

2.—Telephones in Use, by Province, 1961

Province or Territory	On Individual Lines		On 2- and 4-Party Lines		On Rural Lines		Public Pay Telephones
	Business	Residential	Business	Residential	Business	Residential	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Newfoundland.....	6,275	14,854	464	22,979	—	2,251	426
Prince Edward Island..	2,010	5,125	87	3,012	340	5,737	138
Nova Scotia.....	15,308	74,177	480	20,985	1,251	27,671	2,659
New Brunswick.....	11,529	36,018	851	33,025	1,193	20,563	1,786
Quebec.....	141,125	576,403	8,368	287,234	12,173	115,502	24,349
Ontario.....	202,458	779,091	7,014 ¹	510,397 ¹	11,503 ¹	193,822 ¹	27,121
Manitoba.....	26,153	105,706	490	64,158	2,453	33,414	2,514
Saskatchewan.....	24,173	123,355	34	521	3,359	57,808	1,901
Alberta.....	50,997	229,567	14	385	1,015	31,398	2,536
British Columbia.....	53,721	61,509	420	243,336	4,145	82,678	4,898
Yukon Territory.....	30	6	13	37	—	44	—
Northwest Territories.	219	170	87	339	2	84	27
Canada.....	533,998	2,005,981	18,322	1,186,408	37,434	570,972	68,355
	Private Branch Exchange		Extensions		Mobile	Total	Telephones per 100 Population
	Business	Residential	Business	Residential			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Newfoundland.....	6,275	—	4,394	4,049	2	61,969	13.3
Prince Edward Island..	1,311	—	1,377	1,160	65	20,362	19.2
Nova Scotia.....	16,156	1	9,699	14,949	512	183,848	24.8
New Brunswick.....	12,262	—	9,061	10,171	350	136,809	22.7
Quebec.....	189,191	45	111,884	144,827	193	1,611,294	30.3
Ontario.....	300,755	230	145,804	243,236	484	2,421,915	38.5
Manitoba.....	30,318	—	16,281	17,305	46	298,838	32.1
Saskatchewan.....	19,215	—	10,163	10,415	186	251,130	27.1
Alberta.....	54,515	—	20,877	30,203	657	422,164	31.1
British Columbia.....	65,577	—	42,904	44,354	560	604,102	36.7
Yukon Territory.....	14	—	23	56	—	223	0.9
Northwest Territories.	244	—	135	54	—	1,361	9.1
Canada.....	695,833	276	372,602	520,779	3,055	6,014,015	32.6

¹ Ontario 4-party telephones included under Rural Lines.

The major telephone systems record completed calls on representative days throughout the year and on this basis estimate the number of local conversations which, added to the actual count of long-distance calls, gives their total volume of business. Estimates are included for the smaller systems. The number of completed calls on all systems in 1961 was estimated at 10,468,915,000, or an average of 1,741 calls per telephone and 568 calls per person. Despite the increase in extended area service which eliminates toll charges between adjacent communities, long-distance calls continue to increase in number.

3.—Local and Long-Distance Calls and Average Calls per Capita and per Telephone, 1952-61

NOTE.—Figures from 1928 will be found in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1939 edition.

Year	Local Calls	Long-Distance Calls	Total Calls	Total Calls per Capita	Average Calls per Telephone		
					Local	Long-Distance	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1952.....	5,482,973,000	126,721,000	5,609,694,000	389	1,635	37.8	1,673
1953.....	5,952,756,000	131,899,000	6,084,655,000	412	1,650	36.6	1,687
1954.....	6,209,771,000	137,761,000	6,347,532,000	418	1,608	35.7	1,644
1955.....	6,808,389,000	153,087,000	6,961,476,000	446	1,640	36.8	1,677
1956.....	7,593,525,000	171,280,000	7,764,805,000	486	1,688	38.0	1,726
1957.....	8,077,101,000	178,608,000	8,255,709,000	498	1,673	37.0	1,710
1958.....	8,513,455,000	194,186,000	8,707,641,000	511	1,663	37.9	1,701
1959.....	9,044,825,000	205,395,000	9,250,220,000	530	1,663	37.9	1,701
1960.....	9,364,586,000	215,275,000	9,579,861,000	537	1,635	37.6	1,672
1961.....	10,242,657,000	226,258,000	10,468,915,000	568	1,703	37.6	1,741