

### 1.—Population of Canada by Provinces and Territories in the Census Years 1871 to 1931.<sup>1</sup>

Province or Territory.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1931.
Prince Edward Island.....	94,021	108,991	109,078	103,269	93,728	88,615	88,038
Nova Scotia.....	387,800	440,572	450,396	459,574	492,338	523,837	512,846
New Brunswick.....	285,594	321,238	321,263	331,120	351,889	387,876	408,219
Quebec.....	1,191,516	1,359,027	1,488,535	1,648,898	2,005,776 <sup>2</sup>	2,360,665 <sup>3</sup>	2,874,255
Ontario.....	1,620,851	1,926,922	2,114,321	2,182,947	2,527,292 <sup>2</sup>	2,933,662	3,431,683
Manitoba.....	25,228	62,260	152,506	255,211	461,394 <sup>2</sup>	610,118	700,139
Saskatchewan.....	-	-	-	91,279	492,432	757,510	921,785
Alberta.....	-	-	-	73,022	374,295 <sup>3</sup>	588,454	731,605
British Columbia.....	36,247	49,459	98,173	178,657	392,480	524,582	694,263
Yukon Territory.....	-	-	-	27,219	8,512	4,157	4,230
Northwest Territories <sup>4</sup> .....	48,000	56,446	98,967	20,129	6,507 <sup>5</sup>	7,988	7,133
Royal Canadian Navy.....	-	-	-	-	-	485	6
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>3,689,257</b>	<b>4,324,810</b>	<b>4,833,239</b>	<b>5,371,315</b>	<b>7,206,643</b>	<b>8,787,949<sup>6</sup></b>	<b>10,374,196</b>

### 2.—Percentage Distribution of Canadian Population, by Provinces and Territories, 1871 to 1931.

Province or Territory.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1921.	1931.
	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.
Prince Edward Island.....	2.55	2.52	2.25	1.92	1.30	1.01	0.85
Nova Scotia.....	10.51	10.19	9.32	8.56	6.83	5.96	4.94
New Brunswick.....	7.74	7.43	6.85	6.16	4.88	4.41	3.93
Quebec.....	32.30	31.42	30.80	30.70	27.82	26.86	27.71
Ontario.....	43.94	44.56	43.74	40.64	35.07	33.39	33.08
Manitoba.....	0.68	1.44	3.16	4.75	6.40	6.94	6.75
Saskatchewan.....	-	-	-	1.70	6.84	8.62	8.88
Alberta.....	-	-	-	1.36	5.19	6.70	7.05
British Columbia.....	0.98	1.14	2.03	3.33	5.45	5.97	6.70
Yukon Territory.....	-	-	-	0.51	0.12	0.05	0.04
Northwest Territories <sup>4</sup> .....	1.30	1.30	2.05	0.37	0.09	0.09	0.07
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### 3.—Population of Canada, by Provinces and Territories, in 1871 and 1931, Numerical Increase in each Decade from 1871 to 1931 and Total Increase.

Province or Territory.	Popula- tion in 1871.	Increase in each Decade from 1871 to 1931.						Popula- tion in 1931.	Increase, 1871 to 1931.
		1871 to 1881.	1881 to 1891.	1891 to 1901.	1901 to 1911.	1911 to 1921.	1921 to 1931.		
		P.E.I.....	94,021	14,870	187	-5,819	-9,531		
N.S.....	387,800	52,772	9,824	9,178	32,764	31,499	-10,991	512,846	125,046
N.B.....	285,594	35,639	30	9,857	20,769	35,987	20,343	408,219	122,625
Que.....	1,191,516	167,511	129,508	160,363	356,878	354,889	513,590	2,874,255	1,682,739
Ont.....	1,620,851	306,071	187,399	68,626	344,345	406,370	498,021	3,431,683	1,810,832
Man.....	25,228	37,032	90,246	102,705	206,183	148,724	90,021	700,139	674,911
Sask.....	-	-	-	91,279	401,158	265,078	164,275	921,785	921,785
Alta.....	-	-	-	73,022	301,273	214,156	143,151	731,605	731,605
B.C.....	36,247	13,212	48,714	80,484	213,823	132,102	169,681	694,263	658,016
Yukon.....	-	-	-	27,219	-18,707	-4,355	73	4,230	4,230
N.W.T. <sup>4</sup> .....	48,000	8,446	42,521	-78,838	-13,622	1,481	-855	7,133	-40,367
Royal Cdn. Navy.....	-	-	-	-	-	485	-	6	-
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>3,689,257</b>	<b>635,533</b>	<b>508,429</b>	<b>538,076</b>	<b>1,835,328</b>	<b>1,581,306<sup>5</sup></b>	<b>1,586,247</b>	<b>10,374,196</b>	<b>6,684,939</b>

<sup>1</sup>The population of the Prairie Provinces in 1906, 1916 and 1926 is shown on pp. 127-128 of the 1930 Year Book. For intercensal estimated populations, see Table 13, p. 113. <sup>2</sup>As corrected as a result of the Extension of Boundaries Act, 1912. <sup>3</sup>As corrected by transfer of population of Fort Smith (368) to Northwest Territories. <sup>4</sup>The decreases shown in the population of the Northwest Territories since 1891 are due to the separation therefrom of vast areas to form Alberta, Saskatchewan and the Yukon Territory, and to extend the boundaries of Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba. <sup>5</sup>Revised in accordance with the Labrador award of the Privy Council, Mar. 1, 1927. <sup>6</sup>Members of the Royal Canadian Navy were counted in their homes in the census of 1931.