

3.7 Number of municipalities classified by type and size group, by province, as at Jan. 1, 1977 and 1978

Year, type and size group	Nfld.	PEI	NS	NB	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	BC	YT	NWT	Canada
1977													
TYPE													
Regional municipalities	—	—	—	—	75	39	—	—	—	28	—	—	142
Metropolitan and regional municipalities ¹	—	—	—	—	3	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	15
Counties and regional districts	—	—	—	—	72	27	—	—	—	28	—	—	127
Unitary municipalities	129	36	65	112	1,496	784	185	783	327	140	3	7	4,067
Cities ²	2	1	3	6	66	45	5	11	10	33	2	1	185
Towns	127 ³	8	38	21	193	144	35	135	102	10	1	4	818
Villages	—	27	—	85	241	120	40	344	167	59	—	2	1,085
Rural municipalities ⁴	—	—	24	—	996	475	105	293	48	38	—	—	1,979
Quasi-municipalities ⁵	171	—	—	—	—	13	17	7	22	269	4	10	513
Total	300	36	65	112	1,571	836	202	790	349	437	7	17	4,722
POPULATION SIZE GROUP (1976 Census)													
Unitary municipalities	—	—	1	—	4	17	1	2	2	3	—	—	30
Over 100,000	1	—	2	2	17	14	—	—	—	9	—	—	45
50,000-99,999	5	1	17	5	71	76	3	6	14	26	1	—	226
10,000-49,999	123	35	45	105	1,404	677	181	775	311	102	2	7	3,766
Under 10,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	129	36	65	112	1,496	784	185	783	327	140	3	7	4,067
1978													
TYPE													
Regional municipalities	—	—	—	—	75	39	—	—	—	28	—	—	142
Metropolitan and regional municipalities ¹	—	—	—	—	3	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	15
Counties and regional districts	—	—	—	—	72	27	—	—	—	28	—	—	127
Unitary municipalities	133	37	65	112	1,502	785	185	791	330	140	3	7	4,090
Cities ²	2	1	3	6	66	45	5	11	10	33	2	1	185
Towns	131	8	38	21	192	144	35	135	104	11	1	4	824
Villages	—	28	—	85	240	120	40	346	168	58	—	2	1,087
Rural municipalities ⁴	—	—	24	—	1,004	476	105	299	48	38	—	—	1,994
Quasi-municipalities ⁵	174	—	—	—	—	13	17	—	21	269	4	10	508
Total	307	37	65	112	1,577	837	202	791	351	437	7	17	4,740
POPULATION SIZE GROUP (1976 Census)													
Unitary municipalities	—	—	1	—	4	17	1	2	2	3	—	—	30
Over 100,000	1	—	2	2	17	14	—	—	—	9	—	—	45
50,000-99,999	5	1	17	5	71	76	3	6	14	26	1	—	225
10,000-49,999	127	36	45	105	1,410	678	181	783	314	102	2	7	3,790
Under 10,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	133	37	65	112	1,502	785	185	791	330	140	3	7	4,090

¹Includes urban communities in Quebec; and Metropolitan Toronto, regional municipalities and the district municipality in Ontario.

²Includes the five boroughs of Metropolitan Toronto.

³Includes 11 rural districts.

⁴Includes municipalities in Nova Scotia; parishes, townships, united townships and municipalities in Quebec; townships in Ontario; rural municipalities in Manitoba and Saskatchewan; municipal districts and counties in Alberta; and districts in British Columbia.

⁵Includes local government communities, local improvement districts and the metropolitan area in Newfoundland; improvement districts in Ontario and Alberta; local government districts in Manitoba; local improvement districts in Saskatchewan, British Columbia and Yukon; and hamlets in Northwest Territories.

3.8 Federal government, employees of general government by location and sex, 1977 and 1978

Location	September 1977			September 1978		
	Male	Female	Total ¹	Male	Female	Total ¹
St. John's, Nfld.	2,203	599	2,802	2,272	655	2,927
Halifax, NS	9,094	2,817	11,911	8,770	2,519	11,289
Saint John, NB	1,048	383	1,431	1,066	394	1,460
Quebec, Que.	5,723	1,838	7,561	5,743	1,915	7,658
Montreal, Que.	19,645	7,717	27,362	19,401	7,318	26,719
Chicoutimi-Jonquière, Que.	290	67	357	301	76	377
Ottawa, Ont.—Hull, Que.	43,327	31,519	74,847	42,637	31,434	74,071
Toronto, Ont.	16,947	8,483	25,430	16,968	9,104	26,072
London, Ont.	1,804	861	2,665	1,778	884	2,662
Hamilton, Ont.	2,036	985	3,021	2,080	1,017	3,097
Windsor, Ont.	1,039	499	1,538	1,028	509	1,537
Kitchener-Waterloo, Ont.	975	440	1,415	968	454	1,422