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TABLE 1: ONTARIO, GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT, 1992–2005

	(\$ Billions)						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Real GDP (chained \$1997)	307.2	310.2	328.5	340.1	343.8	359.4	376.7
Consumption	175.3	177.7	183.1	186.6	190.9	200.1	207.1
Government	72.6	72.1	72.9	73.3	70.6	70.5	72.0
Residential Construction	17.1	15.6	15.9	13.7	15.0	17.2	16.8
Non-residential Construction	10.9	8.8	7.8	7.5	9.2	10.0	10.2
Machinery and Equipment	18.5	17.7	20.2	22.3	23.7	29.3	31.3
Exports	165.5	179.4	198.1	213.8	225.6	242.6	260.4
Imports	149.8	158.7	169.4	180.5	189.4	213.3	223.3
Nominal Gross Domestic Product	286.5	293.4	311.1	329.3	338.2	359.4	377.9

TABLE 1 (CONTINUED)

	(\$ Billions)						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Real GDP (chained \$1997)	405.0	429.1	436.8	450.0	455.5	469.5	482.4
Consumption	216.6	227.2	232.9	242.1	249.7	257.4	266.4
Government	75.1	77.8	81.5	83.9	88.8	91.6	95.0
Residential Construction	18.8	20.1	22.1	24.2	25.0	25.9	26.1
Non-residential Construction	11.3	10.0	9.9	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.0
Machinery and Equipment	34.2	36.2	35.2	32.7	35.2	38.3	42.5
Exports	289.8	312.5	303.2	307.9	304.9	322.6	331.4
Imports	241.9	259.6	247.5	252.9	262.2	281.0	294.3
Nominal Gross Domestic Product	409.0	440.8	453.7	477.5	491.9	517.3	538.4

Sources: Statistics Canada and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

TABLE 2: ONTARIO, GROWTH IN GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT, 1992–2005

	(Per Cent Change)						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Real GDP (chained \$1997)	0.9	1.0	5.9	3.5	1.1	4.5	4.8
Consumption	1.4	1.3	3.1	1.9	2.3	4.8	3.5
Government	0.4	(0.7)	1.1	0.7	(3.7)	(0.1)	2.0
Residential Construction	4.5	(8.7)	2.0	(14.0)	9.6	14.5	(1.8)
Non-residential Construction	(12.9)	(18.7)	(12.2)	(2.7)	21.5	9.2	1.6
Machinery and Equipment	2.4	(4.4)	14.6	9.9	6.7	23.3	6.8
Exports	3.9	8.4	10.4	7.9	5.6	7.5	7.3
Imports	5.3	5.9	6.8	6.6	4.9	12.6	4.7
Nominal Gross Domestic Product	1.2	2.4	6.0	5.9	2.7	6.3	5.2

TABLE 2 (CONTINUED)

	(Per Cent Change)						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Real GDP (chained \$1997)	7.5	5.9	1.8	3.0	1.2	3.1	2.8
Consumption	4.6	4.9	2.5	3.9	3.1	3.1	3.5
Government	4.4	3.6	4.8	3.0	5.8	3.1	3.7
Residential Construction	11.6	7.1	9.7	9.6	3.2	3.5	0.8
Non-residential Construction	11.4	(11.8)	(1.1)	3.4	0.2	(1.0)	(1.1)
Machinery and Equipment	9.4	5.9	(2.8)	(7.3)	7.8	8.9	11.0
Exports	11.3	7.8	(3.0)	1.6	(1.0)	5.8	2.7
Imports	8.4	7.3	(4.6)	2.2	3.7	7.2	4.7
Nominal Gross Domestic Product	8.2	7.8	2.9	5.3	3.0	5.2	4.1

Sources: Statistics Canada and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

TABLE 3: ONTARIO, SELECTED ECONOMIC INDICATORS, 1992–2005

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Retail Sales (\$ Billions)	71.5	74.5	80.0	83.3	83.8	90.9	97.5
Housing Starts – Units (000s)	55.8	45.1	46.6	35.8	43.1	54.1	53.8
Personal Income (\$ Billions)	253.8	256.1	260.7	271.4	276.3	289.5	304.7
Pre-tax Corporate Profits (\$ Billions)	14.5	17.9	27.9	33.1	34.2	37.5	39.5
Consumer Price Index (1992 = 100)	100.0	101.8	101.8	104.3	105.9	107.9	108.9
Labour Force (000s)	5,529	5,544	5,548	5,589	5,680	5,776	5,877
Employment (000s)	4,933	4,938	5,014	5,100	5,167	5,291	5,453
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	10.9	9.6	8.7	9.0	8.4	7.2

TABLE 3 (CONTINUED)

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Retail Sales (\$ Billions)	104.6	111.5	114.3	121.0	125.1	129.1	135.2
Housing Starts – Units (000s)	67.2	71.5	73.3	83.6	85.2	85.1	78.8
Personal Income (\$ Billions)	321.7	347.7	361.2	370.4	383.2	400.3	419.2
Pre-tax Corporate Profits (\$ Billions)	49.7	54.4	49.3	60.6	56.9	64.7	64.4
Consumer Price Index (1992 = 100)	111.0	114.2	117.7	120.1	123.3	125.6	128.4
Labour Force (000s)	6,018	6,173	6,327	6,494	6,676	6,775	6,849
Employment (000s)	5,637	5,817	5,926	6,031	6,213	6,317	6,398
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.3	5.8	6.3	7.1	6.9	6.8	6.6

Sources: Statistics Canada, Ontario Ministry of Finance and Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

TABLE 4: ONTARIO, SELECTED ECONOMIC INDICATORS, ANNUAL CHANGE, 1992–2005

	(Per Cent Change)						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Retail Sales	2.7	4.2	7.5	4.0	0.7	8.5	7.2
Housing Starts	5.6	(19.1)	3.3	(23.2)	20.2	25.6	(0.4)
Personal Income	2.5	0.9	1.8	4.1	1.8	4.8	5.2
Pre-tax Corporate Profits	(0.8)	23.1	55.8	18.7	3.3	9.9	5.2
Consumer Price Index	1.0	1.8	0.0	2.5	1.5	1.9	0.9
Labour Force	(0.3)	0.3	0.1	0.7	1.6	1.7	1.7
Employment	(1.7)	0.1	1.5	1.7	1.3	2.4	3.1

TABLE 4 (CONTINUED)

	(Per Cent Change)						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Retail Sales	7.3	6.6	2.5	5.9	3.4	3.2	4.7
Housing Starts	24.9	6.4	2.5	14.1	1.9	(0.1)	(7.4)
Personal Income	5.6	8.1	3.9	2.6	3.4	4.5	4.7
Pre-tax Corporate Profits	25.9	9.3	(9.2)	22.7	(6.1)	13.7	(0.4)
Consumer Price Index	1.9	2.9	3.1	2.0	2.7	1.9	2.2
Labour Force	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.8	1.5	1.1
Employment	3.4	3.2	1.9	1.8	3.0	1.7	1.3

Sources: Statistics Canada, Ontario Ministry of Finance and Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

**TABLE 5: ONTARIO, REAL GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT BY INDUSTRY
AT BASIC PRICES, 2002–2005**

	(\$1997 Chained Millions)			
	2002	2003	2004	2005
Goods Producing Industries	126,216	126,822	130,568	133,411
Primary	7,365	7,191	7,457	7,500
Utilities	10,208	9,891	10,031	10,297
Construction	21,362	22,326	22,331	22,659
Manufacturing ¹	87,281	87,414	90,749	92,956
Services Producing Industries	287,647	294,244	302,419	312,210
Wholesale Trade	27,286	28,554	30,035	32,213
Retail Trade	22,399	23,010	23,734	24,624
Transportation and Warehousing	16,637	16,735	17,358	17,944
Information and Cultural (incl. Telecommunications)	17,753	18,082	18,165	18,846
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate, Rental and Leasing	89,397	91,477	94,711	97,891
Professional and Administrative Services	31,911	32,796	33,313	33,854
Education	17,409	17,554	17,853	18,594
Health Care and Social Services	22,233	23,127	23,715	24,131
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	3,834	4,010	4,018	4,010
Accommodation and Food	8,864	8,115	8,265	8,264
Other Services	9,843	9,919	10,049	10,202
Public Administration	20,222	21,006	21,396	21,844
Total Production	413,944	421,110	432,903	445,300

¹ See Table 7 for detailed manufacturing industries.

