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| Sex               | Age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Daily smokers (%) | Nondaily smokers (%) | Former smokers (%) | Never smoked (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
| Total             | All age groups    | 25,563                     | 21                  | 17                | 4                    | 26                 | 53               | 15.9   |
| Male              |                   | 12,589                     | 23                  | 19                | 4                    | 29                 | 47               | 17.3   |
| Female            |                   | 12,974                     | 18                  | 14                | 4                    | 24                 | 58               | 14.0   |
| <b>Both sexes</b> |                   |                            |                     |                   |                      |                    |                  |  |
| Both sexes        | 15-17             | 1,314                      | 15                  | 9                 | 6                    | 2*                 | 84               | 11.5   |
|                   | 18-19             | 772                        | 24                  | 16                | 8                    | 5*                 | 71               | 13.1   |
|                   | 15-19             | 2,087                      | 18                  | 12                | 7                    | 3                  | 79               | 12.3   |
|                   | 20-22             | 1,356                      | 31                  | 22                | 9                    | 11                 | 58               | 13.0   |
|                   | 23-24             | 796                        | 30                  | 20                | 10                   | 15                 | 55               | 12.2   |
|                   | 20-24             | 2,153                      | 30                  | 21                | 9                    | 12                 | 57               | 12.7   |
|                   | 25-34             | 4,388                      | 27                  | 21                | 6*                   | 19                 | 54               | 15.0   |
|                   | 35-44             | 5,212                      | 24                  | 19                | 5*                   | 23                 | 53               | 15.5   |
|                   | 45-54             | 4,690                      | 22                  | 19                | 2*                   | 34                 | 44               | 17.8   |
|                   | 55+               | 7,034                      | 12                  | 10                | 2*                   | 40                 | 48               | 18.4   |
|                   | 25+               | 21,324                     | 20                  | 17                | 3                    | 30                 | 50               | 16.5   |
| <b>Male</b>       |                   |                            |                     |                   |                      |                    |                  |  |
| Male              | 15-17             | 662                        | 13                  | 7                 | 6*                   | #                  | 86               | 11.2   |
|                   | 18-19             | 408                        | 24                  | 16                | 8*                   | 5*                 | 72               | 14.3   |
|                   | 15-19             | 1,070                      | 17                  | 10                | 6                    | 3*                 | 80               | 13.0   |
|                   | 20-22             | 691                        | 31                  | 23                | 8*                   | 11                 | 59               | 14.5   |
|                   | 23-24             | 406                        | 32                  | 23                | 9*                   | 14*                | 54               | 13.3   |
|                   | 20-24             | 1,096                      | 31                  | 23                | 8                    | 12                 | 57               | 14.0   |
|                   | 25-34             | 2,213                      | 29                  | 22                | 7*                   | 18                 | 53               | 15.9   |
|                   | 35-44             | 2,617                      | 28                  | 23                | 5*                   | 21                 | 51               | 16.6   |
|                   | 45-54             | 2,336                      | 26                  | 24                | #                    | 37                 | 37               | 19.0   |
|                   | 55+               | 3,256                      | 14                  | 12                | #                    | 52                 | 34               | 20.8   |
|                   | 25+               | 10,423                     | 23                  | 19                | 4                    | 34                 | 43               | 17.9   |

| Sex    | Age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Daily smokers (%) | Nondaily smokers (%) | Former smokers (%) | Never smoked (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|--------|-------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
| Female | 15-17             | 652                        | 17                  | 11                | 6*                   | #                  | 82               | 11.7   |
|        | 18-19             | 365                        | 25                  | 17                | 8*                   | 6*                 | 69               | 11.8   |
|        | 15-19             | 1,016                      | 20                  | 13                | 7                    | 3*                 | 77               | 11.7   |
|        | 20-22             | 666                        | 31                  | 21                | 10                   | 11                 | 58               | 11.4   |
|        | 23-24             | 391                        | 28                  | 16                | 12*                  | 17                 | 56               | 10.7   |
|        | 20-24             | 1,057                      | 30                  | 19                | 10                   | 13                 | 57               | 11.2   |
|        | 25-34             | 2,175                      | 26                  | 20                | 5*                   | 19                 | 55               | 13.8   |
|        | 35-44             | 2,595                      | 20                  | 16                | 4*                   | 24                 | 56               | 14.0   |
|        | 45-54             | 2,354                      | 18                  | 15                | #                    | 32                 | 50               | 15.7   |
|        | 55+               | 3,778                      | 10                  | 8                 | 2*                   | 30                 | 60               | 15.1   |
|        | 25+               | 10,901                     | 17                  | 14                | 3                    | 27                 | 56               | 14.6   |

