

## Highlights of Second Quarter 2015

September 29, 2015

### Population Growth

Ontario's population reached 13,792,052 on July 1, 2015, with an increase of 39,961 people in the second quarter of 2015. This compares to an increase of 39,555 in the same quarter of the previous year.

| Population Growth, Ontario, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter, 2015 |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| (Thousands)                                               |                 |
| Population, April 1, 2015                                 | 13,752.1        |
| Plus Births                                               | 36.2            |
| Minus Deaths                                              | 24.6            |
| Plus Immigrants                                           | 27.3            |
| Minus Emigrants*                                          | 2.8             |
| Plus Net Change in Non-Permanent Residents                | 5.8             |
| Plus Interprovincial Arrivals                             | 23.8            |
| Minus Interprovincial Departures                          | 25.8            |
| <b>Population, July 1, 2015</b>                           | <b>13,792.1</b> |

\* Emigrants plus net change in temporary emigrants minus returning Canadians.  
Source: Statistics Canada.

### Births and Deaths

Births increased by 0.8% and deaths increased by 3.6%, from the same quarter of 2014.

Natural increase (births minus deaths) was 11,587 in the quarter, down from 12,130 in the same quarter of 2014.

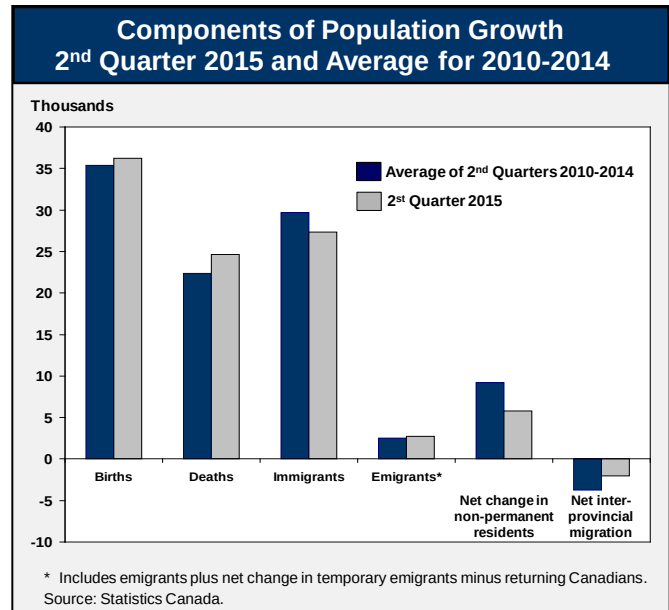
### International Migration

Immigration to Ontario was 27,335 in the quarter, down 2.7% from the same quarter of the previous year. Ontario received 38.5% of all immigrants to Canada in the quarter, up from 35.9% in the same quarter of 2014. Over the last 12 months Ontario received 89,338 immigrants, down from 101,913 during the previous year.

There were 2,766 emigrants from Ontario in the quarter, similar to the same quarter of the previous year. Ontario accounted for 36.3% of all emigration from Canada in the quarter.

The number of non-permanent residents in Ontario (NPRs – i.e. foreign students, visa workers, refugee claimants) increased by 5,817 to 312,020 in the second quarter.

In summary, there was a net international migration gain of 30,386 in the second quarter, down from a gain of 34,240 in the same quarter of 2014.



### Interprovincial Migration

In the second quarter of 2015, Ontario had a net outflow of 2,012 people to other provinces and territories compared to a net outflow of 6,815 people in the same quarter of 2014. Ontario experienced net gains in its exchanges with four of the 12 other provinces and territories, with the largest net gains from Quebec (2,764) and Manitoba (221). Ontario's largest net outflows were with Alberta (-3,439) and British Columbia (-1,260). Over the last 12 months, Ontario's total net interprovincial migration outflow was 8,763 compared to a net loss of 14,564 during the previous year.

### Year-Over-Year Growth

Over the last 12 months, Ontario's population grew by 114,365 or 0.8%, lower than growth of 126,683 during the previous year. Among the provinces, Alberta and Manitoba had the highest population growth rates (1.8% and 1.0% respectively). Canada's population growth rate over the period was 0.9%.

