

233. The following table gives the population of the several provinces according to the respective censuses:—

POPULATION OF CANADA, 1871, 1881 AND 1891.

PROVINCES.	1871.	1881.	Increase Per cent.	1891.	Increase Per cent.
Ontario	1,620,851	1,926,922	18·6	2,114,321	9·73
Quebec	1,191,516	1,359,027	14·0	1,488,535	9·53
Nova Scotia	387,800	440,572	13·6	450,396	2·23
New Brunswick	285,594	321,233	12·4	321,263	0·00
Manitoba	18,995	*62,260	247·2	152,506	144·95
British Columbia	36,247	49,459	36·4	98,173	98·49
Prince Edward Island	94,021	108,891	15·8	109,078	0·17
The Territories		56,446	98,967	75·33
Total	3,635,024	4,324,810	18·97	4,833,239	11·76

*65,954 originally; 3,694 were taken off and added to Ontario, when the boundary was changed.

234. The following is a comparative statement of the population of the several electoral districts in Canada in 1881 and 1891, with particulars of increase and decrease, as the case may be:—

POPULATION OF CANADA BY ELECTORAL DISTRICTS, ACCORDING TO CENSUS, 1881 AND 1891.

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ELECTORAL DISTRICTS.	1881.	1891.	Increase or Decrease.	
			Number.	Per cent.
Addington	23,470	24,151	681	2·9
Algoma	24,014	41,856	17,842	74·3
Bothwell	22,477	25,593	3,116	13·8
Brant, North	17,645	16,993	-652	-3·7
Brant, South	20,482	23,359	2,877	14·0
Brockville	15,107	15,853	746	4·9
Bruce, East	22,355	21,355	-1,000	-4·4
Bruce, North	18,645	22,530	3,885	20·8
Bruce, West	24,218	20,718	-3,500	14·4
Cardwell	16,770	15,382	-1,388	-8·2
Carleton	18,777	21,746	2,969	15·8
Cornwall and Stormont	23,198	27,156	3,958	17·0
Dundas	20,598	20,132	-466	-2·2
Durham, East	18,710	17,053	-1,657	-8·8
Durham, West	17,555	15,374	-2,181	-12·4
Elgin, East	25,748	26,724	976	3·8
Elgin, West	23,480	23,925	445	1·8
Essex, North	25,659	31,523	5,864	22·8
Essex, South	21,303	24,022	2,719	12·7
Frontenac	14,993	13,445	-1,548	-10·3
Glengarry	22,221	22,447	226	1·0
Grenville, South	13,526	12,929	-597	-4·4
Grey, East	25,334	26,225	891	3·5