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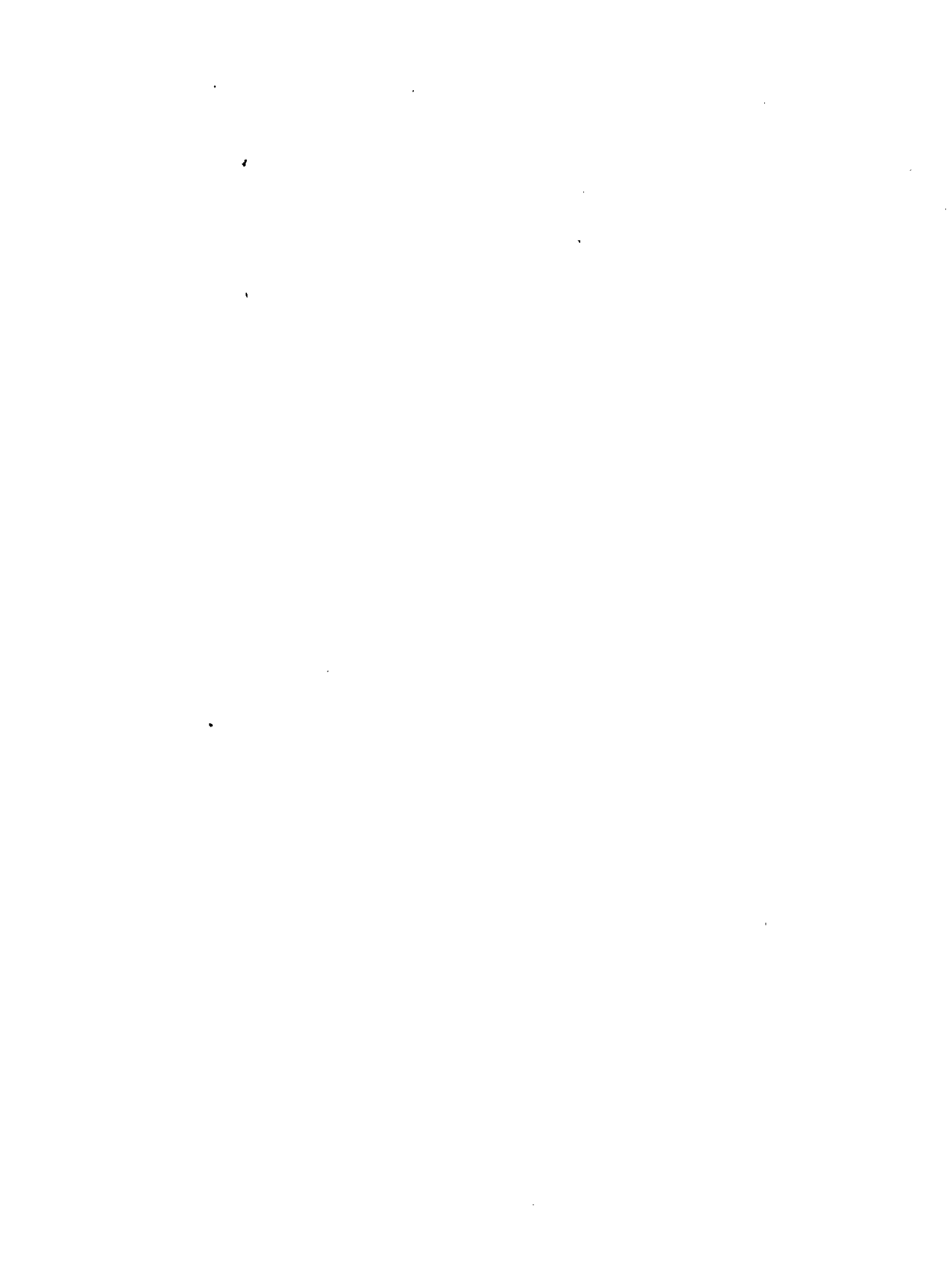
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INTRODUCTION

This report has been prepared in response to the many requests for data on communicable diseases for the Americas by national and international agencies and by health workers concerned with the study of the distribution of disease. Various reports have been published giving numbers of cases of some of these diseases. Cases are reported currently to the Pan American Sanitary Bureau by the National Health Services and annual reports are also published by several countries, but it seemed desirable to combine the available data for the Americas and to issue a report for the ten-year period 1946-1955. Thus efforts were made to have the data included in this report checked by the health authorities in each country in the Americas. Although difficulties were encountered in obtaining satisfactory data for certain countries, the development of more adequate reporting systems and annual provision of official data by countries should result in more complete reports in the future.

Although the principal sources of data were the reports published by countries, the annual summaries sent to the World Health Organization or the Bureau, and additional information supplied by the health authorities, data provided in the Four-Year Reports on Health Conditions prepared by the countries for the XIV or XV Pan American Sanitary Conference were also used in some cases. Notwithstanding the efforts made to utilize the most reliable figures, it is possible that additional checking by national authorities will reveal inaccuracies or discrepancies. Corrections can be made in future editions of this report.

Development of Reporting Systems

Every country has developed a system of reporting of certain communicable diseases, termed notifiable diseases. The quarantinable diseases, formerly called pestilential diseases, have a long history of being reported in the Americas. These diseases are cholera, plague, relapsing fever (louse-borne), smallpox, typhus fever (louse-borne), and yellow fever. Cholera has not occurred in the Americas during the last few decades. The number of other diseases declared notifiable by law or regulation varies in areas within a country as well as among countries. Provisions for reporting and exchange of data on certain notifiable diseases were included in the Pan American Sanitary Code (1924). In accordance with the Code and the International Sanitary Regulations, a Guide for the Reporting of Communicable Diseases in the Americas (PASB Misc. Publications No. 6 Rev., 1955) serves to describe the procedures in operation for current exchange of data.

Organization of Report

The main part of this report consists of a series of tables for 32 selected communicable diseases declared notifiable in most of the countries. The numbers of reported cases in each country in the Americas are given; for the countries which did not report cases an effort was made to determine whether or not the disease was notifiable. For the quarantinable diseases, except relapsing fever, the assumption has been made that all known diagnosed cases were reported. This assumption is justified by the fact that reporting of quarantinable diseases is made obligatory by international agreement. The diseases included in Tables 1-32 are those for which the information was provided for a sufficient number of countries and was considered of value for health programs.

Table 33 shows data for 17 other selected diseases reported by a relatively small number of countries. This table shows only data for countries where cases of these diseases were known to have occurred and were reported.

To provide a uniform classification the title numbers of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death, WHO, Geneva, 1948 Edition, have been used throughout this report.

In addition to cases for the ten years, 1946-1955, several countries provided the age distribution of reported cases in 1955 for some diseases. Table 34 gives the age distribution of reported cases of five diseases, namely, typhoid fever, diphtheria, whooping cough, leprosy and

poliomyelitis. It is hoped that, in future reports, data on age distribution will be available and included for additional countries.

Reporting Areas

Although in most of the countries the reporting system covered the entire area, in some the coverage was limited to localities with health services. In the following seven countries the National Health Agencies stated that the reports covered only certain parts of the country:

Brazil - The reporting areas comprised the Federal District and State Capitals except for leprosy, plague, yellow fever and malaria which were reported for the whole country by special national health services. The population of the Federal District and State Capitals comprised 15.7 per cent of the total population in 1955.

Canada - The reporting area excluded Yukon and the Northwest Territories; Newfoundland became part of Canada in 1949. The number of provinces in which each disease was notifiable, based on provincial health regulations, varied as indicated by footnotes.

Colombia - Cases were reported for the population controlled by the health services, which included 52.4 per cent of the total population in 1947. An increase in the coverage occurred and in 1955 87.5 per cent of the population were included.

El Salvador - The population for the areas in which cases of notifiable diseases were reported to the health authorities increased from 39.9 per cent in 1949 to 53.1 per cent in 1955.

Paraguay - The population included in the reporting area was 88.4 per cent of the total in 1946 and remained at this level until 1955 when the reporting area was given as 42 localities with physicians working full time in the health services (45.8 per cent of the total population). This reduction is due to a change in the definition of the reporting area.

Peru - The reporting areas were of two types and included places with organized health services with full-time personnel and definite programs, and districts near the capitals of provinces where a medical officer was responsible for health activities. In 1955, 43.7 per cent of the population were included in these areas.

Venezuela - Cases of plague, smallpox, yellow fever, rabies and malaria are given in this report for the entire country. For all other diseases the data refer to the reporting areas which include localities with local health services. The population of the reporting areas comprised 35.2 per cent of the total population of Venezuela in 1946 and 55.6 per cent in 1953. The cases distributed by age refer, however, to the Organized Reporting Area, which comprised 62.1 per cent of the population of the reporting areas in 1953.

Completeness of Reporting

The completeness of reporting of notifiable diseases varies widely in the various areas of the Americas. Factors influencing the completeness of reporting are the availability of medical facilities and of full-time health services and the severity of the disease. Also specific programs such as those for prevention or control of tuberculosis, poliomyelitis, and leprosy result in increased case-finding activities and reporting of cases. Thus interpretation of these data requires an understanding of national and local programs.

Efforts are being made in many areas to improve reporting. The pamphlet Basic Procedures for the Reporting of Communicable Diseases (PASB Scientific Publications No. 9, June, 1954) gives procedures recommended by a Seminar on Reporting of Communicable Diseases held in Chile in 1953. With the extension of full-time health services to rural areas there is no doubt that the reporting of cases of diseases will be improved.