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|                                                               | Estimates <sup>1</sup> |        |        |        |        |        |        | MOF Projections <sup>2</sup> |        |        |        |        |        |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|                                                               | 2001                   | 2006   | 2011   | 2012   | 2013   | 2014   | 2015   | 2016                         | 2021   | 2026   | 2031   | 2036   | 2041   |
| <b>POPULATION (000s)</b>                                      |                        |        |        |        |        |        |        |                              |        |        |        |        |        |
| Canada                                                        | 31,021                 | 32,571 | 34,343 | 34,751 | 35,155 | 35,544 | 35,852 | 36,229                       | 37,998 | 39,727 | 41,373 | 42,903 | 44,353 |
| Ontario                                                       | 11,897                 | 12,662 | 13,264 | 13,410 | 13,551 | 13,678 | 13,792 | 13,949                       | 14,703 | 15,503 | 16,296 | 17,054 | 17,780 |
| Ontario as % of Canada                                        | 38.4                   | 38.9   | 38.6   | 38.6   | 38.5   | 38.5   | 38.5   | 38.5                         | 38.7   | 39.0   | 39.4   | 39.8   | 40.1   |
| Ontario Ave. Annual Growth Rate<br>(Over previous year shown) | 1.4                    | 1.3    | 0.9    | 1.1    | 1.1    | 0.9    | 0.8    | 1.1                          | 1.1    | 1.1    | 1.0    | 0.9    | 0.8    |
| <b>AGE DISTRIBUTION (%)</b>                                   |                        |        |        |        |        |        |        |                              |        |        |        |        |        |
| 0-4                                                           | 5.9                    | 5.5    | 5.4    | 5.3    | 5.3    | 5.2    | 5.2    | 5.2                          | 5.3    | 5.3    | 5.1    | 4.9    | 4.8    |
| 5-14                                                          | 13.5                   | 12.3   | 11.2   | 11.0   | 10.9   | 10.8   | 10.7   | 10.7                         | 10.5   | 10.4   | 10.5   | 10.4   | 10.1   |
| 15-24                                                         | 13.4                   | 13.8   | 13.7   | 13.7   | 13.6   | 13.4   | 13.2   | 12.9                         | 11.6   | 11.2   | 11.1   | 11.2   | 11.4   |
| 25-44                                                         | 31.6                   | 29.4   | 27.1   | 27.0   | 26.8   | 26.7   | 26.7   | 26.6                         | 26.8   | 26.4   | 25.6   | 24.7   | 23.9   |
| 45-64                                                         | 23.2                   | 26.0   | 28.4   | 28.3   | 28.2   | 28.2   | 28.1   | 28.1                         | 27.0   | 25.2   | 23.9   | 23.8   | 24.3   |
| 65-74                                                         | 7.0                    | 6.9    | 7.6    | 8.0    | 8.4    | 8.7    | 9.0    | 9.3                          | 10.6   | 11.6   | 12.2   | 11.5   | 10.4   |
| 75+                                                           | 5.5                    | 6.2    | 6.6    | 6.7    | 6.8    | 6.9    | 7.1    | 7.2                          | 8.2    | 9.8    | 11.5   | 13.5   | 15.1   |
| <b>SELECTED AGE GROUPS (%)</b>                                |                        |        |        |        |        |        |        |                              |        |        |        |        |        |
| 0-14                                                          | 19.4                   | 17.8   | 16.6   | 16.4   | 16.2   | 16.0   | 15.9   | 15.9                         | 15.8   | 15.7   | 15.6   | 15.3   | 14.9   |
| 15-64                                                         | 68.1                   | 69.2   | 69.1   | 68.9   | 68.6   | 68.4   | 68.1   | 67.6                         | 65.4   | 62.9   | 60.6   | 59.8   | 59.6   |
| 65+                                                           | 12.5                   | 13.0   | 14.2   | 14.7   | 15.2   | 15.6   | 16.0   | 16.5                         | 18.8   | 21.4   | 23.8   | 24.9   | 25.5   |
| <b>OTHER CHARACTERISTICS</b>                                  |                        |        |        |        |        |        |        |                              |        |        |        |        |        |
| Total Dependency Ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>                       | 63.0                   | 60.6   | 60.3   | 60.6   | 60.9   | 61.2   | 61.5   | 62.1                         | 66.8   | 74.1   | 80.9   | 84.2   | 84.8   |
| Median Age (yrs.)                                             | 36.7                   | 38.4   | 39.8   | 40.0   | 40.2   | 40.4   | 40.6   | 40.9                         | 41.6   | 42.4   | 43.2   | 44.1   | 44.9   |
| Age Span of Baby Boom (yrs.)                                  | 36-55                  | 41-60  | 46-65  | 47-66  | 48-67  | 49-68  | 50-69  | 51-70                        | 56-75  | 61-80  | 66-85  | 71-90  | 76-95  |
| Total Fertility Rate <sup>4</sup>                             | 1.53                   | 1.55   | 1.55   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | 1.57                         | 1.58   | 1.59   | 1.60   | 1.60   | 1.60   |
| Female Life Expectancy at Birth (yrs.) <sup>4</sup>           | 82.1                   | 83.1   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | 84.9                         | 85.7   | 86.5   | 87.3   | 88.0   | 88.7   |
| Male Life Expectancy at Birth (yrs.) <sup>4</sup>             | 77.5                   | 78.8   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | 81.2                         | 82.4   | 83.5   | 84.6   | 85.6   | 86.6   |
| Families (000s) <sup>5</sup>                                  | 3,191                  | 3,422  | 3,612  | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.                         | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   |
| Households (000s) <sup>5</sup>                                | 4,219                  | 4,555  | 4,888  | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.                         | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   | n.a.   |
| <b>REGIONAL DISTRIBUTION (%)</b>                              |                        |        |        |        |        |        |        |                              |        |        |        |        |        |
| GTA                                                           | 44.5                   | 45.8   | 47.2   | 47.4   | 47.7   | 47.9   | n.a.   | 48.3                         | 49.3   | 50.3   | 51.2   | 52.1   | 52.9   |
| Central                                                       | 22.1                   | 22.0   | 21.6   | 21.5   | 21.5   | 21.4   | n.a.   | 21.3                         | 21.1   | 20.9   | 20.7   | 20.5   | 20.3   |
| Eastern                                                       | 13.5                   | 13.2   | 13.2   | 13.2   | 13.1   | 13.1   | n.a.   | 13.1                         | 13.0   | 12.9   | 12.9   | 12.8   | 12.7   |
| Southwestern                                                  | 13.0                   | 12.6   | 12.0   | 11.9   | 11.8   | 11.7   | n.a.   | 11.6                         | 11.1   | 10.8   | 10.4   | 10.1   | 9.8    |
| Northeastern                                                  | 4.8                    | 4.5    | 4.3    | 4.2    | 4.2    | 4.1    | n.a.   | 4.0                          | 3.8    | 3.6    | 3.4    | 3.2    | 3.0    |
| Northwestern                                                  | 2.1                    | 1.9    | 1.8    | 1.8    | 1.8    | 1.8    | n.a.   | 1.7                          | 1.6    | 1.5    | 1.5    | 1.4    | 1.3    |

