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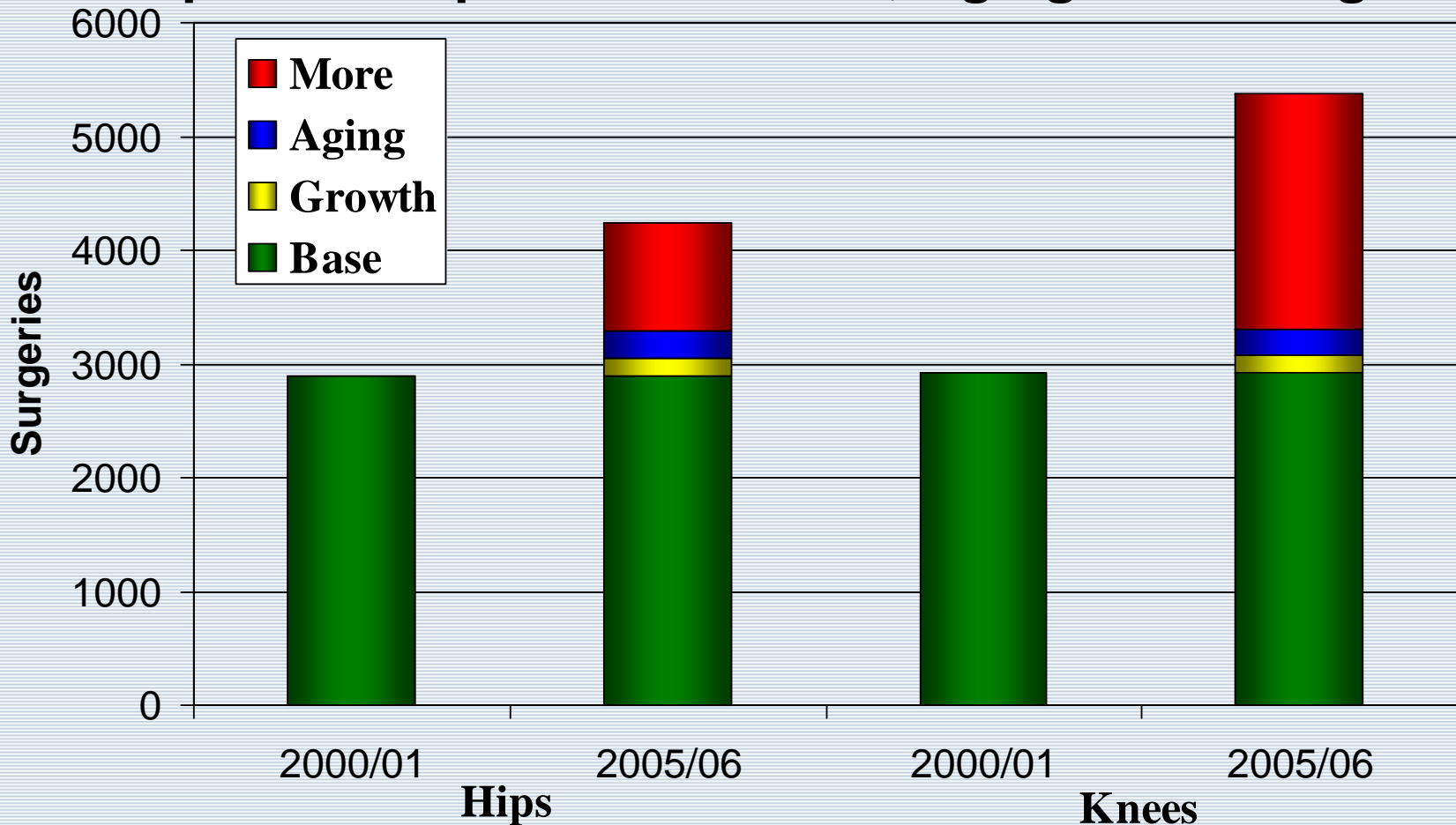
