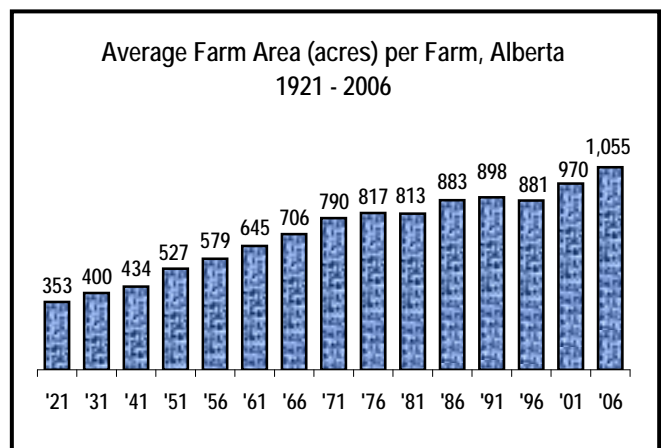
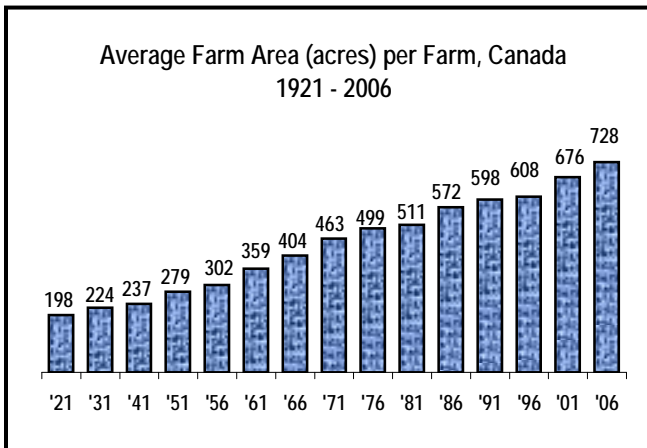
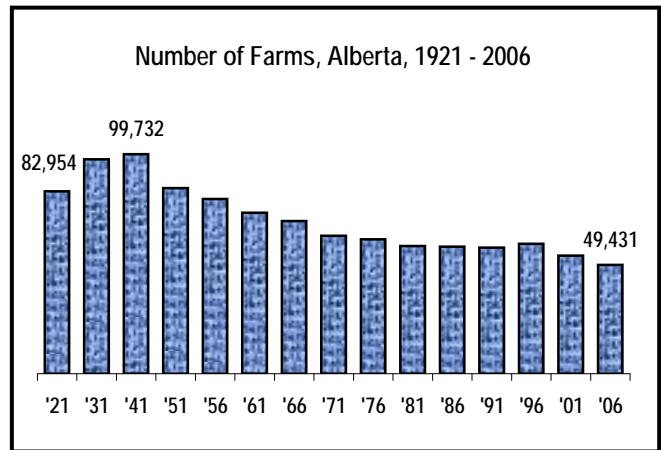
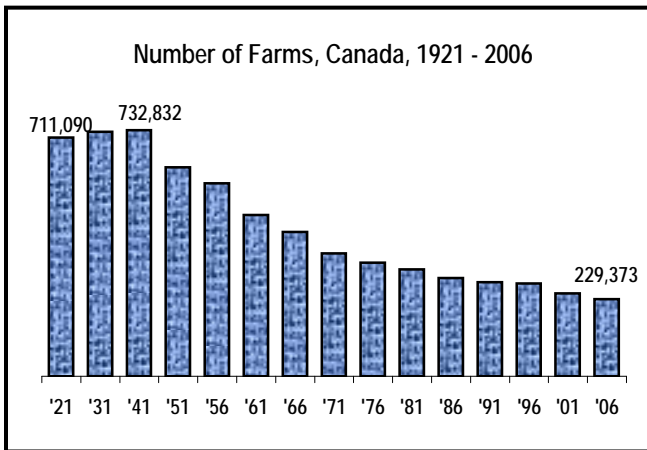


Table 1: Number of Farms, Canada and Provinces, 1921-2006

	CANADA	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
1921	711,090	...	13,701	47,432	36,655	137,619	198,053	53,252	119,451	82,954	21,973
1931	728,623	...	12,865	39,444	34,025	135,957	192,174	54,199	136,472	97,408	26,079
1941	732,832	...	12,230	32,977	31,889	154,669	178,204	58,024	138,713	99,732	26,394
1951	623,087	3,626	10,137	23,515	26,431	134,336	149,920	52,383	112,018	84,315	26,406
1956	574,993	2,387	9,432	21,075	22,116	122,617	140,602	49,201	103,391	79,424	24,748
1961	480,877	1,752	7,335	12,518	11,786	95,777	121,333	43,306	93,924	73,212	19,934
1966	430,503	1,709	6,357	9,621	8,706	80,294	109,887	39,747	85,686	69,411	19,085
1971	366,110	1,042	4,543	6,008	5,485	61,257	94,722	34,981	76,970	62,702	18,400
1976	338,552	878	3,677	5,434	4,551	51,587	88,801	32,104	70,958	61,130	19,432
1981	318,361	679	3,154	5,045	4,063	48,144	82,448	29,442	67,318	58,056	20,012
1986	293,089	651	2,833	4,283	3,554	41,448	72,713	27,336	63,431	57,777	19,063
1991	280,043	725	2,361	3,980	3,252	38,076	68,633	25,706	60,840	57,245	19,225
1996	276,548	742	2,217	4,453	3,405	35,991	67,520	24,383	56,995	59,007	21,835
2001	246,923	643	1,845	3,923	3,034	32,139	59,728	21,071	50,598	53,652	20,290
2006	229,373	558	1,700	3,795	2,776	30,675	57,211	19,054	44,329	49,431	19,844

Nfld. - Newfoundland and Labrador; P.E.I. - Prince Edward Island; N.S. - Nova Scotia; N.B. - New Brunswick; Que. - Quebec; Ont. - Ontario; Man. - Manitoba; Sask. - Saskatchewan; Alta - Alberta; B.C. - British Columbia.



Source: Statistics Canada, Census of Agriculture, 1921 - 2006

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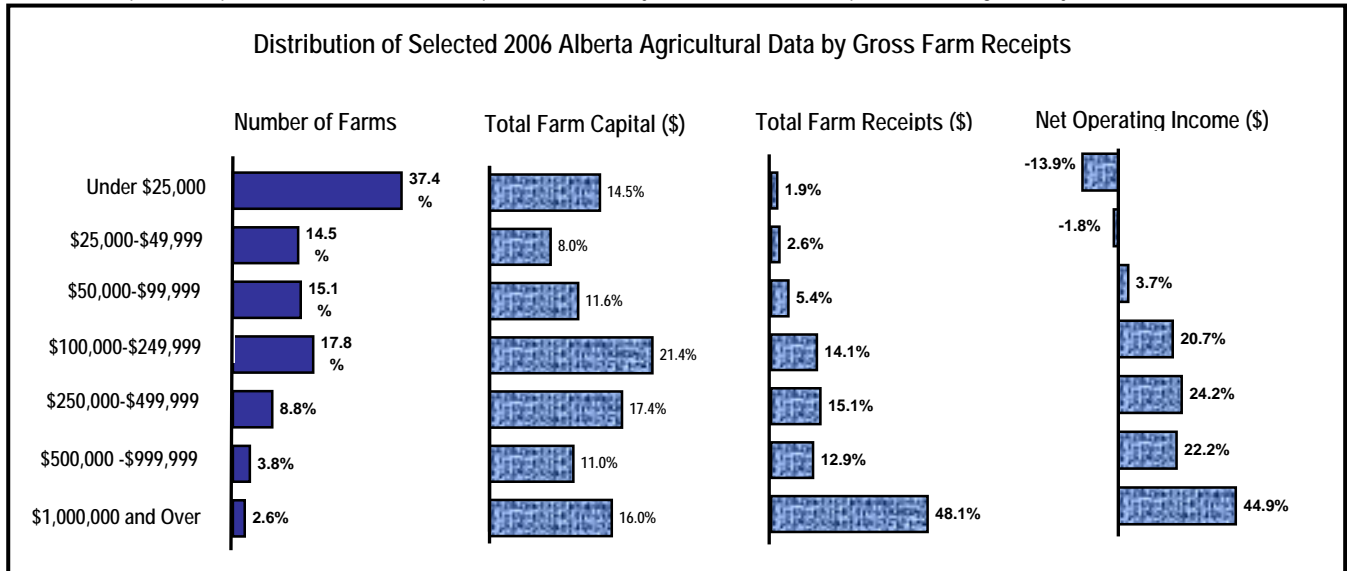
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Table 2: Selected 2006 Alberta Agricultural Data Classified by Gross Farm Receipts

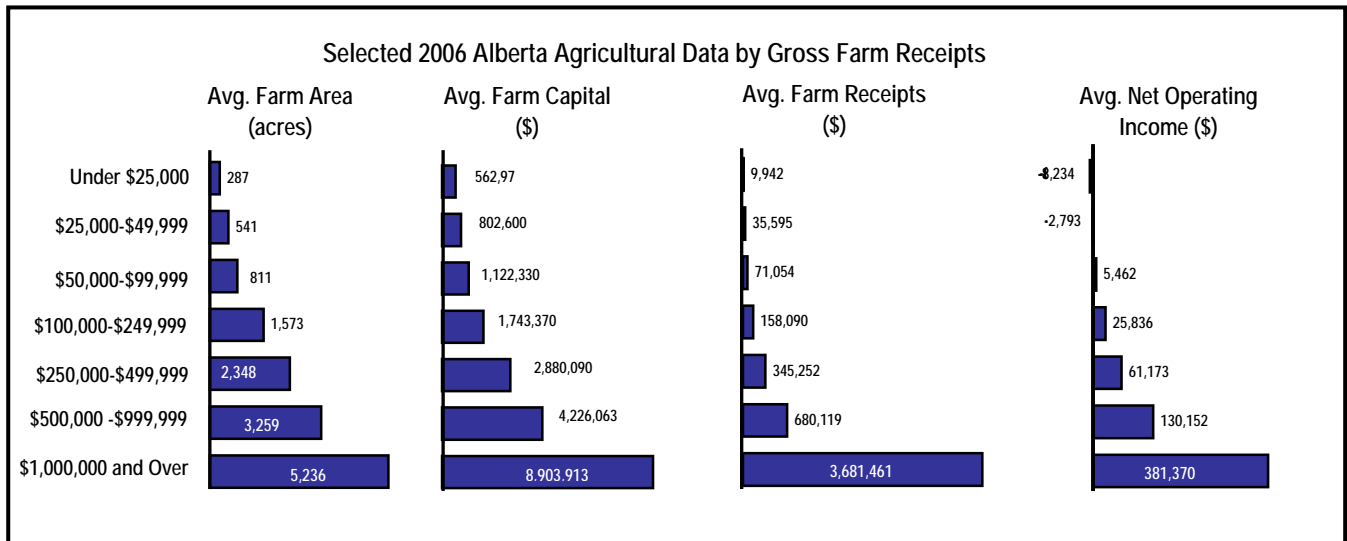
	Number of Farms	Total Area of Farms	Total Farm Capital	Total Gross Farm Receipts*	Total Farm Operating Expenses	Total Net Operating Income
Gross Farm Receipts:		Acres	\$	\$	\$	\$
Under 25,000	18,511	5,313,028	10,417,926,606	184,028,383	336,447,937	-152,419,554
25,000 to 49,999	7,170	3,882,254	5,754,641,542	255,214,361	275,239,836	-20,025,475
50,000 to 99,999	7,448	6,039,238	8,359,115,388	529,211,190	488,527,028	40,684,162
100,000 to 249,999	8,805	13,852,353	15,350,373,203	1,391,981,397	1,164,498,676	227,482,721
250,000 to 499,999	4,333	10,173,853	12,479,429,695	1,495,976,909	1,230,912,392	265,064,517
500,000 to 999,999	1,871	6,097,393	7,906,964,699	1,272,503,025	1,028,987,886	243,515,139
1,000,000 and Over	1,293	6,769,738	11,512,759,235	4,760,129,280	4,267,018,359	493,110,921
TOTAL	49,431	52,127,857	71,781,210,368	9,889,044,545	8,791,632,114	1,097,412,431

Data for receipts and expenses were collected for the previous calendar year, or for the last complete accounting (fiscal) year.

