SOCIO-ECONOMIC PROFILE

FOR THE GEOGRAPHIC AREA SERVICED BY

PARRY SOUND AREA COMMUNITY BUSINESS AND DEVELOPMENT CENTRE INC.

A COMMUNITY FUTURES DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

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Introduction

Presented within this document are statistical tables and charts on the demographics, economic activities and social characteristics of the area serviced by a Community Futures Development Corporation (CFDC) in Ontario. The data was prepared for FedNor by Statistics Canada to assist CFDCs in their economic development activities.

Three sources were used to construct the Socio-economic Profile. Data from the 2021 Census of Population provides information on a variety of socio-economic topics including demographics, labour, and income, while data from the 2016 Census of Population and 2011 National Household Survey are included to provide historical comparisons where appropriate. Additional details are provided by the inclusion of data on migration, and income from the T1 Family File.

Data adapted from the Canadian Business Counts provides counts of active business locations by industry and employee size range. For each data source, smaller units are combined to approximate the geographic extent serviced by the Community Futures Development Corporation (CFDC). The most recent statistics available from each source during profile construction are presented.

Appendices included at the end of the profile provide information on the concepts and variables presented in this document. For additional information, please consult the Statistics Canada website at www.statcan.gc.ca.

REFERENCE MAP

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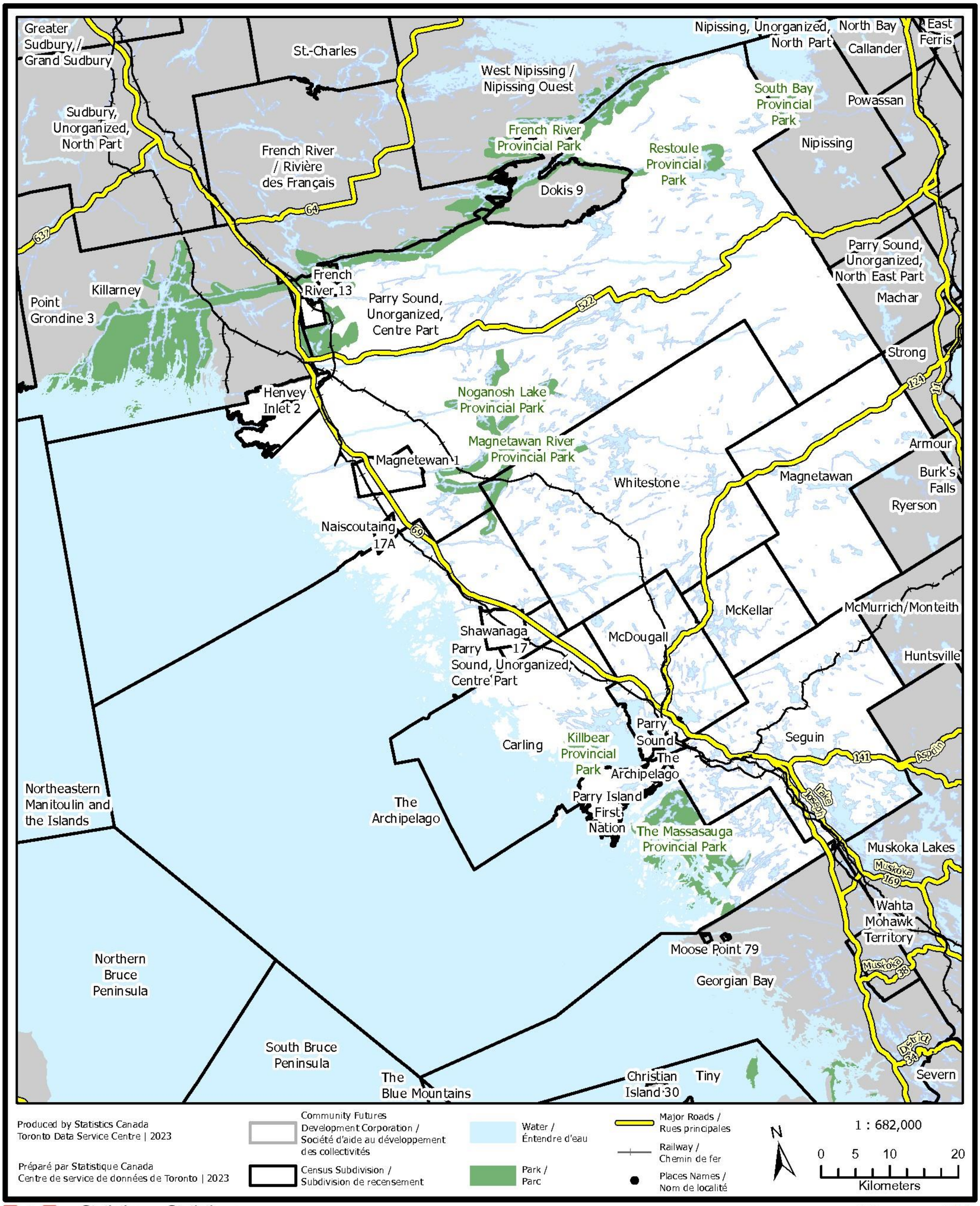

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Total Non-Response (TNR) = 1.0%

The boundaries used for this project is based in part upon information supplied to Statistics Canada by FEDNOR in 2004 for the production of data for the 2001 Census cycle. Adjustments have been made to the boundaries to account for changes in the Statistics Canada's geographic base for the 2006 and 2011 Census years.

For 2021, Census data has been produced based upon aggregations of Statistics Canada's block-face representative points. All data is produced and provided within Statistics Canada's data quality and confidentiality standards.

To ensure confidentiality, the values, including totals, are randomly rounded either up or down to a multiple of '5' or '10.' To understand these data, you must be aware that each individual value is rounded. As a result, when these data are summed or grouped, the total value may not match the individual values since totals and sub-totals are independently rounded. The impact of random rounding will be more pronounced for areas with smaller population. Therefore, percentages calculated for the smaller geographies should be used with caution.

Taxfiler data used in this report is based upon aggregations of postal codes falling within each geographic region. The data for 2005 and 2010 is based upon the 2011 Postal Code Conversion File containing postal codes up to June 2013. Data for 2015 is based upon the 2016 Postal Code Conversion File containing postal codes up to August 2018, and data for 2020 is based up the 2021 Postal Code Conversion File containing postal codes up to August 2018.

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The Canadian Business Counts data contained in this report is based upon aggregations of Census Subdivisions (CSDs) falling completely or partially within the CFDC area.

For more information on the geographic terms used here please see Statistics Canada Illustrated Glossary at:
Illustrated Glossary (statcan.gc.ca) - https://www150.statcan.gc.ca/n1/pub/92-195-x/92-195-x2021001-eng.htm

List of Component CSDs:

1. Seguin
2. The Archipelago
3. McKellar
4. McDougall
5. Parry Sound
6. Carling
7. Whitestone
8. Magnetawan
9. Shawanaga 17
10. Parry Island First Nation
11. Henvey Inlet 2
12. French River 13
13. Magnetewan 1
14. Parry Sound, Unorganized, Centre Part

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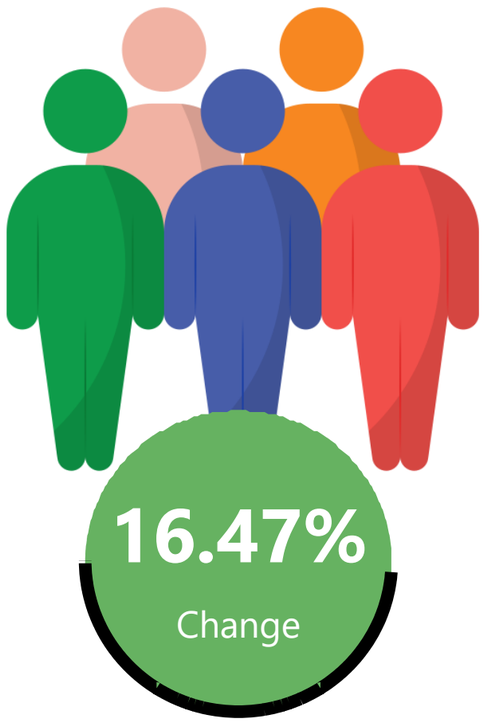
POPULATION

21,375

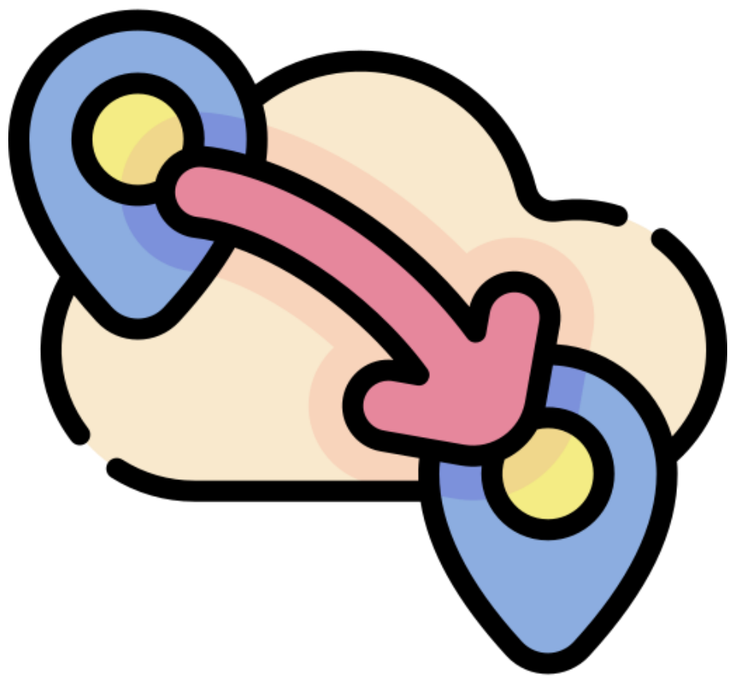
2016 Census



24,895

2021 Census

NET MIGRATION



Parry Sound District

2,510

CENSUS FAMILY

13.3%

Change from 2016

7,530

Census Families in Private Households

Parry Sound Area CBDC

Percentage of Single-Parent Families

Parry Sound Area CBDC

13.20

17.00

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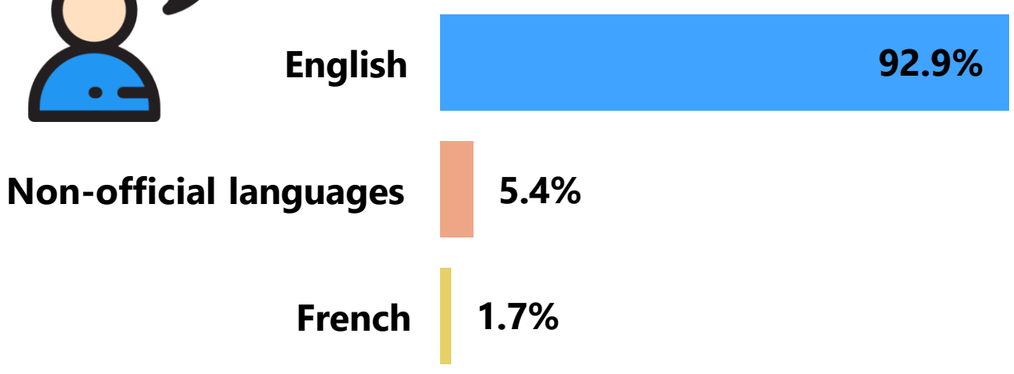
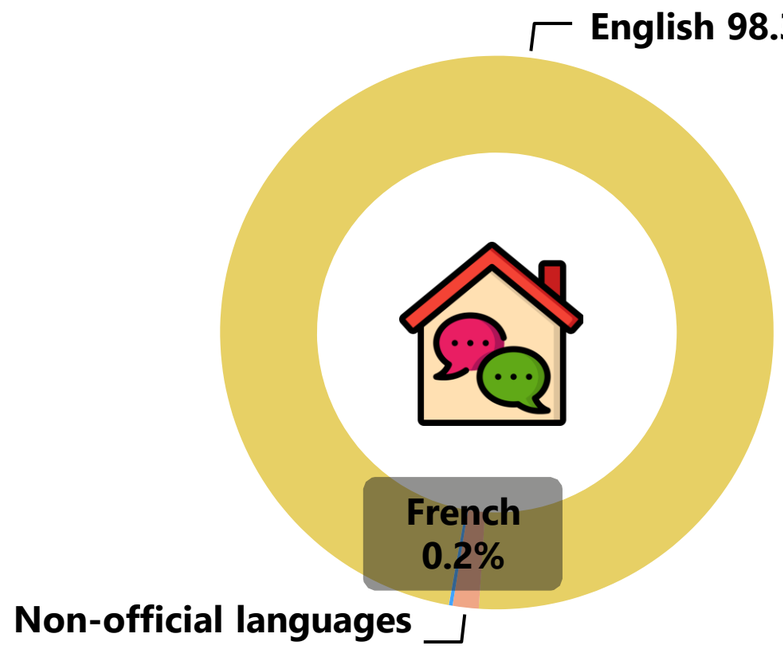
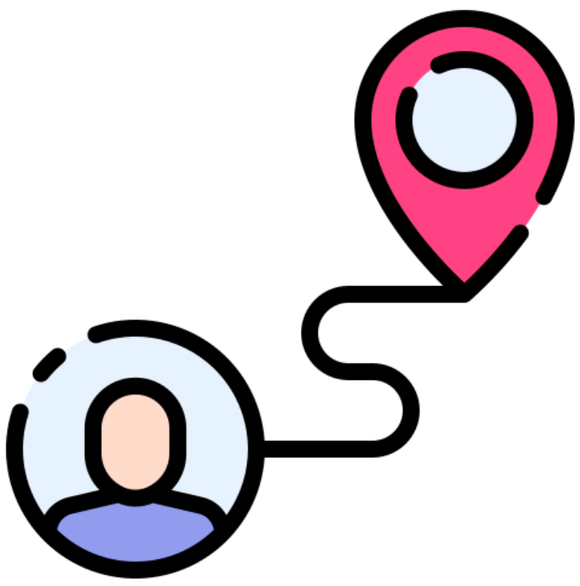
Mother Tongue

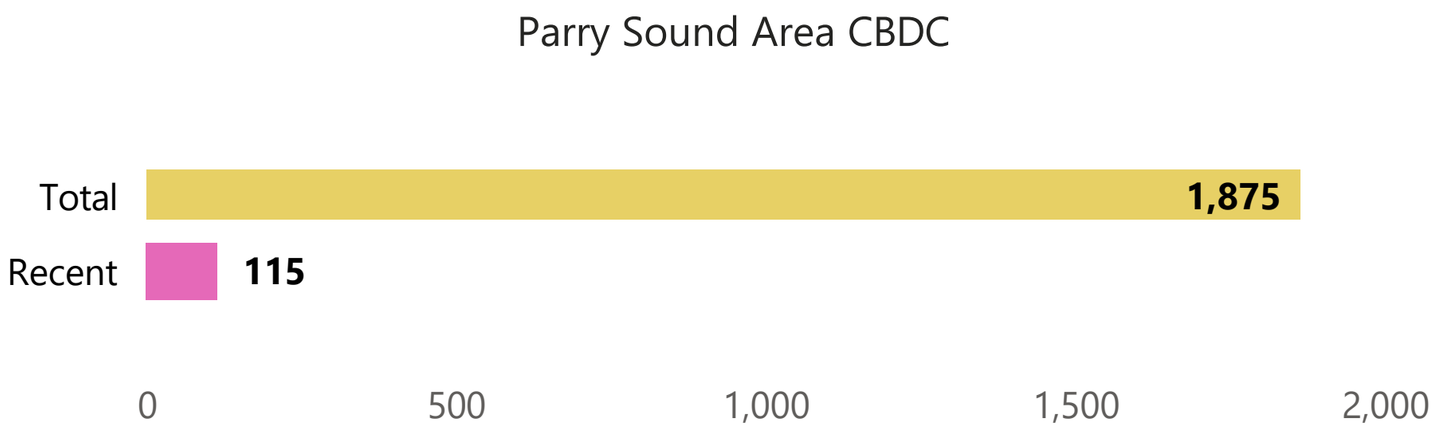


Languages Spoken Most Often at Home



Immigrant Population - Total VS Recent





Visible Minority

Parry Sound Area CBDC

2.5%

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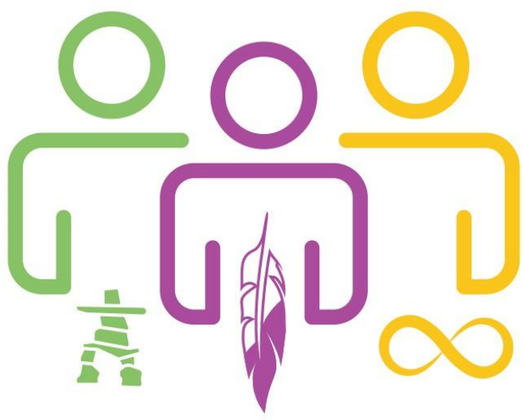
34.3%

Indigenous Identity

Parry Sound Area CBDC

9.2%



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2.9%

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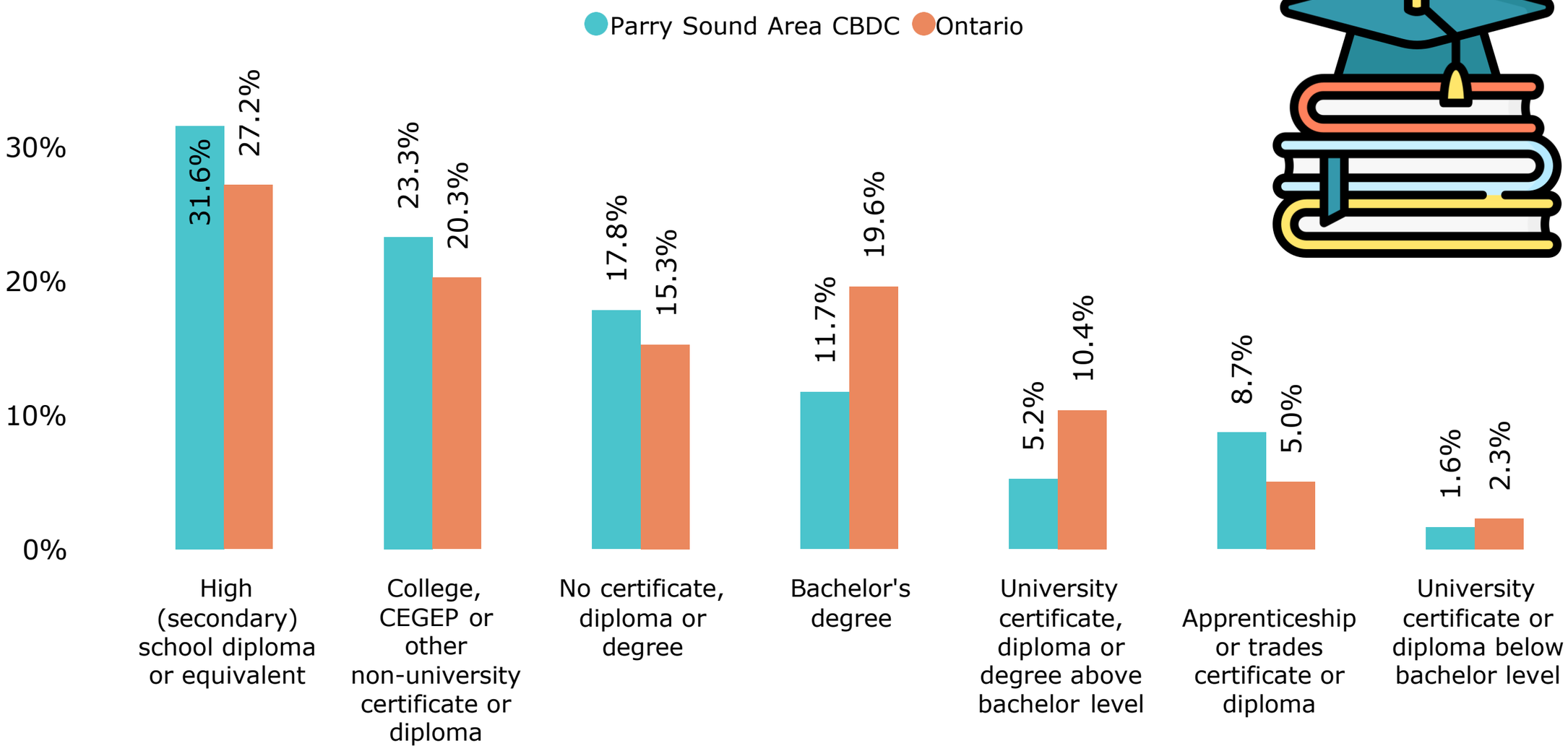
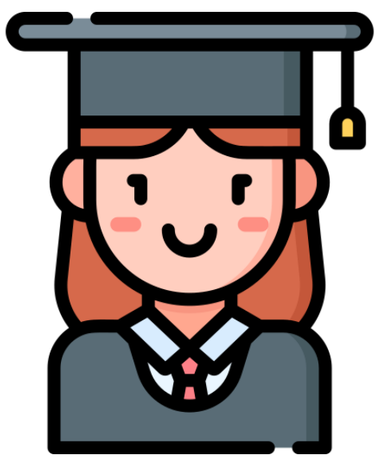
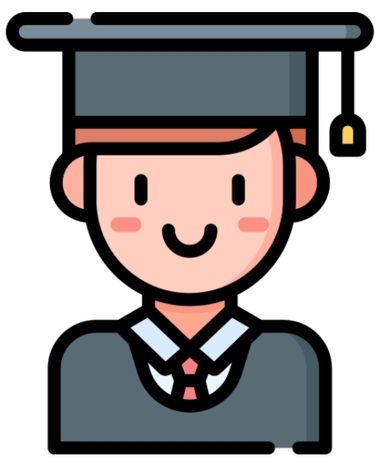
Total Population 15 Years and Over By Highest Certificate, Diploma or Degree



