

APPENDIX C: MARKERS FOR WEALTH BY REGION, 1999

ATLANTIC REGION	% of Family Units	% of Wealth	Average Wealth	Median Wealth
ALL FAMILY UNITS	100.0%	100.0%	\$122,798	\$63,259
FAMILY TYPE				
FAMILIES	73.1%	83.2%	\$139,864	\$79,013
Families 65 and Older	11.1%	14.6%	\$160,538	\$101,000
Childless Couples under 65	16.9%	20.0%	\$145,050	\$85,952
Couples under 65 with Children under 18	26.8%	29.3%	\$134,100	\$71,650
Lone-Parent Mothers under 65	4.3%	1.2%	\$34,817	\$8,200
UNATTACHED PERSONS	26.9%	16.8%	\$76,484	\$24,000
Unattached Persons 65 and Older	9.0%	9.8%	\$133,983	\$59,700
Unattached Persons under 65	18.0%	7.0%	\$47,791	\$6,218
AGE GROUP				
Under 65	79.9%	75.7%	\$116,281	\$56,800
Under 35	23.9%	9.4%	\$48,427	\$12,300
35-44	22.7%	20.1%	\$108,521	\$65,900
45-54	20.6%	28.3%	\$168,507	\$92,600
55-64	12.7%	17.8%	\$173,015	\$93,300
65 and older	20.1%	24.3%	\$148,698	\$80,900
EDUCATION				
Less than High School Graduate	36.1%	28.0%	\$95,285	\$48,029
High School Graduate	18.4%	18.8%	\$125,303	\$57,350
Non-University Certificate	29.0%	26.9%	\$113,919	\$70,400
University Certificate or Bachelor's Degree	11.6%	15.5%	\$164,406	\$109,700
Degree or Certificate above Bachelor's	4.9%	10.8%	\$270,191	\$187,000
NUMBER OF EARNERS				
No Earners - 65 and Older	16.6%	16.3%	\$120,674	\$74,500
No Earners - Under 65	10.2%	5.0%	\$60,532	\$5,250
One Earner	31.2%	26.1%	\$102,522	\$43,090
Two or More Earners	42.0%	52.6%	\$153,801	\$85,125
INCOME IN 1998 AFTER INCOME TAXES				
Under \$10,000	8.1%	2.3%	\$35,076	\$1,450
\$10,000 - \$19,999	23.4%	11.5%	\$60,383	\$23,212
\$20,000 - \$29,999	20.6%	13.2%	\$79,001	\$52,200
\$30,000 - \$39,999	16.9%	19.5%	\$141,313	\$73,168
\$40,000 - \$49,999	11.1%	13.1%	\$145,405	\$97,180
\$50,000 - \$74,999	15.0%	23.0%	\$188,066	\$136,350
\$75,000 and More	5.0%	17.4%	\$431,427	\$271,500

QUEBEC	% of Family Units	% of Wealth	Average Wealth	Median Wealth
ALL FAMILY UNITS	100.0%	100.0%	\$155,189	\$61,300
FAMILY TYPE				
FAMILIES	65.8%	83.9%	\$197,793	\$92,001
Families 65 and Older	9.8%	13.7%	\$218,701	\$153,250
Childless Couples under 65	14.6%	21.4%	\$227,772	\$106,140
Couples under 65 with Children under 18	24.4%	27.4%	\$174,693	\$73,035
Lone-Parent Mothers under 65	4.6%	1.1%	\$36,515	\$8,610
UNATTACHED PERSONS	34.2%	16.1%	\$73,237	\$16,680
Unattached Persons 65 and Older	8.1%	5.7%	\$109,558	\$47,000
Unattached Persons under 65	26.1%	10.4%	\$61,961	\$10,000
AGE GROUP				
Under 65	82.1%	80.5%	\$152,148	\$55,290
Under 35	24.2%	9.3%	\$59,353	\$11,000
35-44	25.8%	21.2%	\$127,662	\$61,300
45-54	19.1%	29.1%	\$236,599	\$97,500
55-64	13.0%	20.9%	\$249,572	\$118,200
65 and older	17.9%	19.5%	\$169,178	\$101,500
EDUCATION				
Less than High School Graduate	31.4%	20.0%	\$98,924	\$47,597
High School Graduate	20.1%	18.4%	\$141,721	\$50,400
Non-University Certificate	27.9%	21.1%	\$117,366	\$57,100
University Certificate or Bachelor's Degree	14.9%	24.3%	\$253,480	\$103,335
Degree or Certificate above Bachelor's	5.7%	16.2%	\$440,235	\$166,001
NUMBER OF EARNERS				
No Earners - 65 and Older	14.1%	12.5%	\$138,304	\$84,800
No Earners - Under 65	10.3%	3.5%	\$53,277	\$5,000
One Earner	37.6%	26.8%	\$110,677	\$34,600
Two or More Earners	38.0%	57.1%	\$233,225	\$102,500
INCOME IN 1998 AFTER INCOME TAXES				
Under \$10,000	10.4%	1.7%	\$25,155	\$1,400
\$10,000 - \$19,999	21.0%	7.2%	\$53,364	\$11,000
\$20,000 - \$29,999	21.1%	14.2%	\$104,049	\$53,200
\$30,000 - \$39,999	15.3%	13.6%	\$138,256	\$79,350
\$40,000 - \$49,999	11.9%	14.6%	\$189,810	\$99,000
\$50,000 - \$74,999	14.5%	23.3%	\$249,248	\$139,000
\$75,000 and More	5.9%	25.5%	\$672,838	\$330,000

