

#### 4.15 Marital status of the population 15 years and over, by age group and sex, 1971 (concluded)

| Age group         | Sex | Single <sup>1</sup> | Married   | Widowed | Divorced | Total      |
|-------------------|-----|---------------------|-----------|---------|----------|------------|
| 65-69 years       | M   | 31,915              | 238,045   | 22,710  | 3,380    | 296,050    |
|                   | F   | 34,595              | 178,810   | 106,945 | 3,560    | 323,910    |
|                   | T   | 66,515              | 416,855   | 129,660 | 6,940    | 619,955    |
| 70 years and over | M   | 50,980              | 323,525   | 107,525 | 3,780    | 485,810    |
|                   | F   | 68,145              | 198,245   | 368,680 | 3,570    | 638,640    |
|                   | T   | 119,125             | 521,765   | 476,200 | 7,350    | 1,124,445  |
| Total             | M   | 2,377,645           | 4,888,760 | 191,125 | 74,355   | 7,531,890  |
|                   | F   | 1,913,025           | 4,888,845 | 752,895 | 100,760  | 7,655,525  |
|                   | T   | 4,290,675           | 9,777,605 | 944,025 | 175,115  | 15,187,415 |

<sup>1</sup>The total number of single persons of all ages (including those under 15) amounted to 10,671,575, comprising 5,641,130 males and 5,030,445 females.

#### 4.16 Population by mother tongue, 1961 and 1971, and language most often spoken in the home, 1971

| Language                | Mother tongue |        |            |        | Language most often spoken in the home |        |
|-------------------------|---------------|--------|------------|--------|--|--------|
|                         | 1961          |        | 1971       |        | 1971                                   |        |
|                         | No.           | %      | No.        | %      | No.                                    | %      |
| English                 | 10,660,534    | 58.45  | 12,973,810 | 60.15  | 14,446,235                             | 66.97  |
| French                  | 5,123,151     | 28.09  | 5,793,650  | 26.86  | 5,546,025                              | 25.71  |
| Italian                 | 339,626       | 1.86   | 538,360    | 2.50   | 425,235                                | 1.97   |
| German                  | 563,713       | 3.09   | 561,085    | 2.60   | 213,350                                | 0.99   |
| Ukrainian               | 361,496       | 1.98   | 309,855    | 1.44   | 144,760                                | 0.67   |
| Indian and Eskimo       | 166,531       | 0.91   | 179,820    | 0.83   | 137,285                                | 0.64   |
| Greek                   | 40,455        | 0.22   | 104,455    | 0.48   | 86,830                                 | 0.40   |
| Chinese                 | 49,099        | 0.27   | 94,855     | 0.44   | 77,890                                 | 0.36   |
| Portuguese              | 18,213        | 0.10   | 86,925     | 0.40   | 74,765                                 | 0.35   |
| Polish                  | 161,720       | 0.89   | 134,780    | 0.62   | 70,960                                 | 0.33   |
| Magyar (Hungarian)      | 85,939        | 0.47   | 86,835     | 0.40   | 50,670                                 | 0.23   |
| Netherlands             | 170,177       | 0.93   | 144,925    | 0.67   | 36,170                                 | 0.17   |
| Croatian, Serbian, etc. | 28,866        | 0.16   | 74,190     | 0.34   | 29,310                                 | 0.13   |
| Yiddish                 | 82,448        | 0.45   | 49,890     | 0.23   | 26,330                                 | 0.12   |
| Czech and Slovak        | 51,423        | 0.28   | 45,150     | 0.21   | 24,555                                 | 0.11   |
| Indo-Pakistani          | 4,505         | 0.02   | 32,555     | 0.15   | 23,110                                 | 0.11   |
| Finnish                 | 44,785        | 0.25   | 36,725     | 0.17   | 18,280                                 | 0.08   |
| Spanish                 | 6,720         | 0.04   | 23,815     | 0.11   | 17,710                                 | 0.08   |
| Arabic (incl. Syrian)   | 12,999        | 0.07   | 28,550     | 0.13   | 15,260                                 | 0.07   |
| Russian                 | 42,903        | 0.24   | 31,745     | 0.15   | 12,590                                 | 0.06   |
| Japanese                | 17,856        | 0.10   | 16,890     | 0.08   | 10,500                                 | 0.05   |
| Estonian                | 13,830        | 0.08   | 14,520     | 0.07   | 10,110                                 | 0.05   |
| Lithuanian              | 14,997        | 0.08   | 14,725     | 0.07   | 9,985                                  | 0.05   |
| Lettish                 | 14,062        | 0.08   | 14,140     | 0.07   | 9,250                                  | 0.04   |
| Danish                  | 35,035        | 0.19   | 27,395     | 0.13   | 4,690                                  | 0.02   |
| 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     |