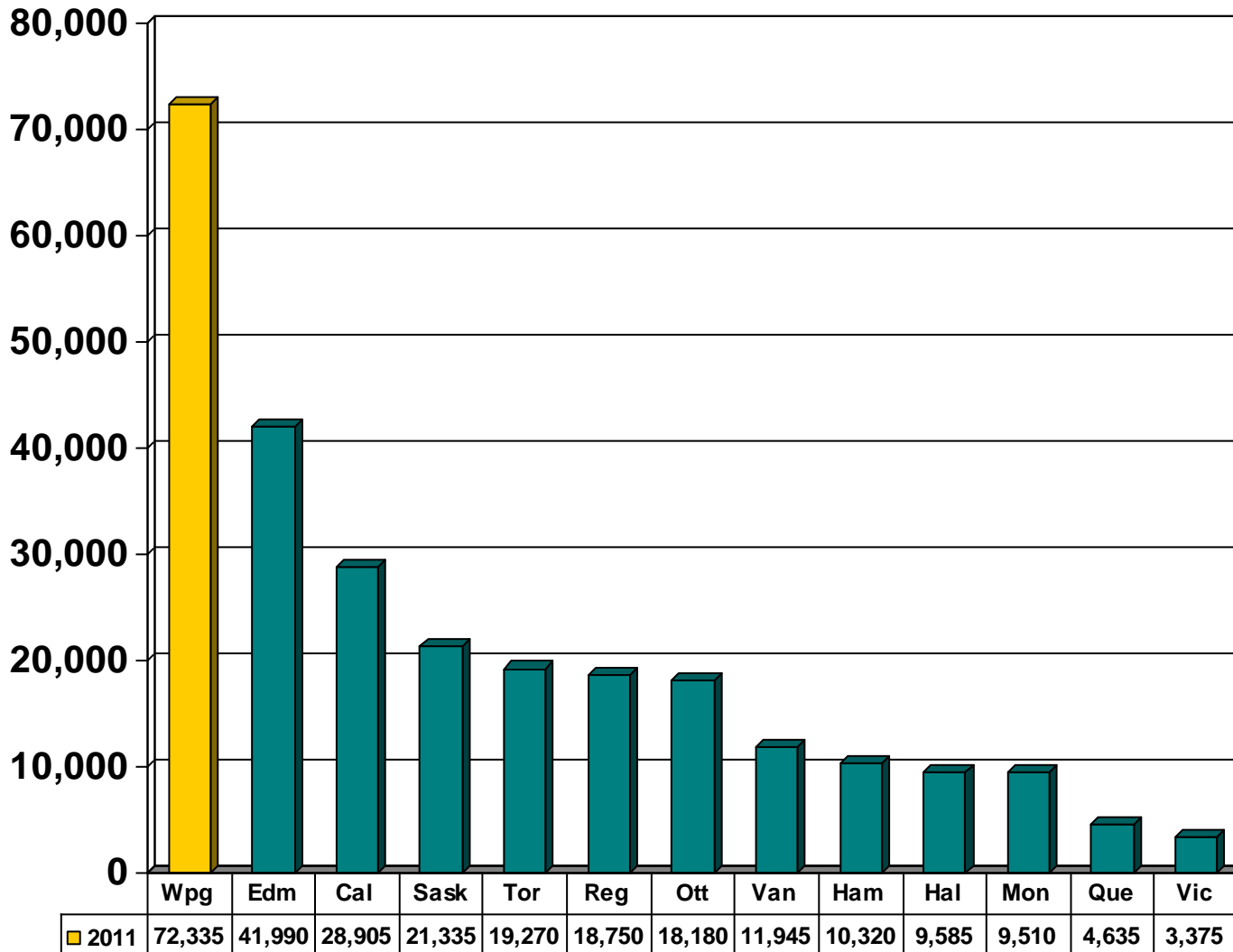


Aboriginal Persons Highlights

- Statistics Canada released statistics on Aboriginal persons from the 2011 National Household Survey.
- Of major cities in Canada, the City of Winnipeg has the largest Aboriginal population. The cities of Winnipeg, Regina and Saskatoon have a similar proportion of Aboriginal persons.
- 72,335 Aboriginal persons reside in the City of Winnipeg and now make up 11% of Winnipeg's population.
- There are two main groups: the Métis, 41,235 persons, making up 57% of all Aboriginal persons and the North American Indian, 29,485 persons, making up 41%.
- About one third of Manitoba Aboriginal persons live in Winnipeg. 52% of Manitoba Métis persons and 25% of Manitoba North American Indian persons live in Winnipeg. These ratios have been fairly constant for the last four Censuses.
- Winnipeg's Aboriginal population is proportionally younger than its non-Aboriginal population – about 50% of all aboriginal persons are younger than 25 years of age.

Number of Aboriginal Persons in Cities – 2011 (municipalities)