Sources: Statistics Canada and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

**TABLE 6: ONTARIO, GROWTH IN REAL GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT
BY INDUSTRY AT BASIC PRICES, 2002–2005**

	(Per Cent Change)			
	2002	2003	2004	2005
Goods Producing Industries	2.9	0.5	3.0	2.2
Primary	(3.0)	(2.4)	3.7	0.6
Utilities	5.9	(3.1)	1.4	2.6
Construction	6.3	4.5	0.0	1.5
Manufacturing ¹	2.3	0.2	3.8	2.4
Services Producing Industries	2.9	2.3	2.8	3.2
Wholesale Trade	3.0	4.6	5.2	7.3
Retail Trade	7.3	2.7	3.1	3.8
Transportation and Warehousing	0.1	0.6	3.7	3.4
Information and Cultural (incl. Telecommunications)	2.7	1.8	0.5	3.7
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate, Rental and Leasing	2.4	2.3	3.5	3.4
Professional and Administrative Services	4.2	2.8	1.6	1.6
Education	2.0	0.8	1.7	4.2
Health Care and Social Services	2.5	4.0	2.5	1.8
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	1.6	4.6	0.2	(0.2)
Accommodation and Food	1.0	(8.4)	1.8	0.0
Other Services	4.3	0.8	1.3	1.5
Public Administration	2.8	3.9	1.9	2.1
Total Production	2.9	1.7	2.8	2.9

¹ See Table 8 for detailed manufacturing industries.

Sources: Statistics Canada and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

**TABLE 7: ONTARIO, REAL GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT BASIC PRICES IN
SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 2002–2005**

	(\$1997 Chained Millions)			
	2002	2003	2004	2005
Manufacturing	87,281	87,414	90,749	92,956
Food, Beverage and Tobacco Products	9,652	9,675	10,184	10,398
Textile, Clothing and Leather Products	1,865	1,726	1,616	1,445
Wood Products and Furniture	4,969	5,075	5,161	5,447
Paper Products and Printing	6,534	6,617	6,502	6,503
Chemical and Petroleum Products	8,614	8,631	9,227	8,946
Plastic and Rubber Products	6,014	6,009	6,121	6,054
Primary Metal and Fabricated Metal Products	12,961	13,072	13,471	13,634
Machinery	6,083	5,984	6,060	6,422
Electrical and Electronic Products	7,795	7,739	8,114	9,293
Transportation Equipment	18,484	18,399	19,675	20,309
Other Manufacturing	4,128	4,204	4,254	4,254

Sources: Statistics Canada and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

**TABLE 8: ONTARIO, GROWTH IN REAL GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT BASIC PRICES
IN SELECTED MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES, 2002–2005**

	(Per Cent Change)			
	2002	2003	2004	2005
Manufacturing	2.3	0.2	3.8	2.4
Food, Beverage and Tobacco Products	(1.0)	0.2	5.3	2.1
Textile, Clothing and Leather Products	(8.0)	(7.4)	(6.4)	(10.6)
Wood Products and Furniture	3.2	2.1	1.7	5.5
Paper Products and Printing	0.1	1.3	(1.7)	0.0
Chemical and Petroleum Products	6.5	0.2	6.9	(3.0)
Plastic and Rubber Products	8.7	(0.1)	1.9	(1.1)
Primary Metal and Fabricated Metal Products	6.1	0.9	3.1	1.2
Machinery	1.2	(1.6)	1.3	6.0
Electrical and Electronic Products	(3.3)	(0.7)	4.8	14.5
Transportation Equipment	2.2	(0.5)	6.9	3.2
Other Manufacturing	5.1	1.8	1.2	0.0

Sources: Statistics Canada and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

TABLE 9: ONTARIO, HOUSING MARKET INDICATORS, 2002–2005

	2002	2003	2004	2005
New Housing Market				
Residential Construction, Current \$ Millions	28,266	30,601	33,673	35,138
Per Cent Change	14.6	8.3	10.0	4.4
Real Residential Construction (\$1997 Millions)	24,220	24,999	25,868	26,070
Per Cent Change	9.6	3.2	3.5	0.8
Housing Starts (Units)	83,597	85,180	85,114	78,795
Per Cent Change	14.1	1.9	(0.1)	(7.4)
Of which: Single-detached, urban areas (Units)	44,980	40,849	41,101	33,655
Per Cent Change	29.0	(9.2)	0.6	(18.1)
Multiple, urban areas (Units)	34,635	40,082	38,795	39,522
Per Cent Change	(2.2)	15.7	(3.2)	1.9
New Housing Price Index (1997 = 100)	114.9	120.0	126.7	132.6
Per Cent Change	3.7	4.4	5.6	4.6
Resale Market				
Home Resales (Units)	178,058	184,457	197,353	197,007
Per Cent Change	9.7	3.6	7.0	(0.2)
Average Resale Price (\$)	210,901	226,824	245,230	263,042
Per Cent Change	9.1	7.5	8.1	7.3

Sources: Statistics Canada, Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation, Canadian Real Estate Association and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

TABLE 10: SELECTED FINANCIAL INDICATORS, 1992–2005

	(Per Cent)						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Interest Rates							
Bank Rate	6.8	5.1	5.8	7.1	4.5	3.5	5.1
Prime Rate	7.5	5.9	6.9	8.6	6.1	5.0	6.6
10-Year Government Bonds	8.1	7.2	8.4	8.1	7.2	6.1	5.3
Three-month T-Bills	6.6	4.8	5.5	6.9	4.2	3.3	4.7
Mortgage Rates							
5-Year Rate	9.5	8.8	9.5	9.2	7.9	7.1	6.9
1-Year Rate	7.9	6.9	7.8	8.4	6.2	5.5	6.5
Canadian Household Debt Burden¹							
Consumer	21.3	21.3	22.7	23.5	24.6	26.2	27.7
Mortgage	59.2	62.2	65.3	65.4	67.1	68.5	69.0
Total	80.5	83.5	88.0	88.9	91.8	94.7	96.6

TABLE 10 (CONTINUED)

	(Per Cent)						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Interest Rates							
Bank Rate	4.9	5.8	4.3	2.7	3.2	2.5	2.9
Prime Rate	6.4	7.3	5.8	4.2	4.7	4.0	4.4
10-Year Government Bonds	5.6	5.9	5.5	5.3	4.8	4.6	4.1
Three-month T-Bills	4.7	5.5	3.8	2.6	2.9	2.2	2.7
Mortgage Rates							
5-Year Rate	7.6	8.3	7.4	7.0	6.4	6.2	6.0
1-Year Rate	6.8	7.9	6.1	5.2	4.8	4.6	5.1
Canadian Household Debt Burden¹							
Consumer	28.3	29.7	30.3	31.1	32.7	34.1	36.7
Mortgage	68.6	67.1	66.7	69.0	71.7	75.3	79.6
Total	96.9	96.8	97.0	100.1	104.4	109.4	116.3

¹ Household debt as a share of personal disposable income.

Note: All data are annual averages.

Sources: Statistics Canada, Finance Canada and Bank of Canada.

