

Definition/Description:

This indicator refers to the total number of private households by household type (i.e. one-family, multiple family or non-family households).

Private Household - Refers to a person or a group of persons (other than foreign residents) who occupy a private dwelling and do not have a usual place of residence elsewhere in Canada.

Household Type - Refers to the basic division of private households into family and non-family households. Family Household - Refers to a household that contains at least one census family, that is, a married couple with or without children, or a couple living common-law with or without children, or a lone parent living with one or more children either one person living alone in a private dwelling or to a group of two or more people who share a private dwelling, but who do not constitute a census family. Non-Family Household - Refers to either one person living alone in a private dwelling or to a group of two or more people who share a private dwelling, but who do not constitute a census family.

Source:

http://www.wrha.mb.ca/howcare/decsup/files/population/Census_2001.pdf