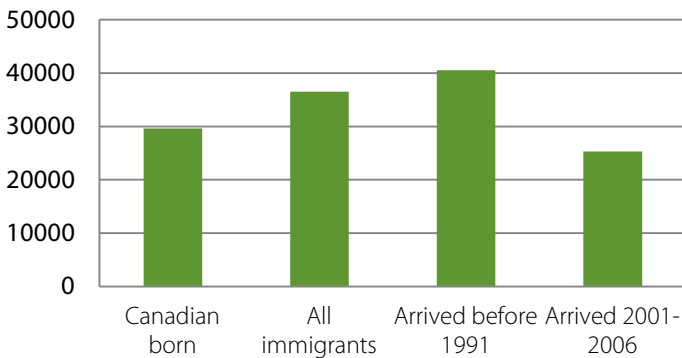


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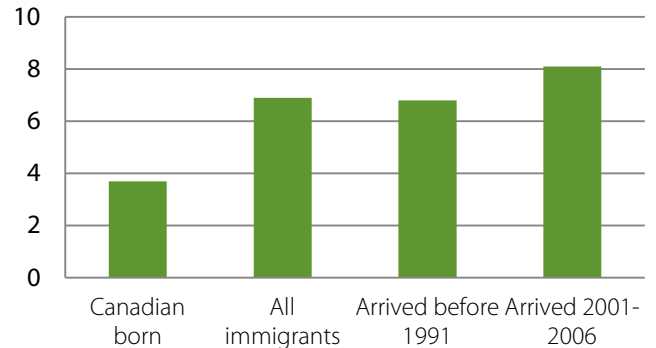
According to the 2006 census, a number of years after their arrival immigrants in Nova Scotia earn more than their Canadian-born neighbours.

Average Employment Income
Nova Scotia 2006



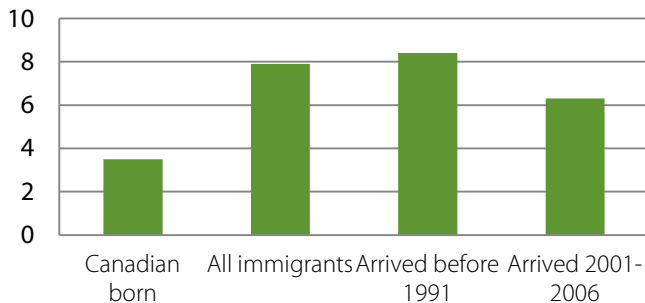
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Percentage of Income Earned from
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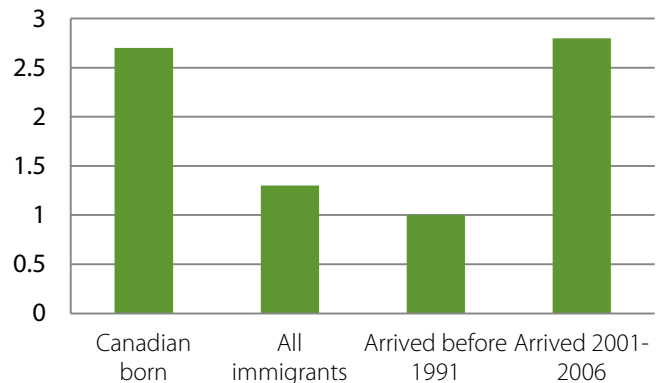
Immigrants in Nova Scotia earn a higher percentage of their income through investments than do their Canadian-born neighbours.

Percentage of Income from Investments
Nova Scotia 2006



Immigrants in Nova Scotia receive a smaller percentage of their income from employment insurance

Percentage of Income Earned from
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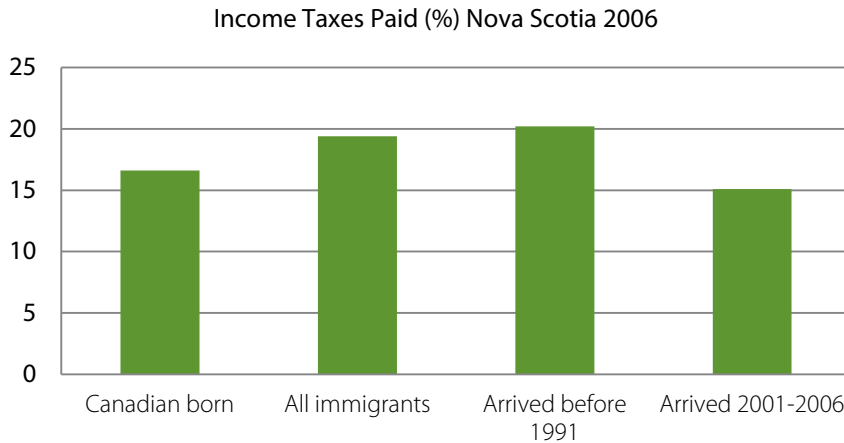


Source: Census 2006/ISANS

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Immigrants to Nova Scotia contribute a higher percentage of income tax than do their Canadian neighbours



Source: Census 2006/ISANS

In Nova Scotia, 40% of immigrants who were educated outside Canada are now working in the field for which they were educated. This is much higher than the percentage for Manitoba, Ontario, BC, Ontario or Quebec.

Match rates of foreign-educated immigrants working in their corresponding occupation, by immigrant type and province

	Canadian-born	Foreign-educated immigrants
Province	%	
Nova Scotia	60	40
Manitoba	65	26
Ontario	62	24
British Columbia	62	22
Quebec	59	19
Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Population, 2006.		