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Method	Mean	Standard deviation	Range
Method 1	1.2	0.5	0.5 - 2.5
Method 2	1.5	0.6	0.8 - 2.8

The results of the two methods of analysis are compared in Table 1. The mean values for the two methods are 1.2 and 1.5 respectively. The standard deviations are 0.5 and 0.6 respectively. The ranges are 0.5 - 2.5 and 0.8 - 2.8 respectively.

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I INTRODUCTION

The estimates of total households for Canada and the provinces contained in this report are based on estimates of population derived from the 1951 Census adjusted for births and deaths, immigration and emigration since then. The estimates have not yet been adjusted to the 1956 Census basis but are comparable with those contained in previous bulletins of this series. See also below, the sections on "Coverage" and "Reliability of Estimates".

In May, 1957, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics carried out a special survey of housing characteristics, and household equipment in private homes. The survey was made in conjunction with the monthly labour force survey. Over 35,000 households, chosen by area sampling methods, in 116 areas were visited. The survey is a continuation of the series begun in September, 1953, and carried out annually. Results are contained in the annual reports "Household Facilities and Equipment", for September, 1953, 1954, 1955 and 1956.

Estimates based on data obtained from the survey are presented in the following tables of this report:

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II COVERAGE

The sample for this survey is designed to include all households in Canada with certain exceptions. Excluded are: households in the Yukon and Northwest Territories; households of Indians on reserves; such collective type households as those living in hotels, large lodging houses, institutions, clubs and camps.

In the 1953 survey, certain remote and relatively inaccessible areas of Canada were not included in the estimates. Between the 1953 and 1954 surveys, the sample design was altered so that totals would include estimates for these areas in Ontario, although, for cost reasons, they were given no chance of selection for enumeration. Before the 1955 survey, the sample was again altered so that estimates were included on the same basis for the remaining areas in Quebec, the Prairie Provinces, and British Columbia. The households in the remote areas not represented in the 1953 survey amounted to about 1.0% of the Canada total, and in the 1954 survey, amounted to about 0.4%.

III DEFINITIONS

DWELLING: A dwelling is defined as a structurally separate set of living premises with private entrance from outside the building, or from a common hallway or stairway inside.

HOUSEHOLD: A person or a group of persons occupying one dwelling unit is defined as a "household". Every individual is a member of some household. The number of households will thus be equal to the number of occupied dwellings.

SINGLE DETACHED DWELLING: This type of dwelling is commonly called a single house, i.e., a house containing one dwelling unit and completely separated on all sides from any other building or structure.

SINGLE ATTACHED DWELLING: Each half of a semi-detached (or double) house, and each section of a row or terrace is defined as a "single attached" dwelling.

APARTMENTS AND FLATS: These include:

- (i) dwelling units in apartment blocks or apartment hotels;
- (ii) suites in duplexes or triplexes, i.e., where the division between dwelling units is horizontal;
- (iii) suites in structurally converted houses;
- (iv) living quarters located above, or in the rear of stores, restaurants, garages, or other business premises;
- (v) janitors' quarters in schools, churches, warehouses, etc.; and
- (vi) private quarters for superintendents in hospitals or other types of institutions.

ROOMS: In determining the number of rooms in a dwelling, only those rooms used or suitable for living purposes, including rooms occupied by servants, lodgers, or members of lodging families, are counted. The following are not counted as rooms: bathrooms, pantries, halls, clothes closets, and rooms used solely for business purposes. Summer kitchens, sun-rooms, rooms in basements or attics are not counted unless they are finished off and suitable for living quarters throughout the year. "Kitchenettes" are included if the normal kitchen functions are carried out therein and if they contain, as a minimum, cooking facilities (such as a stove or range) and a sink or tub.

MONTHLY RENT: Figures on monthly rent are based on the rent paid for the month of May, 1957.

IV RELIABILITY OF ESTIMATES

The estimates in this report are based on a sample of households and may differ from the figures that would have been obtained if a complete census had been taken using the same schedules, instructions and enumerators.

The approximate sampling variability of estimates of various sizes is shown in the table below. The chances are about 19 out of 20 that the difference between the estimate and the figures which would have been obtained from a complete census is less than the sampling variability indicated.

<u>Size of Estimate</u>	<u>Sampling Variability</u>
4,000	2,000
10,000	4,000
25,000	6,000
50,000	8,000
100,000	11,000
250,000	16,000
500,000	22,000
1,000,000	30,000

The sampling variability associated with estimates of less than 4,000 is proportionately larger than fifty per cent. In the tables, estimates which are less than 4,000 are replaced by an asterisk.