TABLE 1. REPORTED CASES OF TUBERCULOSIS, ALL FORMS (001-019) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	9 835	12 840	14 701	16 655	16 577
Bolivia	3 043	3 055	3 373	...	3 166	3 608	3 940	4 894	...	...
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	b 14 351	b 13 416	b 15 659	b 10 883
Canada (c)	15 263	13 739	12 363	13 097	12 428	11 152	10 506	10 572	10 474	10 170
Chile	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Colombia (d)	*	*	9 083	10 220	11 137	10 123	9 401	13 599	15 628	12 273
Costa Rica	700	770	572	713	734	693	725	622	646	681
Cuba	3 351	2 611	1 400	1 472	1 102	1 338	1 569	1 721	2 118	1 749
Dominican Republic (e)	1 128	1 044	1 133	1 592	1 536	1 833	1 864	729	2 188	1 799
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 112	4 542
El Salvador (d)	...	...	...	b 2 006	b 2 506	b 3 474	3 314	2 410	2 058	2 518
Guatemala	3 630	3 830	3 353	2 563	2 533	2 881	2 843	3 275	2 516	2 738
Haiti	1 066	898	970	1 142	...	...	...	1 223	1 423	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	b 10 762	b 9 706	b 9 060	b 8 081	b 7 354	b 7 049	b 7 456	b 6 787	b 7 863	8 257
Nicaragua	...	b 869	b 751	...	...	b 1 018	b 1 052	b 1 524	1 359	964
Panama	1 118	1 172	1 015	1 191	1 740	1 421	1 340	1 159	1 021	826
Paraguay (d)	2 010	1 188	841	1 163	1 243	1 190	1 206	945	933	640
Peru (d)	18 671	16 516	17 881	16 877	15 496	19 640	17 919	17 635	18 081	19 408
United States	119 256	134 946	137 006	134 865	121 742	118 491	109 837	106 925	100 540	98 737
Uruguay	3 591	2 596	2 842	1 925	2 305	2 232	1 611	1 493	1 571	3 705
Venezuela (d)	...	6 951	8 497	9 516	9 824	9 450	9 799	9 088	8 287	8 709
Alaska	419	786	452	790	780	589	956	775	976	912
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	83	87	83	88	94	49	82
Barbados	107	99	101	93	78	77	83	101	111	123
Bermuda	...	...	...	14	26	13	10	7	23	6
British Guiana (f)	275	215	346	332	272	279	209	283	216	202
British Honduras	86	89	41	57	62	73	99	107	112	46
Canal Zone	...	...	43	35	58	67	79	45	23	31
Falkland Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	f 47
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	b 13	b 5	b 2	b 2	b 3	b 2
Hawaii	1 236	1 609	1 184	669	682	551	620	585	490	569
Jamaica	f 1 117	f 1 404	f 1 248	f 1 057	f 996	f 859	f 878	959	734	704
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	30	36	38*	24	19	30	34	19	18
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	26	23	28	16	20
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	42	29	22	21	14	8
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	f 3	f 6	34	27	20	13	4
Martinique	*	* 161	*	* 213	* 292	* 245	* 292	* 300	* 234	* 215
Netherlands Antilles	57	70	47	35	39	48	32	58	36	43
Puerto Rico	6 318	6 472	7 287	7 231	5 866	6 079	6 206	4 726	4 520	4 471
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	f 16	f 17	f 15	f 15	12
Surinam (b)	86	69	75	130	74	139	115	81	163	152
Trinidad and Tobago	525	b 628	...	b 610	b 411	473	428	411	536	412
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	...	...	...	11	8	8	11	5	9	9
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	b 47	106	79	73	108	77	71	82	77	89
Grenada	f 31	f 54	f 28	...	...	...	...	f 46	f 47	f 35
St. Lucia	b 114	b 197	b 305	b 67	b 86	128	194	156	79	143
St. Vincent	84	70	76	54	56	36	b 8	b 18	127	34

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Tuberculosis of respiratory system (001-008).

(c) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(d) For reporting areas.

(e) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(f) Pulmonary tuberculosis (002).

TABLE 2. REPORTED CASES OF SYPHILIS (020-029) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina (a)	...	15520	13798	11872	...	1443	3635	3960	4251	2439
Bolivia	2187	1523	2872	...	2788	2740	2128	3876	...	...
Brazil (b)	...	...	...	...	...	...	14816	14337	10875	15872
Canada (c)	15217	11527	8907	8131	6098	4577	3788	2898	2537	2395
Chile	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Colombia (d)	...	12316	27158	23607	27001	20359	15981	23975	19278	e 3152
Costa Rica	...	...	...	634	1076	1055	729	824	1184	798
Cuba	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dominican Republic (f)	23189	29253	29604	27837	27502	15196	19080	830	31981	32527
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (d)	2255	4133	5189	8585	14088	11186	8808	7479	5641	5941
Guatemala	2369	4193	3124	2909	2148	2706	2143	2006	1667	1305
Haiti	33324	32276	42274	66737	...	...	...	32363	34096	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	39919	39844	32622	31694	29178	24117	22829	22391	23115	23982
Nicaragua	...	958	1633	...	1414	1308	1458	2466	2376	2134
Panama	3008	2985	3928	3665	4978	1390	1151	1150	861	491
Paraguay (d)	9973	5100	9049	7291	7657	6344	4056	3760	2571	1076
Peru (d)	5497	4959	5405	4995	5654	6619	5698	5187	4451	4430
United States	385524	355592	314313	256463	217558	174924	169196	150026	131260	123004
Uruguay	3925	4022	2656	1486	1280	836	537	335	587	469
Venezuela (d)	...	11365	19495	23320	25245	24477	22888	19312	15063	12784
Alaska	140	52	51	38	24	91	69	18	48	27
Bahama Islands	...	91	123	138	96	101	42	112	25	43
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	303	167	156	103	113	65	41	42	30	...
British Guiana	808	938	597	1031	991	775	874	682	632	691
British Honduras	34	69	26	228	245	185	81	232	187	172
Canal Zone	315	45	21	35	302	196	96	88	55	69
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	5	-	1
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	88
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	2139	1540	1112	1078	885
Hawaii	1012	...	402	456	310	276	160	155	87	162
Jamaica	...	8200	9092	9201	9049	6907	5568	5568	5603	6366
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	* 813	* 430	* 279
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	220	222	137	46
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	318	600	342	159	156	80
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	26	45	69	75	g 18	15	17
Martinique	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	* 30	* 10
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	7967	7758	6792	6846	8499	7381	6360	4688	2797	2290
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	* 966	* 629
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	96	g 33	g 19	g 20	105	880	104	118	68	125
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	216	185	251	129	107	152	123	140	37	87
Grenada	883	550	...	...	...	...	...	351	421	123
St. Lucia	1456	819	1232	978	374	624	g 60	707	724	821
St. Vincent	353	303	405	342	343	145	153	173	143	108

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Congenital syphilis (020) and early syphilis (021).

(b) Federal District and State Capitals.

(c) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(d) For reporting areas.

(e) "Contagious syphilis" (020.2, 021).

(f) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(g) Early syphilis (021).

TABLE 3. REPORTED CASES OF GONOCOCCAL INFECTION (030-035) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10238	9417	8533
Bolivia	1296	1771	2530	...	1594	1924	2038	4105	...	...
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	15596	5648	9176	18148
Canada (b)	26286	21764	18547	17439	16106	14341	14416	15290	15472	14230
Chile	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Colombia (c)	...	9045	29614	33122	37171	35068	30692	39338	41321	26025
Costa Rica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuba	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dominican Republic (d)	...	7657	7765	6516	6035	3889	4746	321	18383	18201
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	...	...	...	3516	4970	4901	4694	3644	3070	3787
Guatemala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3833	2984
Haiti	3710	3738	5591	7521	...	...	...	8472	9668	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	27500	27157	26314	25456	23020	23188	23515	23104	23323	21309
Nicaragua	...	432	650	...	...	1035	1817	2343	1278	1646
Panama	3857	4044	4068	2828	1664	2456	3002	1795	1394	1092
Paraguay (c)	3457	1462	2078	894	1369	779	986	1069	729	335
Peru (c)	5942	5809	5439	6068	5328	5954	5527	5053	5767	5602
United States	415855	380666	345501	317950	286746	254057	253839	246311	249883	244279
Uruguay (e)	796	656	699	2347	3083	3490	1891	2974	3806	3395
Venezuela (c)	...	9849	14693	15286	16112	18327	17764	16574	15153	15067
Alaska	892	...	...	...	202	445	453	241	739	480
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	134	172	143	190	134	105	131
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	226	190	62	...
British Guiana	1756	1959	2311	2347	1390	2022	1471	1583	2543	2692
British Honduras	...	74	37	323	480	394	428	454	958	403
Canal Zone	...	...	...	...	f 701	f 461	f 255	f 172	f 105	104
Falkland Islands	12	1	4	2	4	5	-	4	4	8
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	149
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	...	...
Hawaii	628	...	822	607	...	588	738	338	347	411
Jamaica	...	10134	12733	16303	18679	20569	18430	23727	24091	26931
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	* 707	* 960	* 815
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	213	221	107	81
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	459	449	477	304	451	410
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	8	73	124	95	...	...	...
Martinique	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	5931	7201	8789	8597	7112	6706	6575	5544	3846	4397
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	...	...	...	...	...	53	32	25	26	106
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	227	471	441	214	289	505	384	296	160	237
Grenada	928	815	...	...	...	...	...	1135	1303	1022
St. Lucia	974	1896	2097	1707	1071	668	611	443	1451	1084
St. Vincent	494	450	546	907	753	558	457	506	573	871

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals.

(b) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(e) Acute or unspecified gonorrhoea (030) and chronic gonococcal infection of genito-urinary system (031).

(f) Gonococcal infection and other venereal diseases (030-038).

TABLE 4. REPORTED CASES OF CHANCROID (036) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	132	125	443
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 142	8 022	8 723	7 538
Canada (b)	48	176	33	27	13	20	22	19	47	21
Chile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colombia (c)	...	4 192	7 802	11 173	12 256	10 876	8 903	9 133	8 815	7 152
Costa Rica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuba	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dominican Republic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	6 843	4 435
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	...	...	...	1 237	1 227	722	611	575	421	439
Guatemala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	428	694
Haiti	d 2 901	d 2 665	d 2 080	d 2 736	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	194	99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paraguay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peru (c)	...	...	...	...	...	201	233	424	234	248
United States	8 349	9 515	7 661	6 707	4 977	4 233	3 825	3 554	3 126	2 785
Uruguay	-	-	-	-	6	16	13	3	-	3
Venezuela (c)	...	4 533	6 029	5 738	4 773	4 839	4 975	4 557	3 558	1 778
Alaska	...	...	...	...	-	2	-	-	-	5
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	29	26	56	59	35	74	71	82	129	106
British Honduras	...	2	4	6	3	3	2	24	6	2
Canal Zone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	d 35
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...
Hawaii	...	...	7	18	...	34	25	16	30	57
Jamaica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua (*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	d 141	d 136	d 104
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	12	9	11
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	11	12
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Martinique	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	35	30	19
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	...	...	...	...	...	1	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	d 92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	...	4
St. Lucia	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
St. Vincent	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals.

(b) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) Other venereal diseases (036-038).

