

Mobility and Migration

## Movement of New Brunswick's Population Between 2006 and 2011

<u>Mobility status – Place of residence 5 years ago</u> indicates whether the person lived in the same residence on May 10, 2011, as he or she did five years earlier on May 10, 2006.

- According to the 2011 National Household Survey, more than two-thirds of New Brunswick's population 5 years of age and over (67.2%) lived in the same residence in 2011 as they did in 2006. A further 26.3% reported they had moved within the province between 2006 and 2011, while 5.2% indicated they had moved from a different province or territory. A small proportion of the population (1.3%) indicated they had lived outside the country five years earlier.
- Over the five-year period between 2006 and 2011, 36,135 individuals moved to New Brunswick from elsewhere in the country, with the majority of them coming from Ontario (29.2%), Nova Scotia (19.8%), Alberta (18.4%) and Quebec (15.3%).
- At the same time, 36,375 people left New Brunswick for other parts of Canada. Most of these individuals went to Ontario (26.9%), Alberta (21.5%), Nova Scotia (20.3%) and Quebec (13.7%).
- Considering both arrivals to and departures from the province, New Brunswick experienced a slight loss (less than 250 people) over the five-year period.

