SOCIO-DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS OF VISIBLE MINORITIES IN RTS DE LANAUDIÈRE

BASED ON THE 2021 CENSUS OF CANADA

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Introduction

Community Health and Social Services Network (CHSSN)

The Community Health and Social Services Network (CHSSN) is a network of community resources, associations, foundations, public institutions and other stakeholders dedicated to improving access to health and social services for English-speaking minority communities in Québec. CHSSN builds and strengthens health and social services networks and partnerships at the local, regional and provincial levels to address health determinants, to influence public policy and to support community and public partners in the adaptation of services.

Through the development of projects and partnerships with community and public institutions, the CHSSN aims to reduce health inequities by supporting innovative practices and the transfer of learning through population health interventions.

Innovative programs and partnerships include networking and partnership initiatives, improving access to health and social services and health promotion and public health education.

This Document

This document presents a series of tables illustrating key socio-demographic variables of visible minority populations within language groups for RTS de Lanaudière.¹

The variables covered are:

- Gender
- Age structure
- Household living arrangements
- Recent mobility
- Educational attainment
- Labour force activity
- Income
- Low-income cut-off

¹ Québec has 22 RTS (réseau territorial de services) territories. See https://www.msss.gouv.qc.ca/professionnels/informations-geographiques-et-de-population/decoupage-territorial/

Each table contains four blocs of information, as follows:

- Numbers of English-speaking visible minorities in each of the variable categories.
- Proportion of English-speaking visible minorities across the categories in the variable.
- Numbers of French-speaking visible minorities in each of the variable categories.
- Proportion of French-speaking visible minorities across the categories in the variable.

Methodological notes

Geographic Regions

For the purpose of this series, there is sufficient data for the province and for 19 of Québec's health regions. The remaining regions are grouped into a "rest of Québec" category. The complete series consists of data for Québec, for 19 RTS regions and for the "rest of Québec".

The 19 RTS regions are:

RTS de la Capitale-Nationale

RTS du Saguenay – Lac-Saint-Jean

RTS du Bas-Saint-Laurent

RTS de la Mauricie-et-du-Centre-du-Québec

RTS de l'Estrie - CHU de Sherbrooke

RTS de l'Ouest-de-l'Île-de-Montréal

RTS du Centre-Ouest-de-l'Île-de-Montréal

RTS du Centre-Sud-de-l'Île-de-Montréal

RTS du Nord-de-l'Île-de-Montréal

RTS de l'Est-de-l'Île-de-Montréal

RTS de l'Outaouais

RTS de l'Abitibi-Témiscamingue

RTS de Chaudière-Appalaches

RTS de Laval

RTS de Lanaudière

RTS des Laurentides

RTS de la Montérégie-Centre

RTS de la Montérégie-Est

RTS de la Montérégie-Ouest

Language Concept

The language concept used in this series of tables is First Official Language Spoken (FOLS) which is derived from three census questions (knowledge of official languages, mother tongue and home language). Multiple responses are assigned equally among declared languages.

Visible Minority Concept

The concept of visible minorities in the Canadian context was developed to support the *Employment Equity Act* which aims to "achieve equality in the workplace so that no person shall be denied employment opportunities or benefits for reasons unrelated to ability and, in the fulfilment of that goal, to correct the conditions of disadvantage in employment experienced by women, aboriginal peoples, persons with disabilities and members of visible minorities." ²

The Act defines visible minorities as 'persons, other than Aboriginal peoples, who are non-Caucasian in race or non-white in colour.' Under this definition, regulations specify the following groups as visible minorities: Chinese, South Asians, Blacks, Arabs, West Asians, Filipinos, Southeast Asians, Latin Americans, Japanese, Koreans and other visible minority groups, such as Pacific Islanders.

Data Source and Reliability

Data source - The data in these tables is drawn from the Statistics Canada 2021 Census. The data in these tables comes from special tabulations ordered by the Community Health and Social Services Network (CHSSN).

Data suppression - For the purposes of confidentiality, Statistics Canada applies area suppression rules which suppresses data for geographic areas with populations below a specified size. Income distributions and related statistics are suppressed if the population in the area, excluding residents in collective dwellings, is less than 250, or if the number of private households is less than 40.

Given that cross-tabulations of small populations produce even smaller population counts which are unreliable for statistical analysis, visible minority groups which fall below the 250 count are suppressed from specific tables.

Definitions

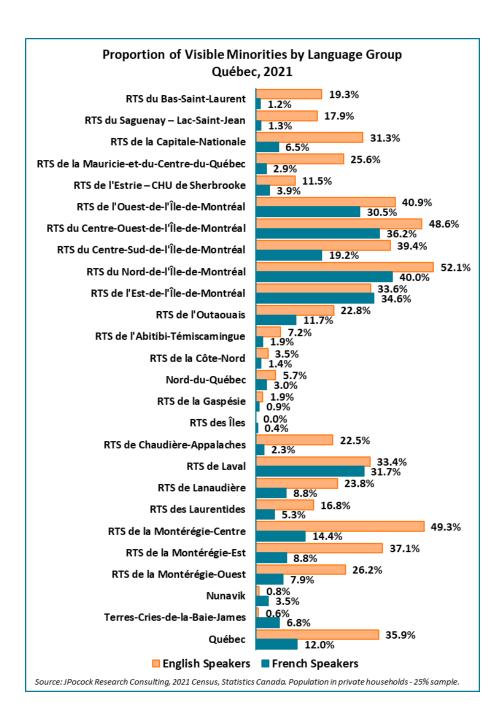
For definitions of certain Census variables, refer to the definitions section in the appendix.