TABLE 5. REPORTED CASES OF TYPHOID FEVER (040) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	985	1226	3074	2202	2491	1944
Bolivia	476	323	297	259	157	a 486	a 520	a 879	197	301
Brazil (b)	...	...	...	...	...	...	a 1696	a 1622	a 1536	a 3157
Canada (c)	681	565	486	637	536	437	459	370	401	314
Chile (a)	3512	3573	3803	3465	3395	4225	5151	4276	4064	4443
Colombia (d)	...	a 7495	a 11207	8497	7633	7361	6876	9302	10618	a 14561
Costa Rica	356	...	...	...	a 182	a 220	85	164	117	269
Cuba	3001	1885	1182	1283	747	555	659	1018	481	495
Dominican Republic (e)	568	599	591	306	300	330	238	379	158	216
Ecuador (a)	2269	1679	1224	1335	2093	1443	1522	1928	2182	1570
El Salvador (d)	...	a 284	a 180	259	376	498	a 665	a 533	488	652
Guatemala (a)	817	955	848	879	651	826	1052	668	511	718
Haiti	314	360	203	110	197	139	302	196	463	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	8178	6190	5349	6006	5071	5901	5334	4978	5935	6055
Nicaragua	...	...	292	...	...	...	394	637	685	286
Panama	24	34	26	23	42	41	38	47	37	33
Paraguay (d)	199	132	145	113	96	94	126	96	71	43
Peru (a, d)	4212	3991	3292	3163	2551	3290	3574	4200	3815	4385
United States	3268	3075	2840	2795	2484	2128	2341	2252	2169	1704
Uruguay	1150	821	844	423	598	618	726	620	675	714
Venezuela (a, d)	...	1644	2373	1638	1510	1014	1140	1180	1281	829
Alaska	3	15	2	1	17	-	2	7	3	8
Bahama Islands	...	a 12	a 7	9	17	17	24	9	14	13
Barbados	69	97	98	69	37	53	52	67	42	78
Bermuda	a 1	...	a 4	-	-	2	-	-	-	...
British Guiana	504	353	534	536	819	701	419	682	667	520
British Honduras	59	61	40	53	60	61	45	85	42	40
Canal Zone	1	...	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	6	13	12	...	9	19
Guadeloupe	...	160	94	12	120	20	9	97	28	64
Hawaii	8	3	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	1
Jamaica	1429	1388	1077	630	726	763	621	409	411	462
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua (a)	...	101	232	66	16	33	9	49	47	54
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	a 19	8	10	15	9	-
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	113	54	29	11	24	8	7	4
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	9	5	4	9	11	7	2
Martinique	357	a 552	a 294	a 295	a 449	a 180	a 109	a 80	a 122	a 142
Netherlands Antilles	12	24	30	16	20	16	19	13	11	4
Puerto Rico	177	182	158	105	69	89	77	74	44	39
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	79	129	95	121	84	70	42	66	55	59
Trinidad and Tobago	523	470	367	256	170	223	230	400	254	146
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	9	a 4	a 3	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	2	59	68	68	62	41	90	74	41	95
Grenada	96	43	36	28	20	28	18	31	32	18
St. Lucia	41	39	23	15	26	16	33	47	29	27
St. Vincent	29	282	51	45	25	35	31	148	116	65

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Including paratyphoid fever (041).

(b) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(c) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(d) For reporting areas.

(e) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

TABLE 6. REPORTED CASES OF PARATYPHOID FEVER (041) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	130	158	401	255
Bolivia	373	269	353	371	442	a ...	a ...	a ...	...	147
Brazil (b)	...	...	...	...	...	a ...	a ...	a ...	a ...	a ...
Canada (c)	240	132	79	124	182	122	50	87	66	66
Chile (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colombia (d)	...	a ...	a ...	...	2831	e 3670	e 3376	e 3270	e 3727	e 4960
Costa Rica	5	...	...	...	a ...	a ...	2	5	7	13
Cuba	72	16	27	3	15	8	17	11	7	-
Dominican Republic (f)	109	108	69	31	48	63	55	129	24	39
Ecuador (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (d)	...	a ...	a ...	...	57	e 202	e 863	a ...	a ...	e 683
Guatemala (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Haiti	3	10	10	5	1	1	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	...	...	...	...	921	878	852	1052	1038	1044
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	6	1	1	13	-	1	6	10	-	...
Paraguay (d)	...	...	210	68	90	49	...	45	46	6
Peru (a, d)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United States (e)	723	951	882	1243	1233	1773	2596	3946	5375	5447
Uruguay	4	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	6
Venezuela (a, d)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Alaska	-	-	e 54	-	-	-	-	-	e 44	e 24
Bahama Islands	...	a ...	a ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	a ...	...	a ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Honduras	6	7	4	7	6	3	4	6	3	1
Canal Zone	6	...	4	3	4	-	-	-	1	1
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	-	-	5	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...
Hawaii	11	-	3	-	1	31	e 106	e 212	e 216	e 209
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	a ...	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	1	2
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	...	...
Martinique	6	a ...	a ...	a ...	a ...	a ...	a ...	a ...	a ...	a ...
Netherlands Antilles	3	...	31	20	24	144	131	198	206	86
Puerto Rico	...	...	...	...	...	10	e 16	e 4	-	e 4
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	3	a ...	a ...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Included with typhoid fever (040).

(b) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(c) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(d) For reporting areas.

(e) Including other Salmonella infections (042).

(f) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

TABLE 7. REPORTED CASES OF BRUCELLOSIS (UNDULANT FEVER) (044) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	2 543	820	1 825	1 397	2 402	3 243	3 565
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	13	2	1	8	...	...
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	7	6	8
Canada (b)	250	383	308	196	294	191	121	134	133	122
Chile	7	10	3	17	42	99	71	35	39	14
Colombia (c)	...	*	*	*	117	18	21	19	18	17
Costa Rica	2	...	...	...	-	3	3	6	3	2
Cuba	2	3	3	6	4	5	-	3	2	6
Dominican Republic (d)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	...	1	...	1	1	9	...	...	...	6
Guatemala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Haiti	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	1 656	1 471	1 728	1 435	1 041	1 003	1 081	813	1 031	1 096
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	3	-	...
Paraguay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peru (c)	554	314	341	491	593	387	388	422	386	445
United States	5 887	6 321	4 991	4 235	3 510	3 139	2 537	2 032	1 823	1 444
Uruguay	3	12	3	-	4	2	2	1	1	-
Venezuela (c)	...	-	13	18	18	7	7	18	6	14
Alaska	-	1	3	-	1	12	1	2	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	-	-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
British Honduras	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Canal Zone	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guadeloupe	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hawaii	3	1	1	4	1	5	3	1	2	1
Jamaica	*	*	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	1
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	...	...
Martinique	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	5	4	2	2	1	4	2	1	1	1
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	-	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Notifiable in 7 provinces.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) Data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

TABLE 8. REPORTED CASES OF AMOEBIASIS (046) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	322	2 542	3 490	3 894	2 698
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	432	424	544	899
Canada (b)	88	100	40	17	11	38	19	32	5	3
Chile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colombia (c)	...	27 825	38 395	45 685	48 420	45 924	49 517	69 362	80 000	61 963
Costa Rica	837	...	...	...	...	...	885	757	1 273	1 890
Cuba	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dominican Republic (d)	...	1 285	936	517	636	520	447	...	1 409	1 864
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	428
Guatemala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Haiti	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	19 348	16 096	17 380	16 809	14 242	17 243	18 880	18 146	16 907	17 886
Nicaragua	...	...	995	...	2 396	3 126	6 657	5 832	6 069	3 803
Panama	353	634	442	368	432	364	202	410	250	326
Paraguay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peru	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United States	4 093	3 365	4 871	5 543	4 568	3 550	4 280	4 444	3 523	3 348
Uruguay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Venezuela (c)	...	4 920	7 121	11 782	13 292	12 231	15 857	15 025	14 980	16 143
Alaska	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	18	15	22	25	18	9	1	1	...
Barbados	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bermuda	...	2	-	-	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	...	181	338	365	749	351	499	389	276	411
British Honduras	...	51	24	39	59	74	61	39	32	41
Canal Zone	...	...	7	3	8	22	22	12	6	6
Falkland Islands	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	11
Guadeloupe	...	123	91	21	24	36	19	8	3	4
Hawaii	12	1	8	10	6	10	101	12	3	5
Jamaica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78	21	6
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	1
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Martinique	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Netherlands Antilles	43	14	10	16	1	16	27	68	306	337
Puerto Rico	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	22	-	27
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	140	147	74	75	121	60	130	131	73	97
Trinidad and Tobago	...	...	2 753	11	26	88	79	28	4	1
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	...	...	...	...	-	-	2	1	70	46
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	...	...	...	22	45	47	69	39	48	137
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Notifiable in 8 provinces.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year.

TABLE 9. REPORTED CASES OF BACILLARY DYSENTERY, OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED DYSENTERY
(045, 047, 048) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	4 047	5 402	2 190	4 464	5 976
Bolivia (a)	1 802	1 880	2 010	...	1 470	2 036	1 098	3 965	...	...
Brazil (b)	...	...	...	...	...	...	600	776	1 029	1 867
Canada (c)	111	167	137	227	748	524	485	1 010	1 148	670
Chile (a)	66	74	69	66	39	38	42	24	40	110
Colombia (d, e)	...	*	445	827	2 816	2 912	3 468	6 961	9 293	11 522
Costa Rica	e 11	...	...	...	e 4	e 4	72	44	61	393
Cuba (a)	23	1	-	-	55	-	-	34	-	-
Dominican Republic (f)	a 2 064	2 753	2 703	1 866	2 611	2 572	3 145	a 1 148	10 483	16 568
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (d)	a 860	a 1 058	a 971	a 1 108	a 2 487	a 5 846	a 5 126	a 4 343	a 2 893	g 11 699
Guatemala (a)	6 510	5 851	4 783	3 984	3 175	3 986	5 704	6 004	5 968	7 005
Haiti (a)	500	293	613	2 477	3 304	2 341	4 659	2 436	2 782	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	...	...	...	...	e 1 094	e 1 663	e 2 455	e 3 488	e 1 467	e 2 018
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	e 1 652	e 1 480	e 293	e 801	e 714	e 281
Panama	114	86	104	113	144	134	207	677	201	685
Paraguay (a, d)	2 692	1 632	2 223	1 816	1 273	1 752	2 418	2 734	2 075	1 112
Peru (a, d)	6 931	8 552	8 053	7 205	7 077	8 712	8 313	9 583	8 982	8 820
United States (e)	24 286	17 048	23 753	29 080	23 367	32 215	23 197	16 533	13 846	13 912
Uruguay (a)	-	-	-	-	17	6	5	6	-	11
Venezuela (d)	...	7 192	11 538	26 381	26 871	27 677	40 142	40 584	57 074	65 343
Alaska (e)	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barbados (a)	24	15	5	21	1	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	...	e 3	e -	e -	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana (e)	...	258	176	72	195	135	79	20	30	15
British Honduras	25	61	73	109	111	72	88	407	383	823
Canal Zone	a 47	...	e 38	e 9	e 40	e 30	e 9	e 11	e 8	e 4
Falkland Islands	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	e 15	e 31	e 11	e 3	...	e 86
Guadeloupe	...	e 5	e 5	e 3	...	...	3	e 5	...	e 4
Hawaii (e)	52	...	55	86	98	75	84	174	41	402
Jamaica	a 69	a 226	a 24	a 12	a 28	a 22	a 218	1	86	75
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	a 204	a 327	...	...	...	...	e 126	e 289	e 161
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	a 18	a 23	a 42	a 19	a 8	...	...
Martinique (a)	-	8	-	10	1	2	-	3	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	449	e 106	e 334	e 254	e 134	e 342	e 684	e 631	e 1 450	e 1 032
Puerto Rico	a 2 091	a 75	a 69	a 29	a 31	a 184	e 36	e 18	e 208	e 69
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam (e)	29	20	25	-	112	4	51	7	13	9
Trinidad and Tobago	a 335	a 548	183	293	296	373	418	604	210	122
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	a 2	a 4	a 2	...	e -	e -	e -	e -	e -	e -
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	a 248	a 250	a 71	65	72	46	167	87	78	205
Grenada (e)	4	4	34	195	...	...	...	317	18	7
St. Lucia	...	...	...	...	...	834	155	e 1	42	271
St. Vincent (a)	1	119	3	...	6	22	69	57	62	27

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Dysentery, all forms (045-048).

(b) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(c) Notifiable in 8 provinces.

(d) For reporting areas.

(e) Bacillary dysentery (045).

