

TABLE 4 (a).—Continued.

Province of Quebec—Wooded Area.

Description.	Total Area.	Forest and Woodland.	Percentage.	Pine Land.	Other Woods.
	Sq. miles.	Sq. miles.	Woodland.	Sq. miles.	Sq. miles.
Lands granted	33,563	11,391	33·94		11,391
Lands licensed	50,119	47,603	95	26,000	21,603
Vacant Crown lands	143,818	57,527	40	5,468	52,059
Total, Quebec	227,500	116,521	51·22	31,468	85,053

Lands granted.—Total area from provincial returns. Proportion of woodland from census and other authorities. Inconsiderable quantity of pine, not estimated.

Lands licensed.—Area as given by province. Estimated proportion of forest, 95 per cent, leaving 5 per cent for burnt land, &c. Proportion of pine estimated at 90 per cent of leased area in Upper Ottawa district, 75 per cent for Lower Ottawa, 50 per cent for St. Maurice, and 700 square miles for rest of licensed land.

Vacant Crown Lands.—The total area is the remainder of the province, as computed by the Dominion Survey authorities, which somewhat exceeds the provincial estimate. The percentage of woodland, proportion of pine and other woods, are taken from official publication of Crown Lands Department, Quebec.

The Maritime Provinces.

New Brunswick—Wooded Area.

Vacant Crown lands	7,915	5,936	75		
Licensed land	4,420	4,200	95		
Granted lands	15,765	4,630	29·37		
Total	28,100	14,766	52·54		

The areas are from provincial official figures. Woodland in licensed area is estimated at 95 per cent; on vacant Crown lands 75 per cent; on granted lands from census. Pine lands cannot be estimated, as there are no provincial data and the pine trees are scattered through the forest.

Nova Scotia—Wooded Area.

Not granted	1,562	78	5		
Granted	18,988	6,386	33·63		
Total	20,550	6,464	31·45		

Areas from provincial returns. Crown lands, described as rocky and barren, are estimated to have 5 per cent wooded. On granted lands, woodland from census. Pine, fast disappearing, is scattered through the forest.

Prince Edward Island—Wooded Area.

Not granted	70	22	75		
Granted	1,930	775	40·15		
Total	2,000	797	39·85		

Areas from official returns. Crown lands, described as wooded, are estimated at 75 per cent; on granted lands, woodland from census. There is a little scattered pine.