

DEMOGRAPHIC ESTIMATES QUARTERLY

April 2024

Highlights

Manitoba's total population was estimated at 1,484,135 residents as of April 1, 2024, up 9,696 individuals (0.66%) from the January 1, 2024 estimate. On a twelve-month basis (compared to April 1, 2023) Manitoba's population increased by 40,260 people, or 2.79%. Among similar twelve-month periods, Manitoba's growth rate is a modern-day record, fueled by strong net international and other international inflows. Although considerably less severe than the previous twelve-month period, net interprovincial outflows continue to hamper growth.

On April 1, 2024, non-permanent residents made up 5.05% of Manitoba's total population, up from 4.85% on January 1, 2024, and up from 3.73% on April 1, 2023.

Manitoba Quarterly Population and Demographic Estimates

Demographic Component	Estimate (Persons)	Per '000 Population
Start Population (Jan 1, 2024)	1,474,439	
Natural Increase (Net)	1,302	0.88
Births	4,395	2.97
Deaths	3,093	2.09
Total Net Migration	8,394	5.67
Net Interprovincial	-598	-0.40
In	4,252	2.87
Out	4,850	3.28
Net International	5,182	3.50
Immigration	5,692	3.85
Emigration	510	0.34
Other International	3,810	2.58
Net Non-permanent Residents	3,516	2.38
Returning Emigrants	294	0.20

End Population (Apr 1, 2024) **1,484,135**

Source: Statistics Canada, Tables 17-10-0009-01, 17-10-0020-01, 17-10-0040-01 and 17-10-0059-01

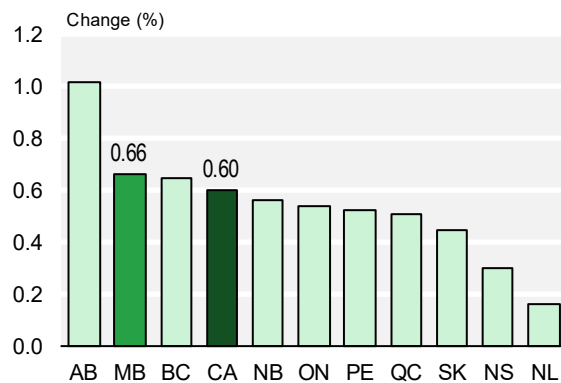
Population Growth

Quarterly growth

Over the three months ending April 2024, Manitoba's population increased by an estimated 9,696 people. Manitoba's quarterly growth rate of 0.66% was stronger than Canada's 0.60%, and second provincially.

Population Growth, Quarter-over-quarter

Jan 1, 2024 to Apr 1, 2024



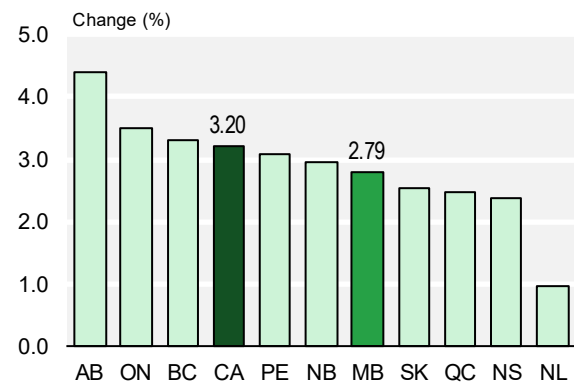
Source: Statistics Canada, Table 17-10-0009-01

Twelve-month growth

Manitoba's population increased by an estimated 40,260 people between April 2023 and April 2024, a modern-day record for similar periods. The province's twelve-month growth rate of 2.79% was weaker than Canada's 3.20%, and sixth provincially.

