

Olds Population & Statistics

Alberta's population passed the 3 million mark and 3,290,350 persons were enumerated in the 2006 Census. The number of Albertans increased by 10.6% between 2001 and 2006, double the national growth rate (+5.4%). During the same period, Alberta's share of Canada's total population topped 10% for the first time.

Federal Census	2006	2001	1996
Olds	7,248	6,607	5,815
Mountain View County	12,391	12,134	11,255

Olds 2006 Federal Census Highlights

Population	7,248
Population Growth Rate:	+9.7%
Total # Private Dwellings:	3,190
Private Dwellings Growth Rate:	+17.9%
Population Density/km ²	656.1

Mountain View County 2006 Federal Census Highlights

Population	12,391
Population Growth Rate:	+2.2%
Total # Private Dwellings:	5,136
Private Dwellings Growth Rate:	+6.0%
Population Density/km ²	3.3

Statistics Canada will release further data from the 2006 Census in announcements running from July 2007 through May 2008. For additional information on the 2006 Federal Census, you can visit Statistics Canada at www.census2006.ca.

For additional population information on Olds, contact Statistics Canada, phone: 800-263-1136 or visit www.statcan.ca.

Geographical Statistics

Elevation - 1040 metres (3412 feet) ASL

Latitude - 51 Degrees / 46 Minutes North

Longitude - 114 Degrees / 6 Minutes West

Climate - Continental, with seasonal warm weather fronts (Chinook winds)

TEMPERATURE	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Daily Average (°C)	-10.5	-7.8	-3.4	3.9	9.4	13.3	15.4	14.8	9.9	4.6	-3.9	-8.5
Daily Maximum (°C)	-4.9	-2.1	2.0	10.1	15.8	19.4	21.7	21.4	16.5	11.1	1.4	-3.0
Daily Minimum (°C)	-16.1	-13.5	-8.8	-2.4	2.9	7.1	9.1	8.2	3.3	-2.0	-9.2	-14.0
PRECIPITATION	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Rainfall (mm)	0.4	0.1	1.5	14.5	54.6	89.6	87.0	64.6	50.0	9.2	0.7	0.2
Snowfall (mm)	22.0	14.0	21.2	11.1	5.9	0.0	0.0	0.1	3.9	7.5	18.1	19.0