

per thousand of population, though the census populations in 1931, which are also given, furnish some guide to such rates.

32.—Summary of Births, Marriages, Deaths, and Natural Increase, by Provinces, for the calendar years 1935-37, with Averages for 1921-25, 1926-30, and 1931-35.

NOTE.—For other than census years birth, marriage, and death rates are calculated on estimated population (see p. 113). Figures for individual years 1921-25 will be found at p. 160 of the 1927-28 Year Book; for 1926-30 at p. 150 of the 1933 Year Book; for 1931-32 at p. 147 of the 1936 edition; and for 1933 and 1934 at p. 190 of the 1937 Year Book.

Province.	Births.	Birth Rate per 1,000 Population.	Marriages.	Marriage Rate per 1,000 Population.	Deaths.	Death Rate per 1,000 Population.	Excess of Births over Deaths.	Rate of Natural Increase per 1,000 Population.	
Prince Edward Island	Av. 1921-25	1,966	22.6	473	5.4	1,085	12.5	881	10.1
	Av. 1926-30	1,734	19.7	473	5.4	959	11.0	765	8.7
	Av. 1931-35	1,961	22.1	498	5.6	1,001	11.3	961	10.8
	1935	2,010	22.6	516	5.8	975	11.0	1,035	11.6
	1936	1,977	21.5	505	6.5	1,024	11.1	953	10.4
1937	2,093	22.5	534	6.3	1,146	12.3	947	10.2	
Nova Scotia	Av. 1921-25	12,119	23.4	3,186	6.1	6,519	12.6	5,600	10.8
	Av. 1926-30	11,018	21.4	3,224	6.3	6,262	12.4	4,654	9.0
	Av. 1931-35	11,486	22.0	3,522	6.8	6,073	11.7	5,413	10.3
	1935	11,617	22.0	3,046	7.5	6,164	11.7	5,453	10.3
	1936	11,808	22.0	4,129	7.7	5,897	11.0	5,911	11.0
1937	11,572	21.4	4,337	8.0	6,083	11.2	5,489	10.1	
New Brunswick	Av. 1921-25	11,080	28.4	2,953	7.6	5,098	13.1	5,987	15.3
	Av. 1926-30	10,327	25.8	2,970	7.4	5,019	12.6	5,308	13.3
	Av. 1931-35	10,440	24.9	2,737	6.5	4,710	11.2	5,730	13.7
	1935	10,388	24.2	3,200	7.5	4,779	11.1	5,609	13.1
	1936	10,513	24.2	3,397	7.8	4,808	11.0	5,710	13.2
1937	10,580	24.0	3,671	8.3	5,433	12.3	5,147	11.7	
Quebec ¹	Av. 1926-30	82,771	30.5	18,731	6.9	36,645	13.6	46,126	17.0
	Av. 1931-35	78,889	26.6	17,089	5.8	32,796	11.1	46,093	15.5
	1935	75,267	24.6	19,967	6.5	32,839	10.7	42,428	13.9
	1936	76,285	24.3	21,664	7.0	31,853	10.3	43,432	14.0
	1937	75,635	24.1	24,876	7.9	35,456	11.3	40,179	12.8
Ontario	Av. 1921-25	71,454	23.7	24,037	8.0	34,252	11.3	37,202	12.4
	Av. 1926-30	68,703	21.0	25,449	7.8	36,650	11.2	32,053	9.8
	Av. 1931-35	85,000	18.3	24,260	6.8	35,782	10.1	29,218	8.2
	1935	83,069	17.2	26,843	7.3	33,317	9.9	26,752	7.3
	1936	62,451	16.9	27,734	7.5	37,571	10.2	24,880	6.7
1937	61,645	16.6	29,893	8.1	38,475	10.4	23,170	6.2	
Manitoba	Av. 1921-25	16,590	26.8	4,634	7.5	5,348	8.6	11,242	13.2
	Av. 1926-30	14,891	21.7	4,951	7.5	5,507	8.3	8,884	13.4
	Av. 1931-35	13,690	19.3	5,015	7.1	5,413	7.6	8,277	11.7
	1935	13,335	18.8	5,341	7.5	5,781	8.1	7,554	10.7
	1936	12,855	18.1	5,756	8.1	6,219	8.7	6,636	9.4
1937	12,838	18.0	6,113	8.5	6,070	8.5	6,318	9.5	
Saskatchewan	Av. 1921-25	21,590	27.7	4,982	6.4	5,859	7.5	15,721	20.2
	Av. 1926-30	21,298	24.7	6,036	7.0	6,256	7.3	15,042	17.4
	Av. 1931-35	20,325	21.9	5,680	6.1	6,037	6.5	14,288	15.4
	1935	19,569	21.0	6,036	6.5	6,126	6.6	13,443	14.4
	1936	19,125	20.5	6,108	6.6	6,314	6.8	12,811	13.7
1937	18,640	19.9	5,790	6.2	6,927	7.4	11,713	12.5	
Alberta	Av. 1921-25	15,461	26.0	4,313	7.3	4,953	8.3	10,508	17.7
	Av. 1926-30	15,924	24.2	5,265	8.0	5,530	8.4	10,394	15.8
	Av. 1931-35	16,556	22.1	5,530	7.4	5,447	7.3	11,109	14.8
	1935	16,183	21.2	6,010	7.9	5,729	7.5	10,454	13.7
	1936	15,786	20.4	6,020	7.8	6,147	8.0	9,639	12.4
1937	15,903	20.4	6,345	8.2	6,261	8.0	9,642	12.4	
British Columbia	Av. 1921-25	10,253	18.4	3,071	7.1	4,812	8.7	5,444	9.7
	Av. 1926-30	10,356	16.2	4,785	7.5	5,986	9.3	4,370	6.9
	Av. 1931-35	10,005	14.0	4,267	6.0	6,344	8.9	3,661	5.1
	1935	10,013	13.6	5,034	6.8	6,857	9.3	3,156	4.3
	1936	10,571	14.1	5,451	7.3	7,221	9.6	3,349	4.5
1937	11,279	15.0	6,191	8.2	7,973	10.6	3,306	4.4	
Canada ¹ (exclusive of the Territories)	Av. 1926-30	226,520	24.1	71,885	7.3	106,924	11.1	127,596	13.0
	Av. 1931-35	228,352	21.4	68,596	6.4	103,683	9.7	124,750	11.7
	1935	221,451	20.3	76,893	7.0	105,567	9.7	115,884	10.6
	1936	220,371	20.0	80,304	7.3	107,050	9.7	113,321	10.3
	1937	220,235	19.8	87,800	7.9	113,624	10.2	106,611	9.6

¹ Quebec was not included in the registration area prior to 1926.