Population Growth, Year-over-year

Apr 1, 2023 to Apr 1, 2024



Source: Statistics Canada, Table 17-10-0009-01

Population Estimates - Manitoba and Canada

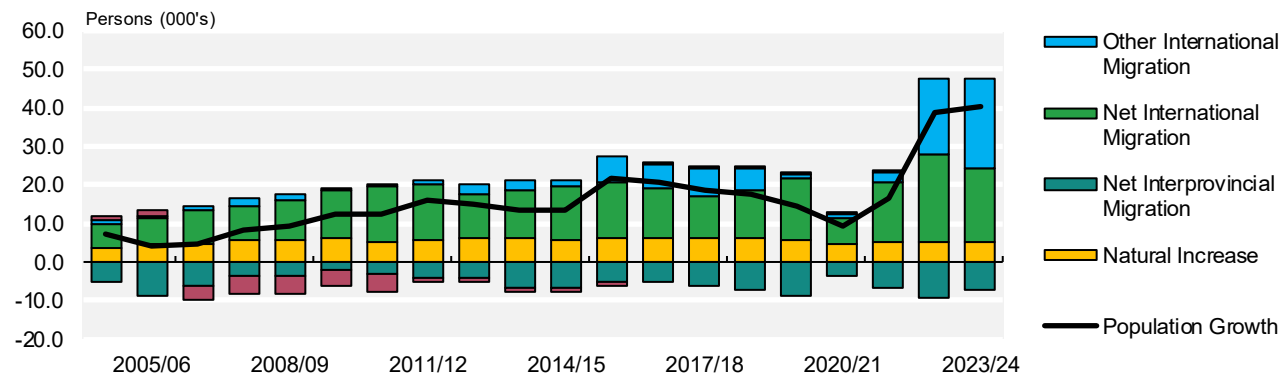
	Manitoba	Canada
Estimate (Persons)		
Apr 1, 2023	1,443,875	39,739,633
Jan 1, 2024	1,474,439	40,769,890
Apr 1, 2024	1,484,135	41,012,563
Change (Persons)		
Apr 1, 2023 to Apr 1, 2024	40,260	1,272,930
Jan 1, 2024 to Apr 1, 2024	9,696	242,673
Change (%)		
Apr 1, 2023 to Apr 1, 2024	2.79	3.20
Jan 1, 2024 to Apr 1, 2024	0.66	0.60

Source: Statistics Canada, Table 17-10-0009-01

Components of Growth

Twelve-month Growth, Component Contributions

Apr 1 to Mar 31



Source: Statistics Canada, Tables 17-10-0009-01, 17-10-0020-01, 17-10-0040-01 and 17-10-0059-01

Natural Increase

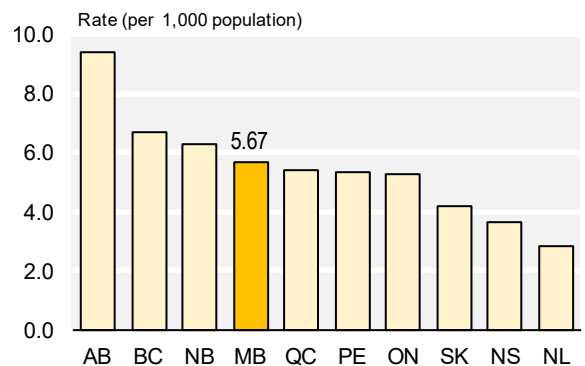
During the first quarter of 2024, Manitoba recorded a gain of 1,302 people due to natural increase (births minus deaths). Over the twelve months ending March 31, 2024, Manitoba's natural increase was 5,388 people, 6.17% higher than the twelve months prior.

Total Net Migration

Combining all the migration components together, Manitoba had a total net inflow of 8,394 migrants during the first quarter of 2024. Manitoba's quarterly rate of 5.67 migrants per thousand population ranked fourth among provinces. Manitoba's twelve-month total net inflow was 34,872 migrants, 3.78% more than the previous twelve months.

Quarterly Total Net Migration Rate

Q1 (Jan 1 to Mar 31)



Source: Statistics Canada, Tables 17-10-0009-01, 17-10-0020-01, 17-10-0023-01 and 17-10-0040-01

Net International Migration

During the first quarter of 2024, Manitoba gained 5,182 residents through net international migration (immigrants minus short-term and long-term emigrants). Manitoba's quarterly inflow of 5,692 immigrants resulted in a rate of 3.85 immigrants per thousand population, above Canada's rate of 2.98 and fourth among provinces. During the twelve months ending March 31, 2024, Manitoba welcomed 21,752 immigrants, 14.23% fewer than the twelve months prior.

