

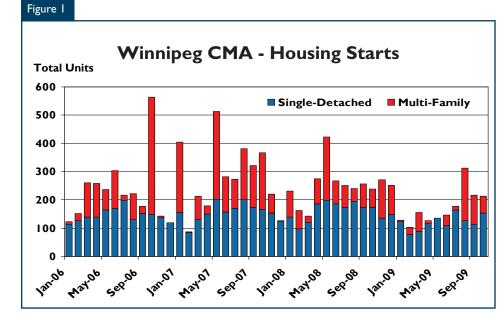
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## **New Home Market**

Starts decline modestly in October

Total housing starts in the Winnipeg Census Metropolitan Area (CMA) totalled 213 units in October, down from 239 one year earlier. That brought the year-to-date total to 1,717 starts, a decline of 31 per cent from the same period in 2008, when 2,486 dwellings were started.

The single-detached sector recorded 154 starts in October, 11 per cent fewer than the 174 dwellings that saw construction begin in October 2008. While every month in 2009 has recorded a decrease in starts activity compared to the same month in 2008, October's was the second smallest decline of the year. The decline in October activity was much smaller



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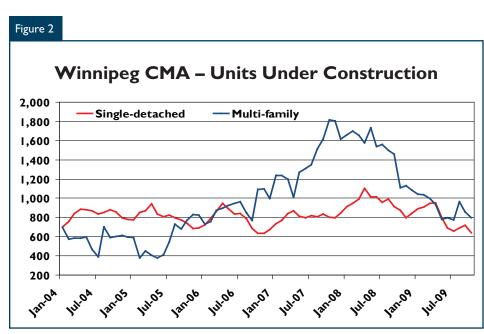
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than has been seen over the course of 2009 and is indicative of an improving new home market. Year-to-date, construction activity in the single-detached sector is 27 per cent behind 2008 levels.

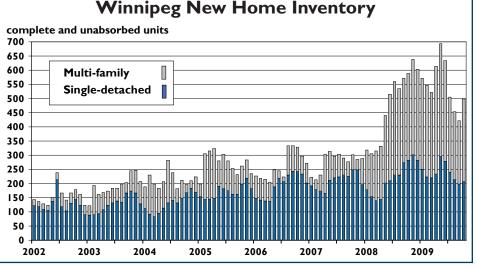
The average absorbed price of a new single-detached home in the CMA continued to move upward in October. New single-detached homes were absorbed at an average price of \$381,362, bringing the year-to-date number to \$369,146, an increase of 5.7 per cent over the first 10 months of 2008.

Traditionally representing a sizeable share of single-detached starts in the CMA, the rural municipalities (RM's) surrounding Winnipeg City accounted for only 14 per cent of total activity in October. That represents less than half of the share enjoyed through much of 2008. While the RM of Springfield recorded 10 starts in October, no other RM had more than three.

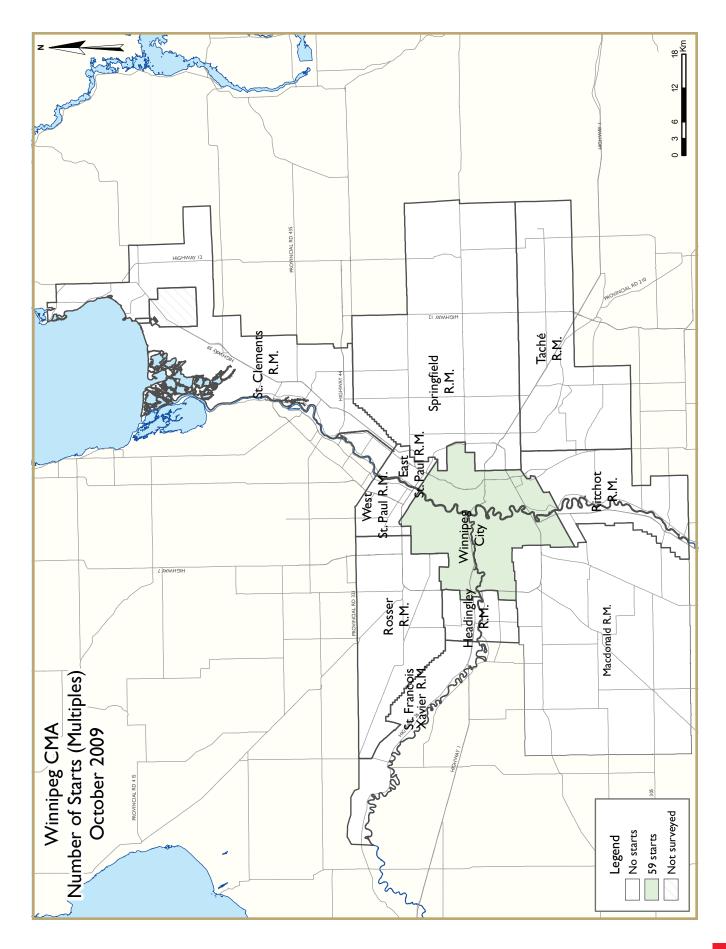
Meanwhile, multiple-dwelling starts, which include semi-detached, row, and apartment units, totalled 59 units in October 2009, down nine per cent from the previous year. The October total brings the year-to-date performance to 510 units, 39 per cent less than the 841 multi-family units started through the first ten months of 2008. With the construction season winding down for the year, builders will continue to focus on reducing the elevated inventories of multi-family dwellings, rather than initiating new units in 2009.

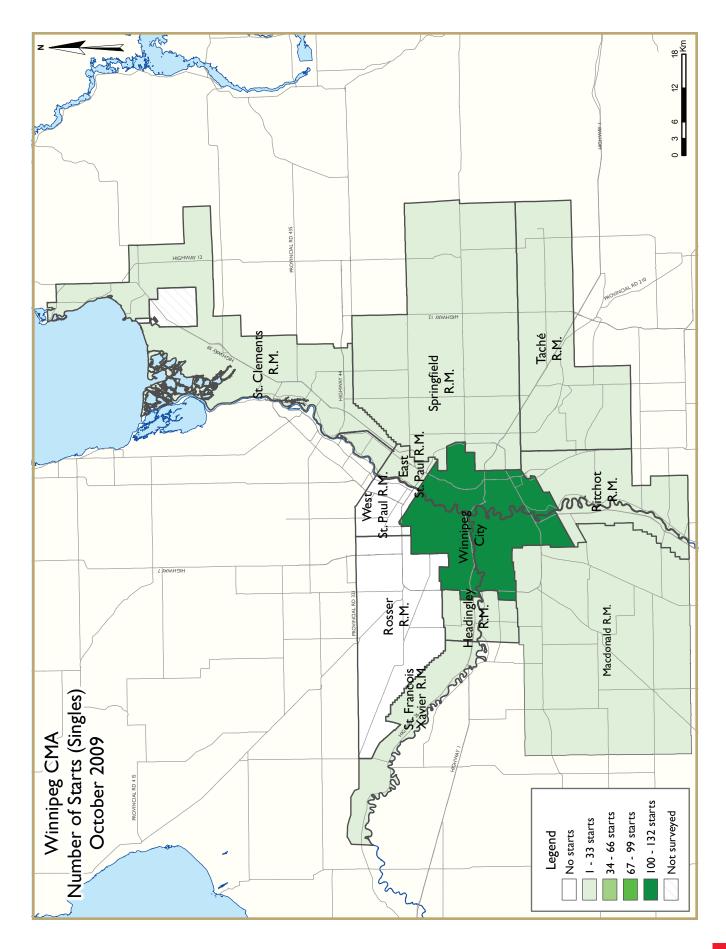
While the total number of all housing units under construction in the CMA continues to decline to long-term average levels, inventories did not follow suit in October. The number of completed but unabsorbed units inched upward to 498 units, the highest level in three months. While there is not an overabundance of units awaiting completion, the inventory levels will still act as a moderating influence on new construction for several months, particularly in the multi-family sector where inventories are most elevated. Nevertheless, the total supply count remains a significant improvement from one year ago when both under-construction and inventory levels were well above long-term levels.

