

**Table 8-10**  
**Household equipment at the time of interview, Canada, provinces and territories, recent years — Alberta**

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
	percent				
<b>Households having:</b>					
Washing machine	87.2	85.2	86.9	87.1	88.3
Clothes dryer	86.7	86.2	87.5	86.8	89.4
Dishwasher	72.4	71.4	72.2	75.1	76.9
<b>Refrigerator</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>99.9</b>	<b>99.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>99.9</b>
1	72.6	72.4	73.0	71.5	72.4
2 or more	27.4	27.5	26.9	28.5	27.4
Freezer	65.6	66.1	63.3	65.0	64.4
Microwave oven	96.6	95.8	95.8	97.3	96.1
<b>Air conditioning</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>18.5</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>21.2</b>
Window-type	4.2	6.7	5.6	7.5	7.1
Central air	8.2	12.7	12.9	13.9	14.2
<b>With a telephone (regular or cellular)</b>	<b>99.5</b>	<b>99.7</b>	<b>99.9</b>	<b>99.2</b>	<b>99.7</b>
Telephones (includes business use)	93.4	93.6	91.3	89.6	86.9
1	24.0	27.1	26.4	33.1	32.2
2	27.0	23.3	21.9	18.8	18.7
3 or more	42.3	43.2	43.0	37.7	36.1
Cellular telephone	74.6	80.7	82.6	83.5	87.2
CD player	84.8	84.7	82.6	85.9	82.7
Cablevision	64.0	61.2	60.0	64.2	61.0
Satellite dish	26.5	29.1	29.0	25.7	29.8
DVD player	83.7	88.5	88.0	89.0	90.5
CD writer	50.3	57.8	61.9	61.1	61.6
DVD writer	29.1	37.3	48.6	53.0	48.2
Video cassette recorders	88.9	83.5	79.6	73.9	70.5
Home computer	76.8	83.4	82.9	85.6	86.2
Internet use from home	69.2	76.5	77.9	81.3	82.9
<b>Colour televisions</b>	<b>98.6</b>	<b>98.5</b>	<b>98.4</b>	<b>98.7</b>	<b>98.9</b>
1	32.0	29.3	29.8	29.5	28.2
2	36.2	32.5	35.8	33.8	38.3
3 or more	30.5	36.7	32.8	35.4	32.4
With a vehicle (owned or leased)	89.4	88.1	89.3	88.7	88.8
Owned vehicles (automobiles, trucks, vans)	86.6	84.4	86.2	86.3	86.5
1	38.9	38.4	36.5	36.1	36.8
2 or more	47.7	46.0	49.8	50.2	49.7
Owned automobiles	62.8	60.5	62.9	59.8	60.2
1	47.6	46.3	48.7	44.6	43.8
2 or more	15.2	14.2	14.2	15.2	16.4
Owned trucks and/or vans	53.5	52.8	55.7	56.2	55.7
1	38.8	37.0	39.1	36.8	36.9
2 or more	14.7	15.9	16.5	19.3	18.8
Leased vehicles (automobiles, trucks, vans)	7.0	9.7	8.2	6.7	6.2
1	6.3	8.8	7.3	5.8	5.6
2 or more	F	F	F	F	F

**Note(s):** Beginning with 2006, the reference date for household composition, tenure, dwelling characteristics and household equipment are as of the time of the interview instead of December 31st of the reference year. The distinction between full-year and part-year members and households has been removed.