

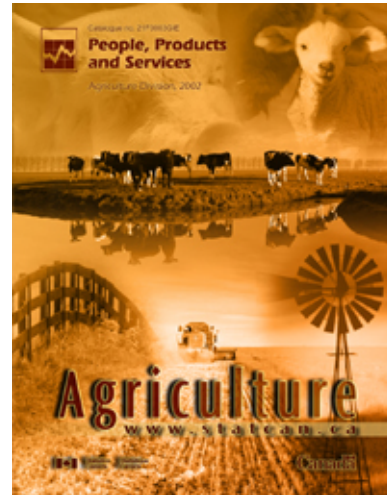


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INTRODUCTION

This catalogue is your guide to the products and services of Statistics Canada's Agriculture Division. In it, you will find:

- the names and telephone numbers of key people who can answer your questions about agriculture and food data
- information on a wide range of published and unpublished, custom and electronic data products and services related to agriculture and food
- essential release dates and pricing information
- information on how to order the Agriculture Division products

WHAT CAN WE OFFER YOU?

Data from Statistics Canada's Agriculture Division are available in a variety of formats, including:

- publications
- customized printouts
- electronic (diskettes, CD-ROM, e-mail)
- CANSIM II (Statistics Canada's corporate computerized database)

These data products and services can be obtained by telephone, facsimile or through the Statistics Canada Internet site (www.statcan.ca).

Our information on the agriculture industry can help you:

- monitor the financial performance of farms
- analyze commodity markets
- assess food consumption patterns
- analyze food production
- determine agriculture industry structure
- analyze farm and rural population trends
- examine characteristics of the farm population
- monitor crop growth and help predict yields

WHO ARE WE?

The **Client Services and Marketing Unit** will guide you through the Agriculture Statistics Program and will help you with your data needs, whether they are customized or semi-customized services.

The **Census of Agriculture** collects and disseminates a wide range of data on the agriculture industry such as number and type of farms, farm operator characteristics, business operating arrangements, land management practices, crop areas, numbers of livestock and poultry, farm capital, operating expenses and receipts, and farm machinery and equipment. These data provide a comprehensive picture of the agriculture industry across Canada every five years at the national and provincial levels as well as at lower levels of geography.

The **Farm Income and Prices Section** produces estimates of farm cash receipts by commodity, farm expenses by item, depreciation, net farm income, farm product price index, agriculture commodity prices, direct program payments, value of farm capital, farm debt, and a cash flow statement, value added account and a balance sheet for the agriculture sector.

The **Whole Farm Data Projects Section** provides a complete set of physical and financial data at the farm level. These data include detailed revenues and expenses, operator and family off-farm income, crop acreages, livestock numbers, capital investment and sales, assets and liabilities by size and type of farm for subprovincial regions.

The **Crops Section** produces estimates of field crops, horticultural crops and grain marketing statistics.

The **Livestock and Animal Products Section** produces data on livestock, dairy, poultry and eggs, furs, aquaculture, and other animal products as well as data on food consumption in Canada.

Spatial Analysis and Geomatics Applications provides information to clients on crop conditions, crop area, land-use change and related agriculture and environmental applications by analyzing satellite and spatial data and conducting research and development.

The **Research and Rural Data Section** produces analytical papers related to Canadian rural and small town issues.

The **Analysis Unit** produces analytical papers on the Canadian agri-food sector, including related environmental and health issues.

The **Informatics Section** provides internal computer services.

The Agriculture Division has developed a number of products which are suitable for the classroom setting and can be used in a variety of subject areas including social studies, geography, science and history. They combine data, graphics and visuals to give students an interesting perspective on Canadian agriculture. Look for the symbols below to identify educational products or Internet products.



Educational Product Symbol



Internet Product Symbol

For more information on classroom products call us toll-free at 1 800 465-1991 or contact the Statistics Canada Regional Reference Centre nearest you.

**We invite you to call us toll-free at 1 800 465-1991
if you have any questions concerning agriculture data.**

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SPECIAL SERVICES

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CUSTOM TABULATIONS

Agriculture Division can provide you with customized tables and reports that give you the data you require. You can pick and choose the variables from one or more of our databases and receive them in a format that best suits your needs.

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Require in-depth analysis of the data that affect your industry or market? Agriculture Division's specialized team of professionals has the hands-on experience in data analysis you want working for you.

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***Statistics Canada has the know-how and
expertise to get the job done!***

CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

Statistics Canada conducts the Census of Agriculture every five years at the same time as the Census of Population. The most recent Census of Agriculture was on May 15, 2001.

The Census of Agriculture collects and disseminates a wide range of data on the agriculture industry such as number and type of farms, farm operator characteristics, business operating arrangements, land management practices, crop areas, numbers of livestock and poultry, farm capital, operating expenses and receipts, and farm machinery and equipment. These data provide a comprehensive picture of the agriculture industry across Canada every five years at the national and provincial levels as well as at lower levels of geography.

The Census of Agriculture is the cornerstone of Canada's Agriculture Statistics Program. Census of Agriculture data are an indispensable public and private sector tool for analysing important changes in the agriculture and food industries; developing, implementing and evaluating agricultural policies and programs such as farm income safety nets and environmental sustainability; and making production, marketing and investment decisions. Statistics Canada uses the data as benchmarks for its regular surveys on crops, livestock and farm finances between census years.

In addition, data extracted from the unique Agriculture–Population Linkage Database, which links data from both the Census of Population and Census of Agriculture databases, paint a socio-economic portrait not only of farm operators but also of their families and households.

The first release of all farm data from the 2001 Census of Agriculture will be available May 15, 2002, followed by operator data on November 20, 2002, and agriculture–population data in the fall of 2003. Products and services from the 1996 Census of Agriculture are still available.

CUSTOM SERVICES

Gain unique insight and a competitive advantage

When they become available, you can order custom data, formats and products — according to *your* specifications — from the 2001 Census of Agriculture, the Census of Agriculture–Population Linkage Database, and the historical databases. Tabulations are subject to confidentiality constraints and subject to a fee.

Custom Tabulations — give you personalized tables that can accommodate special cross-classifications or use your own distribution classes. Subject to confidentiality restrictions, you can order them by standard geographic areas or define your own to create unique tables from the 2001 Census of Agriculture and Agriculture–Population Linkage Databases as well as the historical databases. Customized data will be available for census years 1966 to 2001. (Agriculture–Population Linkage Databases were not created for 1966 and 1976.)

Custom Mapping — lets you present and analyse Census of Agriculture data spatially. Working with the Spatial Analysis and Geomatics Applications Group (SAGA), Census of Agriculture User Services can provide custom maps for a fee. For more information on SAGA's products and services, please see [page 24](#).

Semi-Custom Data Service — semi-custom products created from standard tabulations are available for users who only want specific variables or certain standard geographic areas. Various formats are available including paper or electronic (i.e., diskette, CD-ROM, e-mail). A retrieval software can be included with the CD-ROM product.

Prices and delivery depend on the complexity of each request.

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DATA, GEOGRAPHY AND ANALYTICAL PRODUCTS



Data Products

2001 Census of Agriculture: Focus is on electronic availability

Electronic media (i.e., Internet/CD-ROM) will replace paper as the primary dissemination medium for the 2001 Census of Agriculture data products. For the first time, all farm and operator data will be released initially in electronic form. Four to six weeks later, most of this data will be available on a print-on-demand basis.

Get it faster

This move to electronic dissemination of all data products will provide data users with more timely access to farm and operator data at all three subprovincial geographic levels (census agricultural regions, census divisions and census consolidated subdivisions) than in previous censuses.

