

The distribution of native groups in Canada before and after European contact is characterized by movement. Almost all groups, with the exception of the Iroquoian agriculturalists, underwent short or long distance seasonal movements in search of edible resources. Some are known to have engaged in major migration movements over long distances. The nomadic nature of these groups, as well as inadequate and ambiguous information, is difficult to construct entirely satisfactory maps of native distributions until the reservation period.

**CANADA - NATIVE PEOPLES** 1630 represents a temporal cross-section of Canada's Native Peoples early in the seventeenth century. The period was chosen for three reasons. First, it represents a relatively stable period prior to the great eastern population displacements precipitated by the fur trade, intertribal war and the epidemics of the late seventeenth century. Second, the archaeological information that has been compiled in documents and maps is extensive. Third, it is a period for which some archaeological information is available for most of the country.

Subsistence Patterns are coded after the name of a group. Capital letters denote a major activity; lower case letters a minor activity and food specialization. If a major or minor activity is not followed by additional information, it denotes little specialization or insufficient data.

Major or Minor Activity	Food Specialization	Major or Minor Activity	Food Specialization
A a Agriculture	c corn, beans, squash,	F f Fishing	Salmon specialization on west coast otherwise little specialization.
H h Hunting	m - moose s - sea mammal d - deer, goat, sheep, elk b - bison c - caribou fl - fowl	G g Gathering	v - wild rice sd - shell fish v - vegetables, fruit, nuts

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IRIOQUOIAN LINGUISTIC FAMILY		Substrate Patterns		Cr		Substrate Patterns	
H	Huron [Ojibwa] (Algonquian; Algonquian; Tobacco; Algonquian; Algonquian; Algonquian)	A	1 hd grv	C	Cre - Gens de Terres Cre - Gens de Terres	3	Algonquian
P	Petun [Seneca]	A	1 hd grv	2	Algonquian	4	Algonquian
W	Wenro [Seneca]	A	1 hd grv	3	Algonquian	5	Algonquian
Cy	Cy [Seneca]	A	1 hd grv	4	Algonquian	6	Algonquian
Se	Seneca [Seneca]	A	1 hd grv	5	Algonquian	7	Algonquian
On	Onondaga [Onondaga]	A	1 hd grv	6	Algonquian	8	Algonquian
Or	Oriskany [Oriskany]	A	1 hd grv	7	Algonquian	9	Algonquian
Mt	Montenap [Montenap]	A	1 hd grv	8	Algonquian	10	Algonquian
Su	Susquehanna [Susquehanna]	A	1 hd grv	9	Algonquian	11	Algonquian
Al	Algonquian [Algonquian]	A	1 hd grv	10	Algonquian	12	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	11	Algonquian	13	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	12	Algonquian	14	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	13	Algonquian	15	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	14	Algonquian	16	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	15	Algonquian	17	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	16	Algonquian	18	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	17	Algonquian	19	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	18	Algonquian	20	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	19	Algonquian	21	Algonquian
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Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	42	Algonquian	44	Algonquian
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Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	44	Algonquian	46	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	45	Algonquian	47	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	46	Algonquian	48	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	47	Algonquian	49	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	48	Algonquian	50	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	49	Algonquian	51	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	50	Algonquian	52	Algonquian
Be	Beothuk [Beothuk]	A	1 hd grv	51	Algon		

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ARCHAEOLOGICAL COMPLEXES	RANGE (AD)	AFFILIATIONS	PATTERNS
1. Late Prehistoric Arctic Late Thule Sites	1100-1600	Inuit	Hsc f gv
2. Terminal Woodland A. Ohio Area Groups Moundgash Site Fort Ancient Sites B. Northwestern Algonquian Seneca Sites Blackduck Sites Seneca and Blackduck Sites	1000-1600 1000-1600 1000-1700 1000-1600	Not Known Shawnee Cree Cree	A hd f gv A hd f gv Hmnd F g Hmnd F g
3. Late Prehistoric Plains Plains Sites Late Bison Kill Sites 4. Late Prehistoric Appalachans A. Eastern Subarctic Late Tailwater Sites B. Northern Subarctic C. Interior Plateau	1000-1700 1250-1700 1000-1750 1300-1700	Blackfoot and Others Hb gv f Hare, Dogrib; Susa, Yellow-Knife; Chipewyan Kutchin; Han; Tutchone and Others Carrier, Chilcat and Others	Hb gv f Hc f gv Hc f gv F Hcm gv
5. Late Prehistoric Northwest Coast A. Tlingit B. Haida C. Tsimshian D. Wakashan E. Salishan	to 1800 to 1800 to 1800 to 1800 to 1800	Tlingit Haida Tsimshian Kootenai; Kwakwaka Bella Coola; Coast Salish; Interior Salish; and Others	F had f gv Frs ggv Frs had ggv F had f gv
6. Kootenian A. Beedukh to 1823	to 1800 to 1800	Kootenai Beedukh	F had f gv Hsd f gv Hsd f gv

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