² http://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/E-5.401/page-1.html#h-2

Count of Visible Minority Groups

Total Visible Minority Population Among English and French Speakers Québec and its RTS Territories

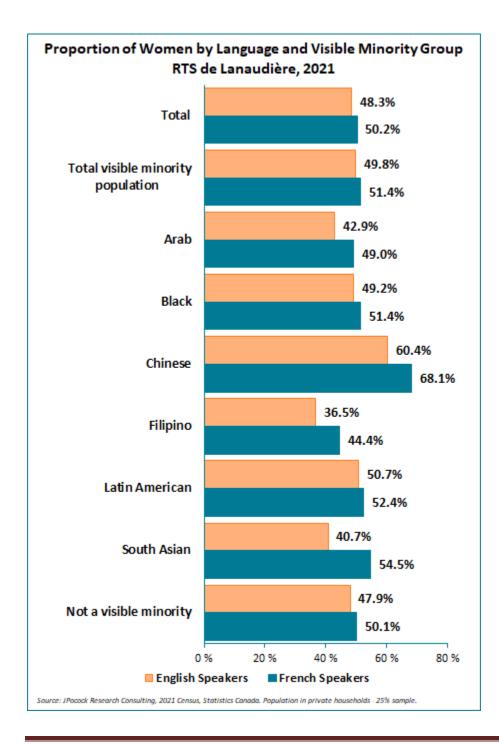
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	E	nglish Speake		F	rench Speaker	S
Region		Total Visible	Proportion		Total Visible	Proportion
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		Population	Minorites		Population	Minorites
RTS du Bas-Saint-Laurent	1,480	285	19.3%	190,430	2,375	1.2%
RTS du Saguenay – Lac-Saint-Jean	2,265	405	17.9%	266,350	3,595	1.3%
RTS de la Capitale-Nationale	17,375	5,440	31.3%	717,370	46,900	6.5%
RTS de la Mauricie-et-du-Centre-du-Québec	7,415	1,900	25.6%	497,865	14,530	2.9%
RTS de l'Estrie – CHU de Sherbrooke	40,155	4,600	11.5%	446,485	17,625	3.9%
RTS de l'Ouest-de-l'Île-de-Montréal	208,280	85,100	40.9%	143,325	43,690	30.5%
RTS du Centre-Ouest-de-l'Île-de-Montréal	202,265	98,400	48.6%	140,530	50,890	36.2%
RTS du Centre-Sud-de-l'Île-de-Montréal	95,110	37,435	39.4%	211,745	40,705	19.2%
RTS du Nord-de-l'Île-de-Montréal	100,160	52,225	52.1%	312,710	125,110	40.0%
RTS de l'Est-de-l'Île-de-Montréal	81,530	27,380	33.6%	419,660	145,360	34.6%
RTS de l'Outaouais	82,385	18,805	22.8%	314,395	36,800	11.7%
RTS de l'Abitibi-Témiscamingue	5,830	420	7.2%	137,800	2,575	1.9%
RTS de la Côte-Nord	5,335	185	3.5%	80,780	1,115	1.4%
Nord-du-Québec	1,755	100	5.7%	12,890	385	3.0%
RTS de la Gaspésie	7,005	130	1.9%	68,105	600	0.9%
RTS des Îles	720	-	0.0%	11,730	45	0.4%
RTS de Chaudière-Appalaches	5,070	1,140	22.5%	416,110	9,490	2.3%
RTS de Laval	104,535	34,920	33.4%	316,190	100,135	31.7%
RTS de Lanaudière	17,675	4,210	23.8%	500,090	44,145	8.8%
RTS des Laurentides	46,085	7,740	16.8%	576,650	30,640	5.3%
RTS de la Montérégie-Centre	62,750	30,960	49.3%	346,840	49,945	14.4%
RTS de la Montérégie-Est	24,115	8,945	37.1%	496,400	43,930	8.8%
RTS de la Montérégie-Ouest	99,925	26,150	26.2%	357,745	28,390	7.9%
Nunavik	10,455	85	0.8%	1,990	70	3.5%
Terres-Cries-de-la-Baie-James	14,780	90	0.6%	1,475	100	6.8%
Québec	1,244,440	447,075	35.9%	6,985,640	839,130	12.0%
Source: JPocock Research Consulting, 2021 Census, St	atistics Canaa	la. Population i	n private hous	eholds - 25% sc	ımple.	

