9\% | 1,805 | 5\% | 1,650 | 8\% | 795 | 7\% | 850 | 6\% | 815 | 9\% | 825 | 8\% | 1,395 | 14\% | 700 | 9\% |
| Europe | 144,160 | 35\% | 72,810 | 30\% | 22,275 | 42\% | 10,295 | 29\% | 9,735 | 48\% | 4,675 | 41\% | 7,845 | 59\% | 3,745 | 40\% | 4,935 | 49\% | 4,480 | 45\% | 3,355 | 44\% |
| Western Europe | 75,125 | 18\% | 30,580 | 13\% | 14,930 | 28\% | 3,715 | 10\% | 6,530 | 32\% | 2,370 | 21\% | 5,380 | 41\% | 2,595 | 28\% | 3,105 | 31\% | 3,545 | 36\% | 2,365 | 31\% |
| Eastern Europe | 20,620 | 5\% | 12,590 | 5\% | 2,770 | 5\% | 1,720 | 5\% | 1,030 | 5\% | 515 | 4\% | 445 | 3\% | 310 | 3\% | 420 | 4\% | 470 | 5\% | 350 | 5\% |
| Southern Europe | 47,675 | 12\% | 29,300 | 12\% | 4,455 | 8\% | 4,825 | 13\% | 2,100 | 10\% | 1,710 | 15\% | 1,980 | 15\% | 830 | 9\% | 1,400 | 14\% | 460 | 5\% | 625 | 8\% |
| Northern Europe | 740 | 0\% | 345 | 0\% | 125 | 0\% | 40 | 0\% | 70 | 0\% | 85 | 1\% | 45 | 0\% | 15 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 15 | 0\% |
| Africa | 95,145 | 23\% | 65,040 | 27\% | 9,730 | 19\% | 6,925 | 19\% | 4,290 | 21\% | 2,720 | 24\% | 1,285 | 10\% | 1,835 | 20\% | 1,280 | 13\% | 845 | 9\% | 1,200 | 16\% |
| Northern Africa | 67,720 | 16\% | 48,285 | 20\% | 6,240 | 12\% | 5,945 | 16\% | 2,180 | 11\% | 1,155 | 10\% | 870 | 7\% | 920 | 10\% | 880 | 9\% | 500 | 5\% | 740 | 10\% |
| Subtotal - Saharan Africa | 27,425 | 7\% | 16,755 | 7\% | 3,485 | 7\% | 985 | 3\% | 2,110 | 10\% | 1,560 | 14\% | 410 | 3\% | 915 | 10\% | 400 | 4\% | 340 | 3\% | 455 | 6\% |
| Middle East | 22,870 | 6\% | 14,300 | 6\% | 1,575 | 3\% | 4,985 | 14\% | 355 | 2\% | 835 | 7\% | 455 | 3\% | 70 | 1\% | 145 | 1\% | 55 | 1\% | 85 | 1\% |
| Asia | 38,900 | 9\% | 21,795 | 9\% | 5,810 | 11\% | 3,345 | 9\% | 2,060 | 10\% | 800 | 7\% | 1,240 | 9\% | 830 | 9\% | 690 | 7\% | 1,130 | 11\% | 1,200 | 16\% |
| West Central Asia | 6,895 | 2\% | 4,240 | 2\% | 1,215 | 2\% | 640 | 2\% | 290 | 1\% | 50 | 0\% | 65 | 0\% | 270 | 3\% | 50 | 0\% | 40 | 0\% | 40 | 1\% |
| Eastern Asia | 11,065 | 3\% | 4,595 | 2\% | 2,000 | 4\% | 380 | 1\% | 995 | 5\% | 380 | 3\% | 520 | 4\% | 315 | 3\% | 350 | 3\% | 765 | 8\% | 765 | 10\% |
| Southeast Asia | 18,940 | 5\% | 11,520 | 5\% | 2,320 | 4\% | 2,185 | 6\% | 740 | 4\% | 365 | 3\% | 630 | 5\% | 230 | 2\% | 280 | 3\% | 305 | 3\% | 365 | 5\% |
| Southern Asia | 2,000 | 0\% | 1,440 | 1\% | 275 | 1\% | 140 | 0\% | 30 | 0\% | 10 | 0\% | 25 | 0\% | 15 | 0\% | 15 | 0\% | 25 | 0\% | 30 | 0\% |
| Oceania and other | 455 | 0\% | 200 | 0\% | 40 | 0\% | 30 | 0\% | 20 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 55 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 25 | 0\% | 55 | 1\% | 10 | 0\% |


|  | Quebec |  | Montréal |  | Montérégie |  | Laval |  | Capitale- <br> Nationale |  | Outaouais |  | Laurentides |  | Estrie |  | Lanaudière |  | Eastern ERs |  | Northern ERs |  |
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|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 149,830 | 100\% | 105,720 | 100\% | 15,855 | 100\% | 16,830 | 100\% | 2,285 | 100\% | 3,965 | 100\% | 1,410 | 100\% | 1,435 | 100\% | 1,045 | 100\% | 715 | 100\% | 565 | 100\% |
| United States of America | 785 | 1\% | 470 | 0\% | 130 | 1\% | 60 | 0\% | 10 | 0\% | 10 | 0\% | 40 | 3\% | 50 | 3\% | 10 | 1\% | 15 | 2\% | 10 | 2\% |
| Central America | 7,945 | 5\% | 5,860 | 6\% | 650 | 4\% | 725 | 4\% | 110 | 5\% | 260 | 7\% | 90 | 6\% | 110 | 8\% | 70 | 7\% | 40 | 6\% | 25 | 4\% |
| Caribbean and Bermuda | 4,265 | 3\% | 3,380 | 3\% | 280 | 2\% | 420 | 2\% | 50 | 2\% | 65 | 2\% | 0 | 0\% | 10 | 1\% | 50 | 5\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% |
| South America | 11,095 | 7\% | 6,935 | 7\% | 1,945 | 12\% | 940 | 6\% | 295 | 13\% | 285 | 7\% | 90 | 6\% | 305 | 21\% | 115 | 11\% | 135 | 19\% | 55 | 10\% |
| Europe | 56,170 | 37\% | 39,880 | 38\% | 5,370 | 34\% | 6,220 | 37\% | 885 | 39\% | 1,510 | 38\% | 740 | 52\% | 530 | 37\% | 520 | 50\% | 300 | 42\% | 225 | 40\% |
| Western Europe | 2,300 | 2\% | 1,005 | 1\% | 520 | 3\% | 135 | 1\% | 105 | 5\% | 100 | 3\% | 160 | 11\% | 80 | 6\% | 40 | 4\% | 85 | 12\% | 65 | 12\% |
| Eastern Europe | 25,710 | 17\% | 18,545 | 18\% | 3,155 | 20\% | 2,220 | 13\% | 490 | 21\% | 540 | 14\% | 290 | 21\% | 160 | 11\% | 165 | 16\% | 40 | 6\% | 95 | 17\% |
| Southern Europe | 27,865 | 19\% | 20,125 | 19\% | 1,655 | 10\% | 3,865 | 23\% | 290 | 13\% | 860 | 22\% | 245 | 17\% | 285 | 20\% | 305 | 29\% | 165 | 23\% | 60 | 11\% |
| Northern Europe | 295 | 0\% | 205 | 0\% | 45 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 10 | 0\% | 35 | 2\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% |
| Africa | 15,450 | 10\% | 11,390 | 11\% | 1,455 | 9\% | 1,260 | 7\% | 390 | 17\% | 515 | 13\% | 70 | 5\% | 110 | 8\% | 100 | 10\% | 80 | 11\% | 85 | 15\% |
| Northern Africa | 11,875 | 8\% | 9,120 | 9\% | 920 | 6\% | 1,015 | 6\% | 175 | 8\% | 305 | 8\% | 65 | 5\% | 95 | 7\% | 70 | 7\% | 50 | 7\% | 55 | 10\% |
| Subtotal - Saharan Africa | 3,575 | 2\% | 2,280 | 2\% | 535 | 3\% | 245 | 1\% | 210 | 9\% | 210 | 5\% | 10 | 1\% | 15 | 1\% | 25 | 2\% | 30 | 4\% | 30 | 5\% |
| Middle East | 17,105 | 11\% | 10,700 | 10\% | 695 | 4\% | 4,575 | 27\% | 35 | 2\% | 870 | 22\% | 120 | 9\% | 15 | 1\% | 70 | 7\% | 20 | 3\% | 10 | 2\% |
| Asia | 36,770 | 25\% | 26,950 | 25\% | 5,300 | 33\% | 2,620 | 16\% | 515 | 23\% | 460 | 12\% | 245 | 17\% | 310 | 22\% | 105 | 10\% | 115 | 16\% | 145 | 26\% |
| West Central Asia | 7,545 | 5\% | 5,005 | 5\% | 975 | 6\% | 1,030 | 6\% | 190 | 8\% | 105 | 3\% | 45 | 3\% | 150 | 10\% | 0 | 0\% | 20 | 3\% | 30 | 5\% |
| Eastern Asia | 9,785 | 7\% | 7,095 | 7\% | 2,100 | 13\% | 125 | 1\% | 95 | 4\% | 130 | 3\% | 55 | 4\% | 50 | 3\% | 35 | 3\% | 50 | 7\% | 50 | 9\% |
| Southeast Asia | 12,095 | 8\% | 8,840 | 8\% | 1,500 | 9\% | 1,035 | 6\% | 180 | 8\% | 195 | 5\% | 115 | 8\% | 60 | 4\% | 65 | 6\% | 40 | 6\% | 65 | 12\% |
| Southern Asia | 7,340 | 5\% | 6,005 | 6\% | 730 | 5\% | 430 | 3\% | 45 | 2\% | 35 | 1\% | 25 | 2\% | 60 | 4\% | 0 | 0\% | 10 | 1\% | 0 | 0\% |
| Oceania and other | 40 | 0\% | 10 | 0\% | 20 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 10 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 323,075 | 100\% | 234,925 | 100\% | 36,748 | 100\% | 25,640 | 100\% | 2,913 | 100\% | 9,418 | 100\% | 5,555 | 100\% | 3,088 | 100\% | 1,738 | 100\% | 1,668 | 100\% | 1,388 | 100\% |
| United States of America | 16,913 | 5\% | 9,145 | 4\% | 2,590 | 7\% | 565 | 2\% | 565 | 19\% | 840 | 9\% | 975 | 18\% | 1,070 | 35\% | 180 | 10\% | 648 | 39\% | 340 | 25\% |
| Central America | 7,223 | 2\% | 5,220 | 2\% | 595 | 2\% | 613 | 2\% | 95 | 3\% | 385 | 4\% | 100 | 2\% | 70 | 2\% | 95 | 5\% | 30 | 2\% | 23 | 2\% |
| Caribbean and Bermuda | 20,223 | 6\% | 16,245 | 7\% | 2,275 | 6\% | 985 | 4\% | 90 | 3\% | 248 | 3\% | 165 | 3\% | 80 | 3\% | 70 | 4\% | 55 | 3\% | 15 | 1\% |
| South America | 13,308 | 4\% | 9,393 | 4\% | 1,843 | 5\% | 840 | 3\% | 213 | 7\% | 463 | 5\% | 160 | 3\% | 178 | 6\% | 83 | 5\% | 103 | 6\% | 38 | 3\% |
| Europe | 119,970 | 37\% | 81,510 | 35\% | 14,440 | 39\% | 12,835 | 50\% | 988 | 34\% | 3,715 | 39\% | 3,190 | 57\% | 1,190 | 39\% | 1,010 | 58\% | 510 | 31\% | 598 | 43\% |
| Western Europe | 13,745 | 4\% | 7,358 | 3\% | 2,870 | 8\% | 863 | 3\% | 183 | 6\% | 770 | 8\% | 900 | 16\% | 320 | 10\% | 150 | 9\% | 138 | 8\% | 183 | 13\% |
| Eastern Europe | 37,050 | 11\% | 28,443 | 12\% | 3,688 | 10\% | 2,370 | 9\% | 315 | 11\% | 990 | 11\% | 590 | 11\% | 155 | 5\% | 268 | 15\% | 60 | 4\% | 153 | 11\% |
| Southern Europe | 51,698 | 16\% | 35,648 | 15\% | 3,868 | 11\% | 9,188 | 36\% | 205 | 7\% | 1,060 | 11\% | 778 | 14\% | 263 | 9\% | 503 | 29\% | 123 | 7\% | 70 | 5\% |
| Northern Europe | 17,483 | 5\% | 10,063 | 4\% | 4,013 | 11\% | 405 | 2\% | 285 | 10\% | 895 | 10\% | 908 | 16\% | 450 | 15\% | 80 | 5\% | 185 | 11\% | 190 | 14\% |
| Africa | 19,750 | 6\% | 14,610 | 6\% | 2,223 | 6\% | 1,350 | 5\% | 290 | 10\% | 848 | 9\% | 145 | 3\% | 80 | 3\% | 60 | 3\% | 65 | 4\% | 83 | 6\% |
| Northern Africa | 11,173 | 3\% | 8,430 | 4\% | 1,090 | 3\% | 983 | 4\% | 98 | 3\% | 328 | 3\% | 88 | 2\% | 58 | 2\% | 45 | 3\% | 25 | 1\% | 38 | 3\% |
| Subtotal - Saharan Africa | 8,573 | 3\% | 6,180 | 3\% | 1,133 | 3\% | 373 | 1\% | 190 | 7\% | 520 | 6\% | 60 | 1\% | 18 | 1\% | 13 | 1\% | 35 | 2\% | 50 | 4\% |
| Middle East | 23,953 | 7\% | 17,225 | 7\% | 1,193 | 3\% | 3,943 | 15\% | 63 | 2\% | 1,180 | 13\% | 180 | 3\% | 23 | 1\% | 90 | 5\% | 35 | 2\% | 40 | 3\% |
| Asia | 100,410 | 31\% | 80,825 | 34\% | 11,455 | 31\% | 4,410 | 17\% | 588 | 20\% | 1,615 | 17\% | 578 | 10\% | 370 | 12\% | 133 | 8\% | 193 | 12\% | 253 | 18\% |
| West Central Asia | 10,928 | 3\% | 7,978 | 3\% | 1,178 | 3\% | 1,225 | 5\% | 115 | 4\% | 258 | 3\% | 38 | 1\% | 95 | 3\% | 0 | 0\% | 20 | 1\% | 25 | 2\% |
| Eastern Asia | 29,238 | 9\% | 22,383 | 10\% | 4,865 | 13\% | 473 | 2\% | 223 | 8\% | 690 | 7\% | 188 | 3\% | 155 | 5\% | 83 | 5\% | 80 | 5\% | 105 | 8\% |
| Southeast Asia | 26,378 | 8\% | 21,390 | 9\% | 2,615 | 7\% | 1,173 | 5\% | 160 | 5\% | 498 | 5\% | 263 | 5\% | 65 | 2\% | 43 | 2\% | 50 | 3\% | 123 | 9\% |
| Southern Asia | 33,870 | 10\% | 29,073 | 12\% | 2,800 | 8\% | 1,545 | 6\% | 83 | 3\% | 168 | 2\% | 88 | 2\% | 55 | 2\% | 0 | 0\% | 45 | 3\% | 10 | 1\% |
| Oceania and other | 950 | 0\% | 510 | 0\% | 105 | 0\% | 55 | 0\% | 30 | 1\% | 115 | 1\% | 60 | 1\% | 30 | 1\% | 15 | 1\% | 25 | 1\% | 10 | 1\% |


|  | Quebec |  | Montréal |  | Montérégie |  | Laval |  | CapitaleNationale |  | Outaouais |  | Laurentides |  | Estrie |  | Lanaudière |  | Eastern ERs |  | Northern ERs |  |
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|  | Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 487,110 | 100\% | 294,250 | 100\% | 60,448 | 100\% | 44,455 | 100\% | 21,523 | 100\% | 13,483 | 100\% | 13,925 | 100\% | 10,068 | 100\% | 10,698 | 100\% | 10,263 | 100\% | 7,993 | 100\% |
| United States of America | 9,548 | 2\% | 2,555 | 1\% | 1,990 | 3\% | 510 | 1\% | 645 | 3\% | 270 | 2\% | 395 | 3\% | 1,090 | 11\% | 430 | 4\% | 1,238 | 12\% | 440 | 6\% |
| Central America | 20,738 | 4\% | 14,040 | 5\% | 1,975 | 3\% | 1,498 | 3\% | 705 | 3\% | 535 | 4\% | 375 | 3\% | 645 | 6\% | 405 | 4\% | 300 | 3\% | 258 | 3\% |
| Caribbean and Bermuda | 58,878 | 12\% | 41,165 | 14\% | 5,075 | 8\% | 7,190 | 16\% | 940 | 4\% | 1,013 | 8\% | 750 | 5\% | 365 | 4\% | 1,485 | 14\% | 415 | 4\% | 470 | 6\% |
| South America | 32,848 | 7\% | 17,423 | 6\% | 5,473 | 9\% | 2,275 | 5\% | 1,798 | 8\% | 938 | 7\% | 895 | 6\% | 968 | 10\% | 883 | 8\% | 1,463 | 14\% | 728 | 9\% |
| Europe | 172,245 | 35\% | 92,750 | 32\% | 24,960 | 41\% | 13,405 | 30\% | 10,178 | 47\% | 5,430 | 40\% | 8,215 | 59\% | 4,010 | 40\% | 5,195 | 49\% | 4,630 | 45\% | 3,468 | 43\% |
| Western Europe | 76,275 | 16\% | 31,083 | 11\% | 15,190 | 25\% | 3,783 | 9\% | 6,583 | 31\% | 2,420 | 18\% | 5,460 | 39\% | 2,635 | 26\% | 3,125 | 29\% | 3,588 | 35\% | 2,398 | 30\% |
| Eastern Europe | 33,475 | 7\% | 21,863 | 7\% | 4,348 | 7\% | 2,830 | 6\% | 1,275 | 6\% | 785 | 6\% | 590 | 4\% | 390 | 4\% | 503 | 5\% | 490 | 5\% | 398 | 5\% |
| Southern Europe | 61,608 | 13\% | 39,363 | 13\% | 5,283 | 9\% | 6,758 | 15\% | 2,245 | 10\% | 2,140 | 16\% | 2,103 | 15\% | 973 | 10\% | 1,553 | 15\% | 543 | 5\% | 655 | 8\% |
| Northern Europe | 888 | 0\% | 448 | 0\% | 148 | 0\% | 40 | 0\% | 70 | 0\% | 90 | 1\% | 63 | 0\% | 15 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 15 | 0\% |
| Africa | 102,870 | 21\% | 70,735 | 24\% | 10,458 | 17\% | 7,555 | 17\% | 4,485 | 21\% | 2,978 | 22\% | 1,320 | 9\% | 1,890 | 19\% | 1,330 | 12\% | 885 | 9\% | 1,243 | 16\% |
| Northern Africa | 73,658 | 15\% | 52,845 | 18\% | 6,700 | 11\% | 6,453 | 15\% | 2,268 | 11\% | 1,308 | 10\% | 903 | 6\% | 968 | 10\% | 915 | 9\% | 525 | 5\% | 768 | 10\% |
| Subtotal - Saharan Africa | 29,213 | 6\% | 17,895 | 6\% | 3,753 | 6\% | 1,108 | 2\% | 2,215 | 10\% | 1,665 | 12\% | 415 | 3\% | 923 | 9\% | 413 | 4\% | 355 | 3\% | 470 | 6\% |
| Middle East | 31,423 | 6\% | 19,650 | 7\% | 1,923 | 3\% | 7,273 | 16\% | 373 | 2\% | 1,270 | 9\% | 515 | 4\% | 78 | 1\% | 180 | 2\% | 65 | 1\% | 90 | 1\% |
| Asia | 57,285 | 12\% | 35,270 | 12\% | 8,460 | 14\% | 4,655 | 10\% | 2,318 | 11\% | 1,030 | 8\% | 1,363 | 10\% | 985 | 10\% | 743 | 7\% | 1,188 | 12\% | 1,273 | 16\% |
| West Central Asia | 10,668 | 2\% | 6,743 | 2\% | 1,703 | 3\% | 1,155 | 3\% | 385 | 2\% | 103 | 1\% | 88 | 1\% | 345 | 3\% | 50 | 0\% | 50 | 0\% | 55 | 1\% |
| Eastern Asia | 15,958 | 3\% | 8,143 | 3\% | 3,050 | 5\% | 443 | 1\% | 1,043 | 5\% | 445 | 3\% | 548 | 4\% | 340 | 3\% | 368 | 3\% | 790 | 8\% | 790 | 10\% |
| Southeast Asia | 24,988 | 5\% | 15,940 | 5\% | 3,070 | 5\% | 2,703 | 6\% | 830 | 4\% | 463 | 3\% | 688 | 5\% | 260 | 3\% | 313 | 3\% | 325 | 3\% | 398 | 5\% |
| Southern Asia | 5,670 | 1\% | 4,443 | 2\% | 640 | 1\% | 355 | 1\% | 53 | 0\% | 28 | 0\% | 38 | 0\% | 45 | 0\% | 15 | 0\% | 30 | 0\% | 30 | 0\% |
| Oceania and other | 475 | 0\% | 205 | 0\% | 50 | 0\% | 30 | 0\% | 25 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 55 | 0\% | 0 | 0\% | 25 | 0\% | 55 | 1\% | 10 | 0\% |

