

38.—Acreage of Nursery Stock, by Province, 1951-63

Province	1961		1962 ¹		1963	
	Fruit Species	Ornamental Species	Fruit Species	Ornamental Species	Fruit Species	Ornamental Species
	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
Quebec ¹	42	340	34	264	24	322
Ontario.....	514	3,299	364	2,583	2,311	2,526
Prairie Provinces.....	93	550	95	508	77	545
British Columbia.....	89	161	108	218	70	1,531
Totals.....	738	4,350	601	3,573	2,482	4,924

¹ Includes the Maritime Provinces for which insufficient information was reported.

Greenhouse Operations.—Annual surveys have been made of greenhouse operations for 1955 and subsequent years. Data are reported by firms and individuals returning questionnaires, with the exception of that for cucumbers and tomatoes grown in Essex County of Ontario (the most important producing area), which is based on information obtained from the local co-operative marketing agency. Only greenhouses used for the production of items for sale are included in the survey.

39.—Greenhouse Operations, by Province, 1963, with Totals for 1959-63

Province	Firms Reporting	Area			Value of Sales (Wholesale)			
		Under Glass	Under Cloth	Open Field	Cut Flowers and Potted Plants	Vegetables	Plants—Rooted Cuttings, etc., for Growing On	Total Sales
		No.	sq. ft.	sq. ft.	acres	\$	\$	\$
Newfoundland... Prince Edward Island.....	6	23,920	—	1.8	42,328	1,295	9,885	53,508
Nova Scotia.....	39	678,443	5,300	4.5	710,790	182,051	63,206	956,047
New Brunswick.....	23	203,837	9,880	9.4	338,418	1	26,682	365,100
Quebec.....	112	1,209,583	29,545	67.0	1,804,500	42,889	409,951	2,257,340
Ontario.....	611	15,502,745	350,330	392.5	10,318,734	5,260,278	2,204,138	17,733,150
Manitoba.....	29	222,899	6,300	6.7	166,677	1	103,287	269,964
Saskatchewan.....	13	218,600	1,700	7.5	213,593	15,307	77,715	306,615
Alberta.....	45	1,694,588	3,600	34.5	1,612,494	205,402	247,482	2,065,378
British Columbia.....	317	3,980,803 ²	31,016	283.9	2,743,538	1,111,416	352,068	4,207,022 ³
Totals, 1963.....	1,195	23,735,418³	437,671	807.8	17,951,072	6,818,638	3,494,414	28,264,124³
1962.....	976	19,734,129	408,970	906.9	16,391,108	5,059,615	2,767,547	24,218,270
1961.....	1,074	15,474,888	435,912	3,160.0	15,668,154	4,389,100	2,341,156	22,398,410
1960.....	1,045	15,672,066	453,718	2,244.6	14,899,047	4,015,284	2,502,170	21,416,501
1959.....	1,191	15,778,177	590,372	1,928.4	16,948,269	3,421,308	2,191,411	22,560,988

¹ Included in Nova Scotia.

² Included in Saskatchewan.

³ Total area of glass and value of vegetable sales for British Columbia not comparable with data for previous years.