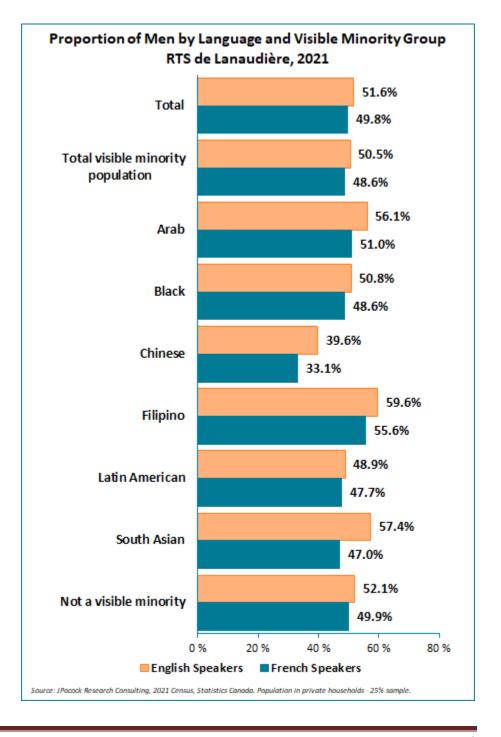


Gender of Visible Minority Populations

Gender of Visible Minority Populations by Language Group RTS de Lanaudière, 2021

	E	nglish Speake	rs	Fre	ench Speaker	S
Visible Minority	Total	Females	Males	Total	Females	Males
Total	17,675	8,545	9,125	500,090	251,105	248,985
Total visible minority population	4,210	2,095	2,125	44,145	22,680	21,465
Arab	490	210	275	7,770	3,810	3,965
Black	1,200	590	610	26,725	13,735	12,995
Chinese	265	160	105	815	555	270
Filipino	260	95	155	135	60	75
Latin American	1,095	555	535	5,575	2,920	2,660
South Asian	270	110	155	330	180	155
Not a visible minority	13,455	6,450	7,005	455,945	228,430	227,510
Total	100.0%	48.3%	51.6%	100.0%	50.2%	49.8%
Total visible minority population	100.0%	49.8%	50.5%	100.0%	51.4%	48.6%
Arab	100.0%	42.9%	56.1%	100.0%	49.0%	51.0%
Black	100.0%	49.2%	50.8%	100.0%	51.4%	48.6%
Chinese	100.0%	60.4%	39.6%	100.0%	68.1%	33.1%
Filipino	100.0%	36.5%	59.6%	100.0%	44.4%	55.6%
Latin American	100.0%	50.7%	48.9%	100.0%	52.4%	47.7%
South Asian	100.0%	40.7%	57.4%	100.0%	54.5%	47.0%
Not a visible minority	100.0%	47.9%	52.1%	100.0%	50.1%	49.9%
Source: JPocock Research Consulting, 202	21 Census, Stat	istics Canada. Po	pulation in priv	ate households -	25% sample.	

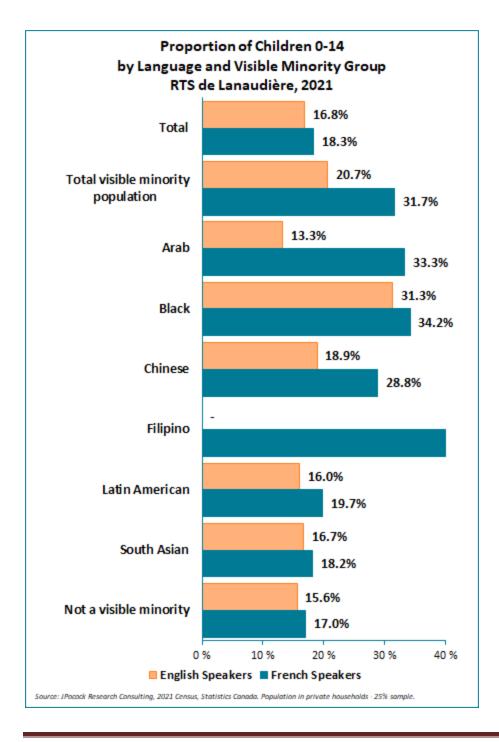


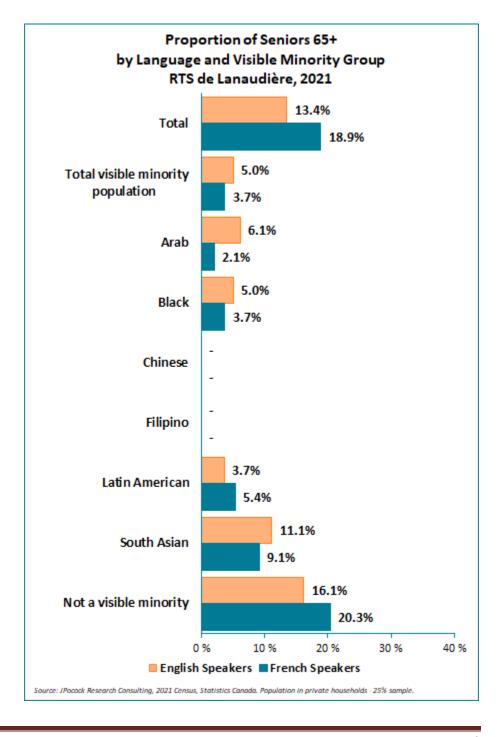


Age Structure of Visible Minority Populations

Age Structure of Visible Minority Populations by Language Group RTS de Lanaudière, 2021

			English S	peakers					French Sp	eakers		
Visible Minority	Total Population	0 to 14 years	15 to 24 years	25 to 44 years	45 to 64 years	65 years and over	Total Population	0 to 14 years	15 to 24 years	25 to 44 years	45 to 64 years	65 years and over
Total	17,675	2,970	1,895	5,060	5,370	2,375	500,090	91,530	49,745	122,200	142,275	94,340
Total visible minority population	4,210	870	655	1,475	1,000	210	44,145	13,975	6,895	12,145	9,515	1,620
Arab	490	65	70	150	150	30	7,770	2,585	1,120	1,925	1,980	160
Black	1,200	375	200	330	225	60	26,725	9,130	4,285	7,150	5,185	980
Chinese	265	50	25	75	105	1	815	235	240	210	110	-
Filipino	260	-	-	155	40	1	135	65	-	20	20	-
Latin American	1,095	175	180	440	270	40	5,575	1,100	765	1,880	1,530	300
South Asian	270	45	35	95	65	30	330	60	15	130	80	30
Not a visible minority	13,455	2,100	1,235	3,580	4,370	2,165	455,945	77,560	42,850	110,055	132,765	92,720
Total	100.0%	16.8%	10.7%	28.6%	30.4%	13.4%	100.0%	18.3%	9.9%	24.4%	28.4%	18.9%
Total visible minority population	100.0%	20.7%	15.6%	35.0%	23.8%	5.0%	100.0%	31.7%	15.6%	27.5%	21.6%	3.7%
Arab	100.0%	13.3%	14.3%	30.6%	30.6%	6.1%	100.0%	33.3%	14.4%	24.8%	25.5%	2.1%
Black	100.0%	31.3%	16.7%	27.5%	18.8%	5.0%	100.0%	34.2%	16.0%	26.8%	19.4%	3.7%
Chinese	100.0%	18.9%	9.4%	28.3%	39.6%	1	100.0%	28.8%	29.4%	25.8%	13.5%	-
Filipino	100.0%	-	-	59.6%	15.4%	1	100.0%	48.1%	-	-	-	-
Latin American	100.0%	16.0%	16.4%	40.2%	24.7%	3.7%	100.0%	19.7%	13.7%	33.7%	27.4%	5.4%
South Asian	100.0%	16.7%	13.0%	35.2%	24.1%	11.1%	100.0%	18.2%	-	39.4%	24.2%	9.1%
Not a visible minority	100.0%	15.6%	9.2%	26.6%	32.5%	16.1%	100.0%	17.0%	9.4%	24.1%	29.1%	20.3%