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Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 19: Immigrants by FOLS categories showing visible minority categories for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample

|  | Total Immigrants | Visible minority |  | Chinese | South <br> Asian | Black | Filipino | Latin American | Southeast Asian | Arab | West Asian | Korean | Japanese |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 851,560 | 428,145 | 50\% | 57,655 | 47,805 | 105,020 | 15,870 | 65,045 | 33,245 | 78,430 | 12,530 | 3,570 | 1,265 |
| Montréal | 560,390 | 301,040 | 54\% | 39,735 | 39,605 | 74,385 | 13,820 | 40,450 | 22,195 | 54,290 | 8,045 | 2,500 | 890 |
| Montérégie | 100,785 | 48,690 | 48\% | 10,440 | 4,740 | 9,630 | 1,380 | 8,360 | 3,730 | 6,380 | 2,185 | 560 | 145 |
| Laval | 73,565 | 32,600 | 44\% | 1,610 | 2,260 | 8,965 | 255 | 4,415 | 3,460 | 9,770 | 1,280 | 95 | 10 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 25,165 | 10,610 | 42\% | 1,325 | 270 | 2,920 | 60 | 2,460 | 860 | 1,990 | 290 | 100 | 65 |
| Outaouais | 23,635 | 11,045 | 47\% | 1,130 | 275 | 3,325 | 100 | 2,055 | 820 | 2,690 | 295 | 110 | 15 |
| Laurentides | 19,820 | 5,275 | 27\% | 790 | 225 | 980 | 90 | 1,340 | 795 | 825 | 40 | 55 | 35 |
| Estrie | 13,535 | 5,135 | 38\% | 445 | 235 | 1,255 | 20 | 1,740 | 285 | 685 | 320 | 30 | 10 |
| Lanaudière | 12,675 | 4,985 | 39\% | 485 | 60 | 1,910 | 30 | 1,320 | 320 | 700 | 15 | 15 | 50 |
| Eastern ERs | 12,410 | 4,630 | 37\% | 825 | 80 | 725 | 30 | 1,980 | 330 | 405 | 40 | 50 | 20 |
| Northern ERs | 9,580 | 4,130 | 43\% | 870 | 70 | 920 | 90 | 930 | 435 | 695 | 10 | 60 | 15 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 248,165 | 123,940 | 50\% | 24,130 | 32,865 | 21,405 | 14,190 | 5,970 | 4,750 | 11,170 | 4,085 | 1,425 | 740 |
| Montréal | 182,065 | 99,765 | 55\% | 18,640 | 27,970 | 17,180 | 12,415 | 4,285 | 3,555 | 8,485 | 3,145 | 1,190 | 520 |
| Montérégie | 28,820 | 13,440 | 47\% | 3,860 | 2,975 | 2,275 | 1,285 | 550 | 420 | 985 | 375 | 165 | 95 |
| Laval | 17,225 | 5,125 | 30\% | 445 | 1,390 | 865 | 215 | 335 | 370 | 930 | 365 | 30 | 0 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,770 | 565 | 32\% | 130 | 80 | 115 | 35 | 55 | 50 | 40 | 10 | 0 | 20 |
| Outaouais | 7,435 | 3,155 | 42\% | 625 | 210 | 615 | 100 | 455 | 210 | 615 | 170 | 30 | 20 |
| Laurentides | 4,850 | 790 | 16\% | 145 | 110 | 115 | 70 | 130 | 95 | 60 | 0 | 10 | 25 |
| Estrie | 2,370 | 340 | 14\% | 125 | 40 | 85 | 10 | 45 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lanaudière | 1,215 | 255 | 21\% | 35 | 20 | 50 | 0 | 75 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,310 | 250 | 19\% | 45 | 55 | 70 | 15 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Northern ERs | 1,105 | 250 | 23\% | 80 | 20 | 35 | 45 | 10 | 30 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 412,195 | 206,745 | 50\% | 13,915 | 3,375 | 76,755 | 355 | 39,365 | 16,100 | 49,155 | 3,410 | 950 | 330 |
| Montréal | 241,390 | 130,865 | 54\% | 6,450 | 2,125 | 52,145 | 150 | 22,945 | 9,725 | 33,140 | 1,755 | 415 | 245 |
| Montérégie | 52,520 | 23,285 | 44\% | 2,780 | 715 | 6,850 | 55 | 5,355 | 1,875 | 4,180 | 865 | 170 | 15 |
| Laval | 36,040 | 19,760 | 55\% | 770 | 205 | 7,495 | 15 | 2,585 | 1,905 | 6,230 | 325 | 15 | 15 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 20,380 | 8,525 | 42\% | 1,000 | 125 | 2,595 | 20 | 1,910 | 620 | 1,765 | 185 | 90 | 25 |
| Outaouais | 11,505 | 5,480 | 48\% | 285 | 20 | 2,470 | 0 | 1,025 | 385 | 1,110 | 35 | 60 | 0 |
| Laurentides | 13,220 | 3,825 | 29\% | 560 | 70 | 860 | 20 | 950 | 580 | 645 | 20 | 45 | 0 |
| Estrie | 9,350 | 3,735 | 40\% | 265 | 25 | 1,135 | 10 | 1,210 | 200 | 580 | 185 | 30 | 0 |
| Lanaudière | 10,175 | 4,120 | 40\% | 395 | 35 | 1,735 | 25 | 1,065 | 205 | 570 | 15 | 20 | 10 |
| Eastern ERs | 9,905 | 3,665 | 37\% | 695 | 10 | 620 | 15 | 1,510 | 285 | 330 | 20 | 50 | 0 |
| Northern ERs | 7,715 | 3,480 | 45\% | 715 | 50 | 840 | 50 | 815 | 305 | 610 | 0 | 55 | 10 |


|  | Total Immigrants | Visible mino |  | Chinese | South Asian | Black | Filipino | Latin American | Southeast Asian | Arab | West Asian | Korean | Japanese |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 149,825 | 73,010 | 49\% | 11,125 | 8,155 | 5,220 | 1,165 | 16,085 | 8,950 | 16,245 | 3,910 | 1,005 | 170 |
| Montréal | 105,720 | 52,160 | 49\% | 8,080 | 6,495 | 3,935 | 1,100 | 11,010 | 6,205 | 11,335 | 2,505 | 750 | 115 |
| Montérégie | 15,855 | 9,085 | 57\% | 2,315 | 910 | 350 | 40 | 2,055 | 1,245 | 1,085 | 660 | 205 | 35 |
| Laval | 16,830 | 6,390 | 38\% | 215 | 475 | 470 | 25 | 1,370 | 900 | 2,370 | 475 | 20 | 0 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,285 | 1,095 | 48\% | 115 | 60 | 155 | 10 | 310 | 145 | 155 | 95 | 0 | 20 |
| Outaouais | 3,965 | 2,050 | 52\% | 145 | 40 | 185 | 0 | 505 | 170 | 865 | 85 | 20 | 0 |
| Laurentides | 1,410 | 475 | 34\% | 50 | 35 | 0 | 0 | 175 | 95 | 105 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Estrie | 1,440 | 750 | 52\% | 40 | 135 | 15 | 0 | 330 | 50 | 100 | 65 | 0 | 0 |
| Lanaudière | 1,050 | 435 | 41\% | 35 | 10 | 65 | 0 | 165 | 65 | 105 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eastern ERs | 720 | 320 | 44\% | 65 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 115 | 10 | 65 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern ERs | 565 | 245 | 43\% | 50 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 50 | 60 | 55 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 323,078 | 160,445 | 50\% | 29,693 | 36,943 | 24,015 | 14,773 | 14,013 | 9,225 | 19,293 | 6,040 | 1,928 | 825 |
| Montréal | 241,390 | 125,845 | 52\% | 22,680 | 31,218 | 19,148 | 12,965 | 9,790 | 6,658 | 14,153 | 4,398 | 1,565 | 578 |
| Montérégie | 52,520 | 17,983 | 34\% | 5,018 | 3,430 | 2,450 | 1,305 | 1,578 | 1,043 | 1,528 | 705 | 268 | 113 |
| Laval | 36,040 | 8,320 | 23\% | 553 | 1,628 | 1,100 | 228 | 1,020 | 820 | 2,115 | 603 | 40 | 0 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 20,380 | 1,113 | 5\% | 188 | 110 | 193 | 40 | 210 | 123 | 118 | 58 | 0 | 30 |
| Outaouais | 11,505 | 4,180 | 36\% | 698 | 230 | 708 | 100 | 708 | 295 | 1,048 | 213 | 40 | 20 |
| Laurentides | 13,220 | 1,028 | 8\% | 170 | 128 | 115 | 70 | 218 | 143 | 113 | 0 | 10 | 25 |
| Estrie | 9,350 | 715 | 8\% | 145 | 108 | 93 | 10 | 210 | 35 | 60 | 33 | 0 | 0 |
| Lanaudière | 10,175 | 473 | 5\% | 53 | 25 | 83 | 0 | 158 | 43 | 73 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| Eastern ERs | 9,905 | 410 | 4\% | 78 | 60 | 78 | 15 | 88 | 5 | 33 | 10 | 0 | 10 |
| Northern ERs | 7,715 | 373 | 5\% | 105 | 20 | 48 | 45 | 35 | 60 | 48 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 487,108 | 243,250 | 50\% | 19,478 | 7,453 | 79,365 | 938 | 47,408 | 20,575 | 57,278 | 5,365 | 1,453 | 415 |
| Montréal | 294,250 | 156,945 | 53\% | 10,490 | 5,373 | 54,113 | 700 | 28,450 | 12,828 | 38,808 | 3,008 | 790 | 303 |
| Montérégie | 60,448 | 27,828 | 46\% | 3,938 | 1,170 | 7,025 | 75 | 6,383 | 2,498 | 4,723 | 1,195 | 273 | 33 |
| Laval | 44,455 | 22,955 | 52\% | 878 | 443 | 7,730 | 28 | 3,270 | 2,355 | 7,415 | 563 | 25 | 15 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 21,523 | 9,073 | 42\% | 1,058 | 155 | 2,673 | 25 | 2,065 | 693 | 1,843 | 233 | 90 | 35 |
| Outaouais | 13,488 | 6,505 | 48\% | 358 | 40 | 2,563 | 0 | 1,278 | 470 | 1,543 | 78 | 70 | 0 |
| Laurentides | 13,925 | 4,063 | 29\% | 585 | 88 | 860 | 20 | 1,038 | 628 | 698 | 20 | 45 | 0 |
| Estrie | 10,070 | 4,110 | 41\% | 285 | 93 | 1,143 | 10 | 1,375 | 225 | 630 | 218 | 30 | 0 |
| Lanaudière | 10,700 | 4,338 | 41\% | 413 | 40 | 1,768 | 25 | 1,148 | 238 | 623 | 15 | 20 | 10 |
| Eastern ERs | 10,265 | 3,825 | 37\% | 728 | 15 | 628 | 15 | 1,568 | 290 | 363 | 30 | 50 | 0 |
| Northern ERs | 7,998 | 3,603 | 45\% | 740 | 50 | 853 | 50 | 840 | 335 | 638 | 0 | 55 | 10 |

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Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 20: Immigrants by FOLS categories showing highest level of schooling for the population 15 years and older, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample



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Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 21: Male immigrants by FOLS categories showing highest level of schooling for the population 15 years and older, for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% Sample

|  | Total Pop. 15+ | None or less than secondary |  | Secondary school diploma or certificate |  | Apprenticeship or trade certificate or diploma |  | College, CECEP, other non-univ. cert. or dipl. or univ. dipl. below bachelor |  | University degree at bachelor level or higher |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Male Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 389,235 | 80,585 | 21\% | 69,015 | 18\% | 48,645 | 12\% | 75,790 | 19\% | 115,205 | 30\% |
| Montréal | 255,120 | 55,245 | 22\% | 45,595 | 18\% | 27,330 | 11\% | 47,800 | 19\% | 79,150 | 31\% |
| Montérégie | 46,255 | 7,400 | 16\% | 7,585 | 16\% | 7,080 | 15\% | 10,110 | 22\% | 14,080 | 30\% |
| Laval | 35,120 | 8,605 | 25\% | 7,170 | 20\% | 5,600 | 16\% | 7,060 | 20\% | 6,675 | 19\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 11,085 | 1,720 | 16\% | 1,635 | 15\% | 1,395 | 13\% | 2,150 | 19\% | 4,185 | 38\% |
| Outaouais | 10,695 | 1,850 | 17\% | 1,755 | 16\% | 1,280 | 12\% | 2,085 | 19\% | 3,725 | 35\% |
| Laurentides | 9,490 | 1,820 | 19\% | 1,730 | 18\% | 1,845 | 19\% | 2,075 | 22\% | 2,020 | 21\% |
| Estrie | 5,965 | 885 | 15\% | 1,010 | 17\% | 975 | 16\% | 1,155 | 19\% | 1,945 | 33\% |
| Lanaudière | 6,025 | 1,290 | 21\% | 1,015 | 17\% | 1,270 | 21\% | 1,395 | 23\% | 1,055 | 18\% |
| Eastern ERs | 5,420 | 1,005 | 19\% | 955 | 18\% | 1,035 | 19\% | 1,215 | 22\% | 1,210 | 22\% |
| Northern ERs | 4,055 | 765 | 19\% | 570 | 14\% | 825 | 20\% | 750 | 18\% | 1,150 | 28\% |
| Male English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 118,270 | 20,640 | 17\% | 24,755 | 21\% | 13,365 | 11\% | 22,990 | 19\% | 36,515 | 31\% |
| Montréal | 86,570 | 15,005 | 17\% | 18,730 | 22\% | 8,285 | 10\% | 16,225 | 19\% | 28,325 | 33\% |
| Montérégie | 13,580 | 1,855 | 14\% | 2,345 | 17\% | 2,080 | 15\% | 3,040 | 22\% | 4,265 | 31\% |
| Laval | 8,610 | 2,395 | 28\% | 1,960 | 23\% | 1,385 | 16\% | 1,620 | 19\% | 1,240 | 14\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 770 | 60 | 8\% | 115 | 15\% | 80 | 10\% | 180 | 23\% | 335 | 44\% |
| Outaouais | 3,745 | 475 | 13\% | 650 | 17\% | 495 | 13\% | 880 | 23\% | 1,240 | 33\% |
| Laurentides | 2,360 | 360 | 15\% | 490 | 21\% | 525 | 22\% | 480 | 20\% | 505 | 21\% |
| Estrie | 1,005 | 150 | 15\% | 200 | 20\% | 175 | 17\% | 225 | 22\% | 250 | 25\% |
| Lanaudière | 545 | 155 | 28\% | 85 | 16\% | 105 | 19\% | 110 | 20\% | 90 | 17\% |
| Eastern ERs | 595 | 90 | 15\% | 115 | 19\% | 150 | 25\% | 115 | 19\% | 130 | 22\% |
| Northern ERs | 490 | 95 | 19\% | 55 | 11\% | 95 | 19\% | 120 | 24\% | 125 | 26\% |
| Male French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 181,815 | 36,220 | 20\% | 28,590 | 16\% | 26,690 | 15\% | 37,670 | 21\% | 52,645 | 29\% |
| Montréal | 105,225 | 22,485 | 21\% | 15,985 | 15\% | 13,385 | 13\% | 21,200 | 20\% | 32,170 | 31\% |
| Montérégie | 23,625 | 3,800 | 16\% | 3,695 | 16\% | 4,150 | 18\% | 5,310 | 22\% | 6,670 | 28\% |
| Laval | 16,540 | 3,350 | 20\% | 3,175 | 19\% | 2,885 | 17\% | 3,660 | 22\% | 3,475 | 21\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 8,915 | 1,430 | 16\% | 1,275 | 14\% | 1,220 | 14\% | 1,795 | 20\% | 3,195 | 36\% |
| Outaouais | 4,755 | 940 | 20\% | 695 | 15\% | 575 | 12\% | 830 | 17\% | 1,720 | 36\% |
| Laurentides | 6,275 | 1,255 | 20\% | 1,075 | 17\% | 1,190 | 19\% | 1,400 | 22\% | 1,350 | 22\% |
| Estrie | 4,145 | 600 | 14\% | 710 | 17\% | 740 | 18\% | 720 | 17\% | 1,380 | 33\% |
| Lanaudière | 4,795 | 960 | 20\% | 810 | 17\% | 1,020 | 21\% | 1,175 | 25\% | 825 | 17\% |
| Eastern ERs | 4,355 | 800 | 18\% | 755 | 17\% | 835 | 19\% | 1,000 | 23\% | 965 | 22\% |
| Northern ERs | 3,185 | 605 | 19\% | 425 | 13\% | 685 | 22\% | 570 | 18\% | 895 | 28\% |



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Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 22: Female immigrants by FOLS categories showing highest level of schooling for the population 15 years and older, for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total Pop. } \\ 15+ \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | None or less than secondary |  | Secondary school diploma or certificate |  | Apprenticeship or trade certificate or diploma |  | College, CEGEP, other non-univ. cert. or dipl. or univ. dipl. below bachelor |  | University degree at bachelor level or higher |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Female Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 401,715 | 103,775 | 26\% | 79,645 | 20\% | 37,625 | 9\% | 82,595 | 21\% | 98,085 | 24\% |
| Montréal | 271,065 | 72,885 | 27\% | 53,485 | 20\% | 23,670 | 9\% | 52,970 | 20\% | 68,050 | 25\% |
| Montérégie | 46,275 | 9,695 | 21\% | 9,245 | 20\% | 4,675 | 10\% | 11,230 | 24\% | 11,425 | 25\% |
| Laval | 34,785 | 10,485 | 30\% | 7,175 | 21\% | 4,270 | 12\% | 7,205 | 21\% | 5,645 | 16\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 10,405 | 1,885 | 18\% | 1,695 | 16\% | 935 | 9\% | 2,380 | 23\% | 3,515 | 34\% |
| Outaouais | 10,830 | 1,990 | 18\% | 1,875 | 17\% | 945 | 9\% | 2,475 | 23\% | 3,545 | 33\% |
| Laurentides | 8,465 | 1,990 | 24\% | 1,845 | 22\% | 930 | 11\% | 1,975 | 23\% | 1,725 | 20\% |
| Estrie | 5,795 | 1,255 | 22\% | 1,110 | 19\% | 630 | 11\% | 1,355 | 23\% | 1,445 | 25\% |
| Lanaudière | 5,445 | 1,395 | 26\% | 1,280 | 24\% | 600 | 11\% | 1,300 | 24\% | 870 | 16\% |
| Eastern ERs | 4,875 | 1,290 | 26\% | 1,100 | 23\% | 585 | 12\% | 900 | 18\% | 1,000 | 21\% |
| Northern ERs | 3,780 | 905 | 24\% | 830 | 22\% | 385 | 10\% | 805 | 21\% | 855 | 23\% |
| Female English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 123,280 | 24,165 | 20\% | 30,665 | 25\% | 9,550 | 8\% | 27,070 | 22\% | 31,835 | 26\% |
| Montréal | 90,685 | 17,475 | 19\% | 22,710 | 25\% | 6,505 | 7\% | 19,515 | 22\% | 24,485 | 27\% |
| Montérégie | 14,550 | 2,420 | 17\% | 3,575 | 25\% | 1,250 | 9\% | 3,720 | 26\% | 3,585 | 25\% |
| Laval | 8,290 | 2,655 | 32\% | 2,215 | 27\% | 820 | 10\% | 1,545 | 19\% | 1,050 | 13\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 870 | 85 | 10\% | 150 | 17\% | 60 | 7\% | 185 | 21\% | 390 | 45\% |
| Outaouais | 3,475 | 470 | 14\% | 590 | 17\% | 350 | 10\% | 855 | 25\% | 1,205 | 35\% |
| Laurentides | 2,260 | 440 | 19\% | 615 | 27\% | 205 | 9\% | 555 | 25\% | 450 | 20\% |
| Estrie | 1,280 | 230 | 18\% | 295 | 23\% | 185 | 14\% | 290 | 23\% | 285 | 22\% |
| Lanaudière | 615 | 170 | 28\% | 175 | 28\% | 40 | 7\% | 150 | 24\% | 80 | 13\% |
| Eastern ERs | 675 | 115 | 17\% | 200 | 30\% | 55 | 8\% | 130 | 19\% | 175 | 26\% |
| Northern ERs | 570 | 100 | 18\% | 135 | 24\% | 75 | 13\% | 130 | 23\% | 125 | 22\% |
| Female French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 187,295 | 47,035 | 25\% | 33,505 | 18\% | 22,155 | 12\% | 40,145 | 21\% | 44,455 | 24\% |
| Montréal | 114,280 | 30,865 | 27\% | 19,545 | 17\% | 13,250 | 12\% | 22,750 | 20\% | 27,875 | 24\% |
| Montérégie | 22,615 | 4,640 | 21\% | 4,140 | 18\% | 2,785 | 12\% | 5,735 | 25\% | 5,320 | 24\% |
| Laval | 16,940 | 4,270 | 25\% | 3,310 | 20\% | 2,500 | 15\% | 3,935 | 23\% | 2,925 | 17\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 8,220 | 1,510 | 18\% | 1,350 | 16\% | 825 | 10\% | 1,975 | 24\% | 2,555 | 31\% |
| Outaouais | 5,215 | 975 | 19\% | 890 | 17\% | 445 | 9\% | 1,220 | 23\% | 1,680 | 32\% |
| Laurentides | 5,430 | 1,295 | 24\% | 1,135 | 21\% | 645 | 12\% | 1,265 | 23\% | 1,090 | 20\% |
| Estrie | 3,725 | 790 | 21\% | 720 | 19\% | 410 | 11\% | 885 | 24\% | 915 | 25\% |
| Lanaudière | 4,270 | 995 | 23\% | 1,000 | 23\% | 540 | 13\% | 1,020 | 24\% | 720 | 17\% |
| Eastern ERs | 3,695 | 1,020 | 28\% | 765 | 21\% | 475 | 13\% | 705 | 19\% | 735 | 20\% |
| Northern ERs | 2,895 | 675 | 23\% | 650 | 22\% | 280 | 10\% | 655 | 23\% | 640 | 22\% |



