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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- information on a wide range of published and unpublished, custom and electronic data products and services related to agriculture and food and rural Canada
- 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 (CD-ROM, e-mail, Internet)
- CANSIM (Statistics Canada's corporate computerized database)

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
- analyse commodity markets
- assess food available for consumption patterns
- analyse food production
- determine agriculture industry structure
- analyse farm and rural population trends
- examine characteristics of the farm population
- monitor crop growth and help predict yields

Who are we?

The Client and Respondent Relations Section provides client and text editing services and management of the respondent relations and response burden program. The staff 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, agriculture commodity prices, farm product price index, direct program payments, value of farm capital, farm debt, and a cash flow statement, a value added account and a balance sheet for the agricultural 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** collects, compiles, analyses, abstracts and publishes statistical information relating to: field crops, vegetables, fruits, greenhouse and nursery products, mushrooms, honey and maple products, grain marketing and supply-disposition analyses of the major field crops and special crops.

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

The Remote Sensing and Geospatial Analysis 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, on an operational basis, spatial data, maps and information to clients on crop conditions, crop area, land-use/land-cover and related agricultural and environmental applications using geomatics technologies for the analysis of satellite data, census and survey data.

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

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

The **Analysis and Development Unit** produces analytical papers related to the agriculture and food sector and assists in the development of analytical capacity of Division employees. The analytical program of the Division is enhanced through research partnerships and networks with other government departments, in particular Agriculture and Agri-food Canada, and Canadian universities.

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 symbol below to identify educational products.



Educational product symbol

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

We look forward to serving you!

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Special services

Statistics Canada's Agriculture Division provides many of its clients with special services tailor-made to meet their unique data requirements. Agriculture Division has a variety of information sources at its fingertips that can be used to provide you with the data you need to make important decisions as an agribusiness specialist.

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.

Analytical studies

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.

Custom surveys

Should you require data that has not yet been collected, we can do a special survey for you. These data can also be combined with other Statistics Canada surveys and custom data extractions from CANSIM.

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Respondent relations

Respondent Relations and Data Collection Program

Statistics Canada is giving greater priority to respondent relations. Consequently, Agriculture Division is increasing the importance accorded to agriculture respondent relations in order to work more actively with the agricultural sector, partners, clients and organizations. The Respondent Relations and Data Collection Program will enhance mechanisms to reduce response burden and to better inform farm operators about their important role in providing information through Canada's farm survey programs.

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Census of Agriculture

Statistics Canada conducts the Census of Agriculture every five years at the same time as the Census of Population.

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.

2006 Census of Agriculture

Data release dates and other upcoming publications from the 2006 Census of Agriculture: All free products on the Internet

Farm Data and Farm Operator Data, the first major release provides comprehensive information about agricultural operations across Canada and about the people managing those farms.

Statistics Canada is taking a new direction with one of its flagship publications — Canadian Agriculture at a Glance. Rather than waiting three years after the census to release over 40 exciting articles in one book, articles will appear on Statistics Canada's website at regular intervals starting in the fall of 2007 and continue over the next two years. This new approach brings more timely analytical and educational material. Once all the articles are available on the Internet, a beautiful, coffee-table style book will be printed and available for purchase.

Selected Historical data from the Census of Agriculture provides selected farm and operator data tables from 1921 to 2006.

In the winter of 2008, the 2006 **Agriculture Community Profiles**, use the 2006 Census of Agriculture data to provide agricultural statistics for census designated areas (accessible by community name).

The final release in 2008, the **Agriculture–Population linkage**, matches farm operators with the information they provided on the Census of Population long-form questionnaires. This special database allows the farm population to be compared with the general population for characteristics such as marital status, level of schooling, unpaid work and total household income.

Available at http://www.statcan.ca/english/agcensus2006

Custom services

Gain unique insight and a competitive advantage

You can order custom data, formats and products — according to your specifications — from the 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

This service gives you personalized tables using special cross-classifications and/or customized distribution classes. Subject to confidentiality restrictions, you can order them by standard geographic areas or define your own to create unique tables from the Census of Agriculture and Agriculture–Population Linkage Databases as well as the historical databases. Customized data are available for every Census year starting in 1961. Agriculture–Population Linkage Databases were not created for 1961, 1966 and 1976.

Custom mapping

This service lets you present and analyse Census of Agriculture data spatially. Working with the Remote Sensing and Geospatial Analysis team (RSGA), Census of Agriculture User Services can provide custom maps for a fee. For more information on RSGA's products and services, please see page 31.

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., CD-ROM, e-mail).

Prices and delivery depend on the complexity of each request.

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Data products

- Farm Data and Farm Operator Data (95-629-X) All farm and farm operator variables for 2006 and 2001 to the census division (CD) level. For the census consolidated subdivisions (CCS), only the data for 2006 will be published.
 - http://www.statcan.ca/english/freepub/95-629-XIE/95-629-XIE2007000.htm
 - Release date: May 16, 2007

- Selected Historical Data from the Census of Agriculture (95-632-X) Selected historical farm and operator data.
 - http://www.statcan.ca/english/freepub/95-632-XIE/95-632-XIE2007000.htm
 - Release date: December 11, 2007
- 2006 Agriculture Community Profiles (95-631-X) All farm and farm operator variables for 2006 (accessible by individual community name) to the CCS level plus selected Census of Population variables. The selected community and its related CCS, CD, CAR and province are all displayed on maps.
 - Release date: February 5, 2008
- Agriculture–Population Linkage Data (95-633-X) Selected 2006 and historical data on socioeconomic characteristics of farm operators, data on the farm population, and income profiles of census farm families and households.
 - Release date: Fall 2008

Geography products

- 2006 Census Agricultural Regions Boundary File and Reference Guide (92-174-X, 92-174-GWE, 92-174-GIE) A cartographic boundary file that delineates CARs, the sub-provincial geographic areas created for disseminating agriculture statistics.
 - http://www.statcan.ca/english/freepub/92-174-XIE/92-174-XIE2007000.htm
 - Release date: May 16, 2007
- 2006 Agricultural Ecumene Census Division Boundary File and Reference Guide (92-175-X, 92-175-GWE, 92-175-GIE) A cartographic boundary file that delineates areas of significant agricultural activity in Canada as indicated by the 2006 Census of Agriculture. This file is generalized for small-scale mapping.
 - Release date: June 11, 2008

