

4.16 Mother tongues of the population, 1961 and 1971, and language most often spoken in the home, 1971 (concluded)

Language group	Language first spoken and still understood				Language most often spoken in the home	
	1961		1971		1971	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Romanian	10,165	0.06	11,300	0.05	4,455	0.02
Flemish	14,304	0.08	14,240	0.07	3,190	0.01
Swedish	32,632	0.18	21,680	0.10	2,210	0.01
Norwegian	40,054	0.22	27,405	0.13	2,160	0.01
Gaelic	7,533	0.04	21,200	0.10	1,175	--
Icelandic	8,993	0.05	7,860	0.04	995	--
Welsh	3,040	0.02	3,160	0.01	370	--
Other	10,443	0.06	41,830	0.19	31,900	0.15
Total	18,238,247	100.00	21,568,310	100.00	21,568,310	100.00

4.17 Numerical and percentage distribution of English, French, and other mother tongues, by province, 1961 and 1971

Province or territory		1961				1971			
		English	French	Other	Total	English	French	Other	Total
Nfld.	No.	451,530	3,150	3,173	457,853	514,515	3,640	3,950	522,105
	%	98.6	0.7	0.7	100.0	98.5	0.7	0.8	100.0
PEI	No.	95,564	7,958	1,107	104,629	103,100	7,365	1,180	111,640
	%	91.3	7.6	1.1	100.0	92.4	6.6	1.1	100.0
NS	No.	680,233	39,568	17,206	737,007	733,555	39,335	16,075	788,960
	%	92.3	5.4	2.3	100.0	93.0	5.0	2.0	100.0
NB	No.	378,633	210,530	8,773	597,936	410,400	215,725	8,430	634,560
	%	63.3	35.2	1.5	100.0	64.7	34.0	1.3	100.0
Que.	No.	697,402	4,269,689	292,120	5,259,211	789,185	4,867,250	371,325	6,027,760
	%	13.3	81.2	5.6	100.0	13.1	80.7	6.2	100.0
Ont.	No.	4,834,623	425,302	976,167	6,236,092	5,971,570	482,040	1,249,495	7,703,105
	%	77.5	6.8	15.7	100.0	77.5	6.3	16.2	100.0
Man.	No.	584,526	60,899	276,261	921,686	662,720	60,545	264,980	988,245
	%	63.4	6.6	30.0	100.0	67.1	6.1	26.8	100.0
Sask.	No.	638,156	36,163	250,862	925,181	685,915	31,605	208,720	926,245
	%	69.0	3.9	27.1	100.0	74.1	3.4	22.5	100.0
Alta.	No.	962,319	42,276	327,349	1,331,944	1,263,935	46,500	317,440	1,627,875
	%	72.2	3.2	24.6	100.0	77.6	2.9	19.5	100.0
BC	No.	1,318,498	26,179	284,405	1,629,082	1,807,255	38,035	339,335	2,184,620
	%	80.9	1.6	17.5	100.0	82.7	1.7	15.5	100.0
YT	No.	10,869	443	3,316	14,628	15,345	450	2,595	18,385
	%	74.3	3.0	22.7	100.0	83.5	2.4	14.1	100.0
NWT	No.	8,181	994	13,823	22,998	16,305	1,160	17,335	34,810
	%	35.6	4.3	60.1	100.0	46.8	3.3	49.8	100.0
Canada	No.	10,660,534	5,123,151	2,454,562	18,238,247	12,973,810	5,793,650	2,800,850	21,568,310
	%	58.5	28.1	13.5	100.0	60.2	26.9	13.0	100.0

4.18 Numerical and percentage distribution of the population speaking one or both of the official languages, by province, 1961 and 1971

Year and province or territory	English only		French only		English and French		Neither English nor French	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
1961								
Newfoundland	450,945	98.5	522	0.1	5,299	1.2	1,087	0.2
Prince Edward Island	95,296	91.1	1,219	1.2	7,938	7.6	176	0.2
Nova Scotia	684,805	92.9	5,938	0.8	44,987	6.1	1,277	0.2
New Brunswick	370,922	62.0	112,054	18.7	113,495	19.0	1,465	0.2
Quebec	608,635	11.6	3,254,850	61.9	1,338,878	25.5	56,848	1.1
Ontario	5,548,766	89.0	95,236	1.5	493,270	7.9	98,820	1.6
Manitoba	825,955	89.6	7,954	0.9	68,368	7.4	19,409	2.1
Saskatchewan	865,821	93.6	3,853	0.4	42,074	4.5	13,433	1.5
Alberta	1,253,824	94.1	5,534	0.4	56,920	4.3	15,666	1.2
British Columbia	1,552,560	95.3	2,559	0.2	57,504	3.5	16,459	1.0
Yukon Territory	13,679	93.5	38	0.3	825	5.6	86	0.6
Northwest Territories	13,554	58.9	109	0.5	1,614	7.0	7,721	33.6
Canada	12,284,762	67.4	3,489,866	19.1	2,231,172	12.2	232,447	1.3
1971								
Newfoundland	511,620	98.0	510	0.1	9,350	1.8	625	0.1
Prince Edward Island	101,820	91.2	680	0.6	9,110	8.2	30	--
Nova Scotia	730,700	92.6	4,185	0.5	53,035	6.7	1,035	0.1
New Brunswick	396,855	62.5	100,985	15.9	136,115	21.5	600	0.1
Quebec	632,515	10.5	3,668,020	60.9	1,663,790	27.6	63,445	1.1
Ontario	6,724,100	87.3	92,840	1.2	716,065	9.3	170,090	2.2
Manitoba	881,715	89.2	5,020	0.5	80,935	8.2	20,585	2.1
Saskatchewan	867,315	93.6	1,825	0.2	45,985	5.0	11,110	1.2
Alberta	1,525,575	93.7	3,310	0.2	81,000	5.0	17,990	1.1
British Columbia	2,054,690	94.1	1,775	0.1	101,435	4.6	26,725	1.2
Yukon Territory	17,130	93.2	5	--	1,210	6.6	35	0.2
Northwest Territories	25,500	73.3	100	0.3	2,120	6.1	7,085	20.4
Canada	14,469,540	67.1	3,879,255	18.0	2,900,155	13.4	319,360	1.5