Distribution of Selected 2006 Alberta Agricultural Data by Gross Farm Receipts



Selected 2006 Alberta Agricultural Data by Gross Farm Receipts



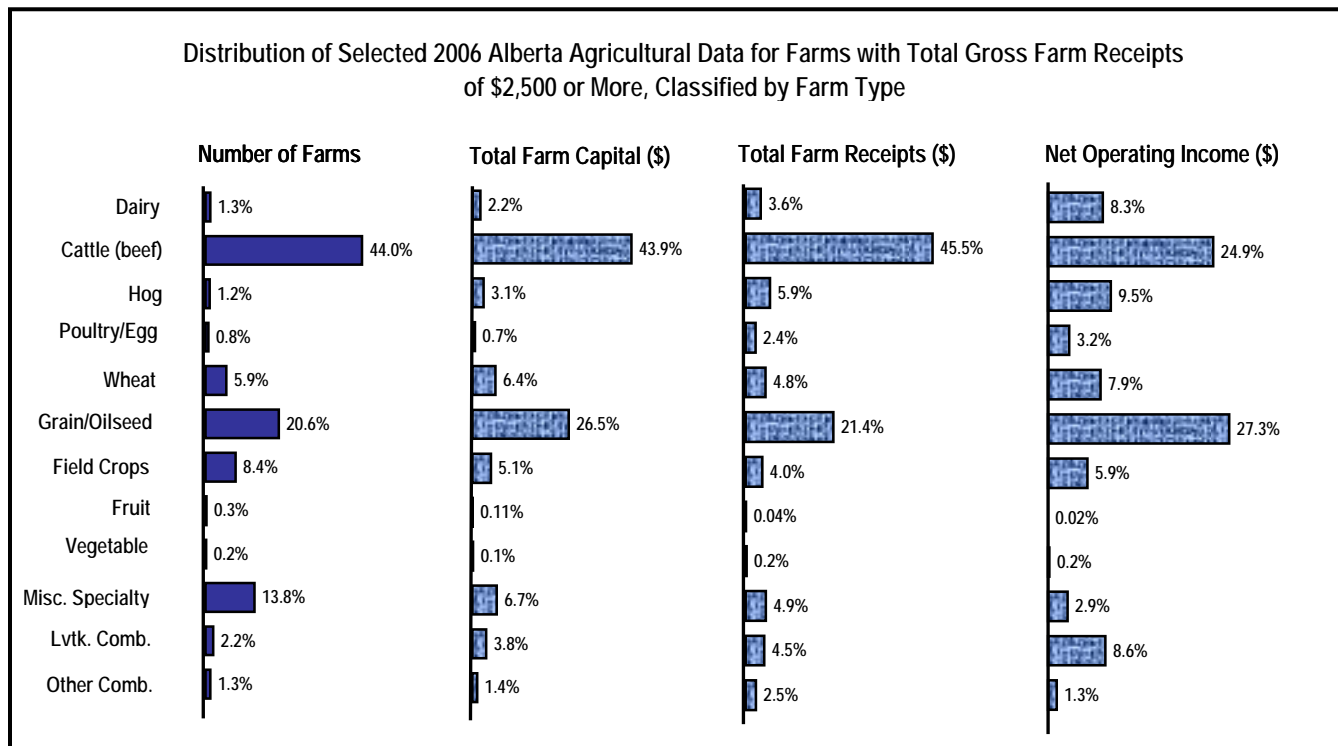
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Table 3: Selected 2006 Alberta Agricultural Data for Farms with Total Gross Farm Receipts of \$2,500 or More, Classified by Farm Type

	Number of Farms	Total Area of Farms	Total Farm Capital	Total Gross Farm Receipts	Total Farm Operating Expenses	Total Net Operating Income
		Acres	\$	\$	\$	\$
Dairy	627	448,981	1,554,569,849	360,653,734	267,957,941	92,695,793
Cattle (beef)	20,474	26,802,401	30,914,835,670	4,502,158,808	4,222,781,344	279,377,464
Hog	565	856,132	2,153,570,676	584,831,223	478,620,259	106,210,964
Poultry and Egg	375	106,401	490,152,961	235,979,457	200,066,768	35,912,689
Wheat	2,733	4,023,021	4,493,808,165	476,970,324	388,107,605	88,862,719
Grain and Oilseed (except wheat)	9,568	13,527,175	18,704,569,290	2,115,889,663	1,809,564,431	306,325,232
Field Crops (except grain and oilseed)	3,923	1,794,264	3,576,402,949	399,486,369	333,119,509	66,366,860
Fruit	136	13,270	77,486,104	3,856,023	3,651,063	204,960
Vegetable	96	22,378	97,880,848	21,708,593	19,435,318	2,273,275
Miscellaneous Specialty	6,403	1,599,501	4,748,087,615	486,365,235	453,569,046	32,796,189
Livestock Combination	1,019	1,714,482	2,700,422,010	449,412,874	352,771,182	96,641,692
Other combination	627	654,874	957,287,854	248,348,918	233,936,975	14,411,943
Total	46,546	51,562,880	70,469,073,991	9,885,661,221	8,763,581,441	1,122,079,780

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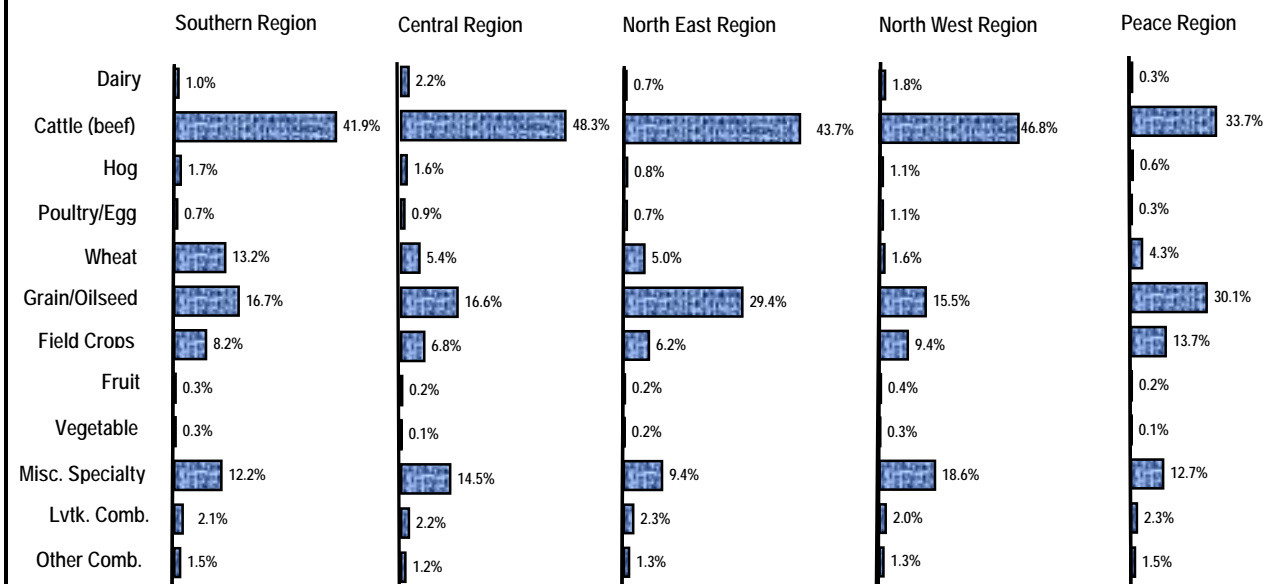
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Averages for Alberta Farms with Total Gross Farm Receipts of \$2,500 or More, Classified by Farm Type, 2006



Distribution of Farms with Total Gross Farm Receipts of \$2,500 or More, Classified by Farm Type, Alberta Agricultural Regions 2006

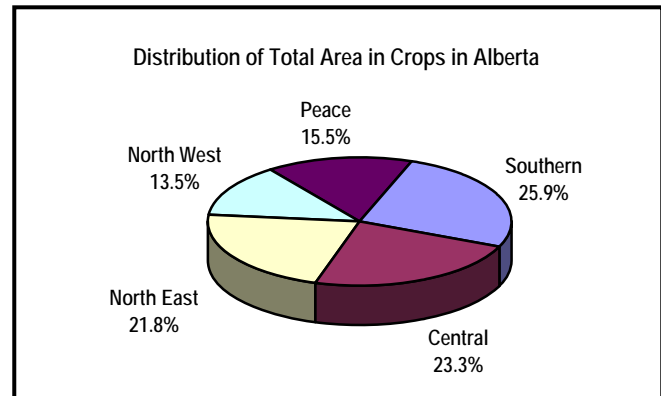
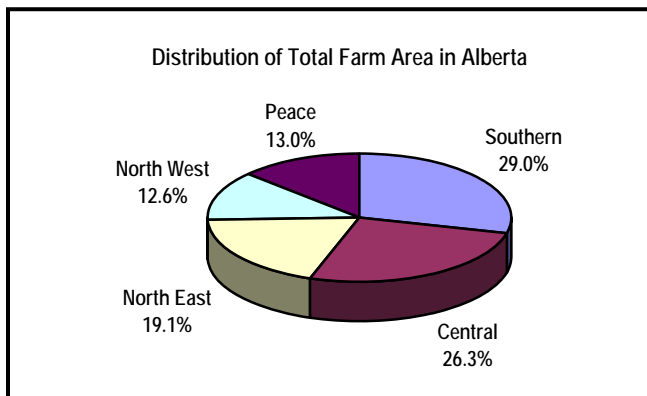
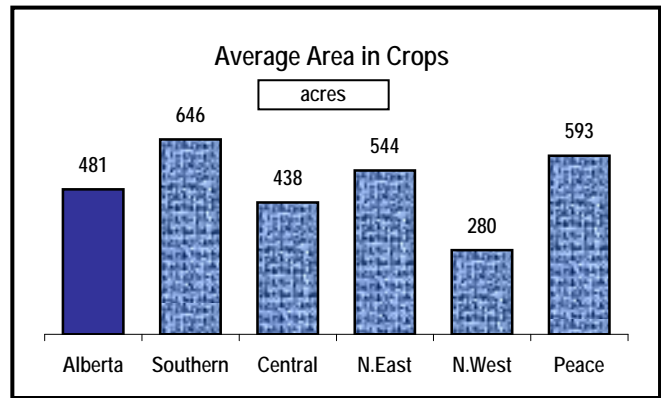
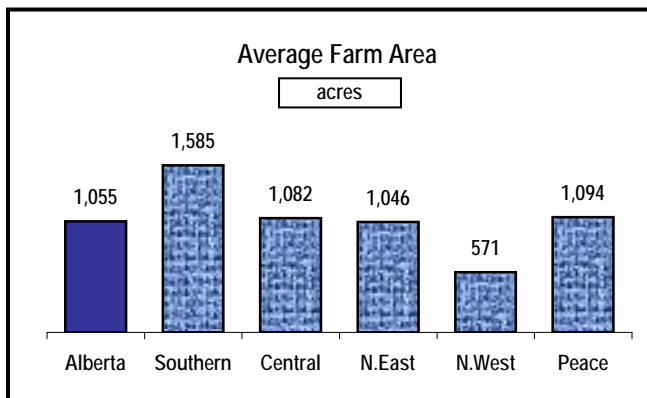


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Table 4a: 2006 Alberta Agriculture Profile - Farms and the Land

	Alberta	Southern	Central	North East	North West	Peace
Number of Farms	49,431	9,521	12,669	9,539	11,498	6,204
Average Farm Size (Acres)	1,055	1,585	1,082	1,046	571	1,094
Land Tenure		Acres				
Area Owned	30,033,280	7,116,033	5,788,223	5,985,538	3,131,273	4,243,428
Area Rented, Leased or Cop Shared	22,094,577	6,344,151	3,773,768	3,989,404	2,051,878	2,543,703
Rented or Leased From Governments	9,959,049	4,087,453	2,931,611	577,526	323,080	1,097,566
Rented or Leased From Others	10,534,234	2,388,375	2,594,381	1,356,258	664,923	1,329,720
Crop Shared From Others	1,601,294	259,845	519,690	357,620	133,852	116,417
Total Area of Farms	52,127,857	15,093,380	13,712,384	9,974,942	6,560,020	6,787,131
Land Use		Acres				
Total Land in Crops	23,775,509	6,154,448	5,543,161	5,185,185	3,216,415	3,676,300
Summerfallow	2,239,633	937,228	637,896	271,926	117,949	274,047
Total Pasture Land	22,273,008	7,589,398	6,775,402	3,685,752	2,317,634	1,904,822
Tame or Seeded Pasture	6,137,362	1,133,223	1,726,948	1,328,834	1,179,338	769,019
Natural Land for Pasture	16,135,646	6,456,175	5,048,454	2,356,918	1,138,296	1,135,803
All Other Land	3,839,707	397,268	746,492	832,079	908,022	931,962
Total Area of Farms	52,127,857	15,093,380	13,712,384	9,974,942	6,560,020	6,787,131
Use of Personal Computers for Farm Management						
Number of Farms Reporting Use	23,410	5,315	6,420	4,129	4,979	2,567
% of Total Farms	47.4	55.8	50.7	43.3	43.3	41.4

