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LOCATION

CANAL FLATS - BRITISH COLUMBIA



DISTANCE TO MAJOR CITIES

Metro Area	Kilometres	Miles	Approximate Time
Vancouver, BC	975	606	10 hours, 32 min
Calgary, AB	276	172	2 hrs, 56 min
Spokane, WA	433	269	5 hrs, 6 min
Victoria, BC	1,053	654	13 hrs, 5 min
Kelowna, BC	460	286	5 hrs, 21 min
Kamloops, BC	476	296	5 hrs, 19 min
Edmonton, AB	575	357	6 hrs, 5 min

Source: [Ministry of Transportation](#)

COORDINATES, ELEVATION AND AREA

	Canal Flats
Longitude	115°48'39"W
Latitude	50°09'28"N
Elevation (meters)	840
Area (km ²)	10.97

Source: Natural Resources Canada, [The Atlas of Canada](#)

CANAL FLATS MUNICIPAL WEBSITE

<http://www.canalflats.com/>

DEMOGRAPHICS

POPULATION ESTIMATES 2014

	2014 Population	2011 Population
Canal Flats	736	720
Kootenay Development Region	148,379	148,470
BC	4,631,302	4,499,139

Source: [BC Stats](#)

AGE CHARACTERISTICS 2011

	Canal Flats			British Columbia		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Children (0 to 14 years)	70	60	130	347,550	329,805	677,360
Emerging Labour Force (15 to 24 years)	30	40	75	283,960	271,035	554,990
Primary Labour Force (25 to 64 years)	205	210	415	1,208,320	1,270,655	2,478,985
Seniors (65+ years)	60	40	100	316,750	371,955	688,715
Total population	375	345	715	2,156,600	2,243,455	4,400,055
Median age of population	41.5	41.4	41.5	41.1	42.7	41.9

Source: Statistics Canada, [Census 2011](#)

MARITAL STATUS 2011

	Canal Flats			British Columbia		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Total Population 15 years+	300	285	580	1,809,045	1,913,650	3,722,695
Married	150	150	305	913,430	919,175	1,832,605
Living common law	40	40	80	161,530	160,435	321,965
Single (never legally married)	75	50	120	550,830	463,435	1,014,270
Separated	5	15	25	43,570	58,470	102,040
Divorced	15	10	30	98,130	148,385	246,515
Widowed	10	15	25	41,550	163,750	205,300

Source: Statistics Canada, [Census 2011](#)

MOBILITY STATUS OVER 5-YEAR PERIOD 2011 – POPULATION PROPORTIONS

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Non-movers (%)	62.3%	57.2%
Movers Non-migrants (%)	17.0%	21.6%
Intraprovincial migrants (%)	8.7%	11.9%
Interprovincial migrants (%)	10.1%	4.1%
External migrants (%)	1.9%	5.2%

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

HOUSEHOLDS BY SIZE 2011

	Canal Flats	British Columbia
Total Households	300	1,764,640
1 Person	75	498,925
2 Persons	110	613,270
3 Persons	45	264,135
4 Persons	45	237,725
5 Persons	15	91,600
6+ Persons	5	58,985
Average Persons per Household	2.4	2.5

Source: Statistics Canada, [Census 2011](#)

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE 2011

	Canal Flats	British Columbia
Total private households	295	1,764,635
Couple families without children	95	458,880
Couple families with children	85	439,150
Lone-parent families	20	143,445
One-family households with additional non-family persons	10	91,190
Two-or-more-family households	0	50,415
One-person households	75	498,925
Non-family households with two or more persons	5	82,640

Source: Statistics Canada, [Census 2011](#)

INCOME

PERSONAL INCOME 2012

	Canal Flats	British Columbia
Number of Returns Under 10,000	90	637,790
10,000-14,999	60	343,260
15,000-19,999	50	329,290
20,000-24,999	60	262,850
25,000-29,999	40	211,370
30,000-34,999	50	198,510
35,000-39,999	50	191,780
40,000-44,999	40	182,470
45,000-49,999	30	153,520
50,000-59,999	40	248,450
60,000-69,999	30	191,970
70,000-79,999	40	145,330
80,000-89,999	30	111,390
90,000-99,999	20	75,200
100,000-149,999	20	157,840

