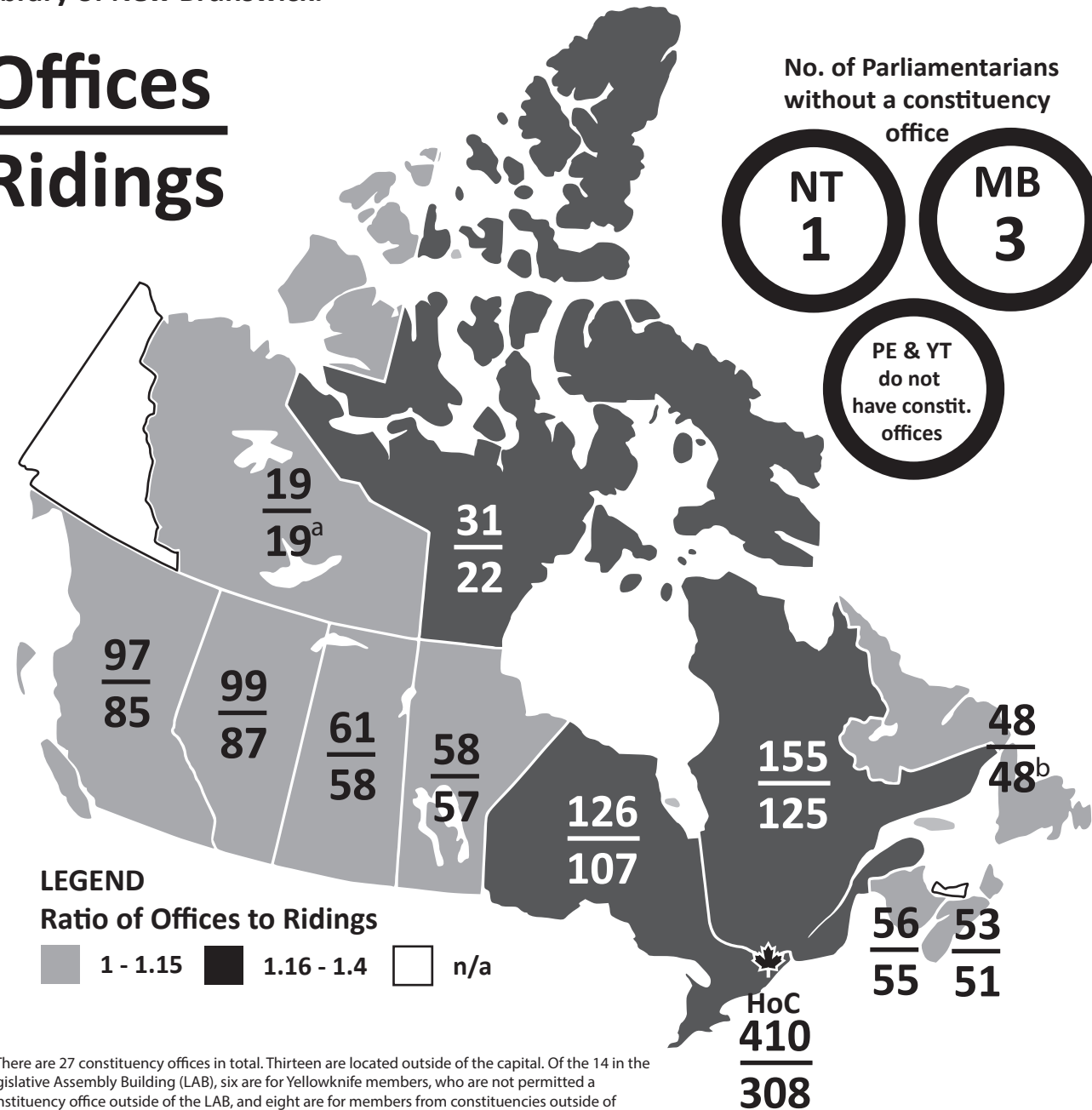


# Constituency Offices: By the Numbers

We asked the Canadian Association of Parliamentary Administration (CAPA) a series of questions about constituency offices across the country. From the responses, we present some particularly notable numbers and interesting factoids. Additional thanks to Nancy Marling, Director, Human Resources at the Legislature of Ontario, Helen Chong at the Ontario Legislative Library, and the Legislative Library of New Brunswick.