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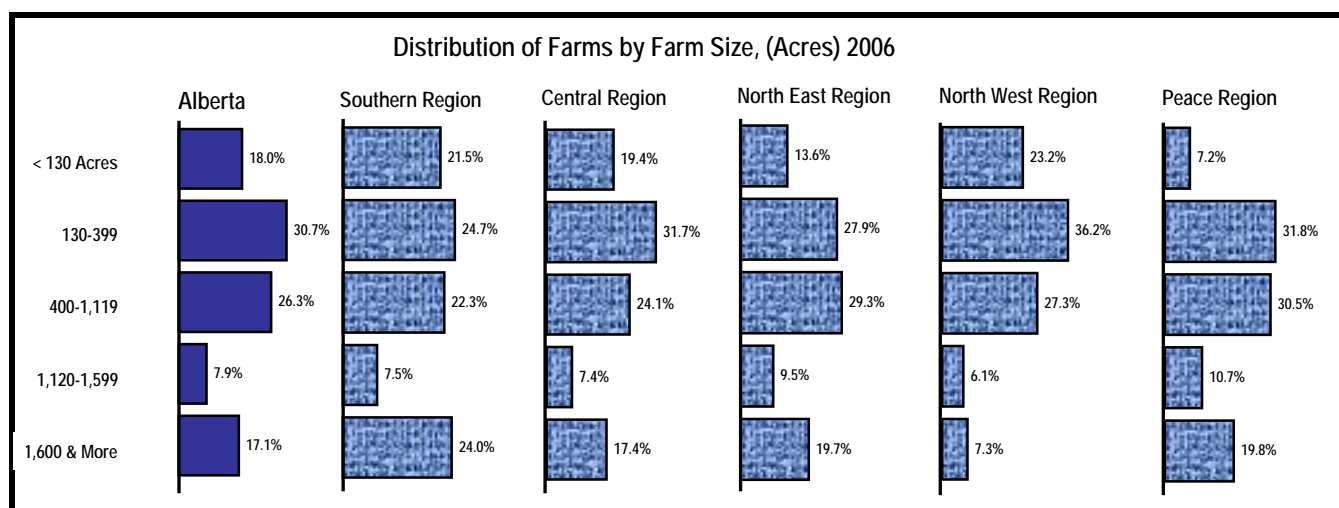


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Table 4b: 2006 Alberta Agriculture Profile - Farms and the Land

	Alberta	Southern	Central	North East	North West	Peace
Farm Operating Arrangements						
Number of Farms						
Sole Proprietorship	27,815	4,850	6,881	5,746	6,585	3,753
Partnership	13,920	2,273	3,873	2,527	3,565	1,682
With Written Agreement	1,458	336	463	220	289	150
Without a Written Agreement	12,462	1,937	3,410	2,307	3,276	1,532
Corporation	7,411	2,267	1,856	1,229	1,326	733
Family	6,714	2,050	1,699	1,131	1,168	666
Non-family	697	217	157	98	158	67
Other (institution/Community Pasture, etc.)	285	131	59	37	22	36
Total Farms	49,431	9,521	12,669	9,539	11,498	6,204
Farms by Total Farm Area						
Number of Farms						
Under 130 Acres	8,918	2,048	2,459	1,296	2,669	446
130 - 399 Acres	15,164	2,349	4,021	2,660	4,159	1,975
400 - 1,119 Acres	12,995	2,125	3,054	2,791	3,135	1,890
1,120 - 1,599 Acres	3,924	716	936	910	700	662
1,600 & More Acres	8,430	2,283	2,199	1,882	835	1,231
Total number of farms	49,431	9,521	12,669	9,539	11,498	6,204
Farms by Type						
Number of Farms						
Dairy	627	95	259	60	193	20
Cattle (Beef)	20,474	3,808	5,797	3,983	4,928	1,958
Hog	565	153	190	73	114	35
Poultry and Egg	375	65	108	67	118	17
Wheat	2,733	1,203	649	460	172	249
Grain and Oilseed (Except Wheat)	9,568	1,517	1,991	2,677	1,634	1,749
Field Crop (Except Grain and Oilseed)	3,923	745	819	565	996	798
Fruit	136	28	29	20	46	13
Vegetable	96	28	16	16	28	8
Miscellaneous Specialty	6,403	1,109	1,735	860	1,960	739
Livestock Combination	1,019	194	268	211	213	133
Other Combination	627	139	142	118	139	89
Total Farms Classified	46,546	9,084	12,003	9,110	10,541	5,808

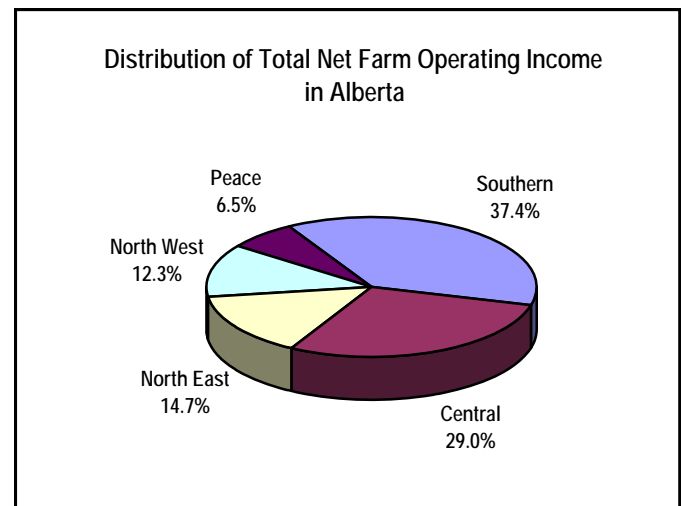
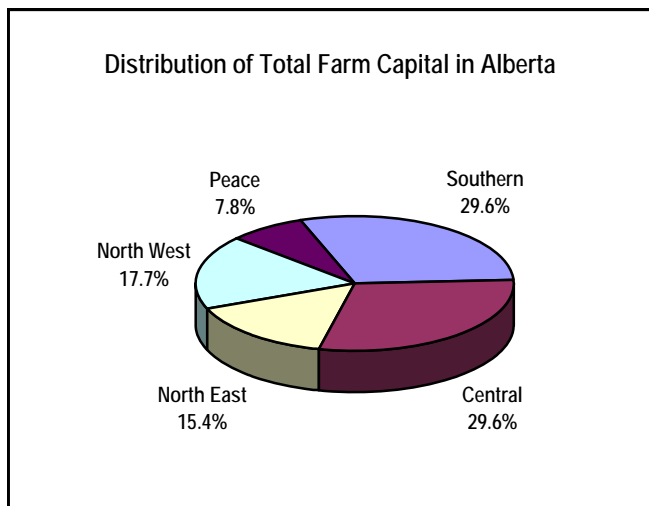
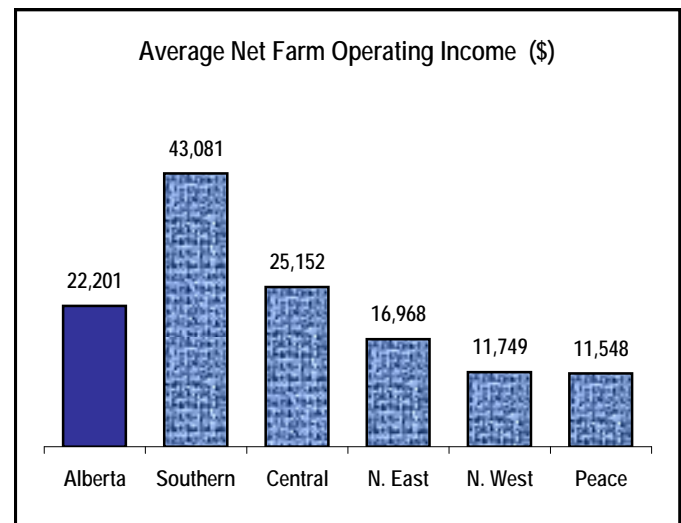
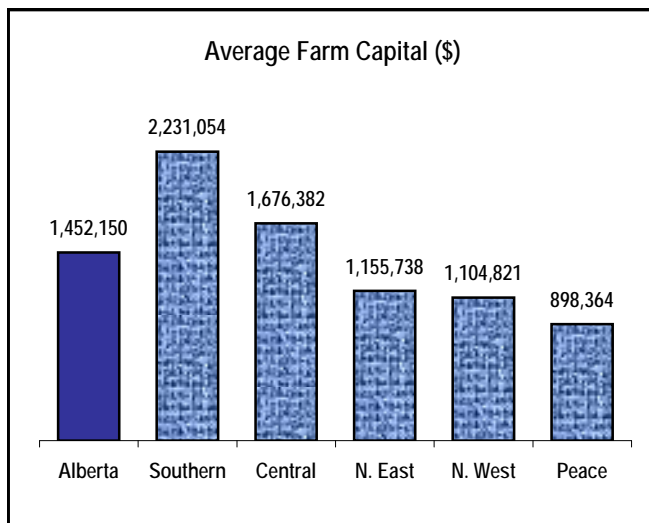


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Table 5a: 2006 Alberta Agriculture Profile - Financial Characteristics

	Alberta	Southern	Central	North East	North West	Peace
Average Per Reporting Farm						
		Dollars per Farm				
Net Farm Operating Income	22,201	43,081	25,152	16,968	11,749	11,548
Farm Capital	1,452,150	2,231,054	1,676,382	1,155,738	1,104,821	898,364
Farm Operating Expenses	177,857	387,133	157,636	137,259	100,950	102,936
Farm Interest Expenses	14,607	22,154	15,028	12,494	11,317	10,348
Gross Farm Receipts	200,058	430,214	182,788	154,227	112,698	114,484
Farm Capital						
		\$'000				
Machinery and Equipment	9,680,138	2,596,377	2,348,154	1,897,440	1,707,200	1,130,969
Livestock and Poultry	4,999,727	1,783,117	1,313,253	816,738	750,553	336,065
Land and Buildings	57,101,345	16,862,367	17,576,678	8,310,404	10,245,478	4,106,418
Owned	41,405,895	12,335,365	12,636,285	6,000,723	7,217,677	3,215,845
Rented or Leased from Others	15,695,450	4,527,002	4,940,393	2,309,681	3,027,801	890,573
Total Farm Capital	71,781,210	21,241,861	21,238,085	11,024,582	12,703,231	5,573,452