Reference products

- **Reference Maps (95-630-X)** The reference maps provide the geographic boundaries, codes and names for all geographic areas appearing in the data tables for the 2006 Census of Agriculture.
 - http://www.statcan.ca/english/agcensus2006/referencemaps.htm
 - Release date: May 16, 2007

Analytical products

- Canadian Agriculture at a Glance (96-325-X) Short, analytical articles on the agriculture sector accompanied by charts, tables, maps and full-colour photos.
 - http://www.statcan.ca/english/freepub/96-325-XIE/96-325-XIE2007000.htm
 - Release date: Fall 2007 through Spring 2009

Services—custom products

- **Custom products and services** Client-defined data combinations from the Census of Agriculture databases (subject to confidentiality).
 - Release date: Negotiable after release

Farm financial statistics

he 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. Farm prices and a farm product price index are released monthly 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 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

Integrating 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 Canadian Agricultural Income Stabilization and Taxation Data Program¹ (CAIS/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 from 1988 to 2000 and annually starting in 2002.

Custom services

The 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 (21F0005GIE), available free of charge**. Data are available in most required formats (electronic [21C0005]: E-mail in CSV, Excel file, etc.).

Sources:

Canadian Agricultural Income Stabilization and Taxation Data Program¹ (CAIS/TDP)

The Canadian Agricultural Income Stabilization and Taxation Data Program (CAIS/TDP) samples unincorporated and incorporated taxfiler records annually to estimate a range of financial agricultural variables. Detailed operating income and expenses, and off-farm income of operators and farm families compose the variables produced by the CAIS/TDP.

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.

1. As of the 2003 reference year, the Canadian Agricultural Income Stabilization (CAIS) program replaced the Net Income Stabilization Account (NISA).

Farm Financial Survey (FFS)

Estimates from an annual 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) (21F0001XBB)

ESAS is an interactive, easy-to-query database available to users on the STC website. 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 database offers detailed 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.

By telephone: 1-800-465-1991
By email: agriculture@statcan.ca
Release date: Spring 2008

Available free on the Internet

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.

By telephone: 1-800-465-1991
By email: agriculture@statcan.ca
Available free on the Internet

Statistics on Income of Farm Operators (21-206-X)

This publication provides information on sources and levels of farm and off-farm income for operators by province, type of farm (based on the North American Industry Classification System) and revenue class. Distributional tables on income of operators are also presented. This publication also includes data highlights and information on concepts, methods and data quality. A relevant article on the story emanating from the data is also featured.

Data from Canada Revenue Agency's income tax returns of farmers operating unincorporated and incorporated farms provide the statistical basis for this publication.

• Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca

Release date: Fall 2008

• Available free on the Internet

Statistics on Income of Farm Families (21-207-X)

This publication provides information on sources and levels of farm and off-farm income for farm families by province, type of farm (based on the North American Industry Classification System) and farm typology (based on age of operator, dependence on farm revenues and income level). Distributional tables on income of farm families are also presented. This publication also includes data highlights and information on concepts, methods and data quality. A relevant article on the story emanating from the data is also featured.

Data from Canada Revenue Agency's income tax returns of farm families operating a single unincorporated farm provide the statistical basis for this publication.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: Winter 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Statistics on Revenues and Expenses of Farms (21-208-X)

This publication provides detailed financial information on farm-level revenues, expenses and net operating income by province, type of farm (based on the North American Industry Classification System) and revenue class. Information on the degree of specialization for selected farm types and financial performance indicators of farms by province, type of farm and revenue class are also presented. This publication also includes data highlights and information on concepts, methods and data quality. A relevant article on the story emanating from the data is also featured.

Data from Canada Revenue Agency's income tax returns of unincorporated and incorporated farms provide the statistical basis for this publication.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: Summer 2008 for reference year 2006 (final estimates); December 2008 for reference year 2007 (preliminary estimates)
- Available free on the Internet

Farm Financial Survey (FFS) (21F0008XIE)

This electronic publication 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 for reference year 2006 it also contains historical data.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: December 21 2007 for reference year 2006; December 2008 for reference year 2007
- 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.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Available free on the Internet

Farm Product Price Index (21-007-X)

This monthly publication presents indexes of the average price received by farmers from the sale of agricultural products. 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 provided at the Canada level. This publication also presents data highlights and information on concepts and methods, and data quality.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: January 8, January 23, March 5, March 31, April 22, June 3, June 23, July 23, September 3, September 24, October 22, December 3, 2008 and January 5, January 21, March 4, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Agriculture economic statistics electronic publications:

Net Farm Income-Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-010-X)

This publication contains annual data from 1926 to date for net farm income for Canada and the provinces. Data highlights and concepts and methods are also included. In May, annual measures for the previous two calendar years are subject to revision. In November, estimates for the previous three years may be revised. Every five years a historical revision is done based on the results of the Census of Agriculture.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: May 26 and November 24, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Farm Cash Receipts-Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-011-X)

This publication contains annual data from 1926 to date for farm cash receipts for Canada and the provinces. Data highlights and concepts and methods are also included. In May, annual measures for the previous two calendar years are subject to revision. In November, estimates for the previous three years may be revised. Every five years a historical revision is done based on the results of the Census of Agriculture.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: February 25, May 26, August 25 and November 24, 2008; February 23, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Farm Operating Expenses and Depreciation Charges-Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-012-X)

This publication contains annual data from 1926 to date for farm operating expenses and depreciation charges for Canada and the provinces. Data highlights and concepts and methods are also included. In May, annual measures for the previous two calendar years are subject to revision. In November, estimates for the previous three years may be revised. Every five years a historical revision is done based on the results of the Census of Agriculture.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: May 26 and November 24, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Value of Farm Capital–Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-013-X)

This publication contains annual data from 1926 to date for the value of farm capital, annual data from 1921 to date for the value per acre of farm land and buildings, and annual data from 1986 to date for the value per head of livestock and poultry, at July 1, for Canada and the provinces. Data highlights and concepts and methods are also included. In May, annual measures for the previous two calendar years are subject to revision. In November, estimates for the previous three years may be revised. Every five years a historical revision is done based on the results of the Census of Agriculture.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: May 26 and November 24, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Farm Debt Outstanding-Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-014-X)

