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Population Change 2016 Census Results, Capital Region

	2001 Pop'n	2006 Pop'n	2011 Pop'n	2016 Pop'n	Pop Change	Pop Change	Pop Change
	(Census)	(Census)	(Census)	(Census)	01-06	06-11	11-16
	(2222)	(2222)	(11111)	(1111)			-
Esquimalt	16,127	16,840	16,209	17,655	713	-631	1446
Oak Bay	17,798	17,908	18,015	18,094	110	107	79
Saanich	103,654	108,265	109,752	114,148	4611	1487	4396
Victoria	74,125	78,057	80,017	85,792	3932	1960	5775
View Royal	7,271	8,768	9,381	10,408	1497	613	1027
First Nations Reserves (1)	1,874	1,643	1,678	1,842	-231	35	164
CORE	220,849	231,481	235,052	247,939	10,632	3,571	12,887
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Central Saanich	15,348	15,745	15,936	16,814	397	191	878
North Saanich	10,436	10,823	11,089	11,249	387	266	160
Sidney	10,929	11,315	11,178	11,672	386	-137	494
First Nations Reserves (2)	2,372	2,577	2,965	2,937	205	388	-28
PENINSULA	39,085	40,460	41,168	42,672	1,375	708	1,504
Colwood	13,745	14,687	16,093	16,859	942	1406	766
Highlands	1,674	1,903	2,120	2,225	229	217	105
Juan de Fuca E.A. (7)	3,962	4,484	4,466	4,860	522	-18	394
Langford	18,840	22,459	29,228	35,342	3619	6769	6114
Metchosin	4,857	4,795	4,803	4,708	-62	8	-95
Sooke (5)(6)	8,735	9,704	11,435	13,001	969	1731	1566
First Nations Reserves (3)	421	450	639	465	29	189	-174
WEST SHORE	52,234	58,482	68,669	77,460	6,248	10,187	8,791
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Salt Spring Is. E.A.	9,279	9,640	10,234	10,557	361	594	323
Southern Gulf Is. E.A.	4,307	5,101	4,868	4,732	794	-233	-136
Galiano Is.	1,071	1,258	1,138	1,044	187	-120	-94
Mayne Is.	880	1,112	1,071	949	232	-41	-122
Pender Is.	1,935	2,181	2,236	2,302	246	55	66
Saturna Is.	319	359	335	354	40	-24	19
First Nations Reserves (4)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GULF ISLANDS	13,586	14,741	15,102	15,289	1,155	361	187
CAPITAL REGION	325,754	345,164	359,991	383,360	19,410	14,827	23,369
VICTORIA CMA	311,902	330,088	344,580	367,770	18,186	14,492	23,190

(Percentage change, over)



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Population, Percentage Change 2016 Census Results, Capital Region

	2001	2006	2011	2016	%	%	%
	Pop'n	Pop'n	Pop'n	Pop'n	Growth	Growth	Growth
	(Census)	(Census)	(Census)	(Census)	01-06	06-11	11-16
Esquimalt	16,127	16,840	16,209	17,655	4.4%	-3.7%	8.9%
Oak Bay	17,798	17,908	18,015	18,094	0.6%	0.6%	0.4%
Saanich	103,654	108,265	109,752	114,148	4.4%	1.4%	4.0%
Victoria	74,125	78,057	80,017	85,792	5.3%	2.5%	7.2%
View Royal	7,271	8,768	9,381	10,408	20.6%	7.0%	10.9%
First Nations Reserves (1)	1,874	1,643	1,678	1,842	-12.3%	2.1%	9.8%
CORE	220,849	231,481	235,052	247,939	4.8%	1.5%	5.5%
Central Saanich	15,348	15,745	15,936	16,814	2.6%	1.2%	5.5%
North Saanich	10,436	10,823	11,089	11,249	3.7%	2.5%	1.4%
Sidney	10,929	11,315	11,178	11,672	3.5%	-1.2%	4.4%
First Nations Reserves (2)	2,372	2,577	2,965	2,937	8.6%	15.1%	-0.9%
PENINSULA	39,085	40,460	41,168	42,672	3.5%	1.7%	3.7%
Colwood	13,745	14,687	16,093	16,859	6.9%	9.6%	4.8%
Highlands	1,674	1,903	2,120	2,225	13.7%	11.4%	5.0%
Juan de Fuca E.A. (7)	3,962	4,484	4,466	4,860	13.2%	-0.4%	8.8%
Langford	18,840	22,459	29,228	35,342	19.2%	30.1%	20.9%
Metchosin	4,857	4,795	4,803	4,708	-1.3%	0.2%	-2.0%
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Technical Notes

E.A. = Electoral Area

With every Census there are inevitably a certain number of persons who are missed by the Census Enumerators and therefore not counted. The estimates for this undercount have not yet been applied to the data overleaf.

Footnotes

- (1) First Nations Reserves in the Core include: Esquimalt, New Songhees 1A
- (2) First Nations Reserves on the Pensinula include: Cole Bay 3, Union Bay 4, East Saanich 2, South Saanich 1
- (3) First Nations Reserves in the West Shore include: Becher Bay 1, T'Souke 1 (Sooke 1), T'Souke 2 (Sooke 2), Gordon River 2, Pacheena 1
- (4) First Nations Reserves in the Gulf Islands include: Galiano Island 9, Mayne Island 6
- (5) On Dec 6, 1999, a portion of the former Sooke Electoral Area was incorporated as Sooke District. The remaining unincorporated portion of the Sooke E.A., together with the Langford E.A., were combined into a new Juan de Fuca E.A. Because the incorporation of Sooke District occurred after the taking of the 1996 Census, demographics are not available for Sooke District nor the Juan de Fuca E.A. for the 1996 Census. Demographics for these new jurisdictions are, however, included in the 2001 Census data.
- (6) 2006 Census Population counts are for geographic boundaries as of Jan 1st, 2006.
 Changes to Sooke's and Juan de Fuca E.A.'s boundaries due to Sooke boundary extensions to the East (Gillespie Rd) and to the West (Kemp Lake/West Coast Road) in Feb 2006 are not reflected in these counts.
- (7) 2011 Census popoulation counts for Juan de Fuca E.A. were revised with the release of the 2016 census

Source: Statistics Canada 2016/2011/2006/2001 Census of Canada