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Table 2. Smoking status and average number of cigarettes smoked per day, by province, age group and sex, age 15+ years, Canada 2003

| Province             | Sex or age group (years)  | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Former smokers (%) | Never smoked (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
| Canada               | Total                     | 25,563                     | 21                  | 26                 | 53               | 15.9   |
|                      | 15-19                     | 2,087                      | 18                  | 3                  | 79               | 12.3   |
|                      | 20-24                     | 2,153                      | 30                  | 12                 | 57               | 12.7   |
|                      | 25+                       | 21,324                     | 20                  | 30                 | 50               | 16.5   |
|                      | 25-44                     | 9,600                      | 25                  | 21                 | 54               | 15.2   |
|                      | 45+                       | 11,724                     | 16                  | 38                 | 46               | 18.0   |
|                      | Male (15+)                | 12,589                     | 23                  | 29                 | 47               | 17.3   |
|                      | 15-24                     | 2,166                      | 24                  | 7                  | 68               | 13.7   |
|                      | 25+                       | 10,423                     | 23                  | 34                 | 43               | 17.9   |
|                      | Female (15+)              | 12,974                     | 18                  | 24                 | 58               | 14.0   |
|                      | 15-24                     | 2,073                      | 25                  | 8                  | 67               | 11.4   |
|                      | 25+                       | 10,901                     | 17                  | 27                 | 56               | 14.6   |
|                      | Newfoundland and Labrador | Total                      | 440                 | 23                 | 32               | 45   |
| 15-19                |                           | 37                         | 22                  | #                  | 73               | 12.9   |
| 20-24                |                           | 36                         | 34                  | 14                 | 52               | 14.4   |
| 25+                  |                           | 367                        | 22                  | 36                 | 42               | 16.6   |
| 25-44                |                           | 159                        | 29                  | 28                 | 43               | 15.5   |
| 45+                  |                           | 208                        | 17                  | 43                 | 41               | 18.1   |
| Male (15+)           |                           | 216                        | 26                  | 36                 | 39               | 17.5   |
| 15-24                |                           | 37                         | 30                  | 9*                 | 61               | 14.9   |
| 25+                  |                           | 179                        | 25                  | 41                 | 34               | 18.2   |
| Female (15+)         |                           | 224                        | 21                  | 28                 | 51               | 14.4   |
| 15-24                |                           | 36                         | 26                  | 10*                | 64               | 12.4   |
| 25+                  |                           | 188                        | 19                  | 32                 | 49               | 14.9   |
| Prince Edward Island |                           | Total                      | 114                 | 21                 | 31               | 48   |
|                      | 15-19                     | 10                         | 20                  | #                  | 76               | 14.3   |
|                      | 20-24                     | 10                         | 32                  | 9*                 | 59               | 13.3   |
|                      | 25+                       | 93                         | 20                  | 36                 | 44               | 17.0   |
|                      | 25-44                     | 40                         | 26                  | 27                 | 47               | 16.9   |

| Province     | Sex or age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Former smokers (%) | Never smoked (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|--------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
|              | 45+                      | 53                         | 16                  | 43                 | 41               | 17.2   |
|              | Male (15+)               | 55                         | 25                  | 33                 | 42               | 18.6   |
|              | 15-24                    | 10                         | 28                  | #                  | 66               | 14.5   |
|              | 25+                      | 45                         | 24                  | 39                 | 37               | 19.5   |
|              | Female (15+)             | 58                         | 18                  | 29                 | 53               | 13.6   |
|              | 15-24                    | 10                         | 23                  | 7*                 | 70               | 12.6   |
|              | 25+                      | 48                         | 17                  | 33                 | 50               | 13.8   |
| Nova Scotia  | Total                    | 773                        | 22                  | 32                 | 46               | 15.1   |
|              | 15-19                    | 64                         | 18                  | 7*                 | 75               | 12.8   |
|              | 20-24                    | 62                         | 35                  | 15                 | 50               | 13.9   |
|              | 25+                      | 648                        | 21                  | 36                 | 43               | 15.4   |
|              | 25-44                    | 277                        | 26                  | 27                 | 47               | 16.1   |
|              | 45+                      | 370                        | 18                  | 42                 | 40               | 14.7   |
|              | Male (15+)               | 376                        | 25                  | 36                 | 39               | 15.9   |
|              | 15-24                    | 64                         | 30                  | 9*                 | 61               | 14.2   |
|              | 25+                      | 312                        | 24                  | 41                 | 35               | 16.3   |
|              | Female (15+)             | 397                        | 19                  | 28                 | 53               | 14.0   |
|              | 15-24                    | 62                         | 23                  | 12*                | 65               | 12.7   |
|              | 25+                      | 335                        | 19                  | 31                 | 51               | 14.3   |
|              | New Brunswick            | Total                      | 618                 | 24                 | 31               | 44   |
| 15-19        |                          | 50                         | 22                  | #                  | 74               | 13.7   |
| 20-24        |                          | 50                         | 32                  | 11*                | 57               | 14.4   |
| 25+          |                          | 519                        | 24                  | 36                 | 40               | 16.8   |
| 25-44        |                          | 225                        | 31                  | 23                 | 46               | 16.4   |
| 45+          |                          | 295                        | 18                  | 46                 | 36               | 17.3   |
| Male (15+)   |                          | 303                        | 25                  | 37                 | 37               | 18.7   |
| 15-24        |                          | 51                         | 28                  | 10*                | 62               | 15.7   |
| 25+          |                          | 252                        | 25                  | 43                 | 32               | 19.4   |
| Female (15+) |                          | 315                        | 23                  | 25                 | 51               | 14.0   |
| 15-24        |                          | 48                         | 26                  | 6*                 | 68               | 12.1   |
| 25+          |                          | 267                        | 23                  | 29                 | 48               | 14.3   |
| Quebec       |                          | Total                      | 6,127               | 25                 | 31               | 44   |

