

Yukon and Northwest Territories.—There are two cities and one town in the Yukon Territory and two local administrative districts in the Northwest Territories, all of which provide some municipal services to their local areas. These are not shown in Table 24.

24.—Municipalities, by Official Designation¹ and by Statistical Classification,² by Province, as at Jan. 1, 1958

Item	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Total
	OFFICIAL DESIGNATION ¹										
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Local municipalities.....	67	24	66	42 ³	1,662	937	190	781	295	122	4,186
<i>Cities</i>	2	1	2	6	42	29	6	10	9	35	142
<i>Towns</i>	38 ⁴	7	40	20	152	157	35	102	86	2	639
<i>Villages</i>	27 ⁵	16	...	1	336	154	37	373	152	55	1,151
<i>Rural</i> ⁶.....	...	...	24	15	1,132	597 ⁷	112 ⁸	296 ⁹	48 ¹⁰	30	2,254
Quebec and Ontario counties	...	...	...	...	75	39 ¹¹	...	...	...	...	114
Totals, Incorporated Municipalities.....	67	24	66	42	1,737	976	190	781	295	122	4,300
	STATISTICAL CLASSIFICATION ²										
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Municipalities in metropolitan areas ¹²	2	...	3	5	76	40	14	...	10	19	169
<i>Urban</i>	2	...	2	3	57	23	7	...	6	7	107
<i>Rural</i>.....	...	...	1	2	19	17	7	...	4	12	62
Other urban municipalities..	65	24	40	24	473	317	71	485	241	85	1,825
Other rural municipalities..	...	...	23	13	1,113	580	105	296	44	18	2,192
<i>Semi-urban</i>.....	...	...	...	...	56 ¹³	...	...	...	...	...	56
<i>Other</i>.....	...	...	23	13	1,113	524	105	296	44	18	2,156
Quebec and Ontario counties	...	...	...	...	75	39	...	...	...	...	114
Totals, Incorporated Municipalities.....	67	24	66	42	1,737	976	190	781	295	122	4,300

¹ Municipalities grouped according to their official nomenclature, which is roughly indicative of size and nature (see footnote 6). ² Municipalities grouped under the classification devised by the Dominion-Provincial Conferences on Municipal Statistics, designed to bring municipalities into comparable groups for statistical presentation. ³ Excludes 57 local improvement districts. ⁴ Designated by the province as towns (31), rural districts (4), and local improvement districts (3); all operate under the same Act. ⁵ Classified by province as "community councils". ⁶ Rural municipalities are designated by different names in the different provinces. ⁷ Includes 24 improvement districts. ⁸ Includes 3 units of self-government known as "suburban municipalities"; excludes local government districts. ⁹ Excludes 12 improvement districts. ¹⁰ Includes 10 county municipalities; excludes 50 improvement districts and two special areas. ¹¹ Includes Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto. ¹² Includes municipalities shown wholly or partly in metropolitan areas by the 1956 Census, except for the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto (see footnote 11). ¹³ Classed by provincial authorities as sub-urban and semi-urban.

Section 4.—Federal and Provincial Royal Commissions

Federal Royal Commissions.*—Royal Commissions established from Oct. 15, 1957 to Jan. 31, 1958 are given in the Appendix, p. 1293 of the 1957-58 Year Book, in continuation of those previously reported in the Year Books beginning with the 1940 edition at pp. 1108-1110.

* Commissions constituted under Part I of the Federal Inquiries Act.