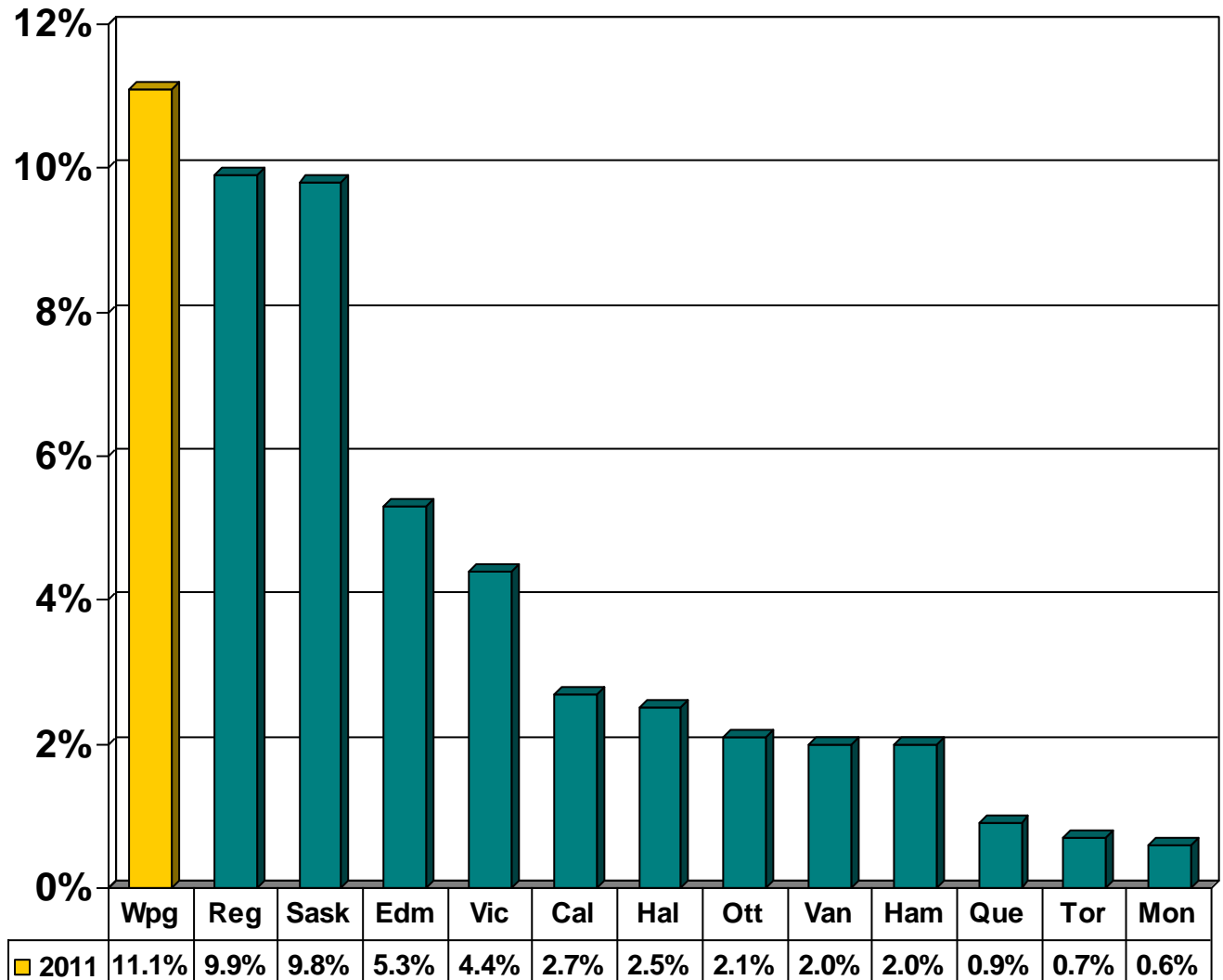


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Percentage of Aboriginal Persons in