

4.—Fur Farms and Value of Pelts Produced Thereon, by Province, 1962 and 1963

Province	Fur Farms at Year End		Value of Pelts Produced on Fur Farms	
	1962 <sup>r</sup>	1963	1962 <sup>r</sup>	1963
	No.	No.	\$	\$
Newfoundland.....	37	38	426,551	556,053
Prince Edward Island.....	15	13	43,149	45,165
Nova Scotia.....	106	120	903,654	1,246,474
New Brunswick.....	31	33	88,935	85,691
Quebec.....	182	142	1,335,404	1,488,463
Ontario.....	721	816 <sup>1</sup>	5,786,231	6,896,156 <sup>1</sup>
Manitoba.....	207	199	3,099,042	3,118,543
Saskatchewan.....	143	137	1,220,697	1,236,005
Alberta.....	265	254	2,462,650	2,904,978
British Columbia.....	408	405	4,401,778	4,601,504
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>2,115</b>	<b>2,157</b>	<b>19,769,558<sup>r</sup></b>	<b>22,179,953<sup>r</sup></b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes some nutria farms not previously contacted; thus, larger figures do not necessarily reflect an actual increase. <sup>2</sup> Includes some pelts not valued by province.

5.—Number and Value of Pelts Produced on Fur Farms, by Kind, 1962 and 1963

Kind	1962 <sup>r</sup>		1963	
	Pelts	Value	Pelts	Value
	No.	\$	No.	\$
<b>Fox.....</b>	<b>1,647</b>	<b>16,470</b>	<b>837</b>	<b>10,462</b>
Blue.....	69	690	55	688
Platinum.....	748	7,480	320	4,000
Silver.....	753	7,530	409	5,112
Unspecified.....	77	770	53	662
<b>Mink.....</b>	<b>1,295,672</b>	<b>19,593,300</b>	<b>1,390,139</b>	<b>21,989,675</b>
Standard.....	221,568	4,005,949	263,173	5,387,153
Grey.....	44,974	586,462	49,518	607,585
Dark blue.....	95,853	1,358,238	75,912	1,093,893
Light blue.....	253,634	4,012,490	274,047	4,028,491
Brown.....	437,129	6,089,208	463,052	7,214,350
Beige.....	176,608	2,719,763	204,311	2,901,216
White.....	65,906	821,190	60,126	756,987
<b>Chinchilla.....</b>	<b>11,193</b>	<b>151,755</b>	<b>12,308</b>	<b>172,748</b>
<b>Nutria.....</b>	<b>3,703</b>	<b>7,406</b>	<b>3,411</b>	<b>6,822</b>
<b>Totals<sup>1</sup>.....</b>	<b>1,312,310</b>	<b>19,769,558</b>	<b>1,406,740</b>	<b>22,179,953</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes pelts not allocated by type.

**Exports and Imports.**—The Canadian fur trade, both export and import, is mostly in undressed furs, the value of dressed and manufactured furs going out of or coming into Canada being a comparatively small proportion of the total. Canadian fur exports consist largely of those produced in greatest abundance, mink being by far the most valuable followed by beaver, seal, muskrat, fox, dressed raccoon and squirrel. Mink, Persian lamb, dressed seal, fox, muskrat and raccoon make up a large part of the imports. Exports and imports of furs, undressed, dressed and manufactured, to and from Britain, the United States and all countries, are given for the years 1963 and 1964 in Table 6.