Statistical Summary BC Poultry Production and Value

(1993 - 2003)

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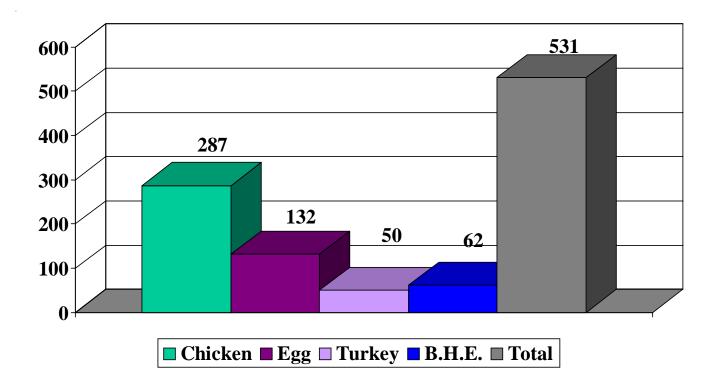
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Number of BC Producer Licences* (2003)



^{*} There were 58 chicken permit holders and 20 turkey producer vendors in 2003. These are not included in the number of producer licences in this table. However, specialty egg producers are considered licenced egg producers and are included in the 132 egg producers shown.

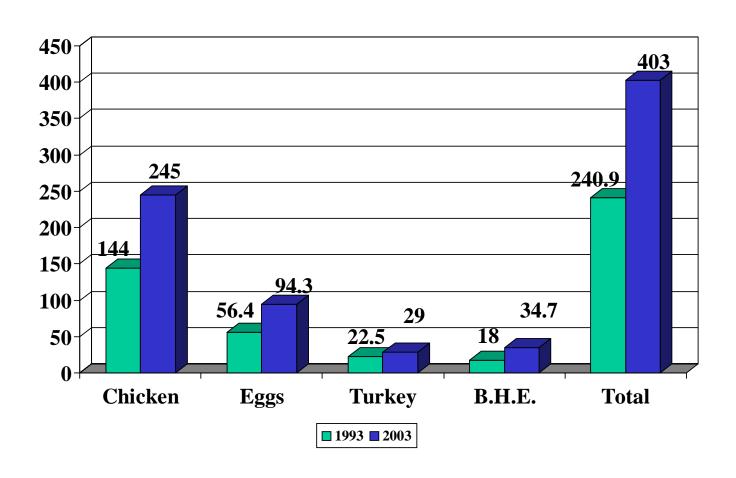
BC Poultry/Egg Production Value

	1993	2003	Compound Annual Growth (%)
Chicken Production	85.0	148.0	5.7
(Mil kg Evisc.)			
Value (Mil \$)	144.0	245.0	5.5
Turkey Production	12.9	15.7	2.0
(Mil kg Evisc.)			
Value (Mil \$)	22.5	29.0	2.6
Broiler Hatching Egg	72.0	111.5	4.5
Production (Mil Eggs)			
Value (Mil \$)	18.0	34.7	6.8
Egg Production	50.9	61.9	2.0
(Mil Doz.)			
Value (Mil \$)	56.4	94.3	5.3

Farm Gate Value of BC Poultry

1993 – 2003

(Million Dollars)



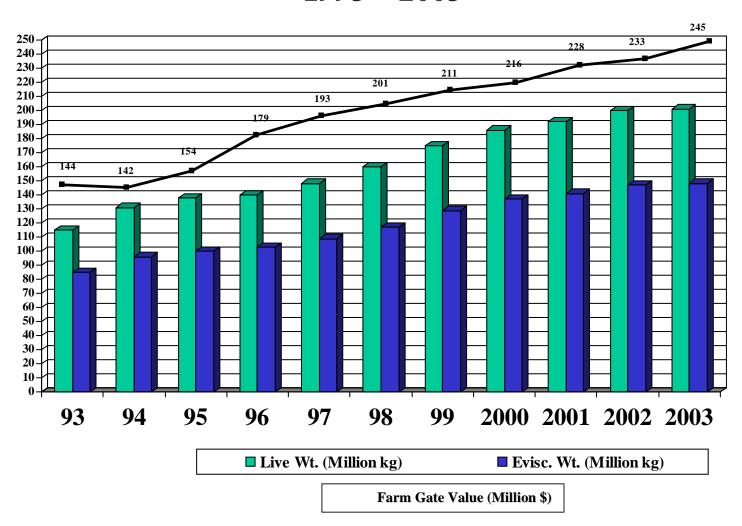
BC Chicken Production and Farm Gate Value*

Year	Live Wt. (Million kg)	Evisc. Wt. (Million kg)	Farm Gate Value (Million \$)
93	115	85	144
94	131	96	142
95	138	100	154
96	140	103	179
97	148	109	193
98	160	117	201
99	175	129	211
2000	186	137	216
2001	192	141	228
2002	200	147	233
2003**	201	148	245

^{*} Commercial slaughter only. Includes production of 58 permit holders and the value of this production based on weight classes; cornish, broiler, and roaster. Also includes export chicken.

