

Part-time farms included those with sales of farm products between \$250 and \$1,199 in 1950 if the operator reported that he worked 100 or more days off the farm, or reported the farm income less than income from other sources. This group accounted for 10.5 p.c. of all farms in Canada.

If the value of farm products sold was less than \$250 in 1950, the farm was classified as a small-scale farm and 14 p.c. of the farms in Canada were in this class. The province with the largest proportion of small-scale farms was Newfoundland with 62.4 p.c., while Saskatchewan had the lowest with 5.3 p.c.

Experimental farms, community pastures, Indian reserves and farms operated by institutions were classified as institutional farms, etc.

#### 48.—Farm Holdings classified by Economic Classification, by Province, 1950

Economic Classification	Newfoundland	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
<b>Commercial Farms—</b>						
Value of products sold —						
\$20,000 or over .....	17	6	69	45	175	
\$15,000 — \$19,999 .....	14	13	55	37	208	
\$10,000 — \$14,999 .....	20	53	112	121	883	
\$ 7,500 — \$ 9,999 .....	32	97	165	194	1,731	
\$ 5,000 — \$ 7,499 .....	35	343	525	583	6,186	
\$ 3,750 — \$ 4,999 .....	29	535	631	704	8,392	
\$ 2,500 — \$ 3,749 .....	50	1,309	1,253	1,598	17,606	
\$ 1,200 — \$ 2,499 .....	204	2,898	3,760	4,422	35,407	
\$ 250 — \$ 1,199 .....	379	2,185	3,807	3,927	18,170	
<b>Small-Scale Farms—</b>						
Value of products sold (less than \$250) ..	2,264	1,372	7,757	8,754	24,187	
<b>Part-Time Farms .....</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>1,321</b>	<b>5,362</b>	<b>6,032</b>	<b>21,189</b>	
<b>Institutional Farms, etc. ....</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>202</b>	
<b>Totals, Occupied Farms .....</b>	<b>3,626</b>	<b>10,137</b>	<b>23,515</b>	<b>26,431</b>	<b>134,336</b>	
	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Canada <sup>1</sup>
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Commercial Farms—</b>						
Value of products sold —						
\$20,000 or over .....	1,922	240	392	1,231	312	4,409
\$15,000 — \$19,999 .....	1,801	313	549	1,015	235	4,240
\$10,000 — \$14,999 .....	4,651	1,200	2,156	2,828	570	12,594
\$ 7,500 — \$ 9,999 .....	6,804	2,115	3,709	3,400	737	18,984
\$ 5,000 — \$ 7,499 .....	16,770	5,770	10,520	7,748	1,555	50,035
\$ 3,750 — \$ 4,999 .....	16,382	5,822	11,466	7,762	1,439	53,162
\$ 2,500 — \$ 3,749 .....	24,747	9,042	20,720	12,841	2,500	91,666
\$ 1,200 — \$ 2,499 .....	32,742	12,824	33,236	21,177	4,618	151,290
\$ 250 — \$ 1,199 .....	13,428	7,464	18,772	12,964	2,730	83,827
<b>Small-Scale Farms—</b>						
Value of products sold (less than \$250) ..	17,172	4,285	5,976	8,141	7,148	87,057
<b>Part-Time Farms .....</b>	<b>13,364</b>	<b>3,271</b>	<b>4,376</b>	<b>5,118</b>	<b>4,526</b>	<b>65,135</b>
<b>Institutional Farms, etc. ....</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>692</b>
<b>Totals, Occupied Farms .....</b>	<b>149,920</b>	<b>52,383</b>	<b>112,015</b>	<b>84,315</b>	<b>26,406</b>	<b>623,091</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes data for the Yukon and Northwest Territories.

**Age of Farm Operators.**—During the period 1921-41 there had been a gradual increase in the proportion of farm operators in the higher age groups, until, in 1941, 46.1 p.c. of the operators were 50 or more years of age. This trend was reversed in 1951, however, when 40.9 p.c. were reported in this older age group, the lowest proportion since the 1921 Census.