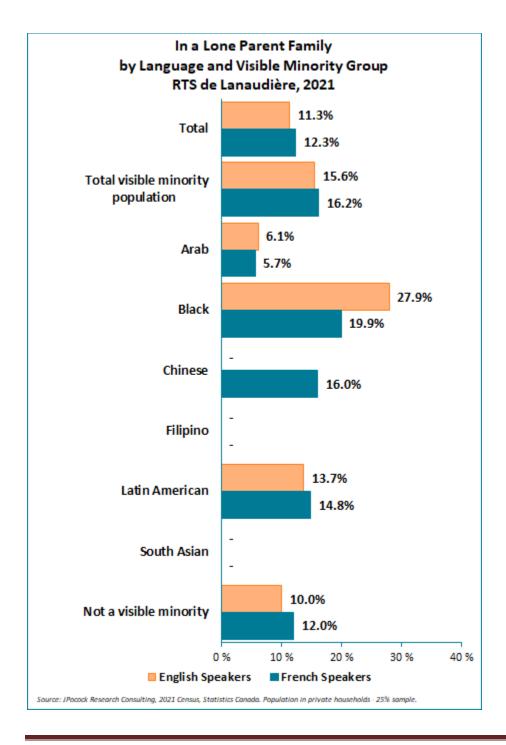


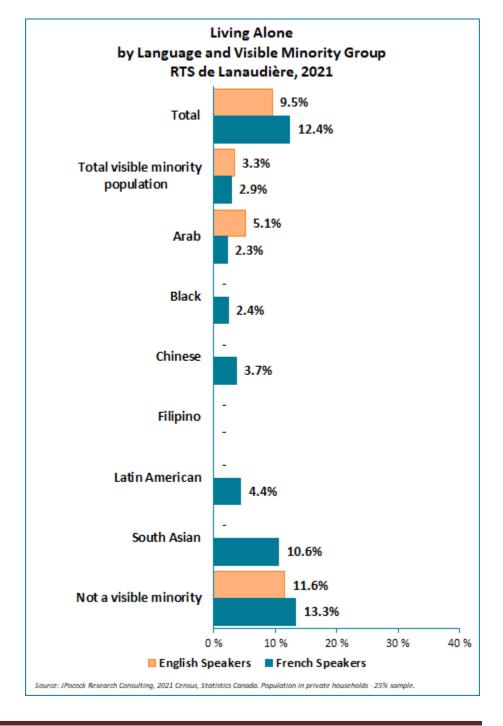


Household Living Arrangements of Visible Minority Populations

Household Living Arrangements of Visible Minority Populations by Language Group RTS de Lanaudière, 2021

			English S	peakers					French Sp	eakers		
Visible Minority	•	Spouses, Common- law Partners and Children	Children	Living with Relatives	Living with Non- Relatives Only	Persons Living Alone	Total Population	Spouses, Common- law Partners and Children	Lone Parents and Children	Living with Relatives	Living with Non- Relatives Only	Persons Living Alone
Total	17,675	13,065	1,995	380	545	1,685	500,090	353,310	61,670	10,690	12,475	61,935
Total visible minority population	4,210	3,070	655	145	215	140	44,145	33,720	7,165	1,340	650	1,260
Arab	490	400	30	1	ı	25	7,770	7,005	440	90	65	175
Black	1,200	750	335	65	10	20	26,725	19,325	5,330	1,025	395	640
Chinese	265	240	-	1	ı	-	815	645	130	ı	-	30
Filipino	260	110	-	1	115	-	135	115	ı	ı	-	-
Latin American	1,095	865	150	10	30	20	5,575	4,230	825	170	115	245
South Asian	270	215	-	-	-	-	330	250	-	-	-	35
Not a visible minority	13,455	9,990	1,345	240	335	1,555	455,945	319,590	54,505	9,355	11,825	60,675
Total	100.0%	73.9%	11.3%	2.1%	3.1%	9.5%	100.0%	70.6%	12.3%	2.1%	2.5%	12.4%
Total visible minority population	100.0%	72.9%	15.6%	3.4%	5.1%	3.3%	100.0%	76.4%	16.2%	3.0%	1.5%	2.9%
Arab	100.0%	81.6%	6.1%	-	-	5.1%	100.0%	90.2%	5.7%	1.2%	0.8%	2.3%
Black	100.0%	62.5%	27.9%	5.4%	-	-	100.0%	72.3%	19.9%	3.8%	1.5%	2.4%
Chinese	100.0%	90.6%	-	-	-	-	100.0%	79.1%	16.0%	-	-	3.7%
Filipino	100.0%	42.3%	-	-	44.2%	-	100.0%	85.2%	-	-	-	-
Latin American	100.0%	79.0%	13.7%	-	2.7%	=	100.0%	75.9%	14.8%	3.0%	2.1%	4.4%
South Asian	100.0%	79.6%	-	-	-	-	100.0%	75.8%	-	-	-	10.6%
Not a visible minority	100.0%	74.2%	10.0%	1.8%	2.5%	11.6%	100.0%	70.1%	12.0%	2.1%	2.6%	13.3%