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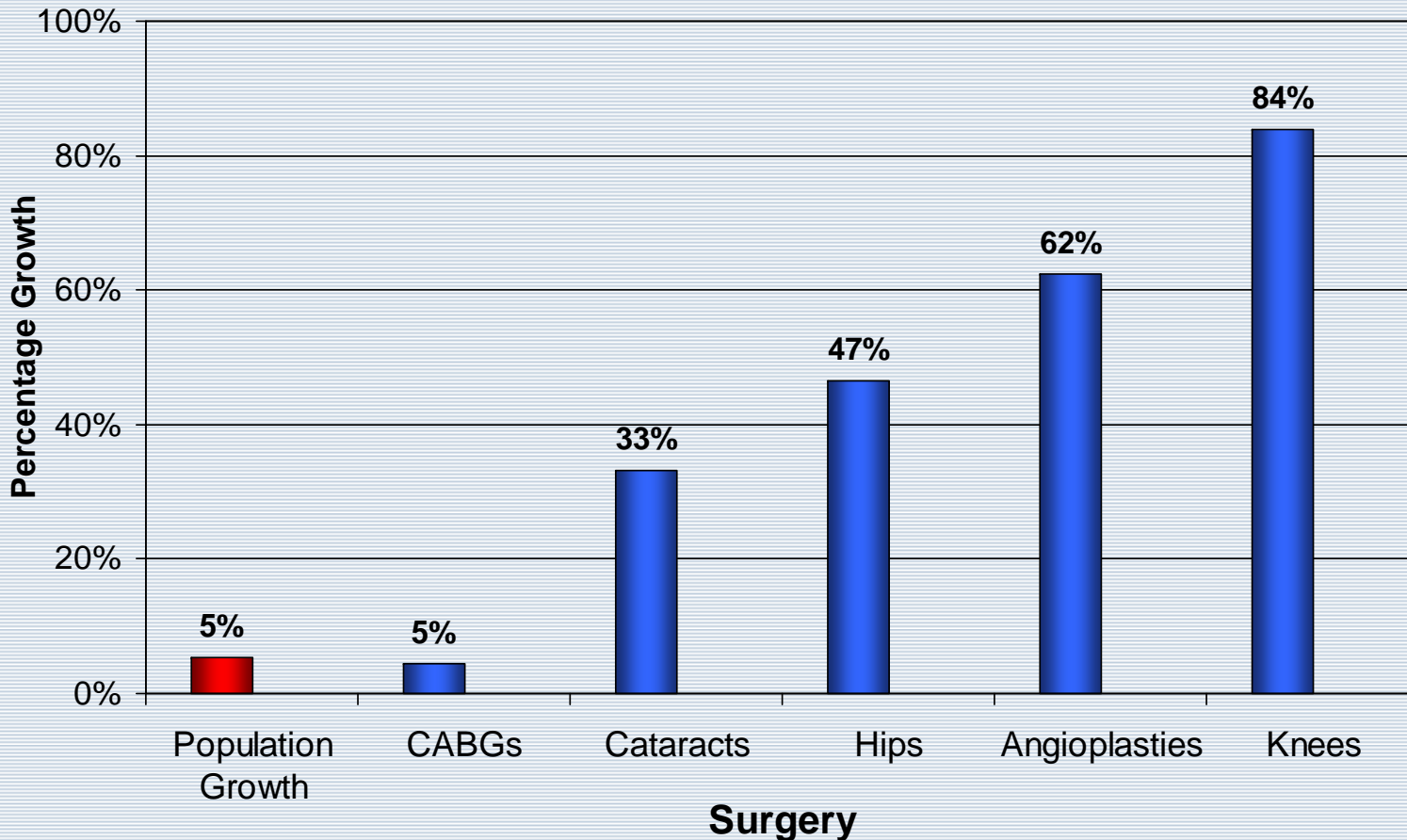