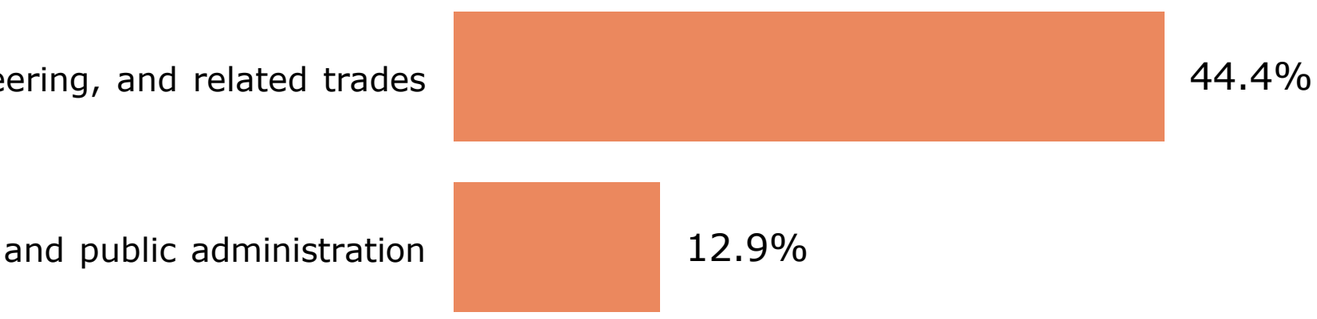
Major Field of Study for Population 15 Years and Over with Post Secondary Qualifications



Top Two Most Common Major Field of Study - Women+



Top Two Most Common Major Field of Study - Men+



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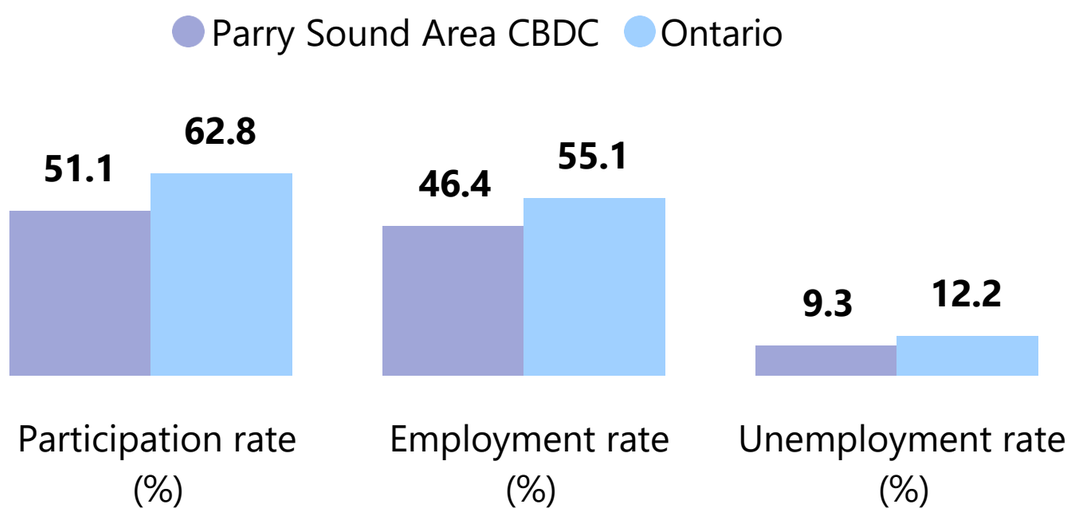
Labour Force Status



Self-Employment Rate

Parry Sound Area CBDC

21.1%

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15.0%

Most Commonly Reported Industries (%)

Parry Sound Area CBDC

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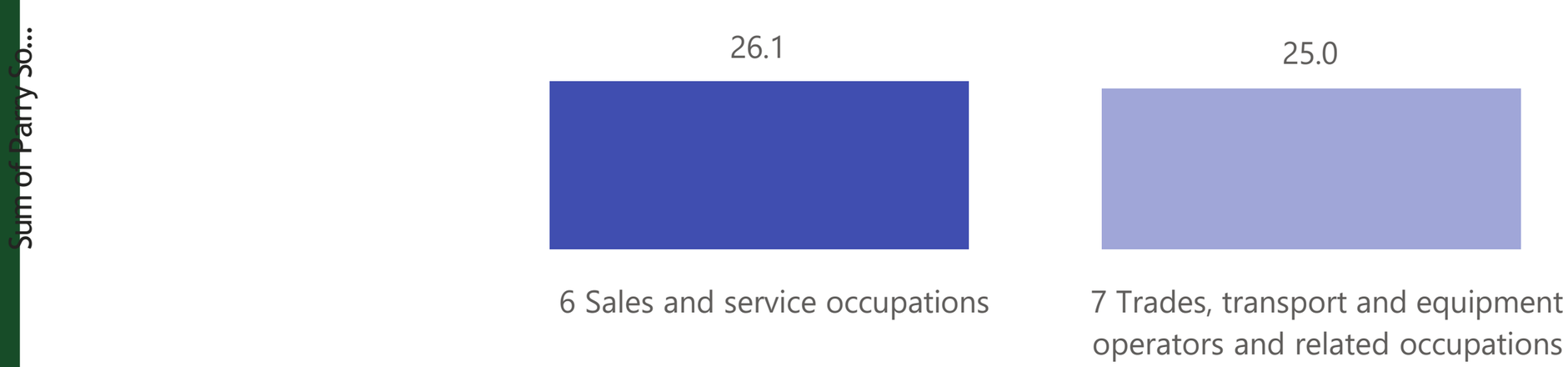
Most Commonly Reported Occupations (%)

Parry Sound Area CBDC



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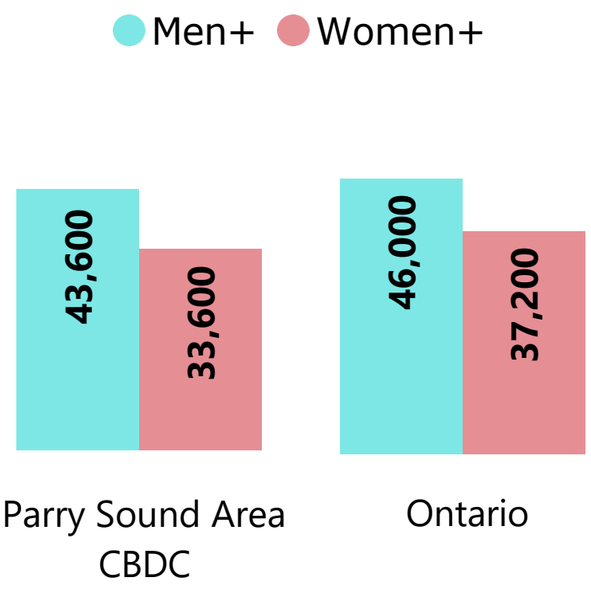
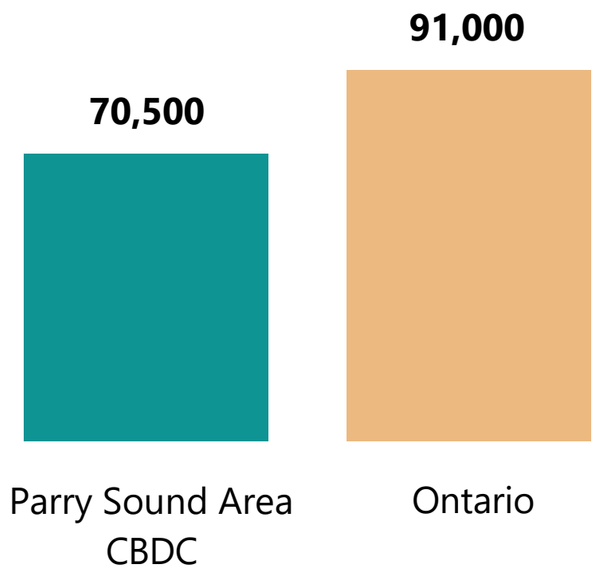
Median Before Tax Income ($) (2020)

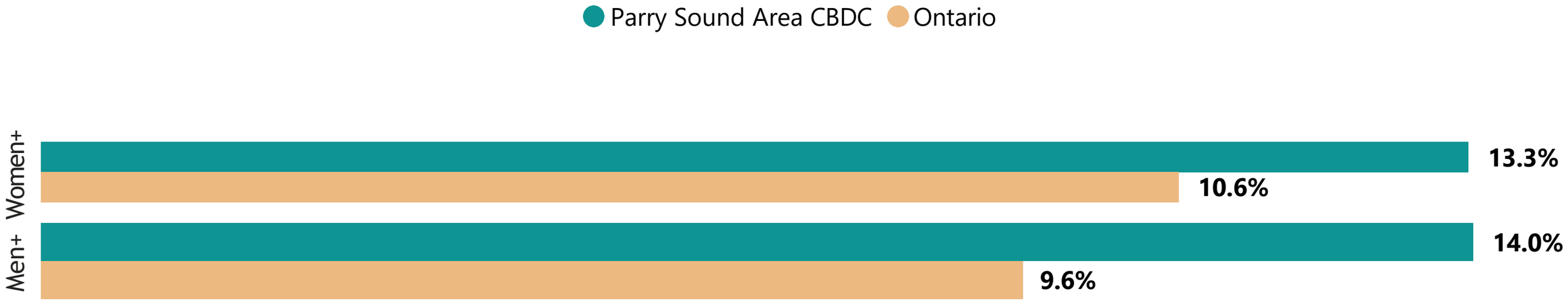
Men+ VS Women+



Household Income (All Private Households)



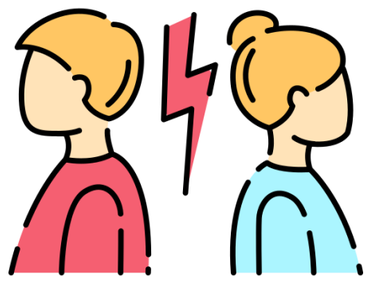
Prevalence of Low Income (Based on After-Tax Low Income Measure)



Parry Sound Area CBDC

1,685

Number of Men+ in Low Income

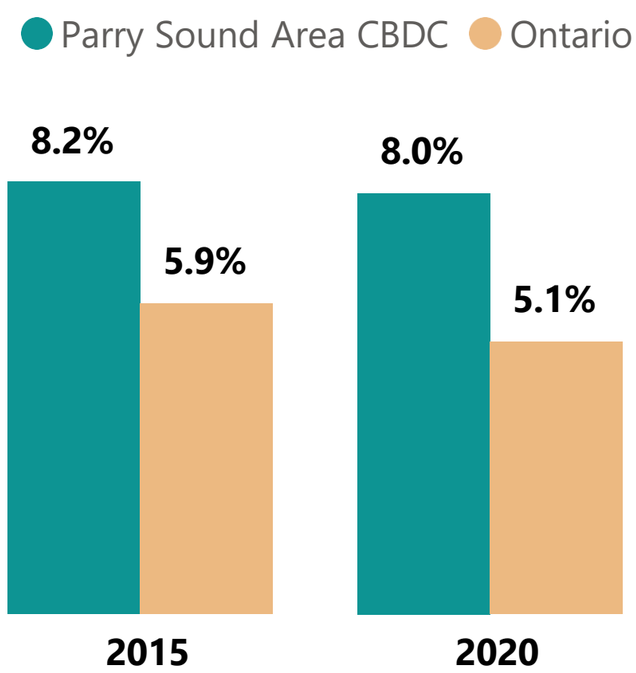


Parry Sound Area CBDC

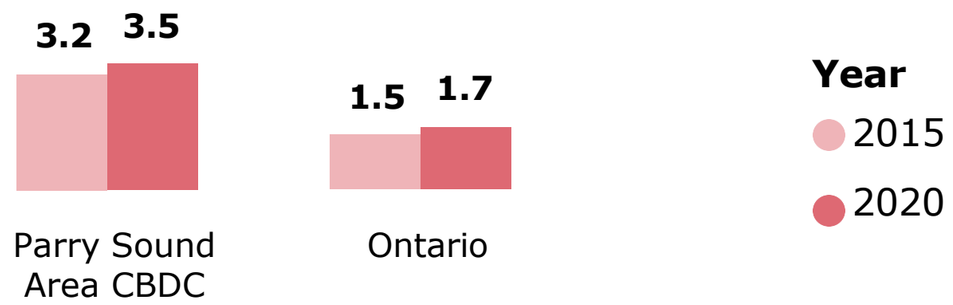
1,560

Number of Women+ in Low Income

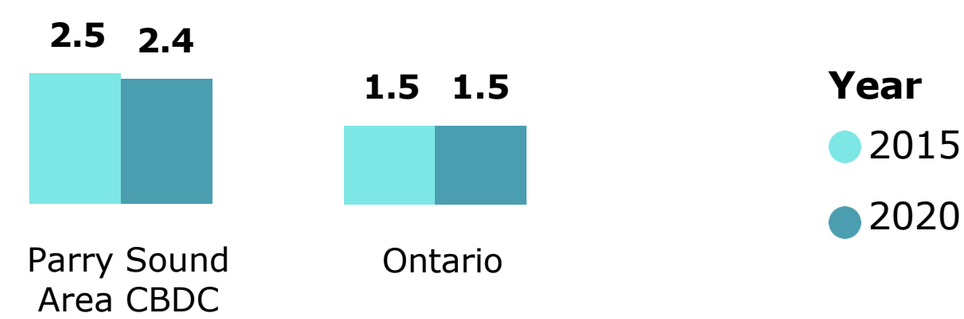
Self-Employment Income as a Percent of Employment Income



Economic Dependency Ratio: Employment Insurance



Economic Dependency Ratio: Social Assistance



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Location Counts - Top 3 Industries (%)

Small Businesses

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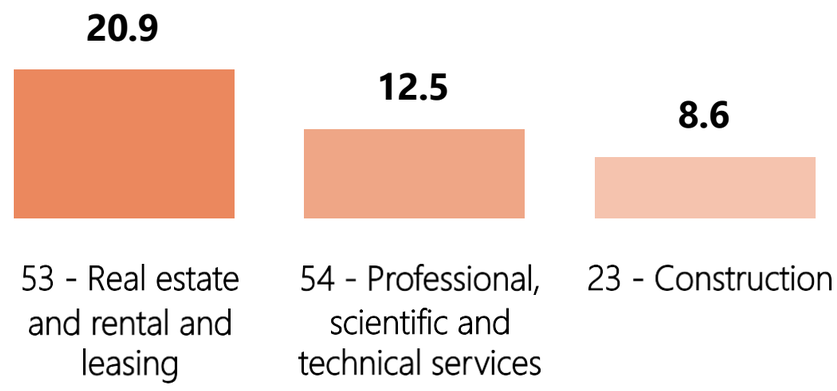

Medium Businesses

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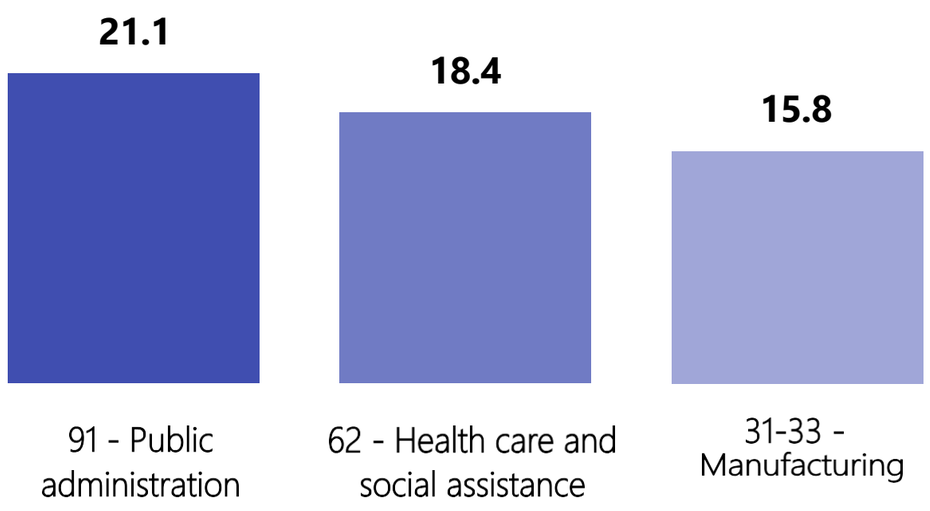

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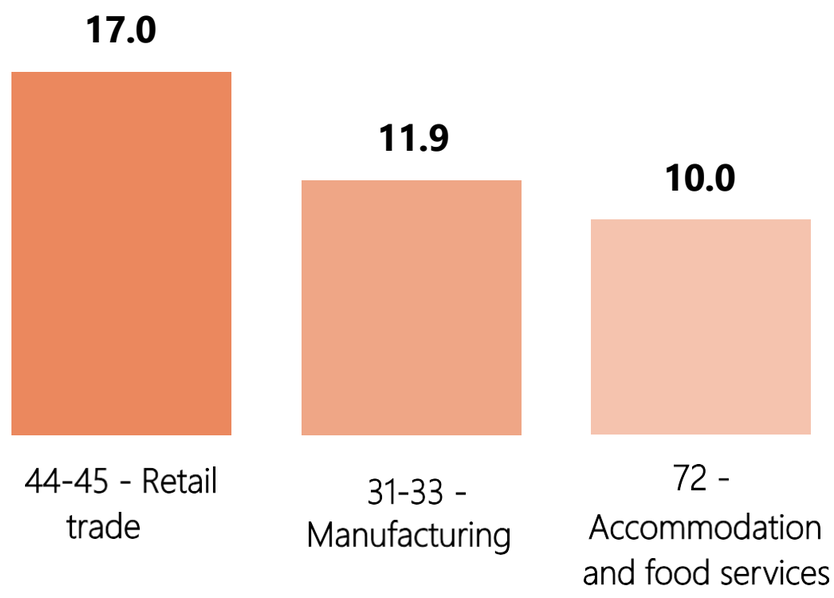

Large Businesses

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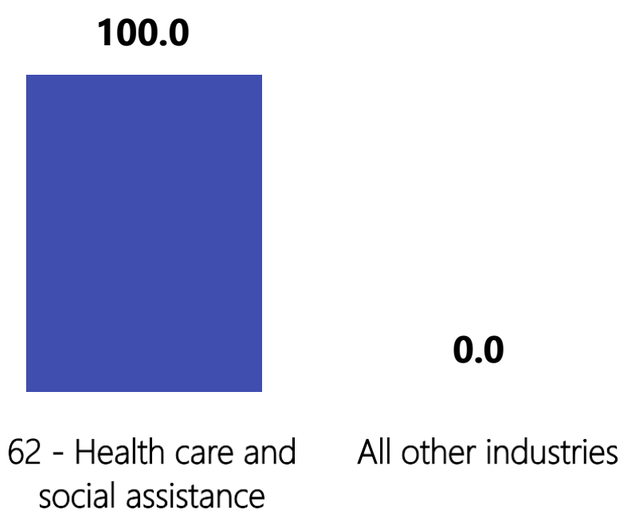

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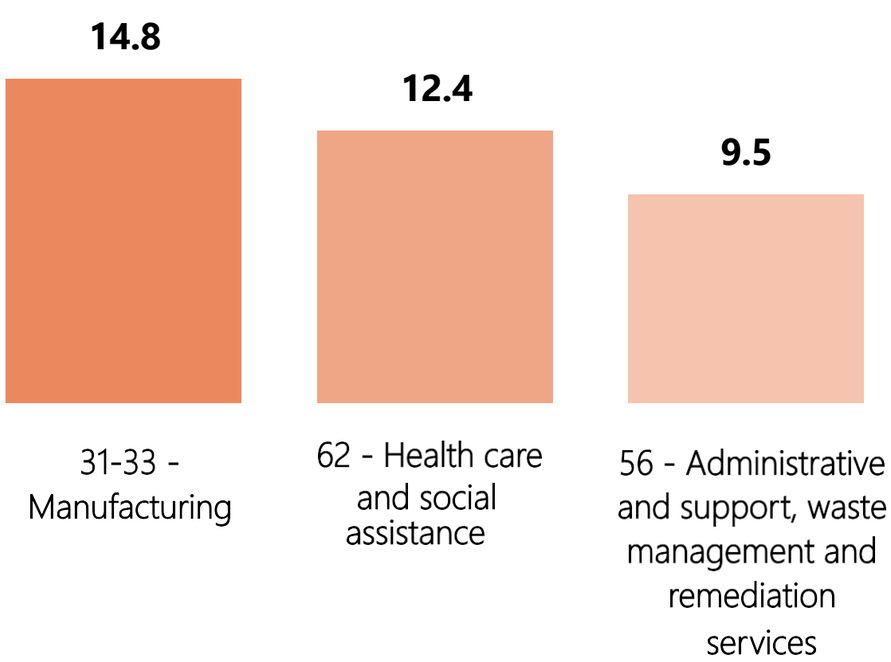

