

In addition to the above types of municipalities, there are unincorporated improvement districts that have been set up to provide certain municipal services such as protection, waterworks, irrigation, etc. These districts are under the supervision of the Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources.

Yukon and Northwest Territories.—There are two cities, Whitehorse and Dawson, and one unincorporated town, Mayo, in the Yukon Territory and two municipal districts, Yellowknife and Hay River, in the Northwest Territories, all of which provide some municipal services to their local areas. These are not shown in Table 34.

34.—Official Designation and Statistical Classification of Municipalities, by Province, as at Jan. 1, 1964

Item	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Total
OFFICIAL DESIGNATION¹											
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Local municipalities.....	100	25	66	100 ²	1,678	940	197	790	309	128	4,333
<i>Metropolitan corporations</i>.....	...	...	...	...	1 ⁴	1 ⁵	1 ⁶	...	...	...	3
<i>Cities</i>	2	1	5	7	65	52	9	11	9	52	169
<i>Towns</i>	51 ⁷	7	59	20	178	158	56	120	90	4	705
<i>Villages</i>	4 ⁷⁸	17	...	1	523	157	41	365	162	62	1,178
<i>Rural</i> ⁹.....	...	...	24	73 ³	1,108	592 ¹⁰	110 ¹¹	296 ¹²	43 ¹³	30 ¹⁴	2,280
Quebec and Ontario counties	...	...	...	...	75 ¹⁵	38	...	...	...	...	113
Totals, Incorporated Municipalities.....	100	25	66	100	1,753	978	197	790	309	128	4,446
STATISTICAL CLASSIFICATION²											
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Municipalities in Metropolitan Areas.....	2	...	3	5	121	74	17	...	10	20	252
<i>Urban</i> ⁴	2	...	2	5	105	45	9	...	5	8	177
<i>Rural</i>.....	...	...	1	2	18	29	8	...	5	12	75
Other urban municipalities.....	98	25	40	25	467	303	78	494	256	90	1,876
Other rural municipalities.....	...	...	23	70	1,090	563	102	296	43	18	2,205
<i>Semi-urban</i>.....	...	...	...	...	...	49 ¹⁷	...	...	...	...	49
<i>Other</i>.....	...	...	23	70	1,090	514	102	296	43	18	2,156
Quebec and Ontario counties	...	...	...	...	75	38	...	...	...	...	113
Totals, Incorporated Municipalities.....	100	25	66	100	1,753	978	197	790	309	128	4,446

¹ Municipalities grouped according to their official nomenclature, which is roughly indicative of size and nature (see footnote 9). 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 Includes the 57 local improvement districts; excludes commissions. ⁴ The Montreal Metropolitan Corporation. ⁵ The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto. ⁶ The Metropolitan Corporation of Greater Winnipeg. ⁷ Designated by the province as towns (45), rural districts (4) and local improvement districts (2); all operate under the same Act. ⁸ Classified by the province as community councils. ⁹ Rural municipalities are designated by different names in the different provinces. ¹⁰ Includes the 18 improvement districts. ¹¹ Includes the 3 units of self-government known as suburban municipalities; excludes the unincorporated local government districts. ¹² Excludes the 12 unincorporated local improvement districts. ¹³ Includes the 26 county municipalities; excludes the 51 unincorporated improvement districts and the 3 special areas. ¹⁴ Excludes the 276 unincorporated improvement districts and the 2 local districts. ¹⁵ Includes the Inter-Urban Corporation of Ile Jésus (formerly Laval County). ¹⁶ Includes municipalities shown wholly or partly in metropolitan areas by the 1961 Census, with subsequent revisions to take care of annexations, etc. Included in "Urban" are the Montreal Metropolitan Corporation, the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto and the Metropolitan Corporation of Greater Winnipeg. ¹⁷ Classified by the province as suburban or semi-urban.