ONTARIO	% of Family Units	% of Wealth	Average Wealth	Median Wealth
ALL FAMILY UNITS	100.0%	100.0%	\$221,110	\$101,420
FAMILY TYPE				
FAMILIES	70.0%	84.0%	\$265,406	\$141,098
Families 65 and Older	9.7%	16.8%	\$382,724	\$262,246
Childless Couples under 65	14.8%	19.1%	\$283,915	\$130,021
Couples under 65 with Children under 18	26.6%	28.2%	\$234,307	\$114,440
Lone-Parent Mothers under 65	4.1%	0.9%	\$51,057	\$15,100
UNATTACHED PERSONS	30.0%	16.0%	\$117,783	\$25,600
Unattached Persons 65 and Older	8.7%	8.4%	\$212,518	\$115,146
Unattached Persons under 65	21.3%	7.6%	\$78,958	\$12,710
AGE GROUP				
Under 65	81.6%	74.8%	\$202,824	\$83,000
Under 35	24.9%	10.3%	\$91,176	\$26,000
35-44	24.8%	18.5%	\$164,305	\$82,800
45-54	20.6%	26.3%	\$282,690	\$156,100
55-64	11.3%	19.8%	\$388,338	\$230,200
65 and older	18.4%	25.2%	\$302,113	\$195,000
EDUCATION				
Less than High School Graduate	23.6%	18.0%	\$168,743	\$79,922
High School Graduate	24.9%	21.5%	\$190,848	\$87,950
Non-University Certificate	28.2%	25.0%	\$196,225	\$97,300
University Certificate or Bachelor's Degree	15.4%	19.8%	\$284,863	\$139,600
Degree or Certificate above Bachelor's	7.9%	15.6%	\$439,446	\$231,600
NUMBER OF EARNERS				
No Earners - 65 and Older	14.3%	16.0%	\$248,494	\$169,350
No Earners - Under 65	7.7%	3.5%	\$101,406	\$5,200
One Earner	32.9%	23.3%	\$156,420	\$44,100
Two or More Earners	45.2%	57.2%	\$279,953	\$143,700
INCOME IN 1998 AFTER INCOME TAXES				
Under \$10,000	6.5%	2.4%	\$81,974	\$1,497
\$10,000 - \$19,999	14.7%	6.2%	\$92,915	\$12,001
\$20,000 - \$29,999	15.9%	7.9%	\$109,756	\$35,525
\$30,000 - \$39,999	15.8%	13.1%	\$183,792	\$93,000
\$40,000 - \$49,999	12.9%	11.3%	\$194,479	\$126,400
\$50,000 - \$74,999	20.0%	25.5%	\$282,449	\$147,701
\$75,000 and More	14.3%	33.6%	\$518,195	\$311,344

