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MARKET SIZE					
Total population of age 15 and up	57,379		41,761		
Total females 15 years and over	30,469		22,614		
Total males 15 years and over	26,910		19,147		
Total number of households	30,542		19,128		
Percent owner households	16,221	53.11%	13,548	70.83%	133
Percent tenant households	14,321	46.89%	5,580	29.17%	62
Percent households in band housing	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	-
DWELLING VALUE	•				
Average value of dwelling \$	\$1,302,580		\$3,575,900		275
POPULATION INCOME					
Average population income \$	\$65,233		\$125,705		193
Average population income of females \$	\$55,399		\$83,948		152
Average population income of males \$	\$76,278		\$173,950		228
Median population income \$	\$47,533		\$51,128		108
HOUSEHOLD INCOME					
Average household income \$	\$116,916		\$253,677		217
Median household income \$	\$88,593		\$132,373		149
Average household disposable income (remaining after deduction of taxes and other mandatory charges) \$	\$84,502		\$168,629		200
Average household discretionary income (remaining after taxes, spending on food, clothing, shelter, transportation) \$	\$19,455		\$71,681		368
HOUSEHOLD INCOME BY RANGE					
Total number of private households	30,542		19,128		
Under \$5,000	511	1.67%	302	1.58%	95
\$5,000 to \$9,999	201	0.66%	198	1.04%	158
\$10,000 to \$14,999	311	1.02%	179	0.94%	92
\$15,000 to \$19,999	607	1.99%	294	1.54%	77
\$20,000 to \$29,999	2,148	7.03%	1,214	6.35%	90
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1,942	6.36%	983	5.14%	81
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2,152	7.05%	1,104	5.77%	82
\$50,000 to \$59,999	2,057	6.74%	1,040	5.44%	81
\$60,000 to \$79,999	3,903	12.78%	1,905	9.96%	78
\$80,000 to \$99,999	3,624	11.87%	1,654	8.65%	73
\$100,000 to \$124,999	3,250	10.64%	1,412	7.38%	69
\$125,000 to \$149,999	2,692	8.81%	1,404	7.34%	83
\$150,000 to \$199,999	3,034	9.93%	1,914	10.01%	101
\$200,000 to \$249,999	2,061	6.75%	2,403	12.56%	186
\$250,000 to \$299,999	824	2.70%	1,169	6.11%	226
\$300,000 and over	1,225	4.01%	1,951	10.20%	254
COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME					
Percent household income from employment		72.62%		50.89%	70
Percent household income from government transfer payments		14.06%		10.18%	72



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Percent household income from investment and other money		13.39%		38.90%	291
receipts		10.0070		00.0070	201
CREDIT CARD					
American Express - Standard	4,789	8.35%	3,588	8.59%	103
American Express - Gold/Platinum	2,612	4.55%	2,377	5.69%	125
Mastercard - Standard	29,245	50.97%	20,749	49.69%	97
Mastercard - Gold/Platinum	6,329	11.03%	4,525	10.84%	98
Visa - Standard	35,548	61.95%	25,820	61.83%	100
Visa - Gold/Platinum	12,813	22.33%	10,231	24.50%	110
Credit card - Hudson's Bay	11,145	19.42%	9,023	21.61%	111
Credit card - Other department store card(s) - Standard	3,829	6.67%	2,621	6.28%	94
Credit card - Gas service station card(s) - Standard	2,865	4.99%	2,078	4.98%	100
Credit card - Travel & entertainment card(s) - Standard	1,353	2.36%	1,228	2.94%	125
Percent household having credit cards (Visa, MasterCard, American Express or retail store cards)	26,240	85.92%	16,839	88.03%	102
Percent household having credit cards: 1-2	18,340	60.05%	11,053	57.78%	96
Percent household having credit cards: 3-4	6,967	22.81%	4,868	25.45%	112
Percent household having credit cards: 5+	933	3.06%	918	4.80%	157
Percent household having NO credit cards	4,302	14.09%	2,289	11.97%	85
Percent household usually paid off balance every month	20,858	68.29%	15,923	83.25%	122
Percent household usually do not pay off balance every month	9,684	31.71%	3,205	16.76%	53
Percent household in which someone was refused credit card	36	0.12%	0	0.00%	0
Percent household in which no one was refused credit card	30,506	99.88%	19,128	100.00%	100
MORTGAGE	•				
Percent homeowner without mortgage among all households	6,963	22.80%	10,333	54.02%	237
Percent homeowner with mortgage among all households	9,616	31.49%	4,577	23.93%	76
DEBT/LIABILTY	•	•			
Total Debts, including loans, mortgages, outstanding balances on line of credit or credit cards	\$188,538		\$696,362		369
Mortgage debt	\$142,614		\$549,740		385
Mortage on principal residence	\$116,301		\$472,458		406
Mortage on other real estate in Canada & foreign	\$26,314		\$77,281		294
Non-mortgage debt	\$45,923		\$146,623		319
Vehicle loans on all vehicle loan debt (cars, trucks, vans, and other vehicles)	\$9,644		\$26,045		270
Line of credit on all line-of-credit debt (home equity line of credit and other lines of credit)	\$25,824		\$93,876		364
Student loans	\$3,565		\$8,508		239
Credit card & installment debt	\$3,630		\$8,545		235
Other debts and loans: Total of other debt and loans from financial institutions and other money owed	\$3,260		\$9,649		296
ASSETS		1	1		
Total Assets, including real estate, stocks, bonds, and money itself and Employer Pension Plans	\$1,481,570		\$10,513,200		710



