

Table 12 shows the population of Canada classified by five-year age groups and by sex for the census years 1951, 1956, 1961 and 1966. The provincial distribution by specified age group is given for 1966 in Table 13.

12.—Male and Female Populations, by Age Group, Census Years 1951, 1956, 1961 and 1966

Age Group	1951		1956		1961		1966	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
0 - 4 years.....	879,063	843,046	1,011,835	971,728	1,154,091	1,102,310	1,128,771	1,068,616
5 - 9 ".....	713,873	683,952	919,952	887,101	1,063,840	1,015,682	1,172,821	1,128,036
10 - 14 ".....	575,122	555,661	732,032	702,562	948,160	907,839	1,071,255	1,022,258
15 - 19 ".....	532,180	525,792	586,635	575,666	729,035	703,524	928,958	908,767
20 - 24 ".....	537,535	551,106	567,179	561,931	587,139	596,507	727,115	734,183
25 - 29 ".....	552,812	578,403	605,836	592,301	613,897	595,400	619,462	622,332
30 - 34 ".....	512,557	530,177	602,535	613,750	644,407	627,403	630,498	611,199
35 - 39 ".....	503,571	495,562	555,763	558,622	631,072	639,852	649,769	636,375
40 - 44 ".....	445,800	422,767	522,615	502,784	559,996	558,965	624,709	632,319
45 - 49 ".....	387,708	356,971	455,827	422,988	515,516	499,800	542,752	547,163
50 - 54 ".....	340,461	322,195	381,835	351,215	442,909	420,279	498,283	489,981
55 - 59 ".....	292,564	278,126	321,973	307,271	362,145	343,690	413,389	402,911
60 - 64 ".....	264,324	241,828	265,652	259,265	292,569	291,065	330,006	333,404
65 - 69 ".....	228,076	205,421	237,551	226,562	239,685	247,417	276,971	276,771
70 - 74 ".....	160,398	154,674	187,490	183,218	196,076	206,099	198,808	228,399
75 - 79 ".....	94,130	94,261	113,550	113,948	134,186	140,051	138,967	161,398
80 - 84 ".....	45,963	50,828	55,636	61,460	69,046	77,771	80,664	96,655
85 - 89 ".....	17,539	22,060	21,688	26,670	27,178	33,606	33,073	43,717
90 years or over.....	5,197	7,726	6,295	9,870	7,946	12,093	10,106	16,052
Totals.....	7,088,873	6,920,556	8,151,879	7,928,912	9,218,893	9,019,354	10,054,344	9,960,536

13.—Age Distribution of the Population, by Province, Census 1966

Province or Territory	0-4 Years	5-9 Years	10-14 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-34 Years
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Newfoundland.....	68,545	67,007	63,531	54,307	35,976	53,299
Prince Edward Island.....	12,587	13,023	12,023	11,061	6,781	11,256
Nova Scotia.....	85,521	87,433	81,600	74,142	52,698	84,372
New Brunswick.....	72,859	76,295	72,908	65,567	42,331	65,198
Quebec.....	632,489	682,874	628,210	566,315	474,158	752,995
Ontario.....	745,744	770,061	688,270	599,197	485,053	881,011
Manitoba.....	102,425	105,527	99,227	87,848	66,899	109,460
Saskatchewan.....	107,515	110,130	103,304	88,412	62,150	104,651
Alberta.....	173,568	179,540	157,658	128,999	102,005	186,681
British Columbia.....	188,778	203,068	182,424	158,406	129,761	227,754
Yukon Territory.....	2,124	1,848	1,437	1,017	1,116	2,339
Northwest Territories.....	5,232	4,051	2,921	2,454	2,470	4,475
Canada.....	2,197,387	2,300,857	2,093,513	1,837,725	1,461,298	2,483,491
	35-44 Years	45-54 Years	55-64 Years	65-69 Years	70+ Years	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Newfoundland.....	49,027	43,867	28,665	10,261	18,911	493,396
Prince Edward Island.....	10,912	10,846	8,357	3,595	8,094	108,535
Nova Scotia.....	84,118	81,138	57,838	21,642	45,637	756,039
New Brunswick.....	66,697	60,595	44,020	16,623	33,695	616,788
Quebec.....	730,872	565,813	395,465	133,813	217,841	5,780,845
Ontario.....	941,974	744,385	537,453	199,206	368,516	6,960,870
Manitoba.....	117,065	106,752	79,005	28,668	60,190	963,066
Saskatchewan.....	110,413	103,270	76,617	27,264	61,618	955,344
Alberta.....	184,532	145,224	100,986	35,195	68,815	1,463,203
British Columbia.....	242,415	213,059	149,343	54,902	123,764	1,873,674
Yukon Territory.....	2,016	1,240	732	216	297	14,382
Northwest Territories.....	3,131	1,990	1,229	324	461	28,738
Canada.....	2,543,172	2,078,179	1,479,710	531,709	1,007,839	20,014,880