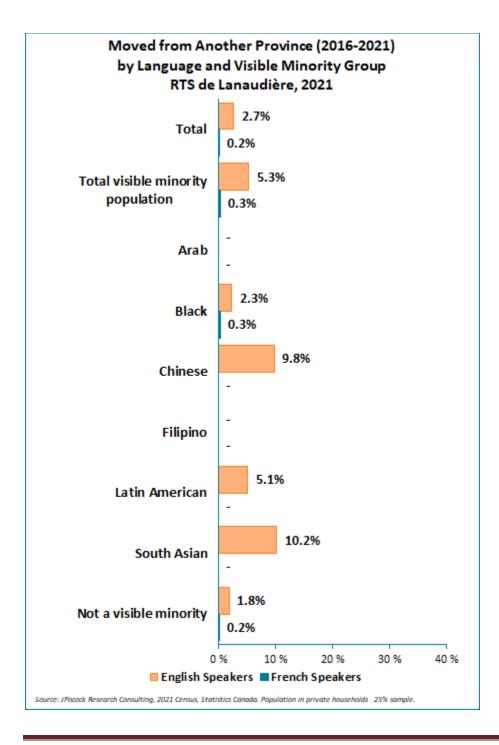


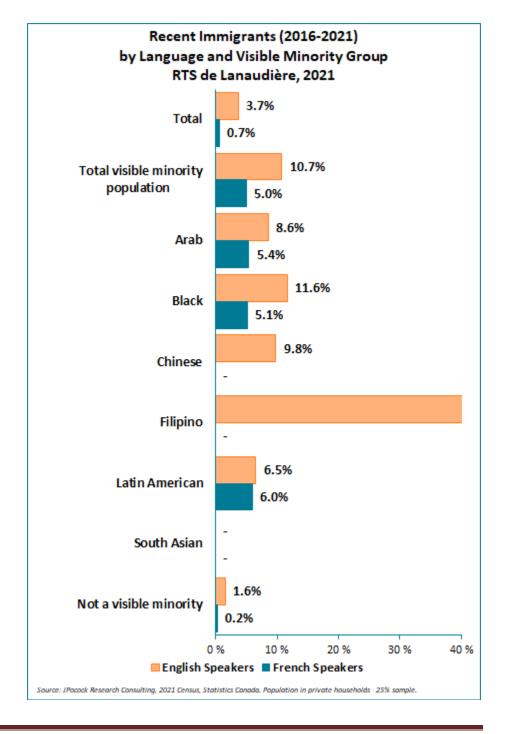


Recent Mobility (2016-2021) of Visible Minority Populations

Recent Mobility (2016-2021) of Visible Minority Populations by Language Group RTS de Lanaudière, 2021

			English S	Speakers					French Sp	eakers		
Visible Minority	Total Population Aged 5+	Did Not Move in the Previous Five Years	Moved Locally in the Past Five Years	Moved from Another Region of Québec	Moved from Another Province	Immigrated from Another Country	Total Population	Did Not Move in the Previous Five Years	Moved Locally in the Past Five Years	Moved from Another Region of Québec	Moved from Another Province	Immigrated from Another Country
Total	16,730	9,280	1,150	5,225	450	625	473,305	291,590	49,325	128,330	950	3,110
Total visible minority population	3,955	1,525	255	1,550	210	425	40,360	18,770	3,075	16,375	110	2,030
Arab	465	185	25	215	-	40	7,125	3,220	430	3,090	10	385
Black	1,075	450	65	410	25	125	24,145	11,025	1,855	9,955	75	1,240
Chinese	255	105	25	65	25	25	760	440	95	205	-	20
Filipino	245	45	15	70	10	100	100	45	10	30	1	-
Latin American	1,070	410	85	450	55	70	5,360	2,565	470	1,995	10	320
South Asian	245	95	-	110	25	15	315	155	20	130	ı	10
Not a visible minority	12,775	7,760	900	3,680	235	200	432,950	272,825	46,255	111,960	835	1,080
Total	100.0%	55.5%	6.9%	31.2%	2.7%	3.7%	100.0%	61.6%	10.4%	27.1%	0.2%	0.7%
Total visible minority population	100.0%	38.6%	6.4%	39.2%	5.3%	10.7%	100.0%	46.5%	7.6%	40.6%	0.3%	5.0%
Arab	100.0%	39.8%	5.4%	46.2%	-	8.6%	100.0%	45.2%	6.0%	43.4%	1	5.4%
Black	100.0%	41.9%	6.0%	38.1%	2.3%	11.6%	100.0%	45.7%	7.7%	41.2%	0.3%	5.1%
Chinese	100.0%	41.2%	9.8%	25.5%	9.8%	9.8%	100.0%	57.9%	12.5%	27.0%	-	-
Filipino	100.0%	18.4%	-	28.6%	=	40.8%	100.0%	45.0%	-	30.0%	-	-
Latin American	100.0%	38.3%	7.9%	42.1%	5.1%	6.5%	100.0%	47.9%	8.8%	37.2%	-	6.0%
South Asian	100.0%	38.8%	-	44.9%	10.2%	-	100.0%	49.2%	-	41.3%	-	-
Not a visible minority	100.0%	60.7%	7.0%	28.8%	1.8%	1.6%	100.0%	63.0%	10.7%	25.9%	0.2%	0.2%