Other International Migration

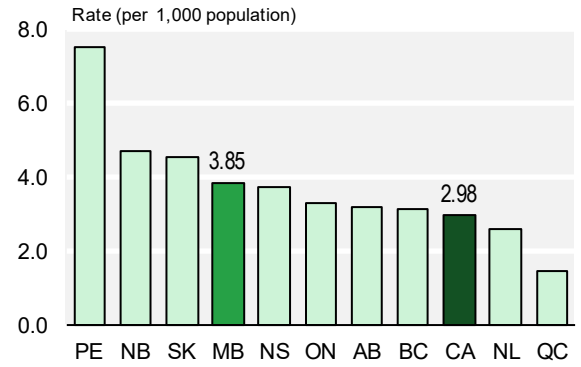
Manitoba experienced a net gain of 3,810 other international migrants during the first quarter of 2024, resulting in a rate of 2.58 migrants per thousand population. Manitoba's net increase of 23,090 migrants between April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024 was 15.38% higher than the net figure for the preceding twelve months. Significant increases in the number of International Mobility Program (IMP) permit holders classified by Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) as Other IMP Participants, which includes Public Policies such as the Canada-Ukraine Authorization for Emergency Travel (CUAET), fueled most of the growth.

Net Interprovincial Migration

Manitoba had a net interprovincial outflow of 598 migrants during the first quarter of 2024. Manitoba's quarterly rate of -0.40 migrants per thousand population ranked seventh among provinces. The province's twelve-month net interprovincial outflow was 7,253 migrants, 20.76% less than the net figure for the preceding twelve months.

Quarterly Immigration Rate

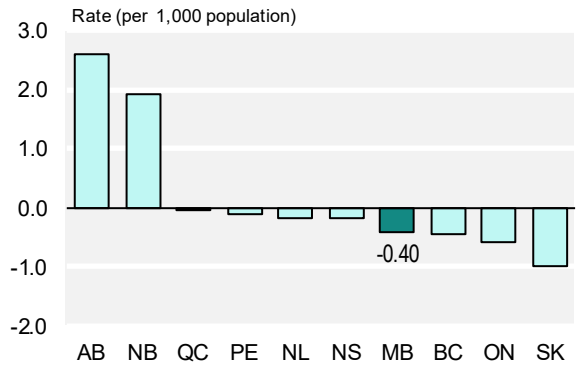
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Source: Statistics Canada, Tables 17-10-0009-01 and 17-10-0040-01

Quarterly Net Interprovincial Migration Rate

Q1 (Jan 1 to Mar 31)



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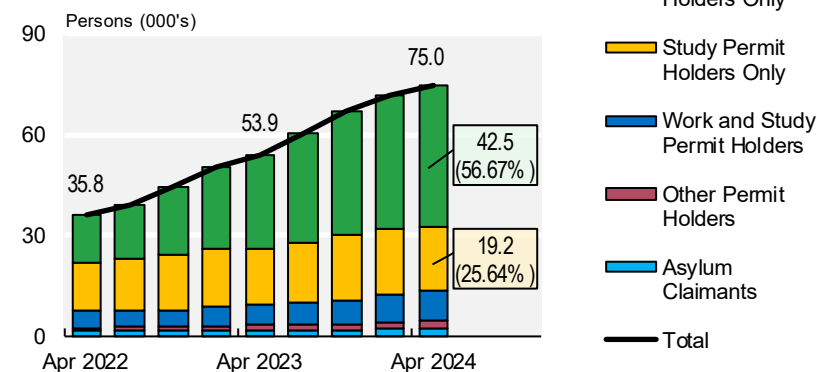
Manitoba's Non-permanent Resident Population

Manitoba's non-permanent resident population was estimated at 74,974 people as of April 1, 2024, up 3,516 individuals (4.92%) from the January 1, 2024 estimate. The majority of Manitoba's non-permanent residents on April 1, 2024 were Work Permit Holders Only, at 56.67% (42,488 people).

On a twelve-month basis (compared to April 1, 2023) Manitoba's non-permanent resident population increased by 21,109 people, or 39.19%. The majority, 69.87%, of the change was due to an increase in the number of Work Permit Holders Only, 1.5 times (14,748 people) higher than the April 1, 2023 level.