Available May 15, 2002: All 2001 farm data

- Available electronically (i.e., Internet/CD-ROM)
- All 2001 farm data at national, provincial, territorial and two subprovincial geographic levels (census agricultural regions and census divisions) for free
- All 2001 farm data at national, provincial, territorial and all three subprovincial geographic levels (including census consolidated subdivisions) for a fee (to be determined)

These basic counts and totals will include data on the number of census farms, land management practices, crop areas, livestock and poultry numbers, and farm finances. This initial electronic release will replace the series of eight *Agricultural Profile* publications (Canada, the Atlantic provinces and one for each of the other six provinces) produced for the 1996 Census of Agriculture.

Available November 20, 2002: All 2001 operator data and historical farm and operator data

- Available electronically (i.e., Internet/CD-ROM)
- All 2001 operator data at national, provincial and two subprovincial geographic levels for free

- All 2001 operator data at national, provincial and all three subprovincial geographic levels for a fee (to be determined)
- Selected historical farm and operator data tables at the national and provincial levels for free; all tables for a fee (to be determined)

Operator data will include information on number of farm operators, operators' sex, age, farm and non-farm work, and injuries. This second release will replace two additional publications from the 1996 Census of Agriculture.

Available fall 2003: 2001 and historical data from the Agriculture–Population Linkage Database

- Available electronically (i.e., Internet/CD-ROM)
- National and provincial levels
- Selected tables for free; all tables for a fee (to be determined)

Available data will include socio-economic characteristics such as income profiles for census farm families and households, farm population counts, as well as age, sex, marital status, mother tongue, highest level of schooling and net farm income for farm operators. No linkage databases were created for the 1966 and 1976 Censuses, so historical comparisons are not possible for those years.

Geography Products

Available spring 2002: 2001 Census Agricultural Regions

- Cartographic boundary file (fee to be determined) available on CD-ROM or by electronic data transfer
- Subprovincial geographic areas created specifically for disseminating agricultural statistics
- Cover all Canada except the Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut

Available spring 2003: 2001 Agricultural Ecumene of Canada

- Cartographic boundary file (fee to be determined) available on CD-ROM or by electronic data transfer
- Delineates areas of significant agricultural activity in Canada as indicated by the 2001 Census of Agriculture
- Available at the Canada level; generalized for small-scale mapping

Analytical Product

Available spring 2004: Canadian Agriculture at a Glance (96-327-XPB01000)

Agriculture Division's flagship publication will again be available in book format. *Canadian Agriculture at a Glance* will retain its short analytical articles written in lively and readable text about the many different aspects of agriculture and its people in Canada. Maps, full-colour photos, graphs and charts will once again add eye-catching and informative visual interpretation to its vast array of subjects. The book is designed with students in mind, thus avoiding jargon and explaining in plain language the technical terms used. *Canadian Agriculture at a Glance* will continue its tradition of matching Census of Agriculture data with other Statistics Canada and external data sources. Both the book and the teacher's kit will be available in 2004.



- Price: \$49
- 30% discount to educational institutions

FARM FINANCIAL STATISTICS

The Agriculture Division produces a variety of statistics on the financial viability of Canadian farms. Data on farm expenses, receipts, prices, assets and liabilities are available as standard and custom products.

FARM INCOME AND PRICES

The Farm Income and Prices Section integrates a wide variety of physical and financial data from a range of internal and external government and private sources to produce financial accounts for the agriculture sector for use in the System of National Accounts and for many other users. The following annual estimates are published at the provincial level:

- net farm income
- farm cash receipts by commodity
- farm operating expenses by item and depreciation charges
- direct program payments by program
- value of farm capital by major component
- farm debt outstanding by type of lender
- farm product price index
- farm business cash flow statement
- value added account
- balance sheet of the agricultural sector

Estimates on farm cash receipts, by commodity, and direct program payments, by program, are also published on a quarterly basis at the provincial level.

WHOLE FARM DATA BASE

Meeting Evolving Needs of Users

The **Whole Farm Data Base (WFDB)** is the product of a joint venture between Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada and Statistics Canada. It was developed with the intention to meet the increasing demands by users of agricultural statistics for more disaggregated data at the whole farm level. There are various potential users, from public sector policy-makers, to industry analysts and private sector decision-makers. The WFDB provides the means for users to evaluate agricultural policies and programs as well as analyze the viability, stability, and competitiveness of various farm businesses.

All the Information in a Single Base

Regrouping into one base the agricultural data, which are available from administrative and survey sources, is the essence of the WFDB. While committed to reducing response burden, eliminating duplication and maximizing the use of existing resources, the WFDB can offer users access to a wider than ever range of disaggregated physical and financial data at the farm level. The ultimate objective of this base is to provide a set of data at the whole farm level, that is as complete as possible to produce disaggregated statistics by farm type, revenue class and subprovincial geographic regions.

Whole Farm Data Base Structure

There are five major data sources currently offered on the WFDB: the **Taxation Data Program (TDP)** 1987-present, the **National Farm Survey (NFS)** 1988-1992, the **June Crops Survey (JCS)** 1993-present, the **July Livestock Survey (JLS)** 1993-present, and the **Farm Financial Survey (FFS)** every two years since 1988.

CUSTOM SERVICES

The Whole Farm Data Base (WFDB) provides custom tabulations of physical and financial farm data at the whole farm level. This allows one to obtain detailed farm revenue and expenditure data, sources and level of off-farm income for farm operators and farm families, assets, liabilities and capital investment data, and estimates on land use and livestock inventories – based on specialized needs. All these variables can be disaggregated by farm type, revenue class and subprovincial area. Although the WFDB can be used to produce estimates for selected domains regardless of the revenue level, the base is primarily structured to provide data for farms with reported revenues of \$10,000 and over.

The WFDB can provide estimates for every variable collected on all data sources. However, for reasons of quality and consistency, a specific series of agricultural variables in a standard output format has been devised for each source. Once combined, these series create a comprehensive set of physical and financial data at the whole farm level. The variables selected from each source are complementary, thus providing more thorough coverage of the agricultural sector on an annual basis. Interested clients are encouraged to refer to the **Whole Farm Data Base – Reference Manual (21F0005GPE), available free of charge**. Data are available in most required formats (paper or electronic [21C0005GIE]: diskette/E-mail in ASCII, CSV, Lotus file, etc.).

Sources:

Taxation Data Program (TDP)

Data are derived annually from a sample of incorporated and unincorporated taxation returns from the Canada Customs and Revenue Agency. Data are available for itemized revenues, expenses, and acquisitions and dispositions of depreciable assets. Also available are sources and levels of farm and off-farm income for operators and unincorporated farm families. Available by subprovincial region, farm type and revenue class. Historical data are available back to 1987.

June Crop Survey (JCS)

Estimates from an annual survey of farmers include detailed cropland acreages. Available by subprovincial region, farm type and revenue class starting in 1993.

July Livestock Survey (JLS)

Estimates from an annual survey of farmers include detailed livestock inventories. Available by subprovincial region, farm type and revenue class starting in 1993.

National Farm Survey (NFS)

Estimates from an annual survey of farmers included detailed cropland acreages and livestock inventories. Available by subprovincial region, farm type and revenue class from 1988 to 1992.

Farm Financial Survey (FFS)

Estimates from a biennial survey of farmers include detailed balance sheet information, capital investment and capital sales. Available by subprovincial region, farm type and revenue class starting in 1988.

Custom Services are subject to confidentiality constraints and are structured on a cost-recovery basis. Call toll-free 1 800 465-1991 for more information about Custom Services from the Agriculture Division.