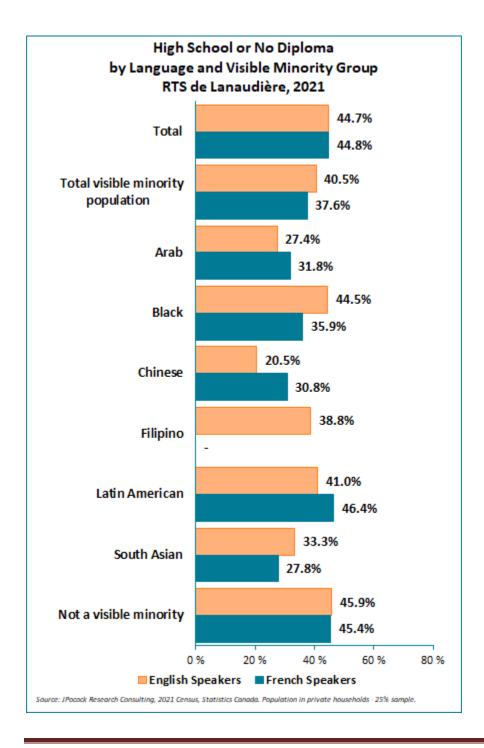


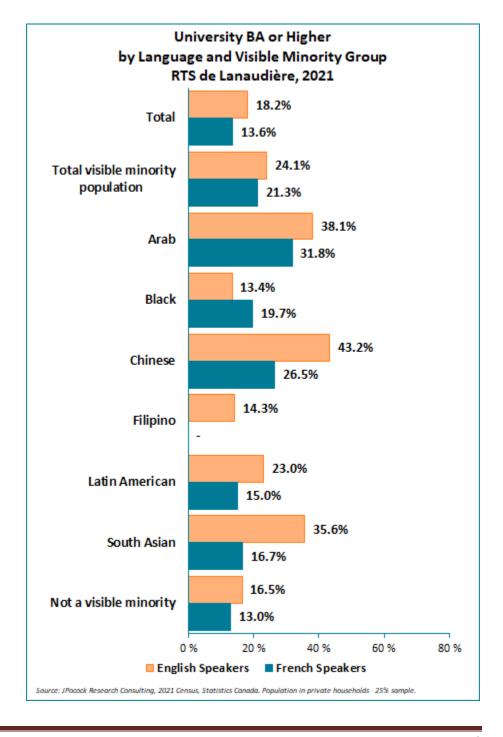


Educational Attainment of Visible Minority Populations

Education Levels of Visible Minority Populations by Language Group RTS de Lanaudière, 2021

		E	nglish Speake	rs				French Speake	ers	
Visible Minority	Total Population Aged 15+	High School or No Diploma	Apprentice- ship or Trades Certification	College or University Certificate Below Bachelor	University Degree (BA or Higher)	Total Population Aged 15+	High School or No Diploma	Apprentice- ship or Trades Certification	College or University Certificate Below Bachelor	University Degree (BA or Higher)
Total	14,700	6,565	2,315	3,135	2,680	408,555	183,165	86,480	83,400	55,510
Total visible minority population	3,345	1,355	435	745	805	30,165	11,335	4,740	7,685	6,420
Arab	420	115	30	80	160	5,185	1,650	510	1,385	1,650
Black	820	365	120	210	110	17,595	6,320	3,150	4,650	3,475
Chinese	220	45	-	40	95	585	180	50	175	155
Filipino	245	95	90	-	35	70	15	-	ı	-
Latin American	915	375	115	210	210	4,475	2,075	740	985	670
South Asian	225	75	20	20	80	270	75	55	75	45
Not a visible minority	11,355	5,210	1,885	2,395	1,870	378,390	171,830	81,745	75,710	49,100
Total	100.0%	44.7%	15.7%	21.3%	18.2%	100.0%	44.8%	21.2%	20.4%	13.6%
Total visible minority population	100.0%	40.5%	13.0%	22.3%	24.1%	100.0%	37.6%	15.7%	25.5%	21.3%
Arab	100.0%	27.4%	7.1%	19.0%	38.1%	100.0%	31.8%	9.8%	26.7%	31.8%
Black	100.0%	44.5%	14.6%	25.6%	13.4%	100.0%	35.9%	17.9%	26.4%	19.7%
Chinese	100.0%	20.5%	-	18.2%	43.2%	100.0%	30.8%	8.5%	29.9%	26.5%
Filipino	100.0%	38.8%	36.7%	-	14.3%	100.0%	-	-	-	-
Latin American	100.0%	41.0%	12.6%	23.0%	23.0%	100.0%	46.4%	16.5%	22.0%	15.0%
South Asian	100.0%	33.3%	-	-	35.6%	100.0%	27.8%	20.4%	27.8%	16.7%
Not a visible minority	100.0%	45.9%	16.6%	21.1%	16.5%	100.0%	45.4%	21.6%	20.0%	13.0%

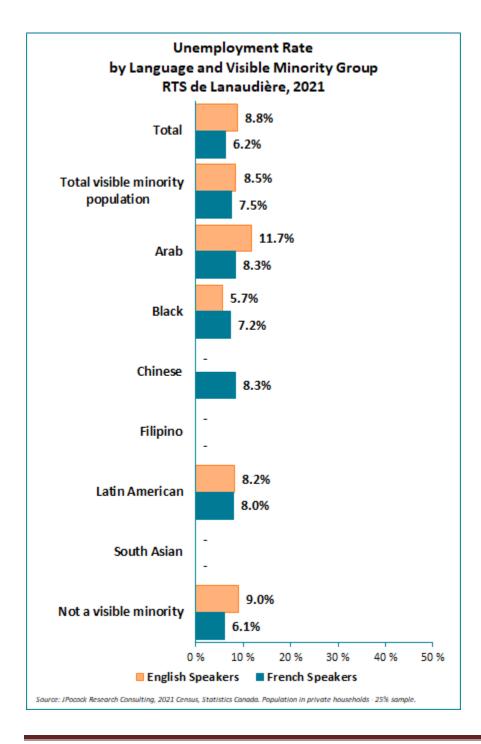


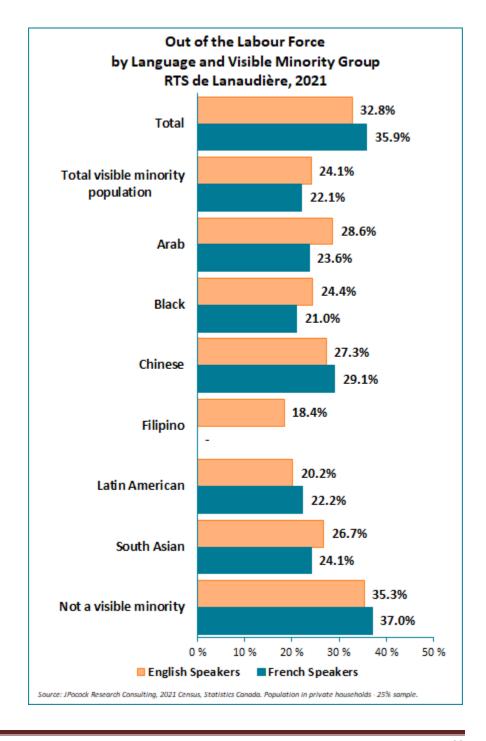


Labour Force Status of Visible Minority Populations

Labour Force Status of Visible Minority Populations by Language Group RTS de Lanaudière, 2021