Manitoba Non-permanent Residents, by Type

Apr 1, 2022 to Apr 1, 2024 (Level)

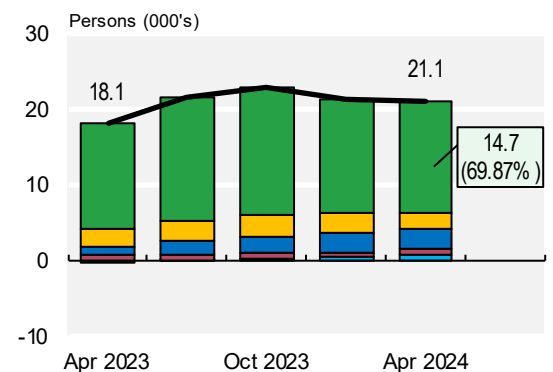


Note: Number in brackets is share of total.

Source: Statistics Canada, Tables 17-10-0121-01

Manitoba Non-permanent Residents, by Type

Apr 1, 2023 to Apr 1, 2024 (Year-over-year change)



Manitoba Net Interprovincial Migration - Gains and Losses

Manitoba Net Interprovincial Migration - Gains and Losses						
	Quarterly			12-Month Total		
	Q1-2024 (1)	Q1-2023 (2)	Change (1)-(2)	Q2-2023 to Q1-2024 (3)	Q2-2022 to Q1-2023 (4)	Change (3)-(4)
NL	-71	4	-75 ↓	-145	-49	-96 ↓
PE	-11	-28	17 ↑	-65	-16	-49 ↓
NS	-22	-35	13 ↑	-220	-176	-44 ↓
NB	-50	7	-57 ↓	-274	-14	-260 ↓
QC	-165	-131	-34 ↓	-467	-120	-347 ↓
ON	171	84	87 ↑	-465	-828	363 ↑
SK	-85	-54	-31 ↓	-122	-515	393 ↑
AB	-747	-1,162	415 ↑	-4,806	-4,407	-399 ↓
BC	293	-1,037	1,330 ↑	-928	-3,117	2,189 ↑
YT	-6	-1	-5 ↓	-4	25	-29 ↓
NT	-6	12	-18 ↓	47	20	27 ↑
NU	101	17	84 ↑	196	44	152 ↑
TOTAL	-598	-2,324	1,726 ↑	-7,253	-9,153	1,900 ↑

Source: Statistics Canada, Table 17-10-0045-01

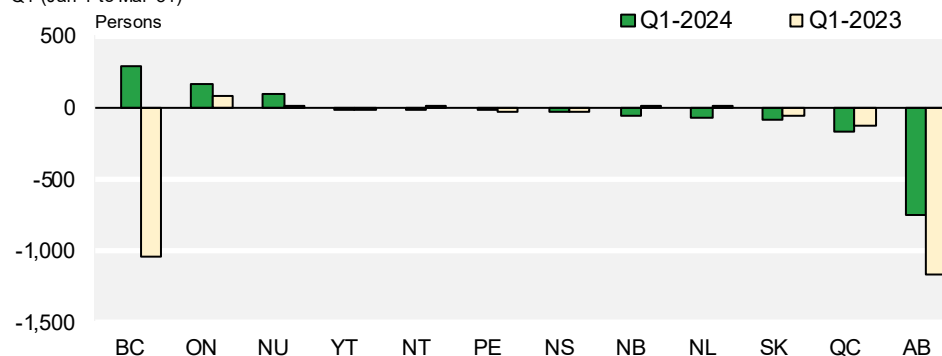
Quarterly

During the first quarter of 2024, Manitoba had net interprovincial migration gains from three jurisdictions. The largest net inflow was from British Columbia, while the largest outflow was to Alberta.

Compared to the same quarter twelve months ago, Manitoba's net interchange has improved with six jurisdictions.