150,000-249,999	0	57,170
250,000+	0	26,460
Average Income (\$)	38,778	42,453

Source: [Canada Revenue Agency 2014](#)

COMPOSITION OF TOTAL INCOME OF POPULATION BY SOURCE 2010

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Employment income %	74.2	73.7
Investment income %	5.0	6.1
Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities %	7.6	6.9
Other market income %	1.3	1.7
Canada/Quebec Pension Plan benefits %	4.2	3.7
Old Age Security pensions and Guaranteed Income Supplement %	3.1	3.3
Employment Insurance benefits %	1.5	1.5
Child benefits %	1.1	1.2
Other income from government sources %	1.9	2.0

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

HOUSEHOLD INCOME 2010

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Total number of households	24,040	1,764,630
Under \$5,000	665	60,125
\$5,000 to \$9,999	355	36,340
\$10,000 to \$14,999	610	59,965
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1,235	96,600
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,920	157,605
\$30,000 to \$39,999	2,050	167,220
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2,125	158,400
\$50,000 to \$59,999	1,990	140,340
\$60,000 to \$79,999	3,540	246,720
\$80,000 to \$99,999	2,985	193,180

\$100,000 to \$124,999	2,925	167,415
\$125,000 to \$149,999	1,465	106,325
\$150,000 and over	2,175	174,385
Median household total income \$	66,049	60,333
Average household total income \$	78,520	77,378

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

ECONOMIC DEPENDENCY 2012

	Windermere Local Health Area	BC
Population receiving Income Assistance (%)	0.7	1.7
Population 15+ receiving Employment Insurance (%)	2.1	1.3

Source: BC Stats, [Socio-Economic Profiles](#)

HOUSEHOLD AVERAGE SPENDING BREAKDOWN 2013 (\$ PER YEAR)

	British Columbia	Population centre 1,000 to 29,999	Rural area
Total expenditure	78,414	70,633	72,040
Food expenditures	8,084	7,302	7,340
Shelter	18,766	13,640	13,346
Household operation	4,339	4,030	4,363
Household furnishings and equipment	2,067	1,695	2,028
Clothing and accessories	3,451	3,206	2,801
Transportation	11,184	11,680	12,583
Health care	2,790	3,392	2,604
Personal care	1,222	1,010	1,087
Recreation	3,909	3,884	4,518
Education	1,831	778	635
Reading materials and other printed matter	193	174	177
Tobacco products and alcoholic beverages	1,256	1,400	1,415
Games of chance	232	170	158
Miscellaneous	1,684	1,668	1,508

expenditures			
Income taxes	11,113	10,886	11,252
Personal insurance payments and pension contributions	4,138	4,261	4,003
Gifts of money, support payments and charitable contributions	2,155	1,457	2,224

Source: Statistics Canada, [Survey of Household Spending \(SHS\)](#)

HOUSING

DWELLINGS BY STRUCTURE 2011

	Canal Flats	British Columbia
Total number of occupied private dwellings	300	1,764,635
Single-detached house	260	842,120
Apartment, building that has five or more storeys	0	143,970
Movable dwelling	0	46,960
Semi-detached house	0	52,825
Row house	25	130,365
Apartment, duplex	0	184,355
Apartment, building that has fewer than five storeys	0	361,150
Other single-attached house	0	2,885

Source: Statistics Canada, [Census 2011](#)

AVERAGE OWNER-OCCUPIED DWELLING VALUES 2011

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Private non-farm, non-reserve dwellings	18,465	1,202,000
Average value of dwelling (\$)	358,458	543,635