Joint Replacements for BC Residents 2000/01 vs. 2005/06 – The Impact of Population Growth, Aging and Doing More



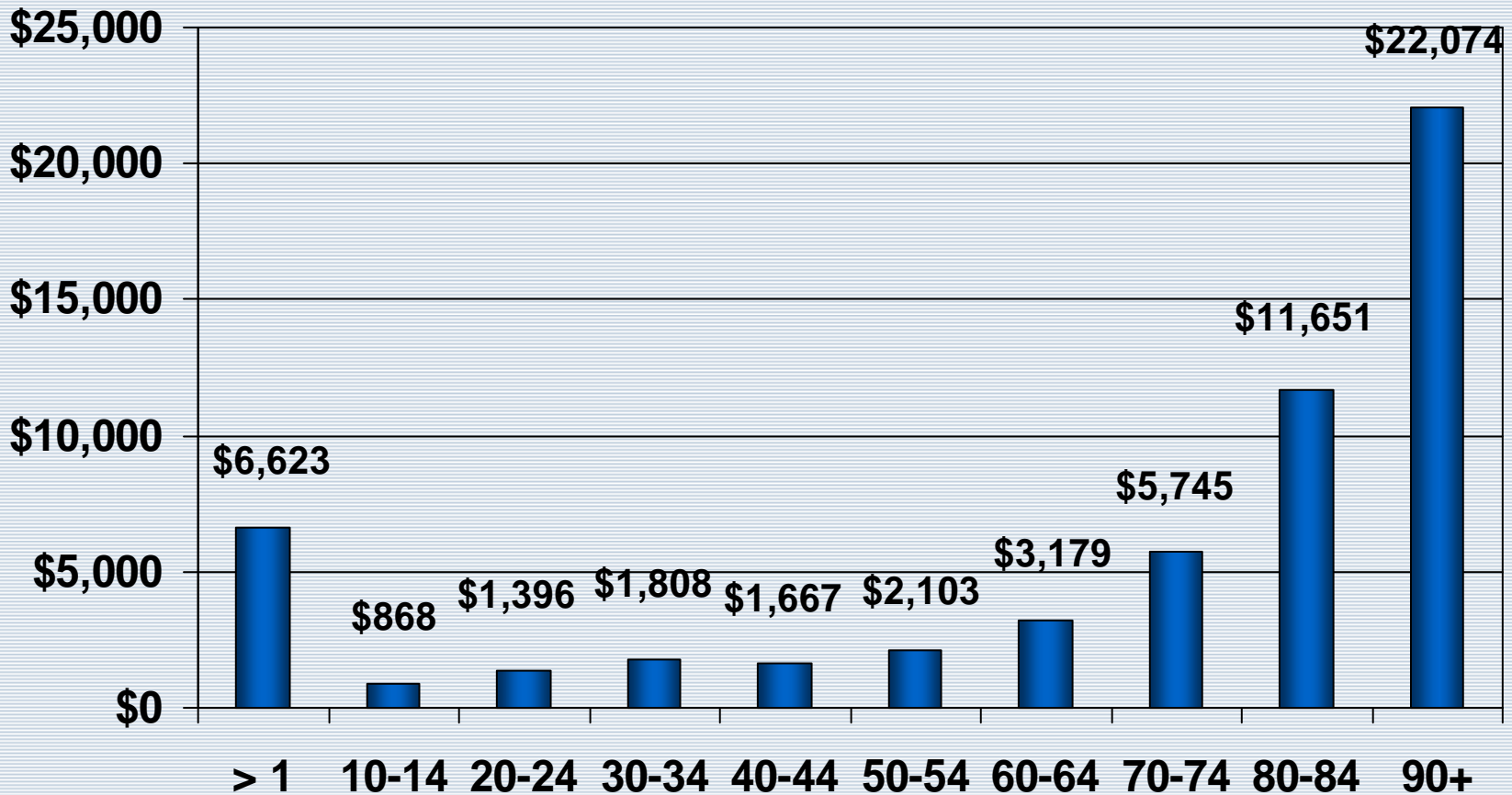


Percentage Increase in Surgeries for BC Residents 2000/01 vs. 2005/06





BC Per Capita Health Expenditures by Age Group (2003)

