



Data Dictionary

Canadian Business Activities



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Variable Name	Description
	Geography
POSTCODE	6-Digit postal code
PC_URBAN	Urban core inside of a census metropolitan area or census agglomeration
PC_SUBUR	Urban fringe inside of a census metropolitan area or census agglomeration
PC_RURAL	Rural area inside of a census metropolitan area or census agglomeration
PC_TOWN	Population centre outside of a census metropolitan area or census agglomeration
PC_RESID	A pure residential postal code
PC_MIXED	A postal code with both residents and businesses
PC_BUSI	A pure business postal code
PC_AREA	Size of 6-digit postal code occupied by residents or businesses (square kilometers)
	Summary
DAY_PP	Total daytime population
PP_TOT	Total population
HH_TOT	Total number of households
BUS_NUM	Number of business establishments, i.e. companies and organizations
WORK_HOME	Total number of people working at home: contractors, self-employed, ...
DW_SFHM	Number of dwelling units - single family homes
DW_APT5_	Number of dwelling units - apartment building higher than 5 storeys
DW_APT_5	Number of dwelling units - apartment building less than or equal 5 to storeys
DW_OTH	Number of dwelling units - other
DW_BUSI	Number of dwelling units - Business
DEN_BUS	Density of businesses per square kilometer
DEN_POP	Density of (night time) population per square kilometer
DEN_DPOP	Density of daytime population per square kilometer
DEN_WHOM	Density of population working at home per square kilometer
	Number of business establishments by 2-digit NAICS code.
NAICS11	Number of businesses in agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting
NAICS21	Number of businesses in mining, quarrying, and oil and gas extraction
NAICS22	Number of businesses in utilities
NAICS23	Number of businesses in construction
NAICS31	Number of businesses in manufacturing: food, beverage, textiles and clothing
NAICS32	Number of businesses in manufacturing: wood, paper, oil and coal, chemical, plastics and rubber
NAICS33	Number of businesses in manufacturing: metal, machinery, computer, electrical equipment and furniture
NAICS41	Number of businesses in wholesale trade
NAICS44	Number of businesses in retail trade: car dealers, furniture, electronics and appliance, hardware, food, pharma and clothing stores, gas stations

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NAICS45	Number of businesses in retail trade: sporting goods, book and general merchandise stores, non-store retailers
NAICS48	Number of businesses in transportation: air, rail, water, truck, transit, pipeline and sightseeing transportation
NAICS49	Number of businesses in transportation and warehousing: postal service, couriers, warehousing and storage
NAICS51	Number of businesses in information and cultural industries
NAICS52	Number of businesses in finance and insurance
NAICS53	Number of businesses in real estate and rental and leasing
NAICS54	Number of businesses in professional, scientific and technical services
NAICS55	Number of businesses in management of companies and enterprises
NAICS56	Number of businesses in administrative and support, waste management and remediation services
NAICS61	Number of businesses in educational services
NAICS62	Number of businesses in health care and social assistance
NAICS71	Number of businesses in arts, entertainment and recreation
NAICS72	Number of businesses in accommodation and food services
NAICS81	Number of businesses in other services (except public administration)
NAICS91	Number of businesses in public administration
NAICSN_A	Number of businesses without NAICS code
	Number of business establishments by 3-digit NAICS code.
NAICS111	Number of businesses in crop production
NAICS112	Number of businesses in animal production and aquaculture
NAICS113	Number of businesses in forestry and logging
NAICS114	Number of businesses in fishing, hunting and trapping
NAICS115	Number of businesses in support activities for agriculture and forestry
NAICS211	Number of businesses in oil and gas extraction
NAICS212	Number of businesses in mining and quarrying (except oil and gas)
NAICS213	Number of businesses in support activities for mining, and oil and gas extraction
NAICS221	Number of businesses in utilities
NAICS230	Number of businesses in construction - other
NAICS236	Number of businesses in construction of buildings
NAICS237	Number of businesses in heavy and civil engineering construction
NAICS238	Number of businesses in specialty trade contractors
NAICS310	Number of businesses in manufacturing - other
NAICS311	Number of businesses in food manufacturing
NAICS312	Number of businesses in beverage and tobacco product manufacturing
NAICS313	Number of businesses in textile mills
NAICS314	Number of businesses in textile product mills
NAICS315	Number of businesses in clothing manufacturing
NAICS316	Number of businesses in leather and allied product manufacturing