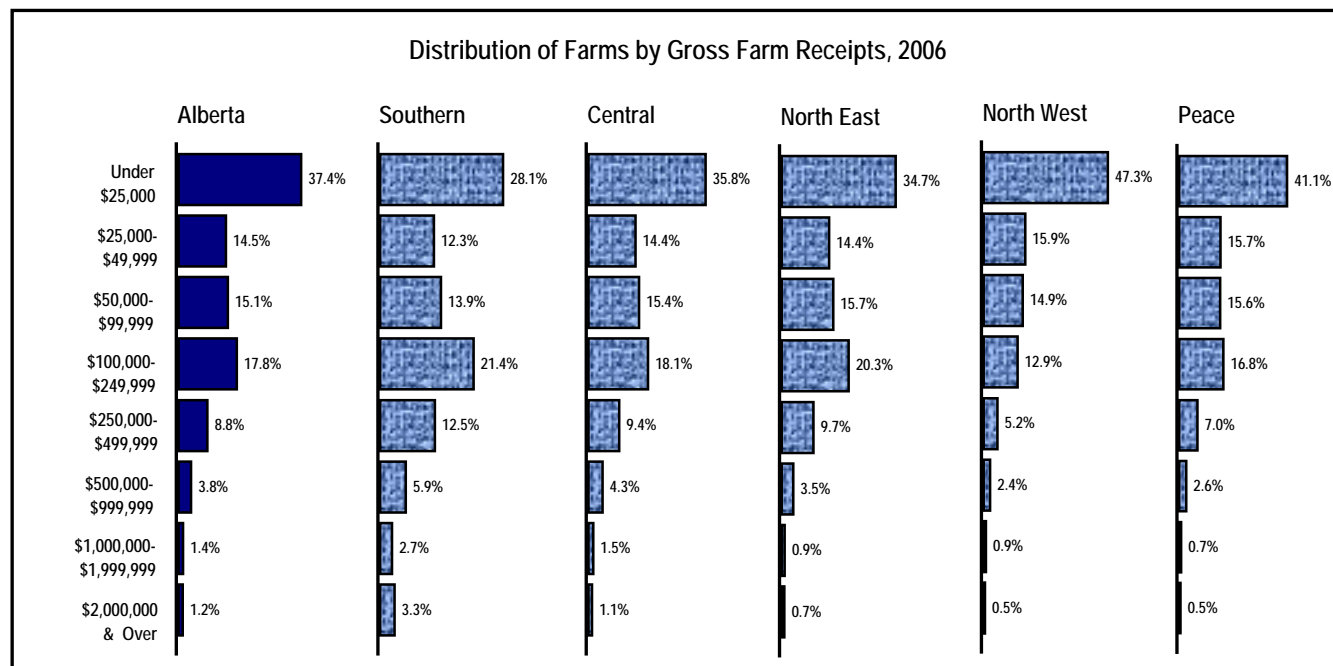
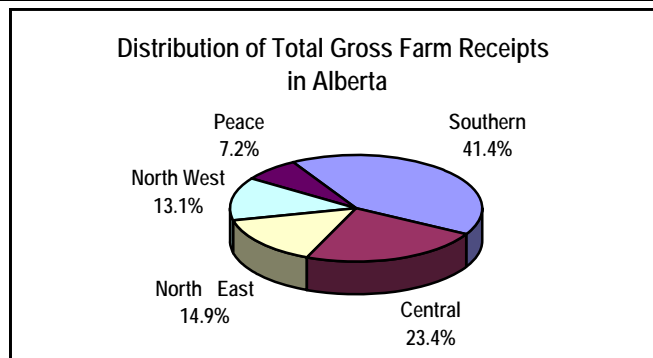
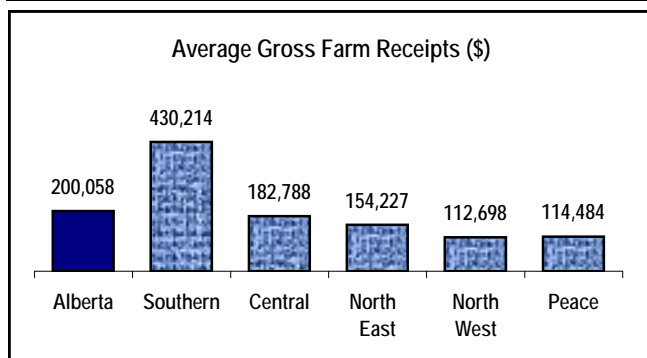


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Table 5b: 2006 Alberta Agriculture Profile - Financial Characteristics

	Alberta	Southern	Central	North East	North West	Peace
Farms Classified by Gross Farm Receipts		Number of Farms				
Under \$25,000	18,511	2,673	4,538	3,310	5,440	2,550
\$25,000-\$49,999	7,170	1,173	1,823	1,374	1,823	977
\$50,000-\$99,999	7,448	1,321	1,952	1,499	1,711	965
\$100,000-\$249,999	8,805	2,035	2,299	1,941	1,487	1,043
\$250,000-\$499,999	4,333	1,189	1,189	925	598	432
\$500,000 and over	3,164	1,130	868	490	439	237
\$500,000 to \$999,999	1,871	557	541	331	279	163
\$1,000,000 to \$1,999,999	688	259	190	88	105	46
\$2,000,000 and Over	605	314	137	71	55	28
Total Farms	49,431	9,521	12,669	9,539	11,498	6,204
		\$'000				
Total Farm Operating Expenses	8,791,632	3,685,895	1,997,096	1,309,309	1,160,720	638,613
Total Gross Farm Receipts	9,889,045	4,096,070	2,315,742	1,471,170	1,295,804	710,258
Total Net Farm Operating Income	1,097,412	410,175	318,647	161,861	135,085	71,645

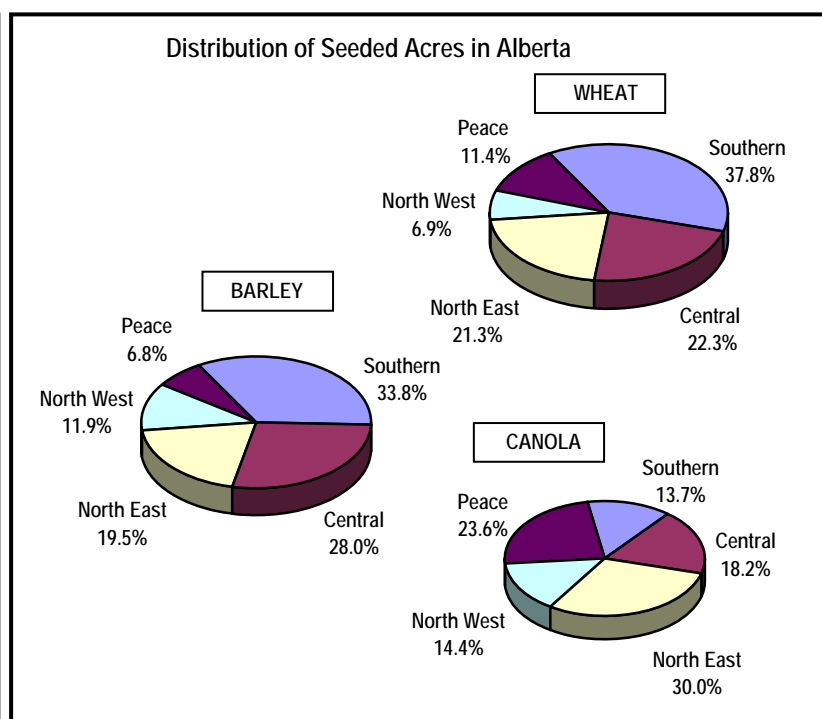
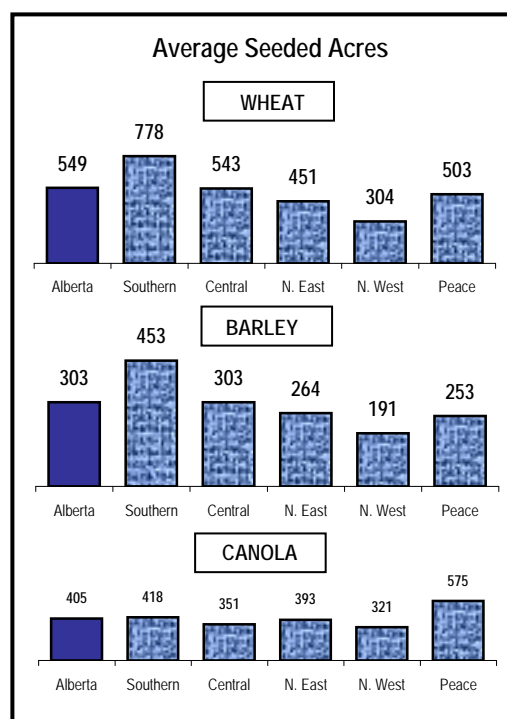


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Table 6: 2006 Alberta Agriculture Profile - Crops

	Alberta	Southern	Central	North East	North West	Peace
Crops	Seeded Area - Acres					
Total Wheat	6,467,628	2,445,364	1,444,861	1,374,449	447,067	739,471
Spring Wheat (Excl. Durum)	5,768,705	1,891,651	1,252,098	1,355,693	432,918	722,815
Durum Wheat	570,771	453,395	84,242	10,258	3,690	11,599
Winter Wheat	128,152	99,820	9,346	2,524	2,222	5,057
Oats	1,269,229	112,156	285,419	366,083	259,586	245,985
Barley	4,094,689	1,383,906	1,146,380	796,882	488,218	279,303
Mixed Grains	373,005	34,637	146,039	117,844	58,449	13,217
Total Rye	118,399	40,700	39,609	24,135	8,536	3,757
Canola	4,068,511	559,311	739,986	1,220,776	587,528	960,910
Flaxseed	60,372	23,169	13,083	8,291	1,496	10,828
Mustard Seed	62,538	40,186	21,790	0	0	x
Potatoes	54,759	43,053	4,704	119	6,464	246
Dry Field Peas	587,263	229,829	101,834	147,378	23,445	73,178
Lentils	10,825	6,261	3,325	x	427	x
Chick Peas	40,749	36,390	2,270	1,569	x	x
Dry Field Beans	62,039	50,507	1,348	x	2,380	4,789
Sugar Beets	38,803	38,803	0	0	0	0
Forage Seed for Seed	244,615	30,373	8,838	11,376	9,562	178,560
Alfalfa and Alfalfa Mixtures	3,935,022	691,997	994,783	767,431	822,813	657,998
All Other Tame Hay and Fodder Crops	2,060,967	273,417	520,433	323,602	466,333	477,182
Selected Vegetables Grown for Sale						
Sweet Corn	4,582	4,351	10	101	60	60
Green Peas	4,101	3,224	37	472	66	177
Green or Wax Beans	247	191	6	2	37	5
Carrots	1,003	736	82	42	132	12



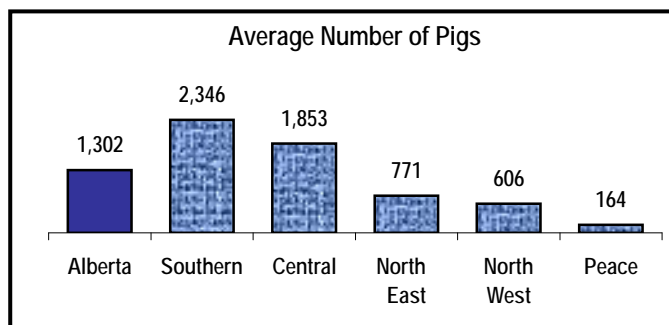
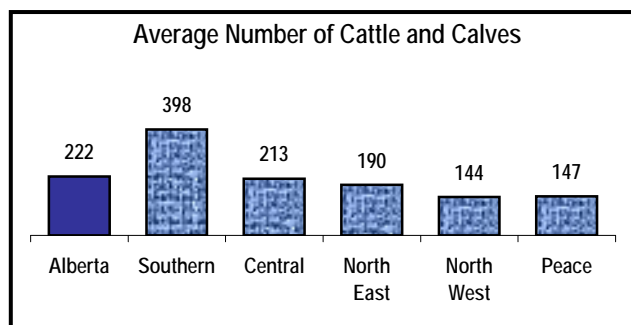
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Table 7: 2006 Alberta Agriculture Profile - Livestock and Poultry