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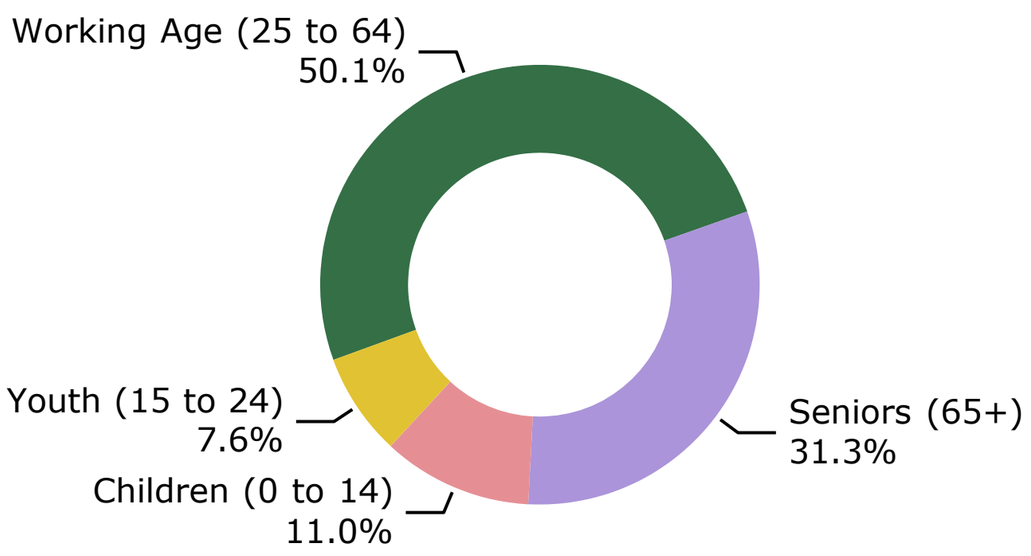
Population by Age Groups, 2021
Parry Sound Area CBDC



	% Change 2011-2016	% Change 2016-2021
Total Population	-0.2%	14.5%
Children (0 to 14)	-7.0%	7.1%
Youth (15 to 24)	-16.4%	-0.3%
Working Age (25 to 64)	-1.7%	11.5%
Seniors (65+)	13.1%	27.6%

Population by Age Groups, 2021 - Parry Sound Area CBDC

	Total - Gender		Men+		Women+	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total - Age	24,890	100%	12,615	100%	12,275	100%
0 to 4 years	830	3.33%	415	3.29%	410	3.34%
5 to 9 years	930	3.74%	460	3.65%	475	3.87%
10 to 14 years	900	3.62%	465	3.69%	435	3.54%
15 to 19 years	1,030	4.14%	545	4.32%	485	3.95%
20 to 24 years	910	3.66%	490	3.88%	420	3.42%
25 to 29 years	1,085	4.36%	565	4.48%	520	4.24%
30 to 34 years	1,180	4.74%	615	4.88%	565	4.60%
35 to 39 years	1,100	4.42%	545	4.32%	555	4.52%
40 to 44 years	1,055	4.24%	545	4.32%	510	4.15%
45 to 49 years	1,145	4.60%	565	4.48%	580	4.73%
50 to 54 years	1,485	5.97%	740	5.87%	750	6.11%
55 to 59 years	2,475	9.94%	1,250	9.91%	1,225	9.98%
60 to 64 years	2,765	11.11%	1,415	11.22%	1,355	11.04%
65 to 69 years	2,540	10.20%	1,285	10.19%	1,255	10.22%
70 to 74 years	2,070	8.32%	1,045	8.28%	1,020	8.31%
75 to 79 years	1,410	5.66%	745	5.91%	665	5.42%
80 to 84 years	1,060	4.26%	545	4.32%	520	4.24%
85 years and over	915	3.68%	380	3.01%	535	4.36%
Median age	56.8		56.8		57.2	

Source: Statistics Canada, special tabulations, unpublished data, 2011, 2016, 2021 Censuses of Population

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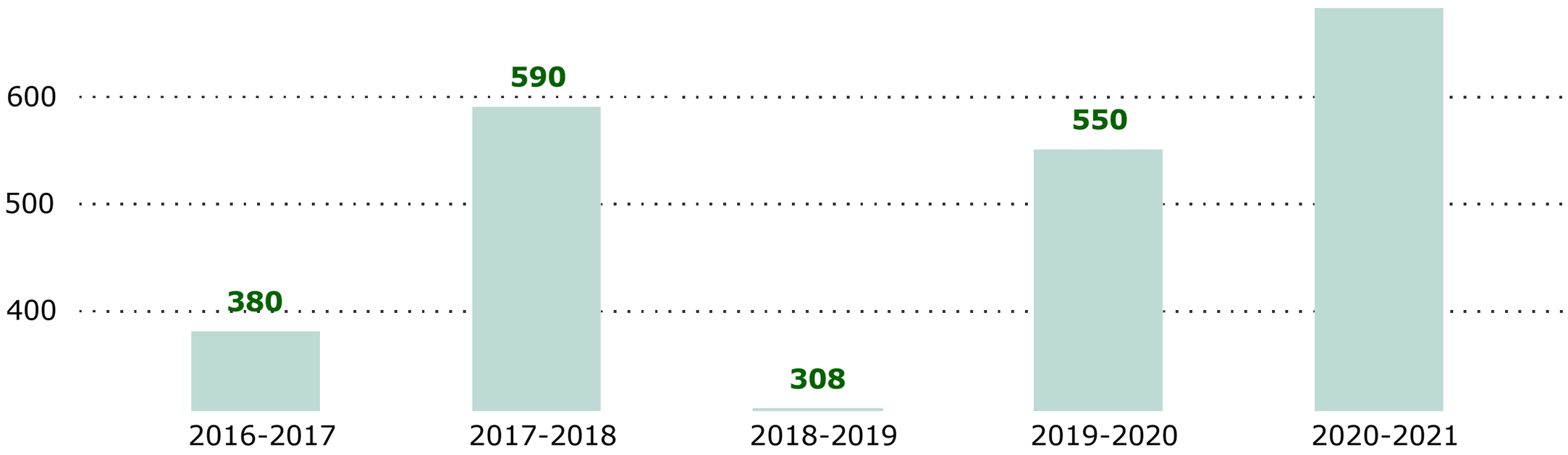
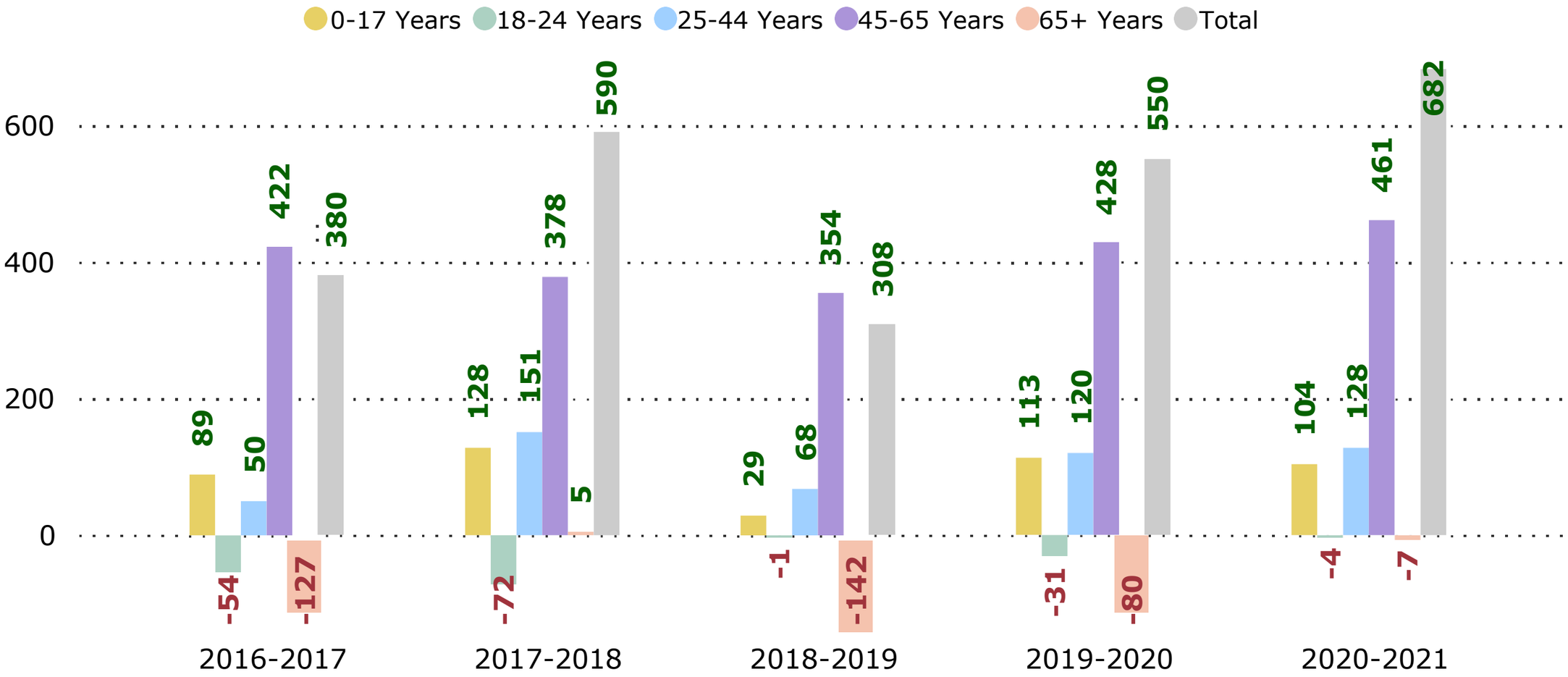
Migrants - Parry Sound District

	In-Migrants	Out-Migrants	Net-Migrants
2016-2017	2,517	2,137	380
2017-2018	2,504	1,914	590
2018-2019	2,235	1,927	308
2019-2020	2,431	1,881	550
2020-2021	2,385	1,703	682

Net-Migrants - Parry Sound District



Net-Migrants by Age Group - Parry Sound District



Source: Statistics Canada, Demography Division, Migration Estimates by Census Division, 91C0025

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Census Family by Family Structure - Parry Sound Area CBDC

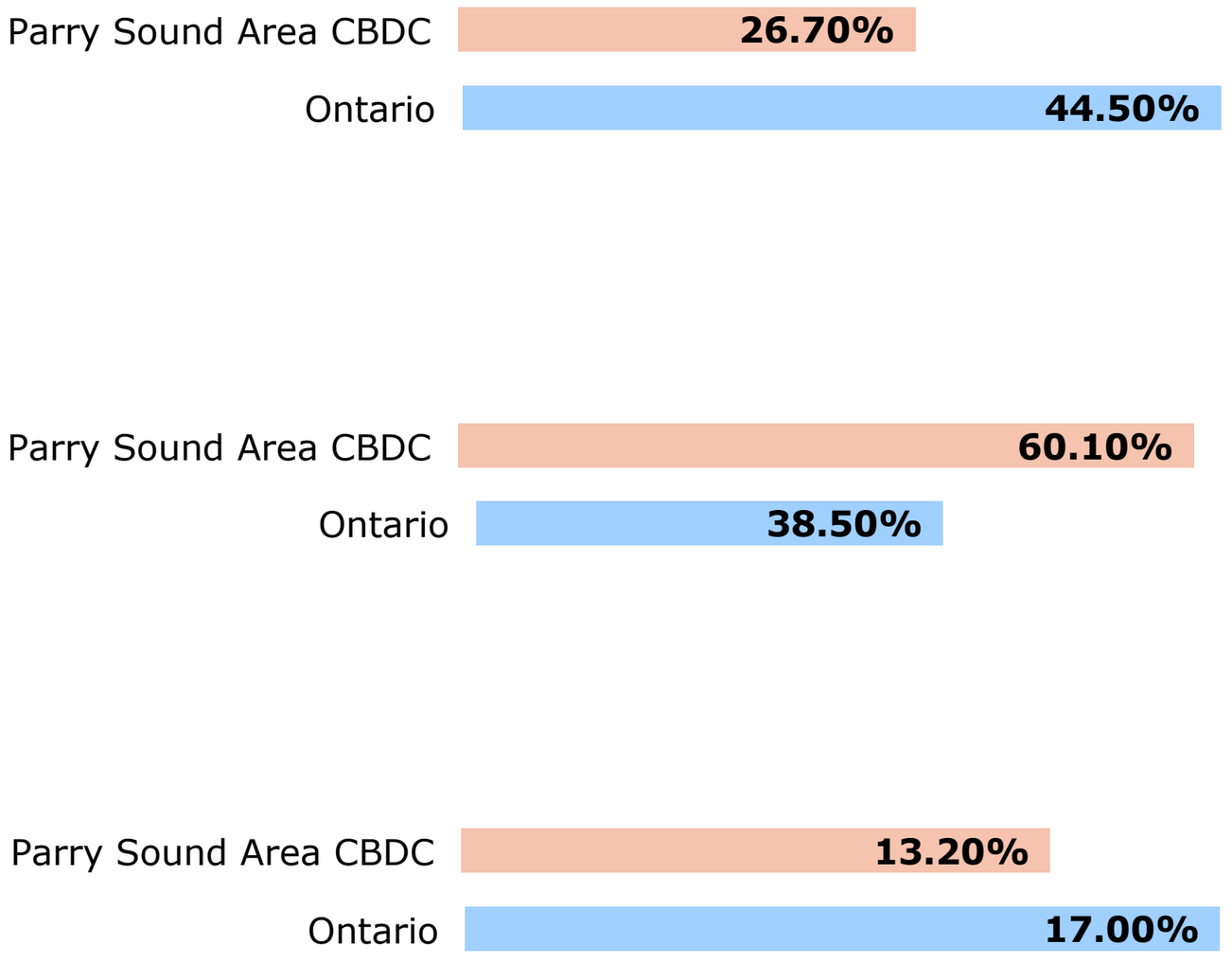
	2011 Census	2016 Census	2021 Census
Total number of census families	6,595	6,645	7,530
Couple families with children	2,090	1,940	2,010
Couple families without children	3,640	3,880	4,520
Total one-parent families	870	825	995

Census Family by Family Structure - 2021

Couple families with children

Couple families without children

One-parent families



*Ontario counts are 100% data

Source: Statistics Canada, special tabulations, unpublished data, 2011, 2016, 2021 Censuses of Population

Children in Census Families - 2020

	Ontario	Parry Sound Area CBDC
Total	4,203,180	4,710
Under 5 years	715,220	840
5 to 14 years	1,586,540	1,760
15 to 19 years	776,320	930
20 to 24 years	497,080	530
25 years and over	628,140	630

Source: Statistics Canada, special tabulations, unpublished data, T1 Family File, Table 2

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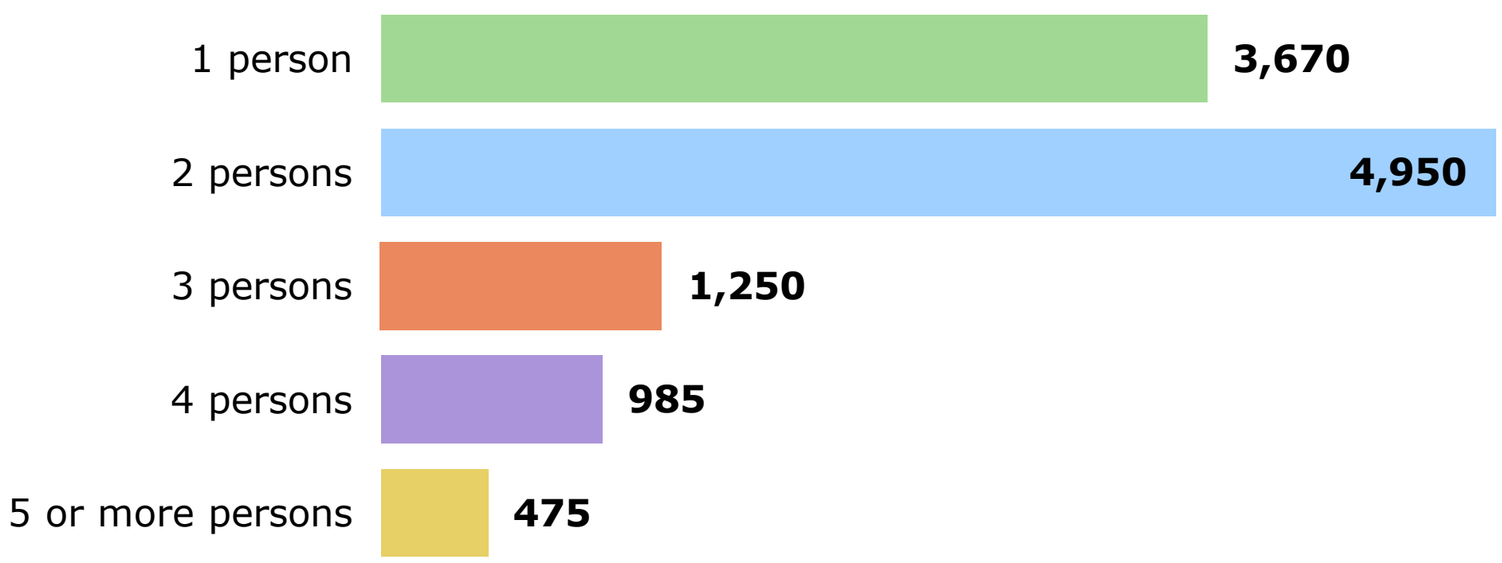
Private Households by Household Size - 2021	Number	%
Total	11,325	100.0%
1 person	3,670	32.4%
2 persons	4,950	43.7%
3 persons	1,250	11.0%
4 persons	985	8.7%
5 or more persons	475	4.2%
Average number of persons in private households	2.1	

Private Households by Household Size, 2021 - Parry Sound Area CBDC



Private Households by Household Type, 2021 - Parry Sound Area CBDC

Private Households by Household Type - 2021	Number	%
Total	11,325	100.0%
One-census-family households without additional persons	6,810	60.1%
Multigenerational households	200	1.8%
Multiple-census-family households	80	0.7%
One-census-family households with additional persons	255	2.3%
Two-or-more-person non-census-family households	315	2.8%
One-person households	3,670	32.4%

Source: Statistics Canada, special tabulations, unpublished data, 2021 Census of Population

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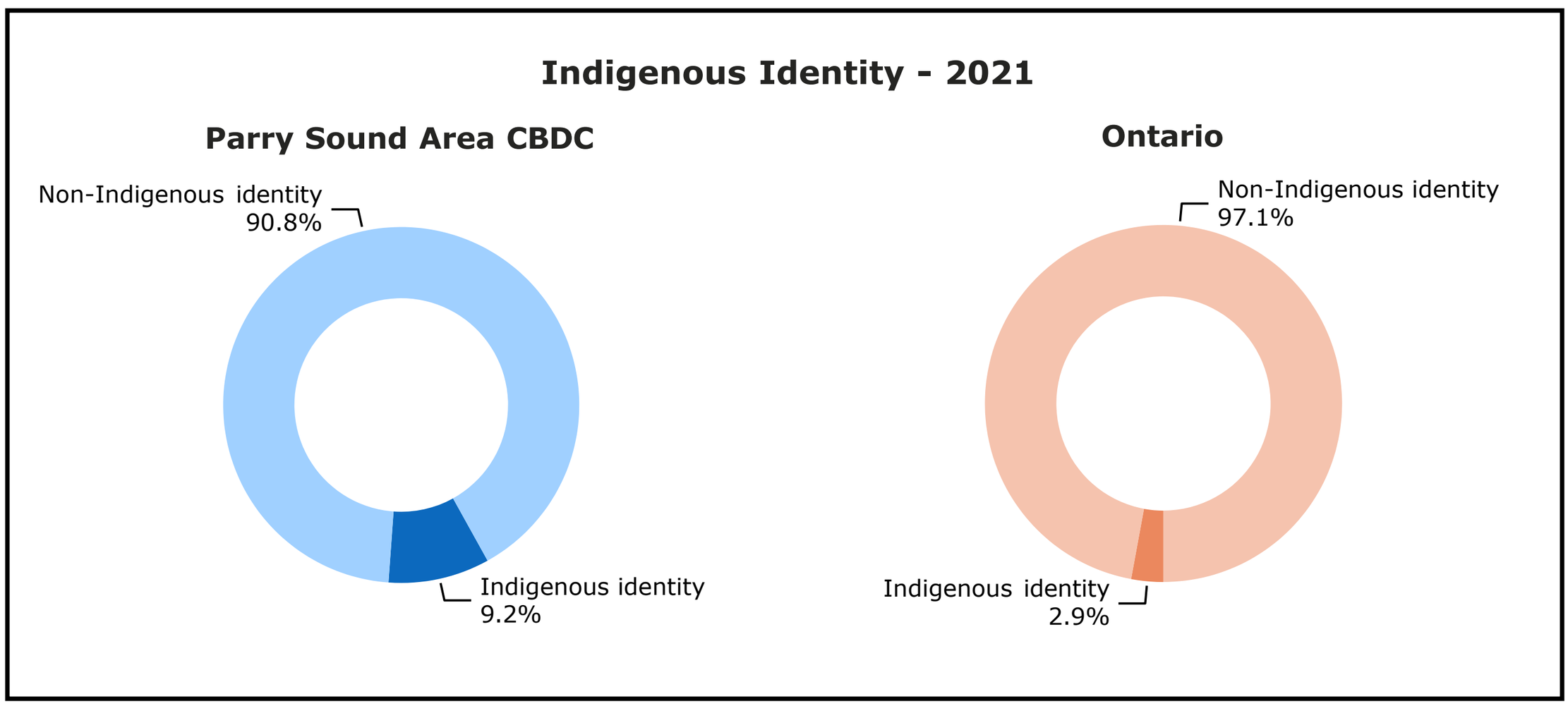
Indigenous Identity - 2021

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total Population	14,031,750	100.0%	23,870	100.0%
Indigenous identity	406,585	2.9%	2,195	9.2%
Non-Indigenous identity	13,625,165	97.1%	21,675	90.8%