DATA PRODUCTS

Extraction System of Agricultural Statistics (ESAS) (21F0001XCB)



ESAS is a menu-driven software program available to users in a CD-ROM format. Using the WFDB as its source, ESAS allows you to access an extensive series of tables featuring the most commonly requested disaggregated physical and financial farm data. The system offers: a complete itemization of operating revenues and expenses; sources and levels of farm and off-farm income for operators and farm families; assets, liabilities and capital investment for farms; and information on land use and livestock inventories by region, farm type and revenue class. A user's guide and reference manual are included in the CD-ROM.

- Subject Matter Contact: Linda Brazeau (613) 951-5027
- Release date: June 2002
- Price: Initial Subscription: \$625; Annual Update: \$295

ESAS Semi-Custom Service

The ESAS semi-custom service¹ was created for users who are interested in specific data sets found on ESAS. Users wanting one data source such as tax for only one province can now purchase these data sets with the ESAS retrieval software on CD-ROM. The ESAS semi-custom service data set combinations are as follows:

- Subject Matter Contact: Linda Brazeau (613) 951-5027
- One province and one data source². Price: \$125
- One province and all data sources. Price: \$199
- A combination of regional provinces³ and one data source. Price: \$175
- A combination of regional provinces³ and all data sources. Price: \$249
- All provinces, Canada and one data source. Price: \$249

¹ All ESAS semi-custom services include all reference years, data by region, type of farm and revenue class.

² Data sources are FFS, NFS, JCS, JLS or TDP.

³ Regional provinces are Atlantic, Central and West.

Whole Farm Data Base (WFDB)–Reference Manual (21F0005GIE)



The **WFDB–Reference Manual** is your guide to the farm financial database. Users will find background information on the WFDB; recommended output formats; data quality; confidentiality; list of variables; products and services; methodology, etc.

- Subject Matter Contact: Linda Brazeau (613) 951-5027
- Available free on the Internet
- Available in print (21F0005GPE)



Economic Overview of Farm Incomes–Bulletin Series (21-005-XIE)

This series of bulletins entitled *Economic Overview of Farm Incomes*, produced jointly by Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada and Statistics Canada, presents readers with farm financial information and analysis based on data from the Taxation Data Program and other agricultural surveys.

The bulletins provide analysis of such key variables as revenues, expenses and net operating income by revenue class and by province, as well as information on the concentration of production and the degree of specialization for selected farm types. Data on the physical characteristics of farms, such as crop areas and livestock inventory numbers are also included. The first bulletin of this series provides an overview of all farms.

- Subject Matter Contact: Lina Di Piéto (613) 951-3171
- Available free on the Internet



Farm Financial Survey (FFS) (21F0008XIB)

This electronic publication available free of charge on the Internet provides detailed regional statistics on the financial structure of Canadian farms. The publication includes balance sheet (assets and liabilities) of farms by region, financial structure by farm type and revenue class, and capital investment and capital sales by region. In addition to presenting highlights from 2001 it also contains historical data.

- Subject Matter Contact: Phillip Stevens (613) 951-2435
- Release date: December 13, 2002
- Available free on the Internet



Understanding Measurements of Farm Income (21-525-XIE)

This bulletin has been prepared jointly by the Farm Income and Prices Section and Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada. The document describes the different measures of farm income produced by Statistics Canada, the methods by which the measures are constructed, and the uses for which they were designed.

- Subject Matter Contact: Paul Murray (613) 951-0065
- Available free on the Internet
- Available in print (21-525-XPB)



Farm Product Price Index (21-007-XIB)

This monthly publication presents indexes of the average price received by farmers from the sale of agricultural products. A variety of monthly and annual indexes of total crops, total livestock and overall prices are included for the provinces and Canada. Also sub-indexes for grains, oilseeds, specialty crops, fruits, vegetables, cattle and calves, hogs, poultry, eggs and dairy are included at the Canada level only. This publication also includes data highlights and information on concepts and methods, and data quality.

- Subject Matter Contact: Bernie Rosien (613) 951-2441
- Release date: Third week of each month
- Available free on the Internet



Farm Cash Receipts (21-001-XIB)

This publication contains farm cash receipt estimates for individual crop and livestock receipts and direct program payments. Cumulative quarterly data for the current and previous year are published by province and at the national level. The publication also includes some analysis and explanatory notes on concepts and methods.

- Subject Matter Contact: Kimberley Boyuk (613) 951-2510
- Release dates: February 25, May 28, August 26, November 26, 2002 and February 25, 2003
- Annual Subscription: \$48
- Per Issue: \$15
- Available by fax, see [page 15](#)
- Available on the Internet

Agriculture Economic Statistics–Binder (21-603-XPE) Updates (21-603-UPE)

This publication presents annual estimates for each of the variables during the period indicated below. It also includes data highlights for the most recent release, concepts and methods and impact of intercensal revisions.



Net farm income	(1926 to date)
Farm cash receipts	(1926 to date)
Farm operating expenses and depreciation charges	(1926 to date)
Index of farm production	(1935 to 1985)
Current value of farm capital	(1926 to date)
Value per acre of farm land and buildings	(1921 to date)
Farm debt outstanding	(1971 to date)
Farm cash flow statement	(1981 to date)
Farm wage rates	(1992 to 1997)
Value added account	(1981 to date)
Balance sheet of the agriculture sector	(1980 to date)
Farm product price index	(1971 to date)
Direct payments to producers	(1971 to date)
Value added account - aquaculture industry	(1997 to date)

Notes on the concepts and methods plus a listing of CANSIM II table numbers are included. Updates to the Agriculture Economic Statistics binder are released twice a year. The July update carries the first release of estimates for the previous calendar year and revisions to the previous year are made if required. In January, revisions to the last three published calendar years are made as required.

- Subject Matter Contacts: Estelle Perrault (613) 951-2448 or Kimberley Boyuk (613) 951-2510
- Release of updates: January 15, July 16, 2002 and January 15, 2003
- Binder: \$80
- Updates: Annual Subscription: \$52
- Updates: Per Issue: \$26

FAX SERVICES

Farm Cash Receipts Fax Service (21-001-XFB)

The data on farm cash receipts from the publication **Farm Cash Receipts (21-001-XIB)** are available quarterly by FAX. In addition, selected data on farm cash receipts, expenses and net farm income from the publication **Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-603-UPE)** are available semi-annually by FAX.

Farm Cash Receipts (21-001-XFB)

- Subject Matter Contact: Kimberley Boyuk (613) 951-2510
- Price: \$90

Agricultural Economic Statistics Fax Service (21-603-UFE)

Part A - Annual Farm Income, Receipts, Expenses, Direct Payments

- Subject Matter Contacts: Estelle Perrault (613) 951-2448 or Kimberley Boyuk (613) 951-2510
- Price: \$115

Part B - Annual Farm Debt and Capital values

- Subject Matter Contact: Estelle Perrault (613) 951-2448
- Price: \$100

CROPS STATISTICS

The statistical program surrounding the production of crops comprises several surveys of farm operators to estimate the production of field crops, vegetables, fruits, greenhouse and nursery products and honey and maple products. Complete supply-disposition analyses of the major field crops are also available.

DATA PRODUCTS



Field Crop Reporting Series (22-002-XIB)

The eight publications in this series are released throughout the crop year detailing farm stocks of grain, crop area, yield and production. Stock reports detail the farm-held stocks at the provincial level and farm-held plus commercial stocks at the Canada level for major Canadian grains. The first area report contains the planting intentions of producers while the June estimates are made after most of the seeding has been completed. Yields and levels of production by province are estimated twice, based on expectations to the end of harvest, while the November estimate is released after the harvest. Note: An initial release normally published in *The Daily* is also available in fax format.

