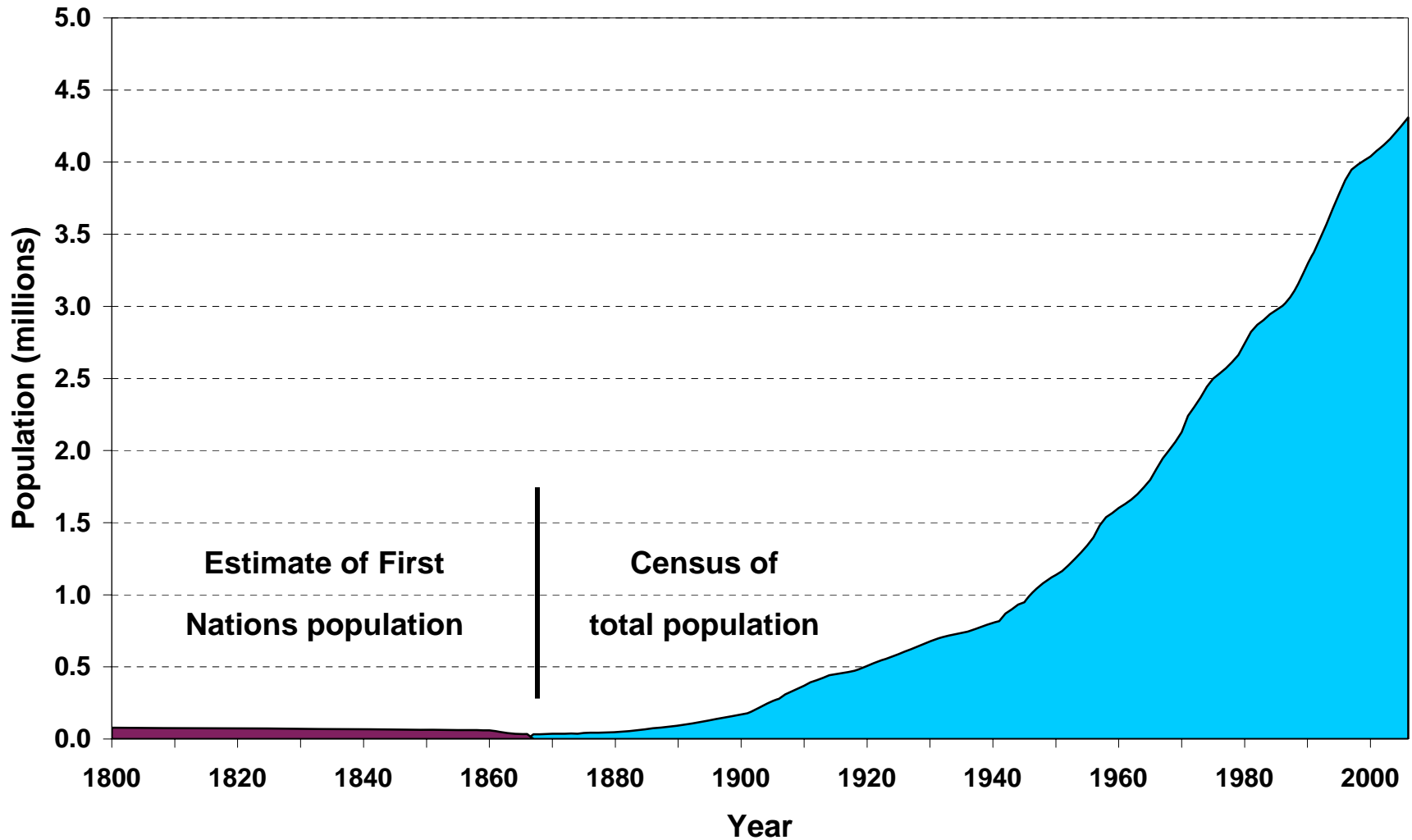
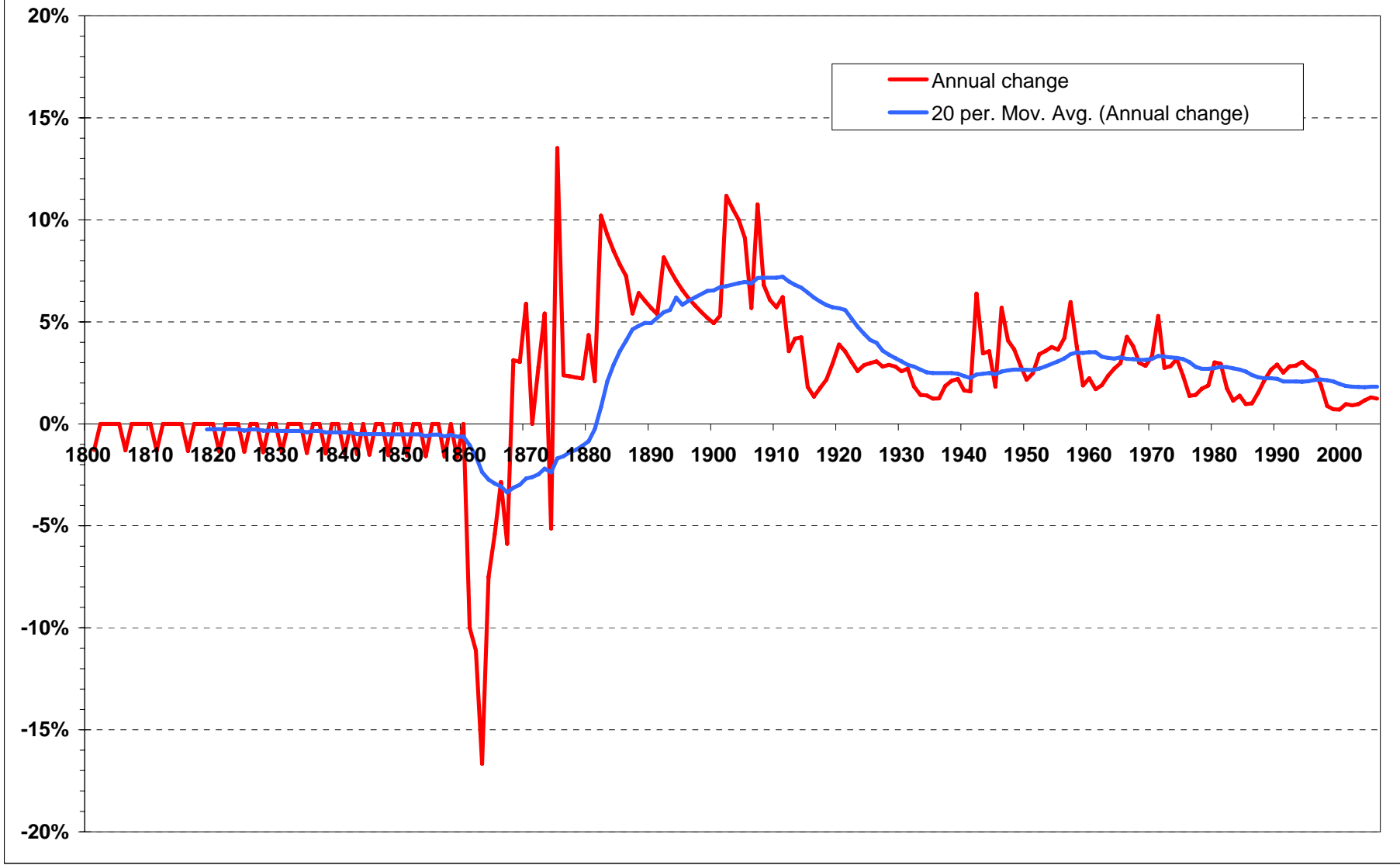


