

Natural Increase, by Sex.—In Table 29 the relationship of births to deaths is shown by sex from 1926 to 1943 for Canada and for 1943 by provinces.

29.—Births, Deaths and Natural Increase in Canada,¹ by Province and Sex, 1943, with Totals, 1934-43, and Five-Year Averages, 1926-40

Year and Province	Males			Females			Both Sexes
	Births	Deaths	Excess of Births Over Deaths	Births	Deaths	Excess of Births Over Deaths	Excess of Births Over Deaths
Canada—¹							
Av. 1926-30	121,553	58,351	63,202	114,968	50,574	64,394	127,596
Av. 1931-35	117,142	55,967	61,175	111,211	47,635	63,576	124,751
Av. 1936-40	117,433	59,992	57,441	111,334	49,522	61,812	119,253
Totals, 1934	113,323	55,224	58,099	107,950	46,358	61,622	119,721
1935	113,293	57,206	56,087	108,158	48,361	59,797	115,884
1936	113,289	57,728	55,561	107,082	49,322	57,760	113,321
1937	113,143	62,109	51,034	107,092	51,715	55,377	106,411
1938	117,862	58,817	59,045	111,584	48,000	63,584	122,629
1939	117,594	59,907	57,687	111,874	49,044	62,830	120,517
1940	125,279	61,399	63,880	119,037	49,528	69,509	133,389
1941	131,175	63,852	67,323	124,142	50,787	73,355	140,678
1942	140,584	63,013	77,571	131,729	49,965	81,764	159,335
1943	145,725	66,013	79,712	137,855	52,622	85,233	164,945
Province, 1943							
Prince Edward Island..	1,109	503	606	1,062	409	653	1,259
Nova Scotia	7,889	3,581	4,308	7,505	2,896	4,609	8,917
New Brunswick	6,756	2,677	4,079	6,334	2,240	4,094	8,173
Quebec	50,848	18,915	31,933	47,896	16,154	31,742	63,675
Ontario	41,592	22,159	19,433	39,581	18,904	20,677	40,110
Manitoba	8,463	4,009	4,454	7,949	2,998	4,951	9,405
Saskatchewan	9,645	3,993	5,652	8,859	2,661	6,198	11,850
Alberta	9,840	3,999	5,841	9,450	2,525	6,925	12,766
British Columbia	9,583	6,177	3,406	9,219	3,835	5,384	8,790

¹ Exclusive of the Territories.

Section 5.—Vital Statistics of Yukon and Northwest Territories

The vital statistics of Yukon and the Northwest Territories have been collected and compiled since 1924. They are not, however, presented with those of the nine provinces in the tables of this chapter because the figures are not regarded as complete. The details are in many cases not available, and the small and varying population is not known with sufficient accuracy for each year to enable the rates to be calculated. As these Territories contain less than 1/700th of the population of Canada, their vital statistics are a negligible factor in the total.

30.—Vital Statistics of Yukon and the Northwest Territories, 1941-43, with Five-Year Averages, 1926-40

Year	Yukon			Northwest Territories		
	Births	Marriages	Deaths	Births	Marriages	Deaths
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Averages, 1926-30	33	14	54	158	24	185
Averages, 1931-35	49	24	61	190	41	137
Averages, 1936-40	67	36	72	228	72	177
1941	72	36	67	314	82	306
1942	96	36	108	369	109	222
1943 ¹	82	67	119	403	94	304

¹ Preliminary figures.