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

DISTRIBUTION OF SINGLE FAMILY DWELLING VALUES 2015

	Canal Flats	Basin-Boundary Region
Number of single family dwellings	227	45,238
Under \$50,000	0%	0%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8%	3%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	36%	9%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	28%	15%
\$200,000 to \$249,999	9%	19%
\$250,000 to \$299,999	3%	17%
\$300,000 to \$349,999	3%	12%
\$350,000 to \$399,999	2%	8%
\$400,000 to \$499,999	5%	8%
\$500,000 to \$749,999	3%	6%
\$750,000 or more	3%	2%
Median value of dwelling \$	158,200	260,100

Source: BC Assessment (Custom Data)

HOUSEHOLDS AND SHELTER COSTS BY TENURE 2011

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Total number of private households	24,045	1,764,630
Total number of owner-occupied private households	18,980	1,234,710
Total number of renter-occupied private households	5,040	524,995
Median monthly shelter costs for owned dwellings	844	1,023
Median monthly shelter costs for rented dwellings	750	903

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

DWELLINGS BY PERIOD OF CONSTRUCTION 2011

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Total number of occupied private dwellings	24,045	1,764,630
1960 or before	4,700	282,675
1961 to 1980	9,170	551,655

1981 to 1990	3,395	308,450
1991 to 2000	3,495	329,780
2001 to 2005	1,445	133,235
2006 to 2011	1,835	158,845

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

LABOUR FORCE

LABOUR FORCE ACTIVITY 2014

	Kootenay Development Region		British Columbia	
	2011	2014	2011	2014
Population 15 years and older (000)	124.4	122.3	3,778.8	3854.5
Full-time employment (000)	51.3	53.2	1,759.9	1814.2
Part-time employment (000)	19.3	14.3	514.7	493.9
Unemployment (000)	6.1	5.0	183.4	162.4
Not in labour force (000)	47.7	49.8	1,320.8	1384.0
Unemployment rate (%)	8.0	6.9	7.5	6.6
Participation rate (%)	61.7	59.3	65	64.1
Employment rate (%)	56.8	55.2	60.2	59.9

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey, Custom Data

LABOUR FORCE BY OCCUPATION 2011

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Management occupations	3,065	263,685
Business, finance and administrative occupations	4,100	368,980
Natural and applied sciences and related occupations	1,415	154,055
Health occupations	1,980	147,620
Occupations in education, law and social, community and government services	2,685	265,910
Occupations in art, culture, recreation and sport	655	78,565

Sales and service occupations	7,340	554,345
Trades, transport and equipment operators and related occupations	6,615	337,140
Natural resources, agriculture and related production occupations	1,570	60,295
Occupations in manufacturing and utilities	960	74,720
All occupations	30,390	2,305,320

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

LABOUR FORCE BY INDUSTRY 2014

	Kootenay Development Region (000s)	British Columbia (000s)
Total labour force 15 years and over	72.5	2425.4
Agriculture	0	27.5
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas	7.4	53.7
Utilities	0	13.9
Construction	5	214.2
Manufacturing	4.8	168.1
Trade	12.2	369.9
Transportation and warehousing	3.6	137.6
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	3.2	140.5
Professional, scientific and technical services	2	187.4
Business, building and other support services	1.9	94.4
Educational services	5.1	171.2
Health care and social assistance	9.6	275
Information, culture and recreation	2.7	112.4
Accommodation and food services	5.5	195.5
Other services	3.4	104.7
Public administration	2	100.9
Unclassified Industries	2.2	58.3

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey, Custom Data

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY 2014

	Kootenay Development Region (000s)	British Columbia (000s)
Total employees 15 years and over	67.5	2278.4
Agriculture	0	24.3
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas	7.2	50
Utilities	0	13.7
Construction	4.6	200.5
Manufacturing	4.7	161.4
Trade	11.8	358
Transportation and warehousing	3.3	133.8
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	3.1	137.2
Professional, scientific and technical services	1.9	182.3
Business, building and other support services	1.7	87.9
Educational services	5	166.3
Health care and social assistance	9.5	269.8
Information, culture and recreation	2.5	107.7
Accommodation and food services	5.2	185.3
Other services	3.3	102.4
Public administration	1.9	97.9
Unclassified Industries	0	0