This publication contains annual data from 1971 to date for farm debt outstanding for Canada and the provinces. Data highlights and concepts and methods are also included. In May, annual measures for the previous two calendar years are subject to revision. In November, estimates for the previous three years may be revised.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: May 26 and November 24, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Direct Payments to Agriculture Producers-Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-015-XIE)

This publication contains annual data from 1971 to date for direct payments to producers for Canada and the provinces. Data highlights, explanatory notes on direct payments to producers and concepts and methods are also included. In May, annual measures for the previous two calendar years are subject to revision. In November, estimates for the previous three years may be revised.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: February 25, May 26, August 25 and November 24, 2008; February 23, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Balance Sheet of the Agricultural Sector-Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-016-X)

This publication contains annual data from 1981 to date for the balance sheet of the agricultural sector, at December 31, for Canada and the provinces. Data highlights and concepts and methods are also included. In June, annual measures for the previous two calendar years are subject to revision. In January, estimates for the previous three years may be revised. Every five years a historical revision is done based on the results of the Census of Agriculture.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: June 17, 2008 and January 14, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Agriculture Value Added Account-Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-017-X)

This publication contains annual data from 1981 to date for the value added account for Canada and the provinces. Data highlights and concepts and methods are also included. In June, annual measures for the previous two calendar years are subject to revision. In January, estimates for the previous three years may be revised. Every five years a historical revision is done based on the results of the Census of Agriculture.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: June 17, 2008 and January 14, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Farm Business Cash Flows-Agriculture Economic Statistics (21-018-X)

This publication contains annual data from 1981 to date for the cash flow statement for Canada and the provinces. Data highlights and concepts and methods are also included. In June, annual measures for the previous two calendar years are subject to revision. In January, estimates for the previous three years may be revised. Every five years a historical revision is done based on the results of the Census of Agriculture.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: June 17, 2008 and January 14, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Farm product prices

The Farm Income and Prices Section provides monthly farm product prices on a custom request basis. A wide range of crop and livestock prices by province are available. In addition, a wide range of crop and livestock prices are available in a CANSIM table, some series going back to the 1980s. The CANSIM table number is 2-0043.

Data are available by paper, fax, e-mail, CD-ROM, etc.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: January 7, February 6, March 5, April 7, May 7, June 9, July 8, August 6, September 9, October 7, November 5, December 8, 2008 and January 7, 2009

Crops statistics

he 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, mushrooms 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-XIE)

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.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: Report No. 1, February 5; Report No. 2, April 21; Report No. 3, May 7; Report No. 4, June 24; Report No. 5, August 22; Report No. 6, September 10; Report No. 7, October 2; and Report No. 8. December 4, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

•Report No. 1, February 5: Stocks of Canadian Grain at December 31, 2007

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: dry peas, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed, canary seed and chick peas.

•Report No. 2, April 21: March Intentions of Principal Field Crop Areas, Canada, 2008

The planting intentions of producers for Canadian field crops area at both the national and provincial level. (Wheat, oats, barley, rye, mixed grains, flaxseed, canola, corn, dry peas, soybeans, beans, lentils, mustard seed and sunflower seed, canary seed and other special crops.)

•Report No. 3, May 7: Stocks of Canadian Grain at March 31, 2008

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: dry peas, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed, canary seed and chick peas.

•Report No. 4, June 24: 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 and other special crops.)

•Report No. 5, August 22: July 31 Estimate of Production of Principal Field Crops, Canada

The preharvest estimate of area, yield and production for Canadian field crops at both the national and provincial level. (Wheat, oats, barley, rye, mixed grains, flaxseed, canola, corn, soybeans, and the major special crops: dry peas, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed and canary seed and other special crops).

- •Report No. 6, September 10: Stocks of Canadian Grain at July 31, 2008
 - 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: dry peas, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed, canary seed and chick peas.
- •Report No. 7, October 2: September Estimate of Production of Principal Field Crops, Canada, 2008

 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, canola, corn, soybeans, and the major special crops: dry peas, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed and canary seed and other special crops).
- •Report No. 8, December 4: November Estimate of Production of Principal Field Crops, Canada, 2008

 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, soybeans, and the major special crops: dry peas, beans, lentils, mustard seed, sunflower seed, hay and other special crops.)

 Fall seeded area estimates of winter wheat and fall rye are also available.

Crops Small Area Data (22C0005)

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 2007 are included along with five specialty crops from 1987 to 2007. 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.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: February 15, 2008
- Price: \$225
- Available electronically in Excel or CSV formats by e-mail

Historical Information for Grains and Oilseeds (22C0002)

A historical table of the last twelve years of area, yield and production data for all major and specialty crops reported in the Crop Reporting Series. Table has both metric and imperial values and the Excel version is in data base format.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: Updated at all Crop Reporting Series release dates
- Price: \$100 per request
- Available electronically in PDF, Excel or csv formats by 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. Annual supplements contain price summary, grain processing, and storage and movement data, as well as a description of the concepts, methods and sources. Each issue is an up-to-date source of information for grain analysts, traders, agri-business and the farm community.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: January 24, February 28, March 25, April 24, May 27, June 24, July 25, August 26, September 25, October 28, November 26, December 19, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

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 fruit and vegetables are published. For the mushroom growing industry, estimates of area, production, sales, investments and labour costs and employment are available once yearly. 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 April. The second will appear in February and include area, production, and value data for the crop year.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: February 8 and June 6, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

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.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: April 18, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Statistical Bulletin: Canadian Potato Production (22-008-X)

The three bulletins in this series are released in July, November and January as additional information on the potato crop becomes available. The bulletins contain information at the provincial and national level as to area planted and harvested, average yield, total production, total amount sold, consumed, seeded or fed to livestock, farm price and value.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: July 18, November 21, 2008 and January 19, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

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

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.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: November 21, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

E-mail/fax services

Canola Crush E-mail (22F0001XFB)

A monthly e-mail service of data published monthly in the Cereals and Oilseeds Review (22-007-XIB) providing total canola crushings and oil and meal production. The service is available by an annual subscription.

• Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca

• Annual Subscription: \$50

Supply and Disposition of Major Grains in Canada E-mail (22F0002XFB)

An e-mail 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. For corn and soybeans the periods are September to December, September to March and September to August. Data include production, farm and commercial stocks, imports, exports, human food and industrial use and animal feeding. Five years of data are provided. Less detailed data are published monthly in the Cereals and Oilseeds Review (22-007-XIB).

• Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca

• Annual Subscription: \$200

Livestock and animal products statistics

Data products

Hog Statistics (23-010-XIE)

This publication contains data on the hog industry: inventory on farms, supply and disposition, farm production and prices.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: February 14, April 24, August 19, October 28, 2008 and February 17, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Sheep Statistics (23-011-XIE)

This publication contains data on the sheep industry: inventory on farms, supply-disposition, farm production and prices.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: February 14, August 19, 2008 and February 17, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Cattle Statistics (23-012-X)

This publication contains data on the cattle industry: inventory on farms, supply and disposition, farm production, inventory by farm type and prices.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: February 14, August 19, 2008 and February 17, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Dairy Statistics (23-014-X)

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.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: February 15, May 15, August 15, November 14, 2008 and February 13, 2009
- Available free on the Internet

Poultry and Egg Statistics (23-015- X)

This publication provides provincial and national level data on the production, disposition and value of chicken, turkeys and eggs. Data are also available on the average price of eggs sold for table consumption, the per capita disappearance of poultry meat and eggs, the production of processed eggs and the stocks of frozen and dried eggs.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: March 5, May 28, August 29 and November 28, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meats (23-009-X)

This quarterly bulletin provides detailed data on the stocks of frozen beef, pork, veal, mutton, lamb and fancy meats in Canada, by region, for domestic and imported supplies.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release dates: January 31, April 25, July 31 and October 30, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Alternative Livestock on Canadian Farms (23-502-XIE)

This publication highlights twelve species of livestock found on Canadian farms that are not reported as part of the Livestock and Animal Products Section's ongoing program. Using information from the five Censuses of Agriculture from 1981 to 2006, it gives the number of animals reported, the number of farms they are reported on, the average number per farm and the percentage change from one census period to the next, by province.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: January 7, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Fur Statistics (23-013-X)

This publication contains data on the fur industry: fur inventories and values by type, supply-disposition, as well as import and export data.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: October 9, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Aquaculture Statistics (23-222-X)

This series estimates the sources of economic output, records product inputs, derives gross value added and displays selected primary inputs. Complimenting the value added are production and value estimates by species and province, as well as export data.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: October 30, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Livestock Feed Requirements Study (23-501-XIE)

This study, done in consultation with provincial livestock specialists, estimates the per animal and total provincial livestock feed requirements for grain, pasture, and harvested roughages by various species.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Last release date: January 2003
- Available free on the Internet

Food statistics

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Canada Food Stats (23F0001XCB) CD-ROM (23F0001XBB) Downloadable product

Canada Food Stats is an easy-to-use application that is available on a CD-ROM or as a database that can be downloaded directly to your desktop. The product provides access to a broad spectrum of food statistics and indicators. It contains information on food available for consumption and food prices, nutrition, supply and demand, as well as data on the food industry, processing, employment, productivity, trade and much more. The product provides users with easy access to large volumes of data, access to pre-defined tables or the ability to query the database and create unique tabulations.

This product, developed by Statistics Canada's Agriculture Division in co-operation with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, contains 67 formatted tables with more than 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.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: June 25, 2008
- Available on CD-ROM (per Issue: \$81) or downloadable product (free)
- Summary data available on the Internet for free in **Food Statistics** (21-020-X)

Food Statistics (21-020-X)

This publication contains information on food available for consumption, food prices and nutrition, as well as data on the food industry, processing, employment, productivity and trade.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Release date: May 28, 2008
- Available free on the Internet

Please note the following publications have been discontinued by the Livestock Section:

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 byproducts, 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. The last issue contains data from 1988 to 2002.

- Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca
- Last release date: June 12, 2003
- Available free on the Internet
- Status: Discontinued

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. The last issue contains data from 1988 to 2002.

• Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca

Last release date: October 31, 2002Available free on the Internet

Status: Discontinued

Livestock Statistics (23-603-XIE)

The last release contains data from 1976 to 2002 for major livestock series: cattle and calves, hogs, sheep, lambs and wool, furs, trade and prices, stocks of frozen meats and apparent per capita meat consumption. Notes on the concepts, methods and data highlights are also included.

Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca

Last release date: March 5, 2003Available free on the Internet

Status: Discontinued

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. The last issue contains data from December 2004.

• Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca

• Last release date: February 8, 2005

• Available free on the Internet

Status: Discontinued

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.

Contact: telephone 1-800-465-1991 or email: agriculture@statcan.ca

Last release date: August 29, 2006

• Available free on the Internet

Status: Discontinued

Remote Sensing and Geospatial Analysis (RSGA)

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

- Crop Condition Assessment Program (CCAP) (22-205-XIE). 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 all of Canada based on the low-resolution digital satellite data. This 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. Available on the Internet for free at: http://www26.statcan.ca/ccap.
- Customized Mapping Applications: Canadian Agriculture at a Glance. RSGA 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 RSGA to clients on a routine basis.
- Cartographic Boundary File: Agricultural Ecumene of Canada, 2006. This cartographic boundary file delineates areas of significant agricultural activity in Canada based on the 2006 Census of Agriculture data. An agricultural ecumene is used for displaying agricultural data and limits data presentation to recognized areas of agricultural significance. The 2006 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. 14).

These products are available in:

ARC/INFO® Export; Coordinates: Lambert, Lat./Long.

Medium: 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:

ARC/INFO® Export; Coordinates: Lambert, Lat./Long.

Medium: CD-ROM

Research and development

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

- development of Canadian national land-cover/land-use change statistics and maps using geomatics technologies
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- Facilitate short paper research initiatives to enhance public knowledge on topical issues; and
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The following publications are the vehicles used to communicate the analytical work of the Agriculture Division.

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 newsletter for users of agriculture statistics. Each issue contains an article highlighting statistical insights on themes relating to agriculture, food and rural issues.

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Electronic products

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The **World Trade Analyzer** CD-ROM illustrates international merchandise trade flows between member countries of the United Nations. Using adjusted UN source data, the **World Trade Analyzer** provides data for more than 180 trading partners and 800 commodities at the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC) (Rev. 2) 4-digit level. Discover a world of trade information covering almost two decades.

Features:

- Track commodity imports and exports, determine market potential, and identify trends
- Plot queries, or export to another application
- Highlight the top importing and exporting nations, and traded goods
- View the data in 14 different currencies
- Graph results

Publications

The data from the Canadian International Merchandise Trade database are used to produce timely, comprehensive and relevant trade information available in off the shelf, easy-to-read publications.

