

The following table is a comparative statement of the number of the leading denominations in 1881 and 1891, showing also the proportion each denomination bore to the whole population at each census.

RELIGIONS.	1881.		1891.	
	Number.	Proportion to Total Population.	Number.	Proportion to Total Population.
Roman Catholics..	1,791,982	41·43	1,992,017	41·21
Methodists	742,981	17·18	847,765	17·54
Presbyterians..	676,165	15·63	755,326	15·63
Church of England	577,414	13·35	646,059	13·37
Baptists	296,525	6·85	303,839	6·29
Lutherans.	46,350	1·07	63,982	1·32
Congregationalists	26,900	·62	28,157	·58
Disciples.	20,193	·47	12,763	·26
Brethren	8,831	·20	11,637	·24
Adventists	7,211	·16	6,354	·13
Quakers.	6,553	·15	4,650	·10
Protestants.	6,519	·15	12,253	·25
Universalists	4,517	·10	3,136	·07
Jews.	2,393	·06	6,414	·13
Unitarians	2,126	·05	1,777	·04
Salvation Army			13,949	·29
Other denominations.	14,269	·33	33,756	·70
Not specified.	*93,881	2·17	*89,355	1·85

* Pagans included.

POPULATION.

POPULATION OF CANADA BY SEXES, 1881 AND 1891.

PROVINCES.	1881.		1891.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Ontario	978,765	948,157	1,069,487	1,044,834
Quebec	678,109	680,918	744,141	744,394
Nova Scotia.	220,538	220,034	227,093	223,308
New Brunswick	164,119	157,114	163,739	157,524
Manitoba	34,903	27,357	84,342	68,164
British Columbia.	29,503	19,956	63,003	35,170
Prince Edward Island	54,728	54,163	54,881	54,197
The Territories.	28,113	28,333	53,785	45,182
Canada.	2,188,778	2,136,032	2,460,471	2,372,768