

Electoral District.	Approximate Total Population, April, 1881 (exclusive of Maoris, Chinese, and Persons on Shipboard)	Proposed No. of Representatives.	Proposed Proportion of Total Representation to which each District would be entitled on the assumed Basis. 1·0=1 Member.	Excess of Share (in proposed Number of Members). 1·0=1 Member.	Deficiency of Share (in proposed Number of Members). 1·0=1 Member.
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF NELSON					
Motueka	4,264	1	0·87	0·13	
Waimea	4,903	1	1·00		
Nelson	6,720	1	1·03		0·03
Buller	4,182	1	0·85	0·15	
Reefton	4,304	1	0·88	0·12	
Total Provincial District of Nelson, but excluding population of part Wairau, 54 persons (<i>see</i> Marlborough Provincial District); and excluding population of part Cheviot, 561 persons (<i>see</i> Canterbury); also excluding part of Greymouth, 656 persons (<i>see</i> Westland)	24,373	5	4·63	0·37	
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF WESTLAND.					
Greymouth	4,943	1	1·01		0·01
Kumara	4,651	1	0·95	0·05	..
Hokitika	5,223	1	1·07	.	0·07
Total Provincial District of Westland, but including population of part of Greymouth, 656 persons, in Nelson Provincial District	14,817	3	3·03	.	0·03
PROVINCIAL DISTRICT OF CANTERBURY					
Cheviot	5,102	1	1·04		0·04
Ashley	5,147	1	1·05		0·05
Kaiapoi	5,292	1	1·08		0·08
Avon	5,435	1	1·11		0·11
Lincoln	4,400	1	0·90	0·10	
Heathcote	4,928	1	1·01		0·01
Akaroa	4,636	1	0·95	0·05	
Selwyn	4,796	1	0·98	0·02	
Christchurch North	7,487	1	1·15		0·15
Christchurch South	7,701	1	1·18		0·18
St. Albans	5,068	1	1·03		0·03
Stanmore	5,144	1	1·05		0·05
Sydenham	8,460	1	1·29		0·29
Lyttelton	4,127	1	0·84	0·16	
Coleridge	5,038	1	1·03		0·03
Ashburton	4,379	1	0·89	0·11	
Wakanui	4,299	1	0·88	0·12	
Geraldine	5,473	1	1·12		0·12
Gladstone [<i>instead of</i> Seadown]	4,670	1	0·95	0·05	
Timaru	6,565	1	1·00		
Waimate [<i>instead of</i> Gladstone]	5,048	1	1·03		0·03
Total Provincial District of Canterbury, including population of part Cheviot in Nelson, 561 persons, and 1,107 persons in Marlborough; and excluding part of Wakatipu, and part of Waitaki, 47 persons (<i>see</i> Otago Provincial District)	113,195	21	21·56	..	0·56