| Province | Sex or age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Former smokers (%) | Never smoked (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|----------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
|          | 15-19                    | 453                        | 26                  | #                  | 71               | 12.0   |
|          | 20-24                    | 509                        | 36                  | 15                 | 50               | 13.0   |
|          | 25+                      | 5,165                      | 23                  | 35                 | 41               | 17.7   |
|          | 25-44                    | 2,227                      | 30                  | 24                 | 46               | 15.9   |
|          | 45+                      | 2,938                      | 19                  | 44                 | 37               | 19.7   |
|          | Male (15+)               | 3,014                      | 27                  | 33                 | 40               | 18.8   |
|          | 15-24                    | 492                        | 30                  | 8*                 | 62               | 12.8   |
|          | 25+                      | 2,522                      | 27                  | 38                 | 35               | 19.9   |
|          | Female (15+)             | 3,113                      | 22                  | 30                 | 48               | 14.4   |
|          | 15-24                    | 470                        | 32                  | 10*                | 57               | 12.5   |
|          | 25+                      | 2,643                      | 20                  | 33                 | 47               | 14.8   |
| Ontario  | Total                    | 9,852                      | 20                  | 22                 | 59               | 15.5   |
|          | 15-19                    | 808                        | 14                  | #                  | 83               | 12.5   |
|          | 20-24                    | 806                        | 30                  | 11*                | 59               | 12.7   |
|          | 25+                      | 8,238                      | 19                  | 25                 | 56               | 16.0   |
|          | 25-44                    | 3,817                      | 23                  | 18                 | 59               | 14.6   |
|          | 45+                      | 4,421                      | 16                  | 31                 | 54               | 17.4   |
|          | Male (15+)               | 4,834                      | 23                  | 25                 | 52               | 16.4   |
|          | 15-24                    | 825                        | 22                  | #                  | 71               | 14.8   |
|          | 25+                      | 4,009                      | 23                  | 28                 | 48               | 16.6   |
|          | Female (15+)             | 5,018                      | 16                  | 19                 | 65               | 14.3   |
|          | 15-24                    | 789                        | 22                  | 7*                 | 71               | 10.3   |
| 25+      | 4,229                    | 15                         | 21                  | 63                 | 15.1             |  |
| Manitoba | Total                    | 908                        | 21                  | 27                 | 52               | 14.7   |
|          | 15-19                    | 83                         | 20                  | #                  | 77               | 9.9  |
|          | 20-24                    | 79                         | 29                  | 11*                | 60               | 12.5   |
|          | 25+                      | 747                        | 20                  | 31                 | 49               | 15.4   |
|          | 25-44                    | 330                        | 28                  | 21                 | 51               | 14.8   |
|          | 45+                      | 417                        | 14                  | 39                 | 47               | 16.4   |
|          | Male (15+)               | 449                        | 24                  | 28                 | 48               | 16.2   |
|          | 15-24                    | 82                         | 25                  | 7*                 | 68               | 13.1   |
|          | 25+                      | 366                        | 23                  | 33                 | 43               | 16.8   |

| Province         | Sex or age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Former smokers (%) | Never smoked (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
|                  | Female (15+)             | 459                        | 18                  | 25                 | 57               | 13.0   |
|                  | 15-24                    | 79                         | 24                  | 7*                 | 69               | 10.3   |
|                  | 25+                      | 381                        | 17                  | 29                 | 54               | 13.7   |
| Saskatchewan     | Total                    | 785                        | 24                  | 28                 | 48               | 16.0   |
|                  | 15-19                    | 76                         | 28                  | #                  | 68               | 12.0   |
|                  | 20-24                    | 71                         | 34                  | 13*                | 53               | 11.8   |
|                  | 25+                      | 638                        | 22                  | 32                 | 45               | 17.1   |
|                  | 25-44                    | 272                        | 28                  | 21                 | 51               | 16.4   |
|                  | 45+                      | 366                        | 19                  | 41                 | 41               | 17.8   |
|                  | Male (15+)               | 388                        | 25                  | 30                 | 44               | 17.8   |
|                  | 15-24                    | 76                         | 31                  | #                  | 64               | 12.7   |
|                  | 25+                      | 312                        | 24                  | 36                 | 40               | 19.1   |
|                  | Female (15+)             | 398                        | 23                  | 26                 | 52               | 13.8   |
|                  | 15-24                    | 71                         | 31                  | 11*                | 58               | 11.0   |
|                  | 25+                      | 326                        | 21                  | 29                 | 50               | 14.7   |
| Alberta          | Total                    | 2,515                      | 20                  | 26                 | 54               | 14.6   |
|                  | 15-19                    | 231                        | 18                  | #                  | 80               | 12.4   |
|                  | 20-24                    | 244                        | 31                  | 12*                | 57               | 11.5   |
|                  | 25+                      | 2,040                      | 19                  | 30                 | 51               | 15.3   |
|                  | 25-44                    | 1,001                      | 26                  | 20                 | 54               | 14.2   |
|                  | 45+                      | 1,038                      | 12                  | 40                 | 48               | 18.1   |
|                  | Male (15+)               | 1,266                      | 21                  | 29                 | 50               | 15.9   |
|                  | 15-24                    | 244                        | 23                  | #                  | 69               | 12.6   |
|                  | 25+                      | 1,023                      | 20                  | 34                 | 45               | 16.7   |
|                  | Female (15+)             | 1,248                      | 19                  | 23                 | 59               | 13.1   |
|                  | 15-24                    | 231                        | 26                  | 8*                 | 67               | 11.0   |
|                  | 25+                      | 1,017                      | 17                  | 26                 | 57               | 13.6   |
| British Columbia | Total                    | 3,431                      | 16                  | 28                 | 56               | 15.8   |
|                  | 15-19                    | 275                        | 14                  | #                  | 83               | 12.8   |
|                  | 20-24                    | 286                        | 20                  | 12*                | 69               | 12.5   |
|                  | 25+                      | 2,870                      | 16                  | 32                 | 52               | 16.4   |
|                  | 25-44                    | 1,252                      | 21                  | 21                 | 58               | 15.7   |