- Subject Matter Contact: David Burroughs (613) 951-5138
 - Release dates: Report No. 1, January 31; Report No. 2, April 24; Report No. 3, May 7; Report No. 4, June 28; Report No. 5, August 23; Report No. 6, September 10; Report No. 7, October 4; and Report No. 8, December 5, 2002
 - Available in print (22-002-XPB): Annual Subscription: \$88; Per Issue: \$15
 - Available on the Internet: Annual Subscription: \$66; Per Issue: \$11
 - Available by fax, see [page 20](#).
- **Report No. 1, January 31: Stocks of Canadian Grain at December 31, 2001**
Estimated farm stocks at the provincial level and commercial stocks at the national level for the eight major Canadian grains and oilseeds: wheat, oats, barley, rye, flaxseed, canola, corn, and soybeans; and the major special crops: field peas, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed and canary seed.
 - **Report No. 2, April 24: March Intentions of Principal Field Crop Areas, Canada, 2002**
The planting intentions of producers for Canadian field crops area at both the national and provincial level. (Wheat, oats, barley, rye, mixed grains, flaxseed, buckwheat, canola, corn, dry peas, soybeans, beans, lentils, mustard seed and sunflower seed.)
 - **Report No. 3, May 7: Stocks of Canadian Grain at March 31, 2002**
Estimated farm stocks at the provincial level and commercial stocks at the national level for the eight major Canadian grains and oilseeds: wheat, oats, barley, rye, flaxseed, canola, corn, and soybeans; and the major special crops: field peas, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed and canary seed.
 - **Report No. 4, June 28: Preliminary Estimates of Principal Field Crop Areas, Canada**
The post-seeding estimate of area for Canadian field crops at both the national and provincial level. (Wheat, oats, barley, rye, mixed grains, flaxseed, buckwheat, canola, corn, dry peas, soybeans, beans, lentils, mustard seed and sunflower seed.)

- **Report No. 5, August 23: July 31 Estimate of Production of Principal Field Crops, Canada**

The preharvest estimate of area, yield and production for selected Canadian field crops at both the national and provincial level. (Wheat, oats, barley, rye, mixed grains, flaxseed, canola, and dry peas.)

- **Report No. 6, September 10: Stocks of Canadian Grain at July 31, 2002**

Estimated farm stocks at the provincial level and commercial stocks at the national level for the eight major Canadian grains and oilseeds: wheat, oats, barley, rye, flaxseed, canola, corn, and soybeans; and the major special crops: field peas, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed and canary seed.

- **Report No. 7, October 4: September Estimate of Production of Principal Field Crops, Canada, 2002**

The mid harvest estimate of area, yield and production for Canadian field crops at both the national and provincial level. (Wheat, oats, barley, rye, mixed grains, flaxseed, buckwheat, canola, corn, dry peas, soybeans, and lentils.)

- **Report No. 8, December 5: November Estimate of Production of Principal Field Crops, Canada, 2002**

The postharvest estimate of area, yield and production for Canadian field crops at both the national and provincial level. (Wheat, oats, barley, rye, mixed grains, flaxseed, buckwheat, canola, corn, dry peas, soybeans, beans, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed, and hay.) Fall seeded area estimates of winter wheat and fall rye are also available.

Crops Small Area Current Data (22F0005XDB)

These data are released annually and contain estimates of area, yield and production of field crops at the subprovincial (crop district) level. All of the major grains are included along with five specialty crops. Geographically, these data are available for Quebec and Ontario in eastern Canada and all of the western provinces. This product is designed for those who need accurate and timely estimates to aid in the analysis of field crops at the crop district level.

- Subject Matter Contact: Dave Roeske (613) 951-0572
- Release date: February 2002
- Annual Subscription: \$225
- Available on paper or electronically by diskette or e-mail

Crops Small Area Historical Data (22F0004XDB)

These data are released annually and contain estimates of area, yield and production of field crops at the subprovincial (crop district) level. All of the major grains from 1976 to 1998 are included along with five specialty crops from 1987 to 1998. Geographically, these data are available for Quebec and Ontario in eastern Canada and all of the western provinces. This product is designed for those who need an accurate historical perspective to aid in the analysis of field crops at the crop district level.

- Subject Matter Contact: Dave Roeske (613) 951-0572
- Release date: February 2002
- Annual Subscription: \$995
- Available on paper or electronically by diskette or e-mail



Cereals and Oilseeds Review (22-007-XIB)



This publication provides current grain marketing data and commentary on the major Canadian cereals, oilseeds, special crops and their products. Detailed supply and disposition analyses are presented along with exports and imports, cash, future and Canadian Wheat Board forecast prices and domestic use data. A monthly situation report provides industry highlights. Each issue is an up-to-date source of information for grain analysts, traders, agri-business and the farm community.

- Subject Matter Contact: Karen Gray (204) 983-2856
- Release dates: January 28, March 1, March 27, April 25, May 28, June 28, July 29, August 28, September 26, October 28, November 27, December 20, 2002 and January 27, February 28, 2003
- Available on the Internet: Annual Subscription: \$112; Per Issue: \$11
- Available in print (22-007-XPB): Annual Subscription: \$149; Per Issue: \$15



Grain Trade of Canada (22-201-XIB)

This publication provides a comprehensive look at the past crop year. Included are key data series on production, stocks, cash and future prices, crop quality, domestic processing, grain handlings and detailed supply and disposition analyses. A written overview summarizes the year's market conditions domestically and internationally. Each issue is prepared in connection with the Canadian Grain Commission to provide an invaluable reference tool.

- Subject Matter Contact: Karen Gray (204) 983-2856
- Release date: May 30, 2002
- Available on the Internet: Annual Subscription: \$33
- Available in print (22-201-XPB): Price: \$44



Fruit and Vegetable Production (22-003-XIB)

This semi-annual product is released on the Internet and provides an overview of the Canadian fruit and vegetable production sector. Annual estimates of the area, production and value of the major commercially grown vegetables are published. For the mushroom growing industry, estimates of area, production, sales, investments and labour costs and employment are available once yearly. Statistics on the tobacco growing sector are collected once annually and released twice a year. Note: The first release in crop year will appear in June and will present the cultivated areas from the Fruit and Vegetable Area Survey conducted in May. The second will appear in February and include area, production, and value data for the crop year.

- Subject Matter Contact: Bill Parsons (613) 951-8727
- Release dates: February 15 and June 14, 2002 and February 14, 2003
- Available on the Internet: Annual Subscription: \$46; Per Issue: \$23



Greenhouse, Sod and Nursery Industries (22-202-XIB)

This annual publication provides an overview of the Canadian greenhouse industry. Included are annual estimates of the total area under glass and plastic, months of operation and the total sales. Estimates of employment, labour costs, investments, purchases of plant materials and heating fuel costs are also available. Information on the value of sales of greenhouse vegetables, flowers and ornamental plants are also published, as well as the production of flowers by variety. Also included are estimates on the area, cost of purchases, employment and value of nursery stock and sod. There is also information on the proportion of sales through various channels.

- Subject Matter Contact: Bill Parsons (613) 951-8727
- Release date: April 26, 2002
- Available on the Internet: Price: \$26

Potato Historical Series–Binder (22-008-XPB)

Area planted, area harvested, yield, total production, amount sold, consumed, seeded or fed to livestock, farm price and value, by province for the years 1891 to 2001, where data are available.

