

29.—Maternal Deaths in Canada, by Age Groups, with Rates per 1,000 Live Births, 1934-37, with Averages for 1926-30 and 1931-35.

NOTE.—Comparable figures for 1926-32 will be found at p. 208 of the 1934-35 Year Book, and for 1933 at p. 186 of the 1937 Year Book.

Age Group.	Year.	Living Births.	Maternal Deaths		Age Group.	Year.	Living Births.	Maternal Deaths.	
			No.	Rate per 1,000 Living Births.				No.	Rate per 1,000 Living Births.
Under 20 years..	1934	13,454	67	5.0	30-39 years.....	1934	77,186	498	6.5
	1935	13,671	47	3.4		1935	76,022	467	6.1
	1936	13,576	59	4.3		1936	75,311	515	6.8
	1937	13,795	56	4.1		1937	73,896	454	6.1
20-24 years.....	1934	55,137	211	3.8	40 years or over	1934	13,615	155	11.3
	1935	56,245	202	3.6		1935	13,217	116	8.7
	1936	56,627	230	4.1		1936	12,898	157	12.2
	1937	57,818	177	3.1		1937	12,391	140	11.3
25-29 years.....	1934	61,911	236	3.8	Averages.....	1926-30	336,520	1,339	5.7
		62,296	261	4.2	Averages.....	1931-35	328,357	1,154	5.1
	1935	62,296	261	4.2	Totals.....	1934	221,383	1,167	5.3
		61,969	272	4.4	Totals.....	1935	221,451	1,093	4.9
	1936	62,335	244	3.9	Totals.....	1936	220,371	1,233	5.6
		62,335	244	3.9	Totals.....	1937	220,235	1,071	4.9

30.—Maternal Deaths in each Province by Age Groups, 1937, with Totals and Rates per 1,000 Live Births for 1934-37, and Averages for 1926-30 and 1931-35.

NOTE.—For totals 1926-30, see p. 183 of the Canada Year Book, 1933, and for totals 1931-33, p. 182 of the 1936 edition.

Year and Age Group.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Canada. ¹
Maternal Deaths—										
Averages, 1926-30.....	8	61	64	433	398	81	126	165	63	1,339
Averages, 1931-35.....	10	59	57	405	344	60	91	75	53	1,154
Totals, 1934.....	10	71	52	418	348	51	86	81	50	1,167
Totals, 1935.....	8	62	48	405	312	56	89	69	52	1,093
Totals, 1936.....	11	51	69	456	355	70	86	91	50	1,233
Totals, 1937.....	12	35	39	397	319	55	86	77	51	1,071
Age Group, 1937.										
Under 20 years.....	1	5	Nil	14	22	5	5	3	1	56
20-24 years.....	Nil	5	5	61	59	6	17	16	8	177
25-29 years.....	5	8	11	91	70	14	22	13	10	244
30-39 years.....	3	14	18	164	140	24	32	36	23	454
40 years or over.....	3	3	5	67	28	6	10	9	9	140
Age not stated.....	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Rates per 1,000 Live Births—										
Averages, 1926-30.....	4.6	5.5	6.2	5.2	5.8	5.6	5.9	6.6	6.1	5.7
Averages, 1931-35.....	5.1	6.1	5.5	5.1	5.3	4.4	4.5	4.5	5.3	5.1
Totals, 1934.....	5.1	6.2	5.1	5.5	5.6	3.8	4.4	5.0	5.1	5.3
Totals, 1935.....	4.0	5.3	4.6	5.1	5.0	4.2	4.1	4.3	5.2	4.9
Totals, 1936.....	5.6	4.3	6.6	6.0	5.7	5.4	4.5	5.8	4.7	5.6
Totals, 1937.....	5.7	3.0	3.7	5.2	5.2	4.3	4.6	4.8	4.5	4.9

¹ Exclusive of the Territories.

31.—Maternal Deaths in each Province, by Causes of Death, 1937.

Int. List No.	Cause of Death.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Canada. ¹
140	Abortion with septic conditions.....	Nil	1	6	30	35	12	19	17	14	134
	(a) Abortion.....	"	1	5	29	24	10	15	11	7	102
	(b) Self-induced abortion.....	"	Nil	1	1	11	2	4	6	7	32
141	Abortion without mention of septic conditions (haemorrhage included).....	"	"	Nil	8	10	3	1	4	Nil	26
	(1) Abortion.....	"	"	"	6	9	3	1	3	"	22
	(b) Self-induced abortion.....	"	"	"	2	1	Nil	Nil	1	"	4

¹ Exclusive of the Territories.