## Offices Ridings



a. There are 27 constituency offices in total. Thirteen are located outside of the capital. Of the 14 in the Legislative Assembly Building (LAB), six are for Yellowknife members, who are not permitted a constituency office outside of the LAB, and eight are for members from constituencies outside of Yellowknife, who also have constituency offices in their ridings.

b. All MHAs have Constituency Offices. Seventeen are located in the Confederation Building Complex, three are co-located with Ministers' offices in the capital but outside the Confederation Building, 21 are in leased accommodations, six are in government owned buildings outside of the capital, and one is in an MHA's home.

**10%**  
Average amount of office budget MPs spend on lease expenses

**1930s**  
Early form of constituency offices established in QC

**1976**  
Office in La Sarre, QC is established - and it's still in the same location

**900m**  
Distance from Legislature to Wolseley constit. office in MB

**5,918km**  
Distance from one of the three offices in YT to the HoC

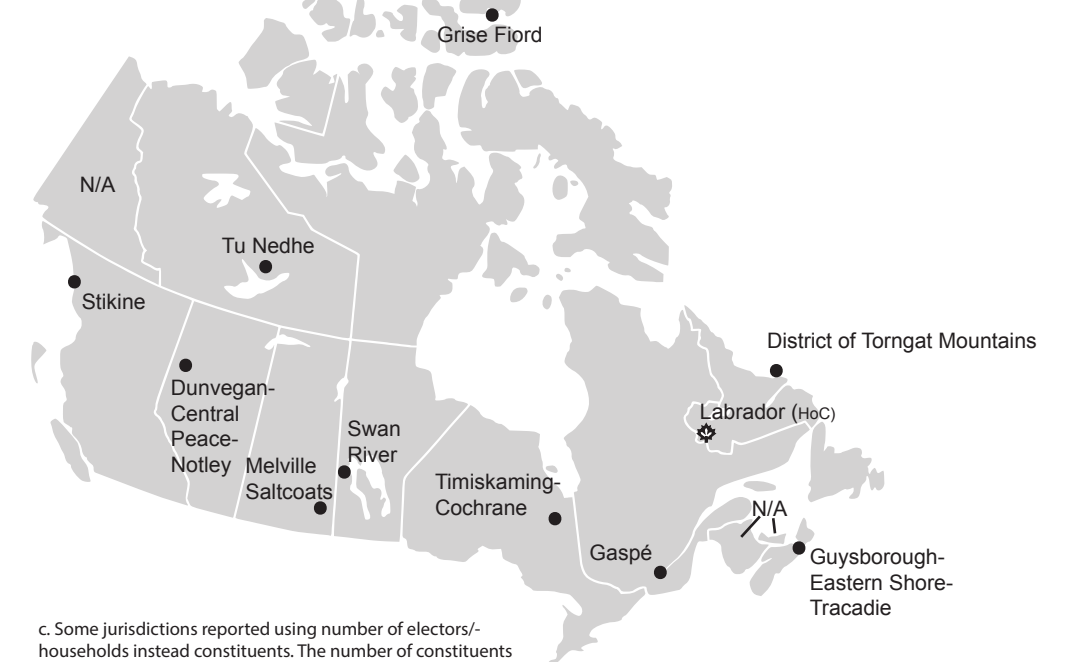
## Offices that represent the MOST constituents<sup>c</sup>



No. of Parliamentarians with more than one office in their riding:

BC	AB	SK	MB	ON	QC	NB	NS	NL	NT	NU	HoC
12	11	5	5	15	24	1	2	0	8	8	78

## Offices that represent the FEWEST constituents<sup>c</sup>



c. Some jurisdictions reported using number of electors/households instead of constituents. The number of constituents in a riding was divided by number of offices in a riding to make these designations.