(f) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(g) Including gastro-enteritis, age 4 weeks and over (571) and diarrhoea, age 2 years and over (785.6).

TABLE 10. REPORTED CASES OF SCARLET FEVER (050) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	1 914	2 212	4 309	5 081	2 458	1 489	1 255	927	1 435	943
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	62	36	24	59	65	38
Brazil (a)	241	183	117	108	612	158	128	90	91	110
Canada (b)	9 308	7 492	7 545	8 582	8 756	14 417	19 010	14 054	11 526	7 345
Chile	210	166	116	95	119	717	2 693	2 743	1 110	836
Colombia (c)	...	49	23	57	83	52	57	110	91	282
Costa Rica	10	...	...	...	17	11	2	6	5	27
Cuba	6	14	11	12	4	1	1	-	1	1
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	...	8	8	2	...	...	2	...	...	66
Guatemala	79	29	37	14	25	23	18	27	21	21
Haiti	-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	480	866	784	581	348	517	449	459	291	357
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	-	-	-	1	4	1	1	3	-	-
Paraguay (c)	38	98	110	91	66	48	127	45	69	7
Peru (c)	152	510	310	598	387	552	192	317	383	219
United States (d)	125 511	93 595	91 295	87 220	64 494	84 151	113 877	132 935	147 785	147 502
Uruguay	335	1 151	2 256	442	1 841	1 355	348	190	295	169
Venezuela (c)	...	8	42	39	30	26	5	15	62	24
Alaska (d)	88	142	82	164	66	63	97	83	136	329
Bahama Islands	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	-	-
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	2	9	-	26	21	10	6	7	7	1
British Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	2	...	1	-	1	2	1	-	-	1
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	-	-
Hawaii (d)	109	34	74	18	33	143	55	50	41	42
Jamaica	21	5	9	3	11	5	12	1	3	8
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	1
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	...	...
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	...	...	...	...	4	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	1	4	2	5	-	-	4	1	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Curitiba, 1950 and 1951; Fortaleza and Manaus, 1951; Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) Including streptococcal sore throat (051).

TABLE 11. REPORTED CASES OF DIPHTHERIA (055) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	2 086	3 300	3 021	2 280	2 564	3 113	3 224	3 000	3 535	2 606
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	65	136	109	98	...	28
Brazil (a)	3 210	3 271	3 018	3 598	3 571	3 178	3 013	2 513	2 753	2 482
Canada (b)	2 535	1 550	898	806	421	253	190	132	208	139
Chile	912	944	931	878	997	1 751	1 248	1 024	884	849
Colombia (c)	...	1 321	2 238	2 191	2 156	2 526	1 877	1 511	1 383	1 428
Costa Rica	284	...	...	...	447	531	303	178	148	145
Cuba	311	427	303	358	219	200	154	167	182	175
Dominican Republic (d)	149	145	61	122	161	189	153	131	258	304
Ecuador	193	151	142	241	310	454	259	333	394	579
El Salvador (c)	33	39	54	116	84	105	122	294	116	76
Guatemala	258	264	226	117	42	78	91	54	93	131
Haiti	32	46	109	117	111	251	86	45	133	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	1 236	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	1 977	1 707	1 489	1 514	1 236	977	1 060	1 077	1 065	966
Nicaragua	...	25	53	...	16	47	38	34	75	41
Panama	241	532	104	78	97	73	41	33	23	21
Paraguay (c)	210	279	334	17	139	177	137	304	72	37
Peru (c)	529	453	297	553	456	173	175	164	223	191
United States	16 354	12 262	9 493	7 969	5 796	3 983	2 960	2 355	2 041	1 984
Uruguay	1 260	1 101	716	372	220	224	198	184	147	127
Venezuela (c)	...	711	749	632	1 011	915	523	447	497	558
Alaska	34	7	4	1	2	-	122	1	1	-
Bahama Islands	...	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	23	36	12	14	23	18	5	16	40	12
Bermuda	-	1	4	17	7	1	-	...	...	-
British Guiana	28	54	27	40	44	33	27	33	47	120
British Honduras	2	4	9	2	4	4	21	36	5	4
Canal Zone	19	...	9	3	4	3	-	-	1	1
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	1	-	-	-	1
Guadeloupe	...	27	17	1	3	9	14	15	11	4
Hawaii	16	10	1	15	9	3	5	5	1	-
Jamaica	79	54	53	55	36	55	37	33	51	47
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	1	1	...	...	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique	7	28	8	17	5	10	3	2	4	-
Netherlands Antilles	40	51	13	123	229	66	29	17	14	153
Puerto Rico	575	624	556	411	416	493	422	327	164	81
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	57	32	19	34	9	40	80	141	168	98
Trinidad and Tobago	46	60	21	57	89	90	89	143	107	89
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	2	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Curitiba, 1950 and 1951; Fortaleza and Manaus, 1951; Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

TABLE 12. REPORTED CASES OF WHOOPING COUGH (056) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955.

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	9038	4474	10797	17490	30694	20152	31501	25700
Bolivia	2540	920	4582	3732	2318	1011	897	2324	...	944
Brazil (a)	5586	5230	6006	6462	4825	4896	5561	5990	7126	7383
Canada (b)	7671	10324	7084	7961	12182	8889	8520	9387	11600	13682
Chile	4678	5017	4221	3111	2978	13763	5484	3392	7890	7080
Colombia (c)	...	15736	20057	22461	25842	26956	21246	22771	29948	41099
Costa Rica	503	...	...	...	881	404	794	1606	551	442
Cuba	29	215	9	109	195	153	39	40	59	49
Dominican Republic (d)	1083	948	266	1809	3463	1135	912	29	4248	5718
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	3211	3989	3871	2471	3063	1822	1083	2156	3400	861
Guatemala	3120	9159	5969	3221	6880	7747	10860	7515	8333	5736
Haiti	152	293	597	1843	2292	2485	2183	1122	2651	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	31532	27578	26715	31088	31654	23204	32734	24946	36245	23823
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	52	115	1044	1877	1224	1320
Panama	368	371	386	1938	1328	353	357	520	614	547
Paraguay (c)	3987	1877	904	1711	1986	4330	2882	1725	4530	1065
Peru (c)	12295	19361	19443	19115	12949	19379	12318	15149	14199	12562
United States	109860	156517	74715	69479	120718	68687	45030	37129	60886	62786
Uruguay	1798	1078	1526	591	2907	1239	874	938	3431	1095
Venezuela (c)	...	5894	10014	10311	11983	14260	19206	11023	14184	17459
Alaska	6	4	79	5	103	72	148	16	-	54
Bahama Islands	...	-	1336	6	-	2	4	285	26	8
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	1	2	-	14	35	38	1	-	...	46
British Guiana	e 51	...	...	...	...	e 44	e 474	e 343	e 374	e 372
British Honduras	...	14	4	224	42	173	194	199	702	102
Canal Zone	27	5	11	42	63	8	19	3	-	5
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	-	72
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	122	258	1	...	...	1	67
Hawaii	28	1273	507	17	35	10	43	136	114	26
Jamaica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	2178	288
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	1737	...	...	...	...	...	133	127	1
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	13	654	-	-	13	-
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	1868	287	-	42	-	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	444	53	1	-	-	-
Martinique	...	29	...	...	2	1	1	16	186	52
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	1167	969	1411	3097	2453	674	972	1057	2475	742
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago (*)	587	143	872	231	54	1086	968	81	693	488
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	157	-	16	164	64	1	2	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	994	1455	90	...	1774	406	8	2	-	4
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	...
St. Lucia	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	42	1479
St. Vincent	662	-	1885	369	56	24	920	614	-	2079

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

- (a) Federal District and State Capitals except: São Paulo 1946-1955; Curitiba, 1950 and 1951; Fortaleza and Manaus, 1951; Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.
- (b) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.
- (c) For reporting areas.
- (d) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.
- (e) Cases treated in public hospitals.

TABLE 13. REPORTED CASES OF MENINGOCOCCAL INFECTIONS (057) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	16	44	36	20	160	191	208	232	258
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	43	18	10	24	3	44
Brazil (a)	1234	1099	849	481	403	430	355	314	375	313
Canada (b)	256	193	173	171	191	298	265	301	285	310
Chile	402	230	157	122	108	95	89	89	108	147
Colombia (c)	...	*	24	92	512	352	423	691	634	1168
Costa Rica	32	...	...	...	37	64	32	24	10	6
Cuba	7	5	1	6	25	13	9	4	1	1
Dominican Republic (d)	9	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	106	-
Ecuador	...	23	13	10	2	2	46	9	-	-
El Salvador (c)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Guatemala	-	1	1	65	97	89	115	79	69	88
Haiti	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	676	348	396	140	99	113	133	88	34	46
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	24
Panama	8	113	20	18	17	16	3	18	15	6
Paraguay (c)	138	88	208	61	109	92	93	169	103	67
Peru (c)	35	40	65	78	69	86	106	59	79	55
United States	5 693	3 420	3 376	3 519	3 788	4 164	4 884	5 077	4 436	3 455
Uruguay	-	-	-	-	9	9	9	7	2	5
Venezuela (c)	...	-	-	-	1	4	1	3	5	119
Alaska	1	3	6	2	3	7	8	9	13	11
Bahama Islands	...	-	10	8	2	4	2	-	-	9
Barbados	39	8	4	6	2	-	-	-	4	2
Bermuda	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	2	...	...
British Guiana	2	2	1	2	3	e	19	e	19	e
British Honduras	...	1	8	4	6	9	2	7	2	4
Canal Zone	2	...	9	2	3	3	4	2	1	1
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Guadeloupe	-	1	1	-	3	-	2	-	-	1
Hawaii	16	8	2	2	7	2	16	7	5	3
Jamaica	30	18	11	6	10	2	5	3	32	6
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	1	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	-	-	...	-	-	-
Martinique	-	...	...	...	-	3	-	2	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	11	5	6	-	1	5	6	41	14	6
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	...	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-
Trinidad and Tobago	2	-	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	-	-	-	6	1	-	1	2	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-
Grenada	...	...	...	...	-	-	1	-	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	...	...	6	...	-	-	-	1	6	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

- (a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Curitiba, 1950 and 1951; Fortaleza and Manaus, 1951; Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.
- (b) Notifiable in 8 provinces.
- (c) For reporting areas.
- (d) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.
- (e) Cases treated in public hospitals.