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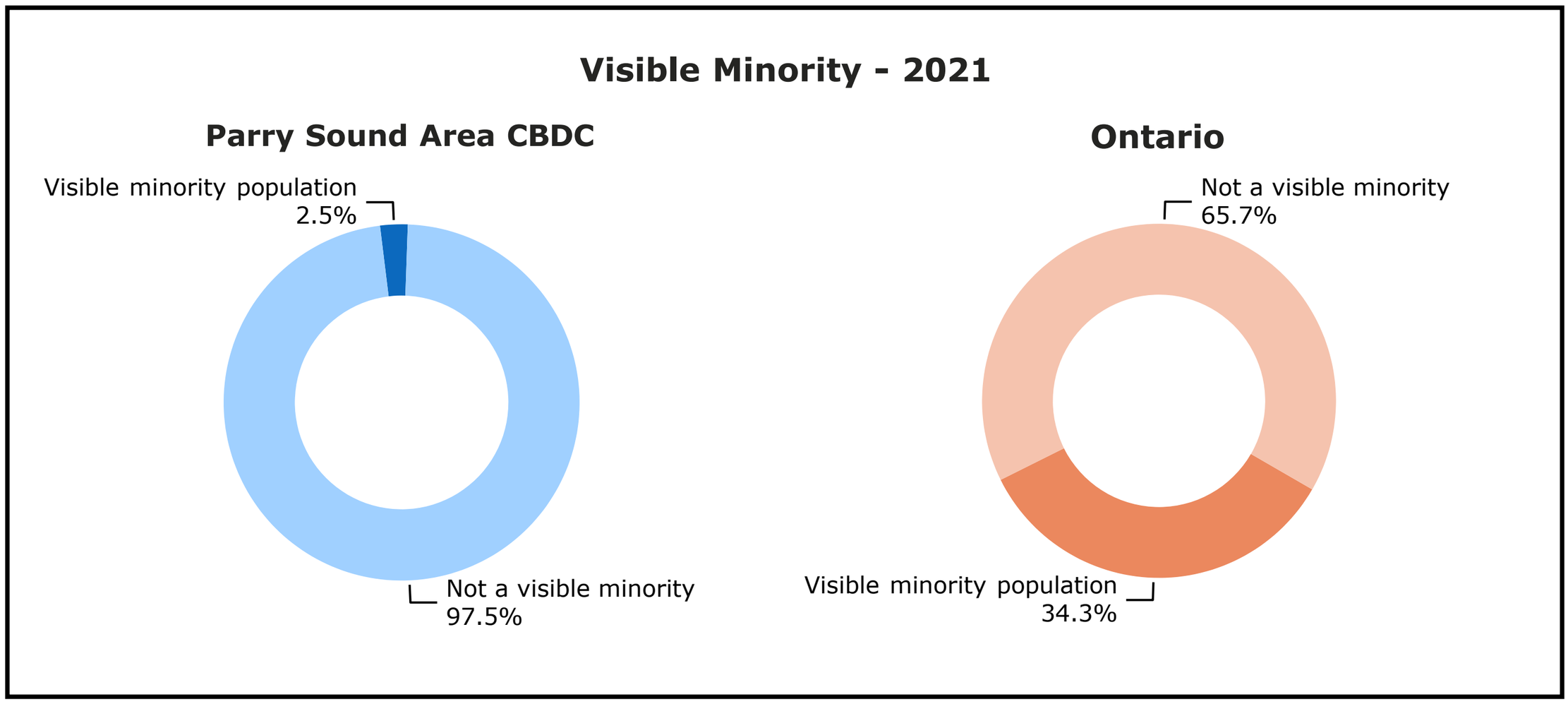
Visible Minority - 2021

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total Population	14,031,750	100.0%	23,870	100.0%
Visible minority population	4,817,355	34.3%	590	2.5%
Not a visible minority	9,214,395	65.7%	23,280	97.5%



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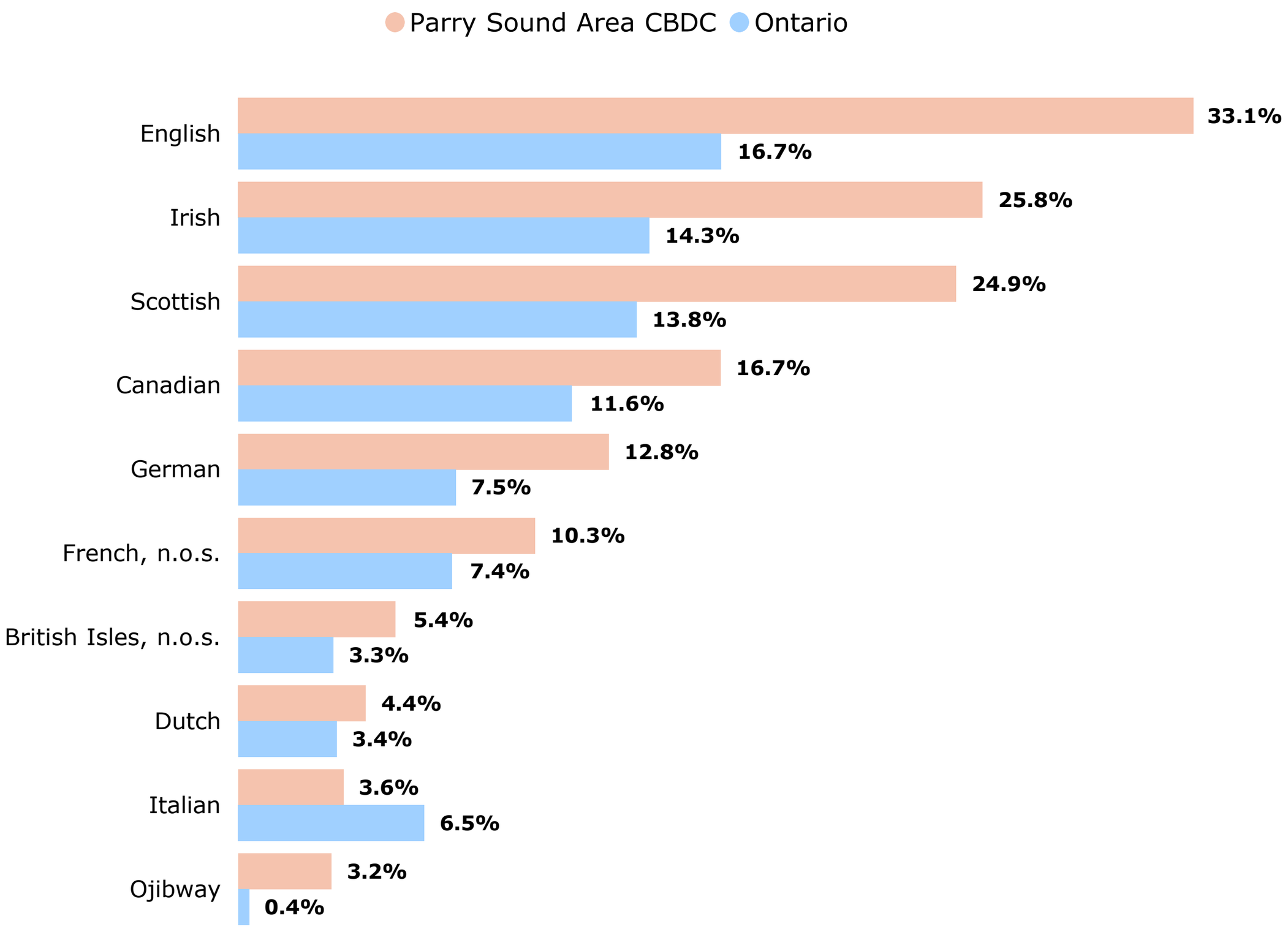
Top 10 Ethnic Origins (Total Responses) 2021 - Parry Sound Area CBDC

	Parry Sound Area CBDC	Ontario
Total Population	23,870	14,031,750
English	7,905	2,347,690
Irish	6,160	1,999,985
Scottish	5,940	1,937,015
Canadian	3,990	1,621,660
German	3,065	1,058,070
French, n.o.s.	2,455	1,039,385
British Isles, n.o.s.	1,300	463,000
Dutch	1,055	478,860
Italian	870	905,100
Ojibway	770	52,770

Top 10 Ethnic Origins (Total Responses) - 2021



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Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Mother Tongue (Single Responses) - 2011

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total - Single responses	12,434,770	100.0%	21,050	100.0%
English	8,677,040	6 .8%	19,345	91.9
French	493,300	4.0%	355	1.7%
Non-official languages	3,264,435	26.3%	1,350	6.4%

Mother Tongue (Single Responses) - 2016

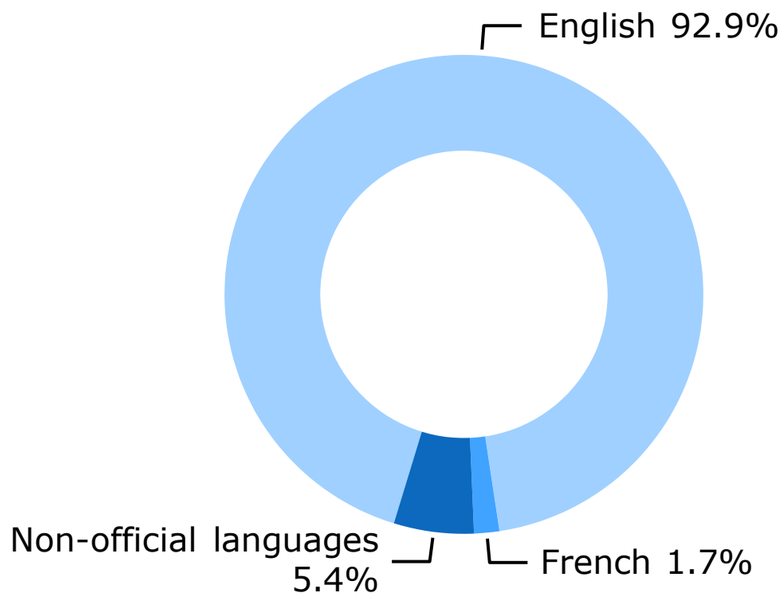
	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total - Single responses	12,888,320	100.0%	20,725	100.0%
English	8,860,650	6 .7%	19,020	91.8
French	486,275	3.8%	320	1.5%
Non-official languages	3,541,390	27.5%	1,385	6.7%

Mother Tongue (Single Responses) - 2021

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total - Single responses	13,368,445	100.0%	23,605	100.0%
English	9,131,295	6 .3%	21,930	92.9
French	455,295	3.4%	400	1.7%
Non-official languages	3,781,855	28.3%	1,280	5.4%

Mother Tongue, Single Responses - 2021

Parry Sound Area CBDC



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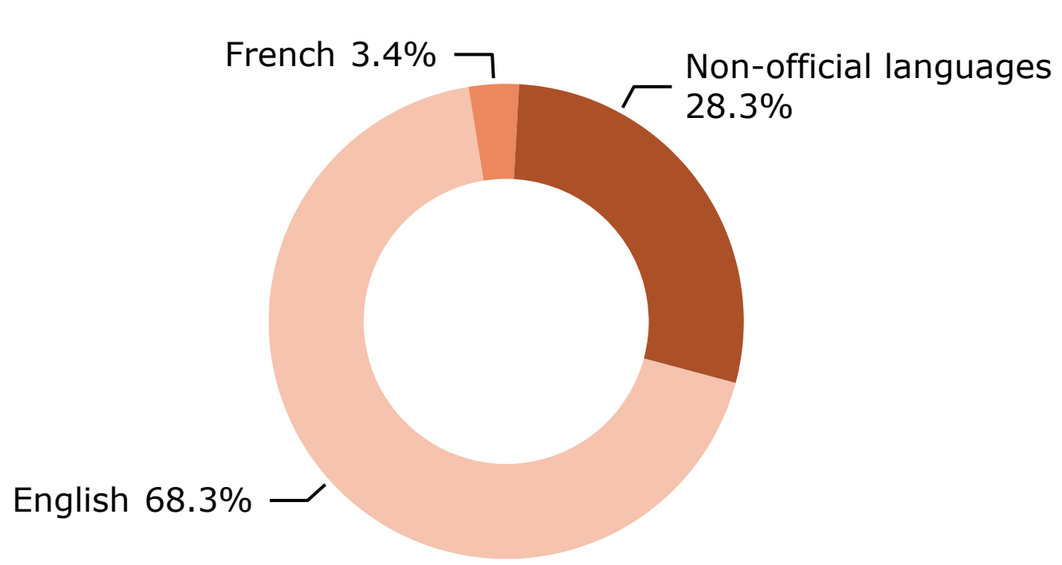

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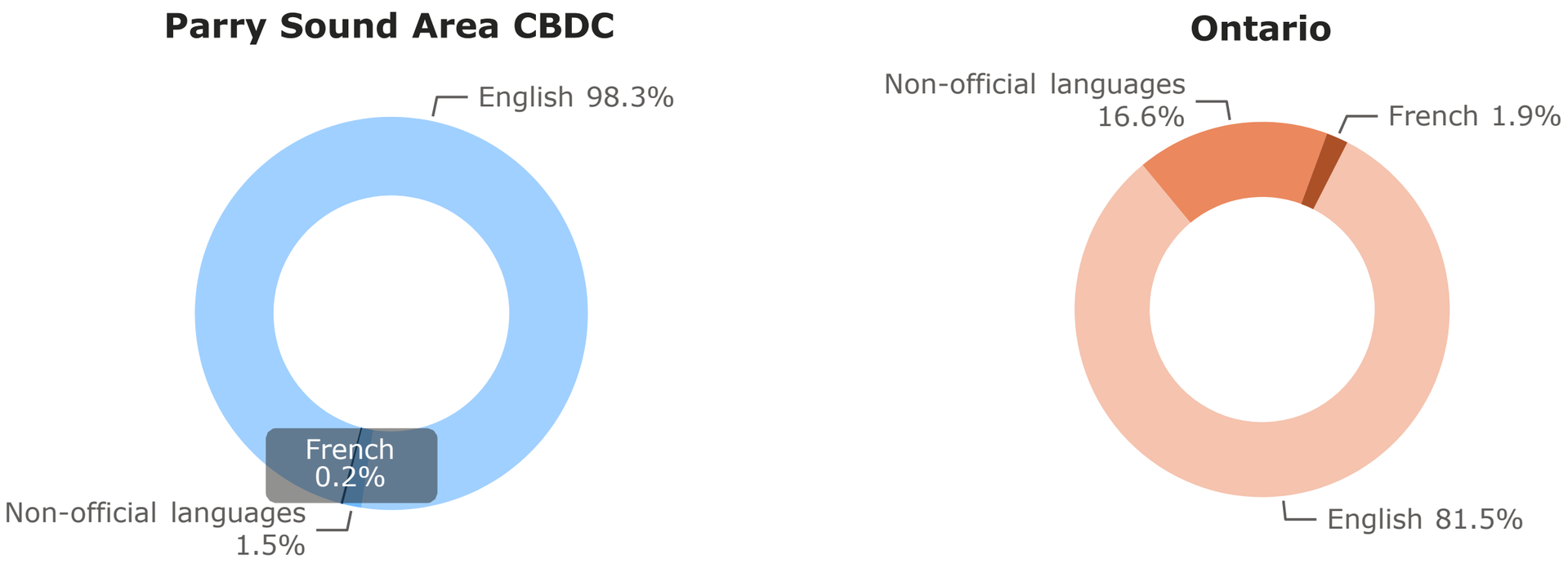
Languages Spoken Most Often at Home (Single Responses) - 2021

	Ontario	Parry Sound Area CBDC
Total population	13,317,800	23,725
English	10,852,955	23,315
French	249,210	50
Non-official languages	2,215,640	360

Languages Spoken Most Often at Home (Single Responses) - 2021



First Official Languages Spoken - 2021

	Ontario	Parry Sound Area CBDC
Total population	14,031,755	23,870
English	13,116,785	23,460
French	477,860	370
English and French	100,405	10
Neither English nor French	336,695	25

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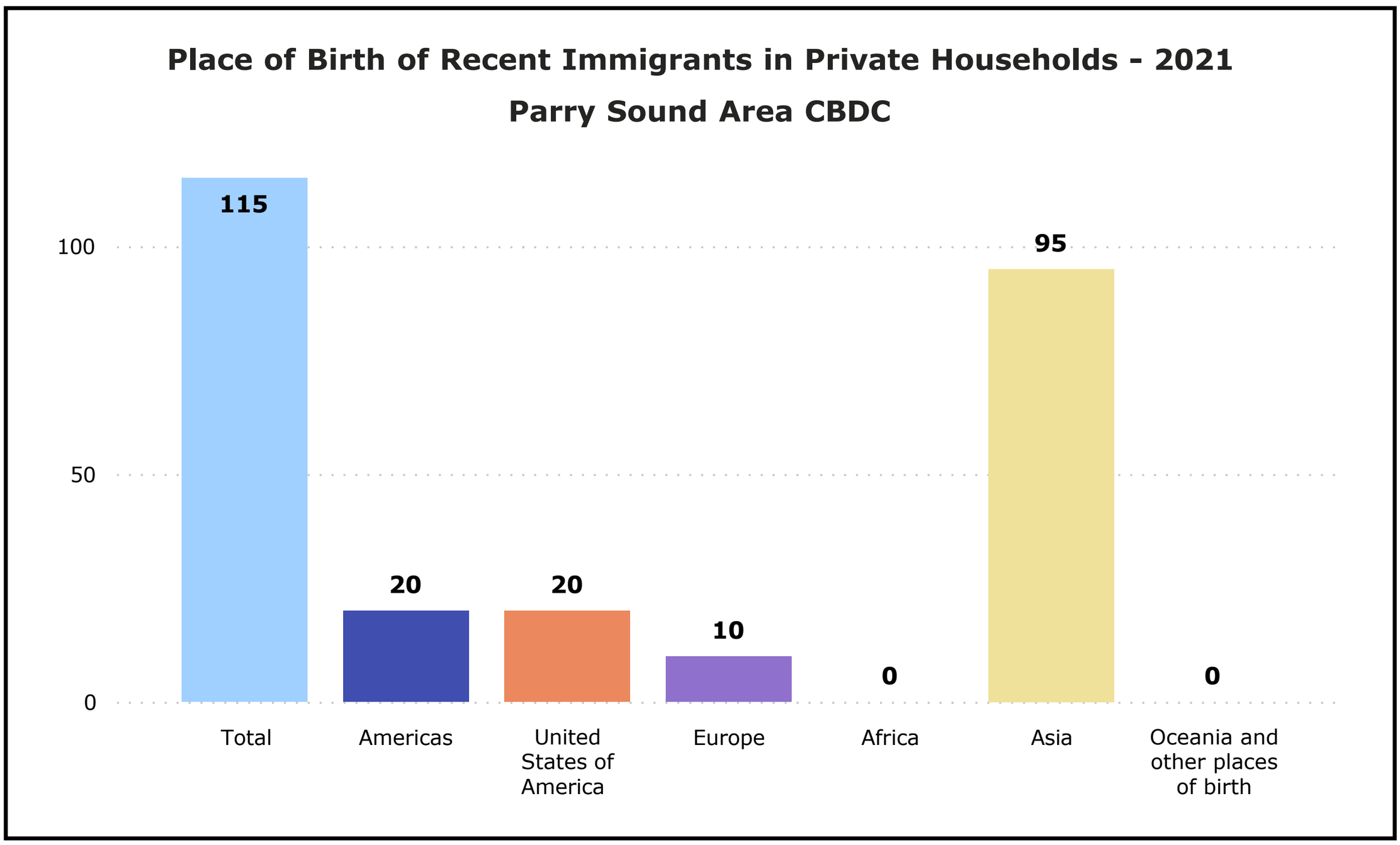
Places of Birth of Total and Recent Immigrants - 2021

		Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
		Number	%	Number	%
Total	**Total**	4,206,585	100.0%	1,875	100.0%
	Recent	584,685	100.0%	115	100.0%
Americas	**Total**	629,545	15.0%	250	13.3%
	Recent	68,450	11.7%	20	17.4%
United States of America	**Total**	111,390	2.6%	175	9.3%
	Recent	17,945	3.1%	20	17.4%
Europe	**Total**	1,049,730	25.0%	1,340	71.5%
	Recent	47,295	8.1%	10	8.7%
Africa	**Total**	287,915	6.8%	50	2.7%
	Recent	64,910	11.1%	0	0.0%
Asia	**Total**	2,225,590	52.9%	220	11.7%
	Recent	401,945	68.7%	95	82.6%
Oceania and other places of birth	**Total**	13,805	0.3%	15	0.8%
	Recent	2,085	0.4%	0	0.0%



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Admission Category for the Immigrant Population in Private Households Who Landed Between 1980 and 2021 - Parry Sound Area CBDC

	Men+		Women+	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total	280	100.0%	460	100.0%
Economic immigrants	125	44.6%	205	44.6%
Principal applicants	85	68.0%	105	51.2%
Secondary applicants	40	32.0%	100	48.8%
Immigrants sponsored by family	105	37.5%	220	47.8%
Refugees	35	12.5%	20	4.3%
Other immigrants	15	5.4%	20	4.3%

