

Ontario Fact Sheet



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■ Land and Freshwater Area (in sq kms)

Land	917,741
Freshwater	158,654
Total Area	1,076,395
Total land in census farms (%)	6.0

■ Capital – Toronto

2002 Estimated population – CMA	5,029,855
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■ Mother Tongue (% distribution)

English only	70.6
French only	4.3
Other	25.1

■ Economy, 2002

Nominal GDP (\$millions)	466,651
<i>% of Canada</i>	40.9
Personal Income (\$millions)	370,522
<i>% of Canada</i>	41.1
Personal Income Per Capita (\$)	
<i>Ontario</i>	30,702
<i>Canada</i>	28,678
CPI Inflation	2.0%
Unemployment Rate	7.1%

■ Per Cent Distribution of GDP, 2002

Primary Sector	1.7
Secondary Sector	27.7
Service Sector	70.6

■ International Export Markets, 2002 (%)

United States	93.5
Western Europe (incl. European Union)	3.0
Asia (incl. Pacific Rim)	1.9
Latin America & Caribbean	1.0
Middle East	0.3
Eastern Europe	0.2
Africa	0.1

■ Top Five International Exports, 2002 (%)

Motor vehicles, parts & accessories	38.6
Machinery & mechanical appliances	11.4
Electrical machinery & equipment	4.9
Plastics & plastic articles	3.7
Non-ferrous metals & allied products	3.2

■ Population

July 1/02	12,068,301
<i>% of Canada</i>	38.4
Average annual growth (1992-2002)	1.3
Life expectancy (years), 2000	
<i>Male</i>	77.1
<i>Female</i>	81.9
Labour force (000s), 2002	6,532
Employment (000s), 2002	6,068
Job Creation, 2002	105,300

■ Finances, 2002/03, Interim (\$millions)

Revenue	66,391
Expenditure	65,907
Electricity Restructuring ¹	40
Surplus ²	524
Education as % of expenditure	19.6%
Health as % of expenditure	39.8%

■ Debt Comparison, 2002/03 (\$billions)

Federal	507.7
Ontario ³	98.4
Local (1996/97)	5.3

■ Total Trade, 2002 (\$millions)*

Exports	317,220
Imports	276,445
Trade Balance	40,775

*International+Interprovincial

■ International Import Suppliers, 2002 (%)

United States	72.5
Asia (incl. Pacific Rim)	11.4
Western Europe (incl. European Union)	7.8
Latin America & Caribbean	5.9
Eastern Europe	0.3
Middle East	0.3
Africa	0.2

■ Top Five International Imports, 2002 (%)

Motor vehicles, parts & accessories	23.4
Machinery & mechanical appliances	19.0
Electrical machinery & equipment	11.2
Plastics & plastic articles	4.1
Scientific, professional, photo equipment	3.8

¹ Net impact of electricity restructuring to be recovered from ratepayers.

² Before provisional adjustment for CCRA error, accounting changes, and adjustment to decrease in stranded debt from electricity sector restructuring to be recovered from ratepayers. ³ Includes Investment in Capital Assets.