

11.28 Use of agricultural land, by province, censuses 1971¹ and 1976 (hectares, with acres in parentheses)

	Newfoundland		Prince Edward Island		Nova Scotia	
	1971	1976	1971	1976	1971	1976
Improved land	6 112 (15,104)	9 755 (24,105)	179 540 (443,654)	194 147 (479,749)	130 497 (322,464)	147 853 (365,353)
Under crops ²	2 705 (6,683)	3 518 (8,694)	130 405 (322,239)	151 841 (375,208)	83 739 (206,924)	100 068 (247,273)
Pasture (improved)	2 689 (6,645)	5 488 (13,561)	39 911 (98,623)	36 367 (89,866)	36 231 (89,530)	37 217 (91,965)
Summerfallow	166 (410)	128 (316)	3 222 (7,962)	2 192 (5,417)	2 132 (5,269)	2 647 (6,542)
Other	553 (1,366)	621 (1,534)	6 001 (14,830)	3 747 (9,258)	8 393 (20,741)	7 921 (19,573)
Unimproved land	15 042 (37,170)	19 668 (48,601)	90 713 (224,156)	83 902 (207,327)	277 566 (685,880)	252 396 (623,684)
Woodland	3 315 (8,191)	6 800 (16,803)	70 022 (173,029)	68 529 (169,339)	222 828 (550,621)	206 150 (509,408)
Other	11 727 (28,979)	12 868 (31,798)	20 690 (51,127)	15 373 (37,988)	54 737 (135,259)	46 246 (114,276)
Total	21 155 (52,274)	29 423 (72,706)	270 253 (667,810)	278 050 (687,076)	408 062 (1,008,344)	400 249 (989,037)
	New Brunswick		Quebec		Ontario	
	1971	1976	1971	1976	1971	1976
Improved land	165 711 (409,482)	171 844 (424,635)	2 292 925 (5,665,943)	2 245 347 (5,548,374)	4 043 807 (9,992,467)	4 333 292 (10,707,799)
Under crops ²	113 465 (280,379)	126 546 (312,702)	1 566 883 (3,871,854)	1 737 809 (4,294,219)	2 971 846 (7,343,593)	3 414 815 (8,438,192)
Pasture (improved)	37 919 (93,700)	36 225 (89,515)	600 894 (1,484,842)	439 488 (1,085,998)	844 808 (2,087,567)	710 235 (1,755,028)
Summerfallow	2 949 (7,288)	1 636 (4,042)	27 757 (68,588)	18 235 (45,059)	81 752 (202,014)	69 327 (171,310)
Other	11 378 (28,115)	7 437 (18,376)	97 391 (240,659)	49 816 (123,098)	145 401 (359,293)	138 916 (343,269)
Unimproved land	259 827 (642,047)	230 484 (569,539)	1 447 507 (3,576,867)	1 408 787 (3,481,188)	1 698 877 (4,198,016)	1 633 523 (4,036,525)
Woodland	209 553 (517,816)	190 311 (470,270)	1 041 715 (2,574,134)	1 021 485 (2,524,145)	775 287 (1,915,775)	760 984 (1,880,432)
Other	50 275 (124,231)	40 173 (99,269)	405 792 (1,002,733)	387 301 (957,043)	923 590 (2,282,241)	872 540 (2,156,093)
Total	425 539 (1,051,529)	402 328 (994,174)	3 740 432 (9,242,810)	3 654 134 (9,029,562)	5 742 684 (14,190,483)	5 966 816 (14,744,324)
	Manitoba		Saskatchewan		Alberta	
	1971	1976	1971	1976	1971	1976
Improved land	4 982 862 (12,312,921)	5 181 499 (12,803,765)	18 462 689 (45,622,303)	18 895 957 (46,692,931)	11 085 839 (27,393,709)	11 790 925 (29,136,013)
Under crops ²	3 565 502 (8,810,549)	3 829 500 (9,462,902)	10 876 547 (26,876,536)	10 589 287 (26,166,700)	7 056 627 (17,437,308)	7 614 120 (18,814,902)
Pasture (improved)	277 492 (685,697)	307 067 (758,779)	778 557 (1,923,857)	900 779 (2,225,875)	1 062 955 (2,626,619)	1 310 083 (3,237,287)
Summerfallow	1 031 155 (2,548,040)	925 666 (2,287,371)	6 586 578 (16,275,790)	7 176 505 (17,733,533)	2 740 527 (6,771,991)	2 610 729 (6,451,254)
Other	108 713 (268,635)	119 266 (294,713)	221 007 (546,120)	229 385 (566,823)	225 730 (557,791)	255 992 (632,570)
Unimproved land	2 315 522 (5,721,780)	2 429 496 (6,003,416)	7 337 359 (18,131,010)	7 536 671 (18,623,523)	8 049 842 (19,891,595)	8 249 057 (20,383,865)
Woodland	343 181 (848,020)	362 881 (896,699)	374 228 (924,737)	407 091 (1,005,945)	558 355 (1,379,726)	683 094 (1,687,963)
Other	1 972 340 (4,873,760)	2 066 615 (5,106,717)	6 963 131 (17,206,273)	7 129 580 (17,617,578)	7 491 487 (18,511,869)	7 565 962 (18,695,902)
Total	7 298 384 (18,034,701)	7 610 995 (18,807,181)	25 800 048 (63,753,313)	26 432 628 (65,316,454)	19 135 682 (47,285,304)	20 039 981 (49,519,878)
	British Columbia		Yukon Territory and Northwest Territories		Canada	
	1971	1976	1971	1976	1971	1976
Improved land	627 887 (1,551,544)	736 237 (1,819,281)	490 (1,211)	576 (1,422)	41 978 362 (103,730,802)	43 707 432 (108,003,427)
Under crops ²	398 260 (984,121)	473 803 (1,170,794)	88 (219)	460 (1,137)	26 766 069 (66,140,405)	28 041 767 (69,292,723)
Pasture (improved)	139 207 (343,989)	161 543 (399,182)	382 (943)	65 (161)	3 821 046 (9,442,012)	3 944 558 (9,747,217)
Summerfallow	62 243 (153,807)	66 296 (163,821)	13 (32)	21 (51)	10 538 495 (26,041,191)	10 873 382 (26,868,716)
Other	28 177 (69,627)	34 594 (85,484)	7 (17)	30 (73)	852 751 (2,107,194)	847 724 (2,094,771)
Unimproved land	1 464 465 (3,618,773)	1 615 566 (3,992,150)	195 (481)	1 220 (3,015)	22 956 914 (56,727,775)	23 460 771 (57,972,833)
Woodland	278 617 (688,477)	275 166 (679,950)	— (—)	18 (44)	3 877 101 (9,580,526)	3 982 510 (9,840,998)
Other	1 185 849 (2,930,296)	1 340 400 (3,312,200)	195 (481)	1 202 (2,971)	19 079 813 (47,147,249)	19 478 261 (48,131,835)
Total	2 092 353 (5,170,317)	2 351 802 (5,811,431)	685 (1,692)	1 796 (4,437)	64 935 275 (160,458,577)	67 168 202 (165,976,260)

¹Based on 1976 census-farm definition.

²Includes field, vegetable, fruit and nursery cropland.