Table 6 Police officers by sex, provinces and territories, 2011

Province or territory	Male		Female		Total
	number	percent	number	percent	number
Newfoundland and Labrador	761	81.4	174	18.6	935
Prince Edward Island	206	84.4	38	15.6	244
Nova Scotia	1,610	84.1	304	15.9	1,914
New Brunswick	1,167	84.7	210	15.3	1,377
Quebec	12,052	76.3	3,750	23.7	15,802
Ontario	21,539	81.6	4,848	18.4	26,387
Manitoba	2,210	85.2	383	14.8	2,593
Saskatchewan	1,898	82.3	408	17.7	2,306
Alberta	5,537	82.7	1,159	17.3	6,696
British Columbia	7,068	78.8	1,898	21.2	8,966
Yukon	107	87.7	15	12.3	122
Northwest Territories	171	86.8	26	13.2	197
Nunavut	112	86.2	18	13.8	130
Provincial and territorial total	54,438	80.4	13,231	19.6	67,669
Royal Canadian Mounted Police Headquarters and					
Training Academy	1,395	78.9	374	21.1	1,769
Canada	55,833	80.4	13,605	19.6	69,438

Note(s): Represents the actual number of permanent, fully-sworn police officers of all ranks (or their full-time equivalents) as of May 15, 2011. This number also includes officers who are deployed to contract positions and who are not available for general policing duties in their community. Police officers on long-term leave who are not being paid by the police service's annual budget are excluded.

Source(s): Statistics Canada, Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics, Police Administration Survey.