

The growth of Canadian cities with populations of over 30,000 in 1951, together with the dates of incorporation as cities, is shown in Table 3. All incorporated cities, towns and villages having populations of 1,000 or over in 1951 are listed in Table 6.

3.—Incorporated Cities with Populations of Over 30,000 at the 1951 Census and Comparable Data for 1941

NOTE.—Incorporated cities in which a Board of Trade exists are indicated by an asterisk (*), and those in which there is a Chamber of Commerce by a dagger (†).

City and Province	Year of Incorporation as City	Populations		City and Province	Year of Incorporation as City	Populations	
		1941	1951			1941	1951
		No.	No.			No.	No.
*Brantford, Ont.....	1877	31,948	36,727	*Regina, Sask.....	1903	58,245	71,319
*Calgary, Alta.....	1893	88,904	129,060	†St. Catharines, Ont.....	1876	30,275	37,984
†Edmonton, Alta.....	1904	93,817	159,631	*Saint John, N.B.....	1785	51,741	50,779
†Fort William, Ont.....	1907	30,585	34,947	*St. John's, Nfld.....	1888	44,603 ¹	52,873
*Halifax, N.S.....	1841	70,488	85,589	Sarnia, Ont.....	1914	18,734	34,697
†Hamilton, Ont.....	1846	166,337	208,321	*Saskatoon, Sask.....	1906	43,027	53,268
†Hull, Que.....	1875	32,947	43,483	†Sault Ste. Marie, Ont....	1912	25,794	32,452
†Kingston, Ont.....	1846	30,126	33,459	†Sherbrooke, Que.....	1875	35,965	50,543
*Kitchener, Ont.....	1912	35,657	44,867	*Sudbury, Ont.....	1930	32,203	42,410
†London, Ont.....	1855	78,134	95,343	*Sydney, N.S.....	1904	28,305	31,317
*Montreal, Que.....	1832	903,007	1,021,520	†Three Rivers, Que.....	1857	42,007	46,074
†Oshawa, Ont.....	1924	26,813	41,545	*Toronto, Ont.....	1834	667,457	675,754
*Ottawa, Ont.....	1854	154,951	202,045	*Vancouver, B.C.....	1886	275,353	344,833
Outremont, Que.....	1915	30,751	30,057	†Verdun, Que.....	1912	67,349	77,391
†Peterborough, Ont.....	1905	25,350	38,272	†Victoria, B.C.....	1862	44,068	51,331
†Port Arthur, Ont.....	1907	24,426	31,161	†Windsor, Ont.....	1892	105,311	120,049
*Quebec, Que.....	1832	150,757	164,016	*Winnipeg, Man.....	1873	221,960	235,710

¹ Census taken by Newfoundland Government in 1945; 1941 figure not available.

Many of the larger cities of Canada have in their neighbourhoods growing 'satellite' towns or other urbanized areas in close economic and social relationship with the central city. For census purposes, metropolitan areas have been established for these centres to include the cities proper and their satellite communities. The total population of each of the census metropolitan areas in 1951, with the comparable figure from the 1941 Census covering the same area as in 1951, is shown in Table 4.

4.—Populations of Census Metropolitan Areas, 1951, compared with Populations of Same Areas in 1941

Metropolitan Area	Populations		Metropolitan Area	Populations	
	1941	1951		1941	1951
	No.	No.		No.	No.
Calgary, Alta.....	93,021	139,105	Saint John, N.B.....	70,927	78,337
Edmonton, Alta.....	97,842	173,075	St. John's, Nfld.....	..	67,749
Halifax, N.S.....	93,636	133,931	Toronto, Ont.....	909,928	1,117,470
Hamilton, Ont.....	197,732	259,685	Vancouver, B.C.....	377,447	530,728
London, Ont.....	91,024	121,516	Victoria, B.C.....	75,560	104,303
Montreal, Que.....	1,145,282	1,395,400	Windsor, Ont.....	123,973	157,672
Ottawa, Ont.....	226,290	281,908	Winnipeg, Man.....	299,937	354,069
Quebec, Que.....	224,756	274,827			