

Table 65: Registrations and Sales of Registered Horses in Alberta, 1997-2006

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004r	2005r	2006p
Registration by Breed Association - Head										
Arabian.....	563	522	391	394	375	467	283	246	257	241
Appaloosa.....	442	402	353	316	226	198	170	126	207	130
Morgan.....	231	264	200	306	290	295	250	225	248	253
Paint.....	1,649	1,805	1,843	1,824	1,489	1,382	1,095	1,075	855	916
Quarter Horse.....	4,046	4,770	5,753	6,265	6,287	6,516	6,162	6,133	5,836	6,342
Standardbred.....	332	314	334	424	324	272	298	309	310	353
Thoroughbred.....	498	493	533	480	490	478	498	492	558	550
Draft.....	309	327	284	261	247	307	250	201	228	190
Other (1).....	520	664	709	657	954	843	658	678	764	910
Total.....	8,590	9,561	10,400	10,927	10,682	10,758	9,664	9,485	9,263	9,885
Ownership Transfers - Head										
Arabian (2).....	566	538	470	539	392	433	268	293	328	279
Appaloosa.....	358	323	344	305	269	219	293	144	125	127
Morgan.....	243	232	363	383	387	439	388	332	320	238
Paint.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quarter Horse.....	4,618	5,492	5,495	5,959	5,984	5,971	5,736	5,431	5,506	5,533
Standardbred.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thoroughbred.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Draft.....	270	391	359	262	281	306	250	192	226	328
Other (1).....	628	788	934	746	1,189	1,110	912	807	944	947
Total (3).....	6,683	7,764	7,965	8,194	8,502	8,478	7,847	7,199	7,449	7,452

(1) Other registrations and transfers include the addition of donkey data in 2001.

(2) Part breed transfers are not recorded (except when made at time of registration).

(3) Transfer totals do not include Standardbreds, Thoroughbreds and Paints.

Source: Alberta Agriculture and Food, Livestock Development Division, Forage and Horse Branch; and Breed Registries

Table 66: Alberta Horse Meat Exports by Destination, 1997-2006

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Quantity - tonnes										
Europe.....	7,246	7,323	6,121	5,504	7,180	5,989	5,410	5,300	4,793	4,175
Japan.....	5,110	5,081	4,846	3,947	3,595	2,222	2,283	3,041	3,245	3,163
United States.....	23	0	0	40	86	18	21	0	0	0
Other Countries.....	254	106	0	377	383	356	1,413	1,522	1,728	1,454
Total.....	12,633	12,510	10,967	9,867	11,244	8,585	9,127	9,863	9,766	8,792
Value - \$'000										
Europe.....	41,492	42,744	39,076	33,829	47,421	38,043	31,307	31,366	28,488	25,880
Japan.....	17,466	19,452	19,347	17,192	17,095	12,952	11,347	13,825	16,752	15,817
United States.....	23	0	0	44	189	18	19	0	0	0
Other Countries.....	407	305	0	612	744	626	1,895	2,675	3,067	2,372
Total.....	59,388	62,501	58,422	51,677	65,450	51,639	44,568	47,866	48,307	44,069

Source: Statistics Canada; and Alberta Agriculture and Food, Statistics and Data Development Unit