Manitoba Net Interprovincial Migration - Gains and Losses

Q1 (Jan 1 to Mar 31)



Source: Statistics Canada, Table 17-10-0045-01

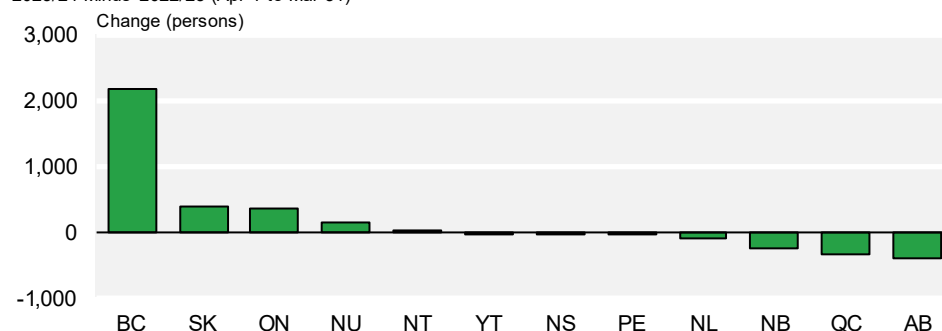
Twelve-month

Over the twelve months ending March 31, 2024, Manitoba had net migration gains from two jurisdictions. The largest net inflow was from Nunavut, while the largest outflow was to Alberta.

Compared to the previous twelve month period, Manitoba's net interchange has improved with five jurisdictions.

Manitoba Net Interprovincial Migration - Gains and Losses

2023/24 Minus 2022/23 (Apr 1 to Mar 31)



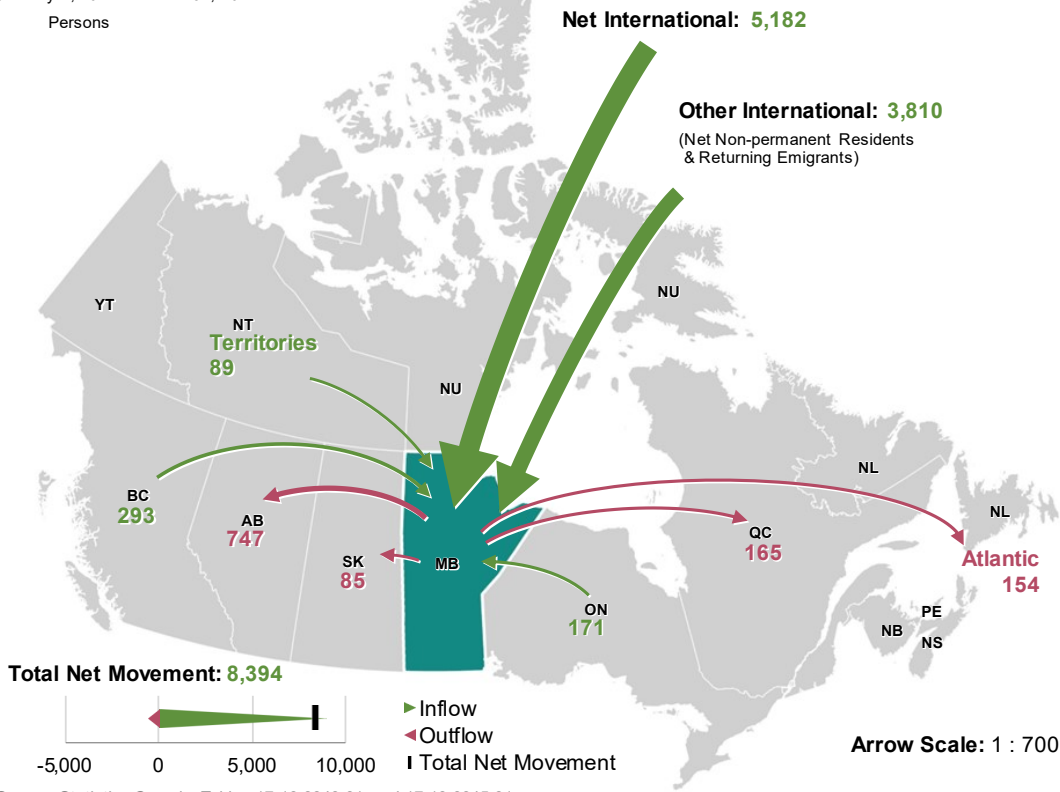
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Manitoba Net Migration - Gains and Losses