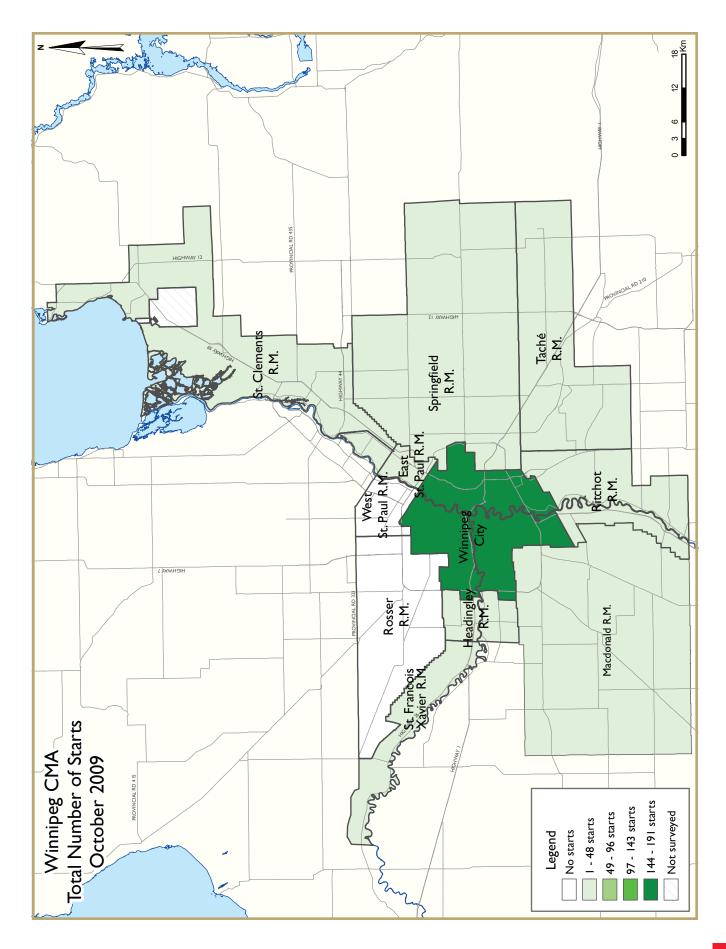
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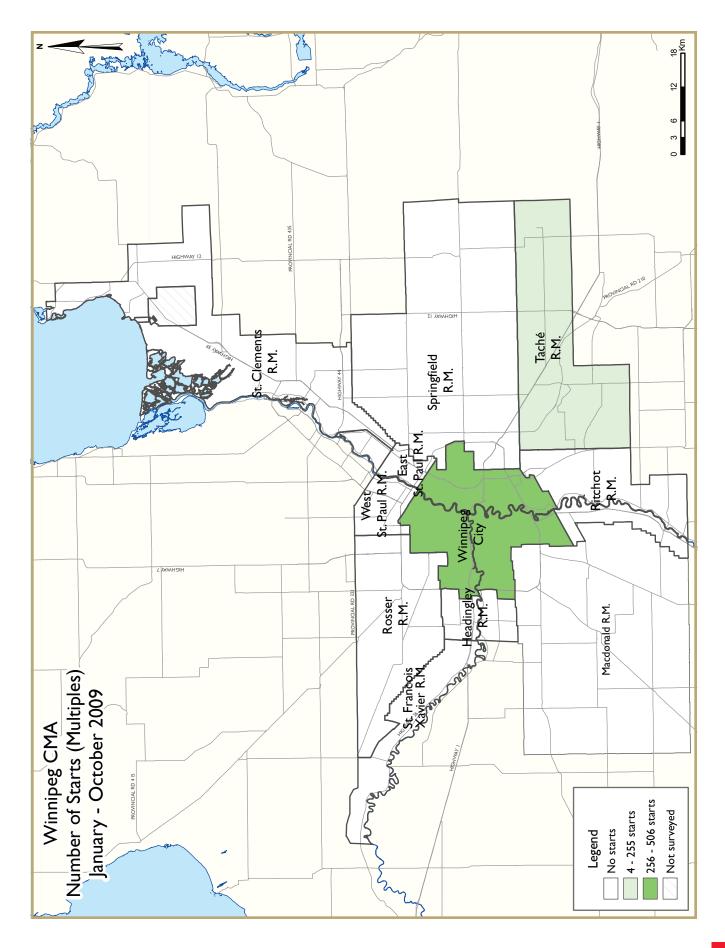


