

The density of telephones in the different provinces is influenced by the urbanization of the population because the number of telephones used for business purposes is much greater in cities and towns than in rural areas.

4.—Telephones in Use, by Province, 1951

Province or Territory	On Individual Lines		On 2- and 4-Party Lines		On Rural Lines		Private Branch Exchanges and Extensions		Public Pay Stations	Total	Tele-phones per 100 Population
	Busi-ness	Resi-dence	Busi-ness	Resi-dence	Busi-ness	Resi-dence	Busi-ness	Resi-dence			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Nfld....	3,967	3,361	37	8,803	24	545	4,160	1,397	266	22,560	6.2
P.E.I....	1,359	1,323	236	3,323	358	3,814	1,290	383	70	12,153	12.4
N.S.....	10,938	25,928	905	35,743	2,015	19,645	14,154	6,294	1,319	116,941	18.2
N.B.....	6,806	13,067	1,199	25,744	1,761	14,682	11,110	3,474	1,078	78,921	15.3
Que.....	80,140	105,790	11,915	310,766	15,511	65,732	141,674	29,745	18,800	780,073	19.2
Ont.....	122,714	169,692	15,182	535,101	11,091	165,494	222,832	76,201	18,158	1,336,465	29.1
Man.....	16,767	48,969	257	37,968	4,063	23,058	24,032	5,613	2,631	163,358	21.0
Sask.....	17,904	49,432	1	33	3,608	57,473	11,669	2,782	769	143,671	17.3
Alta.....	28,914	72,210	155	1,023	1,558	24,577	25,658	5,741	1,330	161,166	17.2
B.C.....	36,060	8,744	882	137,422	5,292	46,799	51,016	9,193	2,804	298,212	25.3
Yukon...	22	5	63	85	23	48	—	—	—	246	2.7
Totals..	325,588	498,521	30,832	1,096,011	45,304	421,867	507,595	140,823	47,225	3,113,766	22.2

Telephone Finances and Calls Served.—The steady increases in capitalization, revenue and expenditure, salaries and wages and number of employees of telephone companies over the ten years 1942-51 are shown in Table 5.

5.—Financial Statistics of Telephones, 1942-51

NOTE.—Figures from 1911 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1938 edition.

Year	Capitalization		Cost of Property and Equipment	Gross Revenue	Operating Expenses	Net Operating Revenue	Salaries and Wages ^{1,2}	Em- ployees ²
	Capital Stock	Funded Debt						
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	No.
1942.....	135,034,375	165,634,194	386,164,071	87,057,252	75,221,887	11,835,365	81,580,290	20,300
1943.....	136,566,967	163,430,008	393,230,035	94,406,757	81,894,162	12,512,595	33,581,699	20,694
1944.....	137,719,691	161,307,878	401,862,799	101,082,353	87,739,283	13,343,070	37,261,134	21,978
1945.....	138,680,893	153,934,250	418,434,346	109,899,862	96,417,884	13,481,978	41,830,117	25,599
1946.....	158,430,612	156,099,974	454,214,793	120,675,038	105,750,974	14,924,064	54,147,432	33,170
1947.....	183,469,710	171,810,793	521,183,575	134,666,857	116,623,149	18,043,708	66,623,983	35,578
1948.....	194,465,399	238,762,614	615,941,540	150,533,349	131,570,434	18,962,915	77,497,980	38,851
1949.....	229,208,219	280,736,941	716,519,781	169,113,048	153,066,308	16,046,740	90,634,477	42,326
1950.....	274,088,405	300,765,453	806,826,198	198,823,483	178,193,661	20,629,822	102,093,078	45,396
1951.....	286,003,119	360,533,546	909,581,399	240,762,657	213,824,471	26,938,186	117,677,652	47,387

¹ Includes salaries and wages charged to capital account.

² Excludes rural lines in Saskatchewan.