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NAICS321	Number of businesses in wood product manufacturing
NAICS322	Number of businesses in paper manufacturing
NAICS323	Number of businesses in printing and related support activities
NAICS324	Number of businesses in petroleum and coal product manufacturing
NAICS325	Number of businesses in chemical manufacturing
NAICS326	Number of businesses in plastics and rubber products manufacturing
NAICS327	Number of businesses in non-metallic mineral product manufacturing
NAICS331	Number of businesses in primary metal manufacturing
NAICS332	Number of businesses in fabricated metal product manufacturing
NAICS333	Number of businesses in machinery manufacturing
NAICS334	Number of businesses in computer and electronic product manufacturing
NAICS335	Number of businesses in electrical equipment, appliance and component manufacturing
NAICS336	Number of businesses in transportation equipment manufacturing
NAICS337	Number of businesses in furniture and related product manufacturing
NAICS339	Number of businesses in miscellaneous manufacturing
NAICS410	Number of businesses in wholesale trade - other
NAICS411	Number of businesses in farm product merchant wholesalers
NAICS412	Number of businesses in petroleum and petroleum products merchant wholesalers
NAICS413	Number of businesses in food, beverage and tobacco merchant wholesalers
NAICS414	Number of businesses in personal and household goods merchant wholesalers
NAICS415	Number of businesses in motor vehicle and motor vehicle parts and accessories merchant wholesalers
NAICS416	Number of businesses in building material and supplies merchant wholesalers
NAICS417	Number of businesses in machinery, equipment and supplies merchant wholesalers
NAICS418	Number of businesses in miscellaneous merchant wholesalers
NAICS419	Number of businesses in businesses-to-businesses electronic markets, and agents and brokers
NAICS440	Number of businesses in retail trade - other
NAICS441	Number of businesses in motor vehicle and parts dealers
NAICS442	Number of businesses in furniture and home furnishings stores
NAICS443	Number of businesses in electronics and appliance stores
NAICS444	Number of businesses in building material and garden equipment and supplies dealers
NAICS445	Number of businesses in food and beverage stores
NAICS446	Number of businesses in health and personal care stores
NAICS447	Number of businesses in gasoline stations
NAICS448	Number of businesses in clothing and clothing accessories stores
NAICS450	Number of businesses in retail trade - other

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NAICS451	Number of businesses in sporting goods, hobby, book and music stores
NAICS452	Number of businesses in general merchandise stores
NAICS453	Number of businesses in miscellaneous store retailers
NAICS454	Number of businesses in non-store retailers
NAICS480	Number of businesses in transportation and warehousing 48 - other
NAICS481	Number of businesses in air transportation
NAICS482	Number of businesses in rail transportation
NAICS483	Number of businesses in water transportation
NAICS484	Number of businesses in truck transportation
NAICS485	Number of businesses in transit and ground passenger transportation
NAICS486	Number of businesses in pipeline transportation
NAICS487	Number of businesses in scenic and sightseeing transportation
NAICS488	Number of businesses in support activities for transportation
NAICS491	Number of businesses in postal service
NAICS492	Number of businesses in couriers and messengers
NAICS493	Number of businesses in warehousing and storage
NAICS511	Number of businesses in publishing industries
NAICS512	Number of businesses in motion picture and sound recording industries
NAICS515	Number of businesses in broadcasting (except internet)
NAICS517	Number of businesses in telecommunications
NAICS518	Number of businesses in data processing, hosting, and related services
NAICS519	Number of businesses in other information services
NAICS520	Number of businesses in finance and insurance - other
NAICS521	Number of businesses in monetary authorities - central bank
NAICS522	Number of businesses in credit intermediation and related activities
NAICS523	Number of businesses in securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investment and related activities
NAICS524	Number of businesses in insurance carriers and related activities
NAICS526	Number of businesses in funds and other financial vehicles
NAICS531	Number of businesses in real estate
NAICS532	Number of businesses in rental and leasing services
NAICS533	Number of businesses in lessors of non-financial intangible assets (except copyrighted works)
NAICS541	Number of businesses in professional, scientific and technical services
NAICS551	Number of businesses in management of companies and enterprises
NAICS561	Number of businesses in administrative and support services
NAICS562	Number of businesses in waste management and remediation services
NAICS611	Number of businesses in educational services
NAICS620	Number of businesses in health care and social assistance - other
NAICS621	Number of businesses in ambulatory health care services

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NAICS622	Number of businesses in hospitals
NAICS623	Number of businesses in nursing and residential care facilities
NAICS624	Number of businesses in social assistance
NAICS710	Number of businesses in arts, entertainment and recreation - other
NAICS711	Number of businesses in performing arts, spectator sports and related industries
NAICS712	Number of businesses in heritage institutions
NAICS713	Number of businesses in amusement, gambling and recreation industries
NAICS721	Number of businesses in accommodation services
NAICS722	Number of businesses in food services and drinking places
NAICS810	Number of businesses in other services (except public administration) - other
NAICS811	Number of businesses in repair and maintenance
NAICS812	Number of businesses in personal and laundry services
NAICS813	Number of businesses in religious, grant-making, civic, and professional and similar organizations
NAICS814	Number of businesses in private households
NAICS910	Number of businesses in public administration - other
NAICS911	Number of businesses in federal government public administration
NAICS912	Number of businesses in provincial and territorial public administration
NAICS913	Number of businesses in local, municipal and regional public administration
NAICS914	Number of businesses in aboriginal public administration
NAICS919	Number of businesses in international and other extra-territorial public administration
	Annual growth rate of number of businesses by 2-digit NAICS code in the past 10 years.
EST_NUM_RATE	Growth rate of number of businesses
NAICS11_RATE	Growth rate of number of businesses in agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting
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