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey, Custom Data

MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE BY INDUSTRY 2014 (\$)

	Kootenay Development Region	British Columbia
All Industries	23.00	21.79
Agriculture	0.00	15.00
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas	33.27	28.00
Utilities	0.00	32.00
Construction	25.00	25.64
Manufacturing	27.00	24.00

Trade	17.00	15.00
Transportation and warehousing	25.27	25.00
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	22.12	22.44
Professional, scientific and technical services	0.00	28.85
Business, building and other support services	0.00	16.00
Educational services	28.37	26.00
Health care and social assistance	22.00	22.94
Information, culture and recreation	18.82	21.00
Accommodation and food services	12.00	12.00
Other services	19.23	17.99
Public administration	27.00	31.00

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Survey, Custom Data

Note: 0.00 implies suppressed/unknown values

MEDIAN COMMUTE DURATION 2011

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Duration (minutes)	10.8	20.4

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

PLACE OF WORK STATUS 2011

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Total employed labour force 15 years and older	28,495	2,171,470
Worked at home	2,250	174,000
Worked outside Canada	70	12,480
No fixed workplace address	3,950	304,465
Worked at usual place	22,225	1,680,525

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

EDUCATION

HIGHEST EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT 2011

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Total population 15 years or older	46,585	3,646,840
No certificate, diploma or degree	8,650	607,655

High school certificate or equivalent	13,030	1,009,400
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	7,345	387,455
College, CEGEP or other non-university certificate or diploma	9,475	628,115
University certificate or diploma below bachelor level	1,640	208,245
Bachelor's degree	4,315	511,240
University certificate or diploma above bachelor level	2,140	294,725

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY 2011

	East Kootenay	British Columbia
Total population over 15 years with postsecondary qualifications	24,915	2,029,785
Education	2,210	149,980
Visual and performing arts, and communications technologies	380	89,230
Humanities	645	120,340
Social and behavioural sciences and law	1,600	209,655
Business, management and public administration	5,175	412,335
Physical and life sciences and technologies	640	79,980
Mathematics, computer and information sciences	425	72,705
Architecture, engineering, and related technologies	6,935	421,115
Agriculture, natural resources and conservation	910	49,275
Health and related fields	4,210	308,880
Personal, protective and transportation services	1,730	116,025
Other fields of study	0	270

Source: Statistics Canada, [National Household Survey 2011](#)

SCHOOLS AND ENROLMENTS 2014/15

	Rocky Mountain School District	
	2011/12	2014/15
Number of Elementary Schools	13	14
Elementary School Enrollment	1,796	1,845

Number of Secondary Schools	7	6
Secondary School Enrollment	1,382	1,257

Source: British Columbia [Ministry of Education](#)

POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTION FTEs - BC

Institution	2012/13	2013/14
British Columbia Institute of Technology	12,953	13,335
Camosun College	7,018	7,024
Capilano University	5,620	5,209
College of New Caledonia	2,140	2,022
College of the Rockies	1,700	1,750
Douglas College	8,792	9,097
Emily Carr University of Art + Design	1,458	1,500
Justice Institute of British Columbia	2,687	2,597
Kwantlen Polytechnic University	9,273	9,309
Langara College	7,370	7,232
Nicola Valley Institute of Technology	549	554
North Island College	1,972	1,947
Northern Lights College	874	831
Northwest Community College	1,009	1,126
Okanagan College	5,379	5,070
Royal Roads University	2,440	2,440
Selkirk College	1,725	1,755
Simon Fraser University	22,661	22,701
Thompson Rivers University	7,967	8,474
University of British Columbia	45,650	45,353
University of Northern British Columbia	2,888	2,833
University of the Fraser Valley	6,852	6,755
University of Victoria	16,524	16,649
Vancouver Community College	6,352	6,112
Vancouver Island University	6,009	5,873