| Province | Sex or age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Former smokers (%) | Never smoked (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|----------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
|          | 45+                      | 1,618                      | 13                  | 40                 | 47               | 17.3   |
|          | Male (15+)               | 1,687                      | 17                  | 32                 | 51               | 17.7   |
|          | 15-24                    | 285                        | 15                  | 8*                 | 77               | 13.7   |
|          | 25+                      | 1,402                      | 20                  | 34                 | 45               | 18.4   |
|          | Female (15+)             | 1,744                      | 16                  | 24                 | 60               | 13.3   |
|          | 15-24                    | 276                        | 18                  | 7*                 | 75               | 11.4   |
|          | 25+                      | 1,468                      | 15                  | 27                 | 57               | 13.7   |

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Table 3. Current smokers and average number of cigarettes smoked per day, by province, age group and sex, age 15+ years, Canada 2003

| Province             | Sex or age group (years)  | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Canada               | Total (both sexes)        | 25,563                     | 21                  | 15.9   |
|                      | Male (15+)                | 12,589                     | 23                  | 17.3   |
|                      | 15-19                     | 1,070                      | 17                  | 13.0   |
|                      | 20-24                     | 1,096                      | 31                  | 14.0   |
|                      | 25+                       | 10,423                     | 23                  | 17.9   |
|                      | 25-44                     | 4,830                      | 28                  | 16.3   |
|                      | 45+                       | 5,592                      | 19                  | 19.8   |
|                      | Female (15+)              | 12,974                     | 18                  | 14.0   |
|                      | 15-19                     | 1,016                      | 20                  | 11.7   |
|                      | 20-24                     | 1,057                      | 30                  | 11.2   |
|                      | 25+                       | 10,901                     | 17                  | 14.6   |
|                      | 25-44                     | 4,770                      | 23                  | 13.9   |
|                      | 45+                       | 6,132                      | 13                  | 15.4   |
|                      | Newfoundland and Labrador | Total (both sexes)         | 440                 | 23   |
| Male (15+)           |                           | 216                        | 25                  | 17.5   |
| 15-19                |                           | 19                         | 24                  | 13.1   |
| 20-24                |                           | 18                         | 36                  | 16.1   |
| 25+                  |                           | 179                        | 25                  | 18.2   |
| 25-44                |                           | 78                         | 30                  | 17.3   |
| 45+                  |                           | 101                        | 20                  | 19.2   |
| Female (15+)         |                           | 224                        | 21                  | 14.4   |
| 15-19                |                           | 18                         | 20                  | 12.7   |
| 20-24                |                           | 18                         | 32                  | 12.3   |
| 25+                  |                           | 188                        | 19                  | 14.9   |
| 25-44                |                           | 80                         | 27                  | 13.7   |
| 45+                  |                           | 107                        | 14*                 | 16.6   |
| Prince Edward Island | Total (both sexes)        | 114                        | 21                  | 16.4   |
|                      | Male (15+)                | 55                         | 25                  | 18.6   |
|                      | 15-19                     | 5                          | 21                  | 13.7   |
|                      | 20-24                     | 5                          | 36                  | 14.9   |

| Province      | Sex or age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|---------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--|
|               | 25+                      | 45                         | 24                  | 19.5   |
|               | 25-44                    | 20                         | 28                  | 19.3   |
|               | 45+                      | 25                         | 22                  | 19.8   |
|               | Female (15+)             | 58                         | 18                  | 13.6   |
|               | 15-19                    | 5                          | 18                  | #  |
|               | 20-24                    | 5                          | 28                  | 11.3   |
|               | 25+                      | 48                         | 17                  | 13.8   |
|               | 25-44                    | 20                         | 24                  | 13.8   |
|               | 45+                      | 28                         | 12*                 | 13.8   |
| Nova Scotia   | Total (both sexes)       | 773                        | 22                  | 15.1   |
|               | Male (15+)               | 376                        | 25                  | 15.9   |
|               | 15-19                    | 33                         | 18                  | 12.2   |
|               | 20-24                    | 31                         | 43                  | 15.1   |
|               | 25+                      | 312                        | 24                  | 16.3   |
|               | 25-44                    | 137                        | 28                  | 17.2   |
|               | 45+                      | 175                        | 21                  | 15.4   |
|               | Female (15+)             | 397                        | 19                  | 14.0   |
|               | 15-19                    | 31                         | 18*                 | 13.5   |
|               | 20-24                    | 31                         | 28                  | 12.1   |
|               | 25+                      | 335                        | 19                  | 14.3   |
|               | 25-44                    | 140                        | 24                  | 14.7   |
| 45+           | 195                      | 15*                        | 13.8                |  |
| New Brunswick | Total (both sexes)       | 618                        | 24                  | 16.3   |
|               | Male (15+)               | 303                        | 25                  | 18.7   |
|               | 15-19                    | 26                         | 23                  | 14.5   |
|               | 20-24                    | 25                         | 33                  | 16.5   |
|               | 25+                      | 252                        | 25                  | 19.4   |
|               | 25-44                    | 112                        | 31                  | 18.5   |
|               | 45+                      | 140                        | 20                  | 20.7   |
|               | Female (15+)             | 315                        | 20*                 | 14.0   |
|               | 15-19                    | 24                         | 23                  | 12.8   |
|               | 20-24                    | 24                         | 32                  | 11.6   |