TABLE 14. REPORTED CASES OF PLAGUE (058) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	10	7	12	-	2	-	2	-	-	-
Bolivia	13	19	3	3	22	10	55	-	9	45
Brazil	333	88	386	95	55	20	66	10	6	27
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colombia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	45	21	40	19	28	33	44	90	81	7
El Salvador	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nicaragua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru	126	173	73	46	35	23	26	163	75	8
United States	-	1	-	3	3	1	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Venezuela	-	-	7	2	5	8	-	1	-	-
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surinam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

TABLE 15. REPORTED CASES OF LEPROSY (060) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	1 233	745	514	379	476	403	399	420	426
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	53	10	8	36	...	12
Brazil	...	...	...	...	4 690	4 829	5 044	...	...	...
Canada (a)	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	2	1	-
Chile	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
Colombia (b)	...	422	*	*	498	635	705	903	980	822
Costa Rica	44	...	...	...	62	33	29	8	34	34
Cuba	134	145	94	77	127	72	99	35	29	16
Dominican Republic (c)	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	35	21	40
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (b)	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	3
Guatemala	2	-	-	-	5	6	2	4	3	11
Haiti	6	9	7	8	8	10	2	21	10	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	415	510	290	311	313	301	248	312	291	237
Nicaragua	...	36	43	...	...	...	15	11	5	4
Panama	9	1	1	3	-	2	4	9	6	1
Paraguay (b)	412	102	484	301	317	375	267	203	335	167
Peru (b)	153	65	108	78	86	79	92	92	93	88
United States	43	56	63	41	44	57	57	60	56	75
Uruguay	15	8	7	9	6	10	13	10	15	15
Venezuela (b)	...	499	499	1 382	912	711	614	623	350	288
Alaska	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	4	2	-	3	2	1	2	-	1
Barbados	3	2	2	3	-	1	3	1	1	1
Bermuda	1	1	-	-	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	30	...	...	5	2	9	10	32	64	82
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	69	72	11	48	57	60
Guadeloupe	...	37	36	58	79	146	66	32	45	78
Hawaii	33	29	27	31	34	23	21	23	20	25
Jamaica	27	26	22	21	28	24	24	10	18	15
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	14	9	9	5	2	4	5	6	5	4
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	2	1	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	4	17	10	3	2	2
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-
Martinique	53	51	76	83	139	110	90	100	196	217
Netherlands Antilles	1	3	3	2	5	1	2	5	1	3
Puerto Rico	5	7	4	5	2	14	14	12	13	1
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	67	84	79	99	161	135	173	209	268	253
Trinidad and Tobago	...	...	28	...	36	43	35	60	27	39
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	1	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	1	1	-	4	1	2	1	2	-	2
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	5	-	-	3	-	11	5	2	1	4
St. Vincent	-	3	4	1	-	2	-	-	2	1

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Notifiable in 9 provinces.

(b) For reporting areas.

(c) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(d) Cases treated in public hospitals.

TABLE 16. REPORTED CASES OF TETANUS (061) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	91	174	249	222
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	34	20	45	64	...	14
Brazil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canada (a)	2	5	9	7	4	2	11	8	3	10
Chile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colombia (b)	...	*	301	505	533	389	414	531	603	566
Costa Rica	293	...	...	...	251	230	250	252	242	261
Cuba	...	62	52	101	82	62	60	61	59	64
Dominican Republic (c)	...	...	...	...	...	160	167	103	410	163
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (b)	...	...	...	145	191	302	276	266	169	120
Guatemala	123	153	101	61	76	65	98	80	70	64
Haiti	158	166	194	166	227	174	...	255	349	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	449	453	507	466	492	430	475	475	524	565
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	370	442	62	148	187	77
Panama	27	21	26	33	37	27	46	55	31	15
Paraguay (b)	326	208	372	253	209	362	502	468	426	164
Peru (b)	...	...	...	...	...	34	94	94	99	129
United States	...	560	601	579	486	506	484	506	524	462
Uruguay	46	43	40	40	36	45	55	62	61	78
Venezuela (b)	...	407	508	682	706	868	1056	938	1009	1143
Alaska	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	1	7	7	1	...	...	-	2	...
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	2	2	2	5	1	4	6	2	1	...
British Guiana (d)	32	...	...	44	73	207	85	46	39	53
British Honduras	...	6	4	17	6	7	3	-	8	15
Canal Zone	...	...	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	1
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6	6
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	1	10	10	2	12	9	12
Hawaii	...	14	11	4	13	4	3	2	1	7
Jamaica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	35	27
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua (*)	...	6	10	6	13	7	8	7	7	5
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	2	1	4	6	2	1
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Martinique	36	-	1	-	-	16	-	4	16	7
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	123	142	133	177	162	154	174	161	126	94
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	1	4	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	9	4	1	1	-	1	3	6	3	24
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	...	...	...	...	...	12	2	4	3	4
St. Vincent	12	15	9	9	-	8	11	17	-	6

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Notifiable in 5 provinces.

(b) For reporting areas.

(c) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(d) Cases treated in public hospitals.

TABLE 17. REPORTED CASES OF ANTHRAX (062) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	215	327	201	245	153	460	393	319	191
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	19	60	74	16	...	14
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-
Canada (b)	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	467	470	416	324	348	218	335	235	315	401
Colombia (c)	...	14	*	34	89	*	14	30	13	18
Costa Rica	1	...	...	...	-	4	2	1	7	6
Cuba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	...	15	7	14	18	20	6	1	1	1
Guatemala	-	1	-	-	23	38	31	85	110	69
Haiti	39	65	129	97	...	11	...	44	36	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	410	204	149	156	161	172	114	205	152	142
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	-	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	1
Paraguay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peru (c)	...	...	...	...	...	33	38	57	50	40
United States	40	69	60	54	49	60	47	45	22	39
Uruguay	89	83	67	44	68	61	89	102	47	58
Venezuela (c)	...	6	176	292	238	155	134	89	118	60
Alaska	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hawaii	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jamaica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua (*)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Martinique	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Netherlands Antilles	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	...	...	...	...	-	-	...	...	...
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Notifiable in 6 provinces.

(c) For reporting areas.

TABLE 18. REPORTED CASES OF RELAPSING FEVER (071) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	-	-	-	-	-	-	a 1	a 5	a 6	a 2
Bolivia	...	...	...	b,c 100	18	10	11	291	...	b 8
Brazil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canada (d)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colombia (e)	...	1695	3085	3418	2783	1748	1932	1472	1399	a 206
Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (e)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	b 10	-	-	b 2	b 8	b 5	b 2	b 1	b 3	-
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	80	1	3	-	-	4	1	13	-	a 1
Paraguay (e)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru (e)	...	...	...	...	...	3	9	17	46	b 30
United States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Uruguay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Venezuela (e)	...	69	120	87	180	88	66	18	44	61
Alaska	...	-	-	-	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	...	...	...
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	a 1	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hawaii	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	...	...	...
Martinique	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Tick-borne relapsing fever (071.1).

(b) Louse-borne relapsing fever (071.0).

(c) Estimated.

(d) Notifiable in 6 provinces.

(e) For reporting areas.

TABLE 19. REPORTED CASES OF YAWS (073) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	4	2	-
Canada	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colombia (b)	...	1 791	2 357	3 709	2 855	2 547	3 083	4 246	2 473	1 299
Costa Rica	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	-	1	1
Cuba	-	13	4	-	-	-	-	110	-	-
Dominican Republic (c)	...	8 984	6 665	7 324	6 730	6 078	5 471	...	15 574	24 107
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (b)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	13 286	19 045	32 128	45 356	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	706	376	307	243	256	158	171	189	163	144
Paraguay (b)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru (b)	...	...	...	...	...	475	390	423	163	288
United States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Uruguay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Venezuela (b)	...	1 471	2 674	3 680	2 530	1 978	1 457	1 285	976	901
Alaska	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	-
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana (d)	101	...	...	16	76	81	65	45	72	52
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	...	...	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	100	159	102	91	...	...
Hawaii	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jamaica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua (*)	...	128	112	89	...	...	...	35	70	46
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	558	432	293	108
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	422	806	615	574	498	239
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	6	13	-
Martinique	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	2 187	2 448	2 025	1 339	1 436	806	462	312	341	269
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	2 105	3 137	672	1 081	45	58	719	451
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	...	497	630	290	222	275	545	403	146	348
Grenada	2 114	1 329	2 356	...	2 429	1 306	1 256	1 933	798	178
St. Lucia	997	305	1 050	745	679	516	557	774	1 124	1 010
St. Vincent	4 611	2 440	3 567	3 528	1 289	875	1 311	1 680	1 430	401

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) For reporting areas.

(c) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year.

(d) Cases treated in public hospitals.

TABLE 20. REPORTED CASES OF ACUTE POLIOMYELITIS (080) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina (a)	659	487	552	1 103	586	1 015	695	2 579	871	435
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	4	12	7	2	...	a 1
Brazil (b)	...	...	...	...	...	...	152	681	561	368
Canada (c)	2 527	2 291	1 168	2 458	911	2 568	4 755	8 878	2 390	1 021
Chile	71	61	172	292	653	251	575	554	589	416
Colombia (d)	...	88	67	91	133	67	29	154	110	155
Costa Rica	40	...	...	...	33	58	13	9	1 081	45
Cuba	343	74	10	28	28	11	494	69	56	287
Dominican Republic	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	e 7	-	-
Ecuador	3	35	15	18	55	25	47	37	62	40
El Salvador (a, d)	11	4	3	10	4	33	10	151	40	9
Guatemala (a)	3	18	5	62	30	37	112	140	139	86
Haiti	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	7	-
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico (a)	247	212	653	669	804	1 834	771	1 787	609	1 824
Nicaragua (a)	78	8	14	3	6	32	24	191	45	113
Panama	9	26	2	4	92	50	9	22	27	14
Paraguay (a, d)	20	137	141	122	113	83	40	59	70	37
Peru (d)	49	21	36	35	30	53	127	79	73	203
United States	25 698	10 827	27 726	42 033	33 300	28 386	57 879	35 592	38 476	28 935
Uruguay	61	128	11	22	99	95	26	56	86	551
Venezuela (d)	...	21	69	122	110	124	266	327	325	390
Alaska	2	-	1	1	60	33	80	67	365	57
Bahama Islands	...	-	-	1	-	-	4	1	-	-
Barbados (a)	2	-	1	4	-	-	-	3	1	-
Bermuda	2	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	1	-
British Guiana (a)	...	...	3	-	2	5	2	2	3	3
British Honduras	-	1	2	3	-	-	4	3	-	1
Canal Zone	1	...	10	5	24	6	17	12	9	4
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	6	13
Hawaii	25	35	2	18	30	19	161	57	216	185
Jamaica	2	5	5	3	13	2	2	4	759	71
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	...	...	...	1	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	13	2
Netherlands Antilles	...	...	...	...	7	-	7	1	2	14
Puerto Rico	307	57	30	52	28	89	a 57	34	a 118	434
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	5	5	8	8	1	3	6	1	189	16
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	3	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	a 2	a 19	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Paralytic poliomyelitis (080.0, 080.1).

(b) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(c) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(d) For reporting areas.

(e) Cases treated in hospitals.

TABLE 21. REPORTED CASES OF ACUTE INFECTIOUS ENCEPHALITIS (082) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	29	5	123	62	116
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	2	1	-	21	...	...
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	78	100	98
Canada (b)	25	159	36	72	41	46	37	46	42	35
Chile	6	10	8	12	13	15	20	61	61	27
Colombia (c)	...	*	*	*	95	79	159	168	155	104
Costa Rica	3	...	...	...	16	34	4	10	12	6
Cuba	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13
Guatemala	-	-	-	3	6	18	21	40	43	35
Haiti	-	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	-
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	...	...
Panama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Paraguay (c)	46	17	92	39	58	81	19	73	51	16
Peru (c)	5	14	8	23	42	21	7	14	19	21
United States	728	785	730	903	1135	1123	1912	1935	2606	2166
Uruguay	1	-	1	-	-	20	24	14	5	12
Venezuela (c)	...	-	-	-	4	-	-	2	7	22
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	...	-	-
Barbados	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	4	-	3	-	2	-	...	2	...	1
British Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Canal Zone	-	...	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hawaii	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	1
Jamaica	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-
Martinique	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	-	1	-	...	...	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	...	...	...	-	-	1	-	-	1
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Notifiable in 7 provinces.

