FILE DESCRIPTIONS OF ALL

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1966 CENSUS SUMMARY TAPES

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Several codes, used to specify the location of enumeration areas, are available from official lists. These are:

Electoral District

County (Census Division)

Municipality

Census Tract

Municipality subdivision.

Official lists are available for consultation in the PRL.

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POPULATION

DBS FILE REFERENCE: POP110-MG1 (MALE)

POP110-MGA (FEMALE) CND. POP. F. 61

PRL FILE REFERENCE: POP 61M (MALE)

POP 61F (FEMALE)

RECORD LENGTH: Fixed - 1150 characters

CONTENTS: The population files contain basic population variables. Population data are structured on two files, one which reports males only, the other females only. The record layout and contents are identical for male and female files. The detailed list below is therefore valid for both.

RECORDS PER E.A.   Maximum of two records per E.A., one for farm, one for non-farm residence.

CHARACTER TYPE: Alpha character type is signified with an (A) following the field number. All others are numeric.

1961 Census of Canada

Households

DBS FILE REFERENCE:	FAM 102-STJ
PRL FILE REFERENCE:	HHLD 61
RECORD LENGTH:	Fixed - 230 Characters
CONTENTS:	This file consists of a summary of pertinent information for all non-collective type households in Canada.
RECORDS PER E.A.	Maximum of two records per E.A.: One for farm, one for non-farm residence.
CHARACTER TYPE:	Alpha character type is signified with an (A) following the field number. All others are numeric.

1961 Census of Canada

Families

DBS FILE REFERENCE:	FAM 101-ST2
PRL FILE REFERENCE:	FAM161 CND.FAM.I.6
RECORD LENGTH:	Fixed - 315 characters
CONTENTS:	This file consists of a summary of pertinent information for all family members in Canada.
RECORDS PER E.A.:	Maximum of two records per E.A.: 7 One for farm, one for non-farm residence.
CHARACTER TYPE:	Alpha character type is signified with an (A) following the field number. All others are numeric.

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Families

DBS FILE REFERENCE:	FAM101-ST4
PRL FILE REFERENCE:	FAM261
RECORD LENGTH:	Fixed - 770 characters
CONTENTS:	This file consists of a summary of pertinent information for all family members in Canada.
RECORD PER E.A.:	Maximum of two records per E.A.: One for farm, one for non-farm residence.
CHARACTER TYPE:	Alpha Character type is signified with an (A) following the field number. All others are numeric.

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Housing

DBS FILE REFERENCE:	HOU200-STA
PRL FILE REFERENCE:	HOUSING61
RECORD LENGTH:	Fixed - 705 characters
CONTENTS:	This file consists of a summary of pertinent information for all dwelling units housing non-collective type households in Canada.
RECORDS PER E.A.:	Maximum of two records per E.A.: One for farm, one for non-farm dwellings.
CHARACTER TYPE:	Alpha character type is signified by (A) following the field number. All others are numeric.

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Labour Force

DBS FILE REFERENCE:	6000AB-Z01
PRL FILE REFERENCE:	LABOUR161
RECORD LENGTH:	Fixed - 45 characters
CONTENTS:	Summary record for total economically active population for week or year, ("Yes" in Q. 16, "Yes" in Q.17 or "Yes" in Q.18 of form 2A) Sorted Province x District x Enumeration Area x Farm-non-Farm x Sex
RECORDS PER E.A.	Maximum of four records per E.A. - Farm Non-Farm (2), Sex (2): One for males, one for females.
CHARACTER TYPE:	Alpha character type is signified by (A) following the field number. All others are numeric.

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Labour Force

DBS FILE REFERENCE: 6000AB-Z02

PRL FILE REFERENCE: LABOUR261

RECORD LENGTH: Fixed 285 characters

CONTENTS: Summary record for experienced labour force, ("Yes" in Q. 16 or Q.17 minus never worked "Yes" in Q. 19 of form 2A). Sorted Province x District x Enumeration Areas

RECORDS PER E.A.   Maximum of four records per E.A.: One for farm, one for non-farm residence, one for each sex.

CHARACTER TYPE: Alpha characters are signified by (A) following the field number. All others are numeric.