**TABLE 11: ONTARIO AND THE G7, REAL GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT GROWTH,
1992–2005**

	(Per Cent)						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Ontario	0.9	1.0	5.9	3.5	1.1	4.5	4.8
Canada	0.9	2.3	4.8	2.8	1.6	4.2	4.1
France	1.9	(0.8)	1.6	2.0	1.1	2.3	3.4
Germany	1.8	(0.8)	2.7	2.0	1.0	1.9	1.8
Italy	0.6	(0.9)	2.3	2.9	0.6	2.0	1.3
Japan	1.0	0.2	1.1	1.9	2.6	1.4	(1.8)
United Kingdom	0.3	2.4	4.4	2.9	2.7	3.2	3.2
United States	3.3	2.7	4.0	2.5	3.7	4.5	4.2

TABLE 11 (CONTINUED)

	(Per Cent)						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Ontario	7.5	5.9	1.8	3.0	1.2	3.1	2.8
Canada	5.5	5.2	1.8	2.9	1.8	3.3	2.9
France	3.2	4.1	2.1	1.3	0.9	2.1	1.4
Germany	1.9	3.5	1.4	0.1	(0.2)	1.1	1.1
Italy	1.9	3.8	1.7	0.3	0.1	0.9	0.1
Japan	(0.2)	2.9	0.4	0.1	1.8	2.3	2.7
United Kingdom	3.0	4.0	2.2	2.0	2.5	3.1	1.8
United States	4.5	3.7	0.8	1.6	2.5	3.9	3.2

Sources: OECD, U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and Statistics Canada.

TABLE 12: ONTARIO AND THE G7, EMPLOYMENT GROWTH, 1992–2005

	(Per Cent)						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Ontario	(1.7)	0.1	1.5	1.7	1.3	2.4	3.1
Canada	(1.0)	0.5	2.1	1.8	0.9	2.1	2.5
France	(0.5)	(1.3)	0.1	1.0	0.4	0.6	1.9
Germany	(1.3)	(1.1)	(0.6)	0.1	(0.4)	(0.4)	1.6
Italy	(0.7)	(4.5)	(1.6)	(0.6)	0.5	0.4	1.1
Japan	1.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.4	1.1	(0.7)
United Kingdom	(2.4)	(1.4)	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.7	0.9
United States	0.7	1.5	2.3	1.5	1.4	2.2	1.5

TABLE 12 (CONTINUED)

	(Per Cent)						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Ontario	3.4	3.2	1.9	1.8	3.0	1.7	1.3
Canada	2.6	2.5	1.2	2.4	2.4	1.8	1.4
France	2.1	2.7	1.9	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.3
Germany	0.0	0.5	0.3	(0.9)	(1.1)	0.0	1.6
Italy	1.2	1.9	2.0	1.5	1.0	1.5	0.7
Japan	(0.8)	(0.2)	(0.5)	(1.3)	(0.2)	0.2	0.4
United Kingdom	1.1	1.4	1.0	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6
United States	1.5	2.5	0.0	(0.3)	0.9	1.1	1.8

Sources: OECD, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics and Statistics Canada.

TABLE 13: ONTARIO AND THE G7, UNEMPLOYMENT RATES, 1992–2005

	(Per Cent)						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Ontario	10.8	10.9	9.6	8.7	9.0	8.4	7.2
Canada	11.2	11.4	10.4	9.5	9.6	9.1	8.3
France	10.4	11.7	12.1	11.5	12.1	12.1	11.5
Germany	5.7	6.9	7.3	7.1	7.7	8.6	8.1
Italy	8.8	9.9	10.9	11.3	11.3	11.4	11.5
Japan	2.2	2.5	2.9	3.1	3.4	3.4	4.1
United Kingdom	10.0	10.4	9.5	8.6	8.1	7.0	6.2
United States	7.5	6.9	6.1	5.6	5.4	4.9	4.5

TABLE 13 (CONTINUED)

	(Per Cent)						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Ontario	6.3	5.8	6.3	7.1	6.9	6.8	6.6
Canada	7.6	6.8	7.2	7.7	7.6	7.2	6.8
France	10.8	9.4	8.7	9.0	9.8	10.0	9.9
Germany	7.5	6.9	6.9	7.6	8.7	9.2	9.1
Italy	11.1	10.2	9.2	8.7	8.6	8.1	7.8
Japan	4.7	4.7	5.0	5.4	5.3	4.7	4.4
United Kingdom	6.0	5.5	5.1	5.2	5.0	4.7	4.8
United States	4.2	4.0	4.7	5.8	6.0	5.5	5.1

Note: Labour market data are subject to differences in definitions across countries and to many series breaks, though the latter are often of a minor nature.

Sources: OECD, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics and Statistics Canada.

TABLE 14: ONTARIO AND THE G7, CPI INFLATION RATES, 1992–2005

	(Per Cent)						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Ontario	1.0	1.8	0.0	2.5	1.5	1.9	0.9
Canada	1.5	1.8	0.2	2.2	1.6	1.6	0.9
France	2.5	2.2	1.7	1.8	2.1	1.3	0.7
Germany	5.1	4.4	2.7	1.7	1.2	1.5	0.6
Italy	5.0	4.5	4.2	5.4	4.0	1.9	2.0
Japan	1.7	1.3	0.7	(0.1)	0.0	1.7	0.7
United Kingdom	4.2	2.5	2.0	2.7	2.5	1.8	1.6
United States	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.8	3.0	2.3	1.6

TABLE 14 (CONTINUED)

	(Per Cent)						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Ontario	1.9	2.9	3.1	2.0	2.7	1.9	2.2
Canada	1.7	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.8	1.9	2.2
France	0.6	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.3	1.9
Germany	0.6	1.4	1.9	1.4	1.0	1.8	1.9
Italy	1.7	2.6	2.3	2.6	2.8	2.3	2.2
Japan	(0.3)	(0.8)	(0.8)	(0.9)	(0.3)	0.0	(0.3)
United Kingdom	1.3	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.3	2.0
United States	2.2	3.4	2.8	1.6	2.3	2.7	3.4

Sources: OECD, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics and Statistics Canada.

TABLE 15: G7, EXCHANGE RATES, 1992–2005

	(Foreign Currency per Canadian Dollar)						
	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Euro ¹	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
France	4.380	4.390	4.066	3.637	3.752	4.211	3.968
Germany	1.292	1.282	1.188	1.044	1.104	1.251	1.183
Italy	1,019.6	1,219.8	1,180.7	1,186.9	1,131.6	1,228.5	1,168.2
Japan	104.8	86.2	74.8	68.5	79.8	87.3	87.8
United Kingdom	0.471	0.517	0.478	0.462	0.470	0.441	0.407
United States	0.827	0.775	0.732	0.729	0.733	0.722	0.674

TABLE 15 (CONTINUED)

	(Foreign Currency per Canadian Dollar)						
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Euro ¹	0.631	0.730	0.721	0.674	0.632	0.618	0.663
France	4.139	4.787	4.730	–	–	–	–
Germany	1.234	1.427	1.410	–	–	–	–
Italy	1,222.5	1,412.4	1,396.6	–	–	–	–
Japan	76.3	72.6	78.4	79.7	82.7	83.1	90.6
United Kingdom	0.416	0.444	0.448	0.424	0.437	0.419	0.453
United States	0.673	0.673	0.646	0.637	0.714	0.768	0.825

¹ Introduced January 4, 1999.

Note: All data are annual averages.

Source: Bank of Canada.

