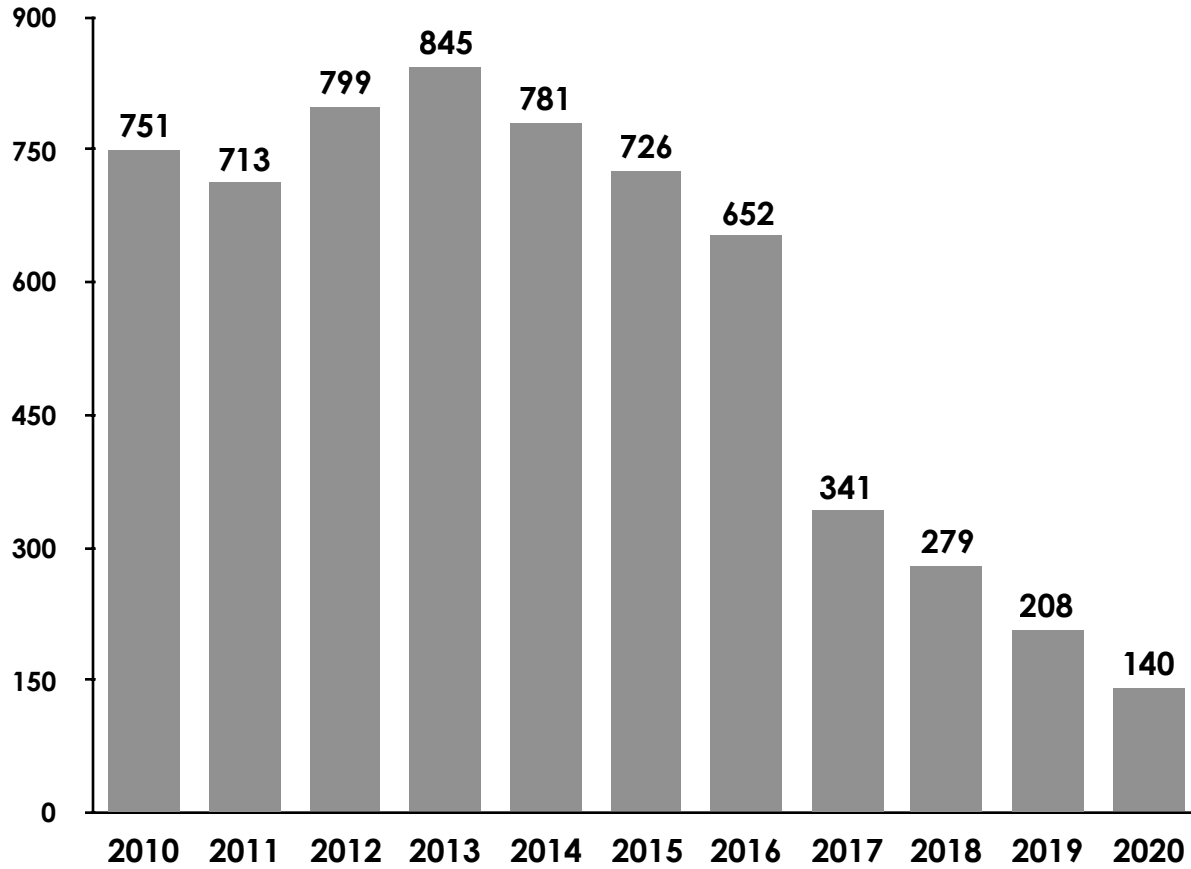


Charity Audits Completed by CRA
(2010-2020)

Data Obtained from CRA Upon Request
As of June 17, 2021

September 10, 2021

CRA Charity Audits Completed



Source: Data obtained from CRA, upon request. June 17, 2021.

CRA Charity Audits											
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Audits Completed	751	713	799	845	781	726	652	341	279	208	140
Source: Data obtained from CRA upon request as of June 17, 2021.											
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RE: CRA Audits

June 17, 2021 at 1:59 PM

From CRA Media Relations CRA

To Vivian Krause , CRA Media Relations CRA

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Hello Vivian,

As requested, please find attached a table containing the number of completed audits of registered charities for the 2020-2021 fiscal year, as well as the completed audits for the last ten fiscal years.

As you will note, we can confirm that the values you provided are correct, with the exception of the 2017-18 fiscal year, where the value of 548 you provided included both completed audits (341) and non-audit interventions (207). Note that these audit statistics are reported by fiscal year, from April 1st to March 31st.

While you may note a decrease in formal charity audits in recent years, the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) has actually increased its compliance coverage through other initiatives, such as the Charities Education Program and non-audit interventions, which can include outreach initiative, letter writing campaigns, and automated phone calls.

As you noted, there was a drop in the 2020-2021 numbers because most of our audit activities were put on hold for a period of time due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

For more detailed information and statistics about the CRA's Charities Directorate's programs, go to [Reports on the Charities Program](#).

Sincerely,

Pamela Tourigny

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From: Vivian Krause <vivian.krause@me.com>

Sent: June 9, 2021 9:42 PM

To: Media Relations-PAB / Relation avec les médias-DGAP (CRA/ARC) <cra-arc.media@cra-arc.gc.ca>

Subject: CRA Audits

Hello,

I'm writing to request information about CRA audits during 2020. I realize that it was an unusual year because of COVID.

I would also like to verify that I have the correct data regarding the numbers of audits conducted in previous years from 2010-2020:

2010 - 751

2011 - 713

2012 - 799

2013 - 845

2014 - 781

2015 - 726
2016 - 652
2017 - 548
2018 - 279
2019 - 208

Lastly, I would like to ask what are the dates of each year period. Does this refer to calendar years, from Jan 1 to December 31? Or fiscal years ending April 30?

In advance, thanks very much.

Sincerely,
Vivian

Vivian Krause
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Audits

Below is the number of completed audits from the 2010-2011, to 2020-2021, fiscal periods.

Note, the number of completed audits is reported by fiscal year (April 1st to March 31st) and not by calendar year.

Fiscal Year	Audits	Charities Education Program	Non-Audit Interventions
2010 - 2011	751	N/A	N/A
2011 - 2012	713	N/A	N/A
2012 - 2013	799	N/A	N/A
2013 - 2014	845	N/A	N/A
2014 - 2015	781	N/A	N/A
2015 - 2016	726	N/A	N/A
2016 - 2017	652	38 (Pilot)	122
2017 - 2018	341	277	207
2018 - 2019	279	452	263
2019 - 2020	208	424	188
2020 - 2021	140	117	108

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