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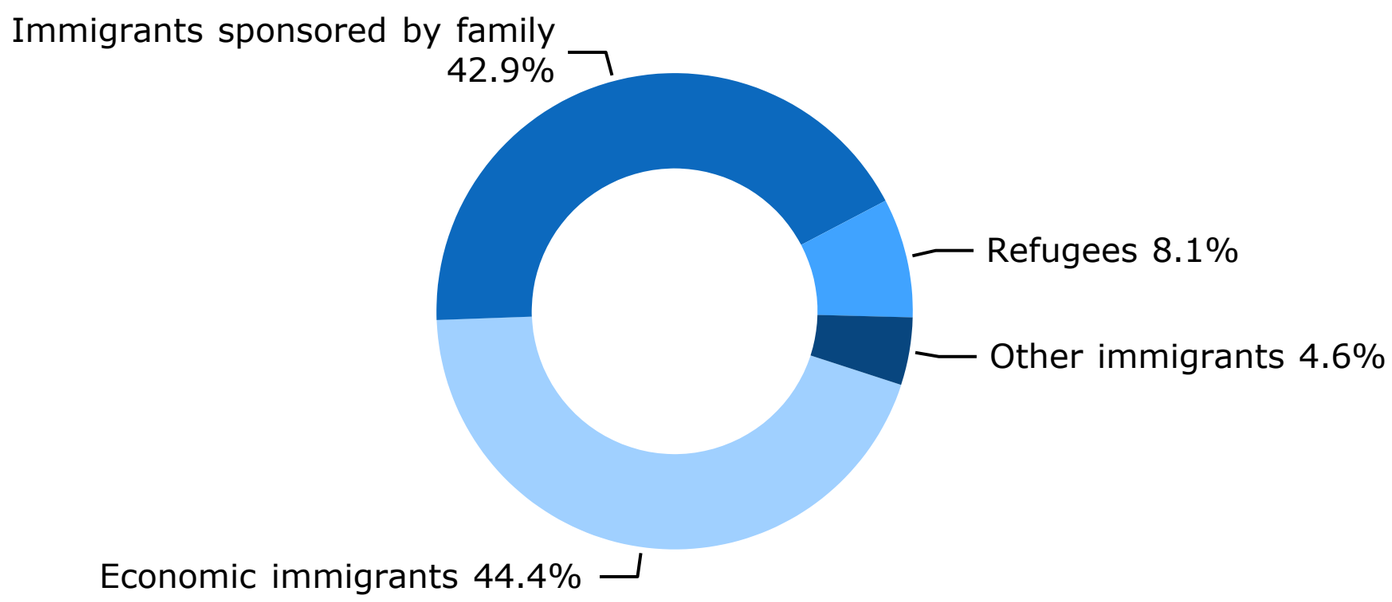

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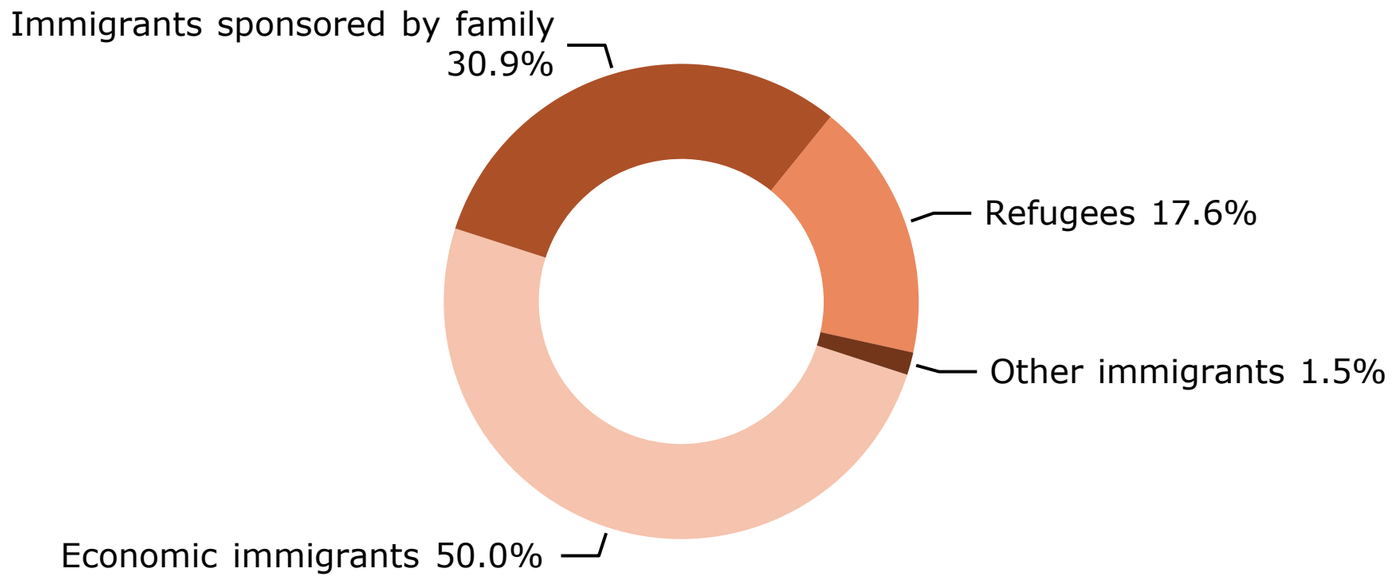

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Generation Status

2011 National Household Survey

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total population	12,651,795	100.0%	20,900	100.0%
First generation	3,779,630	29.9%	1,675	8.0%
Second generation	2,849,295	22.5%	2,875	13.8%
Third generation or more	6,022,875	47.6%	16,355	78.3%

2016 Census

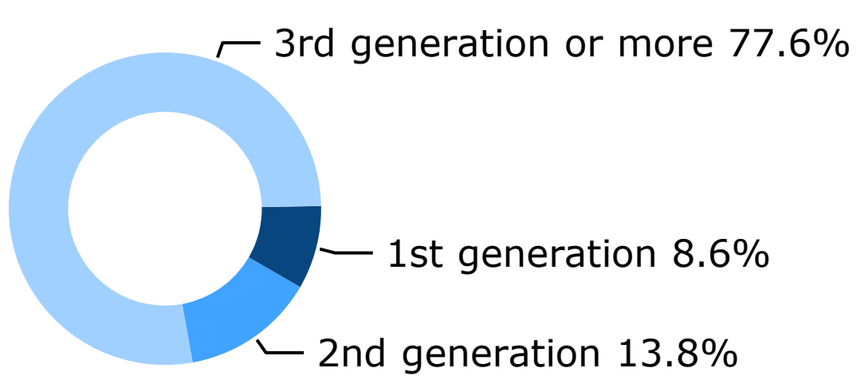
	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total population	13,242,160	100.0%	20,855	100.0%
First generation	4,122,840	31.1%	1,910	9.2%
Second generation	3,049,835	23.0%	2,830	13.6%
Third generation or more	6,069,485	45.8%	16,110	77.2%

2021 Census

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total population	14,031,750	100.0%	23,870	100.0%
First generation	4,725,795	33.7%	2,060	8.6%
Second generation	3,180,175	22.7%	3,295	13.8%
Third generation or more	6,125,785	43.7%	18,515	77.6%

Generation Status, 2021

Parry Sound Area CBDC



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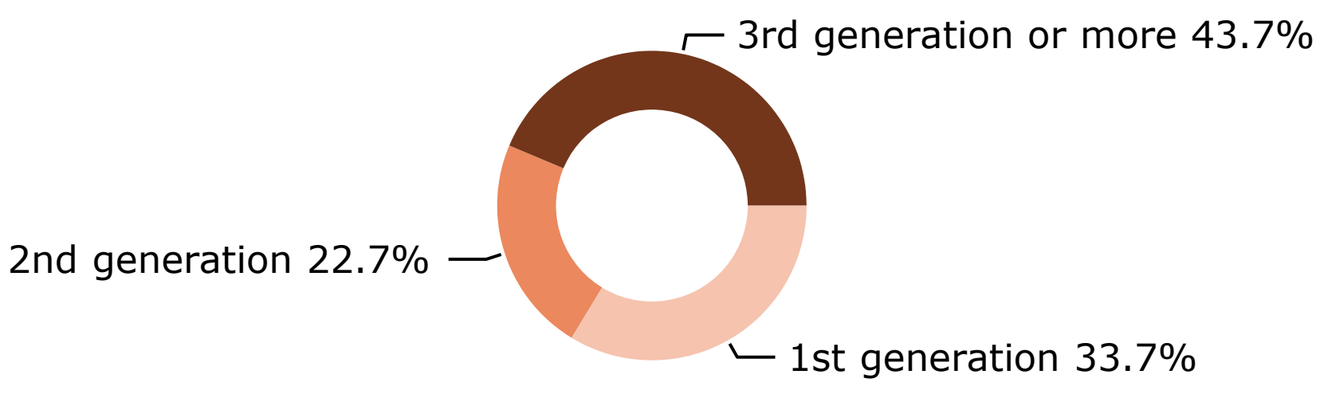

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Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Total Population 15 Years and Over
By Highest Certificate, Diploma or Degree - 2021

	Ontario	Parry Sound Area CBDC
Total population	11,782,825	21,235
No certificate, diploma or degree	1,799,885	3,785
High (secondary) school diploma or equivalent	3,204,165	6,710
Postsecondary certificate, diploma or degree	6,778,770	10,740
Postsecondary certificate or diploma below bachelor level	3,250,175	7,150
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	592,485	1,850
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma	2,389,205	4,950
University certificate or diploma below bachelor level	268,485	350
Bachelor's degree or higher	3,528,595	3,590
Bachelor's degree	2,307,690	2,490
University certificate, diploma or degree above bachelor level	1,220,900	1,110

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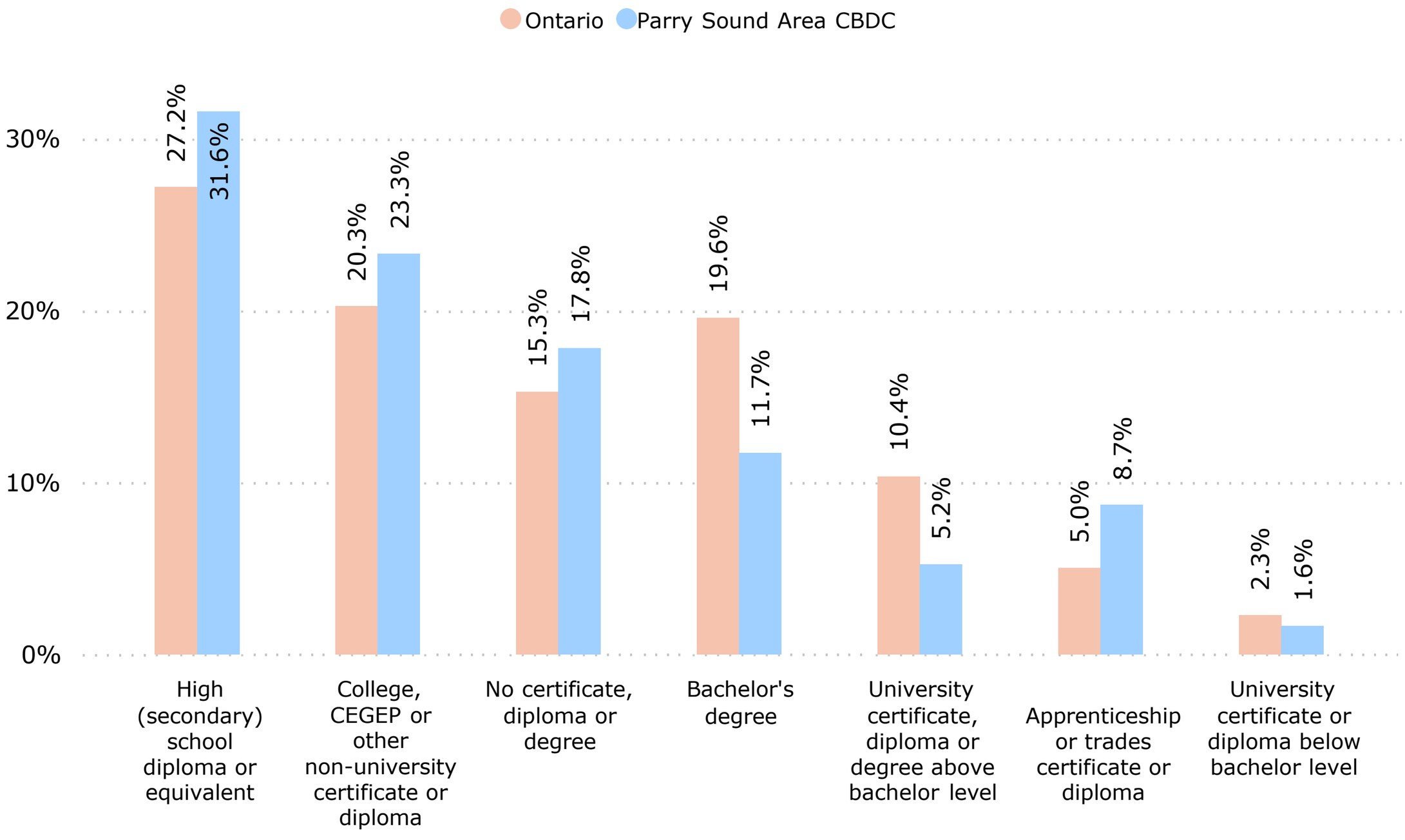

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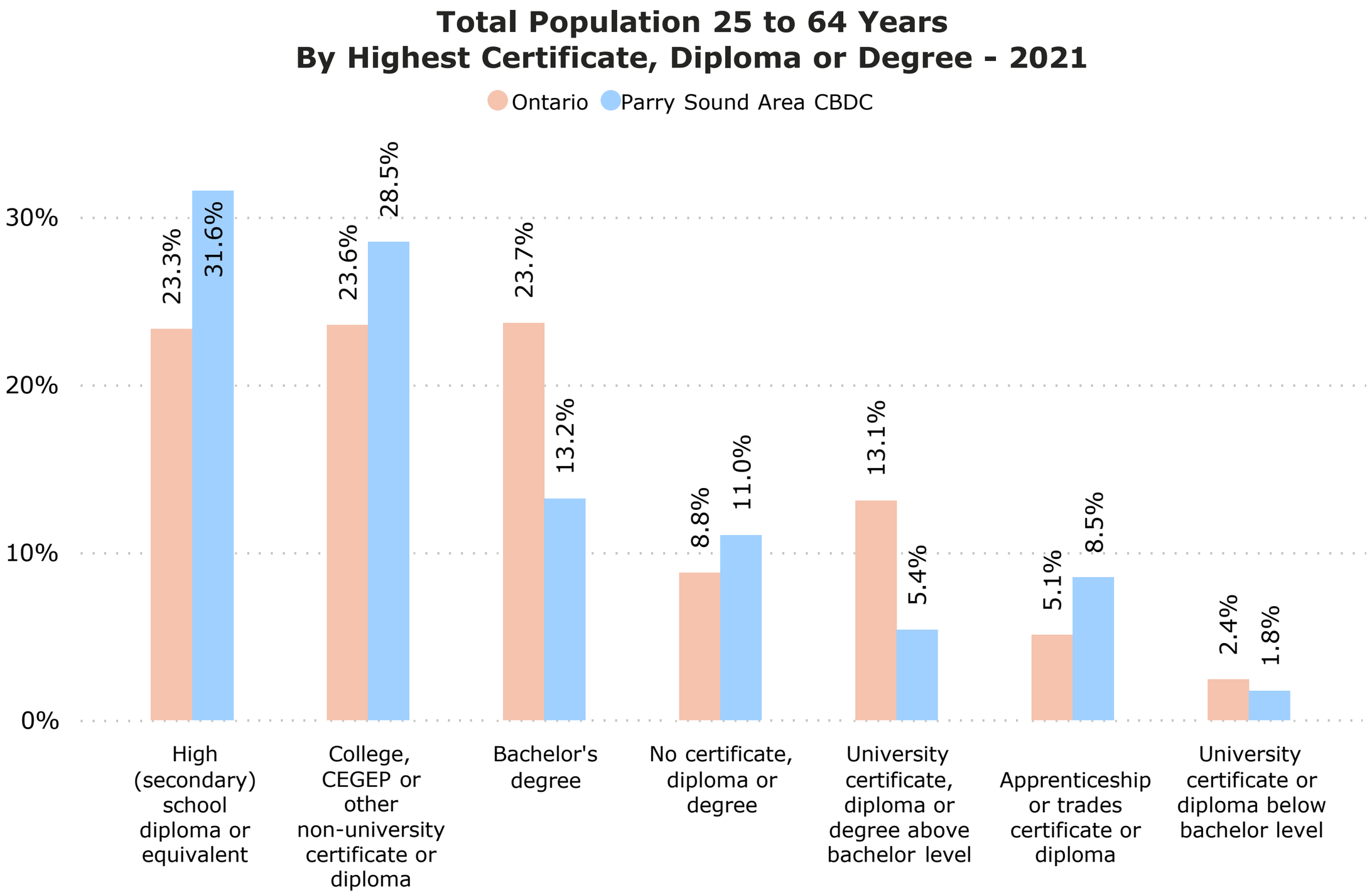
Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Total Population 25 to 64 Years
By Highest Certificate, Diploma or Degree - 2021

	Ontario	Parry Sound Area CBDC
Total population	7,584,645	11,970
No certificate, diploma or degree	667,660	1,320
High (secondary) school diploma or equivalent	1,770,810	3,780
Postsecondary certificate, diploma or degree	5,146,175	6,875
Postsecondary certificate or diploma below bachelor level	2,356,375	4,645
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	384,770	1,020
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma	1,787,575	3,415
University certificate or diploma below bachelor level	184,025	210
Bachelor's degree or higher	2,789,800	2,230
Bachelor's degree	1,798,010	1,580
University certificate, diploma or degree above bachelor level	991,785	645



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Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Major Field of Study for Population 15 Years and Over with Post Secondary Qualifications - 2021

		Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
		Number	%	Number	%
Total population with post-secondary qualifications - CIP 2021	**Men+**	3,220,620	100.0%	5,355	100.0%
	Women+	3,558,155	100.0%	5,385	100.0%
Education	**Men+**	79,485	2.5%	170	3.2%
	Women+	278,780	7.8%	535	9.9%
Visual and performing arts, and communications technologies	**Men+**	110,910	3.4%	195	3.6%
	Women+	147,575	4.1%	205	3.8%
Humanities	**Men+**	139,895	4.3%	215	4.0%
	Women+	248,270	7.0%	280	5.2%
Social and behavioural sciences and law	**Men+**	308,760	9.6%	385	7.2%
	Women+	620,210	17.4%	915	17.0%
Business, management and public administration	**Men+**	630,540	19.6%	690	12.9%
	Women+	841,950	23.7%	1,085	20.1%
Physical and life sciences and technologies	**Men+**	141,260	4.4%	145	2.7%
	Women+	162,045	4.6%	170	3.2%
Mathematics, computer and information sciences	**Men+**	240,245	7.5%	110	2.1%
	Women+	127,600	3.6%	105	1.9%
Architecture, engineering, and related trades	**Men+**	1,122,880	34.9%	2,380	44.4%
	Women+	151,935	4.3%	100	1.9%
Agriculture, natural resources and conservation	**Men+**	73,060	2.3%	345	6.4%
	Women+	59,705	1.7%	135	2.5%
Health and related fields	**Men+**	194,710	6.0%	320	6.0%
	Women+	744,895	20.9%	1,505	27.9%
Personal, protective and transportation services	**Men+**	178,160	5.5%	400	7.5%
	Women+	173,350	4.9%	355	6.6%
Other	**Men+**	725	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Women+	1,835	0.1%	0	0.0%

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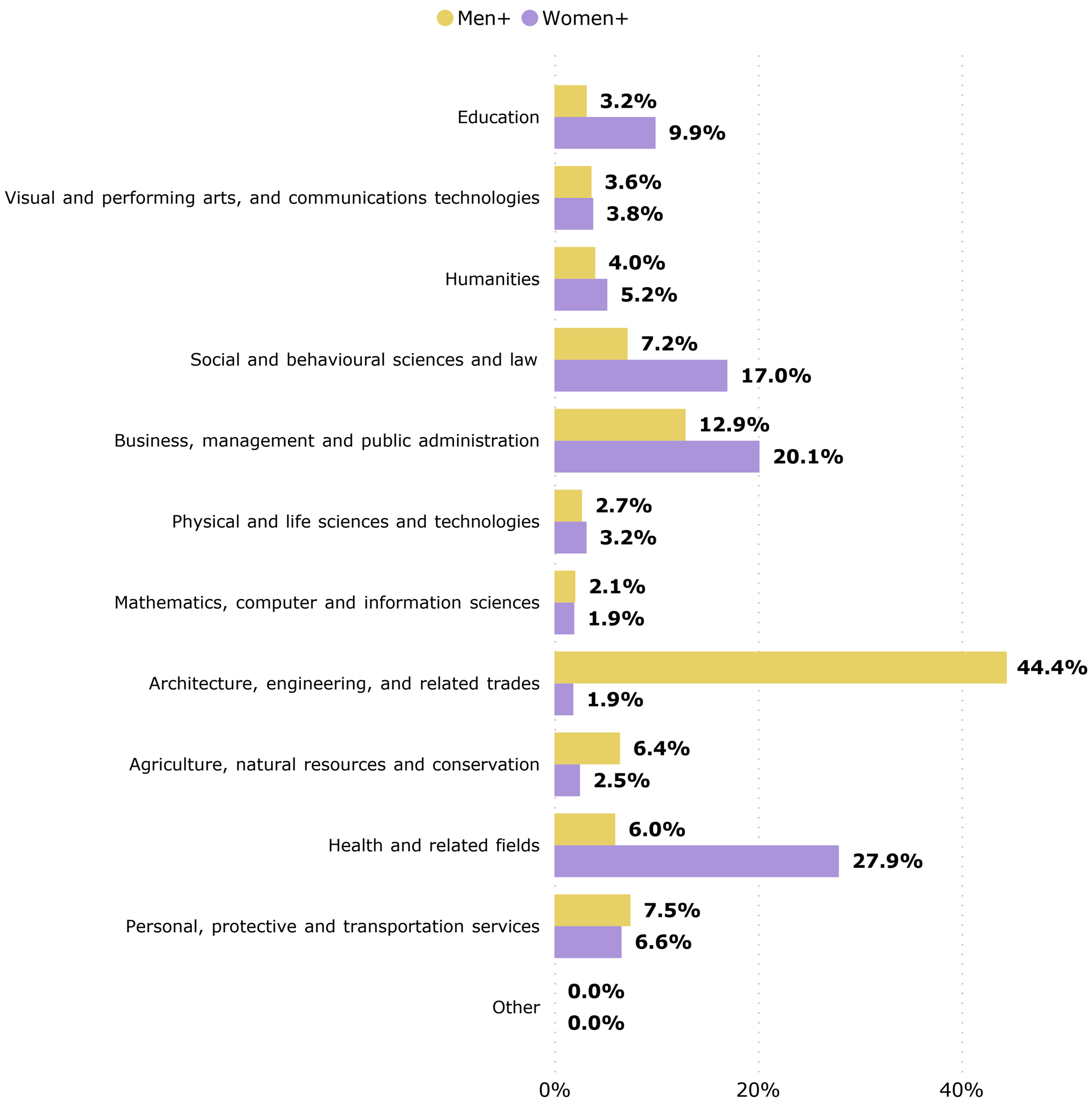
Major Field of Study for Population 15 Years and Over with Post Secondary Qualifications - 2021