TABLE 16: ONTARIO, INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE EXPORTS¹ BY MAJOR COMMODITY², 2005

	Value (\$ Millions)	Per Cent of Total
Motor Vehicles, Parts and Accessories	72,769	40.4
Machinery and Mechanical Appliances	19,433	10.8
Electrical Machinery and Equipment	10,062	5.6
Non-ferrous Metals and Allied Products	8,202	4.6
Plastics and Plastic Articles	7,354	4.1
Pulp; Paper and Allied Products	5,346	3.0
Precious Metals, Stones and Coins	4,927	2.7
Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages and Tobacco	4,822	2.7
Furniture and Fixtures, Signs, Prefabricated Buildings	4,798	2.7
Iron and Steel	3,790	2.1
Mineral Products	3,786	2.1
Other Chemical Products	3,694	2.1
Articles of Iron and Steel	3,437	1.9
Wood and Wood Products	3,032	1.7
Pharmaceutical Products	2,960	1.6
Scientific, Professional and Photo Equipment, Clocks	2,454	1.4
Rubber and Rubber Articles	2,005	1.1
Inorganic Chemicals; Chemical Elements and Compounds	1,884	1.0
Vegetable Products; Fats and Oils	1,826	1.0
Live Animals; Animal Products	1,553	0.9
Organic Chemicals	1,427	0.8
Textiles and Textile Articles	1,296	0.7
Articles of Stone, Cement, Ceramic and Glass	1,219	0.7
Aircraft, Spacecraft and Parts	1,099	0.6
Printed Matter	766	0.4
Hides, Leather, Travel Goods and Furs	359	0.2
Apparel and Clothing Accessories	341	0.2
Toys, Games and Sports Equipment	327	0.2
Railway, Rolling Stock and Parts	294	0.2
Other Textile and Clothing Articles	243	0.1
Miscellaneous Articles; Works of Art	208	0.1
Ships, Boats and Floating Structures	56	0.0
Footwear	25	0.0
Headgear, Umbrellas, Artificial Flowers	22	0.0
Other Commodities ³	4,298	2.4
Total Exports	180,113	100.0

¹ Domestic exports exclude re-exports.

² Ontario Ministry of Economic Development and Trade definition of product groupings based on two-digit Harmonized System Codes. Data are customs based.

³ Other Commodities includes special transactions.

Source: Industry Canada.

TABLE 17: ONTARIO, INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE IMPORTS BY MAJOR COMMODITY¹, 2005

	Value (\$ Millions)	Per Cent of Total
Motor Vehicles, Parts and Accessories	50,984	22.3
Machinery and Mechanical Appliances	40,415	17.7
Electrical Machinery and Equipment	24,633	10.8
Plastics and Plastic Articles	9,512	4.2
Scientific, Professional and Photo Equipment, Clocks	8,300	3.6
Other Chemical Products	8,059	3.5
Non-ferrous Metals and Allied Products	7,255	3.2
Mineral Products	7,081	3.1
Pharmaceutical Products	6,535	2.9
Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages and Tobacco	5,970	2.6
Iron and Steel	5,358	2.3
Vegetable Products; Fats and Oils	4,484	2.0
Articles of Iron and Steel	4,346	1.9
Pulp; Paper and Allied Products	4,222	1.8
Furniture and Fixtures, Signs, Prefabricated Buildings	4,174	1.8
Organic Chemicals	3,907	1.7
Rubber and Rubber Articles	3,505	1.5
Precious Metals, Stones and Coins	3,477	1.5
Articles of Stone, Cement, Ceramic and Glass	2,927	1.3
Apparel and Clothing Accessories	2,724	1.2
Printed Matter	2,431	1.1
Textiles and Textile Articles	2,425	1.1
Toys, Games and Sports Equipment	2,313	1.0
Aircraft, Spacecraft and Parts	2,235	1.0
Live Animals; Animal Products	1,619	0.7
Wood and Wood Products	1,403	0.6
Inorganic Chemicals; Chemical Elements and Compounds	1,102	0.5
Railway, Rolling Stock and Parts	773	0.3
Hides, Leather, Travel Goods and Furs	760	0.3
Footwear	709	0.3
Miscellaneous Articles; Works of Art	694	0.3
Other Textile and Clothing Articles	542	0.2
Ships, Boats and Floating Structures	309	0.1
Headgear, Umbrellas, Artificial Flowers	158	0.1
Other Commodities ²	3,205	1.4
Total Imports	228,549	100.0

¹ Ontario Ministry of Economic Development and Trade definition of product groupings based on two-digit Harmonized System Codes. Data are customs based.

² Other Commodities includes trans-shipments from one province to another through a foreign jurisdiction and special transactions.

Source: Industry Canada.

TABLE 18: ONTARIO, INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE¹ BY MAJOR REGION, 2005

	Exports (\$ Millions)	Per Cent of Total	Imports (\$ Millions)	Per Cent of Total
United States	160,148	88.9	152,973	66.9
Western Europe	10,380	5.8	19,225	8.4
Eastern Europe	578	0.3	1,194	0.5
European Union	8,594	4.8	18,256	8.0
Asia	4,143	2.3	34,531	15.1
Oceania (Pacific)	787	0.4	713	0.3
Pacific Rim	4,609	2.6	33,777	14.8
Chinese Economic Area ²	1,556	0.9	15,493	6.8
Caribbean	334	0.2	190	0.1
Latin America	2,402	1.3	15,673	6.9
Mexico	1,471	0.8	11,564	5.1
Middle East	813	0.5	882	0.4
Africa	524	0.3	781	0.3
Re-imports (Canada)	0	0.0	2,386	1.0
Total	180,113	100.0	228,549	100.0

¹ Data are customs based and do not include re-exports.

² Chinese Economic Area includes China, Hong Kong and Mongolia.

Source: Industry Canada.

TABLE 19: CANADA, INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE¹ BY MAJOR REGION, 2005

	Exports (\$ Millions)	Per Cent of Total	Imports (\$ Millions)	Per Cent of Total
United States	343,287	84.1	215,136	56.5
Western Europe	24,457	6.0	52,036	13.7
Eastern Europe	1,582	0.4	4,394	1.2
European Union	22,439	5.5	45,618	12.0
Asia	24,886	6.1	65,116	17.1
Oceania (Pacific)	1,863	0.5	2,342	0.6
Pacific Rim	25,051	6.1	64,424	16.9
Chinese Economic Area ²	7,801	1.9	30,223	7.9
Caribbean	1,042	0.3	1,489	0.4
Latin America	6,503	1.6	25,088	6.6
Mexico	3,110	0.8	14,592	3.8
Middle East	2,586	0.6	4,660	1.2
Africa	1,924	0.5	6,942	1.8
Re-imports (Canada)	0	0.0	3,544	0.9
Total	408,133	100.0	380,748	100.0

¹ Data are customs based and do not include re-exports.

² Chinese Economic Area includes China, Hong Kong and Mongolia.

Source: Industry Canada.

TABLE 20: ONTARIO, SELECTED DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS, 1986–2006¹

	Intercensal Estimates			Postcensal Estimates ²					
	1986	1991	1996	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Total Population (000s)	9,438	10,428	11,083	11,898	12,102	12,263	12,417	12,559	12,687
Annual Average Growth Over Preceding Year Shown (%)	1.4	2.0	1.2	1.4	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.0
Median Age (Years)	31.9	33.3	35.0	36.7	37.0	37.4	37.7	37.9	NA
Age Group Shares (%)									
0–4	6.8	7.0	6.8	6.0	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.4	NA
5–14	13.4	13.1	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.2	13.0	12.8	NA
15–24	17.1	14.5	13.2	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.5	13.5	NA
25–44	32.1	34.2	32.9	31.5	31.3	30.9	30.6	30.3	NA
45–64	19.8	19.6	21.3	23.2	23.6	24.1	24.7	25.2	NA
65–74	6.5	7.0	7.3	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	NA
75+	4.2	4.6	5.0	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.9	6.0	NA
Total Fertility Rate ³	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	NA	NA
Life Expectancy at Birth (Years) ³									
Female	80.0	80.8	81.3	82.1	82.2	82.4	NA	NA	NA
Male	73.7	75.0	75.9	77.5	77.7	77.8	NA	NA	NA
Families (000s) ⁴	2,445	2,727	2,933	3,191	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Households (000s) ⁴	3,222	3,638	3,925	4,219	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

¹ Population figures are for July 1 (Census year).

