

Population Statistics for Tashme

Date	TOTAL	Men	Women	Children	Japanese Nationals	Naturalized Canadians	Canadian Born
Jul 1, 1942	Few						
Sep 30	2110						
Jan 1 1943	2644						
Apr 1	2624						
Jul 1	2533						
Aug 1	2508						
Sep 1	2503				765	284	1439
Oct 1	2513						
Nov 1	2506						
Dec 30	2488						
Apr 1, 1944	2467						
Jul 1	2411						
Jul 30	2400				735	274	1391
Nov	2317						
Dec	2342	654	702	1006			
Mar 1945	2345	639	711	995			
Apr 1	2308						
Jun 1	2306				724	265	1317
Sep 30	2181				742	226	1211
Oct 31	2185			920	736		
Jan 31 1946	2283				760	237	1286
Feb 28	2303				763	237	1303
Sep	Few						

These figures include only the Japanese persons in Tashme. Not included are the Caucasian persons who were members of BCSC, it's supervisors, administrators, and staff, RCMP, hospital staff, and their families. An estimate of these persons is 30 to 40 for the duration of the internment. The peak population including all persons is estimated at 2690 in January 1943.

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