Appendix I

Record Position	Data Content / Description	
25-28	Count –	All Industries
29-32	000-019	Farming
33-36	031-039	Forestry
37-40	041-047	Fishing & Trapping
41-44	051-099	Mines, Quarries and Oil Wells
45-48	101-399	Manufacturing Industries
49-52	101-147	Food and Beverage Industries
53-56	183-229	Textile Industries
57-60	251-259	Wood Industries
61-64	271-274	Paper and Allied Industries
65-68	286-289	Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries
69-72	291-298	Primary Metal Industries
73-76	301-318	Metal Fabricating and Machinery Industries
77-80	Residue	(101-399) Manufacturing Industries
81-84	404-421	Construction Industry
85-88	501-579	Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities
89-92	501-527	Transportation and Storage
93-96	543-548	Communication
97-100	572-579	Electric Power, Gas and Water Utilities
101-104	602-699	Trade
105-108	602-629	Wholesale Trade
109-112	631-699	Retail Trade
113-116	702-737	Finance, Insurance and Real Estate
117-120	801-899	Community, Business and Personal Service Industries
121-124	801-809	Education and Related Services
125-128	821-828	Health and Welfare Services
129-132	871-879	Personal Services
133-136	875	Hotels, Restaurants and Taverns
137-140	Residue	(801-899) Community, Business and Personal Service Industries
141-144	902-991	Public Administration and Defence
145-148	999	Industry Unspecified or Undefined

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Record Position	Data Content / Description	
149-152	Count -	All Occupations ##
153-156	001-099	Managerial Occupations
157-160	101-199	Professional and Technical Occupations
161-164	201-249	Clerical Occupations
165-168	301-339	Sales Occupations
169-172	401-459	Service and Recreational Occupations
173-176	510-588	Transport and Communication Occupations
177-180	601-609	Farmers and Farm Workers
181-184	601	Farmers and Stockraisers
185-188	605	(0 in class worker) Farm Labourers
189-192	605	(1 in class worker) Farm Labourers
193-196	Residue	(601-609) Farmers and Farm Workers
197-200	611-615	Loggers and Related Workers
201-204	631-633	Fisherman, Trappers and Hunters
205-208	651-659	Miners, Quarrymen and Related Workers
209-212	701-919	Craftsmen, Production Process and Related Workers
213-216	921-970	Labourers (not elsewhere classified)[1]
217-220	980	Occupation Not Stated

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Labour Force

DBS FILE REFERENCE:	6000AB-Z03
PRL FILE REFERENCE:	LABOUR 361
RECORD LENGTH:	Fixed-370 Characters
CONTENTS:	Summary record for experienced labour force - wage earners only.
	Sorted Province x District x Enumeration Area
RECORDS PER E.A.	Maximum of four Records per E.A. One for farm, one for non-farm residence, one for each sex.
CHARACTER TYPE:	Alpha characters are signified by (A) following the field number. All others are numeric.

1966 Census of Canada
Five-Year Age Groups

DBS FILE REFERENCE:	602 AAM-Z50
PRL FILE REFERENCE:	POP66A
RECORD LENGTH:	Fixed - 145 characters
CONTENTS:	This file consists of population classified by five-year age-groups for all population in Canada.
RECORDS PER E.A.:	Maximum of sixteen records per E.A.: One record for each possible combination of sex, residence, and marital status. (2 x 2 x 4). Records with a zero population in the particular sex, residence, marital status combination are dropped.
CHARACTER TYPE:	Alpha character type is signified by (A) following the field number. All others are numeric.

1966 Census of Canada
Single Years of Age Population Summary Record

DBS FILE REFERENCE: 602AAM-Z10

PRL FILE REFERENCE: POP66S

RECORD LENGTH: Fixed-1660 characters

CONTENTS: Single years of age summary record at

                                    the Enumeration Area level. Volume app.

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RECORDS PER E.A.:   One recored per E.A.

CHARACTER TYPE: Alpha character type is signified by (A)

                                    following the field number. All others

                                    are numeric.

1966 Census of Canada

Family and Household

DBS FILE REFERENCE:	605AAA-PSA
PRL FILE REFERENCE:	FAMH66
RECORD LENGTH:	Fixed 600 characters
RECORD CONTENTS:	This file consists of summary records combining all the pertinent Family and Household information required for basic tabulations.
RECORDS PER E.A.:	Maximum of two records per E.A.: One for farm, one for non-farm residence.
CHARACTER TYPE:	(A) signifies Alpha. All others are numeric.