² Estimates by Statistics Canada based on the 2001 Census adjusted for net Census undercoverage.

³ Calendar-year data.

⁴ Families and households are Census data.

Source: Statistics Canada.

TABLE 21: ONTARIO, COMPONENTS OF POPULATION GROWTH, 1996–97 TO 2005–06¹

	(Thousands)				
	1996–97	1997–98	1998–99	1999–00	2000–01
Population at Beginning of Period	11,083	11,228	11,367	11,506	11,685
Births	136	133	131	131	128
Deaths	80	80	80	81	81
Immigrants	119	106	92	117	150
Net Emigrants ²	27	26	24	24	23
Net Change in Non-permanent Residents	(3)	(3)	6	16	21
Interprovincial Arrivals	70	75	73	79	75
Interprovincial Departures	68	66	56	57	56
Population Growth During Period	145	139	139	179	212
Population at End of Period³	11,228	11,367	11,506	11,685	11,898
Population Growth (%)	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8

TABLE 21 (CONTINUED)

	(Thousands)				
	2001–02	2002–03	2003–04	2004–05	2005–06
Population at Beginning of Period	11,898	12,102	12,263	12,417	12,559
Births	129	129	133	133	133
Deaths	81	83	86	88	91
Immigrants	153	110	128	130	133
Net Emigrants ²	19	18	18	18	18
Net Change in Non-permanent Residents	17	22	4	(3)	(7)
Interprovincial Arrivals	70	64	57	59	64
Interprovincial Departures	65	64	64	71	86
Population Growth During Period	204	161	154	142	128
Population at End of Period³	12,102	12,263	12,417	12,559	12,687
Population Growth (%)	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.0

¹ Data are from July 1 to June 30 (Census year).

² Net Emigrants = Emigrants plus net temporary emigrants minus returning emigrants.

³ The sum of the components does not equal the total change in population due to residual deviation.

Source: Statistics Canada. Estimates based on the 2001 Census adjusted for net Census undercoverage.

TABLE 22: ONTARIO, LABOUR FORCE, 1992–2005

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Labour Force (000s)	5,529	5,544	5,548	5,589	5,680	5,776	5,877
Annual Labour Force Growth (%)	(0.3)	0.3	0.1	0.7	1.6	1.7	1.7
Participation Rate (%)							
Male	75.1	74.3	73.4	72.7	72.6	72.8	72.5
Female	59.9	59.4	58.8	58.6	58.9	59.0	59.6
Share of Labour Force (%)							
Youth (15–24)	18.1	17.3	16.8	16.4	16.2	15.9	15.8
Older Workers (45+)	27.4	28.1	28.8	29.1	29.5	30.2	30.7

TABLE 22 (CONTINUED)

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Labour Force (000s)	6,018	6,173	6,327	6,494	6,676	6,775	6,849
Annual Labour Force Growth (%)	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.8	1.5	1.1
Participation Rate (%)							
Male	73.1	73.3	73.4	73.6	74.3	74.1	73.5
Female	60.3	61.0	61.4	62.0	63.0	63.0	62.7
Share of Labour Force (%)							
Youth (15–24)	16.1	16.4	16.3	16.4	16.3	16.2	15.9
Older Workers (45+)	31.4	32.0	32.6	33.4	34.7	35.4	36.1

Source: Statistics Canada.

TABLE 23: ONTARIO, EMPLOYMENT, 1992–2005

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total Employment (000s)	4,933	4,938	5,014	5,100	5,167	5,291	5,453
Male	2,658	2,673	2,714	2,761	2,791	2,870	2,936
Female	2,275	2,265	2,300	2,339	2,376	2,421	2,518
Annual Employment Growth (%)	(1.7)	0.1	1.5	1.7	1.3	2.4	3.1
Net Job Creation (000s)	(84)	5	76	86	67	124	162
Private-sector Employment (000s)	3,229	3,200	3,262	3,375	3,440	3,508	3,649
Public-sector Employment (000s)	1,029	1,027	1,028	1,003	977	938	938
Self-employment (000s)	676	711	724	723	750	845	867
Manufacturing Employment (% of total)	17.3	16.6	16.8	17.2	17.6	17.7	18.0
Services Employment (% of total)	72.6	73.7	73.8	73.6	73.5	73.5	73.3
Part-time (% of total)	18.5	19.5	19.0	18.7	19.2	19.2	18.7
Average Hours Worked Per Week ¹	36.7	37.2	37.6	37.3	37.6	37.8	37.8

TABLE 23 (CONTINUED)

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Total Employment (000s)	5,637	5,817	5,926	6,031	6,213	6,317	6,398
Male	3,035	3,125	3,167	3,209	3,301	3,349	3,390
Female	2,602	2,692	2,759	2,822	2,912	2,967	3,008
Annual Employment Growth (%)	3.4	3.2	1.9	1.8	3.0	1.7	1.3
Net Job Creation (000s)	183	180	109	105	182	103	81
Private-sector Employment (000s)	3,784	3,930	4,052	4,116	4,249	4,278	4,330
Public-sector Employment (000s)	962	994	1,002	1,038	1,050	1,107	1,140
Self-employment (000s)	891	894	873	878	914	932	928
Manufacturing Employment (% of total)	18.4	18.5	18.0	18.1	17.6	17.4	16.6
Services Employment (% of total)	72.8	72.9	73.4	73.4	73.8	74.1	74.4
Part-time (% of total)	18.0	18.0	17.8	18.3	18.5	18.1	18.1
Average Hours Worked Per Week ¹	38.0	38.0	37.5	37.3	36.6	37.1	37.3

¹ Average actual hours worked per week at all jobs, excluding persons not at work, in reference week.

Source: Statistics Canada.

TABLE 24: ONTARIO, UNEMPLOYMENT, 1992–2005

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Total Unemployment (000s)	596	605	535	489	513	485	424
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	10.9	9.6	8.7	9.0	8.4	7.2
Male	11.9	11.5	10.0	8.9	9.0	8.1	7.2
Female	9.4	10.2	9.2	8.6	9.1	8.7	7.3
Toronto CMA ¹	11.3	11.3	10.4	8.6	9.1	7.9	7.0
Northern Ontario	12.8	12.7	11.7	10.0	10.7	10.4	11.1
Youth (15–24)	17.7	17.7	15.7	14.7	14.9	16.4	14.5
Older Workers (45+)	7.5	7.7	7.1	6.5	6.4	5.9	5.3
Share of Total Unemployment (%)							
Long-term Unemployed (27 weeks+)	29.9	33.5	32.6	29.5	28.2	25.5	21.9
Youth (15–24)	29.6	28.1	27.5	27.7	26.8	31.0	31.6
Older Workers (45+)	19.2	19.7	21.2	21.6	20.8	21.4	22.6
Average Duration (weeks) ²	23.4	26.9	27.7	25.9	24.8	26.5	23.2
Youth (15–24)	16.8	18.3	17.9	16.3	15.4	13.8	12.8
Older Workers (45+)	30.0	34.0	34.9	33.4	31.0	42.2	39.0

TABLE 24 (CONTINUED)