| Province | Sex or age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|----------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--|
|          | 25+                      | 267                        | 23                  | 14.3   |
|          | 25-44                    | 112                        | 32                  | 14.5   |
|          | 45+                      | 155                        | 16                  | 14.1   |
| Quebec   | Total (both sexes)       | 6,127                      | 25                  | 16.8   |
|          | Male (15+)               | 3,014                      | 27                  | 18.8   |
|          | 15-19                    | 232                        | 20*                 | 11.7   |
|          | 20-24                    | 260                        | 39                  | 13.2   |
|          | 25+                      | 2,522                      | 27                  | 19.9   |
|          | 25-44                    | 1,133                      | 33                  | 17.4   |
|          | 45+                      | 1,389                      | 21                  | 22.4   |
|          | Female (15+)             | 3,113                      | 22                  | 14.4   |
|          | 15-19                    | 221                        | 32                  | 12.3   |
|          | 20-24                    | 249                        | 32                  | 12.7   |
|          | 25+                      | 2,643                      | 20                  | 14.8   |
|          | 25-44                    | 1,094                      | 27                  | 14.1   |
|          | 45+                      | 1,549                      | 16*                 | 15.7   |
| Ontario  | Total (both sexes)       | 9,852                      | 20                  | 15.5   |
|          | Male (15+)               | 4,834                      | 23                  | 16.4   |
|          | 15-19                    | 415                        | 14*                 | #  |
|          | 20-24                    | 409                        | 30                  | 15.0   |
|          | 25+                      | 4,009                      | 23                  | 16.6   |
|          | 25-44                    | 1,910                      | 26                  | 14.6   |
|          | 45+                      | 2,099                      | 21                  | 18.3   |
|          | Female (15+)             | 5,018                      | 16                  | 14.3   |
|          | 15-19                    | 393                        | 15*                 | #  |
|          | 20-24                    | 396                        | 30                  | 10.0   |
|          | 25+                      | 4,229                      | 15                  | 15.1   |
|          | 25-44                    | 1,907                      | 20                  | 14.6   |
|          | 45+                      | 2,322                      | 11*                 | 15.7   |
| Manitoba | Total (both sexes)       | 908                        | 21                  | 14.7   |
|          | Male (15+)               | 449                        | 24                  | 16.2   |
|          | 15-19                    | 42                         | 20                  | #  |

| Province     | Sex or age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|--------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--|
|              | 20-24                    | 40                         | 29                  | 14.0   |
|              | 25+                      | 366                        | 23                  | 16.8   |
|              | 25-44                    | 168                        | 33                  | 16.3   |
|              | 45+                      | 198                        | 15*                 | 17.7   |
|              | Female (15+)             | 459                        | 18                  | 13.0   |
|              | 15-19                    | 40                         | 20                  | 8.9  |
|              | 20-24                    | 38                         | 29                  | 11.0   |
|              | 25+                      | 381                        | 17                  | 13.7   |
|              | 25-44                    | 162                        | 23                  | 12.7   |
|              | 45+                      | 219                        | 13*                 | 15.1   |
| Saskatchewan | Total (both sexes)       | 785                        | 24                  | 16.0   |
|              | Male (15+)               | 388                        | 25                  | 17.8   |
|              | 15-19                    | 39                         | 29                  | 11.9   |
|              | 20-24                    | 37                         | 33                  | 13.7   |
|              | 25+                      | 312                        | 24                  | 19.1   |
|              | 25-44                    | 136                        | 30                  | 18.9   |
|              | 45+                      | 176                        | 20                  | 19.3   |
|              | Female (15+)             | 398                        | 23                  | 13.8   |
|              | 15-19                    | 37                         | 28                  | 12.2   |
|              | 20-24                    | 35                         | 35                  | 9.9  |
|              | 25+                      | 326                        | 21                  | 14.7   |
|              | 25-44                    | 136                        | 26                  | 13.3   |
|              | 45+                      | 190                        | 18                  | 16.0   |
| Alberta      | Total (both sexes)       | 2,515                      | 20                  | 14.6   |
|              | Male (15+)               | 1,266                      | 21                  | 15.9   |
|              | 15-19                    | 118                        | 18*                 | #  |
|              | 20-24                    | 126                        | 29                  | 12.7   |
|              | 25+                      | 1,023                      | 20                  | 16.7   |
|              | 25-44                    | 512                        | 30                  | 15.5   |
|              | 45+                      | 510                        | #                   | #  |
|              | Female (15+)             | 1,248                      | 19                  | 13.1   |
|              | 15-19                    | 113                        | 19*                 | #  |

| Province         | Sex or age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Average cigarettes smoked per day <sup>1</sup> |
|------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--|
|                  | 20-24                    | 118                        | 33                  | 10.5   |
|                  | 25+                      | 1,017                      | 17                  | 13.6   |
|                  | 25-44                    | 489                        | 22*                 | 12.5   |
|                  | 45+                      | 528                        | 13*                 | #  |
| British Columbia | Total (both sexes)       | 3,431                      | 16                  | 15.8   |
|                  | Male (15+)               | 1,687                      | 17                  | 17.7   |
|                  | 15-19                    | 141                        | 12*                 | 14.7   |
|                  | 20-24                    | 144                        | 19*                 | 13.1   |
|                  | 25+                      | 1,402                      | 17                  | 18.4   |
|                  | 25-44                    | 623                        | 22                  | 17.6   |
|                  | 45+                      | 779                        | 14                  | 19.4   |
|                  | Female (15+)             | 1,744                      | 16                  | 13.3   |
|                  | 15-19                    | 134                        | 15*                 | 11.0   |
|                  | 20-24                    | 142                        | 20*                 | 11.7   |
|                  | 25+                      | 1,468                      | 15                  | 13.7   |
|                  | 25-44                    | 629                        | 21                  | 13.0   |
|                  | 45+                      | 839                        | 12                  | 14.4   |

