## MARCH 2003 FARM SURVEY

## Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia (Non-Peace)



This survey is conducted under the authority of the Statistics Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1985, c. S-19. Completion of this questionnaire is a legal requirement under the Statistics Act.

The purpose of this survey is to obtain information on grains you have in storage and the crops you intend to seed this year. Statistics Canada is prohibited by law from publishing any statistics which would divulge information obtained from this survey that relates to any identifiable business, institution or individual without the previous written consent of that business, institution or individual. The data reported on this questionnaire will be treated in confidence, used for statistical purposes and published in aggregate form only. The confidentiality provisions of the Statistics Act are not affected by either the Access to Information Act or any other Legislation.


Review the information on the label. If any information is incurred or missing, please make the necessary corrections in the boxes below.


## GRAINS IN STORAGE

The following questions refer to grains in storage on your farm on March 31, 2003

- Include: - grains harvested in or prior to 2002
- grains purchased for animal feed or seed
- grains owned by someone else but stored on this farm.
- Exclude: - brand-name prepared feeds that were purchased - grains owned by the operator but stored off this farm (e.g. elevator, another farm, storage ticket, condominium storage).

1) Will you have any grains in storage on your farm on March 31, 2003?

(GO TO SECTION B.)
2) Which grain(s) will you have in storage on your farm?

| $\square$ |
| :--- |
| Barley |
| $\square$ |
| Canola or Rapeseed |
| $\square$ |


| $\square$ |
| :--- |
| $\square$ | Mixed Grains

$\square$ Oats
TO THE NEXT QUESTION.)
$\square$ Rye (Spring and Fall)
$\square$ Soybeans
$\square$ Spring Wheat
$\square$ Winter Wheat

(GO TO THE NEXT QUESTION.)
3) What will be the quantity?
(in storage on your farm on March 31, 2003)

| (in storage on your farm on March 31, 2003) | Coda | storage | bu | mt | it | kg | lb | cwt | other |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| a) Barley | $509$ |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |
| b) Canola or Rapeseed | $515$ |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |
| c) Corn for Grain (include seed corn but exclude sweet corn) | 516 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |
| What is the percent moisture content? |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| d) Mixed Grains (two or more grains sown together) | 513 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |
| e) Oats | 508 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |
| f) Rye (Spring and Fall $¢ \gg$ | 582 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |
| $\mathrm{g})$ Soybeans | 528 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |
| h) Spring Wheat (see Quebec 2) | 503 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |
| i) Winter Wheat (see Quebec 3) | 506 |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |  |

(IF QUEBEC RESRONDENT AND CROP = CORN FOR GRAIN, SPRING WHEAT AND/OR WINTER WHEAT, GO TO QUEBEC SECTION BELOW, ELSE GO TO THE NEXT CHOSEN CROP. IF LAST CROP, GO TO SECTION B.)

## QUEBEC

## Quebec respondents only

1. What percentage of your Corn for Grain in storage is intended for the commercial market?
2. What percentage of your Spring Wheat in storage is intended for human consumption?
3. What percentage of your Winter Wheat in storage is intended for human consumption?

| Code | \% |
| :---: | :---: |
| 900 |  |
| 972 |  |
| 606 |  |

(GO TO THE NEXT CHOSEN CROP. IF LAST CROP, GO TO SECTION B.)

## SECTION B <br> FALL RYE AND WINTER WHEAT

## The following questions deal with ALL LAND OPERATED

- Include: - land rented from others, cropland,
- Exclude: - land rented to others, community pastures, co-operative grazing associations or grazing woodland, wasteland, pasture land and crown or public land used for agricultural reserves.

1) Did you seed any Fall Rye or Winter Wheat in the fall of 2002 ?

$\square$ (GO TO SECTION C.)
2) Which crop(s) did you seed?