		E	nglish Speake	ers				French Speak	ers				
Visible Minority	Total Population Aged 15+	In the Labour Force	Employed	Unemployed	Out of the Labour Force	Total Population Aged 15+	In the Labour Force	Employed	Unemployed	Out of the Labour Force			
Total	14,700	9,890	9,020	870	4,815	408,555	261,845	245,615	16,235	146,710			
Total visible minority population	3,345	2,535	2,330	215	805	30,165	23,500	21,740	1,760	6,675			
Arab	420	300	275	35	120	5,185	3,965	3,635	330	1,225			
Black	820	615	580	35	200	17,595	13,895	12,895	1,005	3,700			
Chinese	220	155	140	15	60	585	420	380	35	170			
Filipino	245	195	190	-	45	70	55	50	-	10			
Latin American	915	730	670	60	185	4,475	3,485	3,200	280	995			
South Asian	225	165	145	20	60	270	210	190	15	65			
Not a visible minority	11,355	7,340	6,690	660	4,010	378,390	238,345	223,875	14,470	140,040			
Total	100.0%	67.3%	61.4%	8.8%	32.8%	100.0%	64.1%	60.1%	6.2%	35.9%			
Total visible minority population	100.0%	75.8%	69.7%	8.5%	24.1%	100.0%	77.9%	72.1%	7.5%	22.1%			
Arab	100.0%	71.4%	65.5%	11.7%	28.6%	100.0%	76.5%	70.1%	8.3%	23.6%			
Black	100.0%	75.0%	70.7%	5.7%	24.4%	100.0%	79.0%	73.3%	7.2%	21.0%			
Chinese	100.0%	70.5%	63.6%	-	27.3%	100.0%	71.8%	65.0%	8.3%	29.1%			
Filipino	100.0%	79.6%	77.6%	-	18.4%	100.0%	78.6%	71.4%	-	-			
Latin American	100.0%	79.8%	73.2%	8.2%	20.2%	100.0%	77.9%	71.5%	8.0%	22.2%			
South Asian	100.0%	73.3%	64.4%	-	26.7%	100.0%	77.8%	70.4%	-	24.1%			
Not a visible minority	100.0%	64.6%	58.9%	9.0%	35.3%	100.0%	63.0%	59.2%	6.1%	37.0%			
Source: JPocock Research Consulting, 202	21 Census, Stat	istics Canada. Po	opulation in priv	ate households -	25% sample.								

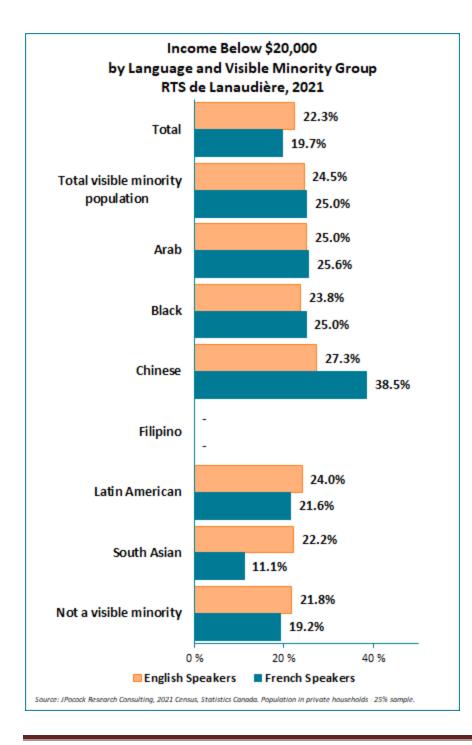


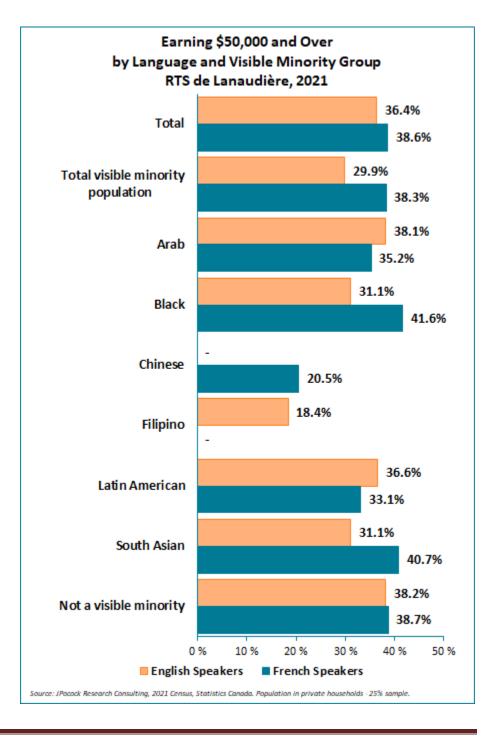


Income Levels of Visible Minority Populations

Income Categories of Visible Minority Populations by Language Group RTS de Lanaudière, 2021