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Total Unemployment (000s)	382	356	401	462	463	459	451
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.3	5.8	6.3	7.1	6.9	6.8	6.6
Male	6.2	5.6	6.5	7.4	7.1	6.9	6.6
Female	6.5	6.0	6.2	6.8	6.8	6.6	6.5
Toronto CMA ¹	6.1	5.5	6.3	7.4	7.7	7.5	7.0
Northern Ontario	9.1	8.3	8.0	8.1	7.4	7.8	7.0
Youth (15–24)	13.2	11.9	12.5	13.9	14.4	14.1	13.9
Older Workers (45+)	4.2	4.0	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.7
Share of Total Unemployment (%)							
Long-term Unemployed (27 weeks+)	19.1	15.4	12.8	15.5	16.2	15.6	15.1
Youth (15–24)	33.7	33.7	32.2	32.1	33.9	33.9	33.5
Older Workers (45+)	20.8	22.4	22.9	22.0	23.5	23.4	25.9
Average Duration (weeks) ²	21.3	17.7	15.3	16.3	17.0	16.1	16.1
Youth (15–24)	11.6	9.8	8.6	9.4	9.4	8.8	8.7
Older Workers (45+)	34.2	28.4	25.6	24.4	27.2	24.3	23.9

¹ CMA is Census Metropolitan Area. Toronto CMA includes the city of Toronto; the regions of York, Peel and Halton (excluding Burlington); Uxbridge, Pickering, Ajax, Mono, Orangeville, New Tecumseth and Bradford West Gwillimbury.

² Prior to 1997, unemployment of 100 or more weeks was recorded as 99 due to data processing limitations. This restriction was removed for data after 1996.

Source: Statistics Canada.

TABLE 25: ONTARIO, EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (EI) AND SOCIAL ASSISTANCE, 1992–2005

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
EI Regular Beneficiaries (000s)	322	294	228	181	180	151	131
EI Maximum Insurable Earnings (\$)¹	710	745	780	815	750	39,000	39,000
EI Maximum Weekly Entitlement (\$)	426	425	429	448	413	413	413
EI Premium Rate							
Employer (\$/\$100 Insurable Earnings)	4.20	4.20	4.30	4.20	4.13	4.06	3.78
Employee (\$/\$100 Insurable Earnings)	3.00	3.00	3.07	3.00	2.95	2.90	2.70
EI Total Benefits Paid (\$ millions)²	5,845	5,406	4,511	3,796	3,653	3,436	3,141
EI Premiums Paid (\$ millions)²	7,353	7,567	8,067	7,929	7,582	8,173	7,679
Social Assistance Caseload (000s)⁴	608	660	673	660	599	568	529

TABLE 25 (CONTINUED)

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
EI Regular Beneficiaries (000s)	110	101	122	136	142	136	132
EI Maximum Insurable Earnings (\$)¹	39,000	39,000	39,000	39,000	39,000	39,000	39,000
EI Maximum Weekly Entitlement (\$)	413	413	413	413	413	413	413
EI Premium Rate							
Employer (\$/\$100 Insurable Earnings)	3.57	3.36	3.15	3.08	2.94	2.77	2.73
Employee (\$/\$100 Insurable Earnings)	2.55	2.40	2.25	2.20	2.10	1.98	1.95
EI Total Benefits Paid (\$ millions)²	3,051	2,787	3,524	4,328	4,342	4,429	4,325
EI Premiums Paid (\$ millions)²	7,614	7,671	7,477	7,392	7,219	6,711³	6,947³
Social Assistance Caseload (000s)⁴	479	436	408	411	413	418	431

¹ Effective January 1, 1997, the maximum weekly insurable earnings of \$750 was eliminated and replaced with an annual maximum set at \$39,000.

² Employment Insurance benefit payments are on a cash basis; premiums are paid on an accrual basis.

³ Premiums paid in 2004 and 2005 are Ontario Ministry of Finance estimates.

⁴ The number of social assistance cases from 1998 to 2005 includes recipients of the Ontario Works program, the Ontario Disability Support Program, Temporary Care Assistance and the Assistance for Children with Severe Disabilities program. The *Ontario Works Act* was proclaimed in May 1998 and replaced the *General Welfare Act*. The *Ontario Disability Support Program Act* was proclaimed in June 1998.

Sources: Statistics Canada, Human Resources and Social Development Canada, Ontario Ministry of Finance and Ontario Ministry of Community and Social Services.

TABLE 26: ONTARIO, LABOUR COMPENSATION, 1992–2005

	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Average Weekly Earnings (\$)¹	598.80	612.33	628.16	634.17	649.55	663.73	672.67
Increase (%)	3.9	2.3	2.6	1.0	2.4	2.2	1.3
CPI Inflation (%)	1.0	1.8	0.0	2.5	1.5	1.9	0.9
AWE Increase Less CPI Inflation (%)	2.9	0.5	2.6	(1.5)	0.9	0.3	0.4
AWE – Manufacturing (\$)	716.55	739.20	761.95	770.80	794.09	821.28	841.78
Increase (%)	4.9	3.2	3.1	1.2	3.0	3.4	2.5
Increase Less CPI Inflation (%)	3.9	1.4	3.1	(1.3)	1.5	1.5	1.6
Wage Settlement Increases (%)²							
All Sectors	2.7	1.0	0.4	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.6
Public	2.6	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	1.3
Private	2.7	1.9	1.1	1.7	2.2	2.3	2.1
Person Days Lost Due to Strikes and Lockouts (000s)	578	371	488	477	1,915	1,904	1,061
Minimum Wage at Year-end (\$/hour)	6.35	6.35	6.70	6.85	6.85	6.85	6.85

TABLE 26 (CONTINUED)

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Average Weekly Earnings (\$)¹	683.70	700.12	712.88	726.21	734.78	748.10	768.59
Increase (%)	1.6	2.4	1.8	1.9	1.2	1.8	2.7
CPI Inflation (%)	1.9	2.9	3.1	2.0	2.7	1.9	2.2
AWE Increase Less CPI Inflation (%)	(0.3)	(0.5)	(1.3)	(0.1)	(1.5)	(0.1)	0.5
AWE – Manufacturing (\$)	852.13	869.40	882.76	906.10	917.84	934.23	956.42
Increase (%)	1.2	2.0	1.5	2.6	1.3	1.8	2.4
Increase Less CPI Inflation (%)	(0.7)	(0.9)	(1.6)	0.6	(1.4)	(0.1)	0.2
Wage Settlement Increases (%)²							
All Sectors	2.1	2.6	3.0	3.0	3.1	2.8	2.7
Public	1.4	2.7	2.9	2.9	3.5	3.1	2.7
Private	3.1	2.4	3.0	3.0	1.9	2.6	2.4
Person Days Lost Due to Strikes and Lockouts (000s)	651	650	672	1,511	495	487	403
Minimum Wage at Year-end (\$/hour)	6.85	6.85	6.85	6.85	6.85	7.15	7.45

¹ Average Weekly Earnings (AWE) includes overtime. In 2001, Statistics Canada changed its estimates of AWE from the 1980 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) to the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS).

² Wage settlement increases are for collective agreements covering 200 or more employees, Ontario Ministry of Labour.

Sources: Statistics Canada, Ontario Ministry of Labour and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

TABLE 27: ONTARIO, EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION, 1994–2005

	(Thousands)					
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Management	504	544	535	546	550	546
Business, Finance and Administrative	979	982	981	974	1,010	1,031
Natural and Applied Sciences	275	304	295	327	354	398
Health	261	258	253	267	264	272
Social Science, Education, Government Service and Religion	428	398	400	403	422	442
Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport	147	142	149	149	156	169
Sales and Service	1,129	1,152	1,185	1,199	1,237	1,281
Trades, Transport and Equipment Operators	737	756	769	808	825	820
Primary Industry	147	142	141	143	138	152
Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	407	423	459	477	496	526
Total	5,014	5,100	5,167	5,291	5,453	5,637

TABLE 27 (CONTINUED)

	(Thousands)					
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Management	562	551	562	587	620	625
Business, Finance and Administrative	1,056	1,115	1,119	1,149	1,203	1,176
Natural and Applied Sciences	427	455	445	448	437	470
Health	280	291	321	332	345	346
Social Science, Education, Government Service and Religion	453	468	472	474	476	544
Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport	172	183	177	188	200	199
Sales and Service	1,342	1,359	1,393	1,457	1,435	1,448
Trades, Transport and Equipment Operators	835	850	867	890	899	910
Primary Industry	142	130	123	131	134	143
Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	548	524	552	558	568	537
Total	5,817	5,926	6,031	6,213	6,317	6,398

Note: Occupational groupings based on National Occupational Classification for Statistics (NOC-S) 2001.