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Labour Force Status for the Population 15 Years and Over

2016 Census

	Ontario			Parry Sound Area CBDC		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total	11,038,440	5,342,755	5,695,685	18,400	9,185	9,215
In the labour force	7,141,675	3,689,625	3,452,050	10,130	5,390	4,740
Employed	6,612,145	3,414,250	3,197,895	9,235	4,845	4,395
Unemployed	529,525	275,370	254,155	895	550	345
Not in the labour force	3,896,765	1,653,135	2,243,635	8,265	3,795	4,475
Participation rate (%)	64.7	69.1	60.6	55.1	58.7	51.4
Employment rate (%)	59.9	63.9	56.1	50.2	52.7	47.7
Unemployment rate (%)	7.4	7.5	7.4	8.8	10.2	7.3

2021 Census

	Ontario			Parry Sound Area CBDC		
	Total	Men+	Women+	Total	Men+	Women+
Total	11,782,825	5,733,365	6,049,460	21,235	10,740	10,495
In the labour force	7,399,200	3,847,325	3,551,875	10,860	5,680	5,175
Employed	6,492,890	3,416,955	3,075,935	9,845	5,125	4,720
Unemployed	906,310	430,370	475,945	1,015	555	460
Not in the labour force	4,383,620	1,886,035	2,497,585	10,380	5,055	5,320
Participation rate (%)	62.8	67.1	58.7	51.1	52.9	49.3
Employment rate (%)	55.1	59.6	50.8	46.4	47.7	45.0
Unemployment rate (%)	12.2	11.2	13.4	9.3	9.8	8.9

Class of Worker for the Population 15 Years and Over - 2021

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
All classes of workers	7,186,700	100.0%	10,675	100.0%
Employee	6,109,070	85.0%	8,430	79.0%
Self-employed	1,077,625	15.0%	2,250	21.1%

Source: Statistics Canada, special tabulations, unpublished data, 2016 and 2021 Censuses of Population

Total Labour Force Population Aged 15 Years and Over by Full-time or Part-time Weeks Worked, 2021 - Parry Sound Area CBDC

	Total Population 15+	%
Total	21,235	100.0%
Did not work	9,820	46.2%
Worked	11,415	53.8%
Worked full year full time	5,550	48.6%
Worked part year and/or part time	5,865	51.4%

	Men+	%
Total	10,740	100.0%
Did not work	4,740	44.1%
Worked	6,000	55.9%
Worked full year full time	3,070	51.2%
Worked part year and/or part time	2,930	48.8%

	Women+	%
Total	10,495	100.0%
Did not work	5,080	48.4%
Worked	5,415	51.6%
Worked full year full time	2,480	45.8%
Worked part year and/or part time	2,935	54.2%

Source: Statistics Canada, special tabulations, unpublished data, 2021 Census of Population

Place of Work Status for the Employed Labour Force 15 Years and Over - 2021

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Men+	3,416,955	100.0%	5,130	100.0%
Worked at home	904,350	26.5%	810	15.8%
Worked outside Canada	19,860	0.6%	20	0.4%
No fixed workplace address	576,300	16.9%	1,240	24.2%
Usual place of work	1,916,450	56.1%	3,050	59.5%

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Women+	3,075,935	100.0%	4,715	100.0%
Worked at home	1,025,410	33.3%	925	19.6%
Worked outside Canada	9,880	0.3%	15	0.3%
No fixed workplace address	188,880	6.1%	370	7.8%
Usual place of work	1,851,765	60.2%	3,405	72.2%

Top 10 Industries for the Labour Force 15 Years and Over - 2021

Industries	Parry Sound Area CBDC (%)	Ontario (%)
All industries	10,675 (100%)	7,186,700 (100%)
62 Health care and social assistance	1,750 (16.3%)	859,915 (11.9%)
23 Construction	1,625 (15.2%)	538,340 (7.4%)
44-45 Retail trade	1,515 (14.1%)	798,095 (11.1%)
91 Public administration	715 (6.6%)	428,035 (5.9%)
31-33 Manufacturing	640 (5.9%)	655,935 (9.1%)
72 Accommodation and food services	610 (5.7%)	390,675 (5.4%)
56 Administrative and support, waste management and remediation services	510 (4.7%)	324,285 (4.5%)
54 Professional, scientific and technical services	490 (4.5%)	681,230 (9.4%)
61 Educational services	490 (4.5%)	531,260 (7.3%)
81 Other services (except public administration)	475 (4.4%)	283,115 (3.9%)
All other industries	1,855 (17.3%)	1,695,815 (23.5%)

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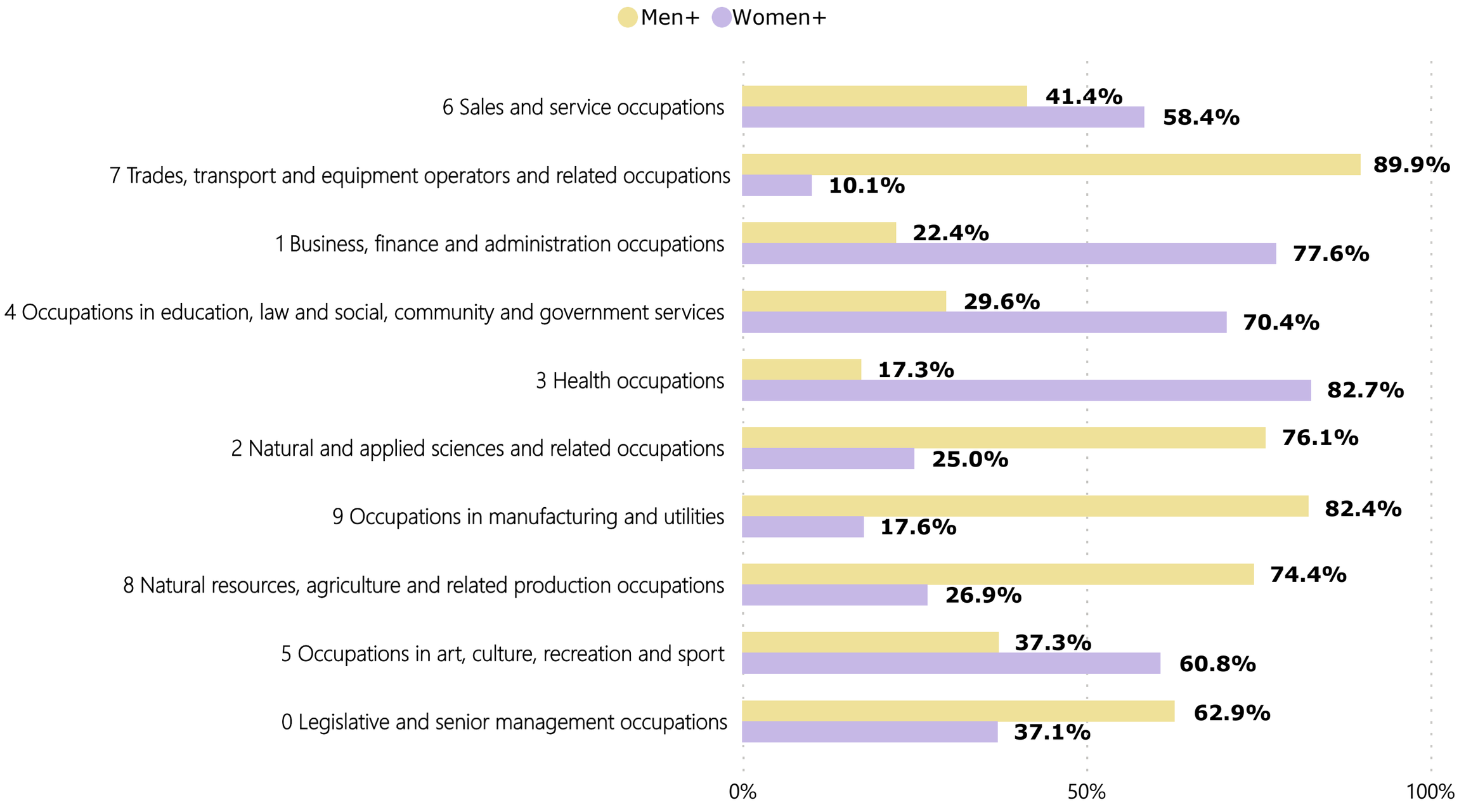
Occupation for the Labour Force 15 Years and Over - 2021

Occupation	Parry Sound Area CBDC (%)	Ontario (%)
All occupations - NOC 2021	10,675 (100%)	7,186,700 (100%)
6 Sales and service occupations	2,790 (26.1%)	1,175,410 (16.3%)
7 Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	2,665 (24.9%)	1,735,930 (24.1%)
1 Business, finance and administration occupations	1,430 (13.3%)	148,060 (2%)
4 Occupations in education, law and social, community and government services	1,165 (10.9%)	871,260 (12.1%)
3 Health occupations	925 (8.6%)	543,560 (7.5%)
2 Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	460 (4.3%)	685,395 (9.5%)
9 Occupations in manufacturing and utilities	425 (3.9%)	1,328,150 (18.4%)
8 Natural resources, agriculture and related production occupations	390 (3.6%)	95,235 (1.3%)
5 Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	255 (2.3%)	232,200 (3.2%)
0 Legislative and senior management occupations	175 (1.6%)	371,490 (5.1%)

Occupation by Sex - 2021



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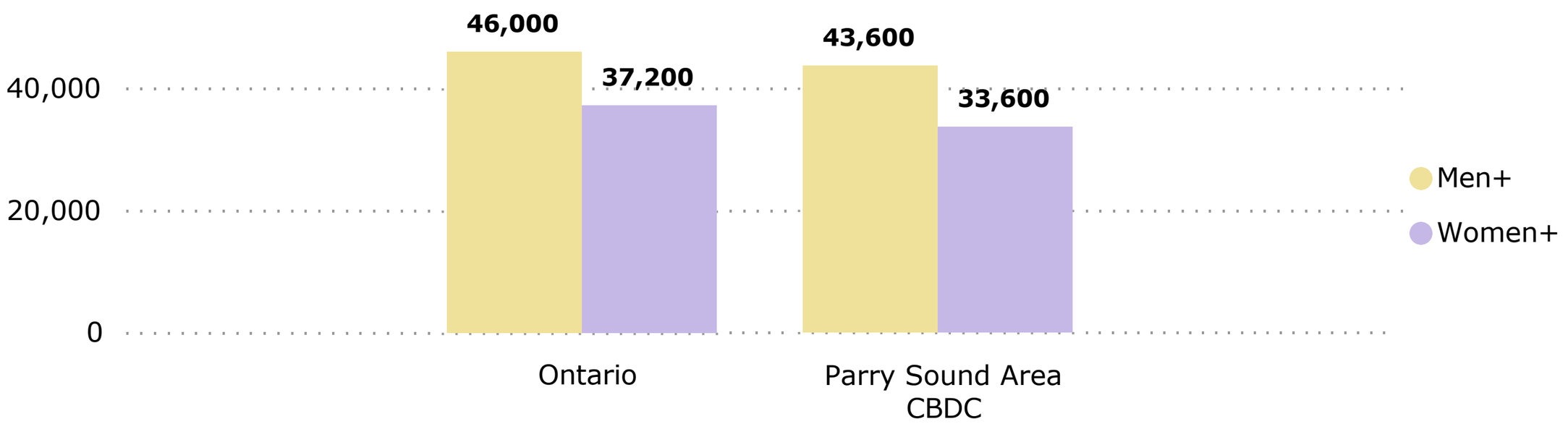
Income Distribution (Before-tax Total Income) for Individuals 15 Years and Over, 2020 - Parry Sound Area CBDC

	Parry Sound Area CBDC			
	Men+	%	Women+	%
Population 15 years and over	10,740	100.0%	10,495	100.0%
Without total income	220	2.0%	180	1.7%
With total income	10,525	98.0%	10,315	98.3%
Under $10,000 (including loss)	785	7.5%	885	8.6%
$10,000 to $19,999	1,310	12.4%	1,710	16.6%
$20,000 to $29,999	1,395	13.3%	1,930	18.7%
$30,000 to $39,999	1,310	12.4%	1,580	15.3%
$40,000 to $49,999	1,225	11.6%	1,300	12.6%
$50,000 to $59,999	1,055	10.0%	895	8.7%
$60,000 to $69,999	890	8.5%	635	6.2%
$70,000 to $79,999	690	6.6%	405	3.9%
$80,000 to $89,999	470	4.5%	215	2.1%
$90,000 to $99,999	325	3.1%	170	1.6%
$100,000 and over	1,055	10.0%	595	5.8%
$100,000 to $149,999	675	64.0%	390	65.5%
$150,000 and over	380	36.0%	205	34.5%
Median income ($)	43,600		33,600	
Average income ($)	54,650		43,680	
Median after-tax income ($)	39,200		31,000	
Average after-tax income ($)	45,840		37,720	

Median Income Distribution (Before-tax Total Income) for Males and Females 15 Years and Over ($) (2020)



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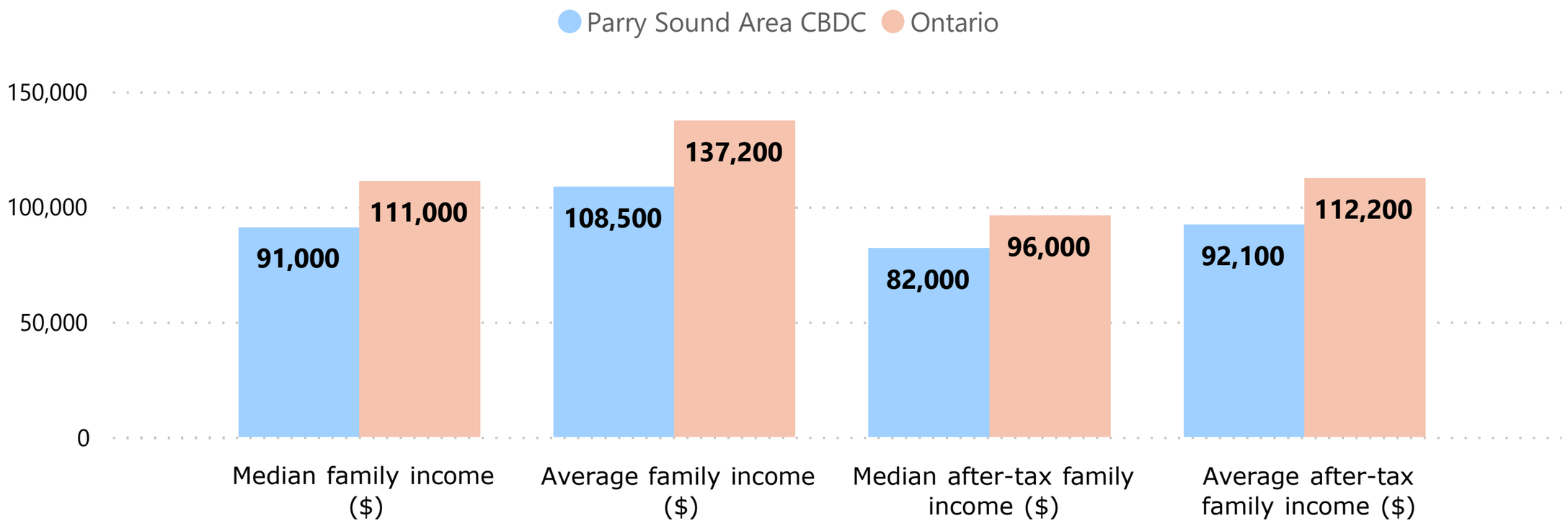
Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Economic Family Income Distribution (2020)

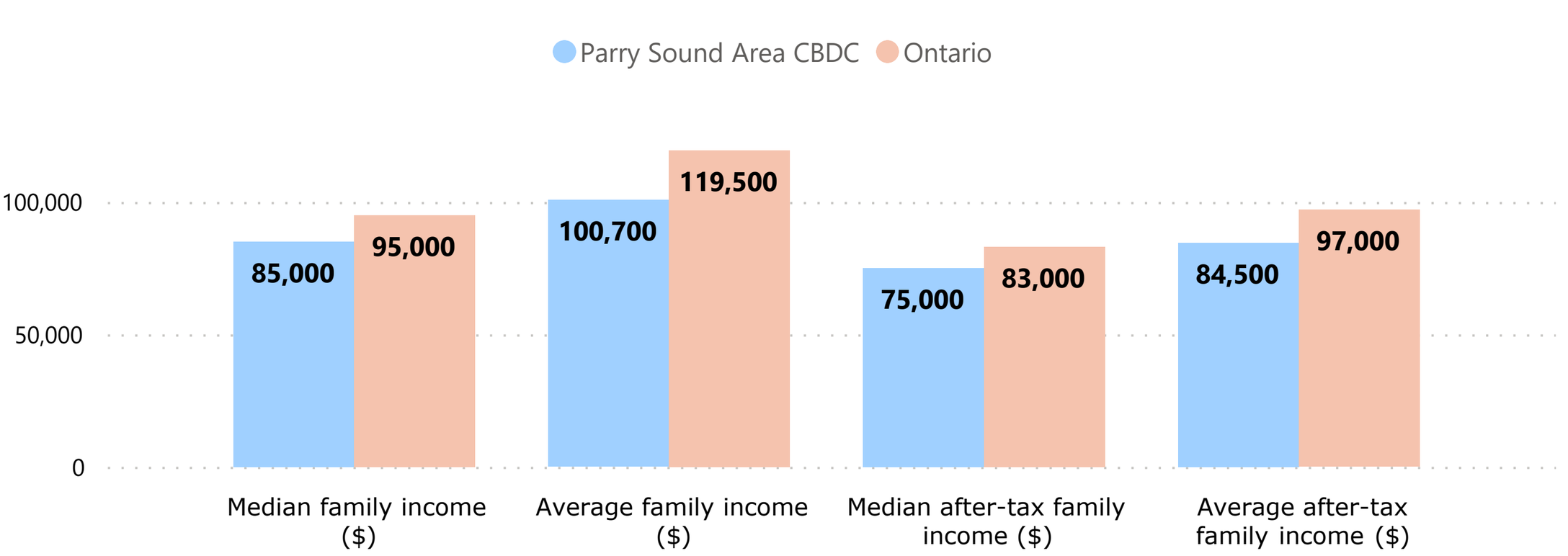
All Families

Parry Sound Area CBDC	Ontario
7,455	**3,873,670**



Couple-Only Families

Parry Sound Area CBDC	Ontario
4,230	**1,359,275**



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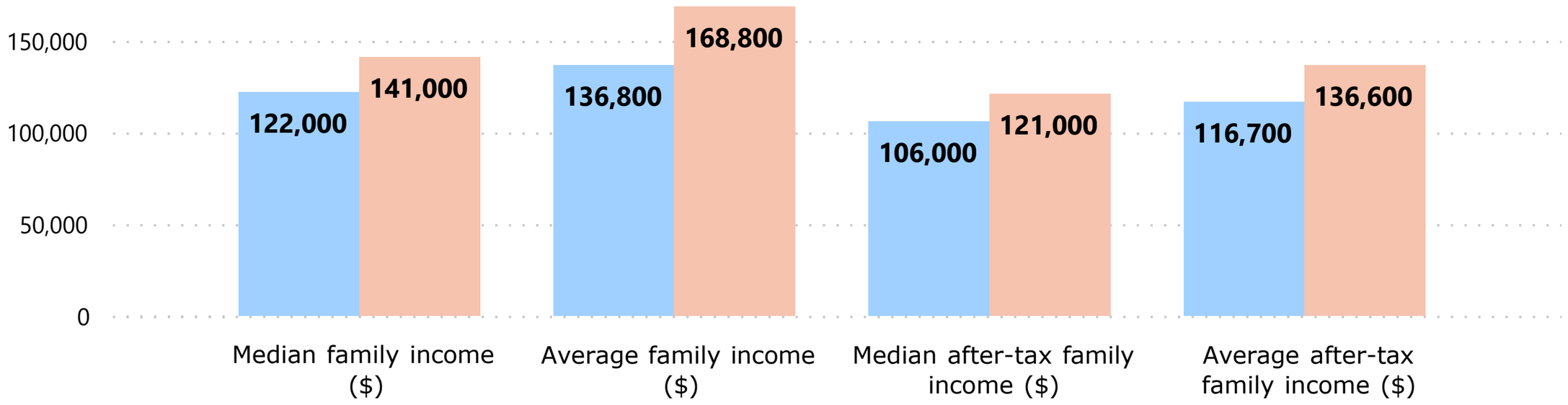
Economic Family Income Distribution (2020)

