

Nativity of Parents.—Table 9 classifies the children born in 1925 by country of birth of parents, and furnishes some idea to what extent the coming generation of Canadian-born will be the product of Canadian-born, British-born or foreign-born parents. The term "unspecified", under country of birth, includes for the father illegitimate births and births of incomplete record, while for the mother it includes births of incomplete record only.

9.—Number and Percentage of Births (exclusive of Stillbirths) in the Registration Area to Fathers and Mothers born in specified Countries, 1925.

Countries of Birth of Parents.	Number of births with father, mother or both parents born in specified country.			Percentage of births with father, mother or both parents born in specified country.		
	Father.	Mother.	Both Parents.	Father.	Mother.	Both Parents.
Canada.....	88,492	94,043	74,442	57.1	60.7	48.1
England.....	17,956	18,716	9,814	11.6	12.1	6.3
Ireland.....	2,437	2,152	365	1.6	1.4	0.6
Scotland.....	6,382	6,923	3,188	4.1	4.5	2.1
Wales.....	595	454	105	0.4	0.3	0.1
Other British Isles.....	80	80	20	0.1	0.1	2
Newfoundland.....	1,040	1,022	549	0.7	0.7	0.4
Other British Possessions.....	478	434	127	0.3	0.3	0.1
Austria.....	3,639	3,113	2,557	2.3	2.0	1.7
Belgium.....	435	401	272	0.3	0.3	0.2
Finland.....	457	477	368	0.3	0.3	0.3
France.....	445	392	185	0.3	0.3	0.1
Germany.....	685	562	229	0.4	0.4	0.1
Hungary.....	429	387	297	0.3	0.2	0.2
Italy.....	2,039	1,604	1,550	1.3	1.0	1.0
Norway.....	923	638	357	0.5	0.4	0.2
Poland ¹	4,190	3,751	3,172	2.7	2.4	2.0
Russia.....	4,254	3,538	2,740	2.7	2.3	1.8
Sweden.....	886	670	412	0.6	0.4	0.3
Other Europe.....	3,522	2,659	2,031	2.3	1.7	1.3
China and Japan.....	1,088	1,044	1,012	0.7	0.7	0.7
Other Asia.....	259	190	170	0.2	0.1	0.1
United States.....	9,897	11,251	4,036	6.4	7.3	2.6
Total specified.....	150,502	154,501	108,508	97.2	99.8	70.1
Country not specified.....	4,359	360	134	2.8	0.2	0.1
Total.....	154,861	154,861	108,642²	100.0	100.0	70.2

¹ Includes Galicia. ² Less than one-tenth of one per cent. ³ This figure gives for 1925 the number of children whose father and mother were born in the same country. The difference between this figure (108,642) and the total number of births (154,861) represents the number of children (46,219) whose father and mother were born in different countries.