

POPULATION.

TABLE I. Sex, conjugal state, birthplace, race and religion.

| Classes. | 1871. | 1881. | 1891. | 1901. |
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| Ontario. | | | | |
| Population | 1,620,851 | 1,923,228 | 2,114,321 | 2,182,947 |
| By sex— | | | | |
| Male | 823,590 | 976,470 | 1,069,487 | 1,096,640 |
| Female | 792,261 | 946,758 | 1,044,834 | 1,086,307 |
| By conjugal state— | | | | |
| Single | 1,059,682 | 1,232,866 | 1,320,396 | 1,310,402 |
| Married | 508,197 | 619,087 | 705,858 | 771,445 |
| Widowed | 52,972 | 71,325 | 88,067 | 100,871 |
| Divorced | | | | 229 |
| By birthplace— | | | | |
| Canada | 1,178,510 | 1,493,509 | 1,708,702 | 1,858,787 |
| British Islands | 368,115 | 351,643 | 326,049 | 239,873 |
| British possessions | 2,353 | 2,261 | 2,988 | 2,530 |
| Germany | 22,827 | 23,270 | 23,440 | 18,699 |
| Italy | 89 | 378 | 1,414 | 3,301 |
| Russia | 296 | 444 | 1,161 | 3,373 |
| United States | 43,406 | 45,454 | 42,702 | 44,175 |
| Other countries | 3,379 | 3,802 | 5,456 | 7,365 |
| At sea and not given | 1,876 | 2,467 | 2,409 | 4,844 |
| By race or origin ¹ — | | | | |
| British | 1,333,042 | 1,548,080 | - | 1,732,144 |
| Dutch | 19,992 | 22,163 | - | 23,280 |
| French | 75,383 | 102,743 | - | 158,671 |
| German | 153,608 | 188,394 | - | 203,319 |
| Indian and h. b. | 12,980 | 15,325 | - | 24,665 |
| Italian | 304 | 687 | - | 5,233 |
| Jewish | 48 | 254 | - | 5,337 |
| Negro | 13,435 | 12,097 | - | 8,935 |
| Russian | 392 | 787 | - | 4,584 |
| Scandinavian | 686 | 1,521 | - | 3,854 |
| Other races | 1,473 | 3,959 | - | 4,654 |
| Not given | 4,508 | 27,268 | - | 8,271 |
| By religion— | | | | |
| Anglican | 330,995 | 366,539 | 385,999 | 367,937 |
| Baptist | 75,192 | 93,222 | 104,838 | 116,320 |
| Brethren | 14,640 | 21,172 | 10,552 | 9,532 |
| Catholic, Roman | 274,162 | 320,839 | 358,300 | 390,304 |
| Congregationalist | 12,858 | 16,340 | 16,879 | 15,289 |
| Disciple | - | 16,051 | 9,106 | 10,154 |
| Friends (Quaker) | 7,106 | 6,307 | 4,350 | 3,648 |
| Jewish | 518 | 1,198 | 2,501 | 5,321 |
| Lutheran | 32,399 | 37,901 | 45,029 | 48,052 |
| Mennonite | - | - | - | 12,208 |
| Methodist | 462,264 | 591,503 | 654,033 | 666,388 |
| Pagan | 1,884 | 1,499 | - | 3,111 |
| Presbyterian | 356,442 | 417,749 | 453,147 | 477,386 |
| Salvation Army | - | - | 10,320 | 6,479 |
| Other sects | 38,542 | 19,948 | 35,189 | 41,708 |
| Not given | 13,849 | 12,965 | 24,078 | 9,110 |

Not taken in 1891.