

# Saskatchewan Income

## 2011 National Household Survey

### Total Income

According to the 2011 National Household Survey, Saskatchewan residents earned a total of almost \$31.2 billion in 2010. The largest share of this income, 75.6%, came from employment. This was higher than the Canadian average of 74.7%.

The top 10% of income earners in Saskatchewan earned \$8.2 billion, almost 26% of all income in the province; but less than the national average of 28%.

The bottom 10% of income earners in Saskatchewan earned \$537 million, approximately 1.7% of all income in the province; the same as the national average.

### Income by Industry

According to the 2011 NHS, the largest single employer in Saskatchewan remains farming, which directly employed 47,850 people; each earning an average employment income of \$27,897.

The highest paying industry was oil and gas extraction, which had average employment income of \$96,139. However, only 3,405 people were directly employed in this industry.

The largest industry (average employment earnings times number of employees) was educational services which employed 46,165 people with average employment earnings of \$46,912.

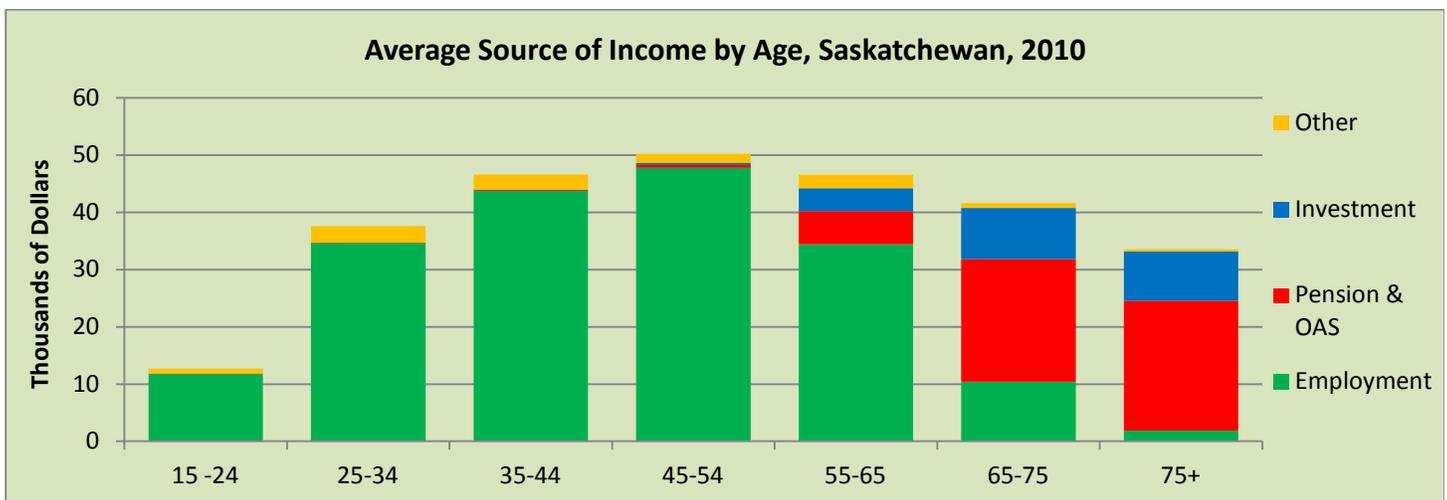
### Income by Educational Attainment

According to the 2011 NHS there were 200,425 Saskatchewan residents over the age of 15 without a high school diploma; on average they earned \$25,083 from employment.

There were 228,755 Saskatchewan residents with a high school degree as their highest academic achievement; on average they earned \$34,316 from employment.

There were 383,320 Saskatchewan residents with post secondary education; on average they earned \$49,344 from employment. Of these, 124,425 had a university degree; and average employment earnings of \$58,409.

Data in this report are based on the 2011 National Household Survey For more details, contact the Saskatchewan Bureau of Statistics at (306) 787-6327 or visit [www.stats.gov.sk.ca](http://www.stats.gov.sk.ca).



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