^{**} Preliminary

BC Chicken Production and Value 1993 – 2003

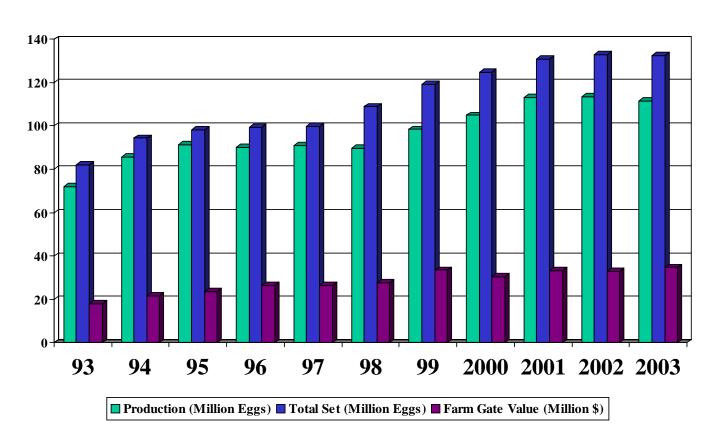


BC Broiler Hatching Eggs*

Year	Production (Million Eggs)	Total Set (Million Eggs)	Farm Gate Value (Million \$)
93	72.0	82.0	18.0
94	85.6	94.4	21.5
95	91.5	98.2	23.5
96	90.2	99.3	26.3
97	91.0	99.9	26.4
98	89.8	108.9	27.6
99	98.4	119.2	33.5
2000	104.9	124.7	30.4
2001	113.0	131.0	33.4
2002	113.7	133.0	32.8
2003	111.5	132.4	34.7

^{*} Broiler hatching eggs; does not include eggs directed to the breaker plant.

BC Broiler Hatching Eggs Production and Value



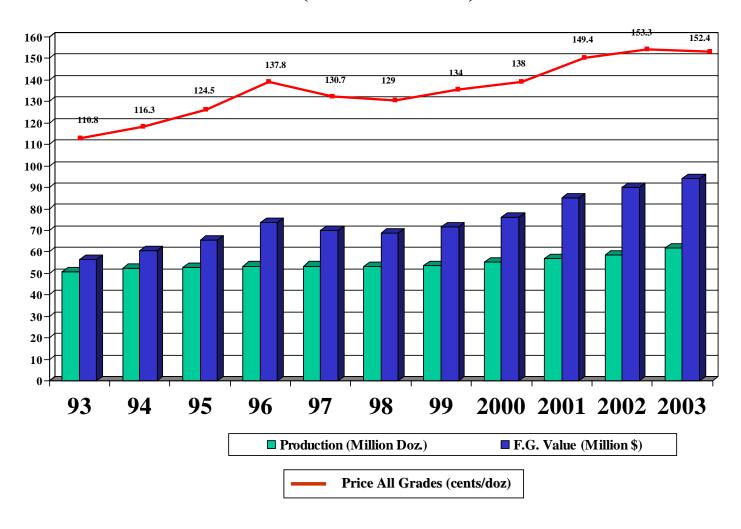
BC Table Egg Production and Value*

Year	Production (Million Doz.)	Farm Gate Value (Million \$)	Price All Grades (Cents/doz)
93	50.9	56.4	110.8
94	52.2	60.7	116.3
95	52.6	65.5	124.5
96	53.4	73.6	137.8
97	53.4	69.8	130.7
98	53.2	68.6	129.0
99	53.5	71.7	134.0
2000	55.2	76.2	138.0
2001	57.0	85.2	149.4
2002	58.7	90.0	153.3
2003**	61.9	94.3	152.4

^{*} Includes table eggs and hatching eggs directed to the breakers.

^{**} Does not include the value of specialty egg premiums.

BC Table Egg Production and Value



BC Turkey Production and Value*

Year	Production (Million kg. Evisc.)	Farm Gate Value (Million \$)
93	12.9	22.5
94	15.0	26.3
95	16.0	28.0
96	14.9	28.8
97	15.1	28.6
98	15.3	29.7
99	15.4	30.5
2000	16.7	31.2
2001	15.9	29.0
2002	14.6	26.7
2003	15.7	29.0

^{*} Commercial slaughter only. Includes production from 20 producer vendors. Value of producer vendor product was estimated and included in Farm Gate Value. Export turkey is included in Production and Farm Gate Value.

BC Turkey Production and Value