65-208 International merchandise trade annual revie 65-209 Canadian Export Classification	
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65-506 A Profile of Canadian Exporters	
65-507 Canadian trade review	
65-508 Canadian Trade Highlights	

All Statistics Canada electronic publications are available free of charge at www.statcan.ca. To order a print copy, please contact us at 1 800 294-5583 or by email at trade@statcan.ca.

For further information regarding Canada's international merchandise trade data, please contact the Marketing and Client Services Section, International Trade Division, Statistics Canada at:

Telephone: 613-951-9647 Toll free 1-800-294-5583 Fax: 613-951-0117 Toll free 1-800-664-0055 E-mail: trade@statcan.ca

Products and services related to agriculture

Geography products and services¹

The Geography Division maintains a spatially referenced geographic database in support of the Censuses of Population and Agriculture, the Standard Geographical Classification and other Statistics Canada programs. The Division also develops geographical concepts, delineates geographic areas, publishes maps and other reference materials, posts on-line products through the Statistics Canada website (www.statcan.ca), produces files on CD-ROM and offers a variety of services.

Geography products for the 2006 Census reflect changes to geography concepts, as well as more precise geometry, and more detailed cartographic features (such as water, roads and road names).

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 fee as CD-ROMs and print publications.

- The Geography Catalogue, 2006 Census (92-196-XIE, XWE) describes the geography products and services available from Statistics Canada for the 2006 Census. It provides highlights of what's new about geographic products for the census, as well as illustrations of several products. It includes a glossary of geography terms, the geography hierarchy diagram and a table showing the number of geographic units by province and territory for the census.
- 1. The majority of our products are available for free on the Internet (www.statcan.ca).

- GeoSearch (92-197-XWE) is an interactive mapping application that makes it easy to view and map many places in Canada, and obtain basic geographic and demographic data for those places. New functionality for 2006 includes linking to 2006 Census Reference Maps and Community Profiles, and a thematic mapping option for selected census topics.
- **Illustrated Glossary** (92-195-XWE) The Geography website gives access to an illustrated glossary that presents geography concepts, products and services, as well as links to online tutorials and detailed definitions.
- Geography Definitions (2006 Census Dictionary) The Geography section of the 2006 Census Dictionary (92-566-XWE, XPE) presents an overview of what's new for 2006 along with definitions for geographic concepts, products and other terms. Also included is a detailed description of each term, any delineation rules, special notes, data quality information or applications relevant to the term, as well as some historical information and subject index.
- Reference guides Most Geography products come with free reference guides that describe the content and applications of the product, as well as data quality, record layouts, and other information. Reference guides are included as PDF files with the products when they are distributed. The guides are also accessible on-line in HTML format.
- **Reference maps** Reference maps show the location of the geographic areas for which census data are tabulated and disseminated. The maps display the boundaries, names and codes of standard geographic areas, as well as major cultural and physical features, such as roads, railroads, coastlines, rivers and lakes.
- The complete set of all reference maps for 2006 is available as PDF files on DVD-ROM for \$275 (92-172-XVB).
- National reference maps (covering all of Canada) are available. There are four maps in the series showing the location of the following geographic areas: Census Metropolitan Areas and Census Agglomerations (92-140-XIB), Census Divisions (92-141-XIB), Economic Regions and Census Divisions (92-142-XIB) and the Statistical Area Classification (92-143-XIB).
- Census Division and Census Subdivision Reference Maps (12-572-XWE, XPB) cover all of Canada, by province and territory.
- Census Tract Reference Maps, by Census Metropolitan Areas or Census Agglomerations (92-146-UIB) cover all 33 census metropolitan areas (CMAs) and the 15 census agglomerations (CAs) with census tracts.
- Dissemination Areas Reference Maps, by Census Tracts, for Census Metropolitan Areas and Census Agglomerations (92-147-XIB) cover all 33 census metropolitan areas (CMAs) and the 15 census agglomerations (CAs) that are part of the census tract program.
- **Dissemination Area Reference Maps, by Non-tracted Census Agglomerations** (92-148-UIB) cover the smaller census agglomerations that are not part of the census tract program.
- Dissemination Area Reference Maps, by Census Subdivisions, for areas outside Census Metropolitan Areas and Census Agglomerations (92-145-UIB) cover areas outside census metropolitan areas (CMAs) and census agglomerations (CAs). Each map in the set covers one census subdivision (CSD) and shows the boundaries and codes of dissemination areas, designated places and their names as well as urban and rural areas within that CSD.

- **Thematic maps** (92-173-XIE) show the spatial distribution of one or more specific data themes for standard geographic areas.
- Geography Working Paper Series (92F0138MWE, MIE, MPE) The Geography Working Paper Series is intended to stimulate discussion on a variety of topics covering conceptual, methodological or technical work to support the development and dissemination of the Geography Division's data, products and services.
- Interim List of Changes to Municipal Boundaries, Status and Names (92F0009XIB, XWE) is a report that provides a summary of changes to municipal boundaries, status and names. The list is produced on an annual basis for changes that occurred during the previous year.
- Standard Geographical Classification (SGC) is a system of names and codes representing areas of Canada. It consists of a three-tiered hierarchy province or territory, census division and census subdivision.
 - Volume I The Classification (12-571-XWE, XIE) is designed as a reference and coding manual.
 - **Volume II Reference Maps** (12-571-XWE, XPB) shows the boundaries, names and Standard Geographical Classification codes of all census divisions and census subdivisions in Canada, in effect on January 1, 2006.

Geographic data products

Population and dwelling counts from the 2006 Census are available free on the Internet or in print publications. The levels of geography covered are Canada, provinces and territories, and other geographic areas including census subdivisions (municipalities), census metropolitan areas and census agglomerations. Look for the **Population and Dwelling Count Highlight Tables** – 97-550-XWE2006002 and **A National Overview** – 92-200-XPB

GeoSuite 2006 (92-150-XCB, XBB) is a geographic reference tool for data retrieval, query and tabular output with software and data (2006 Census population and dwelling counts) on a CD-ROM. GeoSuite includes a dissemination area (DA) reference map listing that facilitates identification of appropriate DA reference maps. The GeoSuite CD-ROM includes the 2006 Dissemination Area to 2001 Dissemination Area and 2006 Dissemination Block to 2001 Block correspondence lists as separate flat ASCII files.

