

PART II.—PUBLIC LANDS AND WILDLIFE

Section 1.—Federal and Provincial Public Lands

In Table 1 classifying the area of Canada by tenure, items 2, 3, 4 and 5 are obtained from Federal Government sources and items 1, 6, 7 and 8 from provincial government sources.

1.—Total Area classified by Tenure (circa) 1963

Item	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.
	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles
1. Privately owned land or land in process of alienation from the Crown.....	6,798	2,058	16,162	15,478	43,500	46,409
2. Federal lands other than leased lands, National Parks, Indian reserves and forest experiment stations.....	160	83	165	612	373 ¹	1,124
3. National Parks.....	153	7	367	79	²	12
4. Indian reserves.....	—	4	40	60	291	2,431
5. Federal forest experiment stations.....	—	—	—	35	7	41
6. Provincial lands other than Provincial Parks and provincial forest reserves.....	148,879	30	4,690	10,685	476,725	337,579
7. Provincial Parks.....	78	²	1	1	67,486	5,460
8. Provincial forest reserves.....	117	2	—	1,404	6,478	19,526
Totals.....	156,185	2,184	21,425	28,354	594,860	412,582
	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Yukon and N.W.T.	Canada
	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles	sq. miles
1. Privately owned land or land in process of alienation from the Crown.....	46,310	104,929	96,017	19,711	83	397,455
2. Federal lands other than leased lands, National Parks, Indian reserves and forest experiment stations.....	1,180	5,089	2,925	485	1,508,261 ³	1,520,457
3. National Parks.....	1,148	1,496	20,717 ⁴	1,671	3,625 ⁵	29,275
4. Indian reserves.....	819	1,898	2,450	1,278	10	9,281
5. Federal forest experiment stations.....	⁶	—	23	—	—	106
6. Provincial lands other than Provincial Parks and provincial forest reserves.....	195,479	16,537	121,597	289,884	—	1,602,085
7. Provincial Parks.....	2,742 ⁷	2,284	2,289	9,981	—	90,322
8. Provincial forest reserves.....	3,322	119,467	9,267	43,245	—	202,328
Totals.....	251,000	251,700	255,285	366,255	1,511,979	3,851,809

¹ Includes Gatineau Park (97 sq. miles) and Quebec Battlefields Park (0.36 sq. mile) which are under federal jurisdiction but are not technically National Parks. ² Less than one square mile. ³ Includes 952,349 sq. miles set aside by Order in Council as native game preserves in which only Indians and Eskimos may hunt, but which are not regarded as National Parks.

⁴ Includes that part of Wood Buffalo Park in Alberta (13,675 sq. miles); this park, although established under the National Parks Act, is administered by the Northern Administration Branch, Department of Northern Affairs and National Resources. ⁵ That part of Wood Buffalo Park in N.W.T. ⁶ A forest experiment area of 25 sq. miles is included in National Parks figure. ⁷ Includes 1,855 sq. miles of provincial park land within provincial forest reserves.