	Alberta	Southern	Central	North East	North West	Peace
Cattle and Calves						
Number of Head						
Total Cows	2,114,716	482,023	627,674	439,186	386,011	179,822
Dairy Cows	78,875	21,707	30,624	5,328	19,112	1,404
Beef Cows	2,035,841	453,240	493,788	433,858	311,190	178,418
Bulls	109,753	24,704	36,893	22,618	18,331	9,074
Heifers	1,119,315	521,489	274,704	167,402	126,610	42,396
Steers	974,559	551,314	202,101	106,630	86,655	30,164
Calves	2,050,773	608,542	576,669	396,235	326,771	142,556
Total Cattle and Calves	6,369,116	2,188,108	1,700,547	1,132,071	944,378	404,012
Pigs						
Boars	7,101	2,781	2,096	771	1,102	351
Sows and Gilts for Breeding	188,703	76,967	61,529	19,505	19,206	9,936
All Other Pigs	1,856,263	703,548	648,163	193,333	189,792	32,769
Total Pigs	2,052,067	788,203	699,340	213,609	211,469	37,757
Total Sheep and Lambs	222,340	69,672	53,602	31,746	47,973	19,347
Horses and Ponies	155,533	31,976	45,490	22,679	39,306	16,082
Goats	29,113	6,801	6,784	3,484	7,194	4,791
Bison (Buffalo)	97,366	9,089	17,945	17,000	21,348	30,005
Deer	8,965	950	3,705	1,207	1,712	255
Elk	33,783	1,255	5,236	6,582	10,279	9,101
Poultry Inventory						
Number of Birds						
Total Hens and Chickens	11,757,860	3,520,788	3,328,085	1,715,752	2,906,736	286,499
Broilers, Roasters and Cornish	8,546,758	2,267,827	2,481,448	1,271,447	2,241,484	103,087
Pullets - Under 19 Weeks, Intended for Laying	983,648	389,241	311,832	69,576	170,184	3,266
Laying Hens - 19 Weeks and Over	2,227,454	863,720	534,805	262,774	495,068	71,087
Laying Hens in Hatchery Supply Flock	391,592	x	143,810	81,100	11,016	0
Turkeys	703,462	206,355	104,150	91,514	291,356	10,087
Other Poultry	211,749	99,486	48,035	21,384	29,967	11,075
Chicks or Other Poultry Hatched	63,625,470	x	x	x	20,894,491	x
Poultry Production						
Kilograms						
Broiler, Roaster & Cornish	115,766,269	30,457,530	34,920,747	18,111,804	29,884,014	1,442,297
Turkey	16,054,282	5,483,628	2,991,045	1,669,420	5,616,421	293,768
Bee Inventory						
Number of Colonies						
Bees	230,894	58,307	23,395	18,529	56,082	68,499
Number of Gallons						
Other Pollinating Bees	89,580	83,833	177	x	x	3,240



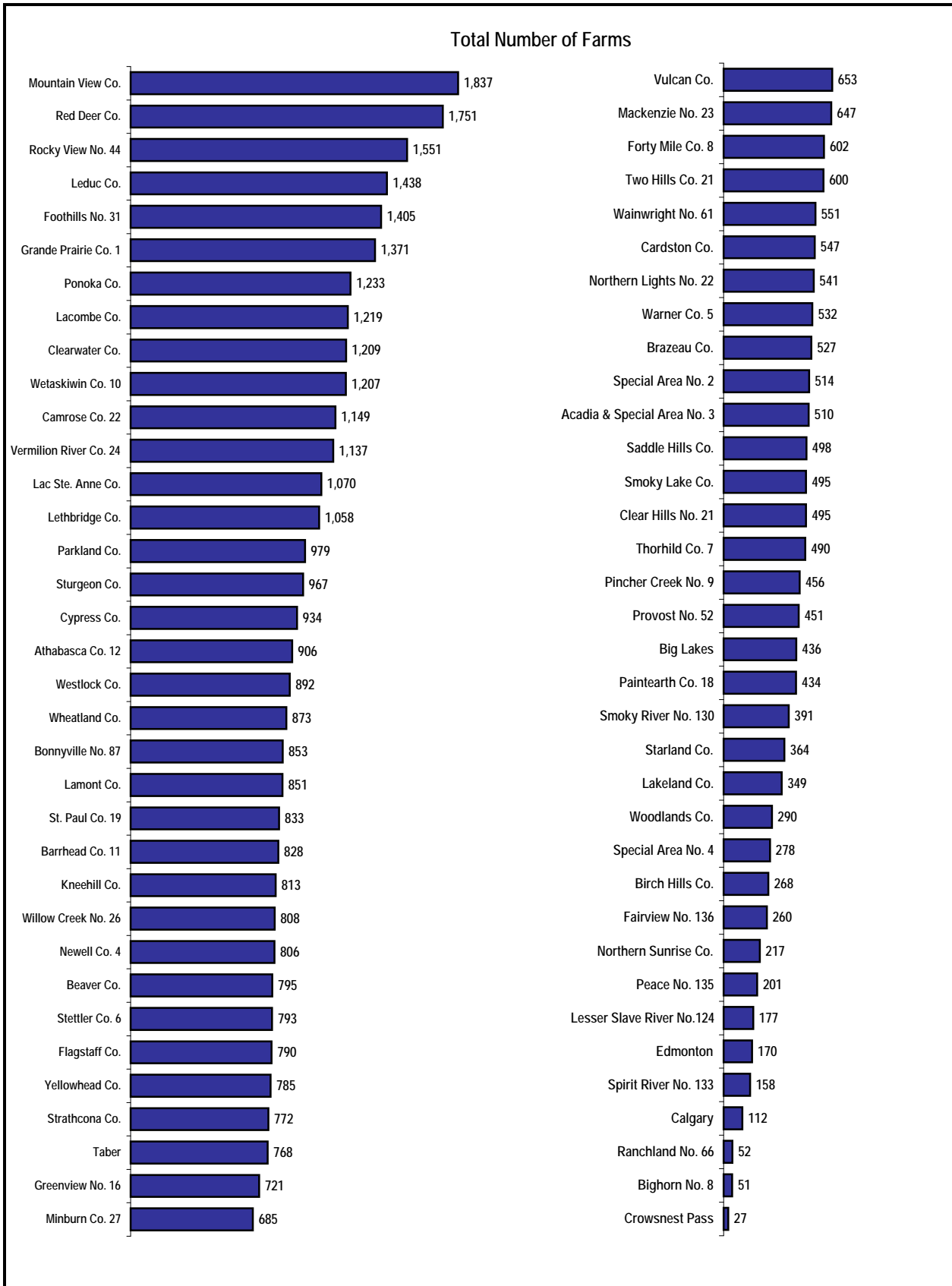
Note: Livestock and poultry inventory refers to number on May 16, 2006. Totals may not include municipalities where confidentiality applies.

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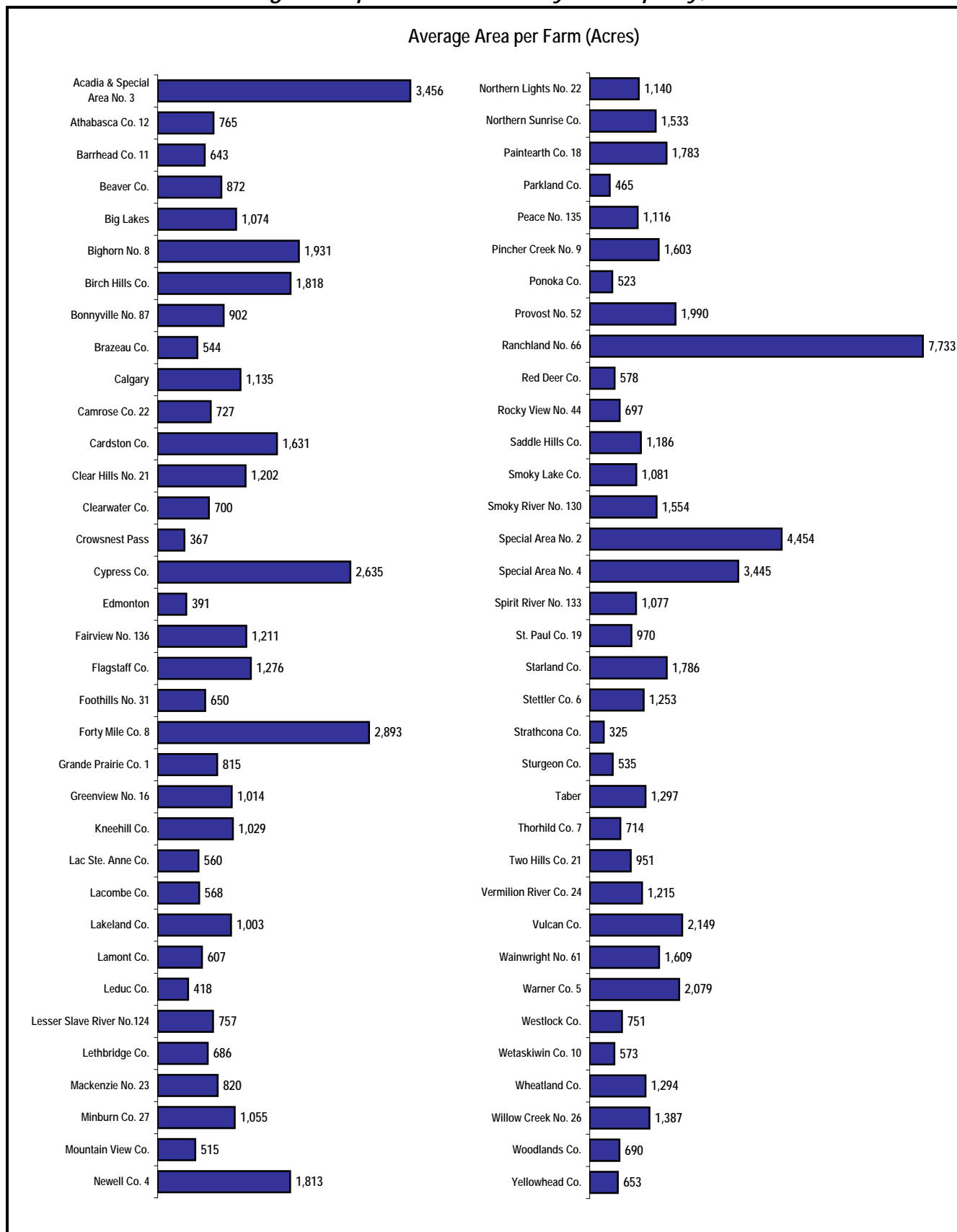
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Average Area per Alberta Farm by Municipality, 2006

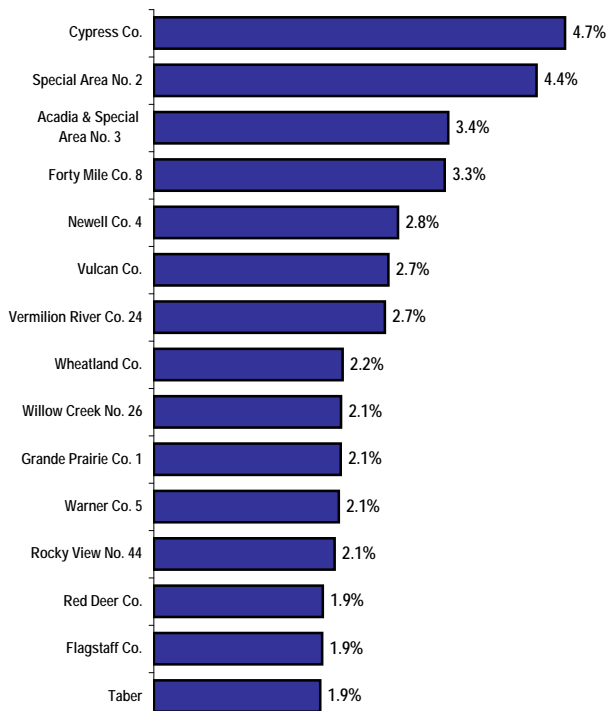


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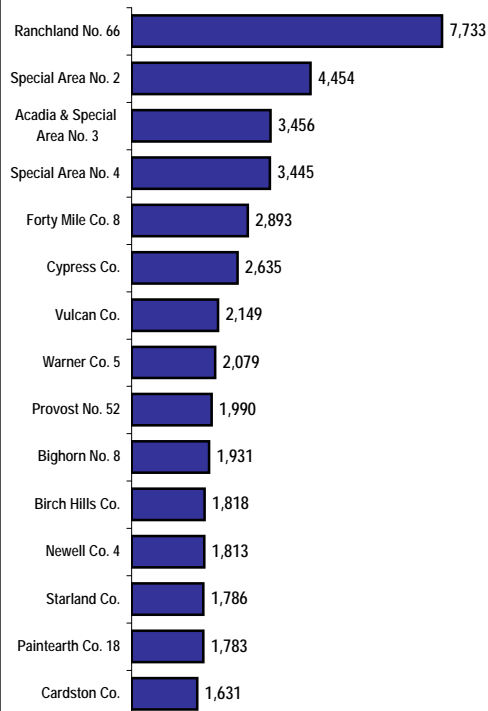
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Top 15 Municipalities in Alberta, 2006