		English	Speakers			French S	noakors	
Visible Minority	Total Population Aged 15+	Earning Less Than \$20,000	\$20,000 -	Earning \$50,000 and Over	Total Population Aged 15+	Earning Less Than \$20,000	\$20,000 - \$49,999	Earning \$50,000 and Over
Total	14,700	3,285	6,070	5,345	408,555	80,295	170,450	157,820
Total visible minority population	3,345	820	1,525	1,000	30,165	7,545	11,085	11,540
Arab	420	105	165	160	5,185	1,325	2,040	1,825
Black	820	195	360	255	17,595	4,395	5,865	7,325
Chinese	220	60	125	15	585	225	240	120
Filipino	245	20	160	45	70	1	25	15
Latin American	915	220	370	335	4,475	965	2,035	1,480
South Asian	225	50	80	70	270	30	105	110
Not a visible minority	11,355	2,470	4,550	4,340	378,390	72,745	159,365	146,280
Total	100.0%	22.3%	41.3%	36.4%	100.0%	19.7%	41.7%	38.6%
Total visible minority population	100.0%	24.5%	45.6%	29.9%	100.0%	25.0%	36.7%	38.3%
Arab	100.0%	25.0%	39.3%	38.1%	100.0%	25.6%	39.3%	35.2%
Black	100.0%	23.8%	43.9%	31.1%	100.0%	25.0%	33.3%	41.6%
Chinese	100.0%	27.3%	56.8%	-	100.0%	38.5%	41.0%	20.5%
Filipino	100.0%	-	65.3%	18.4%	100.0%	-	35.7%	1
Latin American	100.0%	24.0%	40.4%	36.6%	100.0%	21.6%	45.5%	33.1%
South Asian	100.0%	22.2%	35.6%	31.1%	100.0%	11.1%	38.9%	40.7%
Not a visible minority	100.0%	21.8%	40.1%	38.2%	100.0%	19.2%	42.1%	38.7%
Source: JPocock Research Consulting, 202	21 Census, Stat	istics Canada. Po	ppulation in priv	ate households -	- 25% sample.			

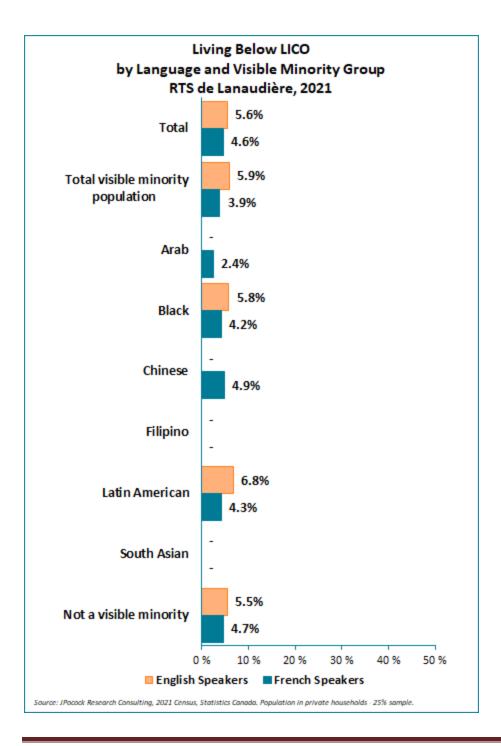




Low-income Cut-off Status of Visible Minority Populations

Low-income Cut-off Status of Visible Minority Populations by Language Group RTS de Lanaudière, 2021

	Е	nglish Speake	ers	Fre	ench Speaker	s
Visible Minority	Total to Whom LICO Applies	Living Above LICO	Living Below LICO	Total to Whom LICO Applies	Living Above LICO	Living Below LICO
Total	17,560	16,585	975	498,270	475,185	23,085
Total visible minority population	4,215	3,965	250	44,145	42,415	1,730
Arab	460	450	10	7,770	7,580	190
Black	1,200	1,130	70	26,725	25,595	1,130
Chinese	260	250	10	820	780	40
Filipino	255	255	-	125	125	-
Latin American	1,095	1,020	75	5,580	5,340	240
South Asian	255	255	-	305	305	-
Not a visible minority	13,345	12,615	730	454,125	432,765	21,360
Total	100.0%	94.4%	5.6%	100.0%	95.4%	4.6%
Total visible minority population	100.0%	94.1%	5.9%	100.0%	96.1%	3.9%
Arab	100.0%	97.8%	-	100.0%	97.6%	2.4%
Black	100.0%	94.2%	5.8%	100.0%	95.8%	4.2%
Chinese	100.0%	96.2%	-	100.0%	95.1%	4.9%
Filipino	100.0%	100.0%	-	100.0%	100.0%	-
Latin American	100.0%	93.2%	6.8%	100.0%	95.7%	4.3%
South Asian	100.0%	100.0%	-	100.0%	100.0%	-
Not a visible minority	100.0%	94.5%	5.5%	100.0%	95.3%	4.7%



Appendix - Definitions

Income

The low-income category includes those with less than \$20,000 in reported income combined with those who reported no income.

Labour Force Status

The *Unemployment Rate* is calculated using the number of unemployed persons as the numerator and the population in the labour force as the denominator. It represents the proportion of people who are looking for work but cannot find any.

The *Employment Rate* is calculated using the number of employed persons as the numerator and the total population aged 15 and over as the denominator. It represents the proportion of adults who were employed, regardless of circumstances.

Out of the Labour Force Refers to persons who, in the week (Sunday to Saturday) prior to Census Day, were neither employed nor unemployed. It includes students, homemakers, retired workers, seasonal workers in an 'off' season who were not looking for work, and persons who could not work because of a long-term illness or disability.

Low-income Cut-off (LICO)

The Low-income Cut-off refers to income levels at which families or persons not in economic families spend 20% more than average of their before tax income on food, shelter and clothing

Recent Mobility

Non-movers are persons who lived at the same address 5 years previously.

Non-migrants are persons who have moved but live within the same municipality as they did 5 years previously.

Intraprovincial migrants are persons who moved over the past 5 years but within the same province.

Interprovincial migrants are persons who moved over the past 5 years from another province into Québec.

External migrants are persons who moved into Québec from another country over the past 5 years.

Visible Minority

Visible Minority, n.i.e. refers to all visible minority groups not included elsewhere.

Multiple visible minorities refer to those who reported belonging to more than one visible minority group.