Population of British Columbia, 1800–2006



Changes in British Columbia's Population, 1800–2006



Population of British Columbia, 1800–200

Year	Estimate of First Nations population (millions)	Census of total population (millions)	Annual change (%)	Source
1800	0.078			Duff (1997)
1801	0.077		-1%	
1802	0.077		0%	
1803	0.077		0%	
1804	0.077		0%	
1805	0.077		0%	
1806	0.076		-1%	
1807	0.076		0%	
1808	0.076		0%	
1809	0.076		0%	
1810	0.076		0%	
1811	0.075		-1%	
1812	0.075		0%	
1813	0.075		0%	
1814	0.075		0%	
1815	0.075		0%	
1816	0.074		-1%	
1817	0.074		0%	
1818	0.074		0%	
1819	0.074		0%	
1820	0.074		0%	
1821	0.073		-1%	
1822	0.073		0%	
1823	0.073		0%	
1824	0.073		0%	
1825	0.072		-1%	
1826	0.072		0%	
1827	0.072		0%	
1828	0.071		-1%	
1829	0.071		0%	
1830	0.071		0%	
1831	0.070		-1%	
1832	0.070		0%	
1833	0.070		0%	
1834	0.070		0%	
1835	0.069		-1%	
1836	0.069		0%	
1837	0.069		0%	
1838	0.068		-1%	
1839	0.068		0%	
1840	0.068		0%	
1841	0.067		-1%	
1842	0.067		0%	
1843	0.066		-1%	
1844	0.066		0%	
1845	0.065		-2%	
1846	0.065		0%	
1847	0.065		0%	
1848	0.064		-2%	
1849	0.064		0%	
1850	0.064		0%	
1851	0.063		-2%	
1852	0.063		0%	
1853	0.063		0%	
1854	0.062		-2%	