- Subject Matter Contact: Barbara McLaughlin (902) 893-7251
- Price: \$90



Statistical Bulletin: Canadian Potato Production–Updates (22-008-UIB)

Current area planted, area harvested, yield, total production, amount sold, consumed, seeded or fed to livestock, farm price and value, by province. Updates for the current year are released in July, November and January and can be ordered separately.

- Subject Matter Contact: Barbara McLaughlin (902) 893-7251
- Release dates: January 17, July 19, November 22, 2002 and January 17, 2003
- Available free on the Internet
- Available in print (22-008-UPB): Annual Subscription: \$21



Statistical Bulletin: Production and Value of Honey and Maple Products (23-221-XIB)

This annual bulletin summarizes the production, price and value of honey and maple products, by province. The bulletin is released during the fall of each year.

- Subject Matter Contact: Bill Parsons (613) 951-8727
- Release date: November 15, 2002
- Available free on the Internet

FAX SERVICES

Canola Crush Fax Service (22F0001XFB)

A monthly fax service of data published monthly in the **Cereals and Oilseeds Review (22-007-XPB and 22-007-XIB)** providing total crushings, oil and meal production and seed stocks. The service is available by an annual subscription.

- Subject Matter Contact: Les Macartney (613) 951-8714
- Annual Subscription: \$50

Field Crop Reporting Series Fax Service (22-002-XFB)

This service provides the complete information published in the **Field Crop Reporting Series (22-002-XPB and 22-002-XIB)**. Delivery is guaranteed on the day of release. The service is available by an annual subscription.

- Subject Matter Contact: Oliver Code (613) 951-8719
- Annual Subscription: \$200

National Supply and Disposition Fax Service (22F0002XFB)

A fax service providing national supply-disposition tables for the major grains for the following three periods: August to December, August to March and August to July. Data include production, farm and commercial stocks, imports, exports, human food and industrial use and animal feeding. Seven years of data are provided. Less detailed data are published monthly in the **Cereals and Oilseeds Review (22-007-XPB and 22-007-XIB)** and annually in the **Grain Trade of Canada (22-201-XPB and 22-201-XIB)**. The service is available by an annual subscription.

- Subject Matter Contacts: Karen Gray (204) 983-2856 or Susan Anderson (613) 951-3859
- Annual Subscription: \$280

LIVESTOCK AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS STATISTICS

DATA PRODUCTS

Livestock Statistics–Binder (23-603-XPE)

Updates (23-603-UPE)

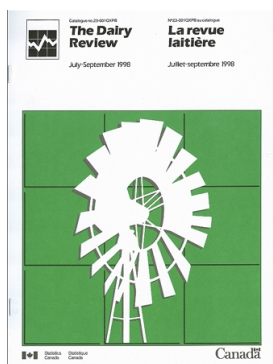
Fax (23-603-UFE)

This binder publication contains data from 1976 to date for major livestock series: cattle and calves, hogs, sheep, lambs and wool, furs, trade and prices, stocks of frozen meats, apparent per capita meat consumption and aquaculture. Notes on the concepts, methods and data highlights are also included. New and revised estimates for these data are released four times each year.

- Subject Matter Contacts: Robert Plourde (613) 951-8716 or Don Cutts (613) 951-2551
- Release of updates: February 19, April 25, August 22, October 23, 2002 and February 19, 2003
- Binder: \$93
- Updates: Annual Subscription: \$149
- Updates: Per Issue: \$45
- Fax Service: Annual Subscription: \$75



The Dairy Review (23-001-XIB)



This publication is a statistical summary of the dairy situation in Canada and the provinces, including farm sales of milk for fluid and manufacturing purposes; cash receipts from farm sales; and production and stocks of creamery butter, cheddar cheese and other dairy products and by-products.

- Subject Matter Contact: Debbie Dupuis (613) 951-2553
- Release dates: February 13, May 14, August 13, November 13, 2002 and February 12, 2003
- Available on the Internet: Annual Subscription: \$89; Per Issue: \$27



Production of Poultry and Eggs (23-202-XIB)

This product contains charts and tables presenting current and historical data on the turkey, chicken, stewing hen and egg industries in Canada. The topics covered include annual supply, disposition and per capita disappearance of poultry meat and eggs at the national level. Production and value are given for each commodity at the provincial level. Notes on concepts, methods and data highlights are included.

- Subject Matter Contact: Robert Plourde (613) 951-8716
- Release date: May 16, 2002
- Available on the Internet: Annual Subscription: \$29

Statistical Bulletin: Production of Eggs (23-003-XIB)



This monthly bulletin provides provincial and national level estimates on the number of layers, rates of lay, egg production, farm prices, eggs sold for consumption and those used by producers, leakers and rejects, processed eggs, placements of laying chicks, and average prices of eggs sold for consumption.

- Subject Matter Contact: Robert Plourde (613) 951-8716
- Release dates: January 8, February 5, March 5, April 9, May 8, June 7, July 5, August 9, September 6, October 8, November 8, December 6, 2002 and January 8, February 7, 2003
- Available free on the Internet



Livestock Feed Requirements Study (23-501-XIE)

Based on 1999 feed coefficients, this study estimates the per animal and total provincial livestock feed requirements for grain, pasture, and harvested roughages for 1999 and 2000 by the various species.

- Subject Matter Contact: Barbara McLaughlin (902) 893-7251
- Release Date: March 2002
- Available free on the Internet

FOOD STATISTICS



Canada Food Stats (23F0001XCB)



Canada Food Stats is a new, easy-to-use CD-ROM that provides access to a broad spectrum of food statistics and indicators. It contains information on per capita food consumption and food prices, nutrition, supply and demand, as well as data on the food industry, processing, employment, productivity, trade and much more.

This product, developed by Statistics Canada's Agriculture Division in co-operation with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, contains 67 formatted tables with up to 40 years of data in some cases, along with topical analyses. There are also a number of data sets available for the provinces, along with selected quarterly and monthly statistics. It is an invaluable research tool for nutritionists, food industry analysts, market researchers, or consumers who are just looking for reliable data on food.

- Subject Matter Contact: Debbie Dupuis (613) 951-2553; foodstats@statcan.ca
- Release dates: July and November 2002
- Annual Subscription: \$120
- Per Issue: \$75
- Available on CD-ROM



Food Consumption in Canada, Part I (32-229-XIB)

This publication contains 15 years of annual supply, disposition, and per capita disappearance data for the following food groups: cereals, sugars and syrups, pulses and nuts, beverages, dairy products and by-products, poultry, eggs and meats. The data tables and related analytical information for all commodities from both Part I and II are included in both publications.

- Subject Matter Contact: Debbie Dupuis (613) 951-2553
- Release date: June 13, 2002
- Available on the Internet: \$26



Food Consumption in Canada, Part II (32-230-XIB)

This publication contains 15 years of annual supply, disposition and per capita disappearance data for the following food groups: oils and fats, fruits, vegetables, juice and fish. The data tables and related analytical information for all commodities from both Part I and II are included in both publications.

- Subject Matter Contact: Debbie Dupuis (613) 951-2553
- Release date: October 17, 2002
- Available on the Internet: \$26



Stocks of Frozen Meat Products (23-009-XIE)

This monthly bulletin provides detailed data on the stocks of frozen beef, pork, veal, mutton, lamb and fancy meats in Canada, by province. Stocks of frozen imported meats are available on CANSIM II.