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Table 23: Immigrants (arrived before 1991) by FOLS categories showing highest level of schooling for the population 15 years and older, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total - Pop. } \\ 15+ \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | None or less than secondary |  | Secondary school diploma or certificate |  | Apprenticeship or trade certificate or diploma |  | College, CEGEP, other non-univ. cert. or dipl. or univ. dipl. below bachelor |  | University degree at bachelor level or higher |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Quebec total | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 438,940 | 123,790 | 28\% | 84,140 | 19\% | 56,275 | 13\% | 84,400 | 19\% | 90,335 | 21\% |
| Montréal | 277,995 | 85,595 | 31\% | 53,250 | 19\% | 31,365 | 11\% | 49,945 | 18\% | 57,840 | 21\% |
| Montérégie | 57,455 | 11,270 | 20\% | 10,800 | 19\% | 8,730 | 15\% | 13,500 | 23\% | 13,160 | 23\% |
| Laval | 46,270 | 14,535 | 31\% | 9,355 | 20\% | 7,095 | 15\% | 8,875 | 19\% | 6,410 | 14\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 9,510 | 1,655 | 17\% | 1,595 | 17\% | 1,235 | 13\% | 2,075 | 22\% | 2,955 | 31\% |
| Outaouais | 11,025 | 2,450 | 22\% | 1,770 | 16\% | 1,340 | 12\% | 2,325 | 21\% | 3,140 | 28\% |
| Laurentides | 12,565 | 2,990 | 24\% | 2,600 | 21\% | 2,110 | 17\% | 2,675 | 21\% | 2,185 | 17\% |
| Estrie | 6,065 | 1,065 | 18\% | 1,235 | 20\% | 1,060 | 17\% | 1,245 | 21\% | 1,460 | 24\% |
| Lanaudière | 7,605 | 1,855 | 24\% | 1,610 | 21\% | 1,435 | 19\% | 1,645 | 22\% | 1,065 | 14\% |
| Eastern ERs | 5,755 | 1,310 | 23\% | 1,090 | 19\% | 1,080 | 19\% | 1,180 | 21\% | 1,105 | 19\% |
| Northern ERs | 4,690 | 1,065 | 23\% | 840 18\% |  | 825 | 18\% | 940 | 20\% | 1,015 | 22\% |
| - | English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 150,040 | 32,655 | 22\% | 34,655 | 23\% | 17,275 | 12\% | 31,295 | 21\% | 34,165 | 23\% |
| Montréal | 103,460 | 22,560 | 22\% | 24,355 | 24\% | 10,695 | 10\% | 20,980 | 20\% | 24,870 | 24\% |
| Montérégie | 20,140 | 3,315 | 16\% | 4,320 | 21\% | 2,725 | 14\% | 5,045 | 25\% | 4,730 | 23\% |
| Laval | 12,995 | 4,340 | 33\% | 3,155 | 24\% | 1,870 | 14\% | 2,235 | 17\% | 1,400 | 11\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,005 | 85 | 8\% | 185 | 18\% | 95 | 9\% | 235 | 23\% | 405 | 40\% |
| Outaouais | 4,370 | 720 | 16\% | 755 | 17\% | 560 | 13\% | 1,065 | 24\% | 1,270 | 29\% |
| Laurentides | 3,645 | 685 | 19\% | 865 | 24\% | 640 | 18\% | 810 | 22\% | 655 | 18\% |
| Estrie | 1,765 | 355 | 20\% | 385 | 22\% | 305 | 17\% | 375 | 21\% | 350 | 20\% |
| Lanaudière | 995 | 305 | 31\% | 215 | 22\% | 120 | 12\% | 205 | 21\% | 140 | 14\% |
| Eastern ERs | 915 | 145 | 16\% | 265 | 29\% | 150 | 16\% | 165 | 18\% | 190 | 21\% |
| Northern ERs | 750 | 145 | 19\% | 150 | 20\% | 120 | 16\% | 180 | 24\% | 155 | 21\% |
|  |  |  |  | Fren | ch FOL | S Immigra | nts |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 198,515 | 53,795 | 27\% | 34,055 | 17\% | 29,930 | 15\% | 39,440 | 20\% | 41,290 | 21\% |
| Montréal | 109,915 | 34,320 | 31\% | 18,175 | 17\% | 14,785 | 13\% | 19,855 | 18\% | 22,785 | 21\% |
| Montérégie | 28,845 | 5,645 | 20\% | 4,935 | 17\% | 5,050 | 18\% | 6,740 | 23\% | 6,475 | 22\% |
| Laval | 21,285 | 5,440 | 26\% | 4,020 | 19\% | 3,655 | 17\% | 4,680 | 22\% | 3,490 | 16\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 7,815 | 1,440 | 18\% | 1,275 | 16\% | 1,080 | 14\% | 1,730 | 22\% | 2,290 | 29\% |
| Outaouais | 4,990 | 1,215 | 24\% | 720 | 14\% | 590 | 12\% | 1,015 | 20\% | 1,445 | 29\% |
| Laurentides | 7,845 | 1,940 | 25\% | 1,560 | 20\% | 1,295 | 17\% | 1,695 | 22\% | 1,355 | 17\% |
| Estrie | 3,890 | 635 | 16\% | 780 | 20\% | 735 | 19\% | 740 | 19\% | 995 | 26\% |
| Lanaudière | 5,865 | 1,300 | 22\% | 1,245 | 21\% | 1,200 | 20\% | 1,310 | 22\% | 810 | 14\% |
| Eastern ERs | 4,470 | 1,060 | 24\% | 730 | 16\% | 880 | 20\% | 950 | 21\% | 845 | 19\% |
| Northern ERs | 3,590 | 795 | 22\% | 615 | 17\% | 660 | 18\% | 720 | 20\% | 800 | 22\% |


|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total - Pop. } \\ 15+ \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | None or less than secondary |  | Secondary school diploma or certificate |  | Apprenticeship or trade certificate or diploma |  | College, CEGEP, other non-univ. cert. or dipl. or univ. dipl. below bachelor |  | University degree at bachelor level or higher |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 68,940 | 19,275 | 28\% | 13,395 | 19\% | 8,510 | 12\% | 13,225 | 19\% | 14,530 | 21\% |
| Montréal | 47,725 | 14,325 | 30\% | 9,145 | 19\% | 5,515 | 12\% | 8,815 | 18\% | 9,930 | 21\% |
| Montérégie | 7,005 | 1,195 | 17\% | 1,325 | 19\% | 910 | 13\% | 1,660 | 24\% | 1,915 | 27\% |
| Laval | 9,860 | 2,865 | 29\% | 2,070 | 21\% | 1,520 | 15\% | 1,920 | 19\% | 1,485 | 15\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 550 | 55 | 10\% | 105 | 19\% | 45 | 8\% | 85 | 15\% | 250 | 45\% |
| Outaouais | 1,370 | 275 | 20\% | 280 | 20\% | 160 | 12\% | 230 | 17\% | 425 | 31\% |
| Laurentides | 855 | 210 | 25\% | 160 | 19\% | 160 | 19\% | 155 | 18\% | 170 | 20\% |
| Estrie | 380 | 45 | 12\% | 75 | 20\% | 15 | 4\% | 130 | 34\% | 115 | 30\% |
| Lanaudière | 655 | 175 | 27\% | 130 | 20\% | 105 | 16\% | 130 | 20\% | 115 | 18\% |
| Eastern ERs | 270 | 60 | 22\% | 35 | 13\% | 45 | 17\% | 60 | 22\% | 70 | 26\% |
| Northern ERs | 270 | 70 | 26\% | 60 | 22\% | 40 | 15\% | 40 | 15\% | 55 | 20\% |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 184,510 | 42,293 | 23\% | 41,353 | 22\% | 21,530 | 12\% | 37,908 | 21\% | 41,430 | 22\% |
| Montréal | 127,323 | 29,723 | 23\% | 28,928 | 23\% | 13,453 | 11\% | 25,388 | 20\% | 29,835 | 23\% |
| Montérégie | 23,643 | 3,913 | 17\% | 4,983 | 21\% | 3,180 | 13\% | 5,875 | 25\% | 5,688 | 24\% |
| Laval | 17,925 | 5,773 | 32\% | 4,190 | 23\% | 2,630 | 15\% | 3,195 | 18\% | 2,143 | 12\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,280 | 113 | 9\% | 238 | 19\% | 118 | 9\% | 278 | 22\% | 530 | 41\% |
| Outaouais | 5,055 | 858 | 17\% | 895 | 18\% | 640 | 13\% | 1,180 | 23\% | 1,483 | 29\% |
| Laurentides | 4,073 | 790 | 19\% | 945 | 23\% | 720 | 18\% | 888 | 22\% | 740 | 18\% |
| Estrie | 1,955 | 378 | 19\% | 423 | 22\% | 313 | 16\% | 440 | 23\% | 408 | 21\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,323 | 393 | 30\% | 280 | 21\% | 173 | 13\% | 270 | 20\% | 198 | 15\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,050 | 175 | 17\% | 283 | 27\% | 173 | 16\% | 195 | 19\% | 225 | 21\% |
| Northern ERs | 885 | 180 | 20\% | 180 | 20\% | 140 | 16\% | 200 | 23\% | 183 | 21\% |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 232,985 | 63,433 | 27\% | 40,753 | 17\% | 34,185 | 15\% | 46,053 | 20\% | 48,555 | 21\% |
| Montréal | 133,778 | 41,483 | 31\% | 22,748 | 17\% | 17,543 | 13\% | 24,263 | 18\% | 27,750 | 21\% |
| Montérégie | 32,348 | 6,243 | 19\% | 5,598 | 17\% | 5,505 | 17\% | 7,570 | 23\% | 7,433 | 23\% |
| Laval | 26,215 | 6,873 | 26\% | 5,055 | 19\% | 4,415 | 17\% | 5,640 | 22\% | 4,233 | 16\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 8,090 | 1,468 | 18\% | 1,328 | 16\% | 1,103 | 14\% | 1,773 | 22\% | 2,415 | 30\% |
| Outaouais | 5,675 | 1,353 | 24\% | 860 | 15\% | 670 | 12\% | 1,130 | 20\% | 1,658 | 29\% |
| Laurentides | 8,273 | 2,045 | 25\% | 1,640 | 20\% | 1,375 | 17\% | 1,773 | 21\% | 1,440 | 17\% |
| Estrie | 4,080 | 658 | 16\% | 818 | 20\% | 743 | 18\% | 805 | 20\% | 1,053 | 26\% |
| Lanaudière | 6,193 | 1,388 | 22\% | 1,310 | 21\% | 1,253 | 20\% | 1,375 | 22\% | 868 | 14\% |
| Eastern ERs | 4,605 | 1,090 | 24\% | 748 | 16\% | 903 | 20\% | 980 | 21\% | 880 | 19\% |
| Northern ERs | 3,725 | 830 | 22\% | 645 | 17\% | 680 | 18\% | 740 | 20\% | 828 | 22\% |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used w ith caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 24: Immigrants (immigrated between 1991-2000) by FOLS categories showing the highest level of schooling for the population 15 years and older, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample


|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total - Pop. } \\ 15+ \end{gathered}$ | None or less than secondary | Secondary school diploma or certificate | Apprentice-ship or trade certificate or diploma | Colleg CEGEP, o non-univ. or dipl. or dipl. belo bachelo | e, <br> ther <br> cert. <br> univ. <br> w <br> r | Univer degree bachelor or high | sity <br> at <br> level <br> her |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 41,715 | 5,555 13\% | 8,545 20\% | 3,530 8\% | 10,040 | 24\% | 14,055 | 34\% |
| Montréal | 29,050 | 3,985 14\% | 6,055 21\% | 2,450 8\% | 6,800 | 23\% | 9,755 | 34\% |
| Montérégie | 4,780 | 620 13\% | 820 17\% | 320 7\% | 1,200 | 25\% | 1,825 | 38\% |
| Laval | 4,375 | 585 13\% | 985 23\% | 515 12\% | 1,130 | 26\% | 1,165 | 27\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 685 | 55 8\% | 150 22\% | 25 4\% | 135 | 20\% | 320 | 47\% |
| Outaouais | 1,555 | 160 10\% | 315 20\% | 105 7\% | 430 | 28\% | 545 | 35\% |
| Laurentides | 265 | 15 6\% | 50 19\% | 25 9\% | 100 | 38\% | 75 | 28\% |
| Estrie | 455 | 70 15\% | 65 14\% | 35 8\% | 110 | 24\% | 180 | 40\% |
| Lanaudière | 210 | 25 12\% | 50 24\% | 30 14\% | 50 | 24\% | 55 | 26\% |
| Eastern ERs | 220 | 35 16\% | 35 16\% | 30 14\% | 50 | 23\% | 70 | 32\% |
| Northern ERs | 115 | 0 0\% | 15 13\% | 10 9\% | 30 | 26\% | 65 | 57\% |
|  |  |  | Anglophone | FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 74,323 | 10,928 15\% | 18,073 24\% | 5,530 7\% | 16,355 | 22\% | 23,438 | 32\% |
| Montréal | 56,590 | 8,468 15\% | 14,223 25\% | 4,015 7\% | 12,015 | 21\% | 17,868 | 32\% |
| Montérégie | 7,715 | 1,055 14\% | 1,560 20\% | 580 8\% | 1,790 | 23\% | 2,733 | 35\% |
| Laval | 4,903 | 818 17\% | 1,248 25\% | 473 10\% | 1,255 | 26\% | 1,113 | 23\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 703 | 73 10\% | 135 19\% | 33 5\% | 138 | 20\% | 320 | 46\% |
| Outaouais | 2,368 | 235 10\% | 468 20\% | 223 9\% | 655 | 28\% | 788 | 33\% |
| Laurentides | 788 | 88 11\% | 200 25\% | 58 7\% | 200 | 25\% | 243 | 31\% |
| Estrie | 483 | 45 9\% | 118 24\% | 33 7\% | 125 | 26\% | 170 | 35\% |
| Lanaudière | 210 | 28 13\% | 50 24\% | 30 14\% | 65 | 31\% | 43 | 20\% |
| Eastern ERs | 290 | 68 23\% | 38 13\% | 50 17\% | 70 | 24\% | 65 | 22\% |
| Northern ERs | 268 | 50 19\% | 33 12\% | 50 19\% | 45 | 17\% | 93 | 35\% |
|  |  |  | Francophone | FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 114,383 | 22,188 19\% | 21,488 19\% | 13,715 12\% | 26,050 | 23\% | 30,948 | 27\% |
| Montréal | 71,960 | 14,983 21\% | 13,613 19\% | 8,540 12\% | 15,550 | 22\% | 19,273 | 27\% |
| Montérégie | 12,410 | 1,955 16\% | 2,240 18\% | 1,400 11\% | 3,170 | 26\% | 3,648 | 29\% |
| Laval | 11,108 | 1,963 18\% | 2,338 21\% | 1,608 14\% | 2,800 | 25\% | 2,398 | 22\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 5,098 | 878 17\% | 730 14\% | 583 11\% | 1,193 | 23\% | 1,715 | 34\% |
| Outaouais | 3,873 | 525 14\% | 743 19\% | 343 9\% | 860 | 22\% | 1,403 | 36\% |
| Laurentides | 2,503 | 323 13\% | 445 18\% | 353 14\% | 675 | 27\% | 703 | 28\% |
| Estrie | 2,143 | 390 18\% | 388 18\% | 273 13\% | 545 | 25\% | 550 | 26\% |
| Lanaudière | 2,270 | 423 19\% | 465 20\% | 265 12\% | 605 | 27\% | 518 | 23\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,875 | 488 26\% | 338 18\% | 235 13\% | 400 | 21\% | 410 | 22\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,148 | 255 22\% | 193 17\% | 120 10\% | 245 | 21\% | 328 | 29\% |

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Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 25: Immigrants (immigrated 2001-2006) by FOLS categories showing the highest level of schooling for the population 15 years and older, across Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total - Pop. } \\ 15+ \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | None or less than secondary |  | Secondary school diploma or certificate |  | Apprenticeship or trade certificate or diploma |  | College, CEGEP, other non-univ. cert. or dipl. or univ. dipl. below bachelor |  | University degree at bachelor level or higher |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Recent Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 153,920 | 21,240 | 14\% | 23,160 | 15\% | 10,415 | 7\% | 30,995 | 20\% | 68,110 | 44\% |
| Montréal | 112,565 | 14,390 | 13\% | 16,635 | 15\% | 6,855 | 6\% | 22,820 | 20\% | 51,865 | 46\% |
| Montérégie | 13,945 | 2,235 | 16\% | 2,000 | 14\% | 990 | 7\% | 2,805 | 20\% | 5,915 | 42\% |
| Laval | 6,875 | 1,185 | 17\% | 1,285 | 19\% | 680 | 10\% | 1,325 | 19\% | 2,400 | 35\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 6,060 | 935 | 15\% | 830 | 14\% | 475 | 8\% | 1,120 | 18\% | 2,705 | 45\% |
| Outaouais | 4,100 | 515 | 13\% | 620 | 15\% | 315 | 8\% | 710 | 17\% | 1,940 | 47\% |
| Laurentides | 2,085 | 390 | 19\% | 335 | 16\% | 255 | 12\% | 500 | 24\% | 610 | 29\% |
| Estrie | 2,950 | 580 | 20\% | 375 | 13\% | 240 | 8\% | 565 | 19\% | 1,190 | 40\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,295 | 310 | 24\% | 170 | 13\% | 145 | 11\% | 380 | 29\% | 295 | 23\% |
| Eastern ERs | 2,360 | 440 | 19\% | 585 | 25\% | 255 | 11\% | 455 | 19\% | 630 | 27\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,680 | 275 | 16\% | 320 | 19\% | 215 | 13\% | 320 | 19\% | 555 | 33\% |
| English FOLS Recent Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 38,045 | 4,000 | 11\% | 6,955 | 18\% | 1,885 | 5\% | 7,430 | 20\% | 17,775 | 47\% |
| Montréal | 31,735 | 3,450 | 11\% | 5,885 | 19\% | 1,305 | 4\% | 6,145 | 19\% | 14,950 | 47\% |
| Montérégie | 2,670 | 215 | 8\% | 455 | 17\% | 190 | 7\% | 515 | 19\% | 1,295 | 49\% |
| Laval | 1,180 | 185 | 16\% | 270 | 23\% | 125 | 11\% | 245 | 21\% | 360 | $31 \%$ |
| Capitale-Nationale | 275 | 15 | 5\% | 25 | 9\% | 25 | 9\% | 50 | 18\% | 155 | 56\% |
| Outaouais | 1,260 | 75 | 6\% | 180 | 14\% | 120 | 10\% | 230 | 18\% | 660 | 52\% |
| Laurentides | 320 | 40 | 13\% | 65 | 20\% | 45 | 14\% | 80 | 25\% | 95 | 30\% |
| Estrie | 265 | 15 | 6\% | 25 | 9\% | 45 | 17\% | 75 | 28\% | 110 | 42\% |
| Lanaudière | 60 | 0 | 0\% | 10 | 17\% | 10 | 17\% | 20 | 33\% | 15 | 25\% |
| Eastern ERs | 175 | 10 | 6\% | 20 | 11\% | 15 | 9\% | 25 | 14\% | 95 | 54\% |
| Northern ERs | 95 | 0 | 0\% | 20 | 21\% | 10 | 11\% | 40 | 42\% | 30 | 32\% |
| French FOLS Recent Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 77,075 | 10,055 | 13\% | 10,825 | 14\% | 6,960 | 9\% | 17,340 | 22\% | 31,895 | 41\% |
| Montréal | 52,155 | 6,040 | 12\% | 6,770 | 13\% | 4,540 | 9\% | 11,945 | 23\% | 22,860 | 44\% |
| Montérégie | 7,380 | 1,145 | 16\% | 1,070 | 14\% | 650 | 9\% | 1,735 | 24\% | 2,780 | 38\% |
| Laval | 3,285 | 515 | 16\% | 620 | 19\% | 375 | 11\% | 675 | 21\% | 1,090 | 33\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 4,565 | 650 | 14\% | 695 | 15\% | 395 | 9\% | 920 | 20\% | 1,905 | 42\% |
| Outaouais | 1,895 | 250 | 13\% | 280 | 15\% | 145 | 8\% | 390 | 21\% | 825 | 44\% |
| Laurentides | 1,485 | 290 | 20\% | 230 | 15\% | 195 | 13\% | 350 | 24\% | 415 | 28\% |
| Estrie | 2,070 | 405 | 20\% | 295 | 14\% | 150 | 7\% | 375 | 18\% | 845 | 41\% |
| Lanaudière | 1,025 | 240 | 23\% | 120 | 12\% | 110 | 11\% | 305 | 30\% | 255 | 25\% |
| Eastern ERs | 1,825 | 285 | 16\% | 470 | 26\% | 210 | 12\% | 370 | 20\% | 480 | 26\% |
| Northern ERs | 1,400 | 225 | 16\% | 270 | 19\% | 190 | 14\% | 280 | 20\% | 435 | 31\% |
| English-French FOLS Recent Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 31,085 | 3,495 | 11\% | 3,715 | 12\% | 1,185 | 4\% | 5,225 | 17\% | 17,470 | 56\% |
| Montréal | 23,235 | 2,425 | 10\% | 2,675 | 12\% | 785 | 3\% | 3,965 | 17\% | 13,380 | 58\% |
| Montérégie | 3,080 | 455 | 15\% | 345 | 11\% | 105 | 3\% | 450 | 15\% | 1,730 | 56\% |
| Laval | 1,900 | 185 | 10\% | 325 | 17\% | 165 | 9\% | 355 | 19\% | 875 | 46\% |
| Capitale-Nationale | 935 | 150 | 16\% | 70 | 7\% | 25 | 3\% | 125 | 13\% | 570 | 61\% |
| Outaouais | 785 | 85 | 11\% | 130 | 17\% | 25 | 3\% | 90 | 11\% | 445 | 57\% |
| Laurentides | 205 | 30 | 15\% | 25 | 12\% | 10 | 5\% | 55 | 27\% | 95 | 46\% |
| Estrie | 480 | 95 | 20\% | 40 | 8\% | 35 | 7\% | 95 | 20\% | 215 | 45\% |
| Lanaudière | 160 | 25 | 16\% | 35 | 22\% | 25 | 16\% | 55 | 34\% | 20 | 13\% |
| Eastern ERs | 175 | 30 | 17\% | 50 | 29\% | 10 | 6\% | 35 | 20\% | 45 | 26\% |
| Northern ERs | 140 | 15 | 11\% | 25 | 18\% | 10 | 7\% | 0 | 0\% | 85 | 61\% |