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Financial assets: Non pension	\$236,990		\$4,191,490		1,769	
Deposits Total: Money in banks (chequing/savings accounts + term deposits) excl of RSP	\$68,748		\$1,341,370		1,951	
Fund Total: Asset value of all mutual funds & other investment funds, non-RRSP, and income trusts excl of RSP	\$70,327		\$1,357,730		1,931	
Bonds Total: asset value of all bonds exclusive of registered saving plans	\$3,156		\$49,207		1,559	
Stocks Total: asset value of all non registered saving plans stocks	\$27,835		\$547,998		1,969	
Tax Free Saving Accounts (TFSA): Available in Canada without being taxed on interests or capital gains	\$26,286		\$159,961		609	
Other Non-Registered Saving Plan Invest/Financial Asset	\$40,637		\$735,220		1,809	
Financial assets: Private pension assets	\$284,728		\$983,045		345	
Accumulation of total Registered Retirement Savings Plan (RRSP) investments including locked in RRSPs	\$115,090		\$583,535		507	
Accumulation of total Registered Retirement Income Funds (RIF)	\$9,924		\$70,440		710	
Employer-Sponsored Registered Pension Plans (EPPs): Including current, deferred and in pay pension plans	\$165,534		\$375,130		227	
Asset value of other retirement funds, including deferred profit sharing plans, executive and foreign pension plans and annuities	\$4,104		\$24,380		594	
Non-financial assets such as: a car, home or properties, art, jewels, antiques, etc.	\$890,265		\$3,654,200		410	
Real estate	\$835,422		\$3,580,720		429	
Asset value of the principle residence	\$752,960		\$2,629,120		349	
Asset value of all real estate other than principle residence	\$82,462		\$951,599		1,154	
Vehicles and other non-financial assets	\$52,616		\$290,777		553	
Vehicles owned: Asset value of vehicles (cars, trucks, watercrafts, RVs, trailers, snowmobiles, ATVs, etc.)	\$21,767		\$28,846		133	
The value of the contents of the principal residence, valuables and collectibles, art, jewels, antiques, etc.	\$33,076		\$44,636		135	
Business Equity: Total value of all business assets or properties owned by the household	\$69,591		\$1,684,480		2,421	
Net Worth Including Pension: Net worth of the household	\$1,293,040		\$9,816,850		759	
Average annual contribution to RRSPs	\$4,618		\$5,717		124	
HOUSEHOLD BUDGET						
Percent household that has Budget	12,800	41.91%	8,905	46.56%	111	
Percent household that has No Budget	17,742	58.09%	10,223	53.44%	92	
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$500: Use Saving	17,183	56.26%	10,862	56.79%	101	

