

Estimates are constructed for the total population of Canada and for each province and become available about the date to which they apply—June 1 of each year. Population estimates by province are also available on a quarterly basis. The estimates of population begin with the preceding census counts, to which are added the births of the intervening census year or years and from which the deaths are subtracted; immigrants are added and emigrants subtracted. No precise information is available on emigration. The DBS receives yearly from the United States the number of persons who gave Canada as country of last permanent residence before entering the United States as immigrants (see Chapter on Immigration and Citizenship, Part I, Section 3) and from the United Kingdom's Board of Trade the number of emigrants from Canada taking up permanent residence in the United Kingdom. Such data, however, are not available from other countries, though the proportion of total emigrants to all other countries is small. Family allowance statistics showing the number of migrant families by provinces are used in estimating interprovincial shifts in population.

The following statement shows the data used in preparing the annual estimates for 1957-60. The next succeeding census serves as a basis for revision of the annual estimates.

Item	Period			
	1956-57	1956-58	1956-59	1956-60
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Population, Census 1956.....	16,081,000	16,081,000	16,081,000	16,081,000
Births <sup>1</sup> .....	451,000	932,000	1,408,000	1,881,000
Deaths <sup>1</sup> .....	132,000	270,000	408,000	547,000
Immigration.....	257,000	449,000	564,000	670,000
Emigration (estimated).....	68,000	144,000	203,000	271,000
Population at end of period.....	16,589,000	17,048,000	17,442,000	17,814,000

<sup>1</sup> Final figures used where available and registrations substituted for remaining period.

**16.—Estimates of Population, by Province, as at June 1, Intercensal Years 1941-60**

Note.—At every census the previous post-censal estimates, made at June 1 each year, are adjusted to the newly recorded population figures. Figures for all provinces for 1941, 1951 and 1956 and for the Prairie Provinces for 1946 are census figures. Figures for 1867-1904 will be found in the 1936 Year Book, p. 141; for 1905-30 in the 1946 edition, p. 127; and for 1931-40 in the 1952-53 edition, p. 143.

Year	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Yukon	N.W.T.	Canada
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1941.....	...	95	578	457	3,332	3,788	730	896	796	818	5	12	11,507
1942.....	...	90	591	464	3,390	3,884	724	848	776	870	5	12	11,654
1943.....	...	91	606	463	3,457	3,915	723	838	785	900	5	12	11,795
1944.....	...	91	611	461	3,500	3,963	727	836	808	932	5	12	11,946
1945.....	...	92	619	467	3,560	4,000	727	833	808	949	5	12	12,072
1946.....	...	94	608	478	3,629	4,093	727	833	803	1,003	8	16	12,292
1947.....	...	94	615	488	3,710	4,176	739	836	825	1,044	8	16	12,551
1948.....	...	93	625	498	3,788	4,275	746	838	854	1,082	8	16	12,823
1949.....	345	94	629	508	3,882	4,378	757	832	885	1,113	8	16	13,447
1950.....	351	96	638	512	3,969	4,471	768	833	913	1,137	8	16	13,712
1951.....	361	96	643	516	4,056	4,598	776	832	939	1,165	9	16	14,009
1952.....	374	100	653	526	4,174	4,788	798	843	973	1,205	9	16	14,459
1953.....	383	101	663	533	4,269	4,941	809	861	1,012	1,248	9	16	14,845
1954.....	395	101	673	540	4,388	5,115	823	873	1,057	1,295	10	17	15,287
1955.....	406	100	683	547	4,517	5,266	839	878	1,091	1,342	11	18	15,698
1956.....	415	99	695	555	4,628	5,405	850	881	1,123	1,399	12	19	16,081
1957.....	426	99	702	565	4,758	5,622	860	879	1,160	1,487	12	19	16,589
1958.....	438	100	710	577	4,884	5,803	870	888	1,201	1,544	13	20	17,048
1959.....	449	102	716	590	4,999	5,952	885	902	1,243	1,570	13	21	17,442
1960.....	459	103	723	600	5,106	6,089	899	910	1,283	1,606	14	22	17,814