Geographic Attribute File (92-151-XCB, XBB) is an ASCII file which assigns each dissemination block (the basic geographical unit of census data dissemination) the codes and names of all higher geographic levels.

Correspondence Files (92-156-XBB) - allows comparison between the 2006 and the 2001 geographic areas.

Spatial information products

Spatial information provides the shape and location of geographic features. The boundaries, road network and other features of standard geographic areas are available in digital form for mapping and geographic information system (GIS) applications. These products include Digital Boundary Files (DBFs), Cartographic Boundary Files (CBFs) and Road Network Files (RNFs).

• **Boundary Files** (92-160-XWE) portray the geographic limits used for census dissemination and are available for provinces and territories, census divisions, economic regions, census metropolitan areas and census agglomerations, census consolidated subdivisions, and census subdivisions.

- **Dissemination Block Boundary Files** (92-163-XWE, XCE) portray the dissemination block boundaries for which 2006 Census data are disseminated.
- **Dissemination Area Boundary Files** (92-169-XWE, XCE) portray the dissemination area boundaries for which 2006 Census data are disseminated.
- Census Tract Boundary Files (92-168-XWE, XCE) portray the census tract boundaries for which 2006 Census data are disseminated.
- Federal Electoral District Boundary Files (2003 Representation Order) (92-171-XWE, XCE) portray the federal electoral district boundaries for which 2006 Census data are disseminated.
- **Urban Area Boundary Files** (92-164-XWE, XCE) portray the urban area boundaries for which 2006 Census data are disseminated.
- **Designated Places Boundary Files** (92-165-XWE, XCE) portray the designated places boundaries for which 2006 Census data are disseminated.
- Census Forward Sortation Area Boundary File (92-170-XWE, XCE) is available as a standard package for Canada. They depict forward sortation area boundaries used for 2006 Census dissemination, which are derived from postal codes captured from the 2006 Census questionnaires.
- **Population Ecumene Census Division Cartographic Boundary File** (92-159-XWE) contains a generalised population ecumene based on 2006 Census population density data with at least one ecumene polygon for every census division.
- **Road Network File (RNF)** (92-500-XWE) is a digital representation of Canada's national road network, containing information such as street name, type, direction and address ranges. The information comes from the National Geographic Database (NGD).
- Road Network and Geographic Attribute File (92-155-XWE, XCE) is a digital representation of Canada's national road network, containing information such as street name, type, direction, address range and road rank. Address ranges are largely dwelling-based and occur mainly in urban centres of Canada.

Attribute information products

Attribute information products include the **Postal Code Conversion File** and the **Postal Codes by Federal Ridings File**. For the 2006 Census, both of these products were released on October 19, 2007.

- The **Postal Code Conversion File** (PCCF) (92-153-XCB2007002) provides a link between six-character postal code and standard 2006 Census geographic areas (such as dissemination areas, census subdivisions and census tracts).
- The **Postal Code Conversion File Update** (PCCF) (92-153-UCB) is updated with new postal codes on a semi-annual basis and is available in January and July.
- The **Postal Codes by Federal Ridings File** (PCFRF) (92F0193XCB2004001) provides a link between the six-character postal codes and the federal electoral districts (2003 Representation Order).

• The **Postal Codes by Federal Ridings File** – **Update** (PCFRF) (92F0193UCB2007001) is updated with new postal codes on a semi-annual basis and is available in January and July. (The next version of the PCFRF will be released on January 30, 2008, catalogue no. 92F0193UCB2008001.)

Geographic services

Statistics Canada provides a variety of services, including custom mapping, custom data extraction (geocoding) and the development of custom geography products.

For further information concerning these and other Geography products and services, contact us by calling the National inquiries line at 1-800-263-1136. You can also contact us by e-mailing infostats@statcan.ca or visiting our website at www.statcan.ca.

Prices Division

Mandate

Prices Division is responsible for producing price indexes covering a wide range of transactions in the economy, from consumer price indexes to industrial product price indexes, capital expenditures price indexes, services producer price indexes and farm input price indexes.

Price indexes are used in different ways by large groups of users, notably to deflate the National Accounts output, analyse the various economic variables (such as output and income) in real terms, productivity estimates and track inflation. They are also used to index and adjust contracts and government transfer payments to other governments and individuals. These indexes provide an accurate assessment of various industry activities, giving a precise picture of industry developments and trends.

In addition to time indexes, the Division produces some spatial comparisons at the national level and relative to OECD countries under the purchasing power parities program. In addition, the Division manages a program of spatial indexes with a very different purpose: to adjust the salaries of public servants working in isolated and foreign posts.

Regular production of price index statistics over a year includes:

- Ninety-seven releases in The Daily, three regular catalogue publications, analytical reports and many special requests; and
- A statistical information service that meets customer requirements by producing electronic tables and custom tabulations.

Input-Output Model Simulations for primary agriculture

The AAFC (Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada) input-output (I-O) models are used to simulate the economic impact on the business sector of an expenditure on a given basket of goods and services or the output of one or several industries.

The distinctive features of these models are that the shocks are more detailed in terms of agriculture activities. The following agriculture activities are added to the standard model: wheat, feed grain, oilseed, potatoes, fruits and vegetables, other crops, dairy, cattle, hogs, poultry, eggs and other livestock.

The simulation results from a "shock" to the AAFC I-O models will show the direct and indirect impacts, which industries benefit the most, the number of jobs created, estimates of indirect taxes and subsidies generated, etc.

A price of \$856.00 will be charged for a simulation. The model is based on 2003 input-output data.

15F0004XDB National Model 15F0009XDB Interprovincial Model

To purchase any of these products or for further information please contact Client Services, Industry Accounts Division at our toll-free number 1-800-877-4623 or by email at iad-info-dci@statcan.ca.

Ordering information

Publications

All electronic publications (HTML and PDF) are free as of April 24, 2006.

Ordering by phone, fax or e-mail is easy. See below for payment information.

By phone: In Canada and the US,

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By fax: 1-877-287-4369

By e-mail: infostats@statcan.ca

Note: Phone and fax orders will be treated as originals. Please do not send written confirmation.

Publications are also available through authorized agents, bookstores and selected libraries.

Fax services

To subscribe to any of the fax services, send a fax to Agriculture Division 613-951-3868 or call toll-free 1-800-465-1991.