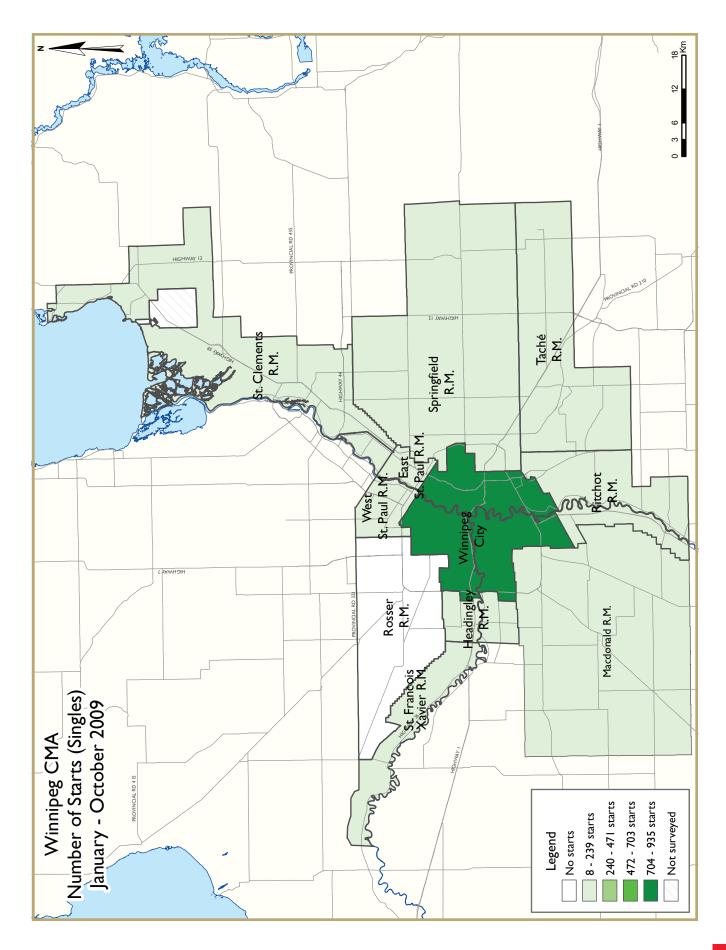
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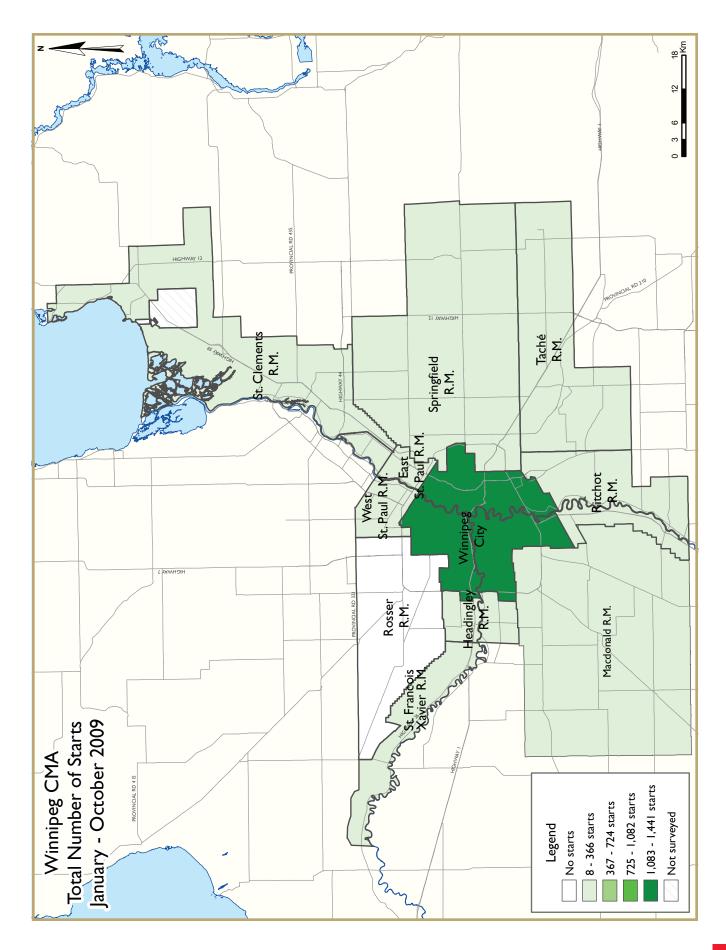












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- 4.1 Average Price (\$) of Absorbed Single-Detached Units

### **SYMBOLS**

- n/a Not applicable
- \* Totals may not add up due to co-operatives and unknown market types
- \*\* Percent change > 200%
- Nil
- -- Amount too small to be expressed
- SA Monthly figures are adjusted to remove normal seasonal variation

Т	able I: Ho	ousing Ac	-	-	f Winnipe	eg CMA			
			October	2009					
			Owne	rship			Ren		
		Freehold		C	Condominium		Ken	cai	<b>-</b> 14
	Single	Semi	Row, Apt. & Other	Single	Row and Semi	Apt. & Other	Single, Semi, and Row	Apt. & Other	Total*
STARTS									
October 2009	154	2	0	0	4	0	0	53	213
October 2008	174	4	0	0	21	40	0	0	239
% Change	-11.5	-50.0	n/a	n/a	-81.0	-100.0	n/a	n/a	-10.9
Year-to-date 2009	1,188	18	0	19	85	27	4	376	1,717
Year-to-date 2008	1,633	26	0	12	75	487	0	229	2,486
% Change	-27.3	-30.8	n/a	58.3	13.3	-94.5	n/a	64.2	-30.9
UNDER CONSTRUCTION									
October 2009	631	10	0	П	76	384	0	329	1,441
October 2008	871	18	0	3	73	780	0	216	1,985
% Change	-27.6	-44.4	n/a	**	4.1	-50.8	n/a	52.3	-27.4
COMPLETIONS									
October 2009	228	2	0	4	6	44	0	63	347
October 2008	214	2	0	I	4	63	0	343	627
% Change	6.5	0.0	n/a	**	50.0	-30.2	n/a	-81.6	-44.7
Year-to-date 2009	1,395	20	0	17	98	335	4	308	2,201
Year-to-date 2008	1,583	16	0	33	45	335	0	949	2,961
% Change	-11.9	25.0	n/a	-48.5	117.8	0.0	n/a	-67.5	-25.7
<b>COMPLETED &amp; NOT ABSORE</b>	BED								
October 2009	198	2	4	9	16	111	0	158	498
October 2008	270	8	0	12	6	108	0	185	589
% Change	-26.7	-75.0	n/a	-25.0	166.7	2.8	n/a	-14.6	-15.4
ABSORBED									
October 2009	218	5	0	3	10	18	0	44	298
October 2008	206	0	0	I	0	65	0	234	506
% Change	5.8	n/a	n/a	200.0	n/a	-72.3	n/a	-81.2	-41.1
Year-to-date 2009	1,460	18	0	21	94	354	0	324	2,295
Year-to-date 2008	1,506	15	0	25	47	302	0	666	2,561
% Change	-3.1	20.0	n/a	-16.0	100.0	17.2	n/a	-51.4	-10.4

	Table I.I:	Housing			y by Subn	narket			
			October						
			Owne	ership			Ren	tal	
		Freehold		C	Condominium		Ren	Lai	<b>T</b> . 14
	Single	Semi	Row, Apt. & Other	Single	Row and Semi	Apt. & Other	Single, Semi, and Row	Apt. & Other	Total*
STARTS									
Winnipeg City									
October 2009	132	2	0	0	4	0	0	53	191
October 2008	113	2	0	0	21	40	0	0	176
East St. Paul R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
October 2008	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
Headingley R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
October 2008	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
MacDonald R.M.									
October 2009	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
October 2008	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Ritchot R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
October 2008	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Rosser R.M.									
October 2009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
October 2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Clements R.M.									
October 2009	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
October 2008	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
St. Francois Xavier R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
October 2008	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
Springfield R.M.									
October 2009	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
October 2008	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
Tache R.M.									
October 2009	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
October 2008	18	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
West St. Paul R.M.									
October 2009	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
October 2008	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0
Winnipeg CMA					-			-	
October 2009	154	2	0	0	4	0	0	53	213
October 2008	174	4		0		40		0	