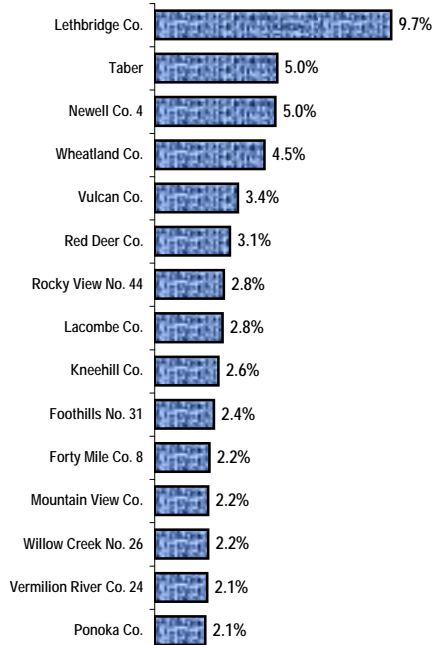
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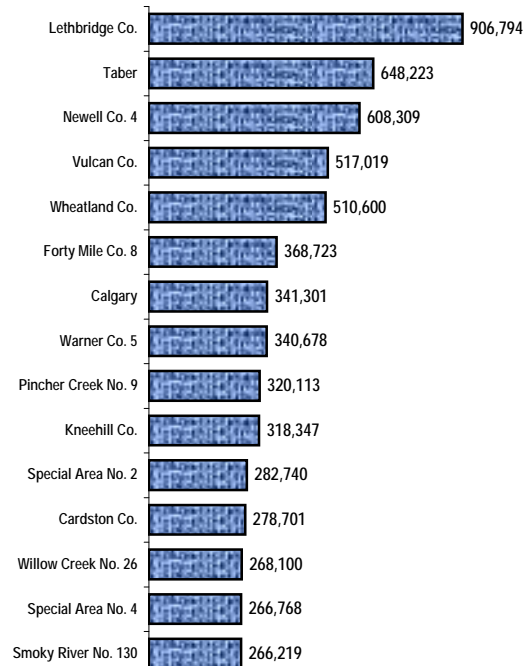
Average Farm Area (Acres)



Distribution of Total Gross Farm Receipts in Alberta



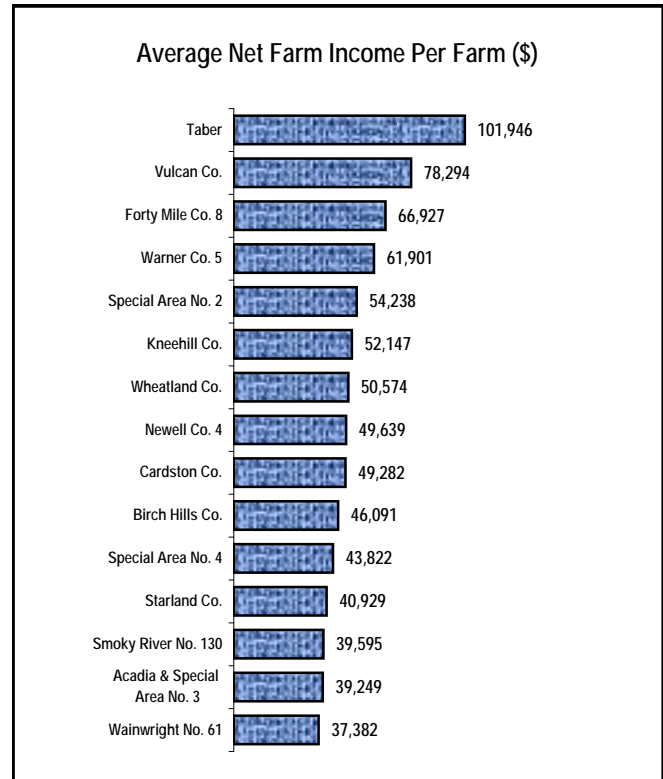
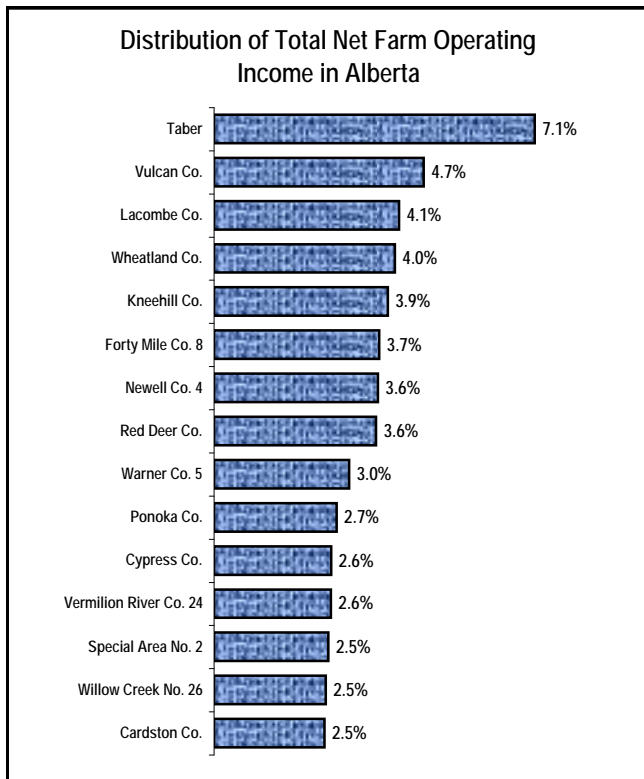
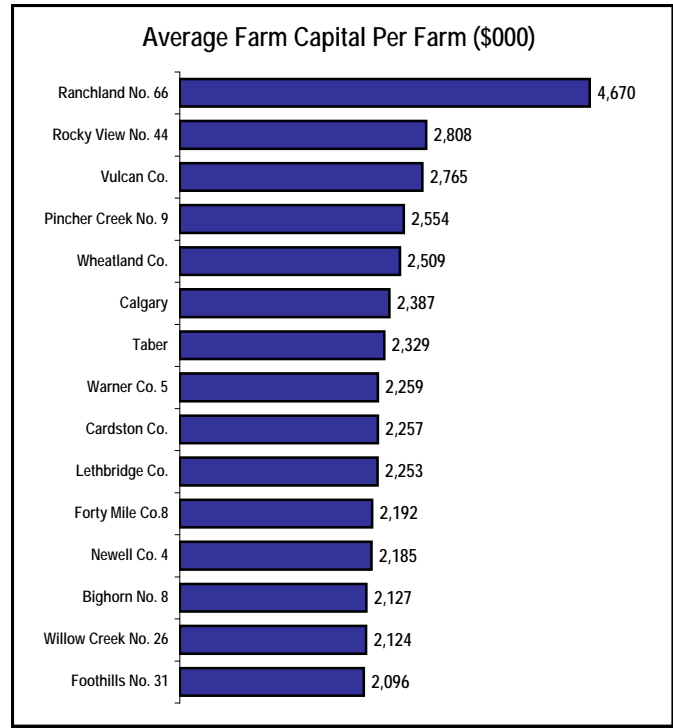
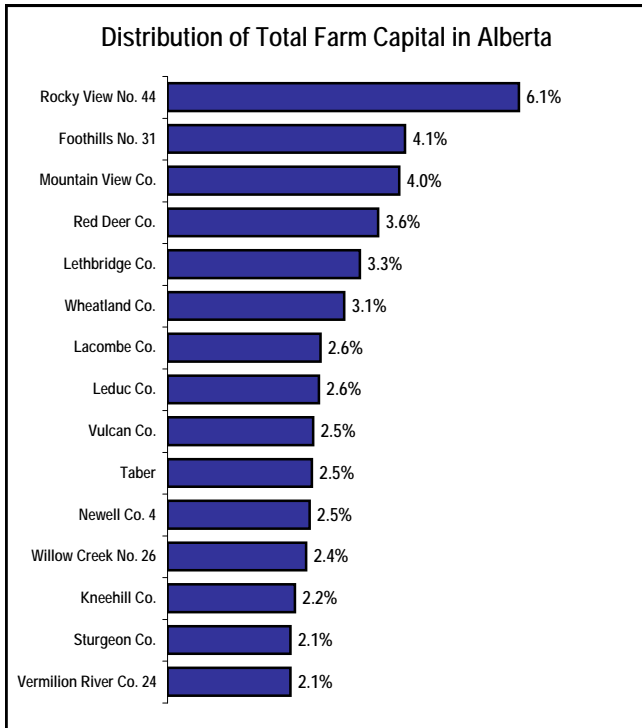
Average Gross Receipts Per Farm (\$)



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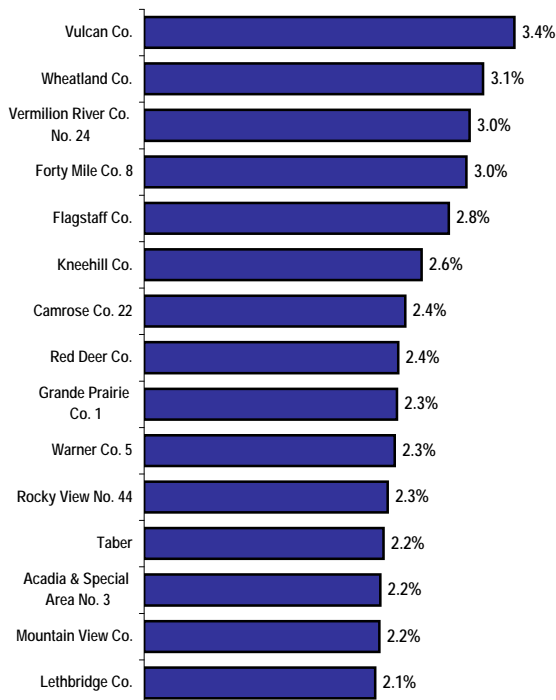
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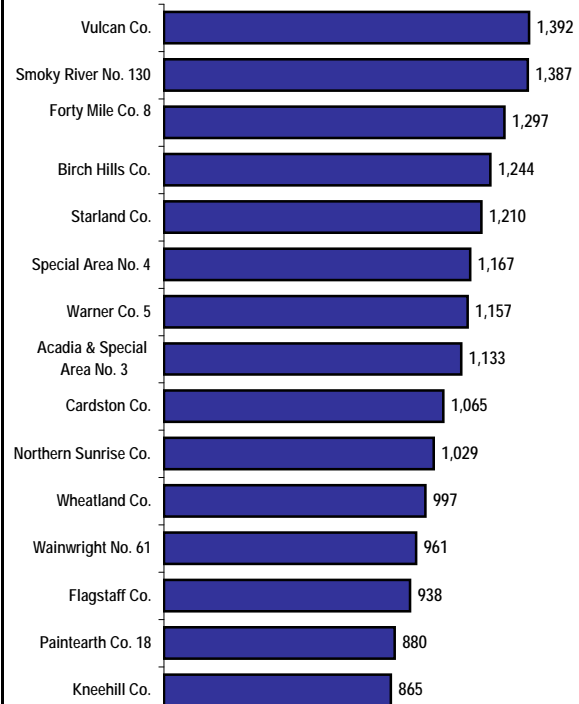


Top 15 Municipalities in Alberta, 2006

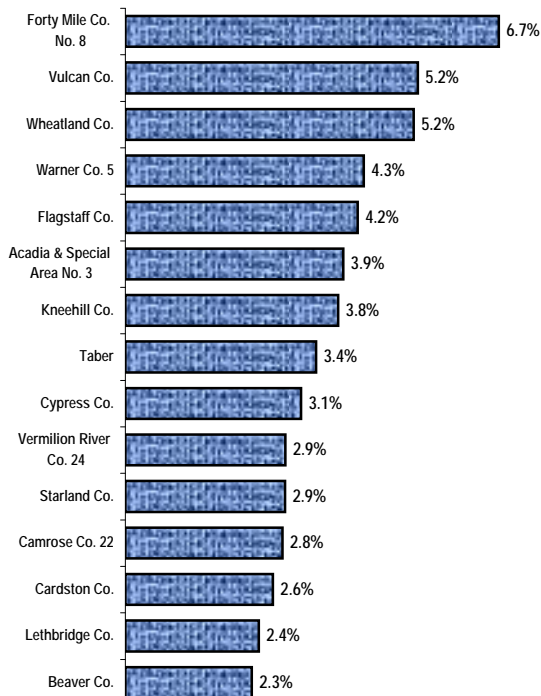
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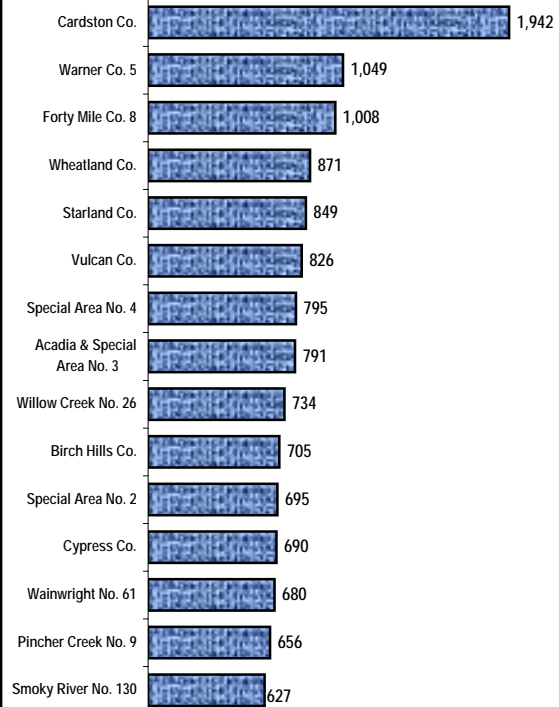
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Distribution of Total Wheat Area in Alberta