PRAIRIE REGION	% of Family Units	% of Wealth	Average Wealth	Median Wealth
ALL FAMILY UNITS	100.0%	100.0%	\$213,114	\$92,900
FAMILY TYPE				
FAMILIES	67.5%	86.2%	\$272,323	\$135,240
Families 65 and Older	9.5%	15.9%	\$357,963	\$210,500
Childless Couples under 65	15.6%	21.3%	\$290,871	\$151,990
Couples under 65 with Children under 18	27.9%	35.2%	\$269,722	\$130,000
Lone-Parent Mothers under 65	4.0%	0.8%	\$41,157	\$12,815
UNATTACHED PERSONS	32.5%	13.8%	\$90,279	\$29,000
Unattached Persons 65 and Older	8.3%	6.2%	\$159,567	\$96,300
Unattached Persons under 65	24.2%	7.6%	\$66,484	\$15,750
AGE GROUP				
Under 65	82.2%	77.9%	\$201,870	\$79,984
Under 35	28.3%	7.9%	\$59,231	\$17,000
35-44	24.3%	29.9%	\$262,422	\$102,810
45-54	18.2%	24.2%	\$283,075	\$160,110
55-64	11.4%	15.9%	\$296,111	\$187,900
65 and older	17.8%	22.1%	\$265,140	\$147,900
EDUCATION				
Less than High School Graduate	28.1%	25.0%	\$189,708	\$74,400
High School Graduate	24.4%	20.4%	\$178,446	\$71,000
Non-University Certificate	28.0%	24.6%	\$187,809	\$102,501
University Certificate or Bachelor's Degree	13.3%	18.9%	\$303,708	\$145,000
Degree or Certificate above Bachelor's	6.3%	11.0%	\$374,280	\$221,501
NUMBER OF EARNERS				
No Earners - 65 and Older	12.5%	9.1%	\$155,025	\$115,609
No Earners - Under 65	5.4%	2.3%	\$91,154	\$8,300
One Earner	35.4%	23.4%	\$141,162	\$40,419
Two or More Earners	46.7%	65.2%	\$297,330	\$142,700
INCOME IN 1998 AFTER INCOME TAXES				
Under \$10,000	8.2%	2.2%	\$57,106	\$3,250
\$10,000 - \$19,999	17.7%	6.7%	\$81,219	\$22,550
\$20,000 - \$29,999	17.7%	11.7%	\$140,834	\$67,000
\$30,000 - \$39,999	15.5%	11.4%	\$156,553	\$85,059
\$40,000 - \$49,999	12.4%	12.4%	\$212,735	\$107,000
\$50,000 - \$74,999	18.9%	24.8%	\$280,133	\$164,255
\$75,000 and More	9.6%	30.8%	\$680,237	\$307,900

ALBERTA	% of Family Units	% of Wealth	Average Wealth	Median Wealth
ALL FAMILY UNITS	100.0%	100.0%	\$235,990	\$95,400
FAMILY TYPE				
FAMILIES	67.9%	87.4%	\$303,782	\$143,100
Families 65 and Older	8.1%	14.9%	\$433,364	\$225,000
Childless Couples under 65	16.7%	24.0%	\$338,574	\$162,000
Couples under 65 with Children under 18	28.8%	36.9%	\$302,421	\$134,800
Lone-Parent Mothers under 65	3.9%	0.7%	\$42,800	\$22,100
UNATTACHED PERSONS	32.1%	12.6%	\$92,536	\$28,100
Unattached Persons 65 and Older	6.6%	4.7%	\$168,642	\$108,750
Unattached Persons under 65	25.5%	7.9%	\$73,015	\$19,700
AGE GROUP				
Under 65	85.3%	80.4%	\$222,388	\$84,500
Under 35	29.8%	8.2%	\$64,968	\$20,060
35-44	25.3%	31.6%	\$294,999	\$109,000
45-54	19.2%	25.1%	\$309,390	\$180,100
55-64	11.1%	15.5%	\$328,487	\$207,050
65 and older	14.7%	19.6%	\$315,128	\$163,000
EDUCATION				
Less than High School Graduate	25.8%	24.2%	\$221,345	\$77,344
High School Graduate	24.2%	19.5%	\$189,513	\$72,100
Non-University Certificate	29.9%	26.5%	\$208,717	\$108,600
University Certificate or Bachelor's Degree	13.3%	18.0%	\$319,512	\$147,126
Degree or Certificate above Bachelor's	6.8%	11.9%	\$414,297	\$238,002
NUMBER OF EARNERS				
No Earners - 65 and Older	9.8%	7.0%	\$168,666	\$125,000
No Earners - Under 65				
One Earner	37.1%	24.3%	\$154,610	\$44,001
Two or More Earners	48.0%	66.4%	\$326,535	\$148,000
INCOME IN 1998 AFTER INCOME TAXES				
Under \$10,000	7.6%	1.9%	\$60,415	\$4,085
\$10,000 - \$19,999	16.0%	6.4%	\$94,516	\$22,500
\$20,000 - \$29,999	16.6%	9.6%	\$136,128	\$56,902
\$30,000 - \$39,999	14.9%	9.8%	\$154,861	\$77,800
\$40,000 - \$49,999	12.3%	10.3%	\$197,195	\$101,000
\$50,000 - \$74,999	21.1%	25.1%	\$280,973	\$157,222
\$75,000 and More	11.6%	36.9%	\$753,169	\$322,200