[^34]Table 26: Immigrants 35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing labour force activity statistics for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 435,040 | 331,390 | 76.2 | 299,200 | 68.8 |
| Montréal | 280,500 | 210,005 | 74.9 | 185,945 | 66.3 |
| Montérégie | 54,315 | 42,955 | 79.1 | 40,285 | 74.2 |
| Laval | 42,330 | 33,515 | 79.2 | 31,390 | 74.2 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 11,660 | 9,240 | 79.2 | 8,520 | 73.1 |
| Outaouais | 12,910 | 10,220 | 79.2 | 9,430 | 73.0 |
| Laurentides | 10,695 | 8,210 | 76.8 | 7,855 | 73.4 |
| Estrie | 6,195 | 4,505 | 72.7 | 3,995 | 64.5 |
| Lanaudière | 6,885 | 5,460 | 79.3 | 5,210 | 75.7 |
| Eastern ERs | 5,345 | 4,210 | 78.8 | 3,850 | 72.0 |
| Northern ERs | 4,205 | 3,070 | 73.0 | 2,725 | 64.8 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 141,065 | 106,495 | 75.5 | 97,600 | 69.2 |
| Montréal | 102,165 | 76,770 | 75.1 | 69,720 | 68.2 |
| Montérégie | 17,050 | 13,080 | 76.7 | 12,320 | 72.3 |
| Laval | 10,800 | 8,460 | 78.3 | 7,850 | 72.7 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 905 | 685 | 75.7 | 650 | 71.8 |
| Outaouais | 4,465 | 3,480 | 77.9 | 3,310 | 74.1 |
| Laurentides | 2,565 | 1,750 | 68.2 | 1,630 | 63.5 |
| Estrie | 1,190 | 785 | 66.0 | 750 | 63.0 |
| Lanaudière | 655 | 555 | 84.7 | 550 | 84.0 |
| Eastern ERs | 680 | 465 | 68.4 | 415 | 61.0 |
| Northern ERs | 610 | 460 | 75.4 | 400 | 65.6 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 204,855 | 159,610 | 77.9 | 143,065 | 69.8 |
| Montréal | 116,880 | 89,130 | 76.3 | 77,430 | 66.2 |
| Montérégie | 27,325 | 22,225 | 81.3 | 20,845 | 76.3 |
| Laval | 20,550 | 16,460 | 80.1 | 15,395 | 74.9 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 9,435 | 7,605 | 80.6 | 7,015 | 74.4 |
| Outaouais | 6,175 | 4,975 | 80.6 | 4,505 | 73.0 |
| Laurentides | 7,285 | 5,825 | 80.0 | 5,610 | 77.0 |
| Estrie | 4,205 | 3,220 | 76.6 | 2,845 | 67.7 |
| Lanaudière | 5,555 | 4,420 | 79.6 | 4,220 | 76.0 |
| Eastern ERs | 4,180 | 3,380 | 80.9 | 3,105 | 74.3 |
| Northern ERs | 3,270 | 2,360 | 72.2 | 2,095 | 64.1 |
| English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 73,570 | 58,530 | 79.6 | 53,145 | 72.2 |
| Montréal | 49,775 | 38,955 | 78.3 | 34,735 | 69.8 |
| Montérégie | 8,385 | 6,910 | 82.4 | 6,470 | 77.2 |
| Laval | 9,740 | 8,120 | 83.4 | 7,750 | 79.6 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,085 | 865 | 79.7 | 785 | 72.4 |
| Outaouais | 2,085 | 1,705 | 81.8 | 1,575 | 75.5 |
| Laurentides | 695 | 580 | 83.5 | 560 | 80.6 |
| Estrie | 595 | 435 | 73.1 | 385 | 64.7 |
| Lanaudière | 565 | 425 | 75.2 | 415 | 73.5 |
| Eastern ERs | 370 | 310 | 83.8 | 280 | 75.7 |
| Northern ERs | 280 | 225 | 80.4 | 200 | 71.4 |



Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 27: Male immigrants 35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing labour force activity statistics, for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 219,785 | 185,595 | 84.4 | 168,550 | 76.7 |
| Montréal | 139,540 | 116,360 | 83.4 | 103,455 | 74.1 |
| Montérégie | 27,730 | 24,135 | 87.0 | 22,755 | 82.1 |
| Laval | 21,750 | 19,215 | 88.3 | 18,185 | 83.6 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 6,245 | 5,290 | 84.7 | 4,910 | 78.6 |
| Outaouais | 6,580 | 5,660 | 86.0 | 5,260 | 79.9 |
| Laurentides | 5,790 | 4,950 | 85.5 | 4,725 | 81.6 |
| Estrie | 3,275 | 2,605 | 79.5 | 2,340 | 71.5 |
| Lanaudière | 3,705 | 3,125 | 84.3 | 3,015 | 81.4 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,920 | 2,450 | 83.9 | 2,285 | 78.3 |
| Northern ERs | 2,255 | 1,795 | 79.6 | 1,625 | 72.1 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 70,780 | 58,900 | 83.2 | 54,265 | 76.7 |
| Montréal | 51,280 | 42,205 | 82.3 | 38,505 | 75.1 |
| Montérégie | 8,445 | 7,330 | 86.8 | 6,925 | 82.0 |
| Laval | 5,600 | 4,920 | 87.9 | 4,630 | 82.7 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 410 | 325 | 79.3 | 310 | 75.6 |
| Outaouais | 2,285 | 1,945 | 85.1 | 1,855 | 81.2 |
| Laurentides | 1,325 | 1,080 | 81.5 | 1,015 | 76.6 |
| Estrie | 525 | 360 | 68.6 | 335 | 63.8 |
| Lanaudière | 325 | 285 | 87.7 | 275 | 84.6 |
| Eastern ERs | 310 | 230 | 74.2 | 205 | 66.1 |
| Northern ERs | 275 | 220 | 80.0 | 205 | 74.5 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 103,540 | 88,380 | 85.4 | 79,680 | 77.0 |
| Montréal | 57,490 | 48,575 | 84.5 | 42,325 | 73.6 |
| Montérégie | 14,125 | 12,345 | 87.4 | 11,630 | 82.3 |
| Laval | 10,310 | 9,075 | 88.0 | 8,575 | 83.2 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 5,110 | 4,410 | 86.3 | 4,080 | 79.8 |
| Outaouais | 3,035 | 2,645 | 87.1 | 2,430 | 80.1 |
| Laurentides | 3,990 | 3,465 | 86.8 | 3,325 | 83.3 |
| Estrie | 2,345 | 1,925 | 82.1 | 1,730 | 73.8 |
| Lanaudière | 2,990 | 2,520 | 84.3 | 2,440 | 81.6 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,330 | 1,995 | 85.6 | 1,865 | 80.0 |
| Northern ERs | 1,800 | 1,420 | 78.9 | 1,285 | 71.4 |


|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 40,600 | 35,280 | 86.9 | 32,110 | 79.1 |
| Montréal | 27,170 | 23,260 | 85.6 | 20,730 | 76.3 |
| Montérégie | 4,640 | 4,140 | 89.2 | 3,910 | 84.3 |
| Laval | 5,470 | 4,985 | 91.1 | 4,770 | 87.2 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 615 | 530 | 86.2 | 490 | 79.7 |
| Outaouais | 1,200 | 1,040 | 86.7 | 960 | 80.0 |
| Laurentides | 440 | 385 | 87.5 | 375 | 85.2 |
| Estrie | 315 | 285 | 90.5 | 255 | 81.0 |
| Lanaudière | 350 | 300 | 85.7 | 290 | 82.9 |
| Eastern ERs | 230 | 215 | 93.5 | 195 | 84.8 |
| Northern ERs | 170 | 150 | 88.2 | 130 | 76.5 |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 91,080 | 76,540 | 84.0 | 70,320 | 77.2 |
| Montréal | 64,865 | 53,835 | 83.0 | 48,870 | 75.3 |
| Montérégie | 10,765 | 9,400 | 87.3 | 8,880 | 82.5 |
| Laval | 8,335 | 7,413 | 88.9 | 7,015 | 84.2 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 718 | 590 | 82.2 | 555 | 77.4 |
| Outaouais | 2,885 | 2,465 | 85.4 | 2,335 | 80.9 |
| Laurentides | 1,545 | 1,273 | 82.4 | 1,203 | 77.8 |
| Estrie | 683 | 503 | 73.6 | 463 | 67.8 |
| Lanaudière | 500 | 435 | 87.0 | 420 | 84.0 |
| Eastern ERs | 425 | 338 | 79.4 | 303 | 71.2 |
| Northern ERs | 360 | 295 | 81.9 | 270 | 75.0 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 123,840 | 106,020 | 85.6 | 95,735 | 77.3 |
| Montréal | 71,075 | 60,205 | 84.7 | 52,690 | 74.1 |
| Montérégie | 16,445 | 14,415 | 87.7 | 13,585 | 82.6 |
| Laval | 13,045 | 11,568 | 88.7 | 10,960 | 84.0 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 5,418 | 4,675 | 86.3 | 4,325 | 79.8 |
| Outaouais | 3,635 | 3,165 | 87.1 | 2,910 | 80.1 |
| Laurentides | 4,210 | 3,658 | 86.9 | 3,513 | 83.4 |
| Estrie | 2,503 | 2,068 | 82.6 | 1,858 | 74.2 |
| Lanaudière | 3,165 | 2,670 | 84.4 | 2,585 | 81.7 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,445 | 2,103 | 86.0 | 1,963 | 80.3 |
| Northern ERs | 1,885 | 1,495 | 79.3 | 1,350 | 71.6 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 28: Female immigrants 35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing labour force activity statistics for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 215,250 | 145,800 | 67.7 | 130,650 | 60.7 |
| Montréal | 140,960 | 93,645 | 66.4 | 82,490 | 58.5 |
| Montérégie | 26,590 | 18,820 | 70.8 | 17,535 | 65.9 |
| Laval | 20,575 | 14,295 | 69.5 | 13,205 | 64.2 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 5,415 | 3,950 | 72.9 | 3,610 | 66.7 |
| Outaouais | 6,330 | 4,560 | 72.0 | 4,165 | 65.8 |
| Laurentides | 4,910 | 3,265 | 66.5 | 3,130 | 63.7 |
| Estrie | 2,920 | 1,895 | 64.9 | 1,650 | 56.5 |
| Lanaudière | 3,180 | 2,335 | 73.4 | 2,195 | 69.0 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,430 | 1,755 | 72.2 | 1,570 | 64.6 |
| Northern ERs | 1,950 | 1,275 | 65.4 | 1,100 | 56.4 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 70,285 | 47,595 | 67.7 | 43,330 | 61.6 |
| Montréal | 50,885 | 34,565 | 67.9 | 31,215 | 61.3 |
| Montérégie | 8,605 | 5,755 | 66.9 | 5,390 | 62.6 |
| Laval | 5,195 | 3,540 | 68.1 | 3,220 | 62.0 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 495 | 355 | 71.7 | 340 | 68.7 |
| Outaouais | 2,170 | 1,535 | 70.7 | 1,460 | 67.3 |
| Laurentides | 1,240 | 670 | 54.0 | 620 | 50.0 |
| Estrie | 665 | 430 | 64.7 | 410 | 61.7 |
| Lanaudière | 330 | 275 | 83.3 | 275 | 83.3 |
| Eastern ERs | 370 | 235 | 63.5 | 210 | 56.8 |
| Northern ERs | 335 | 235 | 70.1 | 195 | 58.2 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 101,320 | 71,230 | 70.3 | 63,385 | 62.6 |
| Montréal | 59,390 | 40,560 | 68.3 | 35,100 | 59.1 |
| Montérégie | 13,195 | 9,885 | 74.9 | 9,220 | 69.9 |
| Laval | 10,240 | 7,380 | 72.1 | 6,825 | 66.7 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 4,330 | 3,195 | 73.8 | 2,935 | 67.8 |
| Outaouais | 3,140 | 2,325 | 74.0 | 2,080 | 66.2 |
| Laurentides | 3,290 | 2,360 | 71.7 | 2,285 | 69.5 |
| Estrie | 1,860 | 1,295 | 69.6 | 1,110 | 59.7 |
| Lanaudière | 2,565 | 1,900 | 74.1 | 1,785 | 69.6 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,850 | 1,390 | 75.1 | 1,240 | 67.0 |
| Northern ERs | 1,470 | 940 | 63.9 | 815 | 55.4 |
| English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 32,975 | 23,255 | 70.5 | 21,030 | 63.8 |
| Montréal | 22,600 | 15,695 | 69.4 | 14,005 | 62.0 |
| Montérégie | 3,745 | 2,770 | 74.0 | 2,555 | 68.2 |
| Laval | 4,270 | 3,135 | 73.4 | 2,975 | 69.7 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 465 | 340 | 73.1 | 290 | 62.4 |
| Outaouais | 885 | 665 | 75.1 | 620 | 70.1 |
| Laurentides | 260 | 195 | 75.0 | 190 | 73.1 |
| Estrie | 285 | 150 | 52.6 | 125 | 43.9 |
| Lanaudière | 220 | 130 | 59.1 | 120 | 54.5 |
| Eastern ERs | 140 | 95 | 67.9 | 85 | 60.7 |
| Northern ERs | 110 | 75 | 68.2 | 65 | 59.1 |


|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 86,773 | 59,223 | 68.3 | 53,845 | 62.1 |
| Montréal | 62,185 | 42,413 | 68.2 | 38,218 | 61.5 |
| Montérégie | 10,478 | 7,140 | 68.1 | 6,668 | 63.6 |
| Laval | 7,330 | 5,108 | 69.7 | 4,708 | 64.2 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 728 | 525 | 72.2 | 485 | 66.7 |
| Outaouais | 2,613 | 1,868 | 71.5 | 1,770 | 67.8 |
| Laurentides | 1,370 | 768 | 56.0 | 715 | 52.2 |
| Estrie | 808 | 505 | 62.5 | 473 | 58.5 |
| Lanaudière | 440 | 340 | 77.3 | 335 | 76.1 |
| Eastern ERs | 440 | 283 | 64.2 | 253 | 57.4 |
| Northern ERs | 390 | 273 | 69.9 | 228 | 58.3 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 117,808 | 82,858 | 70.3 | 73,900 | 62.7 |
| Montréal | 70,690 | 48,408 | 68.5 | 42,103 | 59.6 |
| Montérégie | 15,068 | 11,270 | 74.8 | 10,498 | 69.7 |
| Laval | 12,375 | 8,948 | 72.3 | 8,313 | 67.2 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 4,563 | 3,365 | 73.8 | 3,080 | 67.5 |
| Outaouais | 3,583 | 2,658 | 74.2 | 2,390 | 66.7 |
| Laurentides | 3,420 | 2,458 | 71.9 | 2,380 | 69.6 |
| Estrie | 2,003 | 1,370 | 68.4 | 1,173 | 58.6 |
| Lanaudière | 2,675 | 1,965 | 73.5 | 1,845 | 69.0 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,920 | 1,438 | 74.9 | 1,283 | 66.8 |
| Northern ERs | 1,525 | 978 | 64.1 | 848 | 55.6 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used w ith caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 29: Immigrants (arrived before 1991)-35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories, showing labour force activity statistics for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample

|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 257,860 | 195,550 | 75.8 | 182,205 | 70.7 |
| Montréal | 157,925 | 117,835 | 74.6 | 108,450 | 68.7 |
| Montérégie | 35,500 | 27,870 | 78.5 | 26,505 | 74.7 |
| Laval | 29,720 | 23,350 | 78.6 | 22,110 | 74.4 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 5,705 | 4,505 | 79.0 | 4,290 | 75.2 |
| Outaouais | 7,350 | 5,730 | 78.0 | 5,425 | 73.8 |
| Laurentides | 7,650 | 5,685 | 74.3 | 5,475 | 71.6 |
| Estrie | 3,415 | 2,530 | 74.1 | 2,370 | 69.4 |
| Lanaudière | 4,805 | 3,675 | 76.5 | 3,525 | 73.4 |
| Eastern ERs | 3,165 | 2,460 | 77.7 | 2,300 | 72.7 |
| Northern ERs | 2,610 | 1,915 | 73.4 | 1,765 | 67.6 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 92,160 | 70,685 | 76.7 | 65,965 | 71.6 |
| Montréal | 63,255 | 48,400 | 76.5 | 44,955 | 71.1 |
| Montérégie | 12,390 | 9,590 | 77.4 | 9,080 | 73.3 |
| Laval | 8,545 | 6,810 | 79.7 | 6,355 | 74.4 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 565 | 435 | 77.0 | 425 | 75.2 |
| Outaouais | 2,930 | 2,295 | 78.3 | 2,190 | 74.7 |
| Laurentides | 2,060 | 1,380 | 67.0 | 1,290 | 62.6 |
| Estrie | 930 | 635 | 68.3 | 600 | 64.5 |
| Lanaudière | 565 | 475 | 84.1 | 470 | 83.2 |
| Eastern ERs | 500 | 345 | 69.0 | 310 | 62.0 |
| Northern ERs | 420 | 325 | 77.4 | 290 | 69.0 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 118,155 | 89,830 | 76.0 | 83,620 | 70.8 |
| Montréal | 62,710 | 46,385 | 74.0 | 42,235 | 67.3 |
| Montérégie | 17,900 | 14,225 | 79.5 | 13,575 | 75.8 |
| Laval | 13,755 | 10,820 | 78.7 | 10,315 | 75.0 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 4,730 | 3,730 | 78.9 | 3,550 | 75.1 |
| Outaouais | 3,440 | 2,690 | 78.2 | 2,535 | 73.7 |
| Laurentides | 5,055 | 3,905 | 77.3 | 3,795 | 75.1 |
| Estrie | 2,225 | 1,705 | 76.6 | 1,610 | 72.4 |
| Lanaudière | 3,815 | 2,925 | 76.7 | 2,790 | 73.1 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,485 | 1,980 | 79.7 | 1,855 | 74.6 |
| Northern ERs | 2,035 | 1,460 | 71.7 | 1,365 | 67.1 |
| English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 41,025 | 32,015 | 78.0 | 30,110 | 73.4 |
| Montréal | 27,090 | 20,750 | 76.6 | 19,340 | 71.4 |
| Montérégie | 4,665 | 3,785 | 81.1 | 3,625 | 77.7 |
| Laval | 6,650 | 5,420 | 81.5 | 5,195 | 78.1 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 365 | 300 | 82.2 | 285 | 78.1 |
| Outaouais | 885 | 715 | 80.8 | 675 | 76.3 |
| Laurentides | 445 | 360 | 80.9 | 355 | 79.8 |
| Estrie | 235 | 165 | 70.2 | 155 | 66.0 |
| Lanaudière | 380 | 270 | 71.1 | 260 | 68.4 |
| Eastern ERs | 160 | 125 | 78.1 | 115 | 71.9 |
| Northern ERs | 145 | 120 | 82.8 | 100 | 69.0 |


|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 112,673 | 86,693 | 76.9 | 81,020 | 71.9 |
| Montréal | 76,800 | 58,775 | 76.5 | 54,625 | 71.1 |
| Montérégie | 14,723 | 11,483 | 78.0 | 10,893 | 74.0 |
| Laval | 11,870 | 9,520 | 80.2 | 8,953 | 75.4 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 748 | 585 | 78.3 | 568 | 75.9 |
| Outaouais | 3,373 | 2,653 | 78.7 | 2,528 | 74.9 |
| Laurentides | 2,283 | 1,560 | 68.3 | 1,468 | 64.3 |
| Estrie | 1,048 | 718 | 68.5 | 678 | 64.7 |
| Lanaudière | 755 | 610 | 80.8 | 600 | 79.5 |
| Eastern ERs | 580 | 408 | 70.3 | 368 | 63.4 |
| Northern ERs | 493 | 385 | 78.2 | 340 | 69.0 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 138,668 | 105,838 | 76.3 | 98,675 | 71.2 |
| Montréal | 76,255 | 56,760 | 74.4 | 51,905 | 68.1 |
| Montérégie | 20,233 | 16,118 | 79.7 | 15,388 | 76.1 |
| Laval | 17,080 | 13,530 | 79.2 | 12,913 | 75.6 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 4,913 | 3,880 | 79.0 | 3,693 | 75.2 |
| Outaouais | 3,883 | 3,048 | 78.5 | 2,873 | 74.0 |
| Laurentides | 5,278 | 4,085 | 77.4 | 3,973 | 75.3 |
| Estrie | 2,343 | 1,788 | 76.3 | 1,688 | 72.0 |
| Lanaudière | 4,005 | 3,060 | 76.4 | 2,920 | 72.9 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,565 | 2,043 | 79.6 | 1,913 | 74.6 |
| Northern ERs | 2,108 | 1,520 | 72.1 | 1,415 | 67.1 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used w ith caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 30: Immigrants (immigrated between 1991-2000)-35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing labour force activity statistics for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 111,255 | 88,865 | 79.9 | 79,850 | 71.8 |
| Montréal | 75,265 | 58,685 | 78.0 | 51,650 | 68.6 |
| Montérégie | 12,185 | 10,245 | 84.1 | 9,675 | 79.4 |
| Laval | 9,545 | 7,920 | 83.0 | 7,385 | 77.4 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 3,555 | 3,080 | 86.6 | 2,815 | 79.2 |
| Outaouais | 3,795 | 3,195 | 84.2 | 2,905 | 76.5 |
| Laurentides | 2,055 | 1,740 | 84.7 | 1,670 | 81.3 |
| Estrie | 1,405 | 1,075 | 76.5 | 975 | 69.4 |
| Lanaudière | 1,440 | 1,260 | 87.5 | 1,230 | 85.4 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,120 | 990 | 88.4 | 930 | 83.0 |
| Northern ERs | 875 | 675 | 77.1 | 610 | 69.7 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 32,710 | 24,905 | 76.1 | 22,375 | 68.4 |
| Montréal | 25,490 | 19,345 | 75.9 | 17,220 | 67.6 |
| Montérégie | 3,455 | 2,700 | 78.1 | 2,525 | 73.1 |
| Laval | 1,745 | 1,270 | 72.8 | 1,160 | 66.5 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 220 | 160 | 72.7 | 145 | 65.9 |
| Outaouais | 970 | 800 | 82.5 | 765 | 78.9 |
| Laurentides | 375 | 275 | 73.3 | 255 | 68.0 |
| Estrie | 135 | 95 | 70.4 | 95 | 70.4 |
| Lanaudière | 70 | 65 | 92.9 | 65 | 92.9 |
| Eastern ERs | 100 | 80 | 80.0 | 55 | 55.0 |
| Northern ERs | 145 | 115 | 79.3 | 100 | 69.0 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 53,420 | 44,635 | 83.6 | 40,100 | 75.1 |
| Montréal | 32,415 | 26,330 | 81.2 | 22,980 | 70.9 |
| Montérégie | 5,740 | 5,125 | 89.3 | 4,890 | 85.2 |
| Laval | 5,190 | 4,450 | 85.7 | 4,130 | 79.6 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,895 | 2,570 | 88.8 | 2,360 | 81.5 |
| Outaouais | 1,890 | 1,625 | 86.0 | 1,445 | 76.5 |
| Laurentides | 1,510 | 1,320 | 87.4 | 1,285 | 85.1 |
| Estrie | 1,040 | 855 | 82.2 | 765 | 73.6 |
| Lanaudière | 1,210 | 1,070 | 88.4 | 1,040 | 86.0 |
| Eastern ERs | 880 | 795 | 90.3 | 760 | 86.4 |
| Northern ERs | 645 | 505 | 78.3 | 445 | 69.0 |
| English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 20,175 | 17,190 | 85.2 | 15,585 | 77.2 |
| Montréal | 13,500 | 11,390 | 84.4 | 10,135 | 75.1 |
| Montérégie | 2,435 | 2,120 | 87.1 | 1,970 | 80.9 |
| Laval | 2,355 | 2,090 | 88.7 | 2,020 | 85.8 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 370 | 320 | 86.5 | 285 | 77.0 |
| Outaouais | 875 | 750 | 85.7 | 685 | 78.3 |
| Laurentides | 160 | 125 | 78.1 | 120 | 75.0 |
| Estrie | 150 | 120 | 80.0 | 115 | 76.7 |
| Lanaudière | 130 | 110 | 84.6 | 110 | 84.6 |
| Eastern ERs | 125 | 105 | 84.0 | 100 | 80.0 |
| Northern ERs | 70 | 50 | 71.4 | 50 | 71.4 |