$\square$ Winter Wheat
(GO TO THE NEXT QUESTION.)
3) What area of Fall Rye or Winter Wheat did you seed?
(in the fall of 2002)

| Crop | Code | ac | ha | arp |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fall Rye | Seseded area |  | 1 | 2 |

(GO TO THE NEXT QUESTION.)

4) What area of Fall Rye or Winter Wheat is remaining to be harvested as grain?

| Crop | Code | Remaining to harvest area | ac | ha | arp |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Fall Rye | $\mathbf{2 1 2}$ |  | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Winter Wheat (see Quebecv) | $\mathbf{2 0 6}$ |  | 1 | 2 | 3 |

(IF QUEBE RESPQNDENX AND CROP = WINTER WHEAT, GO TO QUEBEC SECTION BELOW, ELSE GO TO SECTION C.)

## QUEBEC

## Quebec respondents only

1. What percentage of your Winter Wheat remaining to be harvested as grain, is intended

| Code | \% |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |
| 097 |  | for human consumption?

## SECTION C

## SEEDING INTENTIONS

1) Do you plan to seed any crops in 2003?

2) Which crop(s) do you plan to seed?
$\square$ Barley
$\square$ Dry Coloured Beans
$\square$ Dry White Beans - Narrow Rows
$\square$ Dry White Beans - Standard Rows
$\square$ Buckwheat
$\square$ Canola or Rapeseed

| $\square$ Corn for Grain |
| :--- |
| $\square$ Fodder Corn |
| $\square$ Mixed Grains |
| $\square$ |
| $\square$ |
| $\square$ | Oats $\quad$ Potatoes $\quad$| Spring Rye |
| :--- |

$\square$ Soybeans
$\square$ Sugar Beets
$\square$ Tobacco
$\square$ Spring Wheat
$\square$ Other fietd Crops
(GO TO THENEXTYQUESTION.)
3) What area do you plan to seed?
(IF QUEBEC RESPONDENT AND CROP = SPRING WHEAT, GO TO QUEBEC SECTION BELOW, ELSE GO TO NEXT CROP. IF LAST CROP, GO TO SECTION D.)

## QUEBEC

## Quebec respondents only

1. What percentage of your Spring Wheat area is intended for human consumption?

| Code | $\%$ |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |
| 603 |  |

(GO TO THE NEXT CHOSEN CROP. IF LAST CROP, GO TO SECTION D.)

## SECTION D TAME HAY AND FORAGE SEED

- Alfalfa and Alfalfa mixtures

Include: Alfalfa and Alfalfa mixed with varieties of clover, trefoil, bromegrass, timothy, orchardgrass, canarygrass, ryegrass, fescue, soudan-sorghum and wheatgrass.
Exclude: All forage crop area harvested or to be harvested for commercial seed purposes, crops harvested or that will be harvested green to be used to feed animals and under-seeded areas.

- Other Tame Hay

Include: Varieties of clover, trefoil, bromegrass, timothy, orchardgrass, canarygrass, ryegrass, fescue, soudansorghum and wheatgrass.
Exclude: Alfalfa and Alfalfa mixtures, all forage crop area harvested or to be harvested for commercial seed purposes and crops harvested or that will be harvested green to be used to feed animals.

- Forage Seed

Include: All forage crop area harvested or to be harvested for seed purposes such as alfalfa and alfalfa mixtures, varieties of clover, trefoil, bromegrass, timothy, orchardgrass, canarygrass, ryegrass fescue, soudansorghum and wheatgrass.
Exclude: Forage crops harvested or to be harvested for hay or to be used for pasture.

1) Will you have any Tame Hay or Forage Seed in 2003?

(GO TO SECTION E.)
2) Which crops) will you have?


Alfalfa and Alfalfa mixtures
 (GO TO QUESTION 3.)

Forage Seed
(GO TO QUESTION 5.)

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3) What will be your total area of Affifaand Alfalfa mixtures? (exclude under-seeded areas)
 (GO TO THE NEXT CHOSEN CROP. YF AST CROP, GO TO QUESTION 6.)
4) What will be your total area of all Other Tame Hay?