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Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$500: Borrow from Friend or Relative	1,431	4.69%	803	4.20%	90
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$500: Use Credit Cards	10,010	32.78%	6,374	33.32%	102
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$500: Use Line of Credit	1,514	4.96%	963	5.04%	102
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$500: Arrange for a Loan	291	0.95%	75	0.39%	41
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$500: Sell an Asset	83	0.27%	48	0.25%	93
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$5,000: Use Saving	10,544	34.52%	6,614	34.58%	100
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$5,000: Borrow from Friend or Relative	1,946	6.37%	1,068	5.58%	88
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$5,000: Use Credit Cards	8,660	28.35%	5,241	27.40%	97
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$5,000: Use Line of Credit	5,443	17.82%	3,364	17.59%	99
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$5,000: Arrange for a Loan	3,233	10.59%	2,489	13.01%	123
Percent household who would finance an unexpected expenditure of \$5,000: Sell an Asset	556	1.82%	348	1.82%	100
Percent household whose financial situation in the next two years will be: Better	6,098	19.97%	4,384	22.92%	115
Percent household whose financial situation in the next two years will be: Worse	6,360	20.82%	3,714	19.42%	93
Percent household whose financial situation in the next two years will be: Same	7,208	23.60%	4,510	23.58%	100
Percent household whose financial situation in the next two years will be: Unknown	10,876	35.61%	6,520	34.09%	96
Registered Retirement Savings Plan (RRSP)					
Percent household who did not maximize RRSP (Including zero) contribution	11,495	37.64%	7,142	37.34%	99
Percent household who maximized RRSP contribution	4,800	15.72%	4,145	21.67%	138
Percent household who had no RRSP account	15,203	49.78%	9,224	48.22%	97
Percent household having RRSP but never withdrew money from it	10,471	34.28%	8,977	46.93%	137
Percent household in which a member withdrew money from RRSP	8,151	26.69%	3,575	18.69%	70
Percent household who never had money in RRSP	12,484	40.88%	6,941	36.29%	89
Percent household who withdrew money from RRSP to purchase annuities or RRIFs	3,759	12.31%	1,932	10.10%	82

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Percent household who withdrew money from RRSP through Home Purchase Plan	2,178	7.13%	427	2.23%	31	
Percent household who never withdrew money from RRSP through Home Purchase Plan	28,364	92.87%	18,701	97.77%	105	
Percent Household who withdrew money from RRSP through Lifelong Learning Plan	303	0.99%	3	0.02%	2	
Percent Household who never withdrew money from RRSP through Lifelong Learning Plan	30,239	99.01%	19,125	99.98%	101	
AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION	•					
Personal Insurance Payments and Pension Contributions	\$6,340		\$10,089		159	
Life Insurance Premiums	\$649		\$1,131		174	
Annuity Contracts and Transfers to RRIFs	\$21		\$45		214	
Employment Insurance Premiums	\$901		\$1,356		150	
Retirement and Pension Fund Payments	\$4,769		\$7,558		158	
Canada and Quebec Pension Plan	\$3,494		\$4,895		140	
Other Government Pension Funds	\$857		\$1,568		183	
Other Retirement or Pension Funds (Excluding RRSP)	\$418		\$1,096		262	
PERCENTAGE OF POPULATION AGE 15+ INVESTING THROUGH						
Bank	19,400	33.81%	13,184	31.57%	93	
Trust company	678	1.18%	499	1.19%	101	
Mutual fund company	3,564	6.21%	2,524	6.05%	97	
Credit union/caisses populaires/deconomie	7,577	13.20%	5,806	13.90%	105	
Full service investment broker	7,357	12.82%	6,388	15.30%	119	
Financial planner	11,430	19.92%	8,822	21.13%	106	
Insurance company	1,475	2.57%	1,011	2.42%	94	
Discount broker	2,208	3.85%	2,086	5.00%	130	
Canada Savings Bonds	1,443	2.52%	871	2.09%	83	
Guaranteed Investment Certificates	12,824	22.35%	9,967	23.87%	107	
Real estate Investment	3,858	6.72%	3,627	8.69%	129	
Mutual funds	24,344	42.43%	18,465	44.22%	104	
Registered Education Savings Plan (RESP)	7,962	13.88%	6,605	15.82%	114	
Registered Retirement Income Fund (RRIF)	14,668	25.56%	11,641	27.88%	109	
Registered Retirement Savings Plan (RRSP)	39,798	69.36%	29,277	70.11%	101	
Stocks	14,173	24.70%	11,979	28.69%	116	
Term deposits	9,242	16.11%	7,284	17.44%	108	
Other bonds	1,919	3.35%	1,616	3.87%	116	
HOUSEHOLD NET SAVINGS						
Household net savings. It's part of the disposable income not spending on final consumption goods and services.	\$7,082		\$18,439		260	



Index	Description
>=180	Extremely High
>=110 and <180	High
>=90 and <110	Similar
>=50 and <90	Low
<50	Extremely Low

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