|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 42,798 | 33,500 | 78.3 | 30,168 | 70.5 |
| Montréal | 32,240 | 25,040 | 77.7 | 22,288 | 69.1 |
| Montérégie | 4,673 | 3,760 | 80.5 | 3,510 | 75.1 |
| Laval | 2,923 | 2,315 | 79.2 | 2,170 | 74.3 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 405 | 320 | 79.0 | 288 | 71.0 |
| Outaouais | 1,408 | 1,175 | 83.5 | 1,108 | 78.7 |
| Laurentides | 455 | 338 | 74.2 | 315 | 69.2 |
| Estrie | 210 | 155 | 73.8 | 153 | 72.6 |
| Lanaudière | 135 | 120 | 88.9 | 120 | 88.9 |
| Eastern ERs | 163 | 133 | 81.5 | 105 | 64.6 |
| Northern ERs | 180 | 140 | 77.8 | 125 | 69.4 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 63,508 | 53,230 | 83.8 | 47,893 | 75.4 |
| Montréal | 39,165 | 32,025 | 81.8 | 28,048 | 71.6 |
| Montérégie | 6,958 | 6,185 | 88.9 | 5,875 | 84.4 |
| Laval | 6,368 | 5,495 | 86.3 | 5,140 | 80.7 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 3,080 | 2,730 | 88.6 | 2,503 | 81.3 |
| Outaouais | 2,328 | 2,000 | 85.9 | 1,788 | 76.8 |
| Laurentides | 1,590 | 1,383 | 86.9 | 1,345 | 84.6 |
| Estrie | 1,115 | 915 | 82.1 | 823 | 73.8 |
| Lanaudière | 1,275 | 1,125 | 88.2 | 1,095 | 85.9 |
| Eastern ERs | 943 | 848 | 89.9 | 810 | 85.9 |
| Northern ERs | 680 | 530 | 77.9 | 470 | 69.1 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used w ith caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 31: Immigrants (immigrated between 2001-2006)-35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing labour force activity for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 153,920 | 101,290 | 65.8 | 81,535 | 53.0 |
| Montréal | 112,570 | 74,050 | 65.8 | 58,695 | 52.1 |
| Montérégie | 13,945 | 9,140 | 65.5 | 7,745 | 55.5 |
| Laval | 6,870 | 4,600 | 67.0 | 3,885 | 56.6 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 6,065 | 3,930 | 64.8 | 3,295 | 54.3 |
| Outaouais | 4,105 | 2,860 | 69.7 | 2,375 | 57.9 |
| Laurentides | 2,085 | 1,460 | 70.0 | 1,320 | 63.3 |
| Estrie | 2,955 | 1,705 | 57.7 | 1,280 | 43.3 |
| Lanaudière | 1,295 | 990 | 76.4 | 890 | 68.7 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,355 | 1,530 | 65.0 | 1,275 | 54.1 |
| Northern ERs | 1,685 | 1,025 | 60.8 | 790 | 46.9 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 38,045 | 24,115 | 63.4 | 20,490 | 53.9 |
| Montréal | 31,735 | 20,005 | 63.0 | 16,855 | 53.1 |
| Montérégie | 2,670 | 1,635 | 61.2 | 1,480 | 55.4 |
| Laval | 1,185 | 845 | 71.3 | 755 | 63.7 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 275 | 160 | 58.2 | 155 | 56.4 |
| Outaouais | 1,260 | 880 | 69.8 | 745 | 59.1 |
| Laurentides | 325 | 235 | 72.3 | 205 | 63.1 |
| Estrie | 265 | 125 | 47.2 | 110 | 41.5 |
| Lanaudière | 60 | 40 | 66.7 | 35 | 58.3 |
| Eastern ERs | 175 | 115 | 65.7 | 105 | 60.0 |
| Northern ERs | 100 | 65 | 65.0 | 40 | 40.0 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 77,075 | 53,560 | 69.5 | 42,280 | 54.9 |
| Montréal | 52,155 | 36,400 | 69.8 | 28,055 | 53.8 |
| Montérégie | 7,375 | 5,155 | 69.9 | 4,280 | 58.0 |
| Laval | 3,280 | 2,265 | 69.1 | 1,870 | 57.0 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 4,560 | 3,095 | 67.9 | 2,565 | 56.2 |
| Outaouais | 1,895 | 1,405 | 74.1 | 1,160 | 61.2 |
| Laurentides | 1,485 | 1,060 | 71.4 | 955 | 64.3 |
| Estrie | 2,070 | 1,280 | 61.8 | 950 | 45.9 |
| Lanaudière | 1,025 | 805 | 78.5 | 740 | 72.2 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,820 | 1,235 | 67.9 | 1,030 | 56.6 |
| Northern ERs | 1,400 | 850 | 60.7 | 680 | 48.6 |
| English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 31,090 | 21,200 | 68.2 | 17,090 | 55.0 |
| Montréal | 23,235 | 15,730 | 67.7 | 12,455 | 53.6 |
| Montérégie | 3,080 | 2,120 | 68.8 | 1,820 | 59.1 |
| Laval | 1,895 | 1,395 | 73.6 | 1,180 | 62.3 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 940 | 640 | 68.1 | 555 | 59.0 |
| Outaouais | 780 | 555 | 71.2 | 455 | 58.3 |
| Laurentides | 205 | 155 | 75.6 | 150 | 73.2 |
| Estrie | 480 | 270 | 56.2 | 210 | 43.8 |
| Lanaudière | 160 | 110 | 68.8 | 110 | 68.8 |
| Eastern ERs | 175 | 130 | 74.3 | 105 | 60.0 |
| Northern ERs | 140 | 100 | 71.4 | 65 | 46.4 |


|  | Immigrants | In the labour force | Participation rate | Number Employed | Employment rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 53,590 | 34,715 | 64.8 | 29,035 | 54.2 |
| Montréal | 43,353 | 27,870 | 64.3 | 23,083 | 53.2 |
| Montérégie | 4,210 | 2,695 | 64.0 | 2,390 | 56.8 |
| Laval | 2,133 | 1,543 | 72.3 | 1,345 | 63.1 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 745 | 480 | 64.4 | 433 | 58.1 |
| Outaouais | 1,650 | 1,158 | 70.2 | 973 | 58.9 |
| Laurentides | 428 | 313 | 73.1 | 280 | 65.5 |
| Estrie | 505 | 260 | 51.5 | 215 | 42.6 |
| Lanaudière | 140 | 95 | 67.9 | 90 | 64.3 |
| Eastern ERs | 263 | 180 | 68.6 | 158 | 60.0 |
| Northern ERs | 170 | 115 | 67.6 | 73 | 42.6 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 92,620 | 64,160 | 69.3 | 50,825 | 54.9 |
| Montréal | 63,773 | 44,265 | 69.4 | 34,283 | 53.8 |
| Montérégie | 8,915 | 6,215 | 69.7 | 5,190 | 58.2 |
| Laval | 4,228 | 2,963 | 70.1 | 2,460 | 58.2 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 5,030 | 3,415 | 67.9 | 2,843 | 56.5 |
| Outaouais | 2,285 | 1,683 | 73.6 | 1,388 | 60.7 |
| Laurentides | 1,588 | 1,138 | 71.7 | 1,030 | 64.9 |
| Estrie | 2,310 | 1,415 | 61.3 | 1,055 | 45.7 |
| Lanaudière | 1,105 | 860 | 77.8 | 795 | 71.9 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,908 | 1,300 | 68.2 | 1,083 | 56.7 |
| Northern ERs | 1,470 | 900 | 61.2 | 713 | 48.5 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used w ith caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 32: Immigrants 35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing occupational categories (NOCS 2006) for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample

|  |  |  |  | A $^{*}$ | B | C* | D* | E* | F* | G | $\mathbf{H}^{*}$ | I* | J* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Occupation* | Profess $(\mathrm{A}+\mathrm{B}+\mathrm{C}+1$ | onal | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | Nat. App. Sci. | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, <br> Culture, <br> Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, <br> Trans., Equip. oper. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 337,205 | 171,470 | 51\% | 37,890 | 50,880 | 28,935 | 21,670 | 32,095 | 9,920 | 76,790 | 39,555 | 3,780 | 35,680 |
| Montréal | 212,210 | 105,985 | 50\% | 22,735 | 31,885 | 17,895 | 13,805 | 19,665 | 6,830 | 48,990 | 23,730 | 1,335 | 25,330 |
| Montérégie | 44,320 | 24,260 | 55\% | 5,605 | 7,265 | 4,500 | 3,025 | 3,865 | 1,010 | 9,735 | 4,815 | 940 | 3,560 |
| Laval | 34,180 | 16,255 | 48\% | 4,055 | 5,210 | 2,455 | 2,210 | 2,325 | 535 | 7,950 | 5,435 | 185 | 3,830 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 9,575 | 5,550 | 58\% | 1,240 | 1,300 | 1,130 | 505 | 1,375 | 385 | 2,365 | 685 | 175 | 415 |
| Outaouais | 10,455 | 5,870 | 56\% | 1,075 | 1,645 | 980 | 530 | 1,640 | 480 | 2,515 | 1,345 | 60 | 190 |
| Laurentides | 8,580 | 4,670 | 54\% | 1,440 | 1,220 | 830 | 375 | 805 | 225 | 1,790 | 1,095 | 190 | 615 |
| Estrie | 4,605 | 2,270 | 49\% | 390 | 610 | 265 | 330 | 675 | 155 | 850 | 505 | 240 | 600 |
| Lanaudière | 5,735 | 2,885 | 50\% | 570 | 890 | 335 | 445 | 645 | 105 | 1,110 | 1,010 | 70 | 560 |
| Eastern ERs | 4,390 | 2,035 | 46\% | 445 | 515 | 285 | 240 | 550 | 125 | 835 | 570 | 440 | 385 |
| Northern ERs | 3,150 | 1,720 | 55\% | 335 | 345 | 260 | 215 | 565 | 75 | 645 | 375 | 140 | 185 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 110,200 | 57,235 | 52\% | 14,180 | 18,125 | 9,145 | 6,315 | 9,470 | 3,405 | 25,000 | 12,065 | 705 | 11,795 |
| Montréal | 79,310 | 40,815 | 51\% | 9,620 | 12,815 | 6,735 | 4,715 | 6,930 | 2,620 | 18,020 | 8,170 | 380 | 9,300 |
| Montérégie | 13,665 | 7,790 | 57\% | 2,080 | 2,510 | 1,235 | 920 | 1,045 | 310 | 2,930 | 1,395 | 160 | 1,085 |
| Laval | 8,610 | 3,825 | 44\% | 1,250 | 1,460 | 455 | 310 | 350 | 130 | 2,065 | 1,465 | 35 | 1,090 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 705 | 425 | 60\% | 50 | 85 | 70 | 25 | 195 | 70 | 165 | 25 | 0 | 10 |
| Outaouais | 3,630 | 1,875 | 52\% | 465 | 480 | 370 | 170 | 390 | 165 | 985 | 520 | 15 | 75 |
| Laurentides | 1,880 | 1,155 | 61\% | 430 | 325 | 135 | 60 | 205 | 80 | 325 | 245 | 15 | 65 |
| Estrie | 850 | 470 | 55\% | 70 | 205 | 35 | 50 | 110 | 25 | 155 | 95 | 40 | 70 |
| Lanaudière | 580 | 320 | 55\% | 70 | 120 | 50 | 25 | 55 | 0 | 130 | 60 | 15 | 45 |
| Eastern ERs | 505 | 280 | 55\% | 60 | 75 | 25 | 10 | 110 | 10 | 110 | 55 | 20 | 35 |
| Northern ERs | 465 | 295 | 63\% | 90 | 50 | 40 | 25 | 90 | 10 | 115 | 25 | 15 | 15 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 160,515 | 81,995 | 51\% | 16,535 | 22,590 | 12,475 | 12,070 | 18,325 | 5,055 | 35,585 | 18,940 | 2,425 | 16,520 |
| Montréal | 88,350 | 43,965 | 50\% | 8,510 | 12,355 | 6,370 | 6,765 | 9,965 | 3,125 | 20,160 | 9,995 | 595 | 10,520 |
| Montérégie | 22,710 | 12,185 | 54\% | 2,590 | 3,420 | 2,095 | 1,715 | 2,365 | 560 | 4,845 | 2,680 | 610 | 1,830 |
| Laval | 16,700 | 8,395 | 50\% | 1,715 | 2,360 | 1,230 | 1,585 | 1,505 | 280 | 3,625 | 2,425 | 110 | 1,855 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 7,855 | 4,495 | 57\% | 1,095 | 1,075 | 915 | 425 | 985 | 290 | 1,930 | 610 | 160 | 370 |
| Outaouais | 5,000 | 3,060 | 61\% | 450 | 845 | 410 | 300 | 1,055 | 255 | 1,080 | 515 | 25 | 70 |
| Laurentides | 6,030 | 3,165 | 52\% | 890 | 805 | 595 | 300 | 575 | 145 | 1,320 | 745 | 165 | 490 |
| Estrie | 3,260 | 1,520 | 47\% | 275 | 310 | 205 | 250 | 480 | 120 | 610 | 365 | 185 | 455 |
| Lanaudière | 4,670 | 2,360 | 51\% | 440 | 715 | 270 | 375 | 560 | 100 | 890 | 850 | 50 | 420 |
| Eastern ERs | 3,505 | 1,565 | 45\% | 340 | 425 | 195 | 185 | 420 | 115 | 655 | 450 | 400 | 330 |
| Northern ERs | 2,440 | 1,295 | 53\% | 235 | 280 | 195 | 170 | 415 | 65 | 460 | 315 | 125 | 180 |


|  | TotalOccupation* | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Professional } \\ & (\mathrm{A}+\mathrm{B}+\mathrm{C}+\mathrm{D}+\mathrm{E}) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | A* | B | C* | D* | E* | F* | G | $\mathbf{H}^{*}$ | I* | J* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | Nat. App. Sci. | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, Culture, Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, <br> Trans., Equip. oper. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 59,600 | 31,105 | 52\% | 6,825 | 9,745 | 7,195 | 3,185 | 4,155 | 1,385 | 13,685 | 7,750 | 520 | 5,150 |
| Montréal | 39,335 | 20,350 | 52\% | 4,370 | 6,375 | 4,700 | 2,250 | 2,655 | 1,030 | 9,015 | 4,965 | 255 | 3,710 |
| Montérégie | 7,165 | 4,135 | 58\% | 880 | 1,285 | 1,155 | 380 | 435 | 130 | 1,595 | 695 | 160 | 445 |
| Laval | 8,360 | 3,980 | 48\% | 1,055 | 1,380 | 770 | 315 | 460 | 115 | 2,055 | 1,460 | 20 | 735 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 910 | 585 | 64\% | 90 | 120 | 145 | 40 | 190 | 35 | 215 | 35 | 20 | 35 |
| Outaouais | 1,765 | 935 | 53\% | 160 | 315 | 200 | 65 | 195 | 60 | 425 | 280 | 25 | 50 |
| Laurentides | 605 | 340 | 56\% | 120 | 90 | 100 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 120 | 95 | 10 | 40 |
| Estrie | 465 | 285 | 61\% | 45 | 95 | 30 | 25 | 90 | 15 | 80 | 30 | 0 | 60 |
| Lanaudière | 455 | 210 | 46\% | 65 | 55 | 15 | 45 | 30 | 0 | 70 | 95 | 0 | 80 |
| Eastern ERs | 320 | 180 | 56\% | 45 | 20 | 65 | 30 | 20 | 0 | 50 | 60 | 20 | 10 |
| Northern ERs | 225 | 135 | 60\% | 10 | 15 | 30 | 25 | 55 | 0 | 45 | 35 | 0 | 0 |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 140,000 | 72,788 | 52\% | 17,593 | 22,998 | 12,743 | 7,908 | 11,548 | 4,098 | 31,843 | 15,940 | 965 | 14,370 |
| Montréal | 98,978 | 50,990 | 52\% | 11,805 | 16,003 | 9,085 | 5,840 | 8,258 | 3,135 | 22,528 | 10,653 | 508 | 11,155 |
| Montérégie | 17,248 | 9,858 | 57\% | 2,520 | 3,153 | 1,813 | 1,110 | 1,263 | 375 | 3,728 | 1,743 | 240 | 1,308 |
| Laval | 12,790 | 5,815 | 45\% | 1,778 | 2,150 | 840 | 468 | 580 | 188 | 3,093 | 2,195 | 45 | 1,458 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,160 | 718 | 62\% | 95 | 145 | 143 | 45 | 290 | 88 | 273 | 43 | 10 | 28 |
| Outaouais | 4,513 | 2,343 | 52\% | 545 | 638 | 470 | 203 | 488 | 195 | 1,198 | 660 | 28 | 100 |
| Laurentides | 2,183 | 1,325 | 61\% | 490 | 370 | 185 | 65 | 215 | 80 | 385 | 293 | 20 | 85 |
| Estrie | 1,083 | 613 | 57\% | 93 | 253 | 50 | 63 | 155 | 33 | 195 | 110 | 40 | 100 |
| Lanaudière | 808 | 425 | 53\% | 103 | 148 | 58 | 48 | 70 | 0 | 165 | 108 | 15 | 85 |
| Eastern ERs | 665 | 370 | 56\% | 83 | 85 | 58 | 25 | 120 | 10 | 135 | 85 | 30 | 40 |
| Northern ERs | 578 | 363 | 63\% | 95 | 58 | 55 | 38 | 118 | 10 | 138 | 43 | 15 | 15 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 190,315 | 97,548 | 51\% | 19,948 | 27,463 | 16,073 | 13,663 | 20,403 | 5,748 | 42,428 | 22,815 | 2,685 | 19,095 |
| Montréal | 108,018 | 54,140 | 50\% | 10,695 | 15,543 | 8,720 | 7,890 | 11,293 | 3,640 | 24,668 | 12,478 | 723 | 12,375 |
| Montérégie | 26,293 | 14,253 | 54\% | 3,030 | 4,063 | 2,673 | 1,905 | 2,583 | 625 | 5,643 | 3,028 | 690 | 2,053 |
| Laval | 20,880 | 10,385 | 50\% | 2,243 | 3,050 | 1,615 | 1,743 | 1,735 | 338 | 4,653 | 3,155 | 120 | 2,223 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 8,310 | 4,788 | 58\% | 1,140 | 1,135 | 988 | 445 | 1,080 | 308 | 2,038 | 628 | 170 | 388 |
| Outaouais | 5,883 | 3,528 | 60\% | 530 | 1,003 | 510 | 333 | 1,153 | 285 | 1,293 | 655 | 38 | 95 |
| Laurentides | 6,333 | 3,335 | 53\% | 950 | 850 | 645 | 305 | 585 | 145 | 1,380 | 793 | 170 | 510 |
| Estrie | 3,493 | 1,663 | 48\% | 298 | 358 | 220 | 263 | 525 | 128 | 650 | 380 | 185 | 485 |
| Lanaudière | 4,898 | 2,465 | 50\% | 473 | 743 | 278 | 398 | 575 | 100 | 925 | 898 | 50 | 460 |
| Eastern ERs | 3,665 | 1,655 | 45\% | 363 | 435 | 228 | 200 | 430 | 115 | 680 | 480 | 410 | 335 |
| Northern ERs | 2,553 | 1,363 | 53\% | 240 | 288 | 210 | 183 | 443 | 65 | 483 | 333 | 125 | 180 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 33: Male immigrants 35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing occupational categories (NOCS 2006) for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, $20 \%$ sample