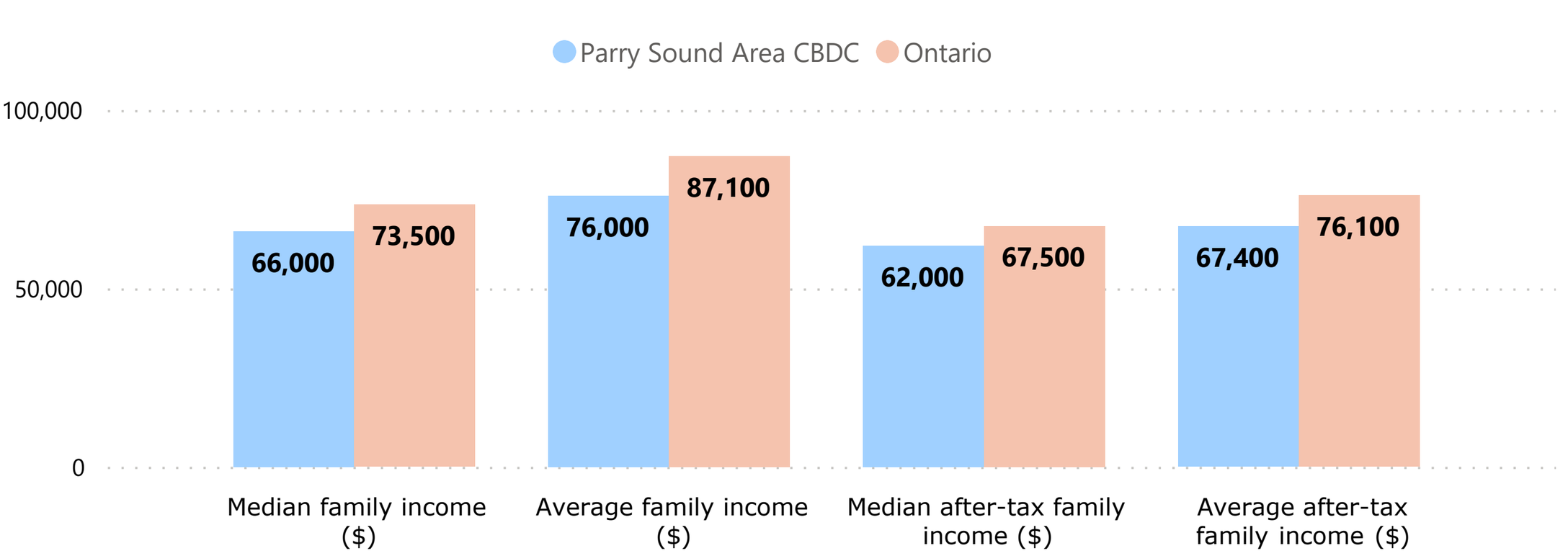
Couple with Children Families

Parry Sound Area CBDC	Ontario
2,040	1,773,000



Lone Parent Families

Parry Sound Area CBDC	Ontario
920	607,780



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Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Prevalence of Low Income, 2020 - Parry Sound Area CBDC

Population in Private Households for Income Status

	Men+	%	Women+	%
Total	12,085	100.0%	11,785	100.0%
0 to 17 years	1,690	14.0%	1,605	13.6%
0 to 5 years	525	4.3%	440	3.7%
18 to 64 years	6,570	54.4%	6,540	55.5%
65 years and over	3,820	31.6%	3,640	30.9%

Low Income Based on After-Tax Low Income Measure (LIM-AT)

	Men+	%	Women+	%
Total	1,685	100.0%	1,560	100.0%
0 to 17 years	235	13.9%	270	17.3%
0 to 5 years	70	4.2%	100	6.4%
18 to 64 years	990	58.8%	780	50.0%
65 years and over	455	27.0%	510	32.7%

Prevalence of Low Income Based on After-Tax Low Income Measure (LIM-AT) (%)

	Men+	Women+
Total	14.0%	13.3%
0 to 17 years (%)	14.0%	16.8%
0 to 5 years (%)	13.6%	22.8%
18 to 64 years (%)	15.1%	12.0%
65 years and over (%)	12.0%	14.1%

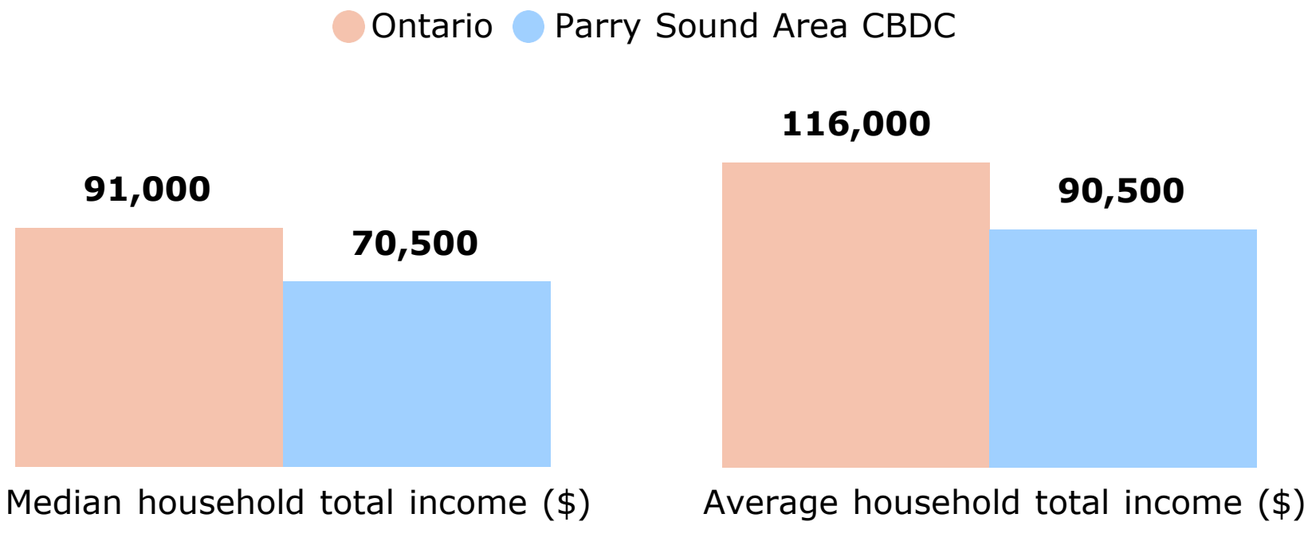
Source: Statistics Canada, special tabulations, unpublished data, 2021 Census of Population

Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Household Income Distribution (Before-tax Total Income) for All Private Households (2020)

	Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total number of households	5,491,200	100.0%	11,325	100.0%
Under $5,000	61,295	1.1%	130	1.1%
$5,000 to $9,999	30,085	0.5%	75	0.7%
$10,000 to $14,999	63,055	1.1%	175	1.5%
$15,000 to $19,999	96,800	1.8%	280	2.5%
$20,000 to $24,999	188,670	3.4%	455	4.0%
$25,000 to $29,999	168,405	3.1%	550	4.9%
$30,000 to $34,999	158,900	2.9%	455	4.0%
$35,000 to $39,999	175,245	3.2%	500	4.4%
$40,000 to $44,999	183,730	3.3%	595	5.3%
$45,000 to $49,999	182,430	3.3%	440	3.9%
$50,000 to $59,999	370,315	6.7%	970	8.6%
$60,000 to $69,999	363,785	6.6%	990	8.7%
$70,000 to $79,999	350,245	6.4%	820	7.2%
$80,000 to $89,999	333,075	6.1%	665	5.9%
$90,000 to $99,999	311,215	5.7%	640	5.7%
$100,000 and over	2,453,950	44.7%	3,605	31.8%
$100,000 to $124,999	662,245	12.1%	1,290	11.4%
$125,000 to $149,999	499,380	9.1%	810	7.2%
$150,000 to $199,999	630,440	11.5%	785	6.9%
$200,000 and over	661,880	12.1%	715	6.3%
Median household total income ($)	91,000		70,500	
Average household total income ($)	116,000		90,500	
Median after-tax household total income ($)	79,500		64,000	
Average after-tax household total income ($)	95,300		77,000	

Household Income Distribution (Before-tax) for All Private Households ($) (2020)



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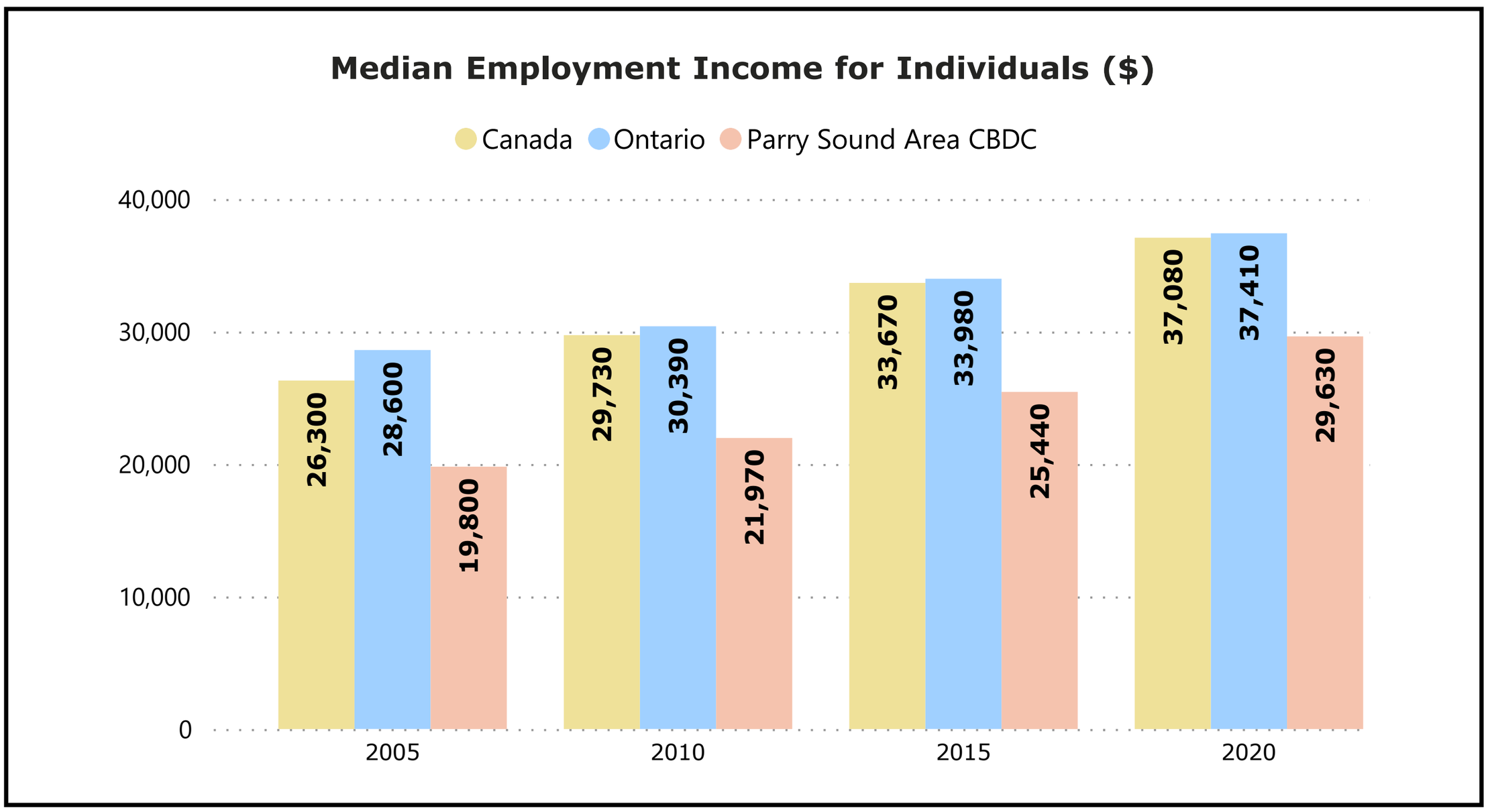
Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Median Employment Income for Individuals ($)

□	2005	2010	2015	2020
Canada	26,300	29,730	33,670	37,080
Ontario	28,600	30,390	33,980	37,410
Parry Sound Area CBDC	19,800	21,970	25,440	29,630

Median Employment Income for Individuals, Index (2005 = 100)

□	2005	2010	2015	2020
Canada	100.0	113.0	128.0	141.0
Ontario	100.0	106.3	118.8	130.8
Parry Sound Area CBDC	100.0	111.0	128.5	149.6



Source: Statistics Canada, Income Statistics Division, Labour Income Profile, 71C0018

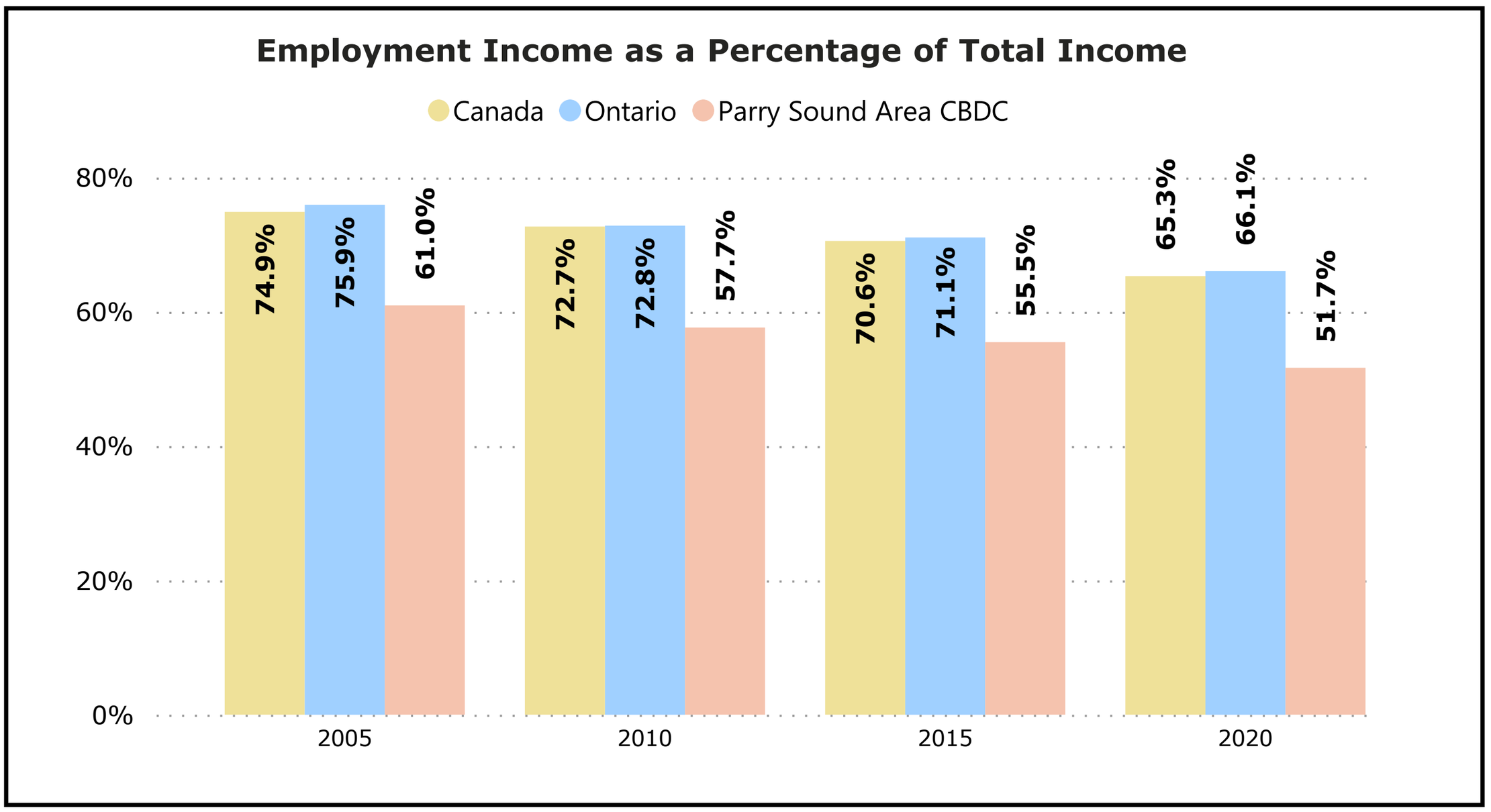
Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Employment Income as a Percentage of Total Income (%)

□	2005	2010	2015	2020
Canada	74.9%	72.7%	70.6%	65.3%
Ontario	75.9%	72.8%	71.1%	66.1%
Parry Sound Area CBDC	61.0%	57.7%	55.5%	51.7%

Employment Income as a Percentage of Total Income, Index (2005=100)

□	2005	2010	2015	2020
Canada	100.0	97.1	94.2	87.2
Ontario	100.0	95.9	93.6	87.0
Parry Sound Area CBDC	100.0	94.6	91.0	84.8



Source: Statistics Canada, Income Statistics Division, Labour Income Profile, 71C0018

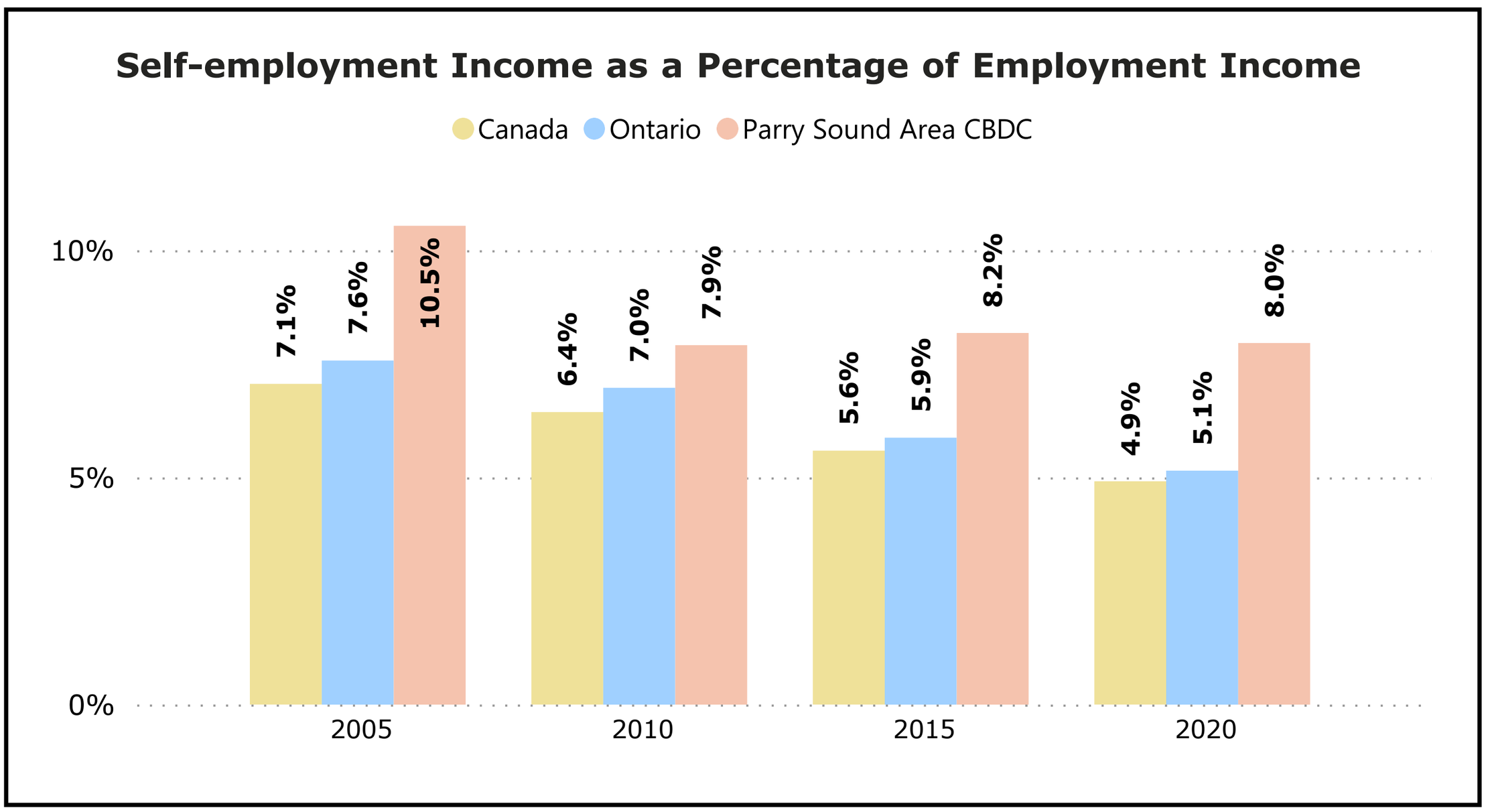
Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Self-employment Income as a Percentage of Employment Income (%)

□	2005	2010	2015	2020
Canada	7.1%	6.4%	5.6%	4.9%
Ontario	7.6%	7.0%	5.9%	5.1%
Parry Sound Area CBDC	10.5%	7.9%	8.2%	8.0%

Self-employment Income as a Percentage of Employment Income, Index (2005=100)

□	2005	2010	2015	2020
Canada	100.0	91.2	79.2	69.6
Ontario	100.0	92.1	77.6	68.0
Parry Sound Area CBDC	100.0	75.1	77.6	75.5



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Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

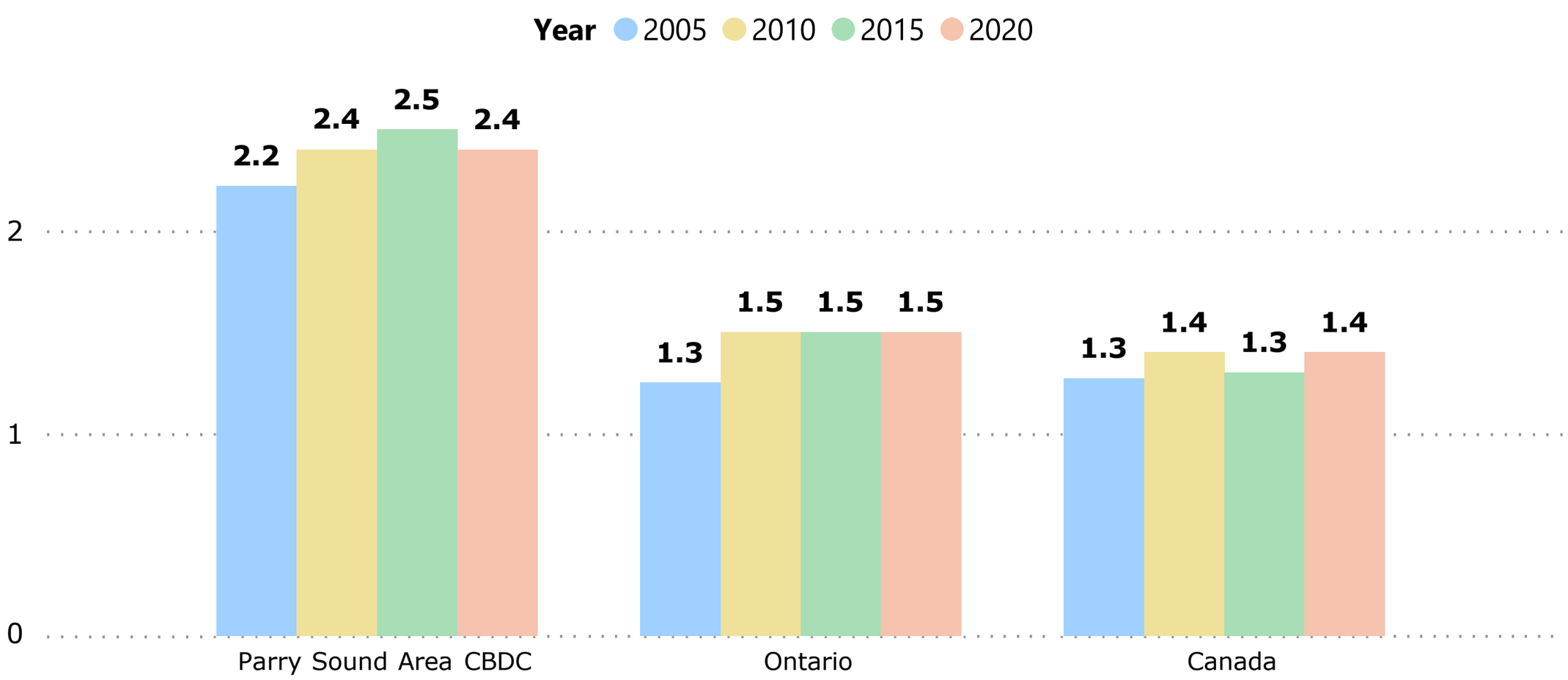
Number and Economic Dependency Ratio: Social Assistance

	Canada		Ontario		Parry Sound Area CBDC	
	Number	EDR	Number	EDR	Number	EDR
2005	1,356,750	1.3	495,640	1.3	880	2.2
2010	1,508,550	1.4	606,390	1.5	980	2.4
2015	1,563,910	1.3	667,000	1.5	1,240	2.5
2020	1,611,070	1.4	698,000	1.5	1,140	2.4

Economic Dependency Ratio: Social Assistance, Index (2005=100)

	2005	2010	2015	2020
Canada	100.0	110.2	102.4	110.2
Ontario	100.0	120.0	120.0	120.0
Parry Sound Area CBDC	100.0	108.1	112.6	108.1

Economic Dependency Ratio: Social Assistance



The ***Economic Dependency Ratio: Social Assistance*** is the amount of social assistance dollars received as benefits in a given area per $100 of employment income for the same area.