(c) For reporting areas.

TABLE 22. REPORTED CASES OF SMALLPOX (084) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	71	55	166	1 609	4 788	1 404	982	336	256	55
Bolivia	1 033	501	831	805	594	728	432	429	624	355
Brazil (a)	1 227	867	1 288	670	706	1 190	1 668	923	1 035	2 580
Canada (b)	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	-	-	5	4	2 744	47	15	9	-	-
Colombia (c)	...	4 903	7 356	3 040	4 818	3 844	3 235	5 526	7 203	3 404
Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	114	2 989	3 892	664	251	174	665	708	2 516	1 831
El Salvador	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	9	11	6	4	10	3	1	1	-	-
Haiti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	327	1 125	1 541	1 060	762	27	-	-	-	-
Nicaragua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay (c)	166	2 207	1 702	179	304	282	797	770	207	57
Peru (c)	700	537	7 105	6 305	3 612	1 218	1 360	172	115	-
United States	337	176	57	49	39	11	21	4	9	2
Uruguay	40	326	-	9	3	-	16	7	1	45
Venezuela	2 114	7 446	6 358	3 951	2 181	280	109	72	13	2
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surinam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) These cases do not fulfill the generally accepted criteria for a diagnosis of smallpox.

TABLE 23. REPORTED CASES OF MEASLES (085) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	21 355	2 485	15 218	3 928	16 428	14 362	26 983	37 206	11 796
Bolivia	914	420	1 478	...	593	624	508	506	...	973
Brazil (a)	1 774	1 655	2 000	2 664	2 219	1 067	1 785	2 432	2 303	3 116
Canada (b)	67 528	39 455	66 004	58 511	55 653	61 300	56 178	57 871	36 850	56 922
Chile	1 278	1 899	3 142	2 503	1 093	3 746	4 224	7 429	6 672	11 831
Colombia (c)	...	4 512	11 169	24 917	19 508	14 678	17 275	26 438	29 752	31 327
Costa Rica	...	...	...	...	579	729	534	1 197	1 179	1 319
Cuba	194	297	300	317	496	543	283	108	445	269
Dominican Republic (d)	...	2 594	669	100	226	1 638	1 297	135	1 172	7 403
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	3 877	1 580	1 015	2 450	1 916	3 087	3 117	1 254	2 530	2 552
Guatemala	2 542	1 462	1 148	810	1 377	792	3 657	3 824	787	3 134
Haiti	174	124	70	158	539	109	57	75	370	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	39 383	8 234	24 227	40 186	23 921	32 221	16 788	36 515	19 488	44 859
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	31	465	663	1 002	1 939	1 149
Panama	1 092	517	107	23	1 221	468	1 074	929	287	738
Paraguay (c)	1 389	1 907	887	652	2 224	724	461	1 950	1 663	562
Peru (c)	5 518	6 230	5 991	5 935	10 709	8 921	6 699	4 382	10 258	8 382
United States	695 843	222 375	615 104	625 281	319 124	530 118	683 077	449 146	682 720	555 156
Uruguay	476	4 725	339	159	6 183	1 441	6 452	3 651	4 771	771
Venezuela (c)	...	2 308	5 308	11 520	9 027	10 218	9 151	9 828	20 258	11 845
Alaska	406	51	89	465	364	1 565	298	2 142	1 492	606
Bahama Islands	...	-	-	318	162	2	4	-	145	63
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	...	7	4	9	347	17	11	7	72	331
British Guiana	...	147	150	430	201	9	-	778	59	1
British Honduras	...	39	3	3	258	189	9	143	6	55
Canal Zone	235	...	20	61	758	35	242	224	61	138
Falkland Islands	-	391	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	33	...	...
Guadeloupe	...	450	...	...	2	204	8	2	39	20
Hawaii	726	68	2 769	5 440	80	8 083	5 346	142	586	6 763
Jamaica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	6 127	695
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 782	6	42
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	1	129	49	14	1
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	-	143	56	2	...	...
Martinique	550	42	-	-	23	68	2	-	2	395
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	458	1 174	6 843	380	2 004	3 587	1 471	1 761	4 154	3 891
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago (*)	35	9	36	657	594	33	20	17	728	264
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	1	-	38	1	-	146	85	1	13	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	...	5	1	-	1	9	1 763	1	3	30
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	2 187	17	39	13	37
St. Vincent	6	...	...	...	34	...	...	80	279	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Curitiba, 1950 and 1951; Fortaleza and Manaus, 1951; Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Notifiable in 9 provinces.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(e) Cases treated in public hospitals.

TABLE 24. REPORTED CASES OF YELLOW FEVER (091) ^(a) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bolivia	19	5	30	158	354	3	1	18	2	7
Brazil	1	2	3	6	4	50	221	39	9	8
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colombia	19	77	12	3	12	26	16	11	12	22
Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	-	180	93	5	-	-
Cuba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	-	-	-	1	-	42	-	-	-	-
El Salvador	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Mexico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nicaragua	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	8	-	-
Panama	-	-	5	4	2	3	-	-	-	-
Paraguay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru	3	4	1	4	16	4	1	-	26	-
United States	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Venezuela	11	3	1	-	3	4	1	8	29	5
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Guiana	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surinam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	b 18	-
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) All the cases reported 1946-1955 were jungle yellow fever except in Trinidad and Tobago in 1954 (see note b).

(b) Jungle yellow fever, 15 cases; urban yellow fever, 3 cases.

TABLE 25. REPORTED CASES OF INFECTIOUS HEPATITIS (092) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	959	751	821
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brazil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canada (a)	332	262	76	172	378	389	2 386	3 240	4 567	3 861
Chile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colombia (b)	...	*	640	2 102	*	*	*	*	*	*
Costa Rica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cuba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	^c 46	...	...
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (b)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	242
Guatemala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Haiti	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	*	*	*	*	*	*	80	24	206	264
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paraguay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peru (b)	...	...	...	...	...	150	528	674	1 004	2 006
United States (d)	...	1 092	709	2 027	2 820	7 349	17 428	33 700	50 093	31 961
Uruguay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Venezuela	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alaska (d)	...	-	3	1	2	132	280	25	170	310
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	...	5	3	2	1	2	1	2	2	17
British Guiana	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
British Honduras	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone (e)	...	...	16	13	36	16	18	6	15	26
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hawaii (d)	...	2	5	6	6	5	68	55	56	50
Jamaica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	36	45
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua (*)	...	...	...	...	-	-	1	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	-	3
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	23	48	58	40	43	33
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	...	...
Martinique	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico (d)	*	*	*	*	*	*	17	58	99	82
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	...	...	...	...	...	3	7	5	16	6
St. Vincent	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	6	...	24

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Notifiable in 4 provinces.

(b) For reporting areas.

(c) Cases treated in hospitals.

(d) Including serum jaundice (N 998.5 pt.).

(e) Including Weil's disease (072).

TABLE 26. REPORTED CASES OF RABIES (094) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	-	2	2	9	8	20	8	8	10	22
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Brazil	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	19	20	25
Canada (a)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	5	3	10	10	-	9	6	1	2	8
Colombia (b)	...	*	*	22	285	64	42	75	59	52
Costa Rica	-	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	47	3	5	6	1	2	3	4	4	1
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (b)	...	2	...	...	1	2	...	1	1	3
Guatemala	-	1	-	-	6	3	2	9	5	9
Haiti	9	4	1	4	1	1	...	1	1	1
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	66	48	34	33	23	30	37	29	26	36
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay (b)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Peru (b)	...	...	...	...	...	16	29	5	14	7
United States (c)	34	26	24	10	18	18	24	12	13	6
Uruguay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Venezuela	12	6	6	8	5	17	26	17	8	15
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	d	7	d
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hawaii	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Notifiable in 7 provinces.

(b) For reporting areas.

(c) For 1946-1954 figures represent registered deaths.

(d) Deaths in hospitals.

TABLE 27. REPORTED CASES OF TRACHOMA (095) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	2 202	2 222	1 414	2 408	3 104
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brazil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canada (a)	20	8	9	17	7	8	5	25	4	9
Chile	65	9	15	6	-	3	-	2	-	2
Colombia	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	-	7	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic (b)	22	40	-	-	-	204	40	-	76	111
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (c)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	1	-	-	5	7	13	105	6	11	17
Haiti	57	67	60	58	64	95	...	...	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	516	21	2	2	4	1	7	-	4	11
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	-	-	-	-	21	...	...	...	...	...
Paraguay (c)	215	57	277	184	136	381	338	81	40	19
Peru	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United States	...	1 540	2 565	1 475	1 584	2 916	3 088	773	1 172	1 130
Uruguay	120	47	49	83	35	21	17	12	12	24
Venezuela (c)	...	29	78	74	168	48	68	20	9	16
Alaska	...	...	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	1	-	...	...	...	...
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	1	...	1	-	-	1	...	-	...	...
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	9	-	-
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hawaii	...	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua (*)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Martinique	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Notifiable in 4 provinces.

(b) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(c) For reporting areas.

TABLE 28. REPORTED CASES OF LOUSE-BORNE TYPHUS (100) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	-	-	-	-	-	10	1	2	-	-
Bolivia	263	198	404	56	218	99	85	409	1201	354
Brazil	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	a 607	a 724	a 1235	a 561	a 473	a 656	a 261	a 238	9	143
Colombia (b)	...	a 2896	a 3471	a 2892	424	190	201	174	122	197
Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	1064	564	389	297	330	719	552	512	468	319
El Salvador	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala (a)	779	399	207	58	37	38	17	16	9	14
Haiti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	a 1990	a 2286	a 1997	a 1597	a 1223	a 1155	a 1018	a 762	1008	382
Nicaragua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru (b)	a 1329	a 1719	a 1863	a 1830	a 1490	948	972	404	476	229
United States	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Venezuela	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jamaica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antigua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surinam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Including murine and unspecified typhus (101, 107).

(b) For reporting areas.

TABLE 29. REPORTED CASES OF FLEA-BORNE TYPHUS (MURINE) (101) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	-	14	23	2	-	-	3	-	6	19
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	4	2
Canada (b)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	c 271	c 246
Colombia (d)	...	...	...	...	2241	1594	1698	1664	1463	842
Costa Rica	...	...	...	...	31	37	c 16	13	c 9	6
Cuba (e)	13	7	12	4	-	4	-	-	2	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
Ecuador	36	43	83	59	77	28	15	24	8	7
El Salvador (d)	c 2	2	1	c 21	c 23	c 22	c 29	c 52	11	c 6
Guatemala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Haiti	...	...	...	e 1	-	-	-	-	...	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	291
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	-	13	13	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay (d)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru (d)	...	...	...	...	...	16	59	24	6	4
United States (f)	3 365	2 050	1 171	985	685	378	205	221	163	135
Uruguay	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Venezuela (d)	...	235	214	237	176	85	68	66	47	21
Alaska	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
British Honduras	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canal Zone	1	...	-	2	1	-	2	1	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaii	...	45	22	15	12	5	6	3	8	8
Jamaica	40	35	18	13	33	25	7	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	...	...
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique	18	-	-	-	1	3	1	1	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	1	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	136	53	37	44	27	11	5	2	4	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	e 3	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Grenada	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	...	...
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Vincent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Notifiable in 9 provinces.