|  | Total -Occupation* | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Professional } \\ (A+B+C+D+E) \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | $A^{*}$ | B | C* | D* | E* | $\mathrm{F}^{*}$ | G | $H^{*}$ | ${ }^{*}$ | J* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Nat. App. } \\ \text { Sci. } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Art, } \\ \text { Culture, } \\ \text { Rec., Sport } \end{array}$ | Sales, Service | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Trade, } \\ & \text { Trans., } \\ & \text { Equip. oper. } \end{aligned}$ | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 186,735 | 85,105 | 46\% | 26,420 | 17,660 | 23,150 | 5,745 | 12,130 | 4,875 | 39,600 | 35,540 | 2,880 | 18,740 |
| Montréal | 116,115 | 52,325 | 45\% | 15,750 | 11,475 | 14,250 | 3,790 | 7,060 | 3,445 | 25,560 | 21,080 | 1,190 | 12,520 |
| Montérégie | 24,635 | 12,140 | 49\% | 3,975 | 2,300 | 3,550 | 770 | 1,545 | 415 | 4,925 | 4,330 | 635 | 2,190 |
| Laval | 19,410 | 7,740 | 40\% | 2,955 | 1,720 | 2,020 | 375 | 670 | 280 | 4,065 | 5,045 | 140 | 2,145 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 5,435 | 3,075 | 57\% | 860 | 410 | 915 | 155 | 735 | 165 | 1,235 | 580 | 160 | 220 |
| Outaouais | 5,725 | 2,930 | 51\% | 725 | 590 | 830 | 160 | 625 | 195 | 1,160 | 1,240 | 40 | 160 |
| Laurentides | 5,065 | 2,475 | 49\% | 940 | 430 | 680 | 120 | 305 | 130 | 915 | 1,030 | 115 | 405 |
| Estrie | 2,660 | 1,165 | 44\% | 235 | 210 | 220 | 105 | 395 | 80 | 435 | 450 | 160 | 375 |
| Lanaudière | 3,265 | 1,290 | 40\% | 395 | 285 | 250 | 95 | 265 | 60 | 580 | 945 | 40 | 345 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,585 | 1,060 | 41\% | 345 | 145 | 220 | 90 | 260 | 100 | 400 | 505 | 285 | 240 |
| Northern ERs | 1,830 | 895 | 49\% | 235 | 90 | 215 | 85 | 270 | 15 | 320 | 340 | 105 | 145 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 60,145 | 28,775 | 48\% | 10,070 | 6,115 | 7,275 | 1,540 | 3,775 | 1,590 | 12,210 | 10,875 | 535 | 6,160 |
| Montréal | 43,135 | 20,600 | 48\% | 6,825 | 4,380 | 5,330 | 1,175 | 2,890 | 1,245 | 8,870 | 7,340 | 335 | 4,740 |
| Montérégie | 7,485 | 3,950 | 53\% | 1,535 | 835 | 950 | 200 | 430 | 120 | 1,415 | 1,225 | 80 | 695 |
| Laval | 4,970 | 1,875 | 38\% | 900 | 435 | 375 | 95 | 70 | 90 | 1,080 | 1,360 | 35 | 535 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 330 | 210 | 64\% | 35 | 30 | 60 | 0 | 85 | 25 | 80 | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Outaouais | 1,990 | 920 | 46\% | 285 | 185 | 320 | 35 | 95 | 70 | 450 | 475 | 10 | 65 |
| Laurentides | 1,105 | 635 | 57\% | 275 | 130 | 130 | 15 | 85 | 30 | 155 | 250 | 10 | 30 |
| Estrie | 385 | 195 | 51\% | 50 | 70 | 30 | 15 | 30 | 10 | 40 | 85 | 20 | 35 |
| Lanaudière | 295 | 155 | 53\% | 60 | 25 | 25 | 10 | 35 | 0 | 50 | 65 | 10 | 20 |
| Eastern ERs | 255 | 100 | 39\% | 50 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 30 | 10 | 60 | 45 | 20 | 30 |
| Northern ERs | 210 | 155 | 74\% | 60 | 20 | 35 | 10 | 30 | 0 | 20 | 25 | 10 | 0 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 88,160 | 39,380 | 45\% | 11,370 | 8,065 | 10,100 | 3,070 | 6,775 | 2,545 | 18,570 | 16,980 | 1,820 | 8,875 |
| Montréal | 47,580 | 20,735 | 44\% | 5,740 | 4,785 | 5,180 | 1,810 | 3,220 | 1,645 | 10,585 | 8,820 | 545 | 5,250 |
| Montérégie | 12,570 | 5,845 | 46\% | 1,840 | 975 | 1,690 | 415 | 925 | 235 | 2,510 | 2,430 | 440 | 1,110 |
| Laval | 9,140 | 3,775 | 41\% | 1,220 | 835 | 1,015 | 215 | 490 | 145 | 1,810 | 2,270 | 80 | 1,055 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 4,510 | 2,485 | 55\% | 770 | 325 | 740 | 120 | 530 | 120 | 1,045 | 520 | 145 | 195 |
| Outaouais | 2,635 | 1,510 | 57\% | 325 | 310 | 330 | 100 | 445 | 90 | 505 | 460 | 0 | 60 |
| Laurentides | 3,545 | 1,645 | 46\% | 575 | 285 | 465 | 110 | 210 | 95 | 690 | 685 | 95 | 330 |
| Estrie | 1,970 | 830 | 42\% | 175 | 105 | 155 | 80 | 315 | 60 | 345 | 330 | 135 | 280 |
| Lanaudière | 2,655 | 1,035 | 39\% | 290 | 240 | 215 | 75 | 215 | 60 | 495 | 785 | 30 | 255 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,095 | 830 | 40\% | 260 | 140 | 135 | 70 | 225 | 95 | 325 | 395 | 255 | 195 |
| Northern ERs | 1,465 | 680 | 46\% | 170 | 70 | 170 | 70 | 200 | 10 | 260 | 280 | 95 | 135 |


|  | Total -Occupation | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Professional } \\ (A+B+C+D+E) \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | A* | B | C* | D* | $\mathrm{E}^{*}$ | F* | G | $\mathrm{H}^{*}$ | I* | J* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | Nat. App. Sci. | Health | Social Sci., <br> Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, Culture, Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, Trans., Equip. oper. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 35,430 | 16,540 | 47\% | 4,800 | 3,360 | 5,740 | 1,090 | 1,550 | 710 | 7,560 | 7,105 | 410 | 3,115 |
| Montréal | 23,150 | 10,675 | 46\% | 3,060 | 2,215 | 3,705 | 780 | 915 | 535 | 5,105 | 4,520 | 230 | 2,085 |
| Montérégie | 4,255 | 2,250 | 53\% | 550 | 460 | 905 | 145 | 190 | 55 | 870 | 640 | 105 | 330 |
| Laval | 5,060 | 2,080 | 41\% | 830 | 445 | 635 | 60 | 110 | 50 | 1,095 | 1,335 | 15 | 485 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 555 | 360 | 65\% | 60 | 45 | 120 | 10 | 125 | 15 | 95 | 35 | 15 | 30 |
| Outaouais | 1,060 | 495 | 47\% | 110 | 95 | 175 | 30 | 85 | 40 | 200 | 270 | 20 | 35 |
| Laurentides | 400 | 200 | 50\% | 90 | 20 | 80 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 65 | 90 | 10 | 40 |
| Estrie | 275 | 150 | 55\% | 10 | 40 | 30 | 15 | 55 | 15 | 40 | 35 | 10 | 40 |
| Lanaudière | 310 | 110 | 35\% | 45 | 25 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 35 | 95 | 0 | 65 |
| Eastern ERs | 220 | 120 | 55\% | 40 | 0 | 60 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 55 | 10 | 10 |
| Northern ERs | 150 | 70 | 47\% | 0 | 0 | 15 | 10 | 45 | 0 | 30 | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 77,860 | 37,045 | 48\% | 12,470 | 7,795 | 10,145 | 2,085 | 4,550 | 1,945 | 15,990 | 14,428 | 740 | 7,718 |
| Montréal | 54,710 | 25,938 | 47\% | 8,355 | 5,488 | 7,183 | 1,565 | 3,348 | 1,513 | 11,423 | 9,600 | 450 | 5,783 |
| Montérégie | 9,613 | 5,075 | 53\% | 1,810 | 1,065 | 1,403 | 273 | 525 | 148 | 1,850 | 1,545 | 133 | 860 |
| Laval | 7,500 | 2,915 | 39\% | 1,315 | 658 | 693 | 125 | 125 | 115 | 1,628 | 2,028 | 43 | 778 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 608 | 390 | 64\% | 65 | 53 | 120 | 5 | 148 | 33 | 128 | 33 | 8 | 15 |
| Outaouais | 2,520 | 1,168 | 46\% | 340 | 233 | 408 | 50 | 138 | 90 | 550 | 610 | 20 | 83 |
| Laurentides | 1,305 | 735 | 56\% | 320 | 140 | 170 | 15 | 90 | 30 | 188 | 295 | 15 | 50 |
| Estrie | 523 | 270 | 52\% | 55 | 90 | 45 | 23 | 58 | 18 | 60 | 103 | 25 | 55 |
| Lanaudière | 450 | 210 | 47\% | 83 | 38 | 33 | 15 | 43 | 0 | 68 | 113 | 10 | 53 |
| Eastern ERs | 365 | 160 | 44\% | 70 | 0 | 50 | 10 | 30 | 10 | 70 | 73 | 25 | 35 |
| Northern ERs | 285 | 190 | 67\% | 60 | 20 | 43 | 15 | 53 | 0 | 35 | 45 | 10 | 0 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 105,875 | 47,650 | 45\% | 13,770 | 9,745 | 12,970 | 3,615 | 7,550 | 2,900 | 22,350 | 20,533 | 2,025 | 10,433 |
| Montréal | 59,155 | 26,073 | 44\% | 7,270 | 5,893 | 7,033 | 2,200 | 3,678 | 1,913 | 13,138 | 11,080 | 660 | 6,293 |
| Montérégie | 14,698 | 6,970 | 47\% | 2,115 | 1,205 | 2,143 | 488 | 1,020 | 263 | 2,945 | 2,750 | 493 | 1,275 |
| Laval | 11,670 | 4,815 | 41\% | 1,635 | 1,058 | 1,333 | 245 | 545 | 170 | 2,358 | 2,938 | 88 | 1,298 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 4,788 | 2,665 | 56\% | 800 | 348 | 800 | 125 | 593 | 128 | 1,093 | 538 | 153 | 210 |
| Outaouais | 3,165 | 1,758 | 56\% | 380 | 358 | 418 | 115 | 488 | 110 | 605 | 595 | 10 | 78 |
| Laurentides | 3,745 | 1,745 | 47\% | 620 | 295 | 505 | 110 | 215 | 95 | 723 | 730 | 100 | 350 |
| Estrie | 2,108 | 905 | 43\% | 180 | 125 | 170 | 88 | 343 | 68 | 365 | 348 | 140 | 300 |
| Lanaudière | 2,810 | 1,090 | 39\% | 313 | 253 | 223 | 80 | 223 | 60 | 513 | 833 | 30 | 288 |
| Eastern ERs | 2,205 | 890 | 40\% | 280 | 140 | 165 | 80 | 225 | 95 | 335 | 423 | 260 | 200 |
| Northern ERs | 1,540 | 715 | 46\% | 170 | 70 | 178 | 75 | 223 | 10 | 275 | 300 | 95 | 135 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 34: Female immigrants 35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing occupational categories (NOCS 2006) for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  | Total -Occupation | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Professional } \\ (A+B+C+D+E) \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | $A^{*}$ | B | C* | D* | E* | $\mathrm{F}^{*}$ | G | $\mathrm{H}^{*}$ | I* | $\mathrm{J}^{*}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Nat. App. } \\ \text { Sci. } \end{array}$ | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, <br> Culture, <br> Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, <br> Trans., <br> Equip. oper. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 150,470 | 86,380 | 57\% | 11,475 | 33,225 | 5,785 | 15,925 | 19,970 | 5,050 | 37,190 | 4,015 | 900 | 16,940 |
| Montréal | 96,095 | 53,665 | 56\% | 6,990 | 20,405 | 3,645 | 10,020 | 12,605 | 3,380 | 23,430 | 2,655 | 145 | 12,810 |
| Montérégie | 19,685 | 12,120 | 62\% | 1,630 | 4,970 | 955 | 2,250 | 2,315 | 595 | 4,805 | 485 | 305 | 1,375 |
| Laval | 14,770 | 8,515 | 58\% | 1,095 | 3,490 | 435 | 1,845 | 1,650 | 250 | 3,885 | 385 | 45 | 1,690 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 4,135 | 2,475 | 60\% | 380 | 895 | 215 | 345 | 640 | 225 | 1,130 | 105 | 10 | 195 |
| Outaouais | 4,730 | 2,920 | 62\% | 350 | 1,045 | 145 | 370 | 1,010 | 285 | 1,355 | 110 | 20 | 30 |
| Laurentides | 3,510 | 2,180 | 62\% | 500 | 785 | 150 | 250 | 495 | 95 | 875 | 65 | 80 | 205 |
| Estrie | 1,945 | 1,105 | 57\% | 155 | 400 | 50 | 220 | 280 | 75 | 415 | 50 | 75 | 230 |
| Lanaudière | 2,470 | 1,590 | 64\% | 175 | 605 | 80 | 350 | 380 | 45 | 525 | 65 | 30 | 210 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,805 | 975 | 54\% | 100 | 370 | 70 | 145 | 290 | 25 | 435 | 65 | 150 | 145 |
| Northern ERs | 1,325 | 825 | 62\% | 105 | 255 | 45 | 130 | 290 | 60 | 330 | 35 | 40 | 45 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 50,055 | 28,460 | 57\% | 4,110 | 12,005 | 1,880 | 4,770 | 5,695 | 1,820 | 12,785 | 1,190 | 165 | 5,635 |
| Montréal | 36,175 | 20,210 | 56\% | 2,800 | 8,430 | 1,405 | 3,540 | 4,035 | 1,375 | 9,150 | 830 | 45 | 4,565 |
| Montérégie | 6,185 | 3,830 | 62\% | 545 | 1,670 | 285 | 715 | 615 | 195 | 1,515 | 170 | 80 | 395 |
| Laval | 3,640 | 1,955 | 54\% | 350 | 1,020 | 85 | 220 | 280 | 35 | 990 | 105 | 0 | 550 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 380 | 220 | 58\% | 15 | 55 | 15 | 20 | 115 | 40 | 90 | 10 | 0 | 10 |
| Outaouais | 1,635 | 945 | 58\% | 180 | 290 | 50 | 135 | 290 | 95 | 535 | 50 | 0 | 15 |
| Laurentides | 775 | 525 | 68\% | 150 | 195 | 10 | 50 | 120 | 45 | 170 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| Estrie | 465 | 275 | 59\% | 20 | 135 | 0 | 40 | 80 | 15 | 110 | 10 | 20 | 30 |
| Lanaudière | 290 | 160 | 55\% | 0 | 95 | 20 | 25 | 20 | 10 | 80 | 0 | 10 | 30 |
| Eastern ERs | 255 | 185 | 73\% | 10 | 75 | 10 | 10 | 80 | 0 | 55 | 10 | 0 | 10 |
| Northern ERs | 250 | 140 | 56\% | 30 | 30 | 0 | 20 | 60 | 10 | 85 | 0 | 10 | 10 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 72,350 | 42,620 | 59\% | 5,165 | 14,525 | 2,380 | 9,000 | 11,550 | 2,510 | 17,010 | 1,960 | 600 | 7,645 |
| Montréal | 40,770 | 23,230 | 57\% | 2,770 | 7,570 | 1,190 | 4,955 | 6,745 | 1,480 | 9,570 | 1,170 | 55 | 5,270 |
| Montérégie | 10,140 | 6,340 | 63\% | 750 | 2,445 | 405 | 1,300 | 1,440 | 330 | 2,335 | 245 | 170 | 720 |
| Laval | 7,560 | 4,620 | 61\% | 500 | 1,525 | 215 | 1,370 | 1,010 | 145 | 1,820 | 155 | 30 | 800 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 3,345 | 2,015 | 60\% | 330 | 750 | 175 | 305 | 455 | 165 | 890 | 90 | 10 | 180 |
| Outaouais | 2,365 | 1,540 | 65\% | 125 | 540 | 75 | 195 | 605 | 170 | 580 | 50 | 15 | 10 |
| Laurentides | 2,485 | 1,530 | 62\% | 315 | 525 | 130 | 195 | 365 | 50 | 630 | 60 | 70 | 160 |
| Estrie | 1,285 | 695 | 54\% | 100 | 210 | 50 | 170 | 165 | 65 | 265 | 35 | 50 | 175 |
| Lanaudière | 2,020 | 1,330 | 66\% | 145 | 480 | 60 | 295 | 350 | 45 | 395 | 65 | 20 | 165 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,405 | 735 | 52\% | 80 | 280 | 60 | 120 | 195 | 20 | 325 | 55 | 145 | 135 |
| Northern ERs | 975 | 615 | 63\% | 60 | 215 | 20 | 100 | 220 | 45 | 205 | 35 | 35 | 40 |


|  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Total - } \end{array} \begin{array}{r} \text { Professional } \\ \text { Occupatio }{ }^{*} \\ (A+B+C+D+E) \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  |  | $A^{*}$ | B | C* | D* | $\mathrm{E}^{*}$ | F* | G | $\mathrm{H}^{*}$ | [* | J* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | Nat. App. Sci. | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, Culture, Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, Trans., Equip. oper. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 24,170 | 14,575 | 60\% | 2,030 | 6,390 | 1,460 | 2,095 | 2,600 | 680 | 6,125 | 645 | 105 | 2,035 |
| Montréal | 16,185 | 9,680 | 60\% | 1,310 | 4,160 | 995 | 1,470 | 1,745 | 495 | 3,910 | 445 | 30 | 1,625 |
| Montérégie | 2,910 | 1,880 | 65\% | 330 | 825 | 245 | 235 | 245 | 75 | 725 | 60 | 55 | 110 |
| Laval | 3,295 | 1,890 | 57\% | 225 | 930 | 135 | 255 | 345 | 70 | 960 | 125 | 10 | 245 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 355 | 205 | 58\% | 30 | 70 | 20 | 25 | 60 | 15 | 120 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Outaouais | 705 | 440 | 62\% | 45 | 220 | 25 | 35 | 115 | 20 | 230 | 10 | 0 | 15 |
| Laurentides | 205 | 140 | 68\% | 25 | 70 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 0 | 55 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Estrie | 190 | 135 | 71\% | 35 | 55 | 0 | 10 | 35 | 0 | 35 | 0 | 10 | 20 |
| Lanaudière | 145 | 95 | 66\% | 20 | 30 | 0 | 30 | 15 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Eastern ERs | 105 | 60 | 57\% | 0 | 20 | 10 | 15 | 15 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 15 | 0 |
| Northern ERs | 75 | 55 | 73\% | 10 | 10 | 15 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 62,140 | 35,748 | 58\% | 5,125 | 15,200 | 2,610 | 5,818 | 6,995 | 2,160 | 15,848 | 1,513 | 218 | 6,653 |
| Montréal | 44,268 | 25,050 | 57\% | 3,455 | 10,510 | 1,903 | 4,275 | 4,908 | 1,623 | 11,105 | 1,053 | 60 | 5,378 |
| Montérégie | 7,640 | 4,770 | 62\% | 710 | 2,083 | 408 | 833 | 738 | 233 | 1,878 | 200 | 108 | 450 |
| Laval | 5,288 | 2,900 | 55\% | 463 | 1,485 | 153 | 348 | 453 | 70 | 1,470 | 168 | 5 | 673 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 558 | 323 | 58\% | 30 | 90 | 25 | 33 | 145 | 48 | 150 | 10 | 0 | 15 |
| Outaouais | 1,988 | 1,165 | 59\% | 203 | 400 | 63 | 153 | 348 | 105 | 650 | 55 | 0 | 23 |
| Laurentides | 878 | 595 | 68\% | 163 | 230 | 18 | 58 | 128 | 45 | 198 | 5 | 0 | 35 |
| Estrie | 560 | 343 | 61\% | 38 | 163 | 0 | 45 | 98 | 15 | 128 | 10 | 25 | 40 |
| Lanaudière | 363 | 208 | 57\% | 10 | 110 | 20 | 40 | 28 | 10 | 95 | 0 | 10 | 38 |
| Eastern ERs | 308 | 215 | 70\% | 10 | 85 | 15 | 18 | 88 | 0 | 75 | 10 | 8 | 10 |
| Northern ERS | 288 | 168 | 58\% | 35 | 35 | 8 | 25 | 65 | 10 | 98 | 0 | 10 | 10 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 84,435 | 49,908 | 59\% | 6,180 | 17,720 | 3,110 | 10,048 | 12,850 | 2,850 | 20,073 | 2,283 | 653 | 8,663 |
| Montréal | 48,863 | 28,070 | 57\% | 3,425 | 9,650 | 1,688 | 5,690 | 7,618 | 1,728 | 11,525 | 1,393 | 70 | 6,083 |
| Montérégie | 11,595 | 7,280 | 63\% | 915 | 2,858 | 528 | 1,418 | 1,563 | 368 | 2,698 | 275 | 198 | 775 |
| Laval | 9,208 | 5,565 | 60\% | 613 | 1,990 | 283 | 1,498 | 1,183 | 180 | 2,300 | 218 | 35 | 923 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 3,523 | 2,118 | 60\% | 345 | 785 | 185 | 318 | 485 | 173 | 950 | 90 | 10 | 185 |
| Outaouais | 2,718 | 1,760 | 65\% | 148 | 650 | 88 | 213 | 663 | 180 | 695 | 55 | 15 | 18 |
| Laurentides | 2,588 | 1,600 | 62\% | 328 | 560 | 138 | 203 | 373 | 50 | 658 | 65 | 70 | 160 |
| Estrie | 1,380 | 763 | 55\% | 118 | 238 | 50 | 175 | 183 | 65 | 283 | 35 | 55 | 185 |
| Lanaudière | 2,093 | 1,378 | 66\% | 155 | 495 | 60 | 310 | 358 | 45 | 410 | 65 | 20 | 173 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,458 | 765 | 52\% | 80 | 290 | 65 | 128 | 203 | 20 | 345 | 55 | 153 | 135 |
| Northern ERs | 1,013 | 643 | 63\% | 65 | 220 | 28 | 105 | 225 | 45 | 218 | 35 | 35 | 40 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 35: Immigrants (arrived before 1991)-35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing occupational categories (NOCS 2006) for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  |  |  |  | $A^{*}$ | B | C* | D* | E* | $F^{*}$ | G | $\mathbf{H}^{*}$ | $\mathrm{I}^{*}$ | $\mathrm{J}^{*}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Occupation | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Profess } \\ & (\mathrm{A}+\mathrm{B}+\mathrm{C}+ \end{aligned}$ |  | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Nat. App. } \\ \text { Sci. } \end{array}$ | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, <br> Culture, Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, <br> Trans., Equip. o per. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 110,270 | 49,210 | 45\% | 17,655 | 10,120 | 11,020 | 3,505 | 6,910 | 2,890 | 23,760 | 22,535 | 1,855 | 10,025 |
| Montréal | 64,535 | 28,665 | 44\% | 10,165 | 6,215 | 6,305 | 2,225 | 3,755 | 1,935 | 14,430 | 12,630 | 690 | 6,170 |
| Montérégie | 15,910 | 7,640 | 48\% | 2,755 | 1,425 | 1,965 | 530 | 965 | 280 | 3,210 | 3,025 | 490 | 1,265 |
| Laval | 13,540 | 5,240 | 39\% | 2,255 | 1,190 | 1,085 | 285 | 425 | 200 | 3,050 | 3,510 | 105 | 1,435 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,810 | 1,585 | 56\% | 500 | 215 | 415 | 55 | 400 | 100 | 610 | 345 | 75 | 105 |
| Outaouais | 3,285 | 1,640 | 50\% | 525 | 290 | 400 | 85 | 340 | 110 | 645 | 760 | 10 | 110 |
| Laurentides | 3,600 | 1,700 | 47\% | 660 | 295 | 400 | 105 | 240 | 105 | 685 | 740 | 80 | 280 |
| Estrie | 1,525 | 625 | 41\% | 130 | 120 | 100 | 40 | 235 | 35 | 245 | 305 | 130 | 180 |
| Lanaudière | 2,370 | 960 | 41\% | 320 | 210 | 150 | 65 | 215 | 55 | 445 | 650 | 20 | 245 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,550 | 640 | 41\% | 210 | 95 | 100 | 70 | 165 | 55 | 260 | 305 | 175 | 115 |
| Northern ERS | 1,145 | 510 | 45\% | 140 | 60 | 90 | 45 | 175 | 15 | 185 | 250 | 70 | 110 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 39,025 | 19,285 | 49\% | 7,335 | 4,225 | 4,090 | 1,155 | 2,480 | 1,075 | 7,800 | 7,170 | 390 | 3,305 |
| Montréal | 26,390 | 13,305 | 50\% | 4,850 | 2,870 | 2,885 | 860 | 1,840 | 795 | 5,245 | 4,540 | 230 | 2,270 |
| Montérégie | 5,365 | 2,785 | 52\% | 1,100 | 610 | 605 | 175 | 295 | 100 | 1,040 | 905 | 65 | 475 |
| Laval | 3,935 | 1,495 | 38\% | 755 | 385 | 230 | 85 | 40 | 75 | 890 | 1,050 | 30 | 400 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 235 | 145 | 62\% | 25 | 30 | 25 | 0 | 65 | 25 | 50 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Outaouais | 1,325 | 650 | 49\% | 220 | 145 | 195 | 20 | 70 | 45 | 295 | 285 | 0 | 45 |
| Laurentides | 880 | 495 | 56\% | 230 | 95 | 90 | 10 | 70 | 30 | 130 | 190 | 10 | 25 |
| Estrie | 310 | 140 | 45\% | 40 | 60 | 20 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 35 | 80 | 15 | 30 |
| Lanaudière | 265 | 140 | 53\% | 55 | 25 | 15 | 10 | 35 | 0 | 45 | 65 | 10 | 15 |
| Eastern ERs | 175 | 65 | 37\% | 30 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 35 | 35 | 10 | 30 |
| Northern ERs | 140 | 70 | 50\% | 25 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 20 | 10 | 20 | 20 | 10 | 10 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 50,440 | 21,720 | 43\% | 7,295 | 4,235 | 4,670 | 1,780 | 3,740 | 1,435 | 10,620 | 10,745 | 1,160 | 4,765 |
| Montréal | 24,770 | 10,310 | 42\% | 3,495 | 2,265 | 2,045 | 965 | 1,540 | 845 | 5,575 | 5,155 | 270 | 2,605 |
| Montérégie | 8,080 | 3,665 | 45\% | 1,285 | 615 | 925 | 270 | 570 | 155 | 1,560 | 1,720 | 345 | 640 |
| Laval | 6,015 | 2,410 | 40\% | 875 | 500 | 560 | 150 | 325 | 100 | 1,260 | 1,515 | 70 | 665 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,390 | 1,295 | 54\% | 450 | 175 | 350 | 45 | 275 | 55 | 545 | 325 | 65 | 100 |
| Outaouais | 1,515 | 815 | 54\% | 240 | 125 | 150 | 60 | 240 | 65 | 280 | 315 | 0 | 40 |
| Laurentides | 2,455 | 1,095 | 45\% | 365 | 185 | 280 | 100 | 165 | 80 | 490 | 500 | 65 | 220 |
| Estrie | 1,115 | 435 | 39\% | 85 | 60 | 65 | 35 | 190 | 30 | 195 | 200 | 115 | 135 |
| Lanaudière | 1,880 | 740 | 39\% | 220 | 170 | 130 | 55 | 165 | 50 | 375 | 540 | 15 | 160 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,295 | 525 | 41\% | 160 | 95 | 80 | 50 | 140 | 50 | 215 | 265 | 160 | 85 |
| Northern ERs | 915 | 415 | 45\% | 115 | 55 | 80 | 40 | 125 | 10 | 130 | 200 | 60 | 105 |