Current Quarter

January 1, 2024 to March 31, 2024

Persons

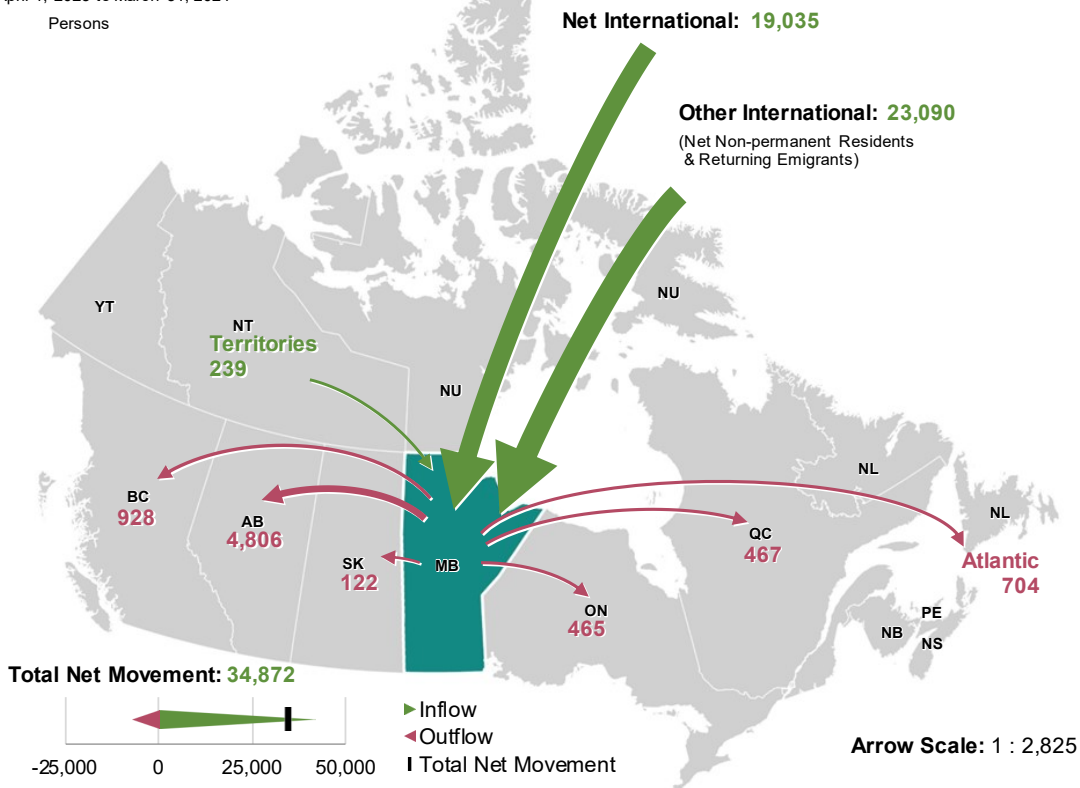


Source: Statistics Canada, Tables 17-10-0040-01 and 17-10-0045-01

Current Twelve-month period

April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024

Persons



Source: Statistics Canada, Tables 17-10-0040-01 and 17-10-0045-01

Note: Arrows are scaled, on a per chart basis, to reflect the relative net migration between Manitoba and other jurisdictions.

Appendix Tables

Manitoba Population and Demographic Estimates - 12-month (Persons)