Source: Statistics Canada.

TABLE 28: ONTARIO, DISTRIBUTION OF EMPLOYMENT BY OCCUPATION, 1994–2005

	(Per Cent)					
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Management	10.0	10.7	10.4	10.3	10.1	9.7
Business, Finance and Administrative	19.5	19.2	19.0	18.4	18.5	18.3
Natural and Applied Sciences	5.5	6.0	5.7	6.2	6.5	7.1
Health	5.2	5.1	4.9	5.1	4.8	4.8
Social Science, Education, Government Service and Religion	8.5	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.7	7.8
Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.9	3.0
Sales and Service	22.5	22.6	22.9	22.7	22.7	22.7
Trades, Transport and Equipment Operators	14.7	14.8	14.9	15.3	15.1	14.5
Primary Industry	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.7
Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	8.1	8.3	8.9	9.0	9.1	9.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

TABLE 28 (CONTINUED)

	(Per Cent)					
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Management	9.7	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.8	9.8
Business, Finance and Administrative	18.1	18.8	18.6	18.5	19.0	18.4
Natural and Applied Sciences	7.3	7.7	7.4	7.2	6.9	7.3
Health	4.8	4.9	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.4
Social Science, Education, Government Service and Religion	7.8	7.9	7.8	7.6	7.5	8.5
Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.1
Sales and Service	23.1	22.9	23.1	23.5	22.7	22.6
Trades, Transport and Equipment Operators	14.4	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.2	14.2
Primary Industry	2.4	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.2
Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	9.4	8.8	9.1	9.0	9.0	8.4
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Note: Occupational groupings based on National Occupational Classification for Statistics (NOC-S) 2001.

Source: Statistics Canada.

TABLE 29: ONTARIO, EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY, 1996–2005

	(Thousands)				
	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Goods Producing Industries	1,368	1,404	1,457	1,533	1,576
Primary Industries	150	141	143	152	133
Agriculture	103	100	105	114	98
Manufacturing	907	935	981	1,035	1,075
Construction	261	280	285	298	323
Utilities	51	48	48	49	46
Services Producing Industries	3,799	3,887	3,996	4,103	4,241
Trade	774	791	799	838	877
Transportation and Warehousing	245	249	261	259	273
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	368	371	370	378	379
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	313	347	371	393	415
Business, Building and Other Support	179	195	208	222	242
Educational Services	341	342	345	363	367
Health Care and Social Assistance	503	496	518	515	541
Information, Culture and Recreation	235	248	244	258	282
Accommodation and Food Services	311	318	335	337	337
Public Administration	288	279	284	286	281
Other Services	243	252	263	254	248
Total Employment	5,167	5,291	5,453	5,637	5,817

TABLE 29 (CONTINUED): ONTARIO, EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY, 1996–2005

	(Thousands)				
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Goods Producing Industries	1,575	1,603	1,630	1,639	1,637
Primary Industries	119	112	113	113	128
Agriculture	84	77	82	79	93
Manufacturing	1,068	1,094	1,093	1,100	1,064
Construction	336	345	369	368	395
Utilities	51	53	55	58	50
Services Producing Industries	4,352	4,428	4,584	4,678	4,761
Trade	928	923	945	970	995
Transportation and Warehousing	275	279	290	295	289
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	389	393	415	436	452
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	437	436	449	441	443
Business, Building and Other Support	241	247	264	278	283
Educational Services	358	369	376	390	428
Health Care and Social Assistance	559	582	612	635	626
Information, Culture and Recreation	303	298	289	303	301
Accommodation and Food Services	331	361	370	366	364
Public Administration	283	293	310	312	322
Other Services	248	247	264	254	257
Total Employment	5,926	6,031	6,213	6,317	6,398

Note: Industrial groupings based on North American Industry Classification System (NAICS).

Source: Statistics Canada.

TABLE 30: ONTARIO, GROWTH IN EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY, 1996–2005

	(Per Cent Change)				
	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Goods Producing Industries	1.6	2.6	3.8	5.2	2.8
Primary Industries	0.0	(5.9)	1.6	5.9	(12.5)
Agriculture	(1.2)	(3.0)	5.0	8.1	(13.6)
Manufacturing	3.2	3.1	4.8	5.6	3.8
Construction	(2.8)	7.4	1.9	4.3	8.4
Utilities	1.6	(5.0)	0.2	1.9	(5.7)
Services Producing Industries	1.2	2.3	2.8	2.7	3.4
Trade	2.1	2.1	1.1	4.8	4.7
Transportation and Warehousing	1.3	1.6	4.8	(0.5)	5.2
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	2.1	0.7	(0.2)	2.2	0.2
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	4.3	11.1	6.7	5.9	5.6
Business, Building and Other Support	4.8	9.0	6.7	7.1	8.8
Educational Services	(4.3)	0.4	0.8	5.2	1.0
Health Care and Social Assistance	(0.5)	(1.4)	4.5	(0.7)	5.1
Information, Culture and Recreation	1.2	5.6	(1.8)	5.9	9.2
Accommodation and Food Services	7.1	2.3	5.1	0.7	0.1
Public Administration	(4.5)	(3.2)	1.6	0.9	(1.8)
Other Services	2.6	3.3	4.6	(3.3)	(2.4)
Total Employment	1.3	2.4	3.1	3.4	3.2

TABLE 30 (CONTINUED): ONTARIO, GROWTH IN EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY, 1996–2005

	(Per Cent Change)				
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Goods Producing Industries	(0.1)	1.8	1.7	0.6	(0.1)
Primary Industries	(10.0)	(6.4)	1.0	0.2	13.2
Agriculture	(14.7)	(8.4)	6.3	(3.2)	18.0
Manufacturing	(0.6)	2.5	(0.1)	0.6	(3.3)
Construction	4.2	2.4	7.1	(0.4)	7.4
Utilities	11.0	3.1	3.0	7.2	(14.6)
Services Producing Industries	2.6	1.8	3.5	2.1	1.8
Trade	5.9	(0.6)	2.4	2.6	2.6
Transportation and Warehousing	0.7	1.4	4.1	1.5	(1.8)
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	2.6	1.1	5.6	5.0	3.8
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	5.5	(0.2)	2.8	(1.6)	0.5
Business, Building and Other Support	(0.4)	2.5	7.0	5.0	1.8
Educational Services	(2.4)	3.2	1.8	3.7	9.8
Health Care and Social Assistance	3.4	4.0	5.1	3.8	(1.4)
Information, Culture and Recreation	7.3	(1.5)	(3.0)	4.7	(0.8)
Accommodation and Food Services	(1.9)	9.2	2.4	(1.1)	(0.4)
Public Administration	0.9	3.5	5.6	0.9	3.3
Other Services	(0.3)	(0.3)	7.1	(4.1)	1.3
Total Employment	1.9	1.8	3.0	1.7	1.3

Note: Industrial groupings based on North American Industry Classification System (NAICS).

Source: Statistics Canada.

