

6.4 Percentage distribution of families by major source of income within income quintiles, selected years, 1951-71 (concluded)

Major sources of income within quintiles ¹	1951	1957	1961	1967	1971
Middle quintile					
Wages and salaries	91.8	91.6	91.3	92.0	93.1
Net income from self-employment	7.2	7.5	7.0	6.0	3.9
Transfer payments	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.3
Investment income	0.5	0.5	1.0	0.7	1.3
Miscellaneous income	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.7	1.4
Second-highest quintile					
Wages and salaries	92.4	92.0	92.1	93.8	94.7
Net income from self-employment	6.9	6.7	6.2	4.5	2.8
Transfer payments	--	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.2
Investment income	0.5	0.4	1.2	0.8	1.4
Miscellaneous income	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.9
Highest quintile					
Wages and salaries	85.9	84.6	86.8	89.1	91.2
Net income from self-employment	11.6	13.1	10.9	8.9	5.6
Transfer payments	--	--	--	--	0.1
Investment income	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.1
Miscellaneous income	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.9
All families					
No income ²	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3
Wages and salaries	80.8	80.7	80.0	78.4	78.7
Net income from self-employment	9.4	9.6	9.0	9.7	6.3
Transfer payments	5.6	6.7	7.3	8.2	10.3
Investment income	2.3	1.4	1.7	1.7	2.2
Miscellaneous income	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.7	2.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

¹Families are arranged in ascending order of size of total income and then divided into five equal groups, or quintiles.

²These are families who either immigrated in the survey year so that they had no income from Canadian sources in the previous year or were formed during the survey year and had no cash income of their own in the previous year.

6.5 Percentage distribution of families by income group, by province, 1971

Income group	Nfld.	PEI	NS	NB	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	BC	Canada	
Under \$1,000	1.8	1.9	1.6	1.9	2.3	2.0	2.0	3.3	3.2	1.5	2.2	
\$ 1,000-\$ 1,999	5.4	3.9	2.6	3.8	2.4	1.8	3.6	5.7	2.9	1.8	2.5	
2,000- 2,999	7.2	11.1	6.1	5.9	4.4	3.2	5.1	7.8	5.1	3.7	4.3	
3,000- 3,999	12.3	13.9	10.7	9.3	6.5	4.1	8.2	11.0	6.3	6.7	6.3	
4,000- 4,999	9.6	13.0	9.4	9.2	6.1	3.6	5.5	7.2	5.1	4.1	5.2	
5,000- 5,999	9.5	8.7	9.1	8.1	6.4	5.2	8.2	8.5	5.3	4.3	6.0	
6,000- 6,999	7.7	8.2	8.0	8.0	7.8	4.9	7.3	7.2	6.5	4.5	6.2	
7,000- 7,999	8.8	6.9	8.7	9.4	8.1	5.9	7.5	8.0	6.1	6.0	6.9	
8,000- 8,999	7.5	8.1	7.7	8.5	8.5	7.5	8.3	7.1	7.3	8.5	7.9	
9,000- 9,999	6.2	9.0	7.3	6.2	7.5	7.4	6.7	5.9	7.2	6.9	7.2	
10,000- 11,999	10.0	6.9	11.3	10.7	13.1	15.6	12.4	10.7	12.7	16.1	14.0	
12,000- 14,999	7.7	4.8	9.2	9.3	12.0	16.9	13.6	9.1	15.6	16.2	14.2	
15,000- 24,999	5.3	3.1	7.2	8.8	12.1	18.1	9.7	7.6	14.1	16.5	14.2	
25,000 and over	1.2	0.4	1.2	0.9	2.7	3.6	1.8	0.9	2.7	3.4	2.9	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Average income \$	7,470	6,750	8,132	8,239	9,919	11,483	9,216	7,776	10,221	11,212	10,368	
Median income \$	6,556	5,491	7,295	7,405	8,706	10,546	8,310	6,886	9,332	10,269	9,347	
Sample size	No.	1,161	244	1,694	1,259	3,848	4,814	1,089	1,191	1,723	1,988	19,011
Estimated families '000		104	23	177	137	1,378	1,902	238	216	388	545	5,107

6.6 Percentage distribution of families by income group, age and sex of head, 1971

Income group	Age group								Total
	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-69	70 and over		
Families with male heads									
Under \$1,000	2.2	1.9	1.4	1.6	2.2	1.6	0.4	1.7	
\$ 1,000-\$ 1,999	2.2	0.8	1.0	1.5	3.4	6.3	6.3	2.1	
2,000- 2,999	2.6	1.9	1.9	2.4	4.6	9.4	11.9	3.4	
3,000- 3,999	4.9	2.8	2.9	2.4	4.7	14.6	35.1	5.8	
4,000- 4,999	7.8	3.9	3.7	3.5	5.5	7.9	10.5	4.9	
5,000- 5,999	8.8	5.7	4.5	4.9	5.9	8.5	7.7	5.8	
6,000- 6,999	11.3	6.3	5.5	4.9	6.0	9.3	5.2	6.2	
7,000- 7,999	9.9	7.6	7.0	6.0	7.3	6.6	3.6	6.9	
8,000- 8,999	10.3	11.1	7.9	7.3	6.7	6.7	2.9	8.1	
9,000- 9,999	10.5	9.1	7.5	6.6	6.9	3.5	3.5	7.4	