Apr 1 to Mar 31	Start Population	Natural Increase	Migration				Component Growth	Residual	Population Growth	End Population
			Net Interprovincial	Net International	Other International	Total Net				
2004/05	1,170,336	3,762	-5,087	6,178	902	1,993	5,755	1,194	6,949	1,177,285
2005/06	1,177,285	4,478	-8,868	6,675	868	-1,325	3,153	1,194	4,347	1,181,632
2006/07	1,181,632	4,777	-6,132	8,530	1,241	3,639	8,416	-3,627	4,789	1,186,421
2007/08	1,186,421	5,473	-3,823	9,005	1,893	7,075	12,548	-4,316	8,232	1,194,653
2008/09	1,194,653	5,640	-3,819	10,242	1,602	8,025	13,665	-4,305	9,360	1,204,013
2009/10	1,204,013	6,016	-2,098	12,427	564	10,893	16,909	-4,304	12,605	1,216,618
2010/11	1,216,618	5,387	-3,281	14,037	602	11,358	16,745	-4,305	12,440	1,229,058
2011/12	1,229,058	5,791	-4,038	14,592	900	11,454	17,245	-1,419	15,826	1,244,884
2012/13	1,244,884	6,197	-4,177	11,167	2,692	9,682	15,879	-1,070	14,809	1,259,693
2013/14	1,259,693	6,162	-6,761	12,627	2,264	8,130	14,292	-1,071	13,221	1,272,914
2014/15	1,272,914	5,703	-6,976	13,779	1,900	8,703	14,406	-1,070	13,336	1,286,250
2015/16	1,286,250	6,403	-5,009	14,423	6,804	16,218	22,621	-1,074	21,547	1,307,797
2016/17	1,307,797	5,929	-5,413	13,355	6,233	14,175	20,104	436	20,540	1,328,337
2017/18	1,328,337	6,069	-6,448	11,234	7,108	11,894	17,963	616	18,579	1,346,916
2018/19	1,346,916	6,076	-7,211	12,382	5,886	11,057	17,133	617	17,750	1,364,666
2019/20	1,364,666	5,480	-8,832	16,093	1,256	8,517	13,997	617	14,614	1,379,280
2020/21	1,379,280	4,589	-3,446	6,963	609	4,126	8,715	616	9,331	1,388,611
2021/22	1,388,611	4,999	-6,676	15,830	2,365	11,519	16,518	68	16,586	1,405,197
2022/23	1,405,197	5,075	-9,153	22,743	20,013	33,603	38,678	0	38,678	1,443,875
2023/24	1,443,875	5,388	-7,253	19,035	23,090	34,872	40,260	0	40,260	1,484,135
2024/25	1,484,135									

Source: Statistics Canada, Tables 17-10-0009-01, 17-10-0020-01, 17-10-0040-01 and 17-10-0059-01

Manitoba Population and Demographic Estimates - Quarterly (Persons)

Start of Quarter	Start Population	Natural Increase	Migration				Component Growth	Residual	Population Growth	End Population
			Net Interprovincial	Net International	Other International	Total Net				
Apr 1, 2019	1,364,666	1,491	-2,208	4,772	1,159	3,723	5,214	153	5,367	1,370,033
Jul 1, 2019	1,370,033	1,741	-3,243	5,227	-29	1,955	3,696	155	3,851	1,373,884
Oct 1, 2019	1,373,884	1,134	-1,751	3,578	282	2,109	3,243	156	3,399	1,377,283
Jan 1, 2020	1,377,283	1,114	-1,630	2,516	-156	730	1,844	153	1,997	1,379,280
Apr 1, 2020	1,379,280	1,405	-1,673	1,263	-297	-707	698	154	852	1,380,132
Jul 1, 2020	1,380,132	1,556	-398	1,838	-1,474	-34	1,522	155	1,677	1,381,809
Oct 1, 2020	1,381,809	455	-882	1,053	1,263	1,434	1,889	156	2,045	1,383,854
Jan 1, 2021	1,383,854	1,173	-493	2,809	1,117	3,433	4,606	151	4,757	1,388,611
Apr 1, 2021	1,388,611	1,348	-1,031	2,169	759	1,897	3,245	68	3,313	1,391,924
Jul 1, 2021	1,391,924	1,572	-2,700	3,801	1,863	2,964	4,536	0	4,536	1,396,460
Oct 1, 2021	1,396,460	923	-2,057	5,248	89	3,280	4,203	0	4,203	1,400,663
Jan 1, 2022	1,400,663	1,156	-888	4,612	-346	3,378	4,534	0	4,534	1,405,197
Apr 1, 2022	1,405,197	1,333	-1,806	5,072	3,613	6,879	8,212	0	8,212	1,413,409
Jul 1, 2022	1,413,409	1,582	-2,855	5,466	5,994	8,605	10,187	0	10,187	1,423,596
Oct 1, 2022	1,423,596	958	-2,168	3,852	6,436	8,120	9,078	0	9,078	1,432,674
Jan 1, 2023	1,432,674	1,202	-2,324	8,353	3,970	9,999	11,201	0	11,201	1,443,875
Apr 1, 2023	1,443,875	1,410	-2,899	5,263	7,253	9,617	11,027	0	11,027	1,454,902
Jul 1, 2023	1,454,902	1,645	-2,475	4,090	7,278	8,893	10,538	0	10,538	1,465,440
Oct 1, 2023	1,465,440	1,031	-1,281	4,500	4,749	7,968	8,999	0	8,999	1,474,439
Jan 1, 2024	1,474,439	1,302	-598	5,182	3,810	8,394	9,696	0	9,696	1,484,135
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Notes to Readers

Population Estimate

Estimates are derived from Census counts, but are adjusted for net Census undercoverage, incompletely enumerated Indian reserves and demographic growth.