(GO TO THE NEXT CHOSEN CROP. IF LAST CROP, GO TO QUESTION 6.)

## FORAGE SEED

## 5) What will be your total area of Forage Seed?

| Crop | Code | Total area |  | OM |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Forage Seed | 247 |  | ac | ha | arp |



## SECTION E <br> LAND BALANCE

X Improved Land for pasture or grazing:
All land which is being used for pasture or grazing land and which has undergone some improvements in recent years such as cultivation, drainage, irrigation, fertilization, seeding or spraying for brush and weed control.

Do not include: - areas to be harvested as dry hay, silage or forage seed

- community pastures, co-operative grazing associations and grazing reserves.

If a field is used the same year for harvesting Tame Hay and as a pasture, count it only once as a Tame Hay field.
$X$ Unimproved Land for pasture or grazing:
Native pasture, native hay, rangeland, grazable bush used for the grazing or feeding of livestock.
Do not include: - community pastures, co-operative grazing associations or grazing reserves.
$x$ Other Land:

- area of farmstead: farm buildings, farmyard, home garden and roads
- idle land: improved land which was cropped, pastured or used for agricultural purposes dastyear, but is not being cropped this year
- new broken land: land, which has been cleared and prepared for cultivation butwill not be cropped
- winterkilled land: winterkilled area from crops sown in the previous fall, whish wilinot be reseeded or pastured to another crop
- fall crop area ploughed under but not reseeded
- summerfallow land: land on which no crop will be grown during the year, but which may be cultivated or worked for weed control and/or moisture conservation, or it may simply belleft tray fallow in order to renew the soil
- wasteland, woodland, cut-over land, slough, swamp, marshlandrand irrigation ditches
- fruits and vegetables, mushrooms, maple trees, Christmas tees and sod.

What will be your total area of Improved Land for pasture or grazing, Unimproved Land for pasture or grazing, and Other Land in 2003?

| Crops $\sim>$ | Code | Total area | UOM |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Improved Land for pasture or grazing | 222 |  | ac | ha | $\operatorname{arp}$ |
| 2. Unimproved Land for pasture or grazing | 237 |  | ac | ha | arp |
| 3. Other Land | 241 |  | ac | ha | $\operatorname{arp}$ |
| 4. Total Land Balance (sum of E1 toEs) |  |  | ac | ha | $\operatorname{arp}$ |

(GO TO SECTION F.)

## SECTION F <br> TOTAL FARM AREA

What will be your Total Farm Area operated in 2003?

| Crops | Code | Total area | UOM |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1. Total Farm Area |  |  | ac | ha |
| arp |  |  |  |  |
| 2. Sum of sections B4 + C3r + D6 + E4 | 201 |  | ac | ha |
| arp |  |  |  |  |
| 3. Difference between F1 and F2 (F1 - F2) |  |  |  |  |
| If the difference is substantial, please explain in comments. |  |  |  |  |

(GO TO SECTION G.)

## SECTION G

## 1. Federal/Provincial agreement to share information

## Ontario and British Columbia residents:

To avoid duplication of enquiry, this survey is conducted under a co-operative agreement to share information with your provincial department of agriculture in accordance with Section 12 of the Statistics Act. Any information shared with a provincial ministry of agriculture is released in aggregate form only. The provincial ministry of agriculture must guarantee the confidentiality of all shared data.
Statistics Canada does not provide the respondent's name or address to any provincial ministry of agriculture.
Do you agree to share this information?

| Code | yes |
| :---: | :---: |
| 051 | no |

## Quebec residents:

To avoid duplication of enquiry, this survey is conducted under a co-operative agreement to sbare information in accordance with Section 11 of the Statistics Act, with Statistics Canada and Institut de la statistiques du Québec.

## 2. Request for survey results


(GO TO QUESTION 3.)
3. Total interview time
(END OF SURVEY)


