

DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION, 1961 NORTHERN CANADA

- | RURAL POPULATION | | URBAN POPULATION | |
|---|---------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| ● 10 in isolated groups including nomadic campsites | ● 100 in isolated settled areas | ● 1,000 - 5,000 | ● 5,000 - 10,000 |
| ● 500 in isolated settled areas | | | |

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics' definition of "rural" and "urban" for the 1961 Census specified that all cities, towns and villages of 1,000 and over, whether incorporated or not, were classed as urban, as well as the urbanized fringes of (a) cities classed as metropolitan areas (b) those classed as other major urban areas, and (c) certain smaller cities, if the city together with its urbanized fringe was 10,000 population or over. The remainder of the population was classed as rural.