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			October	2009					
			Owne	rship					
		Freehold		•	Condominium		Ren	tal	
	Single	Semi	Row, Apt. & Other	Single	Row and Semi	Apt. & Other	Single, Semi, and Row	Apt. & Other	Total*
UNDER CONSTRUCTION									
Winnipeg City									
October 2009	453	10	0	I	76	384	0	329	1,253
October 2008	568	16	0	0	73	750	0	216	1,647
East St. Paul R.M.									
October 2009	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
October 2008	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Headingley R.M.	'				· · · · ·				
October 2009	10	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	13
October 2008	28	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	31
MacDonald R.M.									
October 2009	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
October 2008	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Ritchot R.M.									
October 2009	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
October 2008	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Rosser R.M.	'				· · · · ·				
October 2009	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
October 2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Clements R.M.									
October 2009	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40
October 2008	56	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	86
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	'				· · · · ·				
October 2009	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
October 2008	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Springfield R.M.	·								
October 2009	45	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	52
October 2008	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56
Tache R.M.									
October 2009	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
October 2008	53	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	55
West St. Paul R.M.									
October 2009	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
October 2008	31	0	0	0		0	0	0	31
Winnipeg CMA									
October 2009	631	10	0	11	76	384	0	329	1,441
October 2008	871	18		3		780		216	1,985

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	Single	Semi	Row, Apt. & Other	Single	Row and Semi	Apt. & Other	Single, Semi, and Row	Apt. & Other	Total*
COMPLETIONS									
Winnipeg City									
October 2009	186	2	0	0	6	44	0	63	301
October 2008	157	0	0	0	4	63	0	343	567
East St. Paul R.M.									
October 2009	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
October 2008	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Headingley R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
October 2008	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Macdonald R.M.					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
October 2009	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
October 2008	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Ritchot R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
October 2008	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Rosser R.M.									
October 2009	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
October 2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Clements R.M.									
October 2009	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
October 2008	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
St. Francois Xavier R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
October 2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Springfield R.M.									
October 2009	10	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	14
October 2008	12	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	13
Tache R.M.									
October 2009	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
October 2008	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
West St. Paul R.M.									
October 2009	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
October 2008	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Winnipeg CMA									
October 2009	228	2	0	4	6	44	0	63	347
October 2008	214	2		I		63	0	343	627

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			October	2009					
			Owne	ership			_		
		Freehold			Condominium		Ren	tal	
	Single	Semi	Row, Apt. & Other	Single	Row and Semi	Apt. & Other	Single, Semi, and Row	Apt. & Other	Total*
<b>COMPLETED &amp; NOT ABSO</b>	RBED								
Winnipeg City									
October 2009	169	2	0	I	15	105	0	158	450
October 2008	217	6	0	0	5	108	0	185	521
East St. Paul R.M.									
October 2009	6	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	9
October 2008	14	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	22
Headingley R.M.									
October 2009	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
October 2008	7	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	10
MacDonald R.M.									
October 2009	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
October 2008	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Ritchot R.M.									
October 2009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
October 2008	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Rosser R.M.					L				
October 2009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
October 2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Clements R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	7
October 2008	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
St. Francois Xavier R.M.									
October 2009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
October 2008	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I
Springfield R.M.	i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i								
October 2009	7	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	12
October 2008	9	0	0	I	0	0	0	0	10
Tache R.M.									
October 2009	4	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	9
October 2008	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
West St. Paul R.M.	i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i								
October 2009	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
October 2008	7	0		0		0	0	0	7
Winnipeg CMA									
October 2009	198	2	4	9	16	111	0	158	498
October 2008	270	8		12		108		185	589

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			Owne	rship			_		
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	Single	Semi	Row, Apt. & Other	Single	Row and Semi	Apt. & Other	Single, Semi, and Row	Apt. & Other	Total*
ABSORBED									
Winnipeg City									
October 2009	180	5	0	0	10	18	0	44	257
October 2008	159	0	0	0	0	65	0	234	458
East St. Paul R.M.									
October 2009	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
October 2008	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Headingley R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	I	0	0	0	0	2
October 2008	5	0	0	I	0	0	0	0	6
MacDonald R.M.									
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
October 2008	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Ritchot R.M.									
October 2009	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
October 2008	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Rosser R.M.									
October 2009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
October 2008	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
St. Clements R.M.	_	-	-	-	-	-		-	
October 2009	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
October 2008	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	-						-		
October 2009	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
October 2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Springfield R.M.			Ŭ	Ű				Ŭ	
October 2009	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	10
October 2008	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Tache R.M.	12	U	Ŭ	U	Ŭ	Ū	Ű	Ŭ	12
October 2009	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
October 2008	.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
West St. Paul R.M.	5	U	Ū	U	U	Ū	U	Ŭ	J
October 2009	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
October 2009	5	0		0		0	0	0	5
Winnipeg CMA	5	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	5
October 2009	218	5	0	3	10	18	0	44	298
October 2009 October 2008	218	0		3	0	65	0	234	506
	206	0	U	1	0	60	U	234	506

Table 1.2: History of Housing Starts of Winnipeg CMA 1999 - 2008												
			Owne	ership			D					
		Freehold		C	Condominium		Ren	tal				
	Single	Semi	Row, Apt. & Other	Single	Row and Semi	Apt. & Other	Single, Semi, and Row		Total*			
2008	1,915	28	0	15	119	586	0	322	3,009			
% Change	4.3	180.0	n/a	-53.1	32.2	-2.3	-100.0	-59.3	-10.7			
2007	I,836	10	0	32	90	600	11	792	3,371			
% Change	5.9	-54.5	n/a	**	-23.1	112.8	83.3	29.2	21.4			
2006	١,733	22	0	4	117	282	6	613	2,777			
% Change	-0.7	83.3	n/a	-60.0	-4.1	27.0	50.0	30.4	7.4			
2005	I,746	12	0	10	122	222	4	470	2,586			
% Change	-5.9	100.0	n/a	-63.0	60.5	73.4	n/a	18.4	3.9			
2004	I,855	6	0	27	76	128	0	397	2,489			
% Change	15.0	200.0	n/a	-3.6	-2.6	-57.0	-100.0	-2.5	2.4			
2003	1,613	2	0	28	78	298	4	407	2,430			
% Change	7.7	-50.0	n/a	-6.7	169.0	**	n/a	127.4	33.4			
2002	I,498	4	0	30	29	81	0	179	1,821			
% Change	25.3	-50.0	n/a	-28.6	-44.2	**	-100.0	155.7	23.6			
2001	1,196	8	0	42	52	15	6	70	I,473			
% Change	3.1	**	-100.0	-16.0	67.7	n/a	n/a	6.1	11.8			
2000	1,160	2	8	50	31	0	0	66	1,317			
% Change	0.7	-66.7	n/a	-3.8	-39.2	-100.0	n/a	-78.3	-25.7			
1999	1,152	6	0	52	51	207	0	304	1,772			

