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1. **Immigrants** (or foreign-born population) refers to a person who is, or who has ever been, a landed immigrant or permanent resident in Canada. Such a person has been granted the right to live in Canada permanently by immigration authorities. Immigrants who have obtained Canadian citizenship by naturalization are included in this group. In the 2016 Census of Population, 'Immigrants' includes immigrants who landed in Canada on or prior to May 10, 2016.

2. Recent immigrants refers to an immigrant who first obtained his or her landed immigrant or permanent resident status in the five years prior to a given census. In the 2016 Census, the period is from January 1, 2011 to May 10, 2016.

3. Christian Island 30 and Christian Island 30A data are combined.

4. The '% of Total Population' shows the percentage of immigrants in a given geographical area by compared to the total population living in this same geographic area during specific period.

To ensure confidentiality, the value, including totals are randomly rounded either up or down to a multiple of 5 or 10. 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.

This increasing share is due to the large number of immigrants admitted into Canada each year, the gradual rise in the number of deaths and the relatively low fertility levels in Canada (Statistics Canada, 2017).

In Canada, immigrants are selected based on three main objectives: to enhance and promote economic development; to reunite families; and to fulfill the country's international obligations and uphold its humanitarian tradition (Statistics Canada, 2017).