The yearly estimates of household facilities, obtained from the Labour Force sample, are subject to a sampling variability whose size, for differing estimates, is approximated in the above table.

Differences from year to year in corresponding estimates are themselves subject to a variability which is dependent on the sizes of the estimates, their inherent variability, and the interdependence of the samples used. In the Canadian Labour Force Survey the samples from year to year differ in the households enumerated and, in some cases, in the geographical areas included in the sample. The estimates as here published constitute the best 1957 estimates of the numbers of households and their characteristics. However, differences between successive years, especially for smaller provinces in matters where the change has been small are subject to substantial sampling variation. This variation could be reduced by an increase in the sample size from the one per cent here used, but it is considered that for most analyses of household facilities the accuracy here provided is adequate. It is suggested that in using this series of annual bulletins to establish year-to-year changes in household facilities the comparison be confined to percentages of households having given facilities.

In addition to the sampling variability outlined above, the data obtained from either a sample or a census will differ from the actual data because of enumerator and respondent variations. The principal elements of this nature are as follows:

1. The enumerator may misinterpret the concepts and definitions despite careful instruction.
2. The enumerator may, by chance, phrase questions which influence the answers of the respondent.
3. The respondent may, by chance, phrase answers which influence the questions by the enumerator.
4. There may be deliberate mis-statement by either enumerator or respondent.

The non-sampling error is as prevalent in a complete count as in a sample, and, in some cases, may exceed the error introduced by sampling.

Table 1. - Size of household, by rooms per dwelling, Canada, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

Number of rooms per dwelling	Total households	Number of persons per household									
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
Canada	(1) 4,055	289	893	773	780	554	321	182	103	69	91
1 room	56	41	8	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
2 rooms	142	51	49	21	10	5	*	*	*	*	*
3 "	379	58	151	77	48	23	10	5	*	*	*
4 "	807	53	224	192	167	88	42	19	9	7	6
5 "	917	34	193	186	209	142	75	34	22	11	11
6 "	863	28	149	163	192	145	83	48	25	13	17
7 "	434	13	59	69	82	75	52	36	16	14	18
8 "	246	5	36	36	42	42	30	19	12	10	14
9 "	114	*	14	15	17	18	15	10	6	5	11
10+ "	97	*	10	12	11	14	11	9	9	6	12

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 2. - Size of household, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Number of persons per household									
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
Canada	(1) 4,055	289	893	773	780	554	321	182	103	69	91
Nfld.	87	*	12	12	15	14	10	6	5	5	5
P.E.I.	24	*	4	4	4	*	*	*	*	*	*
N.S.	167	12	34	32	31	24	14	9	5	*	*
N.B.	131	6	21	25	23	17	12	9	6	5	7
Que.	1,067	46	202	192	192	153	102	63	39	28	50
Ont.	1,410	93	328	292	292	187	104	54	28	18	14
Man.	231	24	50	44	47	27	19	9	5	*	*
Sask.	243	28	59	46	45	30	18	9	4	*	*
Alta.	298	33	75	51	52	47	18	9	7	*	*
B.C.	397	43	108	75	79	52	21	11	*	*	*

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 3. - Rooms per dwelling, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Number of rooms per dwelling									
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+
Canada	(1) 4,055	56	142	379	807	917	863	434	246	114	97
Nfld.	87	*	*	*	10	21	21	16	6	*	*
P.E.I.	24	*	*	*	*	*	5	5	4	*	*
N.S.	167	*	6	12	25	30	40	27	15	6	5
N.B.	131	*	4	8	19	25	21	21	20	7	5
Que.	1,067	6	22	105	220	256	205	113	69	35	36
Ont.	1,410	8	33	105	221	303	386	174	97	45	38
Man.	231	9	12	35	59	52	36	16	7	4	*
Sask.	243	7	15	22	57	60	39	22	11	6	4
Alta.	298	12	27	37	77	66	48	18	7	*	*
B.C.	397	9	20	50	116	101	62	22	10	4	*

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000 - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 4. - Type of dwelling, by tenure and monthly rent, Canada, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Single detached (2)	Single attached (2)	Apartment or flat (2)
Canada	(1) 4,055	2,729	336	990
Owned	2,719	2,365	185	169
Rented - cash	1,230	289	141	800
\$ 1-14	40	28	6	6
\$ 15-19	35	17	7	11
\$ 20-24	59	21	10	28
\$ 25-29	80	26	13	41
\$ 30-39	181	44	28	109
\$ 40-49	184	43	22	119
\$ 50-59	156	36	18	102
\$ 60-69	149	28	13	108
\$ 70 +	346	46	24	276
Rented-other (3)	106	75	10	21

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) See Section III - "Definitions".