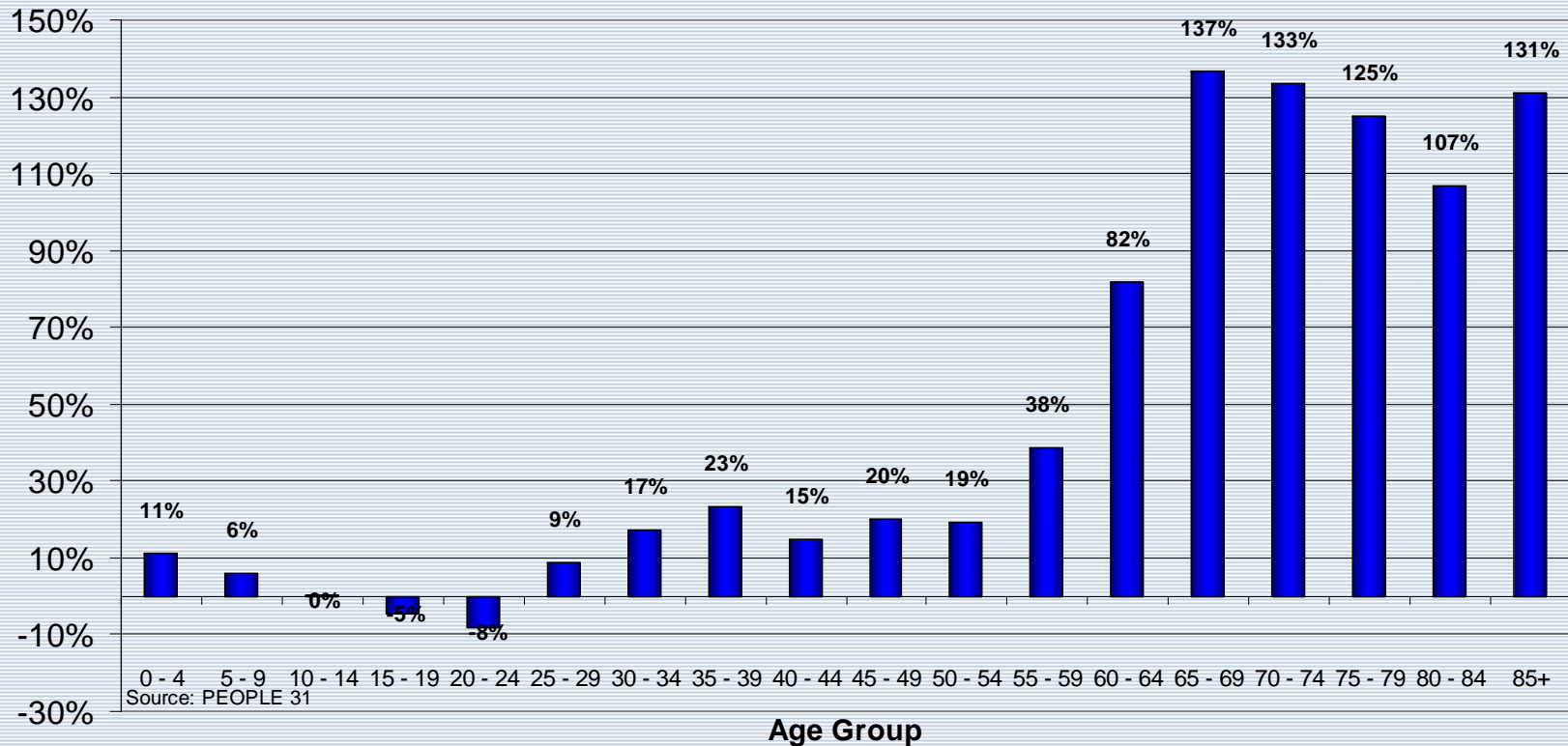




BC's age demographic is shifting over the next 25 years with 100%+ growth in seniors age groups