	Table 2	: Starts	-	market :ober 20		Dwellir	ng Type				
Single Semi Row Apt. & Other Total											
Submarket	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	% Change
Winnipeg City	132	113	2	2	4	21	53	40	191	176	8.5
East St. Paul R.M.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	I	I	0.0
Headingley R.M.	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	I	10	-90.0
MacDonald R.M.	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	-33.3
Ritchot R.M.	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	I	5	-80.0
Rosser R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n/a
St. Clements R.M.	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	7	-57.1
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	I	I	0.0
Springfield R.M.	10	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	13	-23.1
Tache R.M.	3	18	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	20	-85.0
West St. Paul R.M.	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	-100.0
Winnipeg CMA	154	174	2	4	4	21	53	40	213	239	-10.9

Table 2.1: Starts by Submarket and by Dwelling Type													
January - October 2009													
Single Semi Row Apt. & Other Total													
Submarket	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	% Change		
Winnipeg City	935 1,197 30 24 73 73 403 740 1,441 2,034												
East St. Paul R.M.	17	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	49	-65.3		
Headingley R.M.	18	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	52	-65.4		
MacDonald R.M.	24	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	46	-47.8		
Ritchot R.M.	10	31	0	2	0	0	0	0	10	33	-69.7		
Rosser R.M.	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	-100.0		
St. Clements R.M.	44	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	60	-26.7		
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	3	166.7		
Springfield R.M.	71	98	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	98	-27.6		
Tache R.M.	56	69	0	2	4	0	0	0	60	71	-15.5		
West St. Paul R.M.	24	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	38	-36.8		
Winnipeg CMA	1,207	1,645	30	28	77	73	403	740	1,717	2,486	-30.9		

Table 2.	2: Starts by Su		by Dwellin ctober 20		nd by Inter	nded Mark	æt	
			ow.			Apt. &	Other	
Submarket	Freeho Condor		Rer	ntal	Freeho Condor		Rental	
	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008
Winnipeg City	4	21	0	0	0	40	53	C
East St. Paul R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Headingley R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
MacDonald R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Ritchot R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Rosser R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
St. Clements R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Springfield R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Tache R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
West St. Paul R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Winnipeg CMA	4	21	0	0	0	40	53	C

Table 2.3: Starts by Submarket, by Dwelling Type and by Intended Market January - October 2009													
	Row Apt. & Other												
Submarket	Freeho Condoi		Rer	ntal	Freehc Condoi		Rental						
	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008					
Winnipeg City	73 73 0 0 27 487 376 22												
East St. Paul R.M.	0	0 0 0 0 0 0 0											
Headingley R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
MacDonald R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Ritchot R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Rosser R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
St. Clements R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Springfield R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Tache R.M.	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0					
West St. Paul R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Winnipeg CMA	73	73	4	0	27	487	376	229					

Ta	ıble 2.4: Sta	_	bmarket a ctober 20	_	ended Mar	ket			
	Free	nold	Condor	ninium	Ren	tal	Total*		
Submarket	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	
Winnipeg City	134	115	4	61	53	0	191	176	
East St. Paul R.M.	1	I	0	0	0	0	1	I	
Headingley R.M.	1	10	0	0	0	0	1	10	
MacDonald R.M.	2	3	0	0	0	0	2	3	
Ritchot R.M.	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	5	
Rosser R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
St. Clements R.M.	3	7	0	0	0	0	3	7	
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	I	
Springfield R.M.	10	13	0	0	0	0	10	13	
Tache R.M.	3	20	0	0	0	0	3	20	
West St. Paul R.M.	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	
Winnipeg CMA	156	178	4	61	53	0	213	239	

Table 2.5: Starts by Submarket and by Intended Market January - October 2009													
Freehold Condominium Rental Total*													
Submarket	YTD 2009	YTD 2008											
Winnipeg City	951	1,219	114	562	376	229	1,441	2,034					
East St. Paul R.M.	17	45	0	4	0	0	17	49					
Headingley R.M.	14	45	4	7	0	0	18	52					
MacDonald R.M.	23	46	I	0	0	0	24	46					
Ritchot R.M.	10	33	0	0	0	0	10	33					
Rosser R.M.	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2					
St. Clements R.M.	44	60	0	0	0	0	44	60					
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	8	3	0	0	0	0	8	3					
Springfield R.M.	59	97	12	I	0	0	71	98					
Tache R.M.	56	71	0	0	4	0	60	71					
West St. Paul R.M.	38	0	0	0	0	24	38						
Winnipeg CMA	1,206	1,659	131	574	380	229	1,717	2,486					

Tat	Table 3: Completions by Submarket and by Dwelling Type October 2009													
	Sin	gle	Sei	ni	Ro	w	Apt. &	Other		Total				
Submarket	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	% Change			
Winnipeg City	186	157	4	0	4	4	107	406	301	567	-46.9			
East St. Paul R.M.	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	9	-55.6			
Headingley R.M.	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	I	9	-88.9			
MacDonald R.M.	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	-60.0			
Ritchot R.M.	1	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	I	6	-83.3			
Rosser R.M.	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	-100.0			
St. Clements R.M.	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	0.0			
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	L	0	n/a			
Springfield R.M.	14	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	13	7.7			
Tache R.M.	11	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	3	**			
West St. Paul R.M.	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	6	-16.7			
Winnipeg CMA	232	215	4	2	4	4	107	406	347	627	-44.7			

Table 3.1: Completions by Submarket and by Dwelling Type														
January - October 2009														
	Sing	gle	Sei	mi	Ro	w	Apt. &	Other		Total				
Submarket	YTD	YTD	YTD	YTD	YTD	YTD	YTD	YTD	YTD	YTD	%			
	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	Change			
Winnipeg City	1,062	1,192	24	12	92	45	637	I,284	1,815	2,533	-28.3			
East St. Paul R.M.	25	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	54	-53.7			
Headingley R.M.	33	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	52	-36.5			
MacDonald R.M.	26	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	48	-45.8			
Ritchot R.M.	26	23	0	2	0	0	0	0	26	25	4.0			
Rosser R.M.	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	-33.3			
St. Clements R.M.	49	51	0	0	0	0	30	0	79	51	54.9			
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	3	133.3			
Springfield R.M.	85	93	0	2	0	0	0	0	85	95	-10.5			
Tache R.M.	70	52	2	0	4	0	0	0	76	52	46.2			
West St. Paul R.M.	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	45	-40.0				
Winnipeg CMA	1,412	1,616	26	16	96	45	667	1,284	2,201	2,961	-25.7			