(3) Includes: Share cropping, payment in kind or services, free rent, rent including business premises.

Table 5. - Tenure and type of dwelling, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Tenure			Type of dwelling		
		Owned	Rented for cash	Rented other (2)	Single detached (3)	Single attached (3)	Apartment or flat (3)
Canada	(1) 4,055	2,719	1,230	106	2,729	336	990
Nfld.	87	76	10	*	72	12	*
P.E.I.	24	19	5	*	20	*	*
N.S.	167	131	33	*	130	12	25
N.B.	131	102	26	*	102	7	22
Que.	1,067	544	505	18	449	123	495
Ont.	1,410	1,028	354	28	1,006	134	270
Man.	231	151	70	10	172	9	50
Sask.	243	184	38	21	220	7	16
Alta.	298	205	81	12	235	16	47
B.C.	397	279	108	10	323	13	61

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Includes: share cropping, payment in kind or services, free rent, rent including business premises. (3) See Section III, "Definitions". * Less than 4,000. See Section IV. "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 6. - Monthly rent, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total rented dwellings	Monthly rent									
		No rent paid	\$ 1 -14	\$15 -19	\$20 -24	\$25 -29	\$30 -39	\$40 -49	\$50 -59	\$60 -69	\$70+
Canada	(1) 1,336	106	40	35	59	80	181	184	156	149	346
Nfld.	11	*	*	*	*	*	5	*	*	*	*
P.E.I.	5	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
N.S.	36	*	4	4	*	*	4	*	*	*	7
N.B.	29	*	*	*	*	*	7	4	*	*	*
Que.	523	18	7	11	23	40	95	92	66	57	114
Ont.	382	28	6	6	9	15	30	43	47	49	149
Man.	80	10	5	*	5	4	10	11	9	8	16
Sask.	59	21	6	4	7	*	5	*	*	4	*
Alta.	93	12	*	*	5	5	10	11	9	10	26
B.C.	118	10	6	*	5	7	14	16	15	14	28

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 7. - Rental accommodation, dwellings rented for cash, by province, May, 1957
(estimates in thousands)

	Dwellings rented for cash	Heated and furnished	Heated only	Furnished only	Not heated or furnished
Canada	(1) 1,230	59	424	17	730
Nfld.	10	*	*	4	5
P.E.I.	5	*	*	*	*
N.S.	33	*	8	*	23
N.B.	26	*	4	*	22
Que.	505	11	131	*	362
Ont.	354	10	175	*	166
Man.	70	8	30	*	31
Sask.	38	4	9	*	24
Alta.	81	14	32	*	34
B.C.	108	11	32	5	60

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 8. - Electrification, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	With electrification		Without electrification
		Power line source	Home generated source	
Canada	(1) 4,055	3,841	26	188
Nfld.	87	46	*	38
P.E.I.	24	18	*	6
N.S.	167	164	*	*
N.B.	131	121	*	10
Que.	1,067	1,053	*	14
Ont.	1,410	1,388	*	21
Man.	231	223	*	8
Sask.	243	187	11	45
Alta.	298	254	8	36
B.C.	397	387	*	7

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 9. - Principal heating equipment by fuel, Canada, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

Fuel	Total households	Steam or hot water furnace	Hot air furnace	Cookstove or range	Heating stove	Other (2)
Total	(1) 4,055	707	1,653	601	1,075	19
Coal or coke	948	178	447	121	201	*
Oil (3)	2,040	485	811	125	614	5
Wood	670	5	142	338	184	*
Gas	354	36	233	10	73	*
Other (4)	43	*	20	7	*	10

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Includes radiants, central heating and fireplaces.

(3) Includes kerosene.