Total	187,862	187,548
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Source: [DataBC](#)

QUALITY OF LIFE

WEATHER AND CLIMATE

Wasa Weather Station	July	December
Daily Average (°C)	18.4	-6.8
Daily Maximum (°C)	26.5	-3.5
Daily Minimum (°C)	10.2	-10.1
Precipitation (mm)	48.9	30.6

Source: National Climate Data and Information Archive: [1981-2010 Climate Normals](#)

HEALTH INDICATORS 2013

	East Kootenay Health Service Delivery Area		British Columbia	
	2010 (% of population)	2013 (% of population)	2010 (% of population)	2013 (% of population)
Perceived health, very good or excellent	63.8	54.3	58.6	59.9
Perceived mental health, very good or excellent	75.7	69.0	70.4	68.7
Overweight or obese	54.9	56.9	45.1	46.6
Sense of community belonging, somewhat strong or very strong	71.7	69.2	68.9	68.3
Life satisfaction, satisfied or very satisfied	93.6	87.3	90.9	91

Source: Statistics Canada, [Health Profile 2013](#)

CRIME STATISTICS 2011

	Windermere Local Health Area	British Columbia
Serious Violent Crime Rate	1.6	3.3
Serious Property Crime Rate	10.6	7.8
Total Serious Crime Rate	12.3	11.1
# of Serious Crimes per Police Officer	12.0	7.7

Source: BC Stats [Socio-Economic Indices](#)

Note: rates are offences per 1000 population, averaged from 2009 to 2011

SELECTED EVENTS

Top Annual Events	Date(s)
Columbia Salmon Festival	Late September
Canal Flats Days	Early June

Source: RDI Research.

SELECTED CULTURAL AND RECREATIONAL AMENITIES (WITHIN A TWO-HOUR DRIVE)

Amenities	Activity
Lussier Hot Springs	Hot springs
Th'Flats Golf Course	Golf
Fort Steele Heritage Town	Historical Park

Source: RDI Research.

TAXATION

DEVELOPMENT COST CHARGES 2012

	Canal Flats
Residential Single-Family (\$ Per Unit)	-
Residential Multi-Family (\$ Per Unit)	-
Commercial (\$ Per Square Metre)	-
Industrial (\$ Per Square Metre)	-

Source: Ministry of Community, Sport & Cultural Development, [Local Government Statistics](#)

MUNICIPAL TAX RATES BY PROPERTY CLASS 2015

Property Class	Authenticated Roll General Taxable Values	Municipal Purposes Tax Rates	Tax Class Multiples	Total Municipal Variable Rate Taxes	Total Municipal Taxes
Residential	109,389,863	3.22	1.00	352,218	352,218
Utilities	904,070	16.10	5.00	14,555	14,555
Supportive Housing	0	0.00	0.00	0	0
Major Industry	4,261,000	12.88	4.00	54,879	54,879
Light Industry	577,000	11.59	3.60	6,688	6,688
Business/Other	4,306,400	6.44	2.00	27,732	27,732
Managed Forest	13,900	9.66	3.00	134	134
Recreation	276,000	3.22	1.00	889	889

Farm	92,396	3.22	1.00	298	298
Totals	119,820,629			457,392	457,392

Source: Ministry of Community, Sport & Cultural Development, [Local Government Statistics](#)

TAXES AND CHARGES ON A REPRESENTATIVE HOUSE 2015

	Canal Flats
House Value	188,967
School	438
General Municipal Total	608
Regional District	243
Hospital	30
BCA, MFA and Other	67
Total Residential Variable Rate Taxes	1,388
Total Residential Parcel Taxes	514
Total Residential User Fees	418
Total Residential Property Taxes And Charges	2,320

Source: Ministry of Community, Sport & Cultural Development, [Local Government Statistics](#)