Table 3.2: C	Completions by		ctober 20	• • • •	e and by li	ntended P	larket	
		Ro	w			Apt. &	Other	
Submarket		Freehold and Condominium		ntal	Freeho Condor		Rental	
	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008 Oct 2009		Oct 2008	Oct 2009	Oct 2008
Winnipeg City	4	4	0	0	44	63	63	343
East St. Paul R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
Headingley R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
MacDonald R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
Ritchot R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
Rosser R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
St. Clements R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
Springfield R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
Tache R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
West St. Paul R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
Winnipeg CMA	4	4	0	0	44	63	63	343

Table 3.3: Completions by Submarket, by Dwelling Type and by Intended Market January - October 2009													
Row Apt. & Other													
Submarket	Freehc Condor		Rer	ntal	Freehc Condoi		Rental						
	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008					
Winnipeg City	92	45	0	0	305	335	308	949					
East St. Paul R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Headingley R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
MacDonald R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Ritchot R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Rosser R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
St. Clements R.M.	0	0	0	0	30	0	0	0					
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Springfield R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Tache R.M.	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0					
West St. Paul R.M.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Winnipeg CMA	92	45	4	0	335	335	308	949					

Table 3.4: Completions by Submarket and by Intended Market October 2009													
Freehold Condominium Rental Total*													
Submarket	Oct 2009	Oct 2008											
Winnipeg City	188	157	50	67	63	343	301	567					
East St. Paul R.M.	4	9	0	0	0	0	4	9					
Headingley R.M.	1	9	0	0	0	0	I	9					
MacDonald R.M.	2	5	0	0	0	0	2	5					
Ritchot R.M.	1	6	0	0	0	0	I	6					
Rosser R.M.	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2					
St. Clements R.M.	7	7	0	0	0	0	7	7					
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0					
Springfield R.M.	10	12	4	I	0	0	14	13					
Tache R.M.	11	3	0	0	0	0	11	3					
West St. Paul R.M.	6	0	0	0	0	5	6						
Winnipeg CMA	230	216	54	68	63	343	347	627					

Table	Table 3.5: Completions by Submarket and by Intended Market January - October 2009													
	Freehold Condominium Rental Total*													
Submarket	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008						
Winnipeg City	1,078	1,198	405	386	308	949	1,815	2,533						
East St. Paul R.M.	25	44	0	10	0	0	25	54						
Headingley R.M.	27	36	6	16	0	0	33	52						
MacDonald R.M.	25	48	1	0	0	0	26	48						
Ritchot R.M.	26	25	0	0	0	0	26	25						
Rosser R.M.	2	3	0	0	0	0	2	3						
St. Clements R.M.	49	51	30	0	0	0	79	51						
St. Francois Xavier R.M.	7	3	0	0	0	0	7	3						
Springfield R.M.	77	94	8	1	0	0	85	95						
Tache R.M.	72	52	0	0	4	0	76	52						
West St. Paul R.M.	27	45	0	0	0	0	27	45						
Winnipeg CMA	1,415	1,599	450	413	312	949	2,201	2,961						

	Tab	ole 4: A	bsorb	ed Sin	gle-De	etache	d Unit	s by P	rice Ra	ange			
				(	Octob	er 200	9						
					Price F								
Submarket	< \$22	4,999	\$225, \$274		\$275, \$324	000 -	\$325, \$374		\$375,0	000 +	Total	Median	Average
	Units	Share (%)	Units	Share (%)	Units	Share (%)	Units	Share (%)	Units	Share (%)		Price (\$)	Price (\$)
Winnipeg City		(/0)		(/0)		(70)		(/0)		(70)			
October 2009	6	3.5	20	11.8	27	15.9	43	25.3	74	43.5	170	360,923	383,927
October 2008	17	10.7	30	18.9	52	32.7	19	11.9	41	25.8	159	306,660	327,160
Year-to-date 2009	66	6.1	172	16.0	282	26.2	195	18.1	361	33.6	1,076	329,000	360,040
Year-to-date 2008	98	8.7	241	21.3	343	30.3	196	17.3	253	22.4	1,131	307,980	331,834
East St. Paul R.M.													
October 2009	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	100.0	2		
October 2008	0	0.0	I	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	80.0	5		
Year-to-date 2009	0	0.0	0	0.0	I	2.4	2	4.9	38	92.7	41	537,824	581,784
Year-to-date 2008	0	0.0	1	2.5	2	5.0	6	15.0	31	77.5	40	484,450	501,334
Headingley R.M.													
October 2009	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	I	50.0	I	50.0	2		
October 2008	0	0.0	I	16.7	I	16.7	2	33.3	2	33.3	6		
Year-to-date 2009	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.9	18	51.4	16	45.7	35	350,000	491,537
Year-to-date 2008	0	0.0	7	14.3	3	6.1	18	36.7	21	42.9	49	367,000	424,049
MacDonald R.M.													·
October 2009	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	I	100.0	1		
October 2008	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	50.0	2	50.0	4		
Year-to-date 2009	1	3.1	5	15.6	7	21.9	9	28.1	10	31.3	32	360,000	372,550
Year-to-date 2008	3	7.5	9	22.5	10	25.0	11	27.5	7	17.5	40	300,600	336,934
Ritchot R.M.													
October 2009	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	66.7	I	33.3	0	0.0	3		
October 2008	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	66.7	0	0.0	I	33.3	3		
Year-to-date 2009	1	3.6	4	14.3	15	53.6	2	7.1	6	21.4	28	299,450	322,202
Year-to-date 2008	0	0.0	3	13.0	9	39.1	I	4.3	10	43.5	23	314,450	366,310
Rosser R.M.													
October 2009	0	n/a	0	n/a	0	n/a	0	n/a	0	n/a	0		
October 2008	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	100.0	2		
Year-to-date 2009	0	0.0	I	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1		
Year-to-date 2008	2	50.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	50.0	4		
St. Clements R.M.													
October 2009	1	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1		
October 2008	1	16.7	0	0.0	3	50.0	I	16.7	I	16.7	6		
Year-to-date 2009	8	21.1	2	5.3	9	23.7	6	15.8	13	34.2		315,000	339,511
Year-to-date 2008	8	15.4	6	11.5	17	32.7	8	15.4	13	25.0	52	299,950	308,658
St. Francois Xavier R.M.													
October 2009	0	n/a	0	n/a	0	n/a	0	n/a	0	n/a	0		
October 2008	0	n/a	0	n/a	0	n/a	0	n/a	0	n/a	0		
Year-to-date 2009	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3		
Year-to-date 2008	0	0.0	I	50.0	0	0.0	I	50.0	0	0.0	2		

Source: CMHC (Market Absorption Survey)