|  | Total -Occupation | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Professional } \\ & (A+B+C+D+E) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | A* | B | C* | D* | $\mathrm{E}^{*}$ | F* | G | $H^{*}$ | I* $^{\text {/ }}$ | J* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | Nat. App. Sci. | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, Culture, Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, Trans., Equip. oper. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 19,585 | 8,120 | 41\% | 2,990 | 1,635 | 2,260 | 550 | 685 | 370 | 4,805 | 4,290 | 275 | 1,730 |
| Montréal | 12,445 | 4,985 | 40\% | 1,800 | 1,065 | 1,365 | 390 | 365 | 295 | 3,200 | 2,690 | 165 | 1,120 |
| Montérégie | 2,345 | 1,165 | 50\% | 355 | 195 | 435 | 80 | 100 | 25 | 560 | 390 | 75 | 140 |
| Laval | 3,445 | 1,340 | 39\% | 625 | 310 | 295 | 50 | 60 | 25 | 845 | 885 | 10 | 340 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 190 | 130 | 68\% | 25 | 0 | 45 | 0 | 60 | 15 | 15 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| Outaouais | 430 | 185 | 43\% | 65 | 20 | 60 | 10 | 30 | 0 | 70 | 145 | 0 | 25 |
| Laurentides | 245 | 115 | 47\% | 60 | 15 | 30 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 50 | 60 | 0 | 20 |
| Estrie | 100 | 35 | 35\% | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 15 | 20 | 0 | 10 |
| Lanaudière | 220 | 90 | 41\% | 45 | 20 | 10 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 25 | 45 | 0 | 65 |
| Eastern ERs | 70 | 40 | 57\% | 15 | 0 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 10 |
| Northern ERs | 90 | 25 | 28\% | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 30 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 48,818 | 23,345 | 48\% | 8,830 | 5,043 | 5,220 | 1,430 | 2,823 | 1,260 | 10,203 | 9,315 | 528 | 4,170 |
| Montréal | 32,613 | 15,798 | 48\% | 5,750 | 3,403 | 3,568 | 1,055 | 2,023 | 943 | 6,845 | 5,885 | 313 | 2,830 |
| Montérégie | 6,538 | 3,368 | 52\% | 1,278 | 708 | 823 | 215 | 345 | 113 | 1,320 | 1,100 | 103 | 545 |
| Laval | 5,658 | 2,165 | 38\% | 1,068 | 540 | 378 | 110 | 70 | 88 | 1,313 | 1,493 | 35 | 570 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 330 | 210 | 64\% | 38 | 30 | 48 | 0 | 95 | 33 | 58 | 15 | 5 | 5 |
| Outaouais | 1,540 | 743 | 48\% | 253 | 155 | 225 | 25 | 85 | 45 | 330 | 358 | 0 | 58 |
| Laurentides | 1,003 | 553 | 55\% | 260 | 103 | 105 | 10 | 75 | 30 | 155 | 220 | 10 | 35 |
| Estrie | 360 | 158 | 44\% | 40 | 60 | 28 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 43 | 90 | 15 | 35 |
| Lanaudière | 375 | 185 | 49\% | 78 | 35 | 20 | 10 | 43 | 0 | 58 | 88 | 10 | 48 |
| Eastern ERs | 210 | 85 | 40\% | 38 | 0 | 15 | 8 | 25 | 0 | 35 | 40 | 10 | 35 |
| Northern ERs | 185 | 83 | 45\% | 25 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 33 | 10 | 35 | 35 | 10 | 10 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 60,233 | 25,780 | 43\% | 8,790 | 5,053 | 5,800 | 2,055 | 4,083 | 1,620 | 13,023 | 12,890 | 1,298 | 5,630 |
| Montréal | 30,993 | 12,803 | 41\% | 4,395 | 2,798 | 2,728 | 1,160 | 1,723 | 993 | 7,175 | 6,500 | 353 | 3,165 |
| Montérégie | 9,253 | 4,248 | 46\% | 1,463 | 713 | 1,143 | 310 | 620 | 168 | 1,840 | 1,915 | 383 | 710 |
| Laval | 7,738 | 3,080 | 40\% | 1,188 | 655 | 708 | 175 | 355 | 113 | 1,683 | 1,958 | 75 | 835 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 2,485 | 1,360 | 55\% | 463 | 175 | 373 | 45 | 305 | 63 | 553 | 330 | 70 | 105 |
| Outaouais | 1,730 | 908 | 52\% | 273 | 135 | 180 | 65 | 255 | 65 | 315 | 388 | 0 | 53 |
| Laurentides | 2,578 | 1,153 | 45\% | 395 | 193 | 295 | 100 | 170 | 80 | 515 | 530 | 65 | 230 |
| Estrie | 1,165 | 453 | 39\% | 85 | 60 | 73 | 35 | 200 | 30 | 203 | 210 | 115 | 140 |
| Lanaudière | 1,990 | 785 | 39\% | 243 | 180 | 135 | 55 | 173 | 50 | 388 | 563 | 15 | 193 |
| Eastern ERs | 1,330 | 545 | 41\% | 168 | 95 | 85 | 58 | 140 | 50 | 215 | 270 | 160 | 90 |
| Northern ERs | 960 | 428 | 45\% | 115 | 55 | 80 | 40 | 138 | 10 | 145 | 215 | 60 | 105 |

[^35]Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 36: Immigrants (immigrated between 1991-2000)-35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing occupational categories (NOCS 2006) for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  |  |  |  | $A^{*}$ | B | C* | D* | E* | $\mathrm{F}^{*}$ | G | $\mathrm{H}^{*}$ | [* | $\mathrm{J}^{*}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Occupation* | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Professi } \\ & (A+B+C+1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ional } \\ & +D+E) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | Nat. App. Sci. | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, <br> Culture, <br> Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, Trans., Equip. oper. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 48,515 | 22,295 | 46\% | 6,010 | 4,405 | 7,535 | 1,255 | 3,090 | 1,330 | 9,995 | 8,845 | 535 | 5,520 |
| Montréal | 31,745 | 13,960 | 44\% | 3,765 | 2,930 | 4,610 | 885 | 1,770 | 1,000 | 6,810 | 5,645 | 245 | 4,090 |
| Montérégie | 5,630 | 2,960 | 53\% | 810 | 535 | 1,085 | 135 | 395 | 75 | 1,165 | 830 | 70 | 525 |
| Laval | 4,540 | 1,935 | 43\% | 575 | 410 | 725 | 35 | 190 | 55 | 800 | 1,220 | 15 | 515 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,680 | 985 | 59\% | 270 | 95 | 325 | 50 | 245 | 55 | 405 | 140 | 45 | 60 |
| Outaouais | 1,740 | 925 | 53\% | 150 | 225 | 315 | 45 | 190 | 70 | 285 | 390 | 20 | 45 |
| Laurentides | 1,015 | 575 | 57\% | 205 | 85 | 220 | 15 | 50 | 15 | 165 | 175 | 20 | 65 |
| Estrie | 595 | 260 | 44\% | 60 | 35 | 45 | 35 | 85 | 30 | 115 | 80 | 25 | 90 |
| Lanaudière | 620 | 225 | 36\% | 55 | 60 | 60 | 20 | 30 | 10 | 115 | 200 | 15 | 65 |
| Eastern ERs | 600 | 270 | 45\% | 80 | 25 | 70 | 15 | 80 | 15 | 80 | 110 | 65 | 50 |
| Northern ERs | 350 | 220 | 63\% | 40 | 20 | 80 | 20 | 60 | 0 | 45 | 50 | 20 | 15 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 14,080 | 6,065 | 43\% | 1,940 | 1,160 | 1,915 | 275 | 775 | 340 | 2,945 | 2,700 | 70 | 1,950 |
| Montréal | 10,930 | 4,555 | 42\% | 1,375 | 920 | 1,440 | 230 | 590 | 285 | 2,355 | 2,015 | 35 | 1,680 |
| Montérégie | 1,570 | 835 | 53\% | 340 | 165 | 200 | 15 | 115 | 15 | 310 | 235 | 0 | 170 |
| Laval | 765 | 250 | 33\% | 100 | 25 | 95 | 10 | 20 | 10 | 170 | 255 | 10 | 80 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 45 | 25 | 56\% | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Outaouais | 440 | 185 | 42\% | 45 | 25 | 95 | 10 | 10 | 15 | 70 | 145 | 0 | 15 |
| Laurentides | 170 | 105 | 62\% | 30 | 15 | 35 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 15 | 45 | 0 | 0 |
| Estrie | 45 | 20 | 44\% | 0 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Lanaudière | 15 | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Eastern ERs | 45 | 20 | 44\% | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Northern ERs | 60 | 40 | 67\% | 25 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 23,450 | 11,060 | 47\% | 2,795 | 2,285 | 3,435 | 685 | 1,860 | 735 | 4,775 | 4,020 | 375 | 2,485 |
| Montréal | 13,550 | 6,090 | 45\% | 1,565 | 1,395 | 1,755 | 445 | 930 | 540 | 2,885 | 2,245 | 155 | 1,630 |
| Montérégie | 2,730 | 1,390 | 51\% | 330 | 220 | 570 | 60 | 210 | 40 | 580 | 440 | 55 | 225 |
| Laval | 2,455 | 1,100 | 45\% | 290 | 275 | 380 | 25 | 130 | 20 | 395 | 620 | 0 | 305 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,415 | 805 | 57\% | 225 | 80 | 250 | 50 | 200 | 55 | 345 | 120 | 35 | 60 |
| Outaouais | 815 | 535 | 66\% | 60 | 145 | 155 | 25 | 150 | 25 | 125 | 115 | 0 | 20 |
| Laurentides | 750 | 400 | 53\% | 145 | 55 | 150 | 10 | 40 | 20 | 135 | 125 | 20 | 50 |
| Estrie | 465 | 185 | 40\% | 50 | 10 | 30 | 30 | 65 | 15 | 100 | 75 | 20 | 80 |
| Lanaudière | 530 | 200 | 38\% | 55 | 60 | 50 | 10 | 25 | 10 | 105 | 150 | 10 | 60 |
| Eastern ERs | 465 | 205 | 44\% | 55 | 25 | 35 | 15 | 75 | 10 | 60 | 80 | 55 | 45 |
| Northern ERs | 270 | 140 | 52\% | 15 | 10 | 60 | 15 | 40 | 0 | 45 | 45 | 20 | 15 |


|  | Total Occupation* | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Professional } \\ & (A+B+C+D+E) \end{aligned}$ |  | A* | B | C* | D* | $\mathrm{E}^{*}$ | F* | G | $\mathrm{H}^{*}$ | I* $^{\text {/ }}$ | J* |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | Nat. App. Sci. | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, Culture, Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, Trans., Equip. oper. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 9,970 | 5,025 | 50\% | 1,205 | 915 | 2,165 | 295 | 445 | 235 | 1,790 | 1,980 | 75 | 860 |
| Montréal | 6,475 | 3,195 | 49\% | 780 | 570 | 1,400 | 200 | 245 | 155 | 1,180 | 1,300 | 40 | 600 |
| Montérégie | 1,205 | 695 | 58\% | 120 | 140 | 310 | 60 | 65 | 15 | 225 | 140 | 15 | 105 |
| Laval | 1,270 | 585 | 46\% | 180 | 110 | 260 | 0 | 35 | 20 | 220 | 325 | 0 | 110 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 200 | 135 | 68\% | 35 | 10 | 60 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 35 | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| Outaouais | 460 | 195 | 42\% | 50 | 50 | 65 | 0 | 30 | 30 | 90 | 115 | 10 | 15 |
| Laurentides | 100 | 50 | 50\% | 20 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Estrie | 80 | 45 | 56\% | 0 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Lanaudière | 70 | 35 | 50\% | 0 | 10 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| Eastern ERs | 90 | 40 | 44\% | 15 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern ERs | 20 |  | 125\% | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 19,065 | 8,578 | 45\% | 2,543 | 1,618 | 2,998 | 423 | 998 | 458 | 3,840 | 3,690 | 108 | 2,380 |
| Montréal | 14,168 | 6,153 | 43\% | 1,765 | 1,205 | 2,140 | 330 | 713 | 363 | 2,945 | 2,665 | 55 | 1,980 |
| Montérégie | 2,173 | 1,183 | 54\% | 400 | 235 | 355 | 45 | 148 | 23 | 423 | 305 | 8 | 223 |
| Laval | 1,400 | 543 | 39\% | 190 | 80 | 225 | 10 | 38 | 20 | 280 | 418 | 10 | 135 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 145 | 93 | 64\% | 18 | 5 | 40 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 33 | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| Outaouais | 670 | 283 | 42\% | 70 | 50 | 128 | 10 | 25 | 30 | 115 | 203 | 5 | 23 |
| Laurentides | 220 | 130 | 59\% | 40 | 15 | 50 | 10 | 15 | 0 | 23 | 45 | 0 | 5 |
| Estrie | 85 | 43 | 50\% | 0 | 13 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 10 | 5 |
| Lanaudière | 50 | 18 | 35\% | 0 | 5 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 10 |
| Eastern ERs | 90 | 40 | 44\% | 8 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 8 | 15 | 10 | 0 |
| Northern ERs | 70 | 53 | 75\% | 25 | 0 | 15 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 28,435 | 13,573 | 48\% | 3,398 | 2,743 | 4,518 | 833 | 2,083 | 853 | 5,670 | 5,010 | 413 | 2,915 |
| Montréal | 16,788 | 7,688 | 46\% | 1,955 | 1,680 | 2,455 | 545 | 1,053 | 618 | 3,475 | 2,895 | 175 | 1,930 |
| Montérégie | 3,333 | 1,738 | 52\% | 390 | 290 | 725 | 90 | 243 | 48 | 693 | 510 | 63 | 278 |
| Laval | 3,090 | 1,393 | 45\% | 380 | 330 | 510 | 25 | 148 | 30 | 505 | 783 | 0 | 360 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 1,515 | 873 | 58\% | 243 | 85 | 280 | 50 | 215 | 55 | 363 | 125 | 40 | 60 |
| Outaouais | 1,045 | 633 | 61\% | 85 | 170 | 188 | 25 | 165 | 40 | 170 | 173 | 5 | 28 |
| Laurentides | 800 | 425 | 53\% | 155 | 55 | 165 | 10 | 40 | 20 | 143 | 125 | 20 | 55 |
| Estrie | 505 | 208 | 41\% | 50 | 23 | 30 | 30 | 75 | 20 | 105 | 75 | 20 | 85 |
| Lanaudière | 565 | 218 | 38\% | 55 | 65 | 55 | 18 | 25 | 10 | 105 | 170 | 10 | 60 |
| Eastern ERs | 510 | 225 | 44\% | 63 | 25 | 48 | 15 | 75 | 10 | 68 | 95 | 55 | 45 |
| Northern ERs | 280 | 153 | 54\% | 15 | 10 | 60 | 20 | 48 | 0 | 45 | 45 | 20 | 15 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 37: Immigrants (immigrated between 2001-2006)-35 to 64 years of age by FOLS categories showing occupational categories (NOCS 2006) for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

|  |  |  |  | $A^{*}$ | B | C* | D* | $\mathrm{E}^{*}$ | $F^{*}$ | G | $\mathbf{H}^{*}$ | I* | $\mathrm{J}^{*}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Occupation* | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Professi } \\ & (\mathrm{A}+\mathrm{B}+\mathrm{C}+ \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ional } \\ & +\mathrm{D}+\mathrm{E}) \end{aligned}$ | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ Admin | Nat. App. Sci. | Health | Social Sci., Edu., Gov't serv., Rel. | Art, <br> Culture, Rec., Sport | Sales, Service | Trade, Trans., Equip. oper. | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | Total Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 27,940 | 13,605 | 49\% | 2,750 | 3,135 | 4,600 | 985 | 2,135 | 655 | 5,850 | 4,160 | 485 | 3,190 |
| Montréal | 19,840 | 9,695 | 49\% | 1,815 | 2,330 | 3,335 | 680 | 1,535 | 510 | 4,315 | 2,800 | 250 | 2,260 |
| Montérégie | 3,095 | 1,550 | 50\% | 410 | 345 | 500 | 110 | 185 | 55 | 550 | 480 | 75 | 390 |
| Laval | 1,330 | 580 | 44\% | 130 | 125 | 215 | 50 | 60 | 15 | 215 | 310 | 15 | 190 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 945 | 525 | 56\% | 90 | 105 | 180 | 55 | 95 | 10 | 220 | 90 | 45 | 50 |
| Outaouais | 705 | 380 | 54\% | 50 | 80 | 120 | 30 | 100 | 15 | 225 | 85 | 0 | 0 |
| Laurentides | 450 | 200 | 44\% | 75 | 55 | 60 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 70 | 105 | 10 | 70 |
| Estrie | 535 | 275 | 51\% | 45 | 50 | 75 | 30 | 75 | 15 | 70 | 65 | 10 | 105 |
| Lanaudière | 270 | 115 | 43\% | 30 | 15 | 40 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 25 | 95 | 10 | 35 |
| Eastern ERs | 440 | 140 | 32\% | 60 | 20 | 50 | 0 | 10 | 30 | 60 | 85 | 50 | 70 |
| Northern ERS | 330 | 165 | 50\% | 50 | 10 | 40 | 20 | 45 | 0 | 90 | 40 | 10 | 20 |
| English FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 7,040 | 3,420 | 49\% | 790 | 730 | 1,265 | 115 | 520 | 170 | 1,465 | 1,005 | 75 | 905 |
| Montréal | 5,815 | 2,750 | 47\% | 600 | 595 | 1,000 | 90 | 465 | 160 | 1,265 | 785 | 60 | 790 |
| Montérégie | 550 | 335 | 61\% | 90 | 65 | 140 | 20 | 20 | 0 | 60 | 85 | 10 | 50 |
| Laval | 265 | 130 | 49\% | 45 | 25 | 50 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 50 | 0 | 55 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 45 | 30 | 67\% | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Outaouais | 225 | 95 | 42\% | 20 | 15 | 40 | 0 | 20 | 10 | 90 | 45 | 0 | 0 |
| Laurentides | 55 | 40 | 73\% | 10 | 20 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| Estrie | 25 |  | 120\% | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Lanaudière | 15 | 20 | 133\% | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eastern ERs | 25 | 10 | 40\% | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern ERs | 10 |  | 100\% | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 14,275 | 6,605 | 46\% | 1,275 | 1,550 | 1,995 | 610 | 1,175 | 380 | 3,180 | 2,215 | 290 | 1,625 |
| Montréal | 9,265 | 4,320 | 47\% | 680 | 1,120 | 1,375 | 395 | 750 | 260 | 2,125 | 1,420 | 120 | 1,010 |
| Montérégie | 1,760 | 785 | 45\% | 220 | 145 | 195 | 85 | 140 | 40 | 380 | 270 | 40 | 245 |
| Laval | 665 | 270 | 41\% | 50 | 65 | 80 | 35 | 40 | 15 | 150 | 135 | 0 | 85 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 705 | 380 | 54\% | 90 | 70 | 140 | 25 | 55 | 10 | 160 | 75 | 50 | 35 |
| Outaouais | 305 | 180 | 59\% | 30 | 40 | 35 | 15 | 60 | 0 | 95 | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| Laurentides | 335 | 140 | 42\% | 55 | 40 | 35 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 65 | 65 | 10 | 60 |
| Estrie | 395 | 215 | 54\% | 40 | 35 | 60 | 20 | 60 | 15 | 60 | 50 | 0 | 65 |
| Lanaudière | 240 | 100 | 42\% | 25 | 10 | 30 | 10 | 25 | 0 | 10 | 95 | 0 | 35 |
| Eastern ERs | 340 | 90 | 26\% | 45 | 15 | 20 | 0 | 10 | 30 | 55 | 50 | 40 | 65 |
| Northern ERs | 270 | 125 | 46\% | 40 | 10 | 30 | 15 | 30 | 0 | 85 | 35 | 10 | 20 |