(c) Including typhus, unspecified (107).

(d) For reporting areas.

(e) Rickettsial diseases other than louse-borne typhus (101-108).

(f) Including a few cases reported as Brill's disease.

TABLE 30. REPORTED CASES OF MALARIA (110-117) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	122 168	41 250	15 667	4 304	1 954	1 829	1 040	648	618	240
Bolivia	13 784	10 671	13 231	...	9 783	15 324	12 015	21 014	...	1 864
Brazil	...	338 119	228 278	110 992	104 777	195 786	165 933	209 755	243 248	383 946
Canada (a)	9	9	1	5	-	-	17	4	8	3
Chile	-	1	-	4	-	-	1	-	-	...
Colombia (b)	...	53 381	89 727	100 199	91 551	86 137	73 993	83 877	73 906	77 219
Costa Rica	2 231	...	...	...	10 595	9 256	2 223	1 407	1 388	1 090
Cuba	1 659	1 499	842	978	723	930	220	214	248	234
Dominican Republic (c)	63 660	61 637	49 137	52 578	43 528	27 934	29 364	6 206	9 092	10 392
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (b)	13 095	12 443	12 010	16 206	17 647	13 588	10 517	6 561	4 737	2 071
Guatemala	65 235	61 390	48 002	37 109	39 809	41 841	39 393	30 230	29 362	24 010
Haiti	22 336	22 520	34 918	49 876	50 364	46 070	90 928	48 300	58 210	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	103 575	95 984	93 957	73 639	73 029	54 366	55 991	50 947	48 521	41 169
Nicaragua	...	2 727	...	...	6 758	5 914	9 440	10 036	1 485	398
Panama	6 552	8 441	5 486	4 437	3 985	3 975	2 780	4 194	2 849	2 095
Paraguay (b)	12 987	10 393	4 248	2 220	7 224	13 918	9 113	6 971	4 216	717
Peru (b)	57 883	51 150	40 018	30 492	20 057	17 824	17 738	19 232	14 228	11 607
United States	48 610	15 116	9 606	4 151	2 184	5 600	7 023	1 310	715	522
Uruguay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Venezuela	7 404	5 632	3 529	2 032	2 111	2 421	2 699	2 261	1 487	1 158
Alaska	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-
Bahama Islands	...	-	1	-	-	-	-	...	-	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	23 800	15 490	8 701	4 674	1 840	1 008	181	83	31	82
British Honduras	263	1 010	997	3 200	4 225	2 500	2 484	1 884	1 100	1 233
Canal Zone	457	...	135	84	21	63	71	78	85	31
Falkland Islands	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	145
Guadeloupe	...	1 317	1 250	433	12	3	-	-	1	-
Hawaii (d)	119	-	18	163	1	58	97	106	-	-
Jamaica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 417	3 381
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	125	44	38	38	134	3	e 1	-	e 1
Montserrat	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anquilla	...	...	...	...	43	6	2	2	-	1
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	-	1	-	-	-	-
Martinique	-	27	6	-	-	3	-	-	-	1
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	5 584	3 915	1 299	353	73	88	134	28	13	7
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	2 877	2 850	2 919	2 296	1 843	1 013	979	769	535	498
Trinidad and Tobago (*)	8 854	6 115	5 198	4 827	5 098	5 641	5 931	5 050	5 515	1 540
Virgin Islands (U. S. A.)	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	3 015	3 704	2 668	2 059	1 825	1 238	868	546	280	234
Grenada	7 003	5 624	...	...	...	3 233	3 784	3 598	2 747	...
St. Lucia	6 779	7 325	10 060	8 707	6 141	6 574	6 234	3 225	3 042	1 727
St. Vincent	118	18	19	1	9	34	116	5	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Notifiable in 5 provinces.

(b) For reporting areas.

(c) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(d) Including imported cases.

(e) Imported case.

TABLE 31. REPORTED CASES OF ANKYLOSTOMIASIS (129) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	964	2479	2771	3609	2823
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	261	204	230	324	...	...
Brazil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canada	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chile	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colombia (a)	...	20021	40228	56164	56602	63391	65817	83213	89654	79635
Costa Rica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cuba	20	226	173	4	104	147	9	1	3	...
Dominican Republic (b)	...	18966	17075	13205	14339	10019	34747	625	82952	68685
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guatemala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Haiti	222	74	281	424	...	...	...	381	201	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	19592	20606	20991	24002	22609	19156	19104	18771	21783	2266
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Panama	1288	830	584	1397	1001	1879	1271	3952	3088	2476
Paraguay (a)	25672	14045	14624	14253	17927	19394	18537	19380	16791	18754
Peru (a)	...	...	...	...	...	2420	3425	10042	4842	6173
United States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Uruguay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Venezuela (a)	...	8008	18139	34114	37663	35636	41033	37794	34741	29019
Alaska	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barbados	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana (c)	654	...	...	645	727	109	471	542	248	315
British Honduras	...	22	10	37	72	51	34	8	12	7
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guadeloupe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hawaii	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jamaica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	311	584
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	89	78
Montserrat	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	35	270	120	82	43	48
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Martinique	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	941	...	...	298	217	163	57	115	16	401
Grenada	4314	2046	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Lucia	*	*	*	*	*	594	1159	1158	411	855
St. Vincent	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) For reporting areas.

(b) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(c) Cases treated in public hospitals.

TABLE 22. REPORTED CASES OF INFLUENZA (480-483) IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Argentina	*	*	*	*	*	21 335	...	...	...	...
Bolivia	7 813	3 883	9 996	...	5 814	6 124	5 389	6 813	...	2 548
Brazil (a)	2 952	2 494	1 890	1 829	1 845	2 171	2 627	2 821	5 514	5 357
Canada (b)	7 777	6 170	4 000	3 160	4 225	47 292	8 002	10 110	2 498	38 438
Chile	506	578	655	1 112	284	437	354	1 216	1 771	1 605
Colombia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Costa Rica	292	...	...	...	1 062	217	467	3 306	1 556	1 950
Cuba	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic (c)	16 198	20 689	19 721	17 665	19 825	18 490	19 204	840	61 355	74 657
Ecuador	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
El Salvador (d)	6 695	7 355	5 849	5 704	8 084	5 985	6 653	8 317	5 532	6 685
Guatemala	11 907	7 370	7 258	7 307	8 979	11 935	14 092	18 314	15 817	16 271
Haiti	5 242	5 915	7 148	13 890	23 900	15 783	...	22 082	24 437	...
Honduras	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mexico	18 734	8 978	9 977	9 161	12 474	15 436	13 255	39 254	17 408	9 220
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 335	...	4 570
Panama	1 146	1 233	911	1 075	1 384	1 420	722	2 857	1 387	1 222
Paraguay (d)	33 691	14 364	12 516	7 644	12 514	12 856	12 581	19 473	13 871	12 526
Peru (d)	45 794	46 046	51 951	39 716	38 510	90 121	48 021	70 228	45 286	58 511
United States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Uruguay	-	56	5	-	119	1 548	405	12 550	6 344	14 936
Venezuela (d)	...	25 471	44 088	35 332	42 538	53 173	73 440	62 732	37 746	40 720
Alaska	509	375	300	110	535	...	...	...	...	...
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barbados	-	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	10	10	6	-	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Guiana	245	1 711	1 555	510	746	1 181	2 862	946	570	3 396
British Honduras	...	49	3	3	681	43	370	685	148	9
Canal Zone	...	...	-	1	1	-	-	39	-	-
Falkland Islands	18	3	2	-	1	138	21	12	-	149
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guadeloupe	...	263	182	185	5	...	...	...	...	...
Hawaii	11 874	...	10	5 607	2 621	923	924	9 980	782	...
Jamaica	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	1 231	382
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 200	435	554
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	16	7	5	36	41	68
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	730	1 280	556	277	411	1 954
Virgin Islands	...	...	...	182	25	384	65	...	...	...
Martinique	*	585	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Netherlands Antilles	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Puerto Rico	1 435	1 777	6 534	19 748	826	33 259	14 548	560	*	*
St. Pierre and Miquelon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 962
Surinam	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Trinidad and Tobago	4 447	2 694	...	4 142	4 200	3 000	3 637	5 188	5 219	1 312
Virgin Islands (U.S.A.)	-	22	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	1 646	1 036	353	18	34	8	5	819	80	369
Grenada	802	776	249	169	195	62	317	4 369	1 034	673
St. Lucia	812	571	1 412	1 130	398	157	607	345	106	132
St. Vincent	551	249	529	266	405	82	12	65	...	596

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals except: São Paulo, 1946-1949; Curitiba, 1950 and 1951; Fortaleza and Manaus, 1951; Salvador 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(b) Notifiable in 7 provinces.

(c) Data for 1947-1952 refer to years ended on June 30 of each year; data for 1953 refer to cases treated in hospitals.

(d) For reporting areas.

TABLE 33. REPORTED CASES OF OTHER DISEASES IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
LYMPHOGRANULOMA VENEREUM (037)										
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	57	15
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 511	3 442	3 479	3 158
Canada (b)	5	9	4	1	3	2	-	-	-	1
Colombia (c)	...	*	1 517	2 097	2 781	1 888	1 293	1 548	1 403	*
Dominican Republic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	1 703	1 402
Guatemala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	38
Mexico	-	40	36	31	19	37	45	23	24	15
Peru (c)	...	...	...	...	...	9	17	38	56	59
United States	2 780	2 526	2 429	1 925	1 427	1 300	1 224	993	900	787
Venezuela (c)	...	1 568	2 498	2 477	2 257	1 709	1 642	1 487	1 160	410
Bahama Islands	...	...	...	21	17	8	18	21	8	7
British Guiana	23	8	15	16	7	10	9	1	56	68
British Honduras	...	9	6	28	5	33	5	33	12	1
Hawaii	...	...	2	...	...	...	-	-	-	1
Leeward Islands:										
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	-	9	4
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	5	60
Puerto Rico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	6	7	3
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	20	4
GRANULOMA INGUINALE, VENEREAL (038)										
Brazil (a)	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	31	46	92
Colombia (c)	...	*	822	1 990	2 045	1 103	1 476	1 550	1 318	*
Dominican Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	603	...
El Salvador (c)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...
United States	2 373	2 330	2 469	2 402	1 783	1 352	940	662	624	506
Uruguay	-	1	1	9	4	1	-	-	-	2
Venezuela (c)	...	82	208	225	286	375	260	197	162	160
British Guiana	21	32	26	44	35	31	43	34	21	49
British Honduras	...	12	7	78	8	22	7	8	-	4
Leeward Islands:										
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11	15	13
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	8	-	-	4	39	32
Puerto Rico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	7	9	3
Windward Islands:										
Dominica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Grenada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	1
TULARAEMIA (059)										
Canada (b)	1	4	4	2	14	2	11	6	5	17
United States	1 355	1 401	1 086	1 179	927	702	668	601	681	584
Venezuela (c)	...	-	8	7	3	2	-	1	20	13
Alaska	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(a) Federal District and State Capitals.