Cities – 2011 (municipalities)

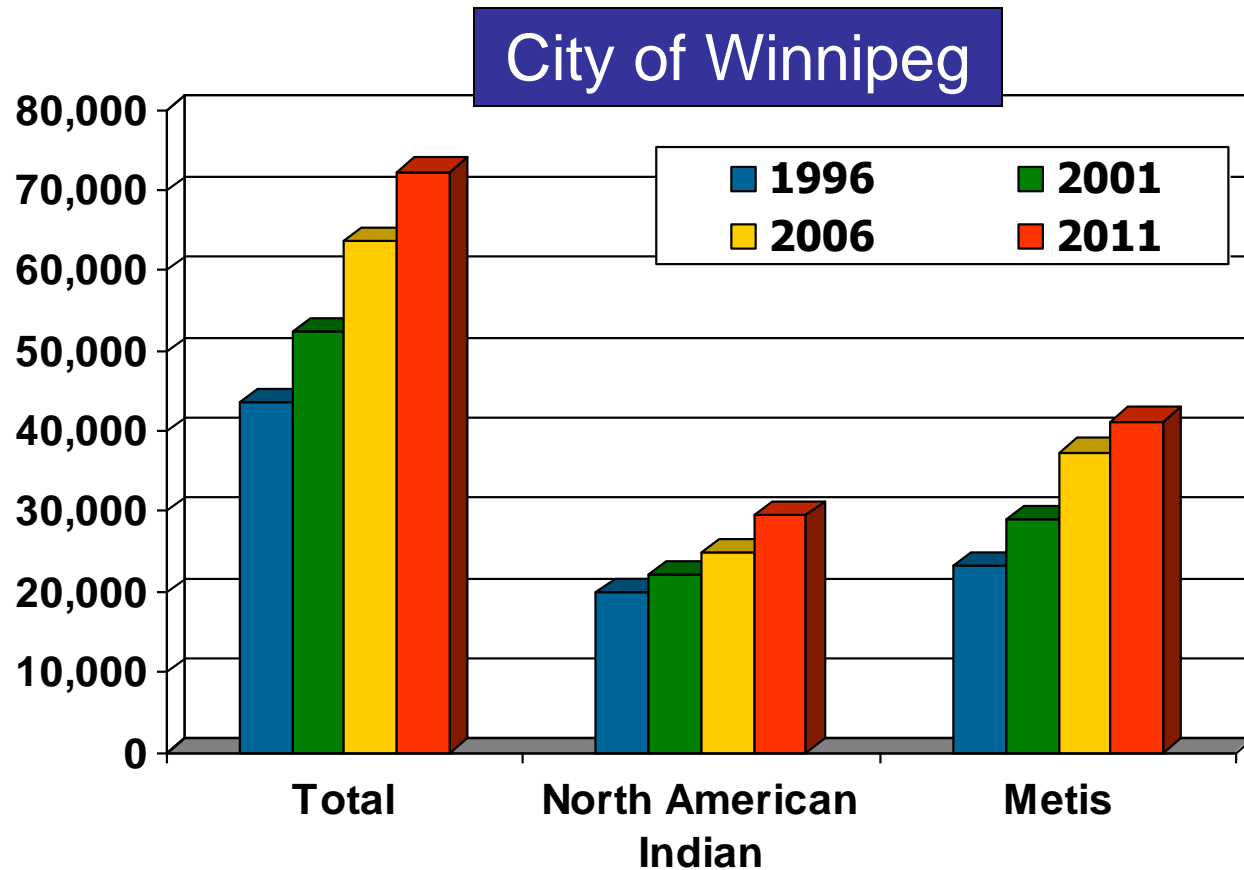
Aboriginal Persons make up 11% of Winnipeg's population.

