

Table 72: Alberta Game Farming Industry, 1996-2005

	Licenced Game Farms	Farms With Elk	Elk on Farms	Farms With Deer	Whitetail Deer on Farms	Mule Deer on Farms	Reindeer on Farms
	Number						
1996.....	310	227	12,173	91	2,920	435	-
1997.....	400	273	15,449	136	3,717	360	-
1998.....	459	335	19,638	155	4,884	282	66
1999.....	513	377	25,914	168	6,499	319	159
2000.....	575	424	33,265	182	8,601	323	191
2001.....	601	451	42,021	181	11,057	391	251
2002.....	605	460	48,186	188	12,152	442	289
2003.....	602	453	45,963	172	9,663	408	317
2004.....	535	426	41,631	138	8,400	403	318
2005p.....	505	391	36,541	123	8,026	317	329

Source: Diversified Livestock Branch, Livestock Development Division of Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development