Report of the CSTM Membership Secretary, 2004

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Figures in this report are as of 2004 October 18. Most members who have not paid up beyond the end of 2003 have now been deleted. The 13 members were not deleted because they are expected to renew. See Table 1.

Since the last report (October 2003) there have been 23 new individual memberships added. With deletions, there has been a net change of plus 12. See Table 2. There were also 2 new institutional memberships added, for a net change of plus 3 (this figure is 3 rather than 2 since a former institutional member has re-subscribed). See Table 3. The overall net change is plus 15.

This is the second year in a row with an increase in membership. I hope that this reflects a permanent change from the previous overall downward trend, but it is too early to be certain.

This report also contains a summary of members with their post-secondary affiliation. See Table 4.

The long term membership trend is shown in Table 5 and the associated graph.

The figures in this report are approximately comparable to last year's figures.

Table 1: Paid Up Status

Year	Quarter	Individuals	Institutions	Total
2003	4th	2	11	13
2004	1st	22	2	24
2004	2nd	24	1	25
2004	3rd	25	1	26
2004	4th	22	52	74
2005	1st	47	0	47
2005	2nd	9	0	9
2005	3rd	5	0	5
2005	4th	3	2	5
2006	1st	13	0	13
2006	3rd	1	0	1
Not Invoice	d	4	38	42
TOTAL		177	107	284

Table 2: Individual Memberships

Table 3: Institutions

Region	Number	Percentage	Region	Number	Percentage
Newfoundland &			Newfoundland &		
Labrador	15	8	Labrador	4	4
Nova Scotia	2	1	Nova Scotia	4	4
P.E.I.	0	0	P.E.I.	0	0
New Brunswick	1	1	New Brunswick	2	2
Québec	8	5	Québec	7	7
Ontario	50	28	Ontario	26	24
Manitoba	3	2	Manitoba	1	1
Saskatchewan	6	3	Saskatchewan	0	0
Alberta	54	31	Alberta	7	7
British Columbia	18	10	British Columbia	12	11
N.W.T.	2	1	N.W.T.	0	0
Yukon	0	0	Yukon	0	0
Nunavut	0	0	Nunavut	0	0
U.S.A.	14	8	U.S.A.	27	25
Other	4	2	Other	17	16
TOTAL	177	100	TOTAL	107	101

The following table shows the number of members who have indicated association with an institution of post-secondary education, such as a university.

Table 4: Post-secondary affiliation

	Yes	None, or unknown
Institutions	46	61
Individual	41	86
Seniors	5	12
Students	17	0
Concession	0	16
TOTAL	109	175

The total number of memberships in each report since 1987 are:

Table 5: Total Membership

October	1987	447
October	1988	521
October	1989	347
October	1990	293
April	1992	435
November	1993	342
May	1994	376
November	1995	348
October	1996	315
November	1997	310
October	1998	309
September	1999	303
October	2000	278
October	2001	271
October	2002	265
October	2003	269
October	2004	284