|  | Total Occupation* | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Professional } \\ & (A+B+C+D+E) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | $A^{*}$ | B | C* | D* | E* | $F^{*}$ | G | $H^{*}$ | I* | $\mathrm{J}^{*}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | M gmnt | Bus./Fin/ <br> Admin | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Nat. App. } \\ \text { Sci. } \end{array}$ | Health | Social Sci., <br> Edu., Gov't <br> serv., Rel. | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Art, } \\ \text { Culture, } \\ \text { Rec., Sport } \end{array}$ | Sales, Service | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Trade, } \\ \text { Trans., } \\ \text { Equip. oper. } \end{array}$ | Unique to prim., ind. | Unique to proc., manuf., util. |
|  | English-French FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 5,880 | 3,390 | 58\% | 600 | 810 | 1,315 | 240 | 425 | 105 | 960 | 840 | 65 | 525 |
| Montréal | 4,225 | 2,480 | 59\% | 475 | 580 | 940 | 185 | 300 | 85 | 735 | 530 | 30 | 365 |
| Montérégie | 705 | 410 | 58\% | 85 | 125 | 160 | 10 | 30 | 10 | 90 | 105 | 20 | 80 |
| Laval | 350 | 155 | 44\% | 25 | 30 | 80 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 35 | 120 | 0 | 35 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 170 | 100 | 59\% | 0 | 40 | 15 | 15 | 30 | 0 | 45 | 15 | 0 | 15 |
| Outaouais | 170 | 115 | 68\% | 0 | 25 | 50 | 20 | 20 | 10 | 40 | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Laurentides | 55 | 15 | 27\% | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 10 | 10 |
| Estrie | 100 | 50 | 50\% | 10 | 15 | 10 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 15 | 10 | 10 | 25 |
| Lanaudière | 20 | 0 | 0\% | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Eastern ERs | 55 | 30 | 55\% | 0 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern ERS | 35 | 20 | 57\% | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Anglophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 9,980 | 5,115 | 51\% | 1,090 | 1,135 | 1,923 | 235 | 733 | 223 | 1,945 | 1,425 | 108 | 1,168 |
| Montréal | 7,928 | 3,990 | 50\% | 838 | 885 | 1,470 | 183 | 615 | 203 | 1,633 | 1,050 | 75 | 973 |
| Montérégie | 903 | 540 | 60\% | 133 | 128 | 220 | 25 | 35 | 5 | 105 | 138 | 20 | 90 |
| Laval | 440 | 208 | 47\% | 58 | 40 | 90 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 33 | 110 | 0 | 73 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 130 | 80 | 62\% | 0 | 20 | 28 | 8 | 25 | 0 | 33 | 8 | 0 | 8 |
| Outaouais | 310 | 153 | 49\% | 20 | 28 | 65 | 10 | 30 | 15 | 110 | 53 | 0 | 0 |
| Laurentides | 83 | 48 | 58\% | 10 | 20 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 33 | 5 | 5 |
| Estrie | 75 | 55 | 73\% | 15 | 18 | 5 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 8 | 15 | 5 | 13 |
| Lanaudière | 25 | 20 | 80\% | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Eastern ERs | 53 | 25 | 48\% | 10 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Northern ERs | 28 | 20 | 73\% | 10 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Francophone FOLS Immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quebec total | 17,215 | 8,300 | 48\% | 1,575 | 1,955 | 2,653 | 730 | 1,388 | 433 | 3,660 | 2,635 | 323 | 1,888 |
| Montréal | 11,378 | 5,560 | 49\% | 918 | 1,410 | 1,845 | 488 | 900 | 303 | 2,493 | 1,685 | 135 | 1,193 |
| Montérégie | 2,113 | 990 | 47\% | 263 | 208 | 275 | 90 | 155 | 45 | 425 | 323 | 50 | 285 |
| Laval | 840 | 348 | 41\% | 63 | 80 | 120 | 35 | 50 | 15 | 168 | 195 | 0 | 103 |
| Capitale-Nationale | 790 | 430 | 54\% | 90 | 90 | 148 | 33 | 70 | 10 | 183 | 83 | 50 | 43 |
| Outaouais | 390 | 238 | 61\% | 30 | 53 | 60 | 25 | 70 | 5 | 115 | 33 | 0 | 0 |
| Laurentides | 363 | 148 | 41\% | 55 | 40 | 43 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 65 | 78 | 15 | 65 |
| Estrie | 445 | 240 | 54\% | 45 | 43 | 65 | 20 | 68 | 15 | 68 | 55 | 5 | 78 |
| Lanaudière | 250 | 100 | 40\% | 25 | 10 | 30 | 10 | 25 | 0 | 15 | 100 | 0 | 35 |
| Eastern ERs | 368 | 105 | 29\% | 45 | 15 | 35 | 0 | 10 | 30 | 55 | 60 | 40 | 65 |
| Northern ERs | 288 | 135 | 47\% | 40 | 10 | 35 | 15 | 35 | 0 | 85 | 40 | 10 | 20 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution
Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

Table 38: Median employment income in 2005 for immigrants between the ages of 3564 years by gender, showing recent immigrant status, for Quebec and Quebec economic regions, 2006 Census, 20\% sample

| Total | Total | English FOLS | French FOLS | EnglishFrench FOLS | Anglophone | Francophone |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Québec | \$25,188 | \$25,865 | \$25,607 | \$25,116 | \$25,710 | \$25,532 |
| Montréal | \$23,925 | \$25,018 | \$23,710 | \$24,231 | \$24,864 | \$23,801 |
| Montérégie | \$29,455 | \$30,029 | \$29,834 | \$29,424 | \$29,910 | \$29,779 |
| Laval | \$26,636 | \$28,251 | \$27,081 | \$25,826 | \$27,497 | \$26,841 |
| Capitale-Nationale | \$26,959 | \$34,591 | \$26,245 | \$32,408 | \$33,772 | \$26,579 |
| Outaouais | \$30,004 | \$28,597 | \$32,772 | \$26,043 | \$28,114 | \$31,800 |
| Laurentides | \$30,944 | \$30,021 | \$30,701 | \$36,994 | \$30,858 | \$30,989 |
| Estrie | \$22,914 | \$20,685 | \$23,444 | \$21,479 | \$20,844 | \$23,314 |
| Lanaudière | \$29,988 | \$29,299 | \$30,250 | \$27,543 | \$28,770 | \$30,119 |
| Eastern ERs | \$22,969 | \$20,147 | \$23,047 | \$25,190 | \$21,214 | \$23,137 |
| Northern ERs | \$24,985 | \$22,778 | \$24,550 | \$26,677 | \$23,511 | \$24,637 |
| Male immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Québec | \$29,515 | \$30,043 | \$29,955 | \$28,654 | \$29,733 | \$29,742 |
| Montréal | \$27,266 | \$28,199 | \$27,327 | \$26,966 | \$27,941 | \$27,258 |
| Montérégie | \$35,011 | \$36,518 | \$35,289 | \$33,897 | \$35,953 | \$35,093 |
| Laval | \$31,330 | \$33,944 | \$31,349 | \$29,972 | \$32,641 | \$31,060 |
| Capitale-Nationale | \$31,828 | \$53,336 | \$29,737 | \$39,026 | \$47,203 | \$30,264 |
| Outaouais | \$35,576 | \$33,872 | \$40,718 | \$26,963 | \$32,438 | \$38,448 |
| Laurentides | \$36,072 | \$35,061 | \$35,717 | \$43,619 | \$36,276 | \$36,130 |
| Estrie | \$26,482 | \$20,606 | \$27,846 | \$29,110 | \$22,568 | \$27,925 |
| Lanaudière | \$34,990 | \$39,988 | \$34,728 | \$33,655 | \$37,792 | \$34,670 |
| Eastern ERs | \$25,950 | \$25,930 | \$24,891 | \$32,534 | \$27,717 | \$25,250 |
| Northern ERs | \$34,082 | \$62,553 | \$30,864 | \$27,903 | \$54,372 | \$30,731 |
| Female immigrants |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Québec | \$20,819 | \$21,650 | \$20,954 | \$21,042 | \$21,534 | \$20,966 |
| Montréal | \$20,165 | \$21,517 | \$19,899 | \$20,895 | \$21,404 | \$20,058 |
| Montérégie | \$22,875 | \$22,510 | \$23,873 | \$23,321 | \$22,655 | \$23,804 |
| Laval | \$20,896 | \$20,775 | \$21,815 | \$20,493 | \$20,693 | \$21,587 |
| Capitale-Nationale | \$22,306 | \$25,371 | \$22,255 | \$21,009 | \$23,977 | \$22,192 |
| Outaouais | \$25,079 | \$24,964 | \$25,997 | \$25,507 | \$25,056 | \$25,936 |
| Laurentides | \$22,925 | \$21,512 | \$23,842 | \$23,996 | \$21,744 | \$23,848 |
| Estrie | \$20,084 | \$21,182 | \$21,205 | \$12,032 | \$19,557 | \$20,551 |
| Lanaudière | \$21,720 | \$23,982 | \$22,929 | \$17,178 | \$22,261 | \$22,692 |
| Eastern ERs | \$19,046 | \$17,137 | \$19,826 | \$15,911 | \$16,948 | \$19,688 |
| Northern ERs | \$17,551 | \$16,196 | \$17,577 | \$21,621 | \$16,971 | \$17,723 |
| Total Recent immigrants (2001-2006) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Québec | \$15,902 | \$16,173 | \$16,206 | \$16,950 | \$16,388 | \$16,323 |
| Montréal | \$15,382 | \$15,733 | \$15,636 | \$15,364 | \$15,639 | \$15,589 |
| Montérégie | \$20,467 | \$20,174 | \$20,477 | \$25,008 | \$21,859 | \$21,152 |
| Laval | \$20,405 | \$21,011 | \$18,743 | \$23,501 | \$22,064 | \$19,632 |
| Capitale-Nationale | \$15,433 | \$26,907 | \$16,055 | \$13,770 | \$19,337 | \$15,859 |
| Outaouais | \$13,971 | \$14,885 | \$11,641 | \$15,183 | \$14,951 | \$12,197 |
| Laurentides | \$18,477 | \$16,298 | \$16,485 | \$30,460 | \$19,984 | \$17,350 |
| Estrie | \$14,766 | \$15,944 | \$15,126 | \$15,760 | \$15,861 | \$15,188 |
| Lanaudière | \$19,332 | \$0 | \$19,712 | \$17,424 | \$10,454 | \$19,588 |
| Eastern ERs | \$14,967 | \$13,828 | \$15,395 | \$14,723 | \$14,126 | \$15,364 |
| Northern ERs | \$13,349 | \$45,435 | \$10,973 | \$21,508 | \$34,709 | \$11,523 |

Grey shading indicates when numbers are below 200 and should be considered unreliable and used with caution. For instance, in Lanaudière, low counts (less than 20) of recent immigrants have resulted in the median income being $\$ 0$. Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ Part VII Official Languages Act (2005).
    ${ }^{2}$ Johnson, Marc L. and Paule Doucet. A Sharper View: Evaluating the Vitality of Official Language Minority Communities (2006).
    ${ }^{3}$ The Roadmap for Canada's Linguistic Duality 2008-2013 can be found at: www.pch.gc.ca/pgm/slo-ols/strat-eng.cfm. ${ }^{4}$ Houle, Rene and Jean-Pierre Corbeil. (2010) Statistical Portrait of the French-speaking Immigrant Population Outside Quebec (1991 to 2006), Statistics Canada (Catalogue no. 89-641-X).
    ${ }^{5}$ Numbers presented in the paper are from the appended data tables. Due to privacy considerations, the figures provided by Statistics Canada sourced in this paper have been subjected to random rounding. Under this method, all figures in the table are randomly rounded either up or down to multiples of "5". As a result, components may not sum to total indicated.

[^1]:    ${ }^{6}$ Other census questions/variables could be used to define official-language communities. Home Language, OfficialLanguage Knowledge and Language Used at Work are all candidates. The FOLS variable uses the results of Mother Tongue, Home Language and Official-Language Knowledge to derive its results.
    ${ }^{7}$ An example of Statistics Canada using the Mother Tongue variable to define official-language communities is "The Daily," Tuesday December 4th, 2007. 2006 Census: Immigration, Citizenship, Language, Mobility and Migration. Jean-Pierre Corbeil and Christine Blaser (2007), 2006 Census: The Evolving Linguistic Portrait; 2006 Census: Findings (Catalogue \# 97-555-XWE2006001).
    ${ }^{8}$ For example, if 200 people reported "English and French," 100 would be assigned French or the Francophone category. One percent of the population of Quebec reported multiple mother tongues to the 2006 census Mother Tongue question.
    ${ }^{9}$ To see data table, please go to Appendix - Table 1

[^2]:    ${ }^{10}$ A more detailed data table on immigrants and Allophones in Quebec can be found in Appendix - Table 2.
    ${ }^{11}$ The majority of these Allophones are immigrants; however, some minority languages are being transmitted from first-generation Canadians to their children (second-generation Canadians). It should also be remembered that the Allophone definition includes people who report Aboriginal mother tongues. Of the non-immigrant Allophone population, $15 \%$ reported an Aboriginal mother tongue. We are not able to determine what percentage of Allophones are second- generation Canadians because generational information is only available for the population 15 years and older. However, $71 \%$ of the non-immigrant population 15 years and older are second-generation Canadians.
    ${ }^{12}$ Detailed data table on Anglophone, Francophone and Allophone population counts from 1991 to 2006 is available in Appendix - Table 3.
    ${ }^{13}$ The greatest decline occurred from 1991 to 1996. In fact, from 2001 to 2006, the Anglophone population increased from 591,380 to 607,165 . More discussion of this decline can be found in Jedwab (2004) Going Forvard: The

[^3]:    Evolution of Quebec's English-Speaking Community (Office of the Commissioner of Official Languages) and Statistics Canada (2002) Profile of Languages in Canada: English, French and Many Others, 2001Census, 96F0030XF2001005.
    ${ }^{14}$ Statistics Canada. (1989) Population Estimates by First Official Language Spoken: 1986 Census. Ref No. 47013.
    152006 Census Dictionary, Statistics Canada, Cat. \#92-566-X, pp. 78-79.
    ${ }^{16}$ Treasury Board regulated its Official Languages (Communications with and Services to the Public) Regulations, SOR/92-48 the methodology to be used to derive the First Official Language Spoken variable. Statistics Canada Methodology was established in Methods 1 of the 1989, Population Estimates by First Official Language Spoken, reference no. 47013, Housing, Family and Social Statistics Division and Language Studies.
    ${ }^{17}$ The numbers provided here are rounded to the nearest 100.

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[^5]:    ${ }^{18}$ The Home Language question was changed after the 1996 Census. Until that census, the question asked for the language spoken most often at home, and this remains, as part (a) in the
    2001 and 2006 censuses. Another part (part [b]) on languages spoken on a regular basis at home was added after 2001. This was done to reflect the complete linguistic situation of some
    Canadian households. (Source: 2006 Census Dictionary Catalogue no. 92-566-X).
    ${ }^{19}$ Data table is available in Appendix - Table 4.

[^6]:    ${ }^{20}$ Data tables for the FOLS categories 1991-2006 can be found in Appendix - Table 5.
    ${ }^{21}$ This category did see a numeric and percentage increase from 2001 to 2006 , from $11.6 \%$ to $11.9 \%$.

[^7]:    ${ }^{22}$ The rate of growth for each of these categories is as follows: English FOLS 16\%, French FOLS $65 \%$ and EnglishFrench FOLS 70\%.

[^8]:    ${ }^{23}$ Data available in Appendix - Table 5.

[^9]:    ${ }^{24}$ Data available in Appendix - Table 6.
    ${ }^{25}$ Houle and Corbeil (2010) also separated out the results for the English-French FOLS category. In their study, they drew the following conclusion about immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category: "Whatever the variants used in the different parts of this study, it is difficult not to conclude, following a comparative examination of the two subpopulations of immigrants, that those with French and English as their first official language spoken differ as much as their characteristics and behaviours from immigrants with French as their only first official language as from the rest of immigrants (i.e. non-Francophone immigrants). Indeed, French-English FOLS immigrants share many more behaviours and characteristics with non-Francophone immigrants than with French FOLS immigrants." (Houle and Corbeil, 2010, p. 101.) The composition of immigrants in the English-French FOLS category in Quebec may be different than that for immigrants outside Quebec.
    ${ }^{26} 1 \%$ of immigrants outside Quebec are in the English-French FOLS category.

[^10]:    ${ }^{27}$ A detailed data table with information at the ER level can be found in the Appendix - Table 7.

[^11]:    ${ }^{28}$ Numbers provided here can be referenced in Appendix - Table 7.
    ${ }^{29}$ In this paper, when numbers dip below 200 they are thought to be too low to report on and should be used with caution.

[^12]:    ${ }^{30}$ Reference data table can be found in Appendix - Table 8.

[^13]:    ${ }^{31}$ Please refer to Section 2.2 "Deriving the Number of Immigrants in FOLS Categories" to review the process for assigning immigrants into the different FOLS categories.
    ${ }^{32}$ For data tables referenced in this section, please refer to Appendix - Table 9.

[^14]:    ${ }^{33}$ For detailed data tables pertaining to immigrants' knowledge of English and French, please refer to Appendix Table 10.
    ${ }^{34}$ In this paper, bilingualism is synonymous with being able to speak French and English well enough to conduct a conversation. Knowledge of a non-official language and an official language does not count as being bilingual.
    ${ }^{35}$ For more information on institutional completeness, please refer to Raymond Breton (1964) Institutional Completeness of Ethnic Communities and Personal Relations of Immigrants" American Journal of Sociology 70(2): 193205.
    ${ }^{36}$ The reason these percentages are lower than the overall immigrant percentage is that the English-French FOLS category is pushing up the overall percentage for immigrants.

[^15]:    ${ }^{37}$ For detailed data tables pertaining to immigrants' knowledge of English and French, please refer to Appendix Table 11.
    ${ }^{38}$ According to Statistics Canada, language transfer calculation is based on the Home Language spoken most often at home (Part A of the Home Language question). The calculation does not include those languages spoken on a regular basis at home (Part B of the Home Language question).
    ${ }^{39}$ As shown on page 22 , the distribution of immigrants reporting a non-official language varies by ER and this should be taken into consideration when examining these results.

[^16]:    ${ }^{40}$ For data tables pertaining to language spoken most often at work, please refer to Appendix - Table 12.

[^17]:    ${ }^{41}$ For data tables pertaining to mobility, please refer to Appendix - Table 13.
    ${ }^{42}$ This census variable is derived from the following response categories: Lived at the same address as now; Lived at a different address, but in the same ER as now; Lived in a different ER in Canada; Lived outside Canada (respondent gives name of the country).

[^18]:    ${ }^{43}$ For data tables pertaining to age, please refer to Appendix - Table 14.

[^19]:    ${ }^{44}$ For data tables pertaining to gender, please refer to Appendix - Table 15.

[^20]:    ${ }^{45}$ For data tables pertaining to Census Families, please refer to Appendix - Table 16.
    ${ }^{46}$ A Census Family refers to a married couple (with or without children), a common-law couple (with or without children), or a lone parent family.

[^21]:    ${ }^{47}$ For data tables pertaining to period of immigration, please refer to Appendix - Table 17.

[^22]:    ${ }^{48}$ For data tables pertaining to place of birth, please refer to Appendix - Table 18.
    ${ }^{49}$ European Place of Birth is not the largest category in for English FOLS immigrants in Capitale-Nationale, Estrie, and the Eastern ERs; in all three cases the USA is a larger place of birth.

[^23]:    ${ }^{50}$ In Lanaudière, Eastern ERs and Northern ERs, Europe is the only place of birth with high enough numbers to report on.

[^24]:    ${ }^{51}$ For data tables pertaining to visible minority status, please refer to Appendix - Table 19.
    ${ }^{52}$ The reason we refer to people being "assigned visible minority status" is because on the census people are not asked "Are you a visible minority?" but rather "Are you South Asian, Black....?" They may not know that this will result in their assignment as someone who is a visible minority. Therefore, this is not something that people reported, but rather a category to which they were assigned.

[^25]:    ${ }^{53}$ Often people report multiple responses. We will be focusing on individual origins that do not reflect total responses.

[^26]:    ${ }^{54}$ Data tables run for this project broke out the population aged 15 years and older, 15 to 34 years, 35 to 64 years, and $65+$ years. It was thought that it would be more useful for the Labour Force section to focus on the 35-64-yearold population than to include the $15+$ population, since the focus would be on a more mature labour force. ${ }^{55}$ For data tables pertaining to Education Attainment, please refer to Appendix - Table 20-25.

[^27]:    ${ }^{56}$ For data tables pertaining to Labour Force Participation, please refer to Appendix - Table 26-31.

[^28]:    ${ }^{57}$ For data tables pertaining to Occupation, please refer to Appendix - Table 32-37.

[^29]:    ${ }^{58}$ For data tables pertaining to Median Employment Income, please refer to Appendix - Table 38.

[^30]:    * The \# of Allophones category includes non-permanent residents, even though they are not represented by the immigrant or non-immigrant categories.
    ** Non-immigrant refers to people born in Canada and does not include non-permanent residents Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom tables

[^31]:    * As per the FOLS methodology, this English-French FOLS count for immigrants is the total number of immigrants assigned to the English-French FOLS category divided by two.
    Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census, Department of Canadian Heritage custom table

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