

Figure E.39.a

<b>Lethbridge CA<sup>*</sup>, Labour Market Information</b>					
<b>Labour Force Indicator<sup>**</sup></b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Population of Working Age	58,000	59,800	60,500	61,400	79,800
Labour Force	41,600	42,000	41,300	40,900	52,200
Employed	40,200	40,300	39,700	38,500	47,900
Unemployed	0	1,700	1,500	2,400	4,300
Not in Labour Force	16,400	17,800	19,200	20,500	27,600
Participation Rate	71.7%	70.2%	68.3%	66.6%	65.4%
Employment Rate	69.3%	67.4%	65.6%	62.7%	60.0%
Unemployment Rate	0.0%	4.0%	3.6%	5.9%	8.2%

Source: Statistics Canada, Labour Force Historical Review, Catalogue 71F0004XVB, 2010.

Note:

\* The Lethbridge CA, or Census Agglomeration Area, is a geographic area comprised of the City of Lethbridge urban core and the adjacent County of Lethbridge situated around the urban core.

\*\* Due to constraints in the population sample size which, has resulted in a low confidence interval for the data, it is recommended this data be used with caution.

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<b>County of Lethbridge Labour Market Information</b>			
<b>Labour Force Indicator</b>	<b>2001</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>Change</b>
Population of Working Age	6,905	7,200	4.3%
Labour Force	5,125	5,460	6.5%
Employed	5,015	5,320	6.1%
Unemployed	128	145	13.3%
Not in Labour Force	1,780	1,740	-2.2%
Participation Rate	74.8%	75.8%	1.0*
Employment Rate	73.0%	73.9%	0.9*
Unemployment Rate	2.5%	2.7%	0.2*

Source: Statistics Canada, 2001 & 2006 Census Data, Community Profile, County of Lethbridge

Note:

\* Percentage points are used to indicate the difference between two percentages and is not a percentage increase.