Regina and Saskatoon have a similar proportion of Aboriginal Persons as Winnipeg.



Source: Statistics Canada, 2011 National Household Survey, Aboriginal persons based on identity

North American Indian and Metis Comparison



In Winnipeg (2011)

% North American Indians

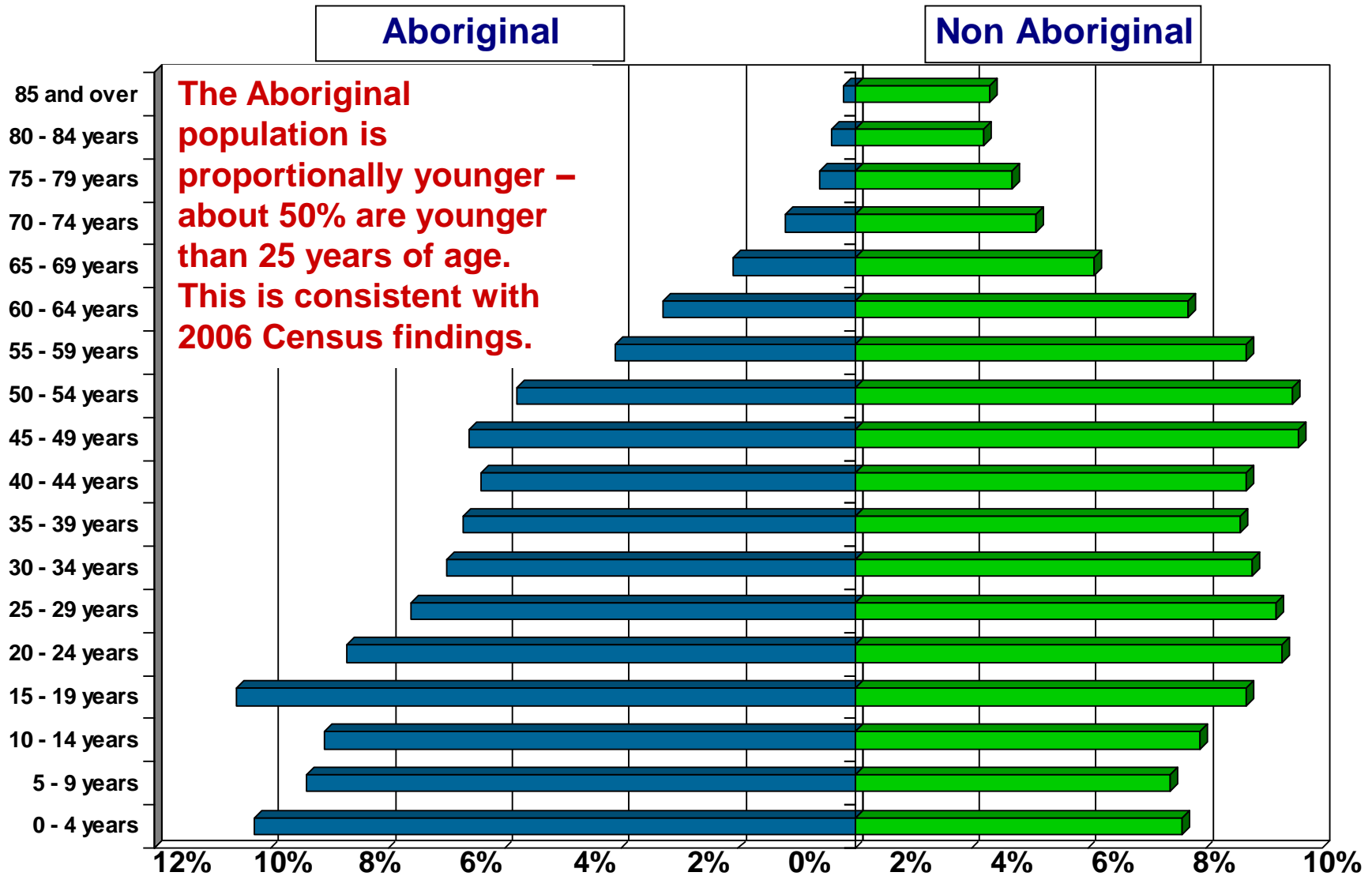
<u>1996</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2011</u>
46%	42%	39%	41%