Average Wheat Area Per Farm (Acres)

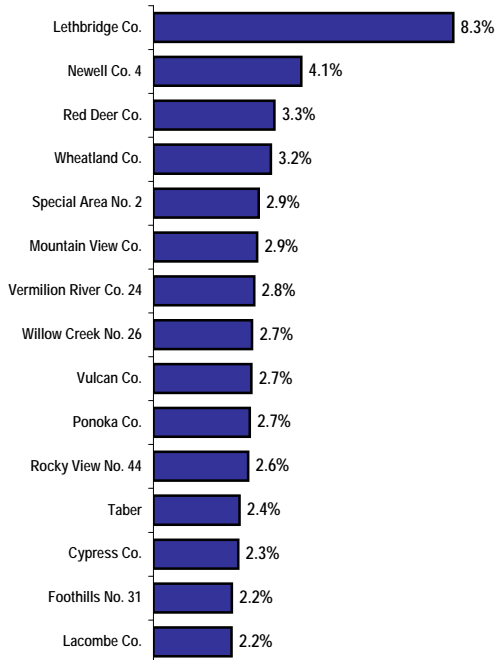


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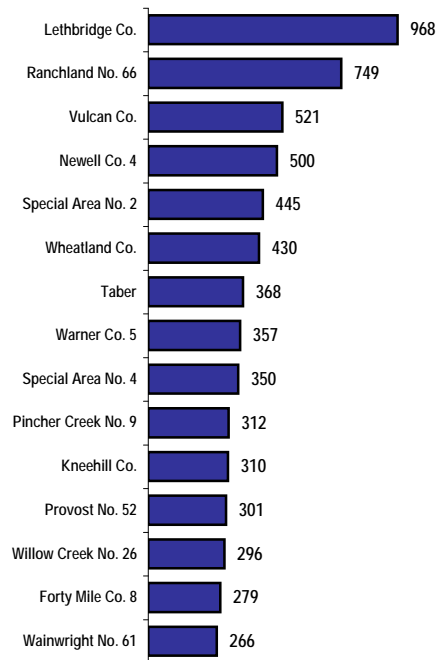
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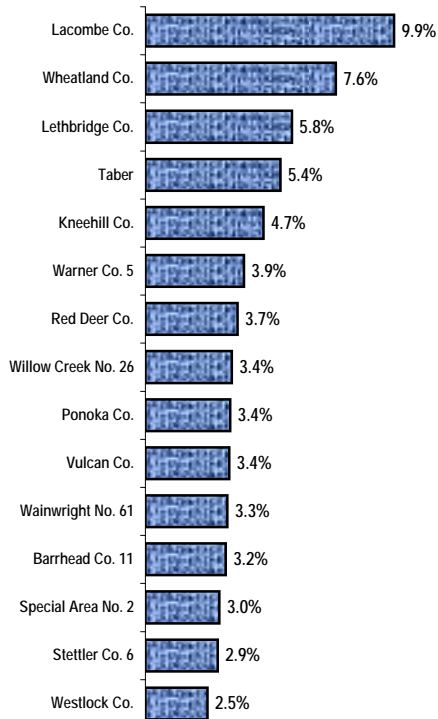
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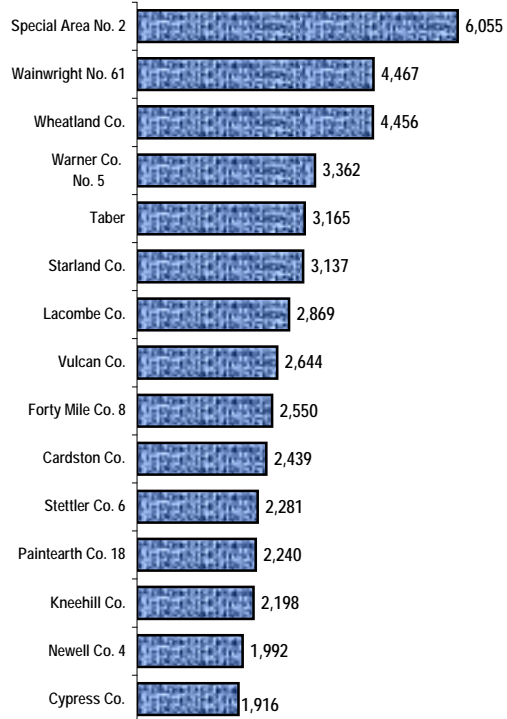
Average Number of Cattle and Calves Per Farm



Distribution of Total Pigs in Alberta



Average Number of Pigs Per Farm

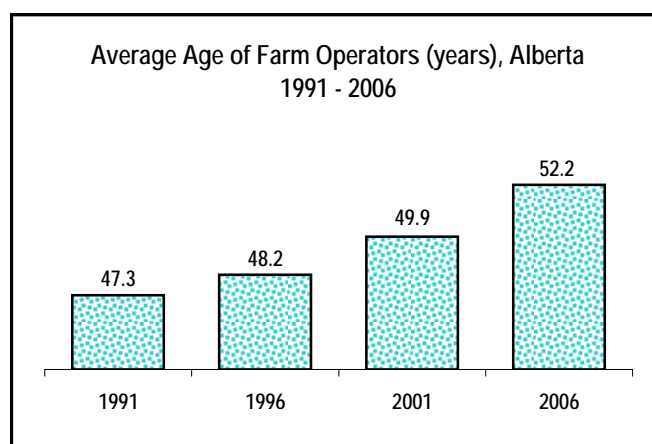
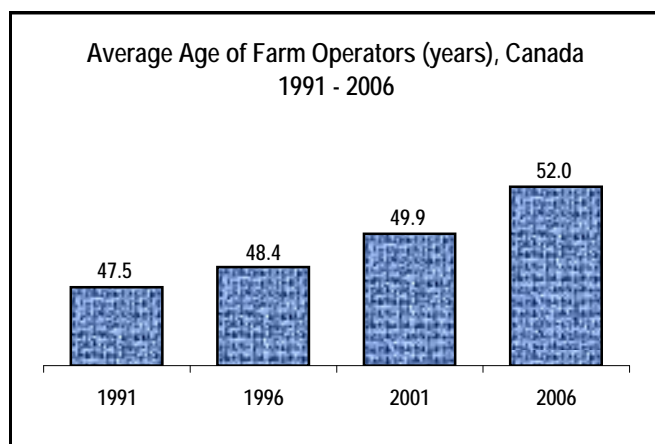
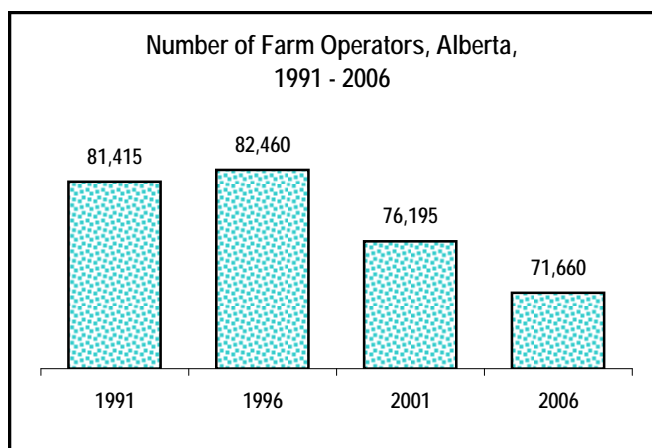
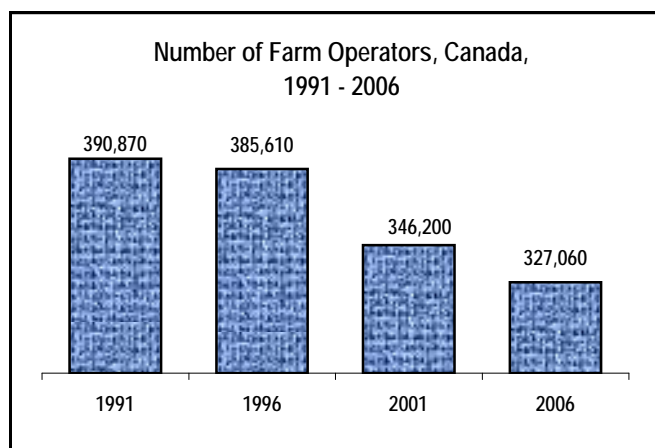


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Table 8: Farm Operators, Canada and Provinces, 1991-2006

	CANADA	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
Number of Operators											
1991	390,870	900	3,130	5,165	4,235	53,350	100,910	34,780	78,025	81,415	28,955
1996	385,610	925	2,930	5,725	4,340	53,155	96,940	33,255	72,925	82,455	32,950
2001	346,200	785	2,455	5,085	3,900	47,385	85,015	28,790	66,275	76,195	30,320
2006	327,060	710	2,330	5,100	3,695	45,470	82,410	26,625	59,185	71,660	29,870
Per Cent Change from Previous Census Year											
1996	-1.3	2.8	-6.4	10.8	2.5	-0.4	-3.9	-4.4	-6.5	1.3	13.8
2001	-10.2	-15.1	-16.2	-11.2	-10.1	-10.9	-12.3	-13.4	-9.1	-7.6	-8.0
2006	-5.5	-9.6	-5.1	0.3	-5.3	-4.1	-3.1	-7.5	-10.7	-6.0	-1.5
Average Age of Farm Operators (years)											
1991	47.5	46.2	47.6	48.3	48.1	44.3	48.3	47.4	48.2	47.3	48.9
1996	48.4	47.7	48.0	49.1	49.4	45.2	49.4	47.7	49.2	48.2	49.4
2001	49.9	50.5	49.3	51.0	51.0	47.0	50.7	49.0	50.5	49.9	51.4
2006	52.0	52.3	51.4	53.2	52.8	49.3	52.6	51.2	52.6	52.2	53.6



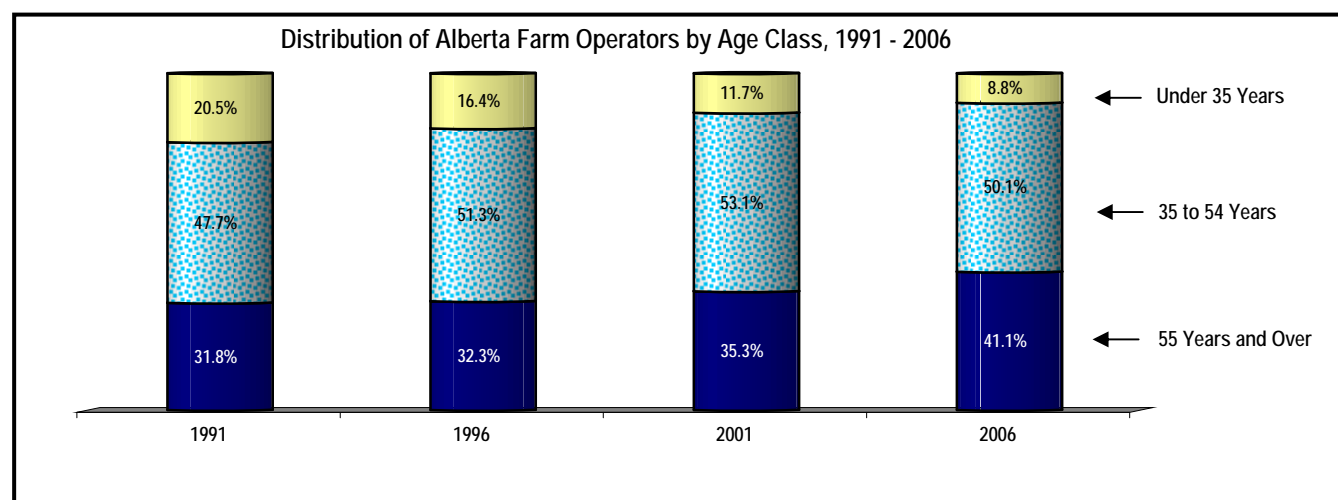
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Table 9: Farm Operators by Age Class, Canada and Provinces, 1991-2006