(4) Includes sawdust, electricity and briquettes.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 10. - Principal heating equipment, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Steam or hot water furnace	Hot air furnace	Cookstove or range	Heating stove	Other (2)
Canada	(1) 4,055	707	1,653	601	1,075	19
Nfld.	87	6	7	56	18	*
P.E.I.	24	4	4	6	10	*
N.S.	167	28	46	50	42	*
N.B.	131	9	44	25	53	*
Que.	1,067	262	202	256	341	6
Ont.	1,410	294	744	106	265	*
Man.	231	36	124	15	52	4
Sask.	243	9	112	12	110	*
Alta.	298	12	169	24	91	*
B.C.	397	47	201	51	93	5

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Includes radiants, central heating and fireplaces.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 11. - Principal heating fuel, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Coal or coke	Oil (2)	Wood	Gas	Other (3)
Canada	(1) 4,055	948	2,040	670	354	43
Nfld.	87	29	24	34	*	*
P.E.I.	24	9	9	6	*	*
N.S.	167	65	58	44	*	*
N.B.	131	28	46	57	*	*
Que.	1,067	114	668	267	8	10
Ont.	1,410	368	783	127	130	*
Man.	231	104	98	28	*	*
Sask.	243	66	129	31	17	*
Alta.	298	75	37	11	175	*
B.C.	397	90	188	65	23	31

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Includes kerosene.

(3) Includes sawdust, electricity, briquettes.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 12. - Principal heating equipment using coal and oil,
by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Households with equipment burning coal or coke			Households with equipment burning oil		
	Total	Furnace	Other	Total	Furnace	Other
Canada	(1) 948	625	323	2,040	1,296	744
Nfld.	29	*	27	24	11	13
P.E.I.	9	4	5	9	4	5
N.S.	65	30	35	58	35	23
N.B.	28	14	14	46	24	22
Que.	114	67	47	668	329	339
Ont.	368	284	84	783	639	144
Man.	104	82	22	98	71	27
Sask.	66	42	24	129	56	73
Alta.	75	30	45	37	7	30
B.C.	90	70	20	188	120	68

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 13. - Supplementary heating equipment, by fuel, for households with supplementary heating, Canada, May, 1957
(estimates in thousands)

Fuel	Total households	Fireplace	Cookstove or range	Heating stove	Portable heater	Other (2)
Total	(1) 923	82	534	242	62	*
Coal or coke	217	8	143	61	5	*
Oil (3)	162	*	73	84	5	*
Wood	406	38	279	84	5	*
Gas	60	24	19	12	*	*
Other (4)	78	12	20	*	44	*

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Includes radiants and hot water heaters.

(3) Includes kerosene.

(4) Includes sawdust, electricity and briquettes.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 14. - Supplementary heating equipment, by province, for households with supplementary heating, May, 1957
(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Fireplace	Cookstove or range	Heating stove	Portable heater	Other (2)
Canada	(1) 923	82	534	242	62	*
Nfld.	32	*	10	19	*	*
P.E.I.	14	*	10	4	*	*
N.S.	73	*	39	31	*	*
N.B.	54	*	46	*	4	*
Que.	204	*	110	57	35	*
Ont.	225	12	112	93	8	*
Man.	29	5	14	6	4	*
Sask.	93	*	85	6	*	*
Alta.	98	29	51	11	5	*
B.C.	101	26	57	13	4	*

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Includes radiants and hot water heaters.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 15. - Supplementary heating fuel, by province, for households with supplementary heating, May, 1957
(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Coal or coke	Oil (2)	Wood	Gas	Other (3)
Canada	(1) 923	217	162	406	60	78
Nfld.	32	12	10	9	*	*
P.E.I.	14	5	*	6	*	*
N.S.	73	24	17	31	*	*
N.B.	54	4	13	35	*	*
Que.	204	13	46	98	5	42
Ont.	225	61	34	111	11	8
Man.	29	11	*	11	*	5
Sask.	93	44	15	32	*	*
Alta.	98	31	4	15	40	8
B.C.	101	12	18	58	*	11

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Includes kerosene.