<sup>1</sup> Daily smokers only.

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Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, February - December 2003

Table 4. Nicotine dependence by age group and sex, daily smokers, age 15+ years, Canada 2003

|                   |                   |                            | How soon after waking do you have your first cigarette? |                  |                   |                 |
|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|---|------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Sex               | Age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Within 5 minutes (%)                                    | 6-30 minutes (%) | 31-60 minutes (%) | >60 minutes (%) |
| Total             | All age groups    | 4,097                      | 29  | 31               | 17                | 23              |
| Male              |                   | 2,301                      | 32  | 29               | 19                | 20              |
| Female            |                   | 1,795                      | 26  | 34               | 15                | 26              |
| <b>Both sexes</b> |                   |                            |   |                  |                   |                 |
| Both sexes        | 15-19             | 235                        | 20  | 27               | 18                | 35              |
|                   | 20-24             | 445                        | 18  | 29               | 20                | 34              |
|                   | 25+               | 3,417                      | 31  | 32               | 17                | 20              |
|                   | 25-44             | 1,856                      | 27  | 31               | 19                | 23              |
|                   | 45+               | 1,561                      | 36  | 33               | 14*               | 17              |
| <b>Male</b>       |                   |                            |   |                  |                   |                 |
| Male              | 15-19             | 111                        | 19*   | 33               | 18*               | 30*             |
|                   | 20-24             | 243                        | 19*   | 29               | 21                | 31              |
|                   | 25+               | 1,948                      | 34  | 29               | 18                | 18              |
|                   | 25-44             | 1,026                      | 27  | 30               | 22*               | 22*             |
|                   | 45+               | 922                        | 42  | 29               | 15*               | 14*             |
| <b>Female</b>     |                   |                            |   |                  |                   |                 |
| Female            | 15-19             | 124                        | 22*   | 21*              | 18*               | 39              |
|                   | 20-24             | 202                        | 16*   | 29               | 17*               | 38              |
|                   | 25+               | 1,469                      | 28  | 35               | 14*               | 23              |
|                   | 25-44             | 830                        | 28  | 34               | 15*               | 23*             |
|                   | 45+               | 639                        | 28*   | 38               | 12*               | 22*             |

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Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, February - December 2003

Table 5. Number of quit attempts in the past 12 months by age group and sex, daily smokers, age 15+ years, Canada 2003

| Sex               | Age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | No attempts (%) | 1-3 attempts (%) | 4 or more attempts (%) |
|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------------|
| Total             | All age groups    | 2,273                      | 29              | 52               | 18                     |
| Male              |                   | 1,193                      | 31              | 52               | 17                     |
| Female            |                   | 1,081                      | 27              | 53               | 20                     |
| <b>Both sexes</b> |                   |                            |                 |                  |                        |
| Both sexes        | 15-17             | 81                         | #               | 64               | 28*                    |
|                   | 18-19             | 82                         | 16*             | 60               | 24*                    |
|                   | 20-22             | 191                        | 16*             | 56               | 28                     |
|                   | 23-24             | 89                         | #               | 59               | 27*                    |
|                   | 25+               | 1,830                      | 33              | 51               | 16                     |
|                   | 25-34             | 556                        | 27*             | 60               | 13*                    |
|                   | 35-44             | 504                        | 29*             | 48               | 23*                    |
|                   | 25-44             | 1,060                      | 28              | 54               | 18*                    |
|                   | 45+               | 770                        | 40              | 46               | 14*                    |
| <b>Male</b>       |                   |                            |                 |                  |                        |
| Male              | 15-19             | 74                         | #               | 59               | 30*                    |
|                   | 20-24             | 144                        | 14*             | 53               | 33                     |
|                   | 25+               | 974                        | 35              | 51               | 14*                    |
|                   | 25-44             | 592                        | 31*             | 53               | 16*                    |
|                   | 45+               | 382                        | 42*             | 47               | #                      |
| <b>Female</b>     |                   |                            |                 |                  |                        |
| Female            | 15-19             | 89                         | #               | 64               | 24*                    |
|                   | 20-24             | 136                        | 16*             | 62               | 22*                    |
|                   | 25+               | 855                        | 30              | 51               | 19*                    |
|                   | 25-44             | 468                        | 24*             | 55               | 20*                    |
|                   | 45+               | 387                        | 38*             | 45               | 17*                    |

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Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, February - December 2003

