

7.—Racial Origins of the Population, Census Years 1921-41, with Percentage Distribution for 1941

NOTE.—Figures for the Censuses of 1871, 1881, 1901 and 1911 are given at p. 154 of the 1948-49 Year Book.

Racial Origin	1921		1931		1941		Racial Origin	1921		1931		1941	
	No.	No.	No.	p. c.	No.	p. c.		No.	No.	No.	p. c.		
British Isles.....	4,868,738	5,381,071	5,715,904	49.68	Other European—con.								
English.....	2,545,358	2,741,419	2,968,402	25.80	Norwegian.....	68,856	93,243	100,718	0.88				
Irish.....	1,107,803	1,230,808	1,267,702	11.02	Polish.....	53,403	145,503	167,485	1.45				
Scottish.....	1,173,625	1,346,350	1,403,974	12.20	Roumanian.....	13,470	29,056	24,689	0.21				
Other.....	41,952	62,494	75,826	0.66	Russian.....	100,064	88,148	83,708	0.73				
Other					Swedish.....	61,503	81,306	85,396	0.74				
European.....	3,699,846	4,753,242	5,526,964	48.03	Ukrainian ¹	106,721	225,113	305,929	2.66				
French.....	2,452,743	2,927,990	3,483,038	30.27	Yugoslavic.....	3,906	16,174	21,214	0.18				
Austrian.....	107,671	48,639	37,715	0.33	Other.....	16,180	6,232	6,527	0.06				
Belgian.....	20,234	27,585	29,711	0.26	Asiatic.....	65,914	84,548	74,064	0.64				
Bulgarian.....	1,765	3,160	3,260	0.03	Chinese.....	39,537	46,519	34,627	0.30				
Czech and Slovak.....	8,840	30,401	42,912	0.37	Japanese.....	15,868	23,342	23,149	0.20				
Danish.....	21,124	34,118	37,439	0.33	Other.....	10,459	14,687	16,288	0.14				
Finnish.....	21,494	43,885	41,683	0.36	Indian and								
German.....	294,635	473,544	464,682	4.04	Eskimo.....	113,724	128,890	125,521	1.09				
Greek.....	5,740	9,444	11,692	0.10	Negro.....	18,291	19,456	22,174	0.19				
Hungarian.....	13,181	40,582	54,598	0.47	Other.....	187	681	36,753 ²	0.32				
Icelandic.....	15,876	19,382	21,050	0.18	Not stated.....	21,249	8,898	5,275	0.05				
Italian.....	66,769	98,173	112,625	0.98	Totals.....	8,787,949	10,376,786	11,506,655	100.00				
Jewish.....	126,196	156,726	170,241	1.48									
Lithuanian.....	1,970	5,876	7,789	0.07									
Netherland.....	117,505	148,962	212,863	1.85									

¹ Includes Bukovinian, Galician and Ruthenian.

² Includes 35,416 half-breeds.

Racial origins of the population by provinces and territories in 1941 are given at p. 106 of the 1945 edition of the Year Book.

Section 5.—Religions

At each census the actual numbers attached to any religious denomination, as reported by the persons enumerated, have been recorded. The distribution of the principal denominations as at the Censuses of 1921, 1931 and 1941 is given in Table 8.

8.—Principal Religious Denominations of the Population, Census Years 1921-41, with Percentage Distribution for 1941

NOTE.—More detailed figures for the Censuses of 1871, 1881, 1891, 1901 and 1911 are given at p. 155 of the 1948-49 Year Book.

Religion	1921		1931		1941		Religion	1921		1931		1941	
	No.	No.	No.	p. c.	No.	p. c.		No.	No.	No.	p. c.		
Anglican.....	1,407,780	1,635,615	1,751,188	15.22	Roman Catholic.....	3,389,626	4,285,388 ²	4,986,552 ³	43.34				
Baptist.....	421,730	443,341	483,692	4.20	United Church								
Congregationalist.....	30,730	694 ¹	2	...	of Canada.....	8,728	2,017,375	2,204,875	19.16				
Jewish.....	125,197	155,614	168,367	1.46	Other.....	549,048	573,837	681,781	5.92				
Lutheran.....	286,458	394,194	401,153	3.49	Totals.....	8,787,949	10,376,786	11,506,655	100.00				
Methodist.....	1,159,246	2	2	...									
Presbyterian.....	1,409,406	870,728 ¹	829,147 ¹	7.21									

¹ Not included in "United Church".

² Included in "United Church"

³ Includes 186,654 Greek Catholics in 1931 and 185,657 in 1941.

Details of leading religious denominations by provinces are given at p. 109 of the 1945 edition of the Year Book; those of the populations of the nine leading cities are shown in Table 14 of the 1946 Year Book at p. 107.