Source: Statistics Canada, Economic Dependency Profile, 13C0017

Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

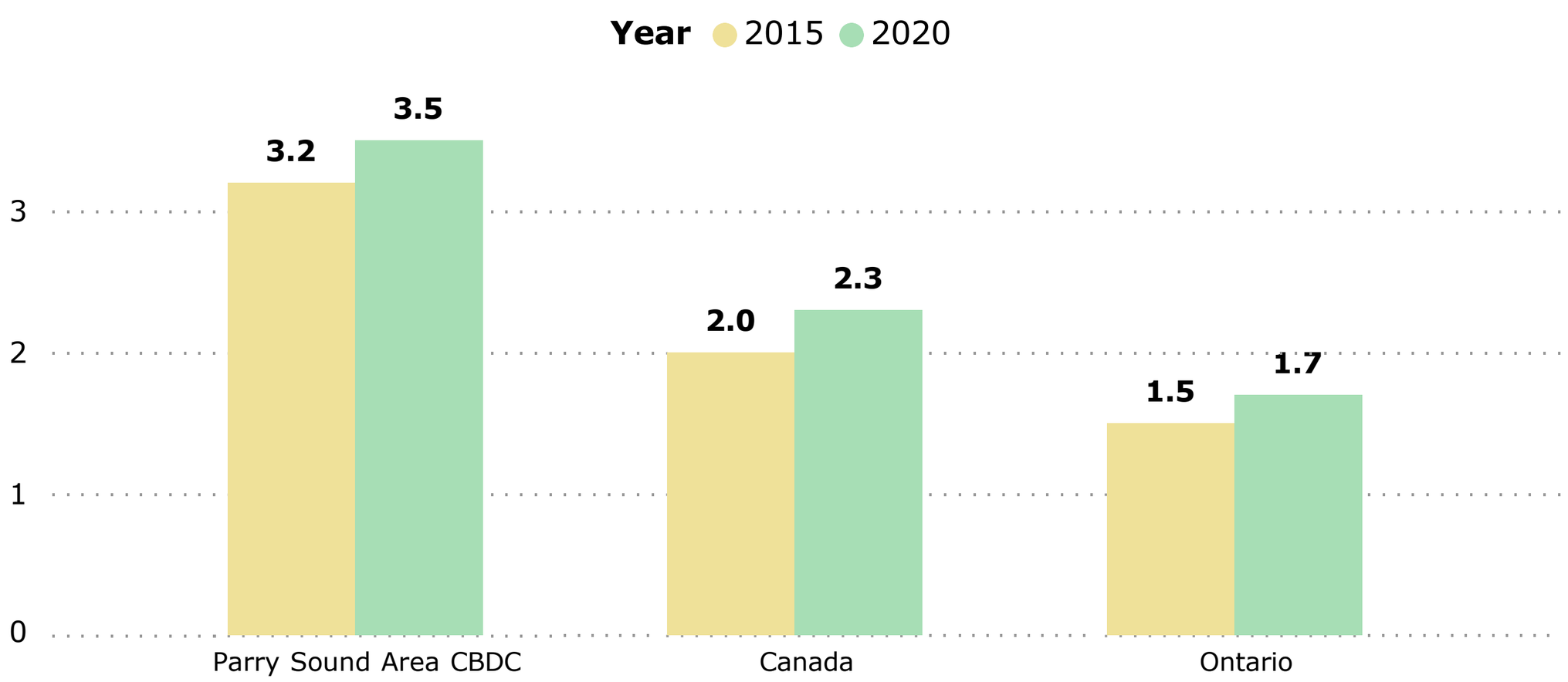
Number and Economic Dependency Ratio: Employment Insurance

	2015		2020	
	Number	EDR	Number	EDR
Parry Sound Area CBDC	1,890	3.2	1,890	3.5
Ontario	733,910	1.5	1,071,750	1.7
Canada	2,458,020	2.0	3,237,710	2.3

Economic Dependency Ratio: Employment Insurance, Index (2015=100)

	2015	2020
Parry Sound Area CBDC	100.0	109.4
Ontario	100.0	113.3
Canada	100.0	115.0

Economic Dependency Ratio: Employment Insurance



The ***Economic Dependency Ratio: Employment Insurance (EI) previously Unemployment Insurance (UI)*** comprises all types of benefits paid to individuals under this program, regardless of reason, including regular benefits for unemployment, fishing, job creation, maternity, parental/adoption, retirement, self-employment, sickness, training and work sharing.

Source: Statistics Canada, Economic Dependency Profile, 13C0017

Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Location Counts of Total Business Locations, December 2022 - Top 10 Industries	Parry Sound Area CBDC (%)	Ontario (%)
Total	2,632 (100%)	1,695,809 (100%)
23 - Construction	487 (18.5%)	144,533 (8.5%)
53 - Real estate and rental and leasing	456 (17.3%)	350,094 (20.6%)
54 - Professional, scientific and technical services	207 (7.8%)	211,326 (12.4%)
81 - Other services (except public administration)	185 (7%)	94,269 (5.5%)
44-45 - Retail trade	184 (6.9%)	96,654 (5.6%)
62 - Health care and social assistance	146 (5.5%)	110,928 (6.5%)
72 - Accommodation and food services	142 (5.3%)	45,422 (2.6%)
52 - Finance and insurance	103 (3.9%)	89,138 (5.2%)
56 - Administrative and support, waste management and remediation services	93 (3.5%)	58,152 (3.4%)
48-49 - Transportation and warehousing	79 (3%)	108,684 (6.4%)
All other industries	550 (20.8%)	386,609 (22.7%)

Location Counts of Small Business Locations, December 2022 - Top 10 Industries □	Parry Sound Area CBDC (%)	Ontario (%)
Total	2,593 (100%)	1,671,939 (100%)
23 - Construction	485 (18.7%)	143,045 (8.5%)
53 - Real estate and rental and leasing	456 (17.5%)	349,729 (20.9%)
54 - Professional, scientific and technical services	207 (7.9%)	209,518 (12.5%)
81 - Other services (except public administration)	184 (7%)	93,638 (5.6%)
44-45 - Retail trade	179 (6.9%)	92,968 (5.5%)
62 - Health care and social assistance	138 (5.3%)	108,585 (6.4%)
72 - Accommodation and food services	137 (5.2%)	43,347 (2.5%)
52 - Finance and insurance	102 (3.9%)	88,265 (5.2%)
56 - Administrative and support, waste management and remediation services	92 (3.5%)	56,585 (3.3%)
48-49 - Transportation and warehousing	79 (3%)	107,606 (6.4%)
All other industries	534 (20.5%)	378,653 (22.6%)

"Small" business locations include all active locations without employees along with all active locations with 1-49 employees. The locations without employees do not maintain an employee payroll, but may have a workforce which consists of contracted workers, family members or business owners.

Source: Statistics Canada, Business Register Division, Business Register Tabulations, 61C0024

Parry Sound Area Community Business and Development Centre Inc.

Location Counts of Medium Business Locations, December 2022 - Top 10 Industries	Parry Sound Area CBDC (%)	Ontario (%)
Total	38 (100%)	19,456 (100%)
91 - Public administration	8 (21%)	355 (1.8%)
62 - Health care and social assistance	7 (18.4%)	1,795 (9.2%)
31-33 - Manufacturing	6 (15.7%)	1,147 (5.8%)
72 - Accommodation and food services	5 (13.1%)	2,316 (11.9%)
44-45 - Retail trade	5 (13.1%)	59 (0.3%)
23 - Construction	2 (5.2%)	1,479 (7.6%)
56 - Administrative and support, waste management and remediation services	1 (2.6%)	1,955 (10%)
81 - Other services (except public administration)	1 (2.6%)	1,302 (6.6%)
71 - Arts, entertainment and recreation	1 (2.6%)	1,196 (6.1%)
52 - Finance and insurance	1 (2.6%)	416 (2.1%)
61 - Educational services	1 (2.6%)	3,304 (16.9%)
All other industries	0 (0%)	4,132 (21.2%)

The "Medium" business locations include all active locations with 50-199 employees.

Location Counts of Large Business Locations, December 2022 - Top 10 Industries	Parry Sound Area CBDC (%)	Ontario (%)
Total	1 (100%)	4,414 (100%)
62 - Health care and social assistance	1 (100%)	548 (12.4%)
11 - Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	0 (0%)	44 (0.9%)
21 - Mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction	0 (0%)	39 (0.8%)
22 - Utilities	0 (0%)	24 (0.5%)
23 - Construction	0 (0%)	186 (4.2%)
31-33 - Manufacturing	0 (0%)	652 (14.7%)
41 - Wholesale trade	0 (0%)	215 (4.8%)
44-45 - Retail trade	0 (0%)	382 (8.6%)
48-49 - Transportation and warehousing	0 (0%)	218 (4.9%)
51 - Information and cultural industries	0 (0%)	116 (2.6%)
All other industries	0 (0%)	1,990 (45%)

The "Large" business locations include all active locations with 200+ employees.

Source: Statistics Canada, Business Register Division, Business Register Tabulations, 61C0024

APPENDIX A – Census

The census is Canada's largest and most comprehensive data source. The Census of Population collects demographic and linguistic information on every man, woman and child living in Canada. The last census took place in May 2021.

The census is the main source of data available in a standardized format for small areas. It provides nationally comparable data that can be cross-classified to show details. It is also the main body of comprehensive statistical data at the subprovincial level on Canada's population.

The Census of Population is taken to meet statutory requirements. For example, population counts are used to realign the boundaries of federal electoral districts, to calculate transfer payments between levels of government, and to support a variety of programs.

The data are needed by both the public and private sectors to support decision-making in many areas. For example:

- to plan community services such as schools, day care, police services and fire protection
- to forecast consumer demand
- to conduct market research studies

Please visit the following link for more information about the Census of Population:

https://www12.statcan.gc.ca/census-recensement/2021/ref/index-eng.cfm

The 2021 Census population and dwelling counts are not available for 13 incompletely enumerated reserves and settlements in Ontario, and as a result information for these areas is not included in 2021 Census tabulations. Please refer to the complete list below.

Akwesasne (Part) 59	Permission not given
Six Nations (Part) 40	Permission not given
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Walpole Island 46	Permission not given
Chippewas of the Thames First Nation 42	Permission not given
Oneida 41	Permission not given
Wahta Mohawk Territory	Permission not given
Rankin Location15D	Permission not given
Goulais Bay 15A	Permission not given
Obadjiwan 15E	Permission not given
Fort Albany (Part) 67	Dwelling enumeration could not be completed
Pikangikum 14	Dwelling enumeration could not be completed
Muskrat Dam Lake	Dwelling enumeration could not be completed

Census Glossary

Age: Refers to the age at last birthday as of the census reference date, May 11, 2021.

Census Family: Refers to a married couple (with or without children of either and/or both spouses), a common-law couple (with or without children of either and/or both partners) or a parent of any marital status in a one-parent family, with at least one child. A couple may be of opposite sex or same sex. Grandchildren living with their grandparent(s) but with no parents present also constitute a census family.

Census Family Structure: Refers to the classification of census families into married couples (with or without children of either and/or both spouses), common-law couples (with or without children of either and/or both partners), and one-parent families by sex of parent.

Class of Worker: Class of worker refers to whether an employed person is an employee or is self-employed. The self-employed include persons with or without a business, as well as unpaid family workers.

Economic Family: Refers to a group of two or more persons who live in the same dwelling and are related to each other by blood, marriage, common-law, adoption or a foster relationship. A couple may be of opposite or same sex.

Economic Family Total Income: The total income of an economic family is the sum of the total incomes of all members of that family.

Ethnic Origin: Refers to the ethnic or cultural origins of the respondent's ancestors. An ancestor is usually more distant than a grandparent.

First Official Language Spoken: This variable was derived within the framework of the application of the *Official Languages Act*. This derivation method is described in the regulations concerning the use of official languages for the provision of public services. It takes into account, first, the knowledge of the two official languages, second, the mother tongue, and third, the home language.

Full-time or part-time weeks worked in 2020: Refers to persons who worked for pay or in self-employment in 2020. These persons were asked to report whether the weeks they worked in 2020 were full-time weeks (30 hours or more per week) or not, on the basis of all jobs held.

Generation Status: Generation status refers to whether or not the person or the person's parents were born in Canada. It identifies persons as being first generation, second generation or third generation or more.

1st Generation: Persons born outside Canada.
2nd Generation: Persons born inside Canada with at least one parent born outside Canada.
3rd or more Generation: Persons born inside Canada with both parents born inside Canada.

Highest Certificate, Diploma or Degree: Information indicating the person's most advanced certificate, diploma or degree. This is a derived variable obtained from the educational qualifications questions, which asked for all certificates, diplomas and degrees to be reported. The general hierarchy used in deriving this variable (high school graduation, trades, college, university) is loosely tied to the 'in-class' duration of the various types of education.

Home Language: Refers to the language spoken most often or on a regular basis at home by the individual on May 11, 2021.

Household: Refers to a person or a group of persons (other than foreign residents) who occupy the same dwelling and do not have a usual place of residence elsewhere in Canada. It may consist of a family group (census family) with or without other persons, of two or more families sharing a dwelling, of a group of unrelated persons, or of one person living alone.

Household Total Income: The total income of a household is the sum of the total incomes of all members of that household.

Household Size: Number of persons occupying a private dwelling.

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 (lone-parent family).

One-family household refers to a single census family (with or without other persons) that occupies a private dwelling. Multiple-family household refers to a household in which two or more census families (with or without additional persons) occupy the same private dwelling. 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.

Indigenous Identity: Refers to those persons who reported identifying with at least one Indigenous group, that is, North American Indian, Métis or Inuit, and/or those who reported being a Treaty Indian or a Registered Indian, as defined by the *Indian Act* of Canada, and/or those who reported they were members of an Indian band or First Nation.

Industry (based on the North American Industry Classification System [NAICS] 2017): Refers to the general nature of the business carried out in the establishment where the person worked.

Labour Force: Refers to persons aged 15 years and over who, during the week of Sunday, May 2 to Saturday, May 8, 2021, were either employed or unemployed.

Labour force = Employed + Unemployed

Labour Force Status: Refers to whether a person aged 15 years and over was employed, unemployed or not in the labour force during the reference period.

Major Field of Study: Main subject area of the person's highest postsecondary certificate, diploma or degree classified according to the Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) Canada 2021.

Mother Tongue: Refers to the first language learned at home in childhood and still understood by the individual on May 11, 2021.

Occupation (based on the National Occupational Classification [NOC] 2021): Refers to the kind of work performed by persons during the week of Sunday, May 2 to Saturday, May 8, 2011, as determined by their kind of work and the description of the main activities in their job.

Place of Birth: Refers to the province or territory where the respondent was born, for respondents who were born in Canada, or to the country where the respondent was born, for respondents born outside Canada.

Place of Work Status: Classification of respondents 15 years of age and over in private households who worked at some time since January 1, 2020 according to whether they worked at home, worked outside Canada, had no fixed workplace address, or worked at a specific address (usual
place of work).

Prevalence of Low Income: Proportion or percentage of persons, economic families, persons not in an economic family aged 15 years or over or households in low income according to one of the low-income lines. Income status can be measured in several different ways in household surveys. For the standard products of the National Household Survey, the line chosen is a relative measure: the after-tax low-income measure (LIM-AT).

For this measure, the income used is after-tax income of households. There are no regional variations to account for prices or cost of living differences: all applicable households in Canada face the same line adjusted for household size. This line is set at half the median of adjusted household after-tax income. To account for potential economies of scale, the income of households with more than one member is divided by the square root of the size of the household.

All household members are considered to share the household income and are attributed the same income status.

Recent Immigrants: Recent immigrants are immigrants who landed in Canada between January 1, 2066 and May 11, 2021.

Total Income: Total of income from all sources, including employment income, income from government programs, pension income, investment income and any other money income.

Visible Minority Group: Refers to the visible minority group to which the respondent belongs. The Employment Equity Act defines visible minorities as 'persons, other than Aboriginal peoples, who are non-Caucasian in race or non-white in colour'.

APPENDIX B – Annual Income Estimates for Census Families and Individuals (T1 Family File)

From the income tax forms submitted each year by Canadians, the Annual Estimates for Census Families and Individuals (T1 Family File) produces a wealth of economic and demographic information for use by both the private and public sectors. The final T1FF contains information for tax filers and imputed persons (37 million individuals in 2021). In fact, the information represents nearly 96% of the Canadian population.

Glossary:

Economic Dependency Ratio (EDR): For a given area, the EDR is the ratio of transfer dollars to every $100 of total employment income. For example, where a table shows an EDR of 12.1, it means that $12.10 was received in transfer payments for every $100 of employment income for that area.

Employment Income: Employment income includes wages and salaries, commissions from employment, training allowances, tips and gratuities, self-employment income (net income from business, profession, farming, fishing and commissions) and Indian employment income (new in 1999).

Employment Insurance (EI) *Previously Unemployment Insurance (UI)* **:** Comprises all types of benefits paid to individuals under this program, regardless of reason, including regular benefits for unemployment, fishing, job creation, maternity, parental/adoption, retirement, self-employment, sickness, training and work sharing.

Median: Is the middle number in a group of numbers? Where a median income, for example, is given as $26,000, it means that exactly half of the incomes reported are greater than or equal to $26,000, and that the other half are less than or equal to the median amount. Median incomes in the data tables are rounded to the nearest hundred dollars and starting with 2007 to the nearest ten dollars. Zero values are not included in the calculation of medians for individuals, but are included in the calculation of medians for families.

Self-Employment Income: Is the net income from business, a profession, commissions, farming and fishing.

Social Assistance: Includes payments made in the year on the basis of a means, needs or income test (whether made by an organized charity or under a government program). The value is reported on line 145 of the personal income tax return.

Please visit the following link for more information about this data set and definitions:

https://www23.statcan.gc.ca/imdb/p2SV.pl?Function=getSurvey&SDDS=4105

APPENDIX C – Canadian Business Counts

Canadian Business Counts provides accurate and complete counts of active locations by employment size range by industry classification. These counts can be used to study economic activity and market potential in the CFDC.

The top 10 NAICS categories are provided. Data is provided for the total active statistical locations as well as small, medium and large active statistical locations. Counts are also provided for locations where the number of employees is indeterminate.

Statistical Location

The location is an operating entity, specifically a production entity which:

(a) Conducts economic activity at or from a single physical location or group of locations;

(b) Resides within the smallest standardized geographical area;

(c) Is able to provide employment data at a minimum.

Please visit the following link for more information about this data source:

https://www23.statcan.gc.ca/imdb/p2SV.pl?Function=getSurvey&SDDS=1105