- Subject Matter Contact: Mark Elward (613) 951-8715
- Release dates: January 31, February 28, March 28, April 25, May 30, June 27, July 25, August 29, September 26, October 31, November 28, December 23, 2002 and January 30, February 27, 2003
- Available free on the Internet

SPATIAL ANALYSIS AND GEOMATICS APPLICATIONS (SAGA)

The Spatial Analysis and Geomatics Applications (SAGA) Section provides a variety of products and services using the tools and methodologies of digital image analysis (remote sensing) and geographic information systems (GIS). The program includes operational agricultural and environmental applications, custom mapping, satellite image analysis and geomatics services. These remote sensing and geostatistical products and services are available on a cost-recovery or fee-for-services basis.

AGRICULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL REMOTE SENSING / GIS APPLICATIONS

The SAGA team has considerable experience and expertise in developing operational remote sensing and integrated geographic information processing applications. The data and products generated by SAGA are available to clients as hard-copy maps or in electronic formats. Some major SAGA application programs include:

- **Crop Condition Assessment Program (CCAP).** The CCAP is a near-real time, value-added product that is available via the Internet. Throughout the agricultural growing season, the CCAP provides weekly crop condition analysis of western Canada based on the low-resolution digital satellite data. This subscription service produces timely, quantitative and objective crop condition information at the provincial, census agricultural region, township and rural municipality levels. The weekly interactive information package includes colour images and maps, graphs, tables and an experimental spring wheat **yield model**.
- **Prince Edward Island Land Cover Classification and Forest Monitoring Project (PLCCP).** Since 1995, SAGA has conducted an annual operational land-resource and forest management project for the Prince Edward Island Department of Agriculture and Forestry (DAF). Using digital remote sensing and geographic information system (GIS) technologies, multi-date, high-resolution satellite data are digitally processed providing land-cover data in electronic format of major crops, forest type, forest cutovers, urban areas and water classes throughout Prince Edward Island. Project outputs are incorporated by DAF into a GIS to support several provincial operational programs and research initiatives. Results of this project have clearly demonstrated the value of using high-resolution digital satellite data integrated with a GIS for the provision of land-resource management information in a timely, accurate and cost-efficient manner.
- **Canadian Agriculture at a Glance: Customized Mapping Applications.** SAGA prepared all of the maps published in *Canadian Agriculture at a Glance* (96-325-XPB). All maps are in full colour and available in either paper or electronic format. Standard and custom mapping services are provided by SAGA to clients on a routine basis.
- **Cartographic Boundary File: Agricultural Ecumene of Canada, 1996.** This cartographic boundary file delineates areas of significant agricultural activity in Canada based on the 1996 Census of Agriculture data. An agricultural ecumene is used for displaying agricultural data and limits data presentation to recognized areas of agricultural significance. The 1996 agricultural ecumene was delineated to represent data at the census division level of geography. Ecumene pockets exist in all census divisions for which data are published by the Census of Agriculture. Where data have been suppressed for confidentiality reasons, ecumene pockets in these census divisions have been eliminated. Data collected from census farms are reported in the ecumene pocket of a neighbouring census division. A list of geographic

amalgamations can be obtained by contacting User Services, Census of Agriculture ([see p. 8](#)).

These products are available in:

ARC/INFO® Export; Coordinates: Lambert, Lat./Long.
Media: 8mm Exabyte tape, CD-ROM

- **Cartographic Boundary File: *Census Agricultural Region (CAR)*.** A census agricultural region is a subprovincial geographic area used by the Census of Agriculture for disseminating agricultural statistics. In all provinces except Prince Edward Island and Saskatchewan, a census agricultural region is a contiguous grouping of census divisions. In Saskatchewan, census agricultural regions are groupings of adjacent census consolidated subdivisions, but these groupings do not necessarily respect census division boundaries. Census agricultural regions have not been defined for Prince Edward Island, the Yukon, the Northwest Territories or Nunavut. In the Prairies, census agricultural regions are commonly referred to as crop districts.

These products are available in:

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RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

Ongoing research and development is an important component of the SAGA program. As with the custom mapping and spatial data analysis programs, outputs of SAGA's research and development efforts are often available to its clients. Current projects include:

- early season forecast of western Canada's spring wheat yield using NOAA digital satellite data
- land-use and land-use change analysis from high-resolution digital satellite imagery
- geographic information database design and implementation
- use of satellite remote sensing for construction of statistical area sampling frames (ASF)
- the use of digital radar satellite data for land-use and crop monitoring
- geostatistical integration of database software/hardware systems

OTHER AVAILABLE SERVICES AND APPLICATIONS

- development of interactive geomatic applications for the Internet
- remote sensing/geographic information system integration and custom mapping
- crop area estimation and area sample frame (ASF) construction using geomatics technologies
- crop yield estimation by user defined statistical units such as risk areas and management districts
- spatial and statistical data integration
- remote sensing/geographic information system consulting and training
- specialized geomatics research and methodology development

For more information, please contact:

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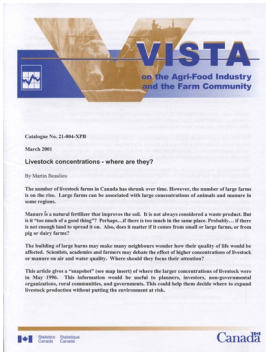
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VISTA on the Agri-Food Industry and the Farm Community

VISTA on the Agri-Food Industry and the Farm Community (21-004-XIE)



VISTA is a semi-annual newsletter for users of agriculture statistics. Each issue contains one or two articles highlighting statistical insights on themes relating to agriculture, food and rural issues. In addition, there are current indicators of agricultural activity and a schedule of upcoming statistical releases.



- Subject Matter Contact: Martin Beaulieu (613) 951-6357
- Release dates: March and September 2002
- Available free on the Internet or on paper (21-004-XPB)

FARMING FACTS

Farming Facts (21-522-XIE)



This report presents, in graphic, tabular and textual form a variety of information produced by Statistics Canada for the agricultural community. The summer edition will highlight the results of the 2001 Census of Agriculture and other agriculture surveys.



- Subject Matter Contact: Phillip Stevens (613) 951-2435
- Release date: Summer 2002
- Available free on the Internet or on paper (21-522-XPE)

Rural and Small Town Canada: An Overview (21F0018XIE)



This slide presentation provides a profile of basic structures and trends in rural and small town Canada.

- Subject Matter Contact: Ray D. Bollman (613) 951-3747
- Available free on the Internet at www.statcan.ca/english/freepub/21F0018XIE/free.htm

RURAL AND SMALL TOWN CANADA ANALYSIS BULLETINS



Rural and Small Town Canada Analysis Bulletins (21-006-XIE)

Statistics Canada has launched an occasional bulletin series to document the structure and trends in rural Canada. The objective is to provide baseline information for national and provincial discussions of rural issues and to provide a baseline with which local communities can compare their situations.

List of published bulletins:

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DATA PRODUCTS

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- Graph results
- Export findings to other applications

Highlights

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- Trace the activities of more than 180 global trading partners
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- Over 18 variables
- Over 180 trading partners
- North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS)

American

- HS-based annual data from 1989 to date: two years monthly data
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GEOGRAPHIC REFERENCE PRODUCTS

A full range of geographic reference products and tools are available free on the Internet. Many of these are also available for nominal fees as CD-ROMs and print publications.

