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16.1 Pole-line and wire mileage and number of telephones in use, 1967-71

Year	Systems reporting	Route mileage	Length of wire miles	Telephones in use			Per 100 population
				Business	Residential	Total	
1967	2,057	295,532	43,959,453	2,423,308	5,935,115	8,358,423	40.5
1968	1,772	298,000	48,110,000	2,557,059	6,260,787	8,817,846	42.1
1969	1,618	297,000	53,138,000	2,719,317	6,576,731	9,296,048	43.7
1970	1,376	297,727	56,230,618	2,853,601	6,896,410	9,750,011	45.2
1971	1,171	298,235	59,199,244	2,996,276	7,272,505	10,268,781	47.3

16.2 Telephones in use, by province, 1971

Province or territory	Telephones						
	On private lines		On party lines		Extensions		Coin telephones
	Business	Residential	Business	Residential	Business	Residential	Business
Newfoundland	13,058	62,854	1,389	27,662	20,786	14,544	1,216
Prince Edward Island	3,472	13,375	327	9,980	2,592	3,273	217
Nova Scotia	26,208	139,767	1,745	43,615	18,807	36,429	3,416
New Brunswick	19,061	99,191	957	42,095	18,236	33,421	1,900
Quebec	217,475	1,279,123	8,719	299,484	195,314	348,290	24,183
Ontario	313,695	1,742,173	10,162	484,976	260,065	628,554	28,153
Manitoba	39,352	222,295	2,783	55,061	28,401	49,410	3,233
Saskatchewan	33,172	181,800	2,871	60,488	21,412	43,139	3,098
Alberta	69,349	385,091	2,386	52,714	59,771	112,930	6,221
British Columbia	95,728	363,669	3,032	275,666	73,123	152,039	7,345
Yukon Territory	1,372	1,079	155	2,474	898	388	85
Northwest Territories	2,012	3,712	307	1,032	958	599	138
Canada	833,954	4,494,129	34,833	1,355,247	700,363	1,423,016	79,205
	Private branch exchanges		WATS ¹	Centrex	Mobile	Total	Telephones per 100 population
	Business	Residential	Business	Business	Business		
Newfoundland	3,626	—	—	—	—	145,339	27.5
Prince Edward Island	2,490	—	—	—	204	35,726	31.9
Nova Scotia	24,723	—	—	5,607	58	300,375	37.9
New Brunswick	23,394	—	93	1,770	2,204	242,322	37.9
Quebec	290,479	11	731	79,520	608	2,743,937	45.4
Ontario	435,213	81	1,648	136,350	1,423	4,042,493	52.0
Manitoba	52,004	9	112	3,514	125	456,299	46.1
Saskatchewan	34,559	12	8	—	245	380,804	41.4
Alberta	100,996	—	102	1,373	4,065	794,998	48.4
British Columbia	126,363	—	165	8,724	3,151	1,109,005	49.8
Yukon Territory	980	—	—	—	62	7,493	39.4
Northwest Territories	1,107	—	—	—	125	9,990	27.8
Canada	1,095,934	113	2,859	236,858	12,270	10,268,781	47.3

¹ On wide area telephone service lines.

16.3 Local and long-distance calls, calls per capita and average calls per telephone, 1967-71

Year	Local calls '000	Long-distance calls '000	Total calls '000	Calls per capita	Average calls per telephone		
					Local	Long-distance	Total
1967	13,053,115	357,414	13,410,529	650	1,562	42.7	1,605
1968	13,993,601	388,007	14,381,608	687	1,587	44.0	1,631
1969	14,596,659	434,292	15,030,951	707	1,570	47.0	1,617
1970	15,436,847	458,397	15,895,244	737	1,583	47.0	1,630
1971	16,439,365	495,454	16,934,819	779	1,601	48.0	1,649