% Metis

<u>1996</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2011</u>
54%	55%	59%	57%

Source: Statistics Canada, 2011 National Household Survey, Aboriginal persons based on identity
For 1996, 2001 and 2006 Census

City of Winnipeg's Aboriginal & Non-Aboriginal Population Pyramid - 2011



Source: Statistics Canada, 2011 National Household Survey, Aboriginal persons based on identity

Aboriginal Persons

Within the City of Winnipeg					Rest of Manitoba (excluding Winnipeg)				
	Total Aboriginal persons	North American Indian	Métis		Total Aboriginal persons	North American Indian	Métis		
1996	43,460	20,032	23,315		1996	85,220	62,149	22,929	
2001	52,415	22,070	29,010		2001	97,630	68,270	27,790	
2006	63,745	24,950	37,390		2006	111,650	75,695	34,420	
2011	72,335	29,485	41,235		2011	123,560	84,740	37,595	
Total Aboriginal persons					Total Aboriginal persons				
	total	change	% change	% of MB		total	change	% change	% of MB
1996	43,460			33.8%	1996	85,220			66.2%
2001	52,415	8,955	20.6%	34.9%	2001	97,630	12,410	14.6%	65.1%
2006	63,745	11,330	21.6%	36.3%	2006	111,650	14,020	14.4%	63.7%
2011	72,335	8,590	13.5%	36.9%	2011	123,560	11,910	10.7%	63.1%
North American Indian persons					North American Indian persons				
	total	change	% change	% of MB		total	change	% change	% of MB
1996	20,032			24.4%	1996	62,149			75.6%
2001	22,070	2,038	10.2%	24.4%	2001	68,270	6,121	9.8%	75.6%
2006	24,950	2,880	13.0%	24.8%	2006	75,695	7,425	10.9%	75.2%
2011	29,485	4,535	18.2%	25.8%	2011	84,740	9,045	11.9%	74.2%
Métis persons					Métis persons				
	total	change	% change	% of MB		total	change	% change	% of MB
1996	23,315			50.4%	1996	22,929			49.6%
2001	29,010	5,695	24.4%	51.1%	2001	27,790	4,861	21.2%	48.9%
2006	37,390	8,380	28.9%	52.1%	2006	34,420	6,630	23.9%	47.9%
2011	41,235	3,845	10.3%	52.3%	2011	37,595	3,175	9.2%	47.7%

The Manitoba Bureau of Statistics (MBS) has analysed the issue of "ethnic mobility" or persons changing their ethnic declaration from one census to the next.

Excerpt from MBS's Aboriginal population projection (June 2007):

"It has been estimated that approximately 50% of the growth in the Aboriginal community between 1996 and 2001 was due to ethnic mobility."