

Canada's Immigration Analytical Report

(2015-2024)

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1. Executive Summary

This report provides an analytical overview of Canada's immigration data from 2015 to 2025, focusing on volume, immigration pathways, demographic patterns, and country-wise distribution. The analysis draws on visualized data to reveal immigration patterns and project trends shaping Canada's demographic and economic landscape.

2. Project Overview

a. Objective:

The objective of this project is to develop a comprehensive and interactive dashboard to analyze immigration trends in Canada from 2015 to 2025. By leveraging data-driven visualizations, the project aims to provide clear insights into the volume, distribution, and demographic characteristics of immigrants entering Canada.

b. Projects Goals:

- **Track Historical Trends**: Analyze year-over-year immigration patterns to identify fluctuations and growth rates from 2015 to 2025.
- Program-Level Analysis: Examine immigration by program categories such as Skilled Worker, Provincial Nominee, Family Sponsorship, and others.
- Demographic Insights: Visualize and interpret the distribution of immigrants by age group and gender to understand the socio-economic profile of newcomers.
- Geographical Patterns: Identify the top contributing countries of citizenship over time and track how these have shifted.
- Performance Indicators: Present key performance indicators (KPIs) like total immigrant count, year-over-year (YoY) change, and program-specific growth.
- Policy Support Tool: Offer a reliable analytical resource for policymakers, stakeholders, and researchers to guide immigration strategies and evaluate policy impacts.

3. Total Immigration Trends (2015-2024)

The total number of immigrants from 2015 to 2025 reached approximately 3.53 million. Despite fluctuations due to global events like the COVID-19 pandemic, immigration rebounded strongly in 2020. In 2025, a YoY increase of 33,855 (1.0%) was projected, while 2024 saw a modest increase of 11,800 immigrants.

4. Immigration by Program Category

Top immigration programs by volume:

- Provincial Nominee Program: 689K

- Skilled Worker Program: 630K

- Sponsored Spouse: 607K

- Canadian Experience Class: 407K

Economic immigration continues to dominate, with increasing preference for skilled labor and nominee programs.

5. Gender and Age Demographics

- Gender Ratio:

Female: 50.48%Male: 49.52%

- Gender parity remains balanced.

- Age Distribution Highlights:

- 30-44 years: 1,258K (Highest)

- 15-29 years: 1,151K

- Youth-dominated immigration supports workforce sustainability.

6. Year-over-Year Analysis

- <u>Growth Periods</u>: Strong YoY growth observed in 2021 (↑1.2%), recovering from 2020's pandemic impact.
- <u>Decline Forecast</u>: Projected YoY decline of -0.93% in 2025, driven by policy adjustments or intake caps.

7. Immigration by Country of Citizenship

Top source countries:

- Philippines: 4,294 immigrants

India: 2,822 immigrantsChina: 1,517 immigrants

- Other significant contributors: Pakistan, USA, France, Nigeria, and Syria.

These trends reflect strong bilateral migration ties with Asian nations.

8. Key Insights

- Canada's immigration policy continues to favor economic class immigrants, particularly skilled and provincial nominees.
- The demographic structure of immigrants skews young, supporting labor market needs.
- Country-specific trends indicate strategic migration partnerships with Asian and Commonwealth nations.
- Despite short-term fluctuations, Canada maintains a stable, long-term upward trend in immigration.

9. Conclusion

- Canada's immigration policies continue to attract skilled labor and reunite families.
- Programs like PNP and Skilled Worker have proven effective in fulfilling labor demands.
- A balanced gender and age profile supports economic sustainability.
- Continued investment in immigration programs and community support is vital for successful integration.

10. Dashboards

i. Layout 1



