



Student worksheet 6: Factors in the growth of population

What was the population of Canada in 1951?	What was the population of Canada in 1961?	How much did the population grow?	What percentage of this growth was because of immigration?

Source: *Canada Year Book 1967*, page 184, Table 2.

What factors other than immigration influenced the growth of the population between 1951 and 1961?

How is 'natural increase' calculated in Table 2? What is meant by this term?

How is 'actual increase' calculated in Table 2? What is meant by this term?

How is 'net migration' calculated in Table 2? What is meant by this term?

Draw a general conclusion about the role of immigration in the growth of population.