(b) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(c) For reporting areas.

TABLE 33. REPORTED CASES OF OTHER DISEASES IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955 (continued)

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
GLANDERS (064.2)										
Argentina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-
Panama	-	-	-	1	-	...	...	...	...	...
United States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	1
Venezuela (c)	...	1	48	14	-	-	8	2	2	17
LEPTOSPIROSIS ICTEROHAEMORRHAGICA (WEIL'S DISEASE) (072)										
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8	3
Cuba	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	1	5	175	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
United States	...	14	18	17	30	9	62	42	48	24
Venezuela (c)	...	1	2	11	6	1	1	-	-	3
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	1	-	-
Hawaii	...	...	3	4	1	1	1	2	1	-
Puerto Rico	1	-	3	4	47	20	7	3	8	-
PINTA (074.1 pt.)										
Colombia (c)	...	*	3 395	5 806	6 367	7 750	7 765	8 477	7 214	6 262
Dominican Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	143	33
Peru (c)	...	...	...	...	...	67	179	195	354	239
Venezuela (c)	...	273	596	937	1 039	911	689	602	494	461
DENGUE (090)										
Argentina	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	1	4
Colombia (c)	...	*	95	473	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dominican Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	212
Mexico	70	-	-	6	19	19	-	27	21	7
Panama	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Peru (c)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	9	10
United States	40	35	24	46	26	16	5	8	6	1
Venezuela (c)	...	36	19	165	129	2	26	1	7	35
British Honduras	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leeward Islands:										
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	-	1	1	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	...	...	2	1	4	24	4	...	...	...
PSITTACOSIS (096.2)										
Canada (b)	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
United States	26	27	32	35	26	25	135	169	563	334
Venezuela (c)	...	6	9	3	-	1	3	-	-	-
Alaska	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
TICK-BORNE TYPHUS (104)										
Brazil (d)	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	6	13
Canada (b, e)	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(b) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) Federal District and State Capitals except; Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(e) Rocky Mountain spotted fever.

TABLE 33. REPORTED CASES OF OTHER DISEASES IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955 (continued)

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
TICK-BORNE TYPHUS (104) (continued)										
Colombia (c)	...	*	*	*	26	60	99	34	15	84
Mexico	...	-	-	1	15	3	13	3	25	15
Panama	...	...	...	...	2	4	2	...	...	...
United States (e)	587	596	547	570	464	347	327	313	294	295
LEISHMANIASIS (120)										
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	14	20	46	44	59
Colombia (c)	...	*	270	547	*	141	254	280	281	218
Costa Rica	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
Guatemala	90	116	149	26	49	22	43	35	17	22
Mexico	19	55	45	44	24	23	22	44	18	44
Panama	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	46
Paraguay (c)	1 069	575	811	708	914	849	452	499	413	247
Peru (c)	...	...	...	...	...	222	512	525	527	553
Venezuela (c)	...	78	237	704	831	509	552	398	529	426
British Honduras	...	2	5	2	5	19	5	6	14	8
French Guiana	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47
TRYPANOSOMIASIS (CHAGAS' DISEASE) (121)										
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	703	714	1 052	1 048	914
El Salvador (c)	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	27	10
Panama	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1
Uruguay	6	2	-	1	1	2	5	-	2	10
Venezuela (c)	...	12	157	64	132	91	75	59	36	60
Canal Zone	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
SCHISTOSOMIASIS (123)										
Dominican Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
Venezuela (c)	...	2 536	1 719	1 670	1 078	1 563	768	1 288	1 652	724
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	-	-	-	1	2	...	...	5	4	4
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	2	75	30	-	-	2
Martinique (*)	...	162	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puerto Rico	64	97	89	70	363	179	285	488	1 086	1 770
HYDATID DISEASE (125)										
Argentina	580	675	640	480	373	306	208	195	274	202
Bolivia	...	...	...	...	17	36	14	6	...	...
Chile	...	...	...	...	...	45	37	29	62	119
Dominican Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...
Haiti	1	1	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peru (c)	...	...	...	...	...	3	11	12	12	26
Uruguay	25	25	15	14	26	56	61	50	55	335

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(c) For reporting areas.

(e) Rocky Mountain spotted fever.

(f) Cases treated in hospitals.

TABLE 33. REPORTED CASES OF OTHER DISEASES IN THE AMERICAS, 1946-1955 (continued)

Area	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
FILARIASIS (127)										
Dominican Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	f 38	89	100
Guatemala (g)	3 804	3 588	4 267	4 968	4 651	4 447	4 939	3 648	3 496	6 549
Mexico (h)	1 423	1 206	995	1 296	1 931	1 002	941	1 418	1 487	1 765
Venezuela (c)	...	1	58	65	80	145	65	21	15	17
British Guiana (f)	...	...	...	...	...	350	1 221	1 221	1 166	1 279
Leeward Islands:										
Antigua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85	123	89
Montserrat	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10	3	12
St. Kitts-Nevis-Anguilla	...	...	...	...	103	179	81	76	28	21
Puerto Rico	9	6	8	27	5	1	1	1	1	1
Windward Islands:										
St. Lucia	*	*	*	*	*	9	9	...	...	...
TRICHINIASIS (128)										
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	4	-	2	18	17
Canada (b)	1	2	1	9	12	2	12	28	4	1
Chile	...	44	201	98	68	72	45	43	16	69
Dominican Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	...
United States	...	451	487	353	327	393	367	395	277	264
Venezuela (c)	...	7	13	13	7	7	5	14	1	7
Alaska	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Hawaii	...	-	-	2	-	...	1	2	3	8
BARTONELLOSIS (VERRUGA PERUANA) (138.1 pt.)										
Colombia (c)	...	*	25	*	70	3	-	1	-	-
Peru (c)	624	839	923	594	454	517	490	550	397	269
RABIES IN ANIMALS										
Argentina	...	...	...	...	...	802	367	706	807	1 676
Brazil (d)	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	143	4	31
Dominican Republic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Nicaragua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	65	88
United States	10 850	8 920	8 495	7 587	7 901	8 008	8 445	8 903	7 297	5 799
Alaska	...	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	-
Puerto Rico	...	...	...	...	27	73	65	62	34	26
Trinidad and Tobago	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58

... Data not available.

* Disease not notifiable.

- No case.

(b) Excluding Yukon and Northwest Territories; Newfoundland included from July 1949.

(c) For reporting areas.

(d) Federal District and State Capitals except: Salvador, 1953 and 1954; Niteroi, 1955.

(f) Cases treated in hospitals.

(g) Onchocerciasis.

(h) Including onchocerciasis.

TABLE 34. REPORTED CASES OF SELECTED DISEASES BY AGE IN THE AMERICAS, 1955 (a)

Disease and area	Total	Age group in years														Unk.
		Under 1	1	2	3	4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over	
TYPHOID FEVER (040)																
Barbados	78	-	-	2	1	3	16	15	16	8	9	4	2	2	-	-
British Guiana	520	1	2	17	17	26	132	87	68	59	57	20	9	10	3	12
British Honduras	40	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	14	20	1	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	19	-	1	-	1	-	3	2	1	-	4	-	-	-	1	6
Puerto Rico	39	-	-	-	-	-	3	10	5	4	3	4	1	1	-	8
DIPHTHERIA (055)																
Argentina	2 606	453	115	81	156	130	592	274	224	130	216	144	68	13	10	-
Canada (b)	51	1	-	-	11	-	-	21	-	1	-	-	15	-	-	2
Chile	849	56	-	-	196	-	229	101	33	40	67	30	14	5	1	77
Costa Rica	145	22	-	-	75	-	31	-	-	6	-	6	-	1	-	4
Mexico	966	-	704	-	-	220	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nicaragua	41	5	-	-	23	-	12	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	21	-	-	2	-	4	12	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru	191	5	-	-	42	-	44	4	16	8	-	-	32	-	-	40
Uruguay	127	4	4	13	6	10	28	15	4	8	19	11	2	-	-	3
Venezuela (c)	292	35	30	33	24	34	78	27	4	-	-	-	27	-	-	-
Barbados	12	4	1	-	1	2	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands Antilles	153	2	5	3	6	5	20	19	3	7	9	1	1	-	-	72
Puerto Rico	81	2	9	12	4	2	9	7	1	-	3	2	-	1	-	29
Surinam	98	9	9	6	6	8	11	6	8	9	8	7	2	2	-	7
WHOOPING COUGH (056)																
Argentina	25 700	7 458	3 572	2 365	2 287	1 696	6 729	1 002	154	386	26	25	-	-	-	-
Canada (b)	5 053	590	-	-	1 605	-	-	1 836	-	33	-	-	41	-	-	948
Chile	7 080	2 187	-	-	2 444	-	1 283	352	36	7	15	1	3	2	-	750
Costa Rica	442	109	-	-	207	-	121	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	3
Mexico	23 823	-	17 378	-	-	5 437	-	748	-	-	-	-	260	-	-	-
Panama	547	69	97	141	67	50	123	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru	12 562	1 937	-	-	5 973	-	2 595	376	86	12	-	-	32	-	-	1 551
Uruguay	1 095	276	166	125	116	100	222	51	17	2	2	-	-	-	-	18
Venezuela (c)	2 732	643	381	424	331	299	586	54	6	-	-	-	7	-	-	1
British Honduras	102	11	15	14	13	10	34	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
French Guiana	72	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68
Martinique	52	-	3	-	-	-	24	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LEPROSY (060)																
French Guiana	60	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	5	1	-	1	-	1	50
Martinique	217	9	2	3	-	4	24	24	26	24	38	19	18	15	9	2
POLIOMYELITIS (080)																
Argentina	435	60	102	63	39	27	61	21	8	5	4	-	1	-	-	44
Canada (b)	603	11	-	-	127	-	-	208	-	58	-	-	191	-	-	8
Chile	416	137	-	-	175	-	42	12	7	3	4	1	-	2	-	33
Costa Rica	45	4	-	-	28	-	-	7	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	267	-	-	-	203	-	27	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	1	-
Guatemala	86	-	-	-	69	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-
Mexico	1 824	-	1 495	-	-	182	-	109	-	-	-	-	36	-	-	2
Nicaragua	113	36	-	-	67	-	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	14	2	5	3	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru	203	48	-	-	118	-	13	5	-	4	-	-	5	-	-	10
Uruguay	551	63	101	84	54	29	93	51	28	16	19	3	2	1	-	7
Venezuela (c)	244	63	93	39	14	5	16	5	2	-	-	-	5	-	-	2
Netherlands Antilles	14	2	1	4	-	-	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerto Rico	434	67	125	103	37	31	50	12	1	4	1	1	-	-	-	2

- No case.

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