

Table 13 shows the population of Canada classified by five-year age groups and sex for the census years 1931, 1941 and 1951. The provincial distribution from the 1951 Census by specified age groups is shown in Table 14.

13.—Male and Female Populations by Age Groups, Census Years 1931-51

Age Group	1931 ¹		1941		1951	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
0-4 years.....	543,299	531,293	533,903	517,951	879,063	843,046
5-9 “.....	572,648	560,296	529,092	516,728	713,873	683,952
10-14 “.....	543,067	531,173	556,304	544,573	575,122	555,661
15-19 “.....	525,536	514,474	565,212	554,823	532,180	525,792
20-24 “.....	463,978	447,584	517,956	514,470	537,535	551,106
25-29 “.....	410,220	376,407	488,340	478,650	552,812	578,403
30-34 “.....	368,346	340,792	431,591	412,255	512,557	530,177
35-39 “.....	359,318	329,474	396,453	363,101	503,571	495,562
40-44 “.....	347,989	298,416	348,616	327,929	445,800	422,767
45-49 “.....	321,749	263,770	332,503	302,643	387,708	356,971
50-54 “.....	267,526	221,408	315,866	275,838	340,461	322,195
55-59 “.....	199,296	167,910	275,234	231,658	292,564	278,126
60-64 “.....	157,019	137,722	218,557	188,594	264,324	241,828
65-69 “.....	120,770	110,467	162,517	145,207	228,076	205,421
70-74 “.....	88,630	83,040	111,152	105,949	160,398	154,674
75-79 “.....	50,446	48,624	67,200	68,495	94,130	94,261
80-84 “.....	23,891	25,300	34,083	37,431	45,963	50,828
85-89 “.....	8,670	10,469	12,621	15,015	17,539	22,060
90 or over.....	2,543	3,626	3,336	4,809	5,197	7,726
Totals.....	5,374,541	5,002,245	5,900,536	5,606,119	7,088,873	6,920,556

¹ Persons whose ages were not stated have been pro-rated over the various age groups.

14.—Age Distribution of the Population, by Provinces or Territories, 1951

Province or Territory	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Newfoundland.....	58,831	46,433	36,126	30,403	26,718	48,871
Prince Edward Island.....	13,213	10,358	9,294	8,296	6,557	12,739
Nova Scotia.....	82,540	68,816	58,131	51,533	46,275	93,276
New Brunswick.....	74,869	59,504	49,541	42,850	36,559	72,167
Quebec.....	541,524	463,444	361,140	337,501	340,902	629,310
Ontario.....	514,722	399,292	325,300	315,685	352,360	738,282
Manitoba.....	89,977	72,594	60,143	57,188	58,752	120,780
Saskatchewan.....	99,855	81,782	73,615	68,482	62,613	122,602
Alberta.....	116,846	93,063	76,897	73,941	75,527	148,666
British Columbia.....	125,886	99,892	78,609	70,230	79,824	182,370
Yukon Territory.....	1,319	809	526	435	934	2,115
Northwest Territories.....	2,527	1,838	1,461	1,428	1,620	2,771
Canada.....	1,722,109	1,397,825	1,130,783	1,057,972	1,088,641	2,173,949
	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-69	70+	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Newfoundland.....	41,417	27,883	21,244	9,071	14,419	361,416
Prince Edward Island.....	11,641	8,985	7,639	3,268	6,439	98,429
Nova Scotia.....	82,912	57,822	46,354	19,440	35,485	642,584
New Brunswick.....	61,576	44,147	35,451	14,286	24,747	515,697
Quebec.....	518,290	375,657	255,816	93,161	138,936	4,055,681
Ontario.....	643,139	515,607	392,792	155,097	245,266	4,597,542
Manitoba.....	105,984	78,852	66,803	27,347	38,121	776,541
Saskatchewan.....	107,217	79,188	69,161	29,103	38,110	831,728
Alberta.....	123,480	92,480	71,658	29,439	37,504	939,501
British Columbia.....	168,819	124,693	108,750	52,927	78,210	1,165,210
Yukon Territory.....	1,313	750	428	186	281	9,096
Northwest Territories.....	1,912	1,271	746	172	258	16,004
Canada.....	1,867,700	1,407,335	1,076,842	433,497	652,776	14,009,429