## COMPONENTS OF CHANGE (000s)<sup>6</sup> – Year Beginning July 1<sup>st</sup>

| Period    | Population,<br>Beginning<br>of Period | Total<br>Change | Births | Deaths | Natural<br>Increase | International Migration |              |             |     | Interprovincial Migration |     |     |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--------|--------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----|---------------------------|-----|-----|
|           |                                       |                 |        |        |                     | Immig.                  | Net<br>Emig. | Net<br>NPRs | Net | In                        | Out | Net |
| Five-Year |                                       |                 |        |        |                     |                         |              |             |     |                           |     |     |
| 2001-06   | 11,897                                | 764             | 658    | 418    | 240                 | 653                     | 118          | 44          | 579 | 307                       | 336 | -30 |
| 2006-11   | 12,662                                | 602             | 697    | 441    | 256                 | 558                     | 89           | 57          | 525 | 296                       | 355 | -59 |
| Annual    |                                       |                 |        |        |                     |                         |              |             |     |                           |     |     |
| 2011-12   | 13,264                                | 146             | 140    | 90     | 50                  | 101                     | 17           | 23          | 107 | 60                        | 71  | -11 |
| 2012-13   | 13,410                                | 141             | 141    | 93     | 48                  | 106                     | 16           | 17          | 108 | 55                        | 69  | -14 |
| 2013-14   | 13,551                                | 127             | 143    | 97     | 46                  | 102                     | 16           | 9           | 95  | 57                        | 72  | -15 |
| 2014-15   | 13,678                                | 114             | 144    | 100    | 44                  | 89                      | 16           | 6           | 79  | 62                        | 70  | -9  |

1. Statistics Canada's population estimates, based on the 2011 Census.

2. Except for Canada, projections are produced by the Ontario Ministry of Finance (Fall 2014). Projections for Canada are from Statistics Canada (based on 2011 Census).

3. Total dependency ratio is the ratio of the population aged 0-19 and 65+ to the population aged 20-64.

4. Total Fertility Rates and life expectancy estimates are for calendar year, and projections are for census year. Life expectancy estimates for years after 2006 represent three-year averages (e.g., 2006 reported life expectancy corresponds to the average recorded over 2005-2007).

5. Families and households are Census data.

6. In the "Components of Change" table, flows are for the 12-month period July 1 to June 30. Net international migration is calculated as the net balance of immigrants, net emigrants and net non-permanent residents (NPRs). Components may not add up due to existence of residuals.

Note: All population figures are for July 1<sup>st</sup>.

Sources: Ontario Ministry of Finance and Statistics Canada.

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