During 1973-74 there were 106 provincially authorized marketing boards operating in Canada, including the milk control boards mentioned earlier in this section, as well as the Canadian Wheat Board, a federal board. Boards are established in all provinces, led by Quebec with 26 and Ontario with 20. An estimated 54% of 1973 farm cash income was received from sales made under the jurisdiction of marketing boards. A variety of agricultural commodities were sold under marketing boards, including grains, pigs, milk, fruit, potatoes and other vegetables, tobacco, poultry, eggs, wood, soya beans, honey, maple products and pulpwood. At year-end 1974, the federal government had delegated authority to 73 provincial boards to control the marketing of their products in interprovincial and export trade.

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