	Tab	ole 4: A	bsorb	ed Sin	gle-De	etache	d Unit	s by P	rice Ra	ange			
						er 200				Ŭ			
					Price F	Ranges							
Submarket	< \$22	4,999	\$225,000 - \$274,999		\$275, \$324		\$325,000 - \$374,999		\$375,000 +		Total	Median Price (\$)	Average Price (\$)
	Units	Share (%)	Units	Share (%)	Units	Share (%)	Units	Share (%)	Units	Share (%)		The ( $\psi$ )	The ( $\psi$ )
Springfield R.M.													
October 2009	1	12.5	I	12.5	4	50.0	2	25.0	0	0.0	8		
October 2008	0	0.0	2	16.7	3	25.0	5	41.7	2	16.7	12	331,320	338,947
Year-to-date 2009	4	5. I	5	6.4	19	24.4	19	24.4	31	39.7	78	356,625	367,847
Year-to-date 2008	3	3.4	15	16.9	23	25.8	25	28.1	23	25.8	89	327,820	337,560
Tache R.M.													
October 2009	0	0.0	3	33.3	2	22.2	0	0.0	4	44.4	9		
October 2008	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	60.0	2	40.0	0	0.0	5		
Year-to-date 2009	2	3.1	11	16.9	23	35.4	13	20.0	16	24.6	65	316,736	336,843
Year-to-date 2008	2	3.8	18	34.6	20	38.5	8	15.4	4	7.7	52	291,450	297,290
West St. Paul R.M.													
October 2009	0	0.0	0	0.0	I	50.0	0	0.0	I	50.0	2		
October 2008	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	60.0	2	40.0	5		
Year-to-date 2009	1	3.6	I	3.6	5	17.9	6	21.4	15	53.6	28	397,450	384,289
Year-to-date 2008	5	10.2	7	14.3	3	6.1	13	26.5	21	42.9	49	350,000	394,120
Winnipeg CMA													
October 2009	8	4.0	24	12.1	36	18.2	47	23.7	83	41.9	198	356,704	381,362
October 2008	18	8.7	34	16.4	64	30.9	34	16.4	57	27.5	207	313,920	343,870
Year-to-date 2009	83	5.8	201	14.1	365	25.6	270	18.9	506	35.5	1,425	335,655	368,294
Year-to-date 2008	121	7.9	308	20.1	430	28.1	287	18.7	385	25.I	1,531	311,000	340,052

Source: CMHC (Market Absorption Survey)

Table 4.1: Average Price (\$) of Absorbed Single-detached Units October 2009												
Submarket	Oct 2009	Oct 2008	% Change	YTD 2009	YTD 2008	% Change						
Winnipeg City	383,927	327,160	17.4	360,040	331,834	8.5						
East St. Paul R.M.			n/a	581,784	501,334	16.0						
Headingley R.M.			n/a	491,537	424,049	15.9						
MacDonald R.M.			n/a	372,550	336,934	10.6						
Ritchot R.M.			n/a	322,202	366,310	-12.0						
Rosser R.M.			n/a			n/a						
St. Clements R.M.			n/a	339,511	308,658	10.0						
St. Francois Xavier R.M.			n/a			n/a						
Springfield R.M.		338,947	n/a	367,847	337,560	9.0						
Tache R.M.			n/a	336,843	297,290	13.3						
West St. Paul R.M.			n/a	384,289	394,120	-2.5						
Winnipeg CMA	381,362	343,870	10.9	368,294	340,052	8.3						

Source: CMHC (Market Absorption Survey)

		Tal	ole 5: MLS	S <sup>®</sup> Reside	ntial Activ	vity for W	innipeg			
					ober 2009					
		Number of Sales	Yr/Yr %	Sales SA	Number of New Listings	New Listings SA	Sales-to- New Listings SA	Average Price (\$)	Yr/Yr %	Average Price (\$) SA
2008	January	520	0.6	987	797	1,209	81.6	174,902	15.6	186,51
	February	714	-2.9	954	899	1,204	79.2	183,665	11.5	193,488
	March	918	-15.0	987	I,300	1,245	79.3	203,504	28.1	201,690
	April	1,247	7.9	1,048	1,624	۱,299	80.7	209,832	19.9	201,227
	May	1,474	-5.7	1,033	I,907	1,325	78.0	210,901	14.2	202,70
	June	I,484	1.0	1,033	1,961	1,343	76.9	206,326	11.3	197,569
	July	1,344	12.8	1,081	1,672	١,409	76.7	195,965	12.0	198,193
	August	1,100	-6.6	1,011	I,446	1,323	76.4	190,978	12.6	201,294
	September	1,028	2.7	977	1,627	١,374	71.1	191,179	11.2	197,420
	October	933	-17.5	945	I,459	I,446	65.4	190,374	6.5	194,964
	November	620	-24.5	875	892	I,460	59.9	182,286	1.8	202,796
	December	472	-0.8	923	466	1,413	65.3	182,813	6.0	184,287
2009	January	501	-3.7	984	956	I,483	66.4	183,873	5.1	202,399
	February	621	-13.0	907	I,048	1,454	62.4	194,588	5.9	202,662
	March	869	-5.3	915	1,393	1,359	67.3	211,409	3.9	204,490
	April	I,087	-12.8	923	1,567	1,266	72.9	212,541	1.3	203,299
	May	1,301	-11.7	927	1,851	1,327	69.9	208,806	-1.0	203,044
	June	1,416	-4.6	945	1,893	1,302	72.6	212,542	3.0	. ,
	July	1,300	-3.3	989	I,497	1,264	78.2	206,135	5.2	212,915
	August	I,080	-1.8	977	1,391	1,241	78.7	207,389	8.6	
	September	1,049	2.0	987	I,388	1,214	81.3	209,593	9.6	217,455
	October	924	-1.0	977	1,104	1,173	83.3	210,618	10.6	215,754
	November									
	December									
	Q3 2008	3,472	3.0		4,745			192,968	12.1	
	Q3 2009	3,429	-1.2		4,276			207,587	7.6	
	YTD 2008	10,762	-2.4		14,692			198,404	4.	
	YTD 2009	10,148	-5.7		14,088			207,602	4.6	

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Source: CMHC, adapted from MLS® data supplied by CREA