- The **2002 Geography Catalogue (92-405-XIE)** describes the geography products and services available from Statistics Canada for the 2001 Census. It contains additional information, illustrations and a glossary.
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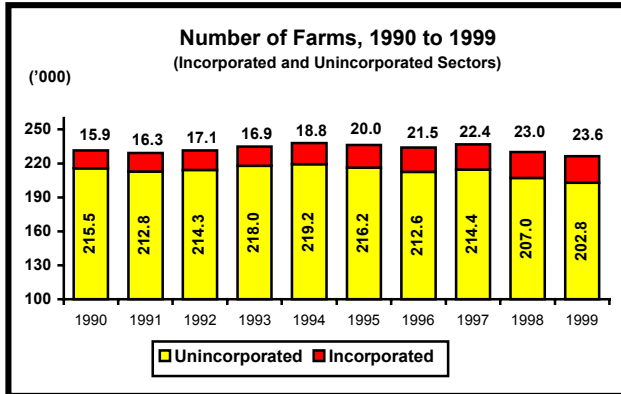
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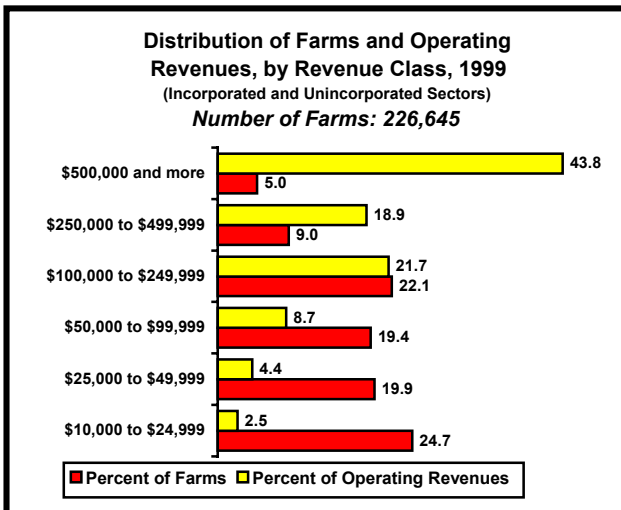
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Agricultural Quick Facts – Canada

from the Whole Farm Data Base*



Source: WFDB, Taxation Data Program



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*Whole Farm Data Base (WFDB)

Integrating into one base the agricultural data, which are available from administrative and survey sources, is the essence of the WFDB. It offers users access to a wider than ever range of disaggregated physical and financial data at the farm level.

There are several major data sources currently offered in the WFDB: the *Taxation Data Program (TDP)*, the *Farm Financial Survey (FFS)*, the *June Crops Survey (JCS)* and the *July Livestock Survey (JLS)*. Please refer to the WFDB Reference Manual (appendix C) for a summary of the sampling and methodology for each of these data sources.

The WFDB is the product of a joint venture by Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada and Statistics Canada.

Estimates presented in the Agricultural Quick Facts cover farms with gross operating revenues of \$10,000 or more. Incorporated farms with agricultural sales below \$25,000 are excluded from the TDP.

Total Operating Revenues, by Revenue Class, 1999
Incorporated and Unincorporated Sectors

Number of Farms	C.V.	Total Operating Revenues (\$'000)	C.V.	Average per Farm (\$)	C.V.
All Farms					
226,645	a	36,696,340	a	161,911	a
\$500,000 and more					
11,310	a	16,062,051	a	1,420,164	a
\$250,000 to \$499,999					
20,295	a	6,942,163	a	342,063	a
\$100,000 to \$249,999					
49,995	a	7,969,348	a	159,403	a
\$50,000 to \$99,999					
43,995	a	3,183,507	a	72,361	a
\$25,000 to \$49,999					
45,080	a	1,616,036	a	35,848	a
\$10,000 to \$24,999					
55,970	a	929,545	a	16,608	a

Source: WFDB, Taxation Data Program

Off-Farm Income and Net Operating Income of Operators, by Farm Type, Unincorporated Sector, 1999

Number of Operators	C.V.	Off-Farm Income ¹ (\$'000)	C.V.	Number Of Farms	C.V.	Net Operating Income (\$'000)
All Farms						
245,395	a	5,243,933	a	196,605	a	3,119,128
Grain and Oilseed						
91,320	a	2,152,421	a	78,500	a	1,305,297
Cattle						
77,455	a	1,732,542	a	64,330	a	533,223
Dairy						
22,930	a	116,923	a	13,815	a	762,401
Fruit and Vegetable						
8,375	a	179,340	b	5,905	a	85,487
Hog						
6,335	a	81,783	b	4,580	a	104,802
Poultry and Egg						
3,350	a	51,502	b	2,175	a	83,774
Greenhouse and Nursery						
3,050	b	51,867	b	2,130	b	47,075
Livestock Combination						
1,850	c	25,725	d	1,370	c	17,221
Tobacco						
1,615	b	20,095	c	1,025	b	43,367
Potato						
1,235	b	16,181	b	915	b	32,879
Other Farm Types						
27,885	a	815,515	b	21,860	a	103,576

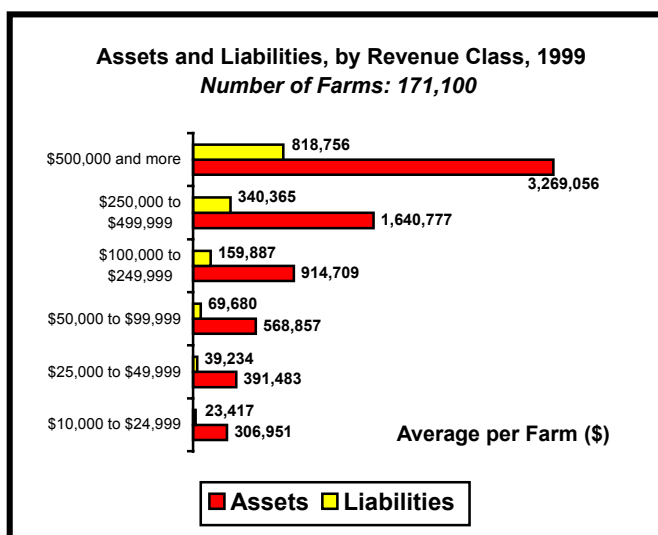
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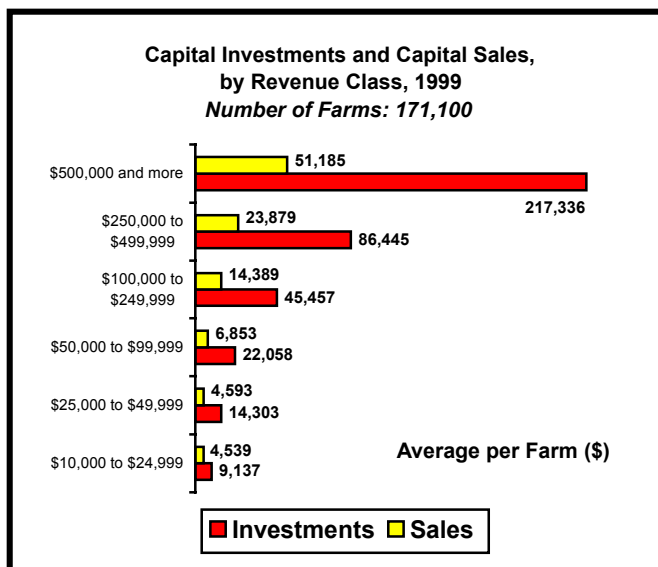
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e	25.0% and more	unreliable

Off-Farm Income and Net Operating Income of Farm Families, by Farm Type, Unincorporated Sector, 1998						
Number of Families	C.V.	Off-Farm Income ¹ (\$'000)	C.V.	Number of Farms	C.V.	Net Operating Income (\$'000)
All Farms						
154,970	a	6,768,568	a	152,980	a	2,701,367
Grain and Oilseed Farms						
60,770	a	2,805,846	a	61,470	a	1,257,033
Cattle Farms						
44,870	a	2,040,086	a	44,850	a	337,795
Dairy Farms						
14,840	a	306,031	a	13,210	a	655,615
Fruit and Vegetable Farms						
5,840	a	272,547	b	5,510	a	74,347
Hog Farms						
4,430	a	131,006	b	4,370	a	55,785
Poultry and Egg Farms						
1,960	b	77,193	b	1,890	b	76,876
Greenhouse and Nursery Farms						
2,140	b	78,842	c	2,070	b	42,772
Livestock Combination Farms						
1,300	c	40,147	c	1,250	c	19,321
Tobacco Farms						
960	b	32,856	c	930	b	42,259
Potato Farms						
880	b	32,899	d	800	b	25,652
Other Farm Types						
16,990	a	951,509	b	16,610	a	113,588