TABLE 31: ONTARIO, EMPLOYMENT LEVEL BY ECONOMIC REGIONS, 1995–2005

	(Thousands)					
	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Ontario	5,100	5,167	5,291	5,453	5,637	5,817
Region:*						
East	673	675	686	723	749	758
Ottawa (510)	498	506	513	539	552	572
Kingston-Pembroke (515)	176	169	173	184	197	186
Greater Toronto Area (530)¹	2,202	2,237	2,336	2,407	2,481	2,581
Central	1,182	1,202	1,222	1,267	1,311	1,358
Muskoka-Kawarthas (520)	144	146	147	148	156	159
Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie (540)	466	475	493	512	541	550
Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula (550)	571	580	582	607	614	649
Southwest	683	697	702	711	741	760
London (560)	283	278	282	285	298	307
Windsor-Sarnia (570)	270	278	276	284	293	302
Stratford-Bruce Peninsula (580)	129	141	144	142	149	152
North	360	356	345	345	356	360
Northeast (590)	247	246	240	241	246	249
Northwest (595)	114	110	105	104	110	111

TABLE 31 (CONTINUED)

	(Thousands)				
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Ontario	5,926	6,031	6,213	6,317	6,398
Region:*					
East	784	793	816	818	830
Ottawa (510)	593	595	617	614	624
Kingston-Pembroke (515)	192	199	199	204	205
Greater Toronto Area (530)¹	2,665	2,721	2,799	2,854	2,912
Central	1,363	1,387	1,451	1,476	1,494
Muskoka-Kawarthas (520)	152	155	175	180	170
Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie (540)	559	579	597	611	637
Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula (550)	651	653	680	686	687
Southwest	755	765	775	801	797
London (560)	305	307	317	330	328
Windsor-Sarnia (570)	302	306	307	307	315
Stratford-Bruce Peninsula (580)	148	151	150	164	155
North	359	365	371	367	364
Northeast (590)	251	251	254	255	256
Northwest (595)	107	113	117	112	108

* Standard deviations vary significantly across regions, decreasing as the size of the region increases.

¹ Economic Region 530 closely matches the GTA, except that it excludes the city of Burlington.

Note: All figures are average annual employment levels.

Sources: Statistics Canada and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

TABLE 32: ONTARIO, EMPLOYMENT LEVEL BY INDUSTRY FOR ECONOMIC REGIONS, 2005

	(Thousands)			
	All Industries	Agriculture	Resources ¹	Manufacturing
Ontario	6,398	93	35	1,064
Region:				
East	830	12	2	78
Ottawa (510)	624	7	–	54
Kingston-Pembroke (515)	205	5	–	24
Greater Toronto Area (530)	2,912	9	3	487
Central	1,494	33	5	293
Muskoka-Kawarthas (520)	170	4	–	24
Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie (540)	637	13	2	142
Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula (550)	687	16	2	127
Southwest	797	35	3	170
London (560)	328	12	–	60
Windsor-Sarnia (570)	315	9	–	81
Stratford-Bruce Peninsula (580)	155	14	2	30
North	364	4	20	36
Northeast (590)	256	3	15	24
Northwest (595)	108	–	5	12

TABLE 32 (CONTINUED)

	(Thousands)			
	Construction	Distributive ²	Finance, Prof. & Mgmt. ³	Info. Culture & Recreation ⁴
Ontario	395	588	1,178	301
Region:				
East	47	57	143	34
Ottawa (510)	33	38	117	28
Kingston-Pembroke (515)	14	19	26	7
Greater Toronto Area (530)	172	291	679	157
Central	108	134	213	63
Muskoka-Kawarthas (520)	16	15	21	7
Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie (540)	49	57	89	23
Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula (550)	43	62	103	33
Southwest	47	72	102	32
London (560)	20	29	54	11
Windsor-Sarnia (570)	18	24	33	15
Stratford-Bruce Peninsula (580)	10	19	15	5
North	20	33	41	15
Northeast (590)	15	22	31	11
Northwest (595)	4	12	10	5

TABLE 32 (CONTINUED)

(Thousands)

	Retail Trade	Personal Services ⁵	Education
Ontario	747	621	428
Region:			
East	97	84	63
Ottawa (510)	73	61	45
Kingston-Pembroke (515)	25	23	18
Greater Toronto Area (530)	333	264	178
Central	175	161	104
Muskoka-Kawarthas (520)	25	18	13
Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie (540)	72	66	45
Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula (550)	78	78	47
Southwest	91	74	53
London (560)	37	28	24
Windsor-Sarnia (570)	36	31	21
Stratford-Bruce Peninsula (580)	18	14	8
North	50	39	30
Northeast (590)	35	27	21
Northwest (595)	15	12	9

TABLE 32 (CONTINUED)

(Thousands)

	Health & Soc. Assistance	Public Administration
Ontario	626	322
Region:		
East	93	120
Ottawa (510)	64	104
Kingston-Pembroke (515)	29	16
Greater Toronto Area (530)	238	100
Central	150	54
Muskoka-Kawarthas (520)	20	7
Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie (540)	56	23
Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula (550)	75	25
Southwest	92	25
London (560)	42	10
Windsor-Sarnia (570)	35	10
Stratford-Bruce Peninsula (580)	15	4
North	53	23
Northeast (590)	37	16
Northwest (595)	16	7

All figures are average annual employment levels.

Sub-regional figures may not add up to regional totals due to rounding.

Employment numbers under 1,500 are suppressed because they are statistically unreliable.

See standard deviation and GTA note for Table 31.

Industrial groupings based on North American Industry Classification System (NAICS).

¹ Includes Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Oil and Gas.

² Includes Transportation and Warehousing, Utilities and Wholesale Trade.

³ Includes Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing; Management of Companies, Administrative and Support Services; and Professional, Scientific and Technical Services.

⁴ Includes industries such as Publishing, Motion Picture and Sound Recording, Broadcasting and Telecommunications, Information Services and Data Processing Services, Performing Arts, Spectator Sports and Related Industries, Heritage Institutions and Amusement, Gambling and Recreation.

⁵ Includes Accommodation and Food Services and Other Services (such as Repair and Maintenance, Personal and Laundry, Religious, Grant-making, Civic, Professional and Similar Organizations).

Sources: Statistics Canada and Ontario Ministry of Finance.

TABLE 33: ONTARIO ECONOMIC REGIONS¹

East

Ottawa (510) The united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, Prescott and Russell, Leeds and Grenville, the county of Lanark and the Ottawa Division

Kingston-Pembroke (515) The counties of Lennox and Addington, Hastings, Renfrew and Frontenac and the Prince Edward Division

Central

Muskoka-Kawarthas (520) The counties of Northumberland, Peterborough, Haliburton, the Muskoka District Municipality and the Kawartha Lakes Division

Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie (540) The counties of Dufferin, Wellington and Simcoe and the Waterloo Regional Municipality

Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula (550) The counties of Brant, Haldimand and Norfolk, the Niagara Regional Municipality, the Hamilton Division and the city of Burlington in the Halton Regional Municipality

Greater Toronto Area²

Toronto (530) Toronto Division, the regional municipalities of Durham, York, Peel and Halton (excluding the city of Burlington)

Southwest

London (560) The counties of Oxford, Elgin and Middlesex

Windsor-Sarnia (570) The counties of Lambton and Essex and the Chatham-Kent Division

Stratford-Bruce Peninsula (580) The counties of Perth, Huron, Bruce and Grey

North

Northeast (590) The districts of Nipissing, Parry Sound, Manitoulin, Sudbury, Timiskaming, Cochrane, Algoma and the Greater Sudbury Division

Northwest (595) The districts of Thunder Bay, Rainy River and Kenora

¹ As defined by Statistics Canada, Standard Geographical Classification SGC 2001.

² Economic Region 530 closely matches the GTA, except that it excludes the city of Burlington.
