

9.44 Farm capital by province, 1986 Census, and by year, 1951-81

Province and year	Total number of farms	Value (\$'000,000)			Total capital value \$'000,000
		Land and buildings	Machinery and equipment	Livestock and poultry	
1986					
Newfoundland	651	78.4	14.9	12.9	106.2
Prince Edward Island	2,833	489.5	170.8	78.3	738.6
Nova Scotia	4,283	655.2	184.7	126.9	966.7
New Brunswick	3,554	489.4	176.8	94.5	760.7
Quebec	41,448	5,951.4	2,038.8	1,455.9	9,446.1
Ontario	72,713	17,972.5	3,695.8	2,068.9	23,737.2
Manitoba	27,336	6,584.3	2,231.2	739.2	9,554.6
Saskatchewan	63,431	21,830.0	6,144.3	1,279.9	29,254.2
Alberta	57,777	20,773.5	5,382.3	2,467.6	28,623.4
British Columbia	19,063	5,263.8	726.1	497.9	6,487.9
Canada	293,089	80,088.0	20,765.7	8,822.0	109,675.7
1951	623,091	5,527.2	1,933.3	2,010.4	9,470.9
1961	480,903	8,622.6	2,568.6	1,979.9	13,171.2
1971	366,128	16,936.0	3,909.2	3,221.3	24,067.9
1976	338,578	43,556.4	9,034.5	4,464.9	57,055.8
1981	318,361	103,275.1	17,444.2	9,585.1	130,304.4

9.45 Farm operating expenses and depreciation charges (million dollars)

Item	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986 ^P
Property taxes	240.9	254.8	249.3	280.0	296.9
Gross farm rent	664.2	694.2	695.8	690.4	645.1
Wages to agricultural labour					
Cash wages	1,140.7	1,221.5	1,256.5	1,345.2	1,408.6
Room and board	23.8	23.2	23.8	25.3	26.7
Sub-total, wages to agricultural labour	1,164.5	1,244.8	1,280.4	1,370.5	1,435.3
Interest on indebtedness	2,241.6	1,865.2	1,973.4	1,837.8	1,816.7
Machinery expenses					
Gasoline, diesel and lubricant	1,181.7	1,255.0	1,279.3	1,278.0	980.8
Machinery repairs and other expenses	1,081.4	1,130.9	1,114.6	1,161.5	1,222.1
Sub-total, machinery expenses	2,263.1	2,385.9	2,393.9	2,439.5	2,202.9
Fertilizer and lime					
Fertilizer	1,114.2	1,200.0	1,319.1	1,390.5	1,301.9
Lime	14.5	14.4	15.6	15.6	16.0
Sub-total, fertilizer and lime	1,128.7	1,214.3	1,334.7	1,406.1	1,317.9
Other crop expenses					
Pesticides	533.8	584.1	644.4	688.7	682.0
Seed and seedlings	316.2	335.3	376.8	385.4	388.9
Irrigation	12.0	13.0	13.7	13.3	14.4
Twine, wire and containers	91.2	92.4	95.2	98.8	104.2
Sub-total, other crop expenses	953.2	1,024.7	1,130.1	1,186.1	1,189.5
Feed	2,002.1	1,968.1	2,161.8	2,054.5	1,831.5
Other livestock expenses					
Livestock purchases	438.6	414.2	405.5	362.2	355.9
Breed association fees	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.9	8.3
A.I. fees and veterinary	169.4	176.8	181.3	190.8	193.2
Sub-total, other livestock expenses	615.2	598.2	594.2	560.9	557.3
Repairs to buildings	254.2	256.1	258.7	256.3	272.6