

TABLES

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3.1 Life expectancy, Canada

Year	Males				Females			
	At birth	20 years	40 years	60 years	At birth	20 years	40 years	60 years
1931	60.00	49.05	31.98	16.29	62.10	49.76	33.02	17.15
1941	62.96	49.57	31.87	16.06	66.30	51.76	33.99	17.62
1951	66.33	50.76	32.45	16.49	70.83	54.41	35.63	18.64
1956	67.61	51.19	32.74	16.54	72.92	55.80	36.69	19.34
1961	68.35	51.51	32.96	16.73	74.17	56.65	37.45	19.90
1966	68.75	51.50	33.01	16.81	75.18	57.37	38.15	20.58
1971	69.34	51.71	33.22	16.95	76.36	58.18	38.99	21.39
1976	70.19	52.09	33.59	17.23	77.48	58.95	39.67	21.96
1981	71.88	53.39	34.72	17.96	78.98	60.08	40.73	22.85
Gains (1931-76)	10.19	3.04	1.61	0.94	15.38	9.19	6.65	4.81
(1931-81)	11.88	4.34	2.74	1.67	16.88	10.32	7.71	5.70

3.2 Life expectancy at birth, selected countries

Country	Year	Males (M) years	Females (F) years	Difference F - M
Japan	1981	73.39	79.13	5.74
Sweden	1981	73.05	79.08	6.03
Switzerland	1977-78	72.00	78.70	6.70
Netherlands	1980	72.40	79.20	6.80
Denmark	1980-81	71.10	77.20	6.10
France	1978-80	70.05	78.20	8.15
Canada	1980-82	71.88	78.98	7.10
Spain	1975	70.41	76.21	5.80
Australia	1981	71.38	78.42	7.04
Israel	1981	72.70	75.81	3.21
United States	1979	69.90	77.80	7.90
England and Wales	1978-80	70.40	76.60	6.20
Cuba	1977-78	71.45	74.91	3.46
Italy	1974-77	69.69	75.91	6.22
Poland	1981	67.10	75.24	8.14
Portugal	1975	65.09	72.86	7.77