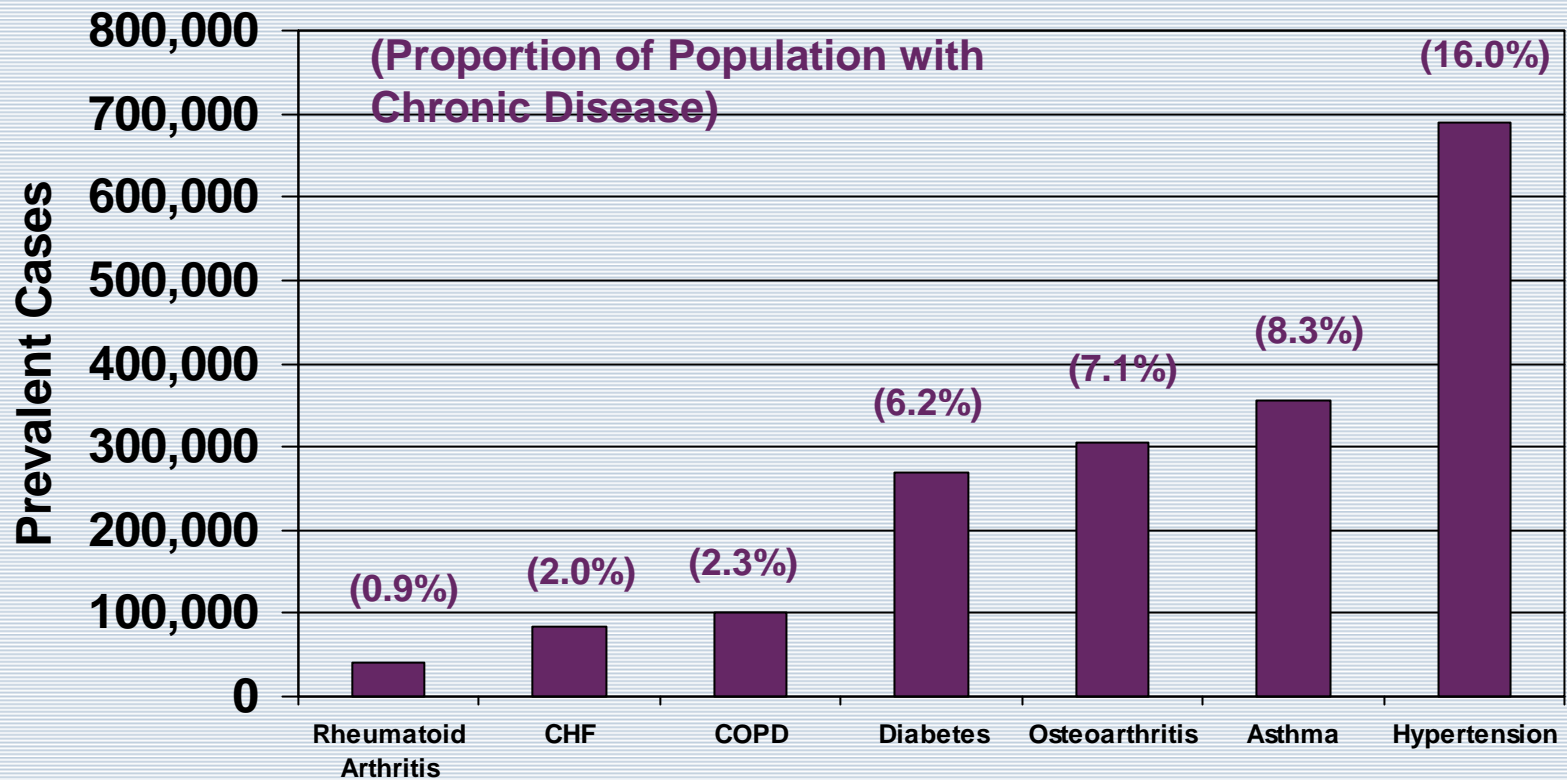
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Projected Population Growth by Age Group from 2004/05 to 2029/30





Prevalence of some chronic diseases in 2005/06





Proportion of diabetes patients among those receiving selected procedures, British Columbia 2004/05

