

16.5 Financial statistics of telephone systems, by province, 1977 and 1978

Year and province or territory	Capital stock ¹ \$'000	Cost of plant \$'000	Revenue \$'000	Expenditure \$'000	Full-time employees	Salaries and wages ² \$'000
1977						
Newfoundland	59,609	212,817	62,175	53,582	1,291	17,831
Prince Edward Island	14,890	51,896	14,351	12,497	311	4,125
Nova Scotia	128,079	461,614	131,042	114,802	3,493	47,852
New Brunswick	92,437	379,540	112,664	87,719	2,641	38,177
Quebec ³	2,081,375	8,409,836	2,313,734	2,067,827	20,648	364,382
Ontario	81,925	165,848	52,496	35,592	27,661	445,466
Manitoba	—	603,156	150,401	143,912	4,583	70,554
Saskatchewan	15,942	581,769	142,512	124,711	3,853	59,267
Alberta	2	1,759,056	452,932	443,192	11,185	196,904
British Columbia	406,423	1,906,066	530,007	483,490	11,865	201,394
Northwest Territories	—	—	—	—	15	602
Total	2,880,682	14,531,598	3,962,314	3,577,324	87,546	1,446,585
1978						
Newfoundland	70,212	234,345	72,826	62,861	1,407	20,325
Prince Edward Island	15,019	57,585	16,629	14,324	310	4,580
Nova Scotia	128,464	500,099	150,297	131,390	3,517	52,049
New Brunswick	93,004	411,470	125,473	109,624	2,686	41,536
Quebec ³	2,301,350	9,207,891	2,697,687	2,389,331	21,582	396,889
Ontario	87,278	180,845	58,800	39,635	30,332	513,627
Manitoba	—	657,019	171,139	170,310	4,374	74,847
Saskatchewan	11,929	661,196	169,633	150,232	4,014	67,640
Alberta	2	2,000,108	542,630	518,080	11,587	219,098
British Columbia	487,504	2,119,438	578,274	526,510	13,044	238,676
Northwest Territories	—	—	—	—	20	848
Total	3,194,762	16,029,996	4,583,388	4,112,297	92,873	1,630,115

¹Includes premium on capital stock.²Full-time and part-time.³Includes data of Bell Canada which operates in Quebec, Ontario and the Northwest Territories.

16.6 Summary statistics of Canadian telecommunications, 1973-78

Year	Operating revenues \$'000	Operating expenses \$'000	Net operating revenue \$'000	Pole-line length km	Wire length km	Em- ployees ¹	Telegrams '000	Cable-grams ² '000	Money transfers \$'000
1973	190,703	140,114	50,588	60 416	1 214 424	7,047	3,454	7,412	41,944
1974	230,078	172,554	57,524	57 594	1 203 894	7,163	3,743	7,292	55,305
1975	259,059	193,811	65,249	51 744	1 235 347	7,162	4,115	8,016	81,798
1976	278,311	213,749	64,562	49 085	1 309 636	6,973	2,747	9,295	63,033
1977	302,083	226,314	75,770	45 936	1 363 186	6,863	2,312	11,337	58,672
1978	348,326	263,270	85,056	42 846	1 411 970	7,150	2,225	11,213	65,347

¹Excludes commission operators.²Includes wireless messages and transatlantic telex messages.