Payment Information:

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2006 Census of Agriculture data and analytical products price list

Catalogue number	Title	Reference page	Issue frequency	Price CAN\$	
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92-174-X	2006 Census Agricultural Regions Boundary File and Reference Guide	15	5 years	free	
92-174-GWE	2006 Census Agricultural Regions Boundary File and Reference Guide	15	5 years	free	
92-174-GIE	2006 Census Agricultural Regions Boundary File and Reference Guide	15	5 years	free	
92-175-X	2006 Agricultural Ecumene Census Division Boundary File and Reference Guide	15	5 years	free	
92-175-GWE	2006 Agricultural Ecumene Census Division Boundary File and Reference Guide	15	5 years	free	
92-175-GIE	2006 Agricultural Ecumene Census Division Boundary File and Reference Guide	15	5 years	free	
95-629-X	Farm Data and Farm Operator Data	14	5 years	free	
95-630-X	Reference Maps	15	5 years	free	
95-631-X	2006 Agricultural Community Profiles	15	5 years	free	
95-632-X	Selected Historical Data from the Census of Agriculture	15	5 years	free	
95-633-X	Agriculture–Population Linkage Data	15	5 years	free	
96-325-X	Canadian Agriculture at a Glance	15	5 years	free	

Data products price list

Catalogue	Title Refer		Issue	Price	
number		page	frequency	CAN\$	
21-004-XIE	VISTA on the Agri-Food Industry and the Farm Community	33	Occasional	free	
21-006-X	Rural and Small Town Canada Analysis Bulletin	34	Occasional	free	
21-007-X	Farm Product Price Index	20	Monthly	free	
21-010-X	Net Farm Income–Agriculture Economic Statistics	20	Semi-annual	free	
21-011-X	Farm Cash Receipts–Agriculture Economic Statistics	20	Semi-annual	free	
21-012-X	Farm Operating Expenses and Depreciation Charges–Agriculture Economic Statistics	20	Semi-annual	free	
21-013-X	Value of Farm Capital–Agriculture Economic Statistics	21	Semi-annual	free	
21-014-X	Farm Debt Outstanding-Agriculture Economic Statistics	21	Semi-annual	free	
21-015-XIE	Direct Payments to Agriculture Producers–Agriculture Economic Statistics	21	Semi-annual	free	
21-016-X	Balance Sheet of the Agricultural Sector–Agriculture Economic Statistics	21	Semi-annual	free	
21-017-X	Agriculture Value Added Account–Agriculture Economic Statistics	22	Semi-annual	free	
21-018-X	Farm Business Cash Flows-Agriculture Economic Statistics	22	Semi-annual	free	
21-020-X	Food Statistics	29	Annual	free	
21-206-X	Statistics on Income of Farm Operators	18	Annual	free	
21-207-X	Statistics on Income of Farm Families	19	Annual	free	
21-208-X	Statistics on Revenues and Expenses of Farms	19	Annual	free	
21-525-XIE	Understanding Measurements of Farm Income	19	Occasional	free	
21-601-M	Agriculture and Rural Working Paper Series	37	Irregular	free	
21F0005GIE	Whole Farm Data Base Reference Manual	18	Annual	free	
21F0001XCB	Extraction System of Agricultural Statistics (ESAS) (initial subscription)	18	Annual	250	
21F0008XIE	Farm Financial Survey	19	Annual	free	

Data products price list (concluded)

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22-002-XIE	Field Crop Reporting Series	23	Irregular	free	
22-003-XIB	Fruit and Vegetable Production	25	Semi-annual	free	
22-007-XIB	Cereals and Oilseeds Review	24	Monthly	free	
22-008-X	Statistical Bulletin: Canadian Potato Production	25	Triannual	free	
22-202-XIB	Greenhouse, Sod and Nursery Industries	25	Annual	free	
22-205-XIE	Crop Condition Assessment Program	31	Ongoing	free	
22C0002	Historical Information for Grains and Oilseeds	24	Irregular	100	
22C0005	Crops Small Area Data	24	Annual	225	
22F0001XFB	Canola Crush E-mail (annual subscription)	26	Monthly	50	
22F0002XFB	Supply and Disposition of Major Grains E-Mail Services (annual subscription)	26	Irregular	200	
23-009-X	Stocks of Frozen and Chilled Meats	28	Quarterly	free	
23-010-XIE	Hog Statistics	27	Quarterly	free	
23-011-XIE	Sheep Statistics	27	Semi-annual	free	
23-012-X	Cattle Statistics	27	Semi-annual	free	
23-013-X	Fur Statistics	28	Annual	free	
23-014-X	Dairy Statistics	27	Quarterly	free	
23-015- X	Poultry and Egg Statistics	27	Quarterly	free	
23-221-X	Production and Value of Honey and Maple Products	25	Annual	free	
23-222-X	Aquaculture Statistics	28	Annual	free	
23-501-XIE	Livestock Feed Requirements Study	28	Occasional	free	
23-502-XIE	Alternative Livestock on Canadian Farms	28	Occasional	free	
23F0001XCB	Canada Food Stats	29	Annual	81	
23F0001XBB	Canada Food Stats	29	Annual	free	
(95-631-X)	2006 Agriculture Community Profiles	42	Occasional	free	

Catalogue number extensions (e.g., 21-004-XIE) indicate a product's format and language.

	HTML/ PDF	PDF only	Paper	CD	Email/fax	Data Base	Custom retrievals
English	-	XIE	XPE	XCE	XFE	XBE	-
French	-	XIF	XPF	XCF	XFF	XBF	-
Bilingual	X	XIB	XPB	XCB	XFB	XBB	С

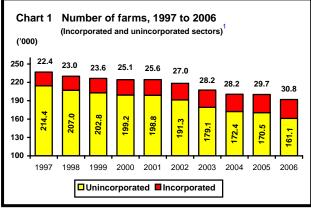
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	U.S.	Other countries			
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Quarterly	\$24	\$40			
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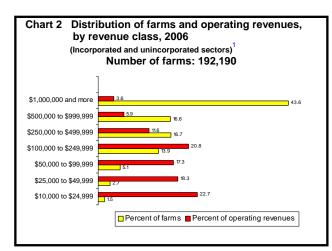
Agricultural quick facts—Canada

from the Whole Farm Data Base*





1. Excluding communal organizations. Source: WFDB, CAIS/TDP



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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 Canadian Agricultural Income Stabilization and Taxation Data Program (CAIS/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 CAIS/TDP.