	CANADA	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
Per Cent of All Operators Under 35 years of Age											
1991	19.9	15.2	20.1	16.8	16.4	25.3	18.3	20.7	20.0	20.5	14.4
1996	15.8	12.9	16.7	13.4	12.1	20.2	14.3	17.8	15.6	16.4	11.5
2001	11.5	6.4	10.8	9.3	9.0	13.7	10.6	13.4	12.3	11.7	7.9
2006	9.1	6.3	9.0	7.1	7.3	11.3	8.6	10.7	10.0	8.8	5.9
Per Cent of All Operators 35 to 54 Years of Age											
1991	48.0	59.6	46.6	50.5	52.5	52.3	47.6	46.8	44.6	47.7	51.5
1996	51.9	59.7	51.8	53.8	54.3	57.2	50.5	51.2	49.1	51.3	55.1
2001	53.6	62.4	56.6	52.5	54.9	60.4	51.9	53.8	51.1	53.1	54.0
2006	50.2	54.5	51.8	47.6	49.2	56.4	48.9	50.9	47.9	50.1	48.7
Per Cent of All Operators 55 Years of Age and Over											
1991	32.1	25.3	33.2	32.7	31.1	22.4	34.2	32.5	35.4	31.8	34.1
1996	32.3	27.4	31.5	32.8	33.6	22.6	35.2	31.1	35.3	32.3	33.5
2001	34.9	31.2	32.8	38.1	36.0	25.9	37.5	32.8	36.7	35.3	38.1
2006	40.7	39.2	39.1	45.3	43.5	32.3	42.5	38.4	42.1	41.1	45.3

Alberta Farm Operators by Age Class, 1991- 2006

	1991	1996	2001	2006
Number of Operators				
All Operators	81,420	82,455	76,195	71,660
Age - Under 35 years	16,660	13,485	8,900	6,290
Age - 35 to 54 years	38,845	42,315	40,430	35,935
Age - 55 years and over	25,910	26,655	26,875	29,440

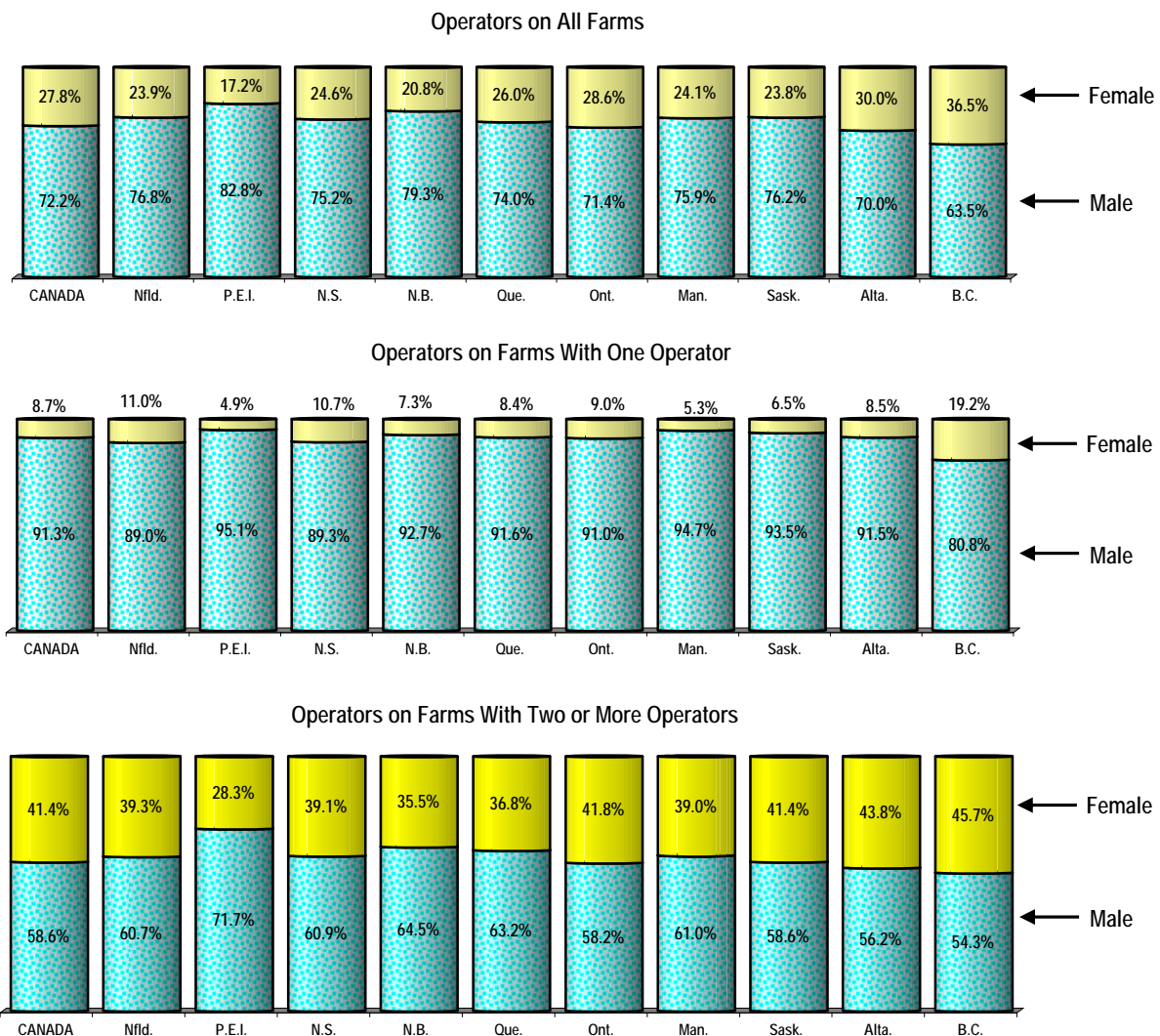


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Table 10: Farm Operators by Sex and Number of Operators Per Farm, Canada and Provinces, 2006

	CANADA	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
Number of Operators on All Farms											
Total Male	236,220	545	1,930	3,835	2,930	33,645	58,875	20,210	45,100	50,190	18,955
Total female	90,840	170	400	1,255	770	11,825	23,530	6,415	14,090	21,470	10,910
Number of Operators on Farms With One Operator											
Male	124,645	365	1,070	2,295	1,780	15,895	30,225	11,165	27,840	25,670	8,350
Female	11,855	45	55	275	140	1,465	2,980	625	1,920	2,370	1,990
Number of Operators on Farms With Two or More Operators											
Male	111,570	185	860	1,545	1,145	17,755	28,650	9,050	17,260	24,525	10,605
Female	78,980	120	340	990	630	10,355	20,560	5,785	12,175	19,095	8,920

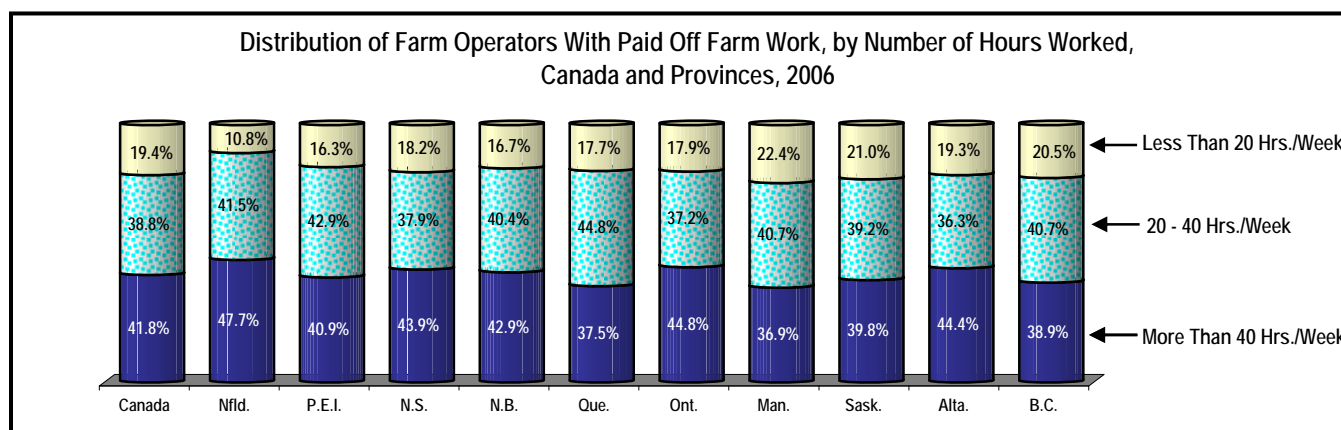
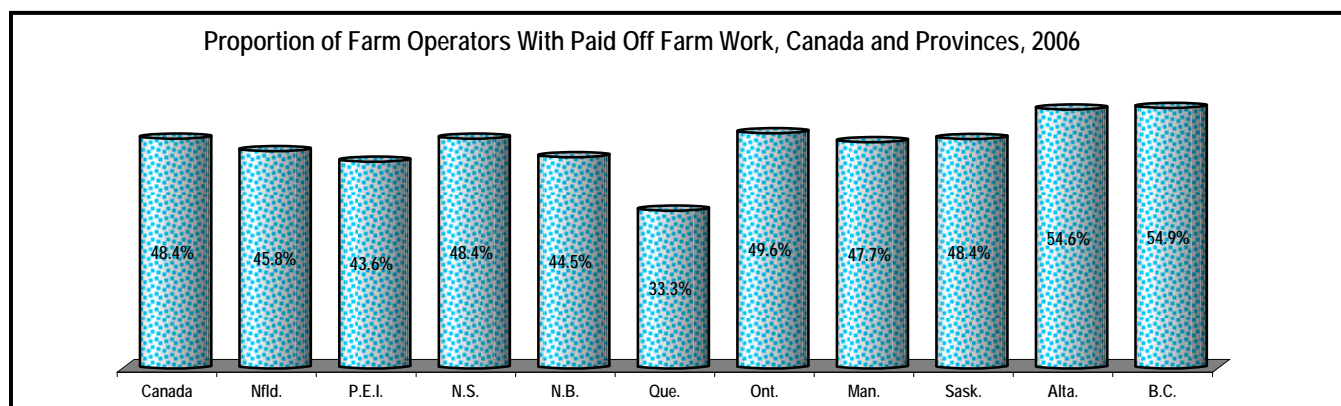
Distribution of Male and Female Operators on Farms, Canada and Provinces, 2006



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Table 11: Farm Operators With Paid Off Farm Work, Canada and Provinces, 2006 Census of Agriculture

	CANADA	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
	Number of Operators										
All Farm Operators	327,060	710	2,330	5,100	3,695	45,470	82,410	26,625	59,185	71,660	29,870
Total Operators With Paid Non-Farm Work	158,255	325	1,015	2,470	1,645	15,125	40,850	12,695	28,625	39,105	16,395
Average Hours of Non-Farm Work Per Week:											
Less Than 20 Hours	30,715	35	165	450	275	2,680	7,325	2,845	6,005	7,560	3,360
20 to 40 Hours	61,380	135	435	935	665	6,775	15,205	5,165	11,215	14,190	6,665
More Than 40 Hours	66,160	155	415	1,085	705	5,670	18,320	4,685	11,405	17,355	6,370
	Per Cent of All Farm Operators										
Total Operators With Paid Off Farm Work	48.4%	45.8%	43.6%	48.4%	44.5%	33.3%	49.6%	47.7%	48.4%	54.6%	54.9%
Average Hours of Non-Farm Work Per Week:											
Less Than 20 Hours	9.4%	4.9%	7.1%	8.8%	7.4%	5.9%	8.9%	10.7%	10.1%	10.5%	11.2%
20 to 40 Hours	18.8%	19.0%	18.7%	18.3%	18.0%	14.9%	18.5%	19.4%	18.9%	19.8%	22.3%
More Than 40 Hours	20.2%	21.8%	17.8%	21.3%	19.1%	12.5%	22.2%	17.6%	19.3%	24.2%	21.3%



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