

to be a Canadian citizen if, upon a report from the Minister in charge of immigration, he is satisfied that such person has, when not under a disability (1) acquired voluntarily, when in Canada, the citizenship of a foreign country (other than by marriage), (2) taken or made an oath, affirmation, or other declaration of allegiance to a foreign country, or (3) made a declaration renouncing his Canadian citizenship.

Section 2.—Canadian Citizenship Statistics

According to the 1961 Census, which required that each person state the country to which he owed allegiance and had citizenship rights as at June 1, 1961, less than 6 p.c. of Canada's population reported a country of citizenship other than Canada. Table 1 shows the citizenship of the population by province.

1.—Citizenship of the Population, by Province, Census 1961

Province or Territory	Other Commonwealth		United States	European Countries	Asiatic	Other	Total
	Canadian	No.					
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Newfoundland.....	455,282	1,186	499	763	95	28	457,853
Prince Edward Island.....	103,618	337	283	364	16	11	104,829
Nova Scotia.....	725,686	4,568	2,254	4,122	237	140	737,007
New Brunswick.....	590,662	2,003	2,573	2,443	112	143	597,936
Quebec.....	5,078,082	31,491	16,585	121,278	4,608	7,167	5,259,211
Ontario.....	5,673,098	184,429	36,329	317,216	7,309	17,711	6,236,092
Manitoba.....	879,187	10,059	3,242	26,347	688	2,163	921,686
Saskatchewan.....	902,106	5,946	3,656	11,664	969	840	925,181
Alberta.....	1,240,895	21,353	11,674	53,129	1,982	2,911	1,331,944
British Columbia.....	1,498,498	44,647	10,908	64,641	6,973	3,415	1,629,082
Yukon and Northwest Territories.....	35,315	671	309	1,228	44	59	37,626
Canada.....	17,182,429	396,690	58,312	603,195	23,033	34,588	18,238,247

Citizenship Certificates Issued and Granted.—Citizenship certificates "issued", as shown in Table 2, include both certificates granted to new citizens and those issued for various reasons to persons who were already Canadian citizens; certificates "granted" means that the holders became Canadian citizens by the grant of such certificates.

2.—Citizenship Certificates Issued and Granted, by Status of Recipient, 1964 and 1965

Certificates	1964	1965	Certificates	1964	1965
	No.	No.		No.	No.
Issued—			Granted to—concluded		
To Canadians by—			Alien.....	52,940	51,775
Birth.....	1,439	1,775	Adults.....	40,342	59,641
Naturalization.....	1,586	1,683	Minors.....	11,190	11,510
Marriage.....	375	296	Adopted or legitimated.....	365	389
Domicile.....	1,603	1,626	Re-acquisition of status.....	443	355
To remove doubt.....	12	18	Totals, Granted.....	64,334	63,844
Resumption.....	98	285	Totals, Issued and Granted.....	119,712	123,840
Replacements.....	2,881	4,843	Miscellaneous—		
Minutaires.....	47,384	49,570	Retention.....	196	324
Totals, Issued.....	55,378	66,996	Registration of births abroad... Extension ¹	6,565	6,342
Granted to—			Loss by—	138	153
British.....	11,394	12,069	Alienation.....	700	767
Adults.....	9,001	9,448	Revocation.....	—	1
Minors.....	2,295	2,511			
Adopted or legitimated.....	98	116			

¹ Represents only those cases reported to the Citizenship Branch by posts abroad.