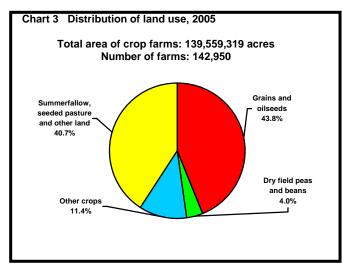
Table 1 Total operating revenues, by revenue class, 2006 Incorporated and unincorporated sectors ¹							
Number	Total operating	Average					
of	revenues	per farm					
farms	(\$'000)	(\$)					
All farms							
192,190 ^A	46,688,370 ^A	223,861 ^A					
1,000,000 and over							
6,855 ^A	20,335,156 ^A	2,966,471 ^A					
\$500,000 and more							
11,255 ^A	$7,744,509^{A}$	688,095 ^A					
\$250,000 to \$499,999							
22,255 ^A	7,793,431 ^A	350,188 ^A					
\$100,000 to \$249,999							
39,880 ^A	6,467,042 ^A	162,163 ^A					
\$50,000 to \$99,999							
33,230 ^A	2,375,573 ^A	71,489 ^A					
\$25,000 to \$49,999							
$35,105^{A}$	1,256,851 ^A	35,803 ^A					
\$10,000 to \$24,999							
43,610 ^A	720,350 ^A	16,518 ^A					
 Including communal organ Source: WFDB, CAIS/TDP 	Including communal organizations.						

Table 2 Off-farm	income and net on	erating income of o	nerators, by farm
	ncorporated sector,		perators, by rurin
Number	Off-farm	Number	Net operating
of	income ¹	of	income (loss)
operators	(\$'000)	farms	(\$'000)
All farms			
211,425 ^A	6,341,439 ^A	165,090 ^A	2,759,559
Oilseed and grain fa			
72,460 ^A	2,282,485 ^A	$60,005^{A}$	1,012,361
Potato farming	-		
850 ^C	17,597 ^D	645 ^C	30,718
	ccept potato) and me	lon farming	
$2,750^{B}$	62,606 ^C	$1,940^{B}$	34,621
Fruit and tree nut fa			
5,450 ^A	186,789 ^B	3,615 ^A	46,926
Greenhouse, nurser	y and floriculture pr		
3,215 ^B	$75,867^{B}$	$2,275^{B}$	50,292
Other crop farming		12.7254	141.655
17,775 ^A	548,423 ^A	13,725 ^A	141,655
	g and farming, include		5.45.005
71,640 ^A	2,254,530 ^A	58,050 ^A	545,897
Dairy cattle and mi		0.2054	602 771
15,925 ^A	107,040 ^A	9,295 ^A	693,771
Hog and pig farmin		2 025B	100.701
4,335 ^A	67,101 ^C	$2,935^{B}$	108,791
Poultry and egg pro		2 1 40B	110.056
3,215 ^A	68,394 ^B	$2,140^{B}$	110,856
Other animal produ	iction	10.465Å	16.010
13,810 ^A 1. Excluding taxable	670,837 ^B	10,465 ^A	16,010
Source: WFDB, CAIS			

Each estimate released through the WFDB is assigned a coefficient of variation (C.V.) to measure its quality. The following rating system is suggested:

Letter	Coefficient variation	Rating
A	0.00% to 4.99%	excellent
В	5.00% to 9.99%	very good
С	10.00% to 14.99%	good
D	15.00% to 24.99%	acceptable
Е	25.00% to 34.99%	use with caution
F	>=35.00%	too unreliable to be published

Table 3 Off-farm income and net operating income of farm families, by farm type, unincorporated sector, 2005											
Number	Off-farm	Number	Net operating								
of	income ¹	of	income (loss)								
families	(\$'000)	farms	(\$'000)								
All farms											
130,090 ^A	8,477,775 ^A	128,160 ^A	2,254,704								
Oilseed and grain	farming										
$44,060^{A}$	2,996,134 ^A	44,370 ^A	757,359								
Potato farming											
630 ^C	$37,174^{D}$	570 ^C	27,223								
Other vegetable (e	xcept potato) and m	nelon farming									
1,790 ^B	92,412 ^C	$1,710^{B}$	30,128								
Fruit and tree nut f											
$3,460^{A}$	261,193 ^B	$3,200^{A}$	42,793								
	ry and floriculture										
$2,020^{B}$	116,115 ^B	$1,950^{B}$	45,162								
Other crop produc											
11,210 ^A	749,006 ^A	11,040 ^A	117,583								
	g and farming, incl										
44,950 ^A	2,960,373 ^A	44,710 ^A	435,356								
Dairy cattle and m											
9,090 ^A	268,904 ^A	$7,950^{A}$	617,024								
Hog and pig farmi											
$2,510^{A}$	116,665 ^B	$2,430^{A}$	97,151								
Poultry and egg pr											
1,900 ^B	107,232 ^B	$1,850^{B}$	96,579								
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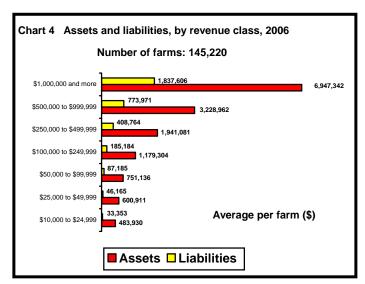
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Warning: The size and design of the sample, the variability of the characteristic of interest in the population, and the estimation method all affect data quality.

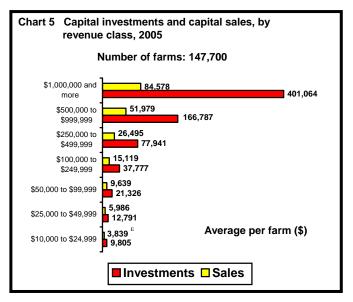
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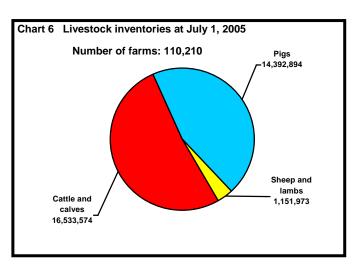
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Source: WFDB, Farm Financial Survey



Source: WFDB, Farm Financial Survey



Source: WFDB, July Livestock Survey



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