

4.68 Migrant¹ population 5 years and over, by type and locality of residence in 1966 and 1971

Locality of residence in 1966	Locality of residence in 1971				Total migrants (by residence in 1966)
	Census metro- politan areas ^a	Other urban local- ities	Rural localities ^a		
			Predom- inantly non-farm	Predom- inantly farm	
	<i>Number (thousands)</i>				
Census metropolitan areas ^a	1,220	297	202	64	1,783
Other urban localities	417	347	197	61	1,023
Rural localities ^a					
Predominantly non-farm	196	201	125	38	560
Predominantly farm	71	82	35	28	217
Outside of Canada	666	99	47	12	824
Residence in 1966 not stated	168	81	51	15	315
Total migrants (by residence in 1971)	2,738	1,107	657	218	4,720
	<i>Percentage distribution (residence in 1966)</i>				
Census metropolitan areas ^a	44.6	26.8	30.7	29.3	37.8
Other urban localities	15.2	31.4	30.0	28.1	21.7
Rural localities ^a					
Predominantly non-farm	7.1	18.1	19.1	17.3	11.9
Predominantly farm	2.6	7.6	5.3	12.9	4.6
Outside of Canada	24.3	8.9	7.1	5.4	17.4
Residence in 1966 not stated	6.1	7.3	7.8	6.9	6.7
Total migrants (by residence in 1971)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	<i>Percentage distribution (residence in 1971)</i>				
Census metropolitan areas ^a	68.4	16.6	11.3	3.6	100.0
Other urban localities	40.8	34.0	19.3	6.0	100.0
Rural localities ^a					
Predominantly non-farm	35.0	35.9	22.4	6.8	100.0
Predominantly farm	32.8	38.1	16.1	13.0	100.0
Outside of Canada	80.9	12.0	5.7	1.4	100.0
Residence in 1966 not stated	53.3	25.6	16.3	4.8	100.0
Total migrants (by residence in 1971)	58.0	23.5	13.9	4.6	100.0

¹See footnote 2, Table 4.67.

²As defined for the 1971 Census (see text in Section 4.2.1).

³Rural figures exclude a very small part of the rural population living within the fringe boundaries of census metropolitan areas. Predominantly farm localities are those municipalities in which the majority of the population live on farms (as defined in the 1971 Census of Agriculture). The converse is true of predominantly non-farm localities.

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