			Т		Economic October 20		tors			
		Inte	rest Rates		NHPI, Total,	CPI.		Winnipeg Lab	our Market	
		P & I Per \$100,000	Mortage F I Yr. Term	Rates (%) 5 Yr. Term	Winnipeg CMA 1997=100	2002 =100	Employment SA (,000)	Unemployment Rate (%) SA	Participation Rate (%) SA	Average Weekly Earnings (\$)
2008	January	725	7.35	7.39	172.5	110.7	395	4.4	71.3	701
	February	718	7.25	7.29	172.6	111.1	395	4.3	71.1	708
	March	712	7.15	7.19	174.3	111.7	396	4.1	71.1	714
	April	700	6.95	6.99	174.5	112.6	398	4.2	71.4	715
	May	679	6.15	6.65	177.7	113.4	398	4.2	71.4	714
	June	710	6.95	7.15	179.6	114.2	399	4.2	71.3	715
	July	710	6.95	7.15	179.9	114.8	396	4.3	70.9	718
	August	691	6.65	6.85	180.2	114.9	396	4.3	70.7	722
	September	691	6.65	6.85	180.8	115.0	394	4.5	70.5	721
	October	713	6.35	7.20	181.4	114.2	393	4.6	70.3	720
	November	713	6.35	7.20	181.4	113.6	394	4.6	70.4	714
	December	685	5.60	6.75	181.4	112.9	395	4.5	70.5	714
2009	January	627	5.00	5.79	181.4	112.3	397	4.5	70.7	719
	February	627	5.00	5.79	181.4	113.0	397	4.7	70.9	724
	March	613	4.50	5.55	181.4	112.9	397	4.9	70.8	735
	April	596	3.90	5.25	181.4	113.5	396	4.9	70.5	738
	May	596	3.90	5.25	182.0	114.2	395	4.8	70.2	745
	June	631	3.75	5.85	182.7	114.9	395	4.9	70.1	744
	July	631	3.75	5.85	182.9	114.8	395	5.3	70.3	741
	August	631	3.75	5.85	183.1	114.3	397	5.8	70.9	734
	September	610	3.70	5.49	183.3	114.3	397	5.8	70.9	732
	October	630	3.80	5.84		114.2	397	5.8	70.8	736
	November									
	December									

"P & I" means Principal and Interest (assumes \$100,000 mortgage amortized over 25 years using current 5 year interest rate)

"NHPI" means New Housing Price Index

"CPI" means Consumer Price Index

"SA" means Seasonally Adjusted

Source: CMHC, adapted from Statistics Canada (CANSIM), Statistics Canada (CANSIM)

# METHODOLOGY

#### Starts & Completions Survey Methodology

The Starts and Completions Survey is conducted by way of site visits which are used to confirm that new units have reached set stages in the construction process. Since most municipalities in the country issue building permits, these are used as an indication of where construction is likely to take place. In areas where there are no permits, reliance has to be placed either on local sources or searching procedures.

The Starts and Completions Survey is carried out monthly in urban areas with population in excess of 50,000, as defined by the 2006 Census. In urban areas with populations of 10,000 to 49,999, all Starts are enumerated in the last month of the quarter (i.e. four times a year, in March, June, September and December). In these centres with quarterly enumeration, Completion activity is modelled based on historical patterns. Monthly Starts and Completions activity in these quarterly locations are statistically estimated at a provincial level for single and multi categories. Centres with populations below 10,000 are enumerated on a sample basis, also in the last month of each quarter (i.e. four times a year, in March, June, September and December).

The Starts and Completions Survey enumerates dwelling units in new structures only, designed for non-transient and year-round occupancy.

Mobile homes are included in the surveys. A mobile home is a type of manufactured house that is completely assembled in a factory and then moved to a foundation before it is occupied.

Trailers or any other movable dwelling (the larger often referred to as a mobile home) with no permanent foundation are excluded from the survey.

Conversions and/or alterations within an existing structure are excluded from the surveys as are seasonal dwellings, such as: summer cottages, hunting and ski cabins, trailers and boat houses; and hostel accommodations, such as: hospitals, nursing homes, penal institutions, convents, monasteries, military and industrial camps, and collective types of accommodation such as: hotels, clubs, and lodging homes.

#### Market Absorption Survey Methodology

The Market Absorption Survey is carried out in conjunction with the Starts and Completions Survey in urban areas with populations in excess of 50,000. When a structure is recorded as completed, an update is also made as units are sold or rented. The dwellings are then enumerated each month until such time as full absorption occurs.

# STARTS AND COMPLETIONS SURVEY AND MARKET ABSORPTION SURVEY DEFINITIONS

A "**dwelling unit**", for purposes of the Starts and Completions Survey, is defined as a structurally separate set of self-contained living premises with a private entrance from outside the building or from a common hall, lobby, or stairway inside the building. Such an entrance must be one that can be used without passing through another separate dwelling unit.

A "start", for purposes of the Starts and Completions Survey, is defined as the beginning of construction work on a building, usually when the concrete has been poured for the whole of the footing around the structure, or an equivalent stage where a basement will not be part of the structure.

The number of units "**under construction**" as at the end of the period shown, takes into account certain adjustments which are necessary for various reasons. For example, after a start on a dwelling has commenced construction may cease, or a structure, when completed, may contain more or fewer dwelling units than were reported at start.

A "**completion**", for purposes of the Starts and Completions Survey, is defined as the stage at which all the proposed construction work on a dwelling unit has been performed, although under some circumstances a dwelling may be counted as completed where up to 10 per cent of the proposed work remains to be done.

The term "**absorbed**" means that a housing unit is no longer on the market (i.e. has been sold or rented). This usually happens when a binding contract is secured by a non-refundable deposit and has been signed by a qualified purchaser. The purpose of the Market Absorption Survey is to measure the rate at which units are sold or rented after they are completed, as well as collect prices.

## DWELLING TYPES:

A "**Single-Detached**" dwelling (also referred to as "**Single**") is a building containing only one dwelling unit, which is completely separated on all sides from any other dwelling or structure. Includes link homes, where two units may share a common basement wall but are separated above grade. Also includes cluster-single developments.

A "**Semi-Detached (Double)**" dwelling (also referred to as "**Semi**") is one of two dwellings located side-by-side in a building, adjoining no other structure and separated by a common or party wall extending from ground to roof.

A "**Row (Townhouse)**" dwelling is a one family dwelling unit in a row of three or more attached dwellings separated by a common or party wall extending from ground to roof.

The term **"Apartment and other**" includes all dwellings other than those described above, including structures commonly known as stacked townhouses, duplexes, triplexes, double duplexes and row duplexes.

## INTENDED MARKET:

The "intended market" is the tenure in which the unit is being marketed. This includes the following categories:

Freehold: A residence where the owner owns the dwelling and lot outright.

**Condominium (including Strata-Titled):** An individual dwelling which is privately owned, but where the building and/or the land are collectively owned by all dwelling unit owners. A condominium is a form of ownership rather than a type of house.

**Rental**: Dwelling constructed for rental purposes regardless of who finances the structure.

## GEOGRAPHICAL TERMS:

A census metropolitan area (CMA) or a census agglomeration (CA) is formed by one or more adjacent municipalities centred on a large urban area (known as the urban core). The census population count of the urban core is at least 10,000 to form a census agglomeration and at least 100,000 to form a census metropolitan area. To be included in the CMA or CA, other adjacent municipalities must have a high degree on integration with the central urban area, as measured by commuting flows derived from census place of work data. CMAs and CAs contain whole municipalities or Census Subdivisions.

A "Rural" area, for the purposes of this publication, is a centre with a population less than 10,000.

All data presented in this publication is based on Statistics Canada's 2006 Census area definitions, except the Economic Indicators data (Table 6) which is based on Statistics Canada's 2001 Census area definitions.

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