

4.11 Number and percentage of the population classified as urban, and rural by non-farm and farm, by province, 1976

Province or territory	Urban		Rural				Total population No.		
	No.	%	Non-farm No.	%	Farm No.	%			
Newfoundland	328,270	58.9	228,365	40.9	1,095	0.2	229,460	41.1	557,725
Prince Edward Island	43,880	37.1	62,155	52.6	12,190	10.3	74,345	62.9	118,230
Nova Scotia	462,590	55.8	353,815	42.7	12,170	1.5	365,985	44.2	828,570
New Brunswick	354,420	52.3	311,150	46.0	11,685	1.7	322,835	47.7	677,250
Quebec	4,932,755	79.1	1,110,580	17.8	191,110	3.1	1,301,690	20.9	6,234,445
Ontario	6,708,520	81.2	1,276,890	15.4	279,055	3.4	1,555,945	18.8	8,264,465
Manitoba	714,480	69.9	205,570	20.2	101,455	9.9	307,025	30.1	1,021,510
Saskatchewan	511,330	55.5	217,425	23.6	192,570	20.9	409,995	44.5	921,325
Alberta	1,379,165	75.0	269,225	14.7	189,650	10.3	458,875	25.0	1,838,035
British Columbia	1,897,085	76.9	525,950	21.3	43,575	1.8	569,525	23.1	2,466,605
Yukon Territory	13,310	61.0	8,525	39.0	—	—	8,525	39.0	21,835
Northwest Territories	21,165	49.7	21,435	50.3	10	—	21,445	50.3	42,610
Canada	17,366,970	75.5	4,591,070	20.0	1,034,560	4.5	5,625,630	24.5	22,992,605

4.12 Sex distribution of the population, by province, 1976 and sex ratios, 1966, 1971 and 1976

Province or territory	Population, 1976		Males to 100 females		
	Male	Female	1966	1971	1976
Newfoundland	283,385	274,340	104	104	103
Prince Edward Island	59,325	58,900	103	101	101
Nova Scotia	414,150	414,420	101	101	100
New Brunswick	339,335	337,915	101	101	100
Quebec	3,084,645	3,149,800	100	99	98
Ontario	4,096,865	4,167,600	100	99	98
Manitoba	508,010	513,495	101	100	99
Saskatchewan	464,770	456,550	105	103	102
Alberta	932,370	905,670	104	103	103
British Columbia	1,232,510	1,234,095	103	101	100
Yukon Territory	11,705	10,135	119	117	115
Northwest Territories	22,450	20,160	118	111	111
Canada	11,449,525	11,543,080	101	100	99

4.13 Age distribution of the population, 1966, 1971 and 1976

Age group	Number			Percentage		
	1966	1971	1976	1966	1971	1976
0-4 years	2,197,387	1,816,155	1,731,995	11.0	8.4	7.5
5-9 "	2,300,857	2,254,005	1,887,805	11.5	10.4	8.2
10-14 "	2,093,513	2,310,740	2,276,375	10.5	10.7	9.9
15-19 "	1,837,725	2,114,345	2,345,255	9.2	9.8	10.3
20-24 "	1,461,298	1,889,400	2,133,805	7.3	8.8	9.3
25-29 "	1,241,794	1,584,125	1,993,060	6.2	7.3	8.7
30-34 "	1,241,697	1,305,425	1,627,485	6.2	6.1	7.1
35-39 "	1,286,144	1,263,870	1,328,790	6.4	5.9	5.8
40-44 "	1,257,028	1,262,530	1,268,220	6.3	5.9	5.5
45-49 "	1,089,915	1,239,040	1,252,845	5.4	5.7	5.4
50-54 "	988,264	1,052,540	1,220,180	4.9	4.9	5.3
55-59 "	816,300	954,725	1,019,035	4.1	4.4	4.4
60-64 "	663,410	777,020	905,400	3.3	3.6	3.9
65-69 "	531,709	619,960	720,815	2.7	2.9	3.1
70-74 "	427,207	457,380	533,725	2.1	2.1	2.3
75-79 "	300,365	325,510	362,705	1.5	1.5	1.6
80-84 "	177,319	204,170	220,560	0.9	0.9	1.0
85-89 "	76,790	100,010	112,380	0.4	0.5	0.5
90 years and over	26,158	37,380	52,160	0.1	0.2	0.2
Total	20,014,880	21,568,310	22,992,605	100.0	100.0	100.0

4.14 Estimated population by age group and sex, by province, as at June 1, 1976^a (thousands)

Province or territory	Age group and sex							
	0-4 years		5-9 years		10-14 years		15-19 years	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Newfoundland	29.7	28.1	32.1	30.8	34.3	32.7	32.1	30.6
Prince Edward Island	5.0	4.6	5.4	5.1	6.8	6.3	6.5	6.4
Nova Scotia	33.7	31.9	36.9	34.9	44.1	42.2	44.6	42.1
New Brunswick	29.7	28.5	31.7	29.8	37.6	35.8	38.0	35.8
Quebec	227.3	215.4	248.6	237.0	318.7	303.4	338.4	327.9
Ontario	311.7	295.5	342.0	325.8	409.3	389.5	412.7	395.3
Manitoba	42.5	39.8	43.3	41.6	49.8	48.0	51.0	49.3
Saskatchewan	38.0	36.7	39.9	38.1	48.6	46.8	49.4	47.5
Alberta	78.4	74.6	83.5	79.5	95.6	91.6	99.0	94.3
British Columbia	88.6	84.6	99.2	94.8	116.2	111.7	121.0	116.9
Yukon Territory	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0
Northwest Territories	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.1
Canada	886.6	843.4	966.7	921.1	1,164.6	1,111.7	1,196.0	1,149.3