Table 6. Quit rates by age group and sex, age 15+ years, Canada 2003

| Sex        | Age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Total quitters (%) | Short term quitters (%) | Long term quitters (%) |
|------------|-------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Both sexes | Total             | 12,092                     | 56                 | 4                       | 52                     |
|            | 15-24             | 1,366                      | 24                 | 7                       | 17                     |
|            | 15-19             | 442                        | 13                 | 5*                      | 8*                     |
|            | 20-24             | 924                        | 29                 | 8                       | 21                     |
|            | 25+               | 10,726                     | 60                 | 4                       | 56                     |
|            | 25-44             | 4,439                      | 45                 | 5*                      | 40                     |
|            | 45+               | 6,287                      | 71                 | 3*                      | 67                     |
| Male       | Total             | 6,620                      | 56                 | 4*                      | 52                     |
|            | 15-24             | 683                        | 22                 | 6*                      | 16                     |
|            | 15-19             | 211                        | 14*                | #                       | 9*                     |
|            | 20-24             | 472                        | 27                 | 6*                      | 21                     |
|            | 25+               | 5,938                      | 59                 | 4*                      | 59                     |
|            | 25-44             | 2,320                      | 41                 | 5*                      | 36                     |
|            | 45+               | 3,618                      | 71                 | 2*                      | 68                     |
| Female     | Total             | 5,472                      | 56                 | 4*                      | 52                     |
|            | 15-24             | 684                        | 22                 | 8*                      | 16                     |
|            | 15-19             | 231                        | 12*                | 5*                      | 7*                     |
|            | 20-24             | 453                        | 31                 | 9*                      | 21                     |
|            | 25+               | 4,789                      | 57                 | 4*                      | 58                     |
|            | 25-44             | 2,119                      | 49                 | 4*                      | 45                     |
|            | 45+               | 2,670                      | 70                 | 4*                      | 66                     |

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Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, February - December 2003

Table 7. Stages of change categories\*\* by ever smokers (current and former smokers combined) by age group and sex, age 15+ years, Canada 2003

| Sex               | Age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Precontemplation (%) | Contemplation (%) | Preparation (%) | Action (%) | Maintenance (%) |
|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------|-----------------|
| Total             | All age groups    | 12,092                     | 21                   | 14                | 7               | 2*         | 56              |
| Male              |                   | 6,620                      | 21                   | 14                | 6               | 2*         | 57              |
| Female            |                   | 5,472                      | 20                   | 14                | 7               | 2*         | 56              |
| <b>Both sexes</b> |                   |                            |                      |                   |                 |            |                 |
| Both sexes        | 15-19             | 442                        | 40                   | 26                | 15              | #          | 17              |
|                   | 20-24             | 924                        | 31                   | 22                | 16              | 3*         | 28              |
|                   | 25+               | 10,726                     | 19                   | 13                | 6               | 2*         | 61              |
|                   | 25-44             | 4,439                      | 24                   | 19                | 9               | 2*         | 46              |
|                   | 45+               | 6,287                      | 16                   | 9                 | 4*              | 1*         | 71              |
| <b>Male</b>       |                   |                            |                      |                   |                 |            |                 |
| Male              | 15-24             | 683                        | 33                   | 24                | 15              | #          | 26              |
|                   | 25+               | 5,938                      | 19                   | 13                | 5               | 2*         | 60              |
| <b>Female</b>     |                   |                            |                      |                   |                 |            |                 |
| Female            | 15-24             | 684                        | 34                   | 22                | 16              | 3*         | 24              |
|                   | 25+               | 4,789                      | 18                   | 13                | 6               | 1*         | 61              |

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The first 3 categories are current smokers, last 2 categories are former smokers.

\*\* **Stages of Change** - a measure that divides ever smokers (i.e., current and former smokers combined) into 5 different categories, depending on their quit status or readiness to quit. The five stages are defined as follows:

**Precontemplation** - current smokers who answer "no" to the question, "Are you seriously considering quitting within the next 6 months?".

**Contemplation** - current smokers who are *either* seriously considering quitting within the next 6 months, but answer "no" to the question, "Are you seriously considering quitting within the next 30 days?" OR are seriously considering quitting within the next 30 days, but did not try to quit for at least 24 hours during the past year (i.e., answered "none" to the question, "In the last year, how many times have you quit for at least 24 hours?").

**Preparation** - current smokers who are seriously considering quitting within the next 30 days and have quit smoking at least once, for at least 24 hours, during the past year.

**Action** - former smokers (i.e., do not currently smoke) who have quit smoking within the past 5 months (inclusive).

**Maintenance** - former smokers who, at the time of the interview, had quit smoking at least 6 months ago.

Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, February - December 2003

Table 8. Smoking and pregnancy, women age 20-44 years\*\*, Canada 2003

| Age group (years) | Population estimate ('000) | Smoked regularly during most recent pregnancy (%) | Spouse smoked regularly at home during most recent pregnancy (%) |
|-------------------|----------------------------|---|--|
| 20-44             | 1,523                      | 11*   | 12*  |
| 15-24             | 185                        | 22*   | 21*  |
| 25+               | 1,338                      | 10*   | 11*  |

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\*\* Among women aged 20-44 that had been pregnant in the previous 5 years.

Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, February - December 2003

Table 9. Smoking and education, age 15+ years, Canada 2003

| Education level      | Population estimate ('000) | Current smokers (%) | Former smokers (%) | Never smokers (%) |
|----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| < Secondary          | 5,602                      | 23                  | 27                 | 50                |
| Completed secondary  | 9,712                      | 24                  | 27                 | 49                |
| Completed college    | 4,289                      | 22                  | 27                 | 51                |
| Completed university | 5,261                      | 13                  | 24                 | 64                |

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Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, February - December 2003

Table 10. Exposure of children at home to Environmental Tobacco Smoke (ETS), by province and age group, Canada 2003

| Province                  | % Children Age 0-11 regularly exposed | % Children Age 12-17 regularly exposed | % Children Age 0-17 regularly exposed |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| Canada                    | 14                                    | 19                                     | 16                                    |
|                           |                                       |  |                                       |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | 16                                    | 22                                     | 18                                    |
| Prince Edward Island      | 16                                    | 21                                     | 18                                    |
| Nova Scotia               | 16                                    | 23                                     | 19                                    |
| New Brunswick             | 17                                    | 26                                     | 20                                    |
| Quebec                    | 25                                    | 29                                     | 26                                    |
| Ontario                   | 9                                     | 15                                     | 12                                    |
| Manitoba                  | 15                                    | 20                                     | 17                                    |
| Saskatchewan              | 17                                    | 22                                     | 19                                    |
| Alberta                   | 11                                    | 17                                     | 14                                    |
| British Columbia          | 6                                     | 11                                     | 8                                     |

\* Moderate sampling variability, interpret with caution.

# High sampling variability - although an estimate may be determined from the table, data should be suppressed.

Estimates may not sum to 100 percent due to rounding.

Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, Household component, February - December 2003

Table 11. Ever used/tried marijuana, cannabis or hashish, by province, Canada 2003

|                           | Population estimate ('000) | % Tried marijuana once | % Tried marijuana greater than once | % Never tried marijuana |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Canada                    | 24,273                     | 6                      | 29                                  | 65                      |
| Males                     | 11,881                     | 6                      | 36                                  | 58                      |
| Females                   | 12,393                     | 5                      | 23                                  | 72                      |
|                           |                            |                        |                                     |                         |
| Newfoundland and Labrador | 424                        | 6                      | 28                                  | 66                      |
| Prince Edward Island      | 109                        | 9                      | 25                                  | 67                      |
| Nova Scotia               | 739                        | 9                      | 35                                  | 56                      |
| New Brunswick             | 596                        | 6                      | 29                                  | 64                      |
| Quebec                    | 5,888                      | 4                      | 31                                  | 64                      |
| Ontario                   | 9,311                      | 5                      | 26                                  | 69                      |
| Manitoba                  | 873                        | 8                      | 26                                  | 66                      |
| Saskatchewan              | 757                        | 9                      | 30                                  | 62                      |
| Alberta                   | 2,349                      | 7                      | 31                                  | 62                      |
| British Columbia          | 3,229                      | 7                      | 33                                  | 60                      |

\* Moderate sampling variability, interpret with caution.

# High sampling variability - although an estimate may be determined from the table, data should be suppressed.

Estimates may not sum to 100 percent due to rounding.

Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, Wave 2, July - December 2003

Table 12. Ever used/tried marijuana, cannabis or hashish by smoking status, Canada 2003

| Smoking status | Population estimate ('000) | % Tried marijuana once | % Tried marijuana greater than once | % Never tried marijuana |
|----------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Current smoker | 5,312                      | 7                      | 57                                  | 37                      |
| Former smoker  | 6,398                      | 6                      | 35                                  | 59                      |
| Never smoker   | 12,563                     | 5                      | 15                                  | 80                      |

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# High sampling variability - although an estimate may be determined from the table, data should be suppressed.

Estimates may not sum to 100 percent due to rounding.

Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, Wave 2, July - December 2003

Table 13. Description of the sample size represented, age 15+ years, Canada 2003

|        | Newfoundland and Labrador | Prince Edward Island | Nova Scotia | New Brunswick | Quebec | Ontario | Manitoba | Saskatchewan | Alberta | British Columbia | Canada |
|--------|---------------------------|----------------------|-------------|---------------|--------|---------|----------|--------------|---------|------------------|--------|
| Male   | 899                       | 912                  | 898         | 995           | 1,001  | 1,011   | 904      | 916          | 752     | 1,494            | 9,782  |
| Female | 1,034                     | 1,051                | 1,070       | 1,225         | 1,169  | 1,092   | 1,091    | 1,044        | 1,036   | 1,706            | 11,518 |
| 15-19  | 540                       | 523                  | 534         | 585           | 548    | 549     | 507      | 492          | 462     | 815              | 5,555  |
| 20-24  | 425                       | 410                  | 442         | 468           | 526    | 446     | 439      | 421          | 398     | 659              | 4,634  |
| 25+    | 968                       | 1,030                | 992         | 1,167         | 1,096  | 1,108   | 1,049    | 1,047        | 928     | 1,726            | 11,111 |
| 25-34  | 171                       | 179                  | 156         | 229           | 204    | 177     | 196      | 174          | 192     | 257              | 1,935  |
| 35-44  | 208                       | 252                  | 253         | 257           | 254    | 296     | 218      | 216          | 263     | 447              | 2,664  |
| 45-54  | 241                       | 215                  | 202         | 249           | 246    | 204     | 224      | 205          | 169     | 328              | 2,283  |
| 55+    | 348                       | 384                  | 381         | 432           | 392    | 431     | 411      | 452          | 304     | 694              | 4,229  |
| Total  | 1,933                     | 1,963                | 1,968       | 2,220         | 2,170  | 2,103   | 1,995    | 1,960        | 1,788   | 3,200            | 21,300 |

Source: Canadian Tobacco Use Monitoring Survey, February - December 2003