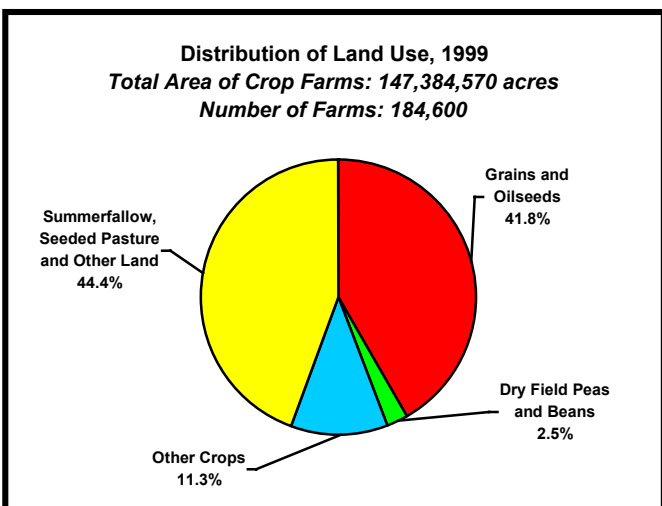
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Source: WFDB, Farm Financial Survey



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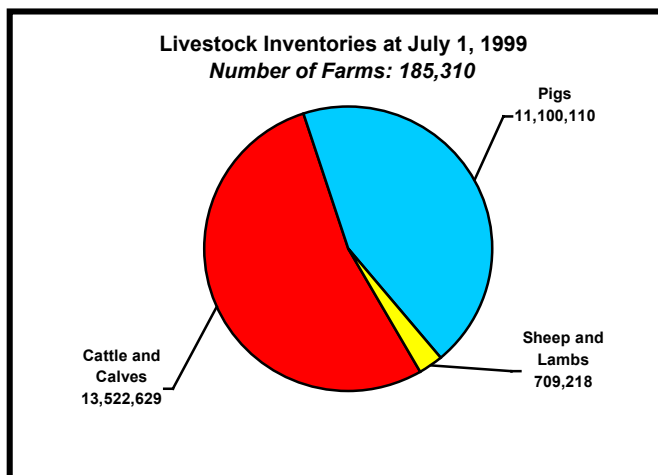
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Warning: The size and design of the sample, the variability of the characteristic of interest in the population, and the estimation method all affect data quality.

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		1 <i>New Year's Day</i>	2	3	4	5			Also released in February: • Crops Small Area Current Data	Also released in February: • Crops Small Area Historical Data			1	2
6	7 • Egg Production	8	9	10	11	12	3	4 • Egg Production	5	6	7	8	9	
13	14 • Updates to Agriculture Economic Statistics	15	16	17 • Potato Production	18	19	10	11	12	13 • Dairy Statistics	14	15 • Fruit and Vegetable Production	16	
20 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	21	22	23	24	25	26	17	18 • Livestock Estimates • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	19	20	21	22	23	
27 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review	28	29	30	31 • Grain Stocks, December 31, 2001 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products			24 • Farm Cash Receipts	25	26	27	28 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products • Aquaculture Economic Statistics			

MARCH							APRIL						
S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S	S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S
					1 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review	2		1 <i>Easter Monday</i>	2	3	4	5	6
3	4 • Egg Production	5	6	7	8	9	7	8 • Egg Production	9	10	11	12	13
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	14	15	16	17	18 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	19	20
17	18 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	19	20	21	22	23	21	22	23	24 • March Intentions of Principal Field Crop Areas, 2002	25 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products • Hog Inventories • Cereals and Oilseeds Review	26 • Greenhouse, Sod and Nursery Industries	27
²⁴ / ₃₁	25	26 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review	27	28 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products	29 <i>Good Friday</i>	30	28	29	30				

MAY							JUNE						
S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S	S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S
			1	2	3	4							1
5	6 • Grain Stocks, March 31, 2002	7 • Egg Production	8	9	10	11	2	3	4	5	6 • Egg Production	7	8
12	13 • Dairy Statistics	14	15 • 2001 Census Farm Data	16 • Production of Poultry and Eggs (Annual)	17 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	18	9	10	11	12	13 • Per Capita Food Consumption, Part I	14 • Fruit and Vegetable Production	15
19	20 <i>Victoria Day</i>	21	22	23	24	25	16	17	18 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	19	20	21	22
26	27 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review • Farm Cash Receipts and Net Farm Income	28	29	30 • Grain Trade of Canada • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products	31		²³ / ₃₀	24	25	26	27 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products	28 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review • Preliminary Estimates of Principal Field Crop Areas	29

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S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S	S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S	
	1 <i>Canada Day</i>	2	3	4	5 • Egg Production	6						1	2	3
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	4	5 <i>Civic Holiday (except QC and NF)</i>	6	7	8	9 • Egg Production	10	
14	15	16 • Updates to Agriculture Economic Statistics	17	18 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	19 • Potato Production	20	11	12 • Dairy Statistics	13	14	15	16	17	
21	22	23	24	25 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products	26	27	18	19 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	20	21	22 • Livestock Estimates	23 • Estimates of Principal Field Crops Production, July 31, 2002	24	
28	29 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review	30	31	Also released in July: • Canada Food Stats (CD-ROM)			25	26 • Farm Cash Receipts	27	28 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review	29 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products	30	31	

SEPTEMBER							OCTOBER							
S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S	S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S	
1	2 <i>Labour Day</i>	3	4	5	6 • Egg Production	7				1	2	3	4 • Estimates of Principal Field Crops Production, September, 2002	5
8	9	10 • Grain Stocks, July 31, 2002	11	12	13	14	6	7 • Egg Production	8	9	10	11	12	
15	16	17	18	19 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	20	21	13	14 <i>Thanksgiving Day</i>	15	16	17 • Per Capita Food Consumption, Part II	18	19	
22	23	24	25 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products • Aquaculture Economic Statistics • Aquaculture Production and Value	26	27	28	20	21 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	22 • Hog Inventories	23	24	25	26	
29	30						27	28 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review	29	30	31 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products			

NOVEMBER							DECEMBER							
S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S	S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	S	
	Also released in November: • Canada Food Stats (CD-ROM)					1	2	1	2	3	4	5 • Estimates of Principal Field Crops Production, November, 2002	6 • Egg Production	7
3	4	5	6	7	8 • Egg Production	9	8	9	10	11	12	13 • Farm Financial Survey (publication)	14	
10	11 <i>Remembrance Day</i>	12 • Dairy Statistics	13	14 • Production and Value of Honey and Maple Products	15	16	15	16	17	18 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	19	20 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review	21	
17	18	19 • 2001 Census Operator Data	20 • Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat	21 • Potato Production	22	23	22	23 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products	24	25 <i>Christmas Day</i>	26 <i>Office Closed</i>	27	28	
24	25 • Farm Cash Receipts and Net Farm Income	26 • Cereals and Oilseeds Review	27 • Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meat Products	28	29	30	29	30	31					

JANUARY 2003							FEBRUARY 2003						
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