(3) Includes sawdust, electricity and briquettes.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 16. - Supplementary heating equipment using coal and oil, by province, May, 1957
(estimates in thousands)

	Households with equipment burning coal or coke for supplementary heating			Households with equipment burning oil for supplementary heating		
	Total	Cookstove or range	Other	Total	Cookstove or range	Other
Canada	(1) 217	143	74	(1) 162	73	89
Nfld.	12	4	8	10	*	8
P.E.I.	5	4	*	*	*	*
N.S.	24	11	13	17	11	6
N.B.	4	*	*	13	11	*
Que.	13	4	9	46	17	29
Ont.	61	36	25	34	4	30
Man.	11	7	4	*	*	*
Sask.	44	40	4	15	12	*
Alta.	31	25	6	4	*	*
B.C.	12	9	*	18	12	6

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 17. - Water supply and source of piped running water, by province, May, 1957
(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Water supply			Source of piped running water	
		Hot and cold (piped inside)	Cold only (piped inside)	No water piped inside	Private (2)	Other (3)
Canada	(1) 4,055	2,865	492	698	690	2,667
Nfld.	87	22	17	48	20	19
P.E.I.	24	12	*	10	6	8
N.S.	167	99	29	39	48	80
N.B.	131	69	18	44	40	47
Que.	1,067	770	253	44	232	791
Ont.	1,410	1,151	106	153	225	1,032
Man.	231	153	12	66	20	145
Sask.	243	65	15	163	25	55
Alta.	298	172	15	111	30	157
B.C.	397	352	25	20	44	333

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Private - Refers to private well, spring, etc.

(3) Other - Refers to central water-works system serving all or part of community.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 18. - Installed bath facilities, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Exclusive use of household	Shared use of household	No installed bath or shower
Canada	(1) 4,055	2,773	110	1,172
Nfld.	87	22	*	64
P.E.I.	24	11	*	13
N.S.	167	83	5	79
N.B.	131	61	*	69
Que.	1,067	788	13	266
Ont.	1,410	1,133	25	252
Man.	231	133	18	80
Sask.	243	54	11	178
Alta.	298	150	21	127
B.C.	397	338	15	44

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 19. - Toilet facilities, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Flush toilet (exclusive use)	Flush toilet (shared use)	Chemical toilet	No flush or chemical toilet
Canada	(1) 4,055	3,024	107	86	838
Nfld.	87	27	*	*	58
P.E.I.	24	12	*	*	12
N.S.	167	95	9	*	62
N.B.	131	71	*	*	55
Que.	1,067	974	7	*	83
Ont.	1,410	1,173	25	16	196
Man.	231	133	18	13	67
Sask.	243	47	10	32	154
Alta.	298	151	22	12	113
B.C.	397	341	14	4	38

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 20. - Cooking equipment, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Electric stove (2)	Wood or coal cookstove or range	Gas	Kerosene or oil stove	Other (3)	None
Canada	(1) 4,055	1,958	1,023	793	220	27	34
Nfld.	87	12	68	*	7	*	*
P.E.I.	24	*	17	*	4	*	*
N.S.	167	37	97	4	27	*	*
N.B.	131	24	74	5	28	*	*
Que.	1,067	459	248	269	70	*	21
Ont.	1,410	951	173	272	5	4	5
Man.	231	165	50	9	*	4	*
Sask.	243	75	110	39	16	*	*
Alta.	298	62	90	139	5	*	*
B.C.	397	171	96	55	58	15	*

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Includes combination electric and wood or coal stoves.

(3) Includes hot plates and sawdust burners.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 21. - Refrigerators and home freezers, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Refrigerators				Home freezers	
		Electric	Other Mechanical (2)	Ice-box	None	With	Without
Canada	(1) 4,055	3,308	43	97	607	295	3,760
Nfld.	87	23	*	*	63	*	86
P.E.I.	24	11	*	*	10	*	24
N.S.	167	120	*	8	39	*	164
N.B.	131	70	*	4	57	5	126
Que.	1,067	925	*	39	102	50	1,017
Ont.	1,410	1,298	12	29	71	107	1,303
Man.	231	187	*	*	41	22	209
Sask.	243	140	12	*	88	33	210
Alta.	298	201	12	4	81	39	259
B.C.	397	333	4	5	55	35	362

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Includes gas and kerosene refrigerators.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 22. - Washing machines, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Electric	Gasoline	Hand - operated	None
Canada	(1) 4,055	3,354	95	31	575
Nfld.	87	38	11	5	33
P.E.I.	24	15	*	*	4
N.S.	167	144	*	*	22
N.B.	131	106	*	*	24
Que.	1,067	934	5	5	123
Ont.	1,410	1,209	7	7	187
Man.	231	187	*	*	41
Sask.	243	170	36	5	32
Alta.	298	219	27	*	50
B.C.	397	332	5	*	59

