

5.41 Age-specific fertility rate and gross reproduction rate per 1,000 women, 1926-71¹

Year and province or territory	Age group							Total fertility rate	Gross reproduction rate
	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49		
Canada									
1926	29.0	139.9	177.4	153.8	114.6	50.7	6.0	3,357	1.628
1931	29.9	137.1	175.1	145.3	103.1	44.0	5.5	3,200	1.555
1936	25.7	112.1	144.3	126.5	90.0	36.3	4.4	2,696	1.310
1941	30.7	138.4	159.8	122.3	80.0	31.6	3.7	2,832	1.377
1946	36.5	169.6	191.4	146.0	93.1	34.5	3.8	3,374	1.640
1951	48.1	188.7	198.8	144.5	86.5	30.9	3.1	3,503	1.701
1956	55.9	222.2	220.1	150.3	89.6	30.8	2.9	3,858	1.874
1961	58.2	233.6	219.2	144.9	81.1	28.5	2.4	3,840	1.868
1966	48.2	169.1	163.5	103.3	57.5	19.1	1.7	2,812	1.369
1967	45.2	161.1	151.4	91.4	50.6	15.9	1.5	2,586	1.261
1968	43.4	152.5	147.1	85.8	44.4	13.8	1.4	2,441	1.184
1969	42.7	146.5	148.6	84.2	42.1	12.3	1.1	2,388	1.162
1970	43.4	142.1	145.6	80.7	38.5	11.0	0.9	2,311	1.122
1971	40.1	134.6	142.3	77.4	33.6	9.4	0.6	2,190	1.061
1971									
Prince Edward Island	47.4	173.1	168.6	100.4	68.7	19.1	0.8	2,890	1.366
Nova Scotia	58.3	157.9	147.4	83.7	39.2	13.1	0.7	2,501	1.211
New Brunswick	56.5	169.2	164.7	84.0	44.4	14.3	0.8	2,670	1.295
Quebec	19.9	107.8	128.3	75.5	34.8	10.6	0.8	1,889	0.913
Ontario	44.3	137.2	145.9	77.4	31.2	7.8	0.4	2,221	1.078
Manitoba	55.6	148.4	162.5	87.9	41.5	11.7	1.0	2,542	1.244
Saskatchewan	51.2	174.0	165.3	89.5	42.7	13.7	1.2	2,688	1.322
Alberta	54.0	159.8	154.4	78.1	31.5	8.7	0.5	2,435	1.171
British Columbia	49.0	141.2	136.5	67.5	26.2	6.2	0.4	2,135	1.032
Yukon Territory	122.5	205.4	159.1	89.4	43.3	8.9	2.5	3,143	1.434
Northwest Territories	121.5	256.6	230.9	160.9	123.1	67.6	15.7	4,881	2.221

¹ Excludes Newfoundland.

5.42 Percentage change in death rate for each age group, by sex, 1951-71

Age group	Male		Female		Age group	Male		Female	
Under 1 year	-53.4		-55.6		50-54 years	-10.6		-29.2	
1-4 years	-57.1		-55.6		55-59 "	-9.9		-29.4	
5-9 "	-40.0		-42.9		60-64 "	-6.5		-31.7	
10-14 "	-37.5		-40.0		65-69 "	-1.1		-30.5	
15-19 "	0.0		-33.3		70-74 "	-4.8		-32.0	
20-24 "	-5.3		-40.0		75-79 "	-9.8		-34.4	
25-29 "	-16.7		-45.5		80-84 "	-12.3		-31.7	
30-34 "	-23.8		-40.0		85 years or over	-15.5		-23.0	
35-39 "	-12.0		-35.0						
40-44 "	-7.7		-30.0		All ages	-15.8		-21.8	
45-49 "	-10.9		-33.3						

5.43 Numerical and percentage distribution of deaths by age group and sex, 1961, 1966 and 1971

Age group	Distribution								
	1961			1966			1971		
	No.	%	Rate ¹	No.	%	Rate ¹	No.	%	Rate ¹
Male									
Under 1 year	7,447	9.0	30.5	5,138	5.8	25.8	3,712	4.1	19.9
1-4 years	1,154	1.4	1.3	988	1.1	1.1	679	0.7	0.9
5-9 "	672	0.8	0.6	669	0.8	0.6	641	0.7	0.6
10-14 "	527	0.6	0.6	620	0.7	0.6	589	0.6	0.5
15-19 "	840	1.0	1.2	1,212	1.4	1.3	1,489	1.6	1.4
20-24 "	969	1.2	1.7	1,324	1.5	1.8	1,697	1.9	1.8
25-29 "	895	1.1	1.5	980	1.1	1.6	1,176	1.3	1.5
30-34 "	1,041	1.3	1.6	1,054	1.2	1.7	1,090	1.2	1.6
35-39 "	1,422	1.7	2.3	1,456	1.7	2.2	1,416	1.5	2.2
40-44 "	1,916	2.3	3.4	2,146	2.4	3.4	2,310	2.5	3.6
45-49 "	2,993	3.6	5.8	3,111	3.5	5.7	3,523	3.8	5.7
50-54 "	4,242	5.1	9.6	4,855	5.5	9.7	4,839	5.3	9.3
55-59 "	5,494	6.6	15.2	6,352	7.2	15.4	6,887	7.5	14.6
60-64 "	7,028	8.5	24.0	7,911	9.0	24.0	8,755	9.5	22.9
65-69 "	8,545	10.3	35.7	9,226	10.5	36.2	10,279	11.2	34.7
70-74 "	10,582	12.8	54.0	10,549	12.0	53.1	10,663	11.6	51.9
75-79 "	10,970	13.3	81.8	11,102	12.6	79.9	11,058	12.1	79.0
80-84 "	8,635	10.4	125.1	10,006	11.4	124.0	10,182	11.1	118.8
85 years or over	7,337	8.9	208.9	9,214	10.5	213.4	10,838	11.8	198.5
Total, all ages	82,709	100.0	9.0	87,913	100.0	8.7	91,823	100.0	8.5
Female									
Under 1 year	5,493	9.4	23.7	3,822	6.2	20.2	2,644	4.0	15.1
1-4 years	844	1.4	1.0	775	1.3	0.9	551	0.8	0.8
5-9 "	405	0.7	0.4	480	0.8	0.4	424	0.7	0.4
10-14 "	278	0.5	0.3	318	0.5	0.3	365	0.6	0.3
15-19 "	322	0.6	0.5	467	0.8	0.5	579	0.9	0.6
20-24 "	342	0.6	0.6	403	0.7	0.5	559	0.9	0.6
25-29 "	418	0.7	0.7	384	0.6	0.6	485	0.7	0.6
30-34 "	562	1.0	0.9	564	0.9	0.9	565	0.9	0.9
35-39 "	880	1.5	1.4	845	1.4	1.3	815	1.2	1.3