NOTE: ALBERTA IS ALSO INCLUDED IN THE STATISTICS FOR THE PRAIRIE REGION. BLANK SPACES INDICATE SAMPLE SIZES TOO SMALL TO BE RELIABLE.

BRITISH COLUMBIA	% of Family Units	% of Wealth	Average Wealth	Median Wealth
ALL FAMILY UNITS	100.0%	100.0%	\$251,235	\$94,801
FAMILY TYPE				
FAMILIES	63.5%	82.4%	\$325,914	\$157,000
Families 65 and Older	8.8%	17.0%	\$484,506	\$331,110
Childless Couples under 65	15.6%	22.5%	\$362,387	\$158,000
Couples under 65 with Children under 18	22.8%	21.9%	\$241,430	\$116,040
Lone-Parent Mothers under 65	4.2%	2.4%	\$142,814	\$15,500
UNATTACHED PERSONS	36.5%	17.6%	\$121,215	\$18,000
Unattached Persons 65 and Older	9.4%	6.8%	\$180,608	\$113,650
Unattached Persons under 65	27.1%	10.8%	\$100,555	\$11,300
AGE GROUP				
Under 65	81.8%	76.3%	\$234,250	\$70,800
Under 35	26.9%	7.2%	\$67,410	\$13,051
35-44	23.9%	19.1%	\$200,038	\$67,300
45-54	19.1%	27.1%	\$357,960	\$202,085
55-64	11.9%	22.8%	\$481,287	\$243,200
65 and older	18.2%	23.7%	\$327,468	\$203,201
EDUCATION				
Less than High School Graduate	21.1%	16.6%	\$198,024	\$73,300
High School Graduate	26.9%	26.6%	\$248,129	\$76,320
Non-University Certificate	29.3%	24.4%	\$208,468	\$98,550
University Certificate or Bachelor's Degree	14.7%	16.4%	\$280,298	\$90,000
Degree or Certificate above Bachelor's	8.0%	16.1%	\$504,448	\$240,001
NUMBER OF EARNERS				
No Earners - 65 and Older	14.6%	15.8%	\$272,932	\$182,500
No Earners - Under 65	10.1%	5.2%	\$129,062	\$1,550
One Earner	36.8%	30.2%	\$205,873	\$34,094
Two or More Earners	38.5%	48.8%	\$318,506	\$159,240
INCOME IN 1998 AFTER INCOME TAXES				
Under \$10,000	10.8%	3.1%	\$72,748	\$1,750
\$10,000 - \$19,999	17.0%	7.7%	\$113,979	\$14,002
\$20,000 - \$29,999	16.0%	10.6%	\$166,437	\$74,435
\$30,000 - \$39,999	15.8%	12.1%	\$192,634	\$81,501
\$40,000 - \$49,999	12.8%	13.2%	\$259,280	\$113,500
\$50,000 - \$74,999	16.6%	23.0%	\$347,084	\$192,000
\$75,000 and More	11.0%	30.3%	\$691,019	\$322,000

Appendix C continued

SOURCE: Survey of Financial Security

Net Worth of Economic Families, Unattached Individuals and All Family Units by selected family Characteristics, Canada, regions and provinces, 1999

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Supplementary data on lone-parent mothers supplied separately by Statistics Canada.