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 23. - Vacuum cleaners, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	With vacuum cleaners	Without vacuum cleaners
Canada	(1) 4,055	2,339	1,716
Nfld.	87	10	77
P.E.I.	24	8	16
N.S.	167	75	92
N.B.	131	45	86
Que.	1,067	517	550
Ont.	1,410	1,001	409
Man.	231	133	98
Sask.	243	113	130
Alta.	298	165	133
B.C.	397	272	125

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

Table 24. - Sewing machines, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Electric	Foot-treadle	Hand-operated	None
Canada	(1) 4,055	1,357	1,294	59	1,345
Nfld.	87	4	21	25	37
P.E.I.	24	*	13	*	10
N.S.	167	24	58	*	84
N.B.	131	18	55	*	57
Que.	1,067	449	334	*	282
Ont.	1,410	501	376	10	523
Man.	231	75	80	*	75
Sask.	243	56	132	*	53
Alta.	298	83	123	5	87
B.C.	397	146	102	12	137

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 25. - Telephones, radios, television receivers, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total households	Telephones		Radios (2)		Television	
		With	Without	With	Without	With	Without
Canada	(1) 4,055	3,084	971	3,894	161	2,536	1,519
Nfld.	87	21	66	80	7	17	70
P.E.I.	24	15	9	23	*	9	15
N.S.	167	106	61	158	9	101	66
N.B.	131	76	55	122	9	47	84
Que.	1,067	838	229	1,034	33	773	294
Ont.	1,410	1,243	167	1,352	58	1,072	338
Man.	231	165	66	221	10	111	120
Sask.	243	147	96	236	7	68	175
Alta.	298	172	126	288	10	127	171
B.C.	397	301	96	380	17	211	186

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Does not include automobile radios.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 26. - Households with radios, by number of radios, and showing number with telephones, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total with radios (1)	Number of households with:				Telephones	
		One radio	Two radios	Three radios	More than three radios	With	Without
Canada	(2) 3,894	2,894	739	188	73	3,007	887
Nfld.	80	69	9	*	*	21	59
P.E.I.	23	21	*	*	*	15	8
N.S.	158	124	26	6	*	103	55
N.B.	122	102	15	*	*	75	47
Que.	1,034	855	136	31	12	820	214
Ont.	1,352	897	324	94	37	1,202	150
Man.	221	157	47	12	5	162	59
Sask.	236	187	39	8	*	146	90
Alta.	288	215	56	12	5	170	118
B.C.	380	267	85	20	8	293	87

(1) Does not include automobile radios.

(2) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 27. - Households with television receivers, showing numbers with radios and with telephones, by province, May, 1957
(estimates in thousands)

	Total with tele- vision	Radio (2)		Telephone	
		With	Without	With	Without
Canada	(1) 2,536	2,464	72	2,252	284
Nfld.	17	17	*	10	7
P.E.I.	9	8	*	7	*
N.S.	101	97	4	78	23
N.B.	47	46	*	39	8
Que.	773	756	17	676	97
Ont.	1,072	1,033	39	992	80
Man.	111	109	*	103	8
Sask.	68	67	*	58	10
Alta.	127	126	*	101	26
B.C.	211	205	6	188	23

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) Does not include automobile radios.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 28. - Automobiles, by province, May, 1957

(estimates in thousands)

	Total house- holds	Households with:		Households without automobiles
		One automobile	Two or more automobiles	
Canada	(1) 4,055	2,200	235	1,620
Nfld.	87	20	*	65
P.E.I.	24	9	*	13
N.S.	167	82	7	78
N.B.	131	59	4	68
Que.	1,067	476	25	566
Ont.	1,410	867	136	407
Man.	231	129	8	94
Sask.	243	149	10	84
Alta.	298	174	16	108
B.C.	397	235	25	137

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

Table 29. - Number of automobiles per household, with and without radios, by province,
May, 1957
(estimates in thousands)

	Total with auto- mobiles	One automobile		Two or more automobiles	
		With radio	Without radio	With radio (2)	Without radio
Canada	(1) 2,435	963	1,237	175	60
Nfld.	22	6	14	*	*
P.E.I.	11	*	6	*	*
N.S.	89	28	54	5	*
N.B.	63	20	39	*	*
Que.	501	227	249	20	5
Ont.	1,003	364	503	100	36
Man.	137	59	70	6	*
Sask.	159	73	76	9	*
Alta.	190	89	85	12	4
B.C.	260	94	141	18	7

(1) See Section II, "Coverage".

(2) At least one automobile is radio equipped.

* Less than 4,000. - See Section IV, "Reliability of Estimates".

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