Per '000 Population

A **rate per thousand population** is calculated by dividing the number of events for a time period by the population at the mid-point of the period, then multiplying by 1,000. These crude rates allow for quick comparisons among characteristics or jurisdictions.

In this document, the mid-point population is the average of population estimates for the start and end of the quarter.

Other International Migration

Other International Migration groups together some of the more temporary international migration flows and is comprised of the net change in Non-permanent Residents, plus long-term and short-term Returning Emigrants.

Non-permanent Residents

The majority of **Non-permanent Residents** are students and temporary workers, while the remainder are refugee status claimants and non-Canadian born dependents of refugee claimants or permit holders.

Residual

Residual deviation is obtained by distributing the error of closure linearly throughout the intercensal period.

The **error of closure** is defined as the difference between the final postcensal population estimates on Census Day and the most recent Census counts (adjusted for Census net undercoverage and incompletely enumerated reserves and settlements).

A positive error of closure means that the postcensal population estimates have overestimated the population. A negative residual would then be required to correct the overestimation.

Gains and Losses

Manitoba is considered to have a **net gain** when the number of people moving in from a given province or territory is greater than the number moving out, otherwise the **net interchange** is considered to be a **loss**.

Example: Say 28 people moved from Manitoba to Ontario and, over the same time period, 10 people moved from Ontario to Manitoba. Manitoba's resulting net interchange with Ontario would be a loss of 18 people.

Comparability over time

Estimates of population and demographic components may not be fully comparable over time due to seasonal effects, changes in methodologies and completeness of source data.

Methodology Adjustments

Regarding COVID-19

On March 18, 2020 the Government of Canada implemented travel restrictions aimed at reducing the spread of COVID-19. In order to try and account for the restrictions imposed by Canada, and other countries, Statistics Canada adjusted their usual estimation methods for Emigrants (long-term and short-term) and Returning Emigrants (long-term and short-term). Beginning in 2021, as COVID-19 related travel restrictions started to lift, Statistics Canada modified their methodology adjustments to reflect a return towards pre-pandemic migration levels.

From the first quarter 2022 onward, Statistics Canada has returned to their usual estimation methods for Emigrants and Returning Emigrants. However, slight modifications are being made to ensure that pandemic effects are not carried forward into future estimates. No other COVID-19 related adjustments are being made at this time.

Birth Registration Delays

Birth estimation methods have been adjusted for Manitoba (2021, 2022 and 2023 calendar years) and Nova Scotia (August to December 2021) due to data completeness issues.

Canada-Ukraine Authorization for Emergency Travel (CUAET)

Since March 17, 2022, persons with a Canada-Ukraine authorization for emergency travel who are on Canadian soil are included in the Net Non-permanent Resident estimates.

Effective with the September 2023 release:

Census Base

Postcensal estimates are based on the 2021 Census counts adjusted for census net undercoverage and for incompletely enumerated reserves and settlements.

Emigration and Returning Emigration

Emigrants and Returning Emigrants include both long-term and short-term migrants from July 2016 onward. Prior to July 2016, only long-term migrants are included.

Net Temporary Emigration

From July 2016 onward, short-term Emigrants and short-term Returning Emigrants are included with Emigrants and Returning Emigrants respectively, and the Net Temporary Emigrant component is no longer being provided. Prior to July 2016, short-term Emigrants and short-term Returning Emigrants were accounted for as Net Temporary Emigrants, part of the Other International Migration component.

Non-permanent Residents

From July 2021 onward, estimation methods for non-permanent residents have been adjusted to better account for open work permits without a province/territory of intended destination, permit processing delays and dependents of permit-holders.

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Manitoba Bureau of Statistics: <https://www.gov.mb.ca/mbs/moreinfo.html?id=16>

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