INFRASTRUCTURE

WATER SERVICES

Provider	City of Canal Flats
Annual Water Rate (Single Family Residential) (2015)	\$280
Annual Water Rate (Industrial/Commercial/Institutional) (2015)	varies by use
Water Connection Fee (2015)	\$500
Length of Pipe	11 km

Source: Canal Flats [Water Rates and Regulations Bylaw](#), Ministry of Community, Sport & Cultural Development, [Local Government Statistics](#)

SEWER SERVICES

Provider	City of Canal Flats
Type of Treatment	Secondary
Annual Sewer Rate (Single Family Residential) (2015)	\$110.40
Annual Sewer Rate (Industrial/Commercial/Institutional) (2015)	varies by use
Sewer Connection Fee (2015)	\$675
Length of Pipe	8 km

Source: City of Canal Flats, [Canal Flats Sewer Rates and Regulations Bylaw](#), Ministry of Community, Sport & Cultural Development, [Local Government Statistics](#)

LANDFILL AND WASTE MANAGEMENT

	Canal Flats
Landfill Location	Columbia Valley Landfill
Waste Disposal Rate – RDEK 2012	818 kg/person/year
Type of Service	Transfer Station

Source: [Regional District of East Kootenay](#), [BC Ministry of Environment](#)

PAVED AND UNPAVED ROAD LENGTHS 2013

	Canal Flats	Combined BC Municipalities
Distance of Paved Roads (km)	24	26,856
Distance of Unpaved Roads (km)	4	1,629

Source: Ministry of Community, Sport & Cultural Development, [Local Government Statistics](#)

TRAFFIC 2012

Station Location	Annual Average Daily Traffic (Number of Vehicles)	Summer Average Daily Traffic (Number of Vehicles)
Route 93/95, 0.2 km south of Westside Road, south of Invermere	3,013	5,109

Source: Ministry Transportation and Infrastructure [Traffic Data Program](#)

BUSINESS

BUSINESS FORMATIONS 2013

	Canal Flats	British Columbia
2009	1	26,431
2010	1	30,305
2011	0	30,844
2012	1	31,066
2013	0	32,225

Source: BC Stats, [Business Formations and Failures](#)

BANKRUPTCIES 2013

	Kootenay Development Region		British Columbia	
	Bankruptcies - Business	Bankruptcies - Consumer	Bankruptcies - Business	Bankruptcies - Consumer
2009	9	339	380	10,639
2010	7	305	229	9,674
2011	7	244	192	8,040
2012	12	291	192	7,562
2013	6	248	189	7,130

Source: BC Stats, [Business Formations and Failures](#)

TOTAL BUILDING PERMITS 2014 (\$ 000)

	Canal Flats	Kootenay Development Region	British Columbia
2010	551	302,380	9,723,809
2011	720	232,172	9,249,767
2012	1,139	244,964	10,759,583
2013	1,785	215,735	10,158,890
2014	811	263,109	11,076,715

Source: BC Stats, [Building Permits, Housing Starts and Sales](#)

BUILDING PERMITS BY TYPE 2014

	Canal Flats	Kootenay Development Region	British Columbia
Residential (\$ 000)	662	204,316	7,347,640
Industrial (\$ 000)	-	6,669	354,651
Commercial (\$ 000)	-	29,574	2,213,014
Institutional and Government (\$ 000)	149	22,550	1,161,410
Residential (Total number of units)	4	548	28,709

Source: BC Stats, [Building Permits, Housing Starts and Sales](#)

LICENSED MOTOR VEHICLES 2013

Year	Canal Flats		British Columbia	
	Number of Personal Vehicles	Number of Commercial Vehicles	Number of Personal Vehicles	Number of Commercial Vehicles
1985	-	-	1,219,940	442,456
1995	-	-	1,561,183	542,548
2005	-	-	1,917,802	616,952
2010	-	-	2,062,433	688,846
2013	-	-	2,147,741	724,742

Source: BC Stats, [Other Economic Statistics](#)