1855	0.062		0%
1856	0.062		0%
1857	0.061		-2%
1858	0.061		0%
1859	0.060		-2%
1860	0.060		0%
1861	0.054		-10%
1862	0.048		-11%
1863	0.040		-17%
1864	0.037		-8%
1865	0.035		-5%
1866	0.034		-3%
1867		0.032	-5.9%
1868		0.033	3.1%
1869		0.034	3.0%
1870		0.036	5.9%
1871		0.036	0.0%
1872		0.037	2.8%
1873		0.039	5.4%
1874		0.037	-5.1%
1875		0.042	13.5%
1876		0.043	2.4%
1877		0.044	2.3%
1878		0.045	2.3%
1879		0.046	2.2%
1880		0.048	4.3%
1881		0.049	2.1%
1882		0.054	10.2%
1883		0.059	9.3%
1884		0.064	8.5%
1885		0.069	7.8%
1886		0.074	7.2%
1887		0.078	5.4%
1888		0.083	6.4%
1889		0.088	6.0%
1890		0.093	5.7%
1891		0.098	5.4%
1892		0.106	8.2%
1893		0.114	7.5%
1894		0.122	7.0%
1895		0.130	6.6%
1896		0.138	6.2%
1897		0.146	5.8%
1898		0.154	5.5%
1899		0.162	5.2%
1900		0.170	4.9%
1901		0.179	5.3%
1902		0.199	11.2%
1903		0.220	10.6%
1904		0.242	10.0%
1905		0.264	9.1%
1906		0.279	5.7%
1907		0.309	10.8%
1908		0.330	6.8%
1909		0.350	6.1%
1910		0.370	5.7%
1911		0.393	6.2%
1912		0.407	3.6%
1913		0.424	4.2%
1914		0.442	4.2%
1915		0.450	1.8%
1916		0.456	1.3%
1917		0.464	1.8%

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1918	0.474	2.2%
1919	0.488	3.0%
1920	0.507	3.9%
1921	0.525	3.6%
1922	0.541	3.0%
1923	0.555	2.6%
1924	0.571	2.9%
1925	0.588	3.0%
1926	0.606	3.1%
1927	0.623	2.8%
1928	0.641	2.9%
1929	0.659	2.8%
1930	0.676	2.6%
1931	0.694	2.7%
1932	0.707	1.8%
1933	0.717	1.4%
1934	0.727	1.4%
1935	0.736	1.2%
1936	0.745	1.3%
1937	0.759	1.9%
1938	0.775	2.1%
1939	0.792	2.2%
1940	0.805	1.6%
1941	0.818	1.6%
1942	0.870	6.4%
1943	0.900	3.4%
1944	0.932	3.6%
1945	0.949	1.8%
1946	1.003	5.7%
1947	1.044	4.1%
1948	1.082	3.6%
1949	1.113	2.9%
1950	1.137	2.2%
1951	1.165	2.5%
1952	1.205	3.4%
1953	1.248	3.6%
1954	1.295	3.8%
1955	1.342	3.6%
1956	1.399	4.2%
1957	1.482	6.0%
1958	1.538	3.8%
1959	1.567	1.9%
1960	1.602	2.2%
1961	1.629	1.7%
1962	1.660	1.9%
1963	1.699	2.3%
1964	1.745	2.7%
1965	1.797	3.0%
1966	1.874	4.3%
1967	1.945	3.8%
1968	2.003	3.0%
1969	2.060	2.8%
1970	2.128	3.3%
1971	2.240472	5.3%
1972	2.302085	2.8%
1973	2.367272	2.8%
1974	2.442581	3.2%
1975	2.499569	2.3%
1976	2.533791	1.4%
1977	2.569702	1.4%
1978	2.613998	1.7%
1979	2.662990	1.9%
1980	2.743224	3.0%

1981	2.823933	2.9%
1982	2.872920	1.7%
1983	2.905476	1.1%
1984	2.945635	1.4%
1985	2.974277	1.0%
1986	3.004104	1.0%
1987	3.050160	1.5%
1988	3.115357	2.1%
1989	3.197880	2.6%
1990	3.290814	2.9%
1991	3.373464	2.5%
1992	3.468445	2.8%
1993	3.567406	2.9%
1994	3.675699	3.0%
1995	3.777004	2.8%
1996	3.874276	2.6%
1997	3.948544	1.9%
1998	3.983077	0.9%
1999	4.011342	0.7%
2000	4.039198	0.7%
2001	4.078447	1.0%
2002	4.115413	0.9%
2003	4.155370	1.0%
2004	4.203315	1.2%
2005	4.257833	1.3%
2006	4.310452	1.2%

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<http://www.bcstats.gov.bc.ca/data/pop/pop/BC1867on.csv>

NOTES

1. Data for 1800–1866 are interpreted from a published graph.

2. Data for 1867 onward are from Statistics Canada, Ottawa. Prepared by BC Stats, Ministry of Labour and Citizen's Services, Victoria.

Note: There is a break in the data between 1970 and 1971 due to the inclusion of an estimate of net census undercount from 1971 onward. Figures were not revised to incorporate an estimate of net census undercount prior to 1971.