NUMBER OF BUSINESSES BY EMPLOYEE SIZE AND INDUSTRY TYPE 2013 (KOOTENAY DEVELOPMENT REGION)

	Employee Size Range							
	Indeterminate	1 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 19	20 to 49	50 to 199	200 plus	All Sizes
Total, All Industries	25,221	3,409	1,456	769	421	182	30	31488
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	2,097	213	83	51	23	8	0	2475
Mining & Oil & Gas Extraction	183	30	9	3	4	1	6	236
Utilities	65	5	5	3	5	6	0	89
Construction	2,577	602	188	70	26	10	0	3473
Manufacturing	549	108	46	23	21	18	3	768
Wholesale Trade	217	78	55	23	18	5	0	396
Retail Trade	1,276	363	265	171	68	26	3	2172
Transportation & Warehousing	501	171	59	33	21	4	1	790
Information & Cultural Industries	254	44	16	15	12	2	0	343
Finance & Insurance	526	79	46	31	25	7	0	714
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	8,905	236	58	23	6	4	0	9232
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	2,279	375	61	34	15	8	0	2772

Management of Companies & Enterprises	277	27	7	1	0	0	0	312
Admin. & Support, Waste Mgmt. & Remediation	1,150	117	67	18	11	6	0	1369
Educational Services	376	30	10	8	7	1	6	438
Health Care & Social Assistance	1,052	318	115	60	35	30	6	1616
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	689	69	37	26	16	15	1	853
Accommodation & Food Services	764	141	184	127	89	14	3	1322
Other Services	1,467	385	129	42	14	4	0	2041
Public Administration	17	18	16	7	5	13	1	77

Source: BC Stats, [Business Counts and Employment by Industry](#)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

MUNICIPAL FINANCIAL ASSETS 2013

	Canal Flats (\$)	Combined BC Municipalities (\$)
Cash and Investments	612,344	7,914,366,626
Taxes Receivable	187,340	219,220,705
Receivables from Government	259,206	196,045,154
Receivables from non-Government	195,412	777,934,308
MFA Deposit Notes	0	74,699,807
Loans Receivable	0	55,424,221
Government Business Enterprise Equity	0	57,592,573
Other Financial Assets	0	38,955,655
Property Held for Resale	0	297,595,860
Total Financial Assets	1,254,302	9,631,834,909

Source: Ministry of Community, Sport & Cultural Development, [Local Government Statistics](#)

MUNICIPAL REVENUES 2013

	Canal Flats (\$)	Combined BC Municipalities (\$)
Total Own Purpose Taxation and Grants in Lieu	751,747	4,032,474,079
Sale of Services	276,605	2,622,738,203
Transfers from Federal Governments	0	69,709,693
Transfers from Provincial Governments	1,291,133	380,837,870
Transfers from Regional and Other Governments	1,111,248	146,043,351
Investment Income	14,146	183,666,780
Income from Government Business Enterprise	0	9,708,343
Developer Contributions	0	744,424,465
Disposition of Assets	0	128,795,014
Other Revenue	51,018	110,003,855
Total Revenue	3,495,897	8,428,401,653

Source: Ministry of Community, Sport & Cultural Development, [Local Government Statistics](#)

MUNICIPAL EXPENSES 2013

	Canal Flats (\$)	Combined BC Municipalities (\$)
General Government	340,290	779,512,444
Protective Services	141,285	1,715,372,493
Solid Waste Mgmt and Recycling	0	272,217,202
Health, Social Services and Housing	1,843	55,969,089
Development Services	45,833	191,284,371
Transportation and Transit	401,149	690,912,163
Parks, Recreation and Culture	312,102	1,175,617,232
Water Services	111,118	488,504,213
Sewer Services	103,550	407,468,765
Other Services	0	154,053,285
Amortization	989,454	1,054,284,756
Other Adjustments	0	-604,942
Total Expenses	2,446,624	6,984,591,071

Source: Ministry of Community, Sport & Cultural Development, [Local Government Statistics](#)