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Hog inventories

Third quarter 2008

At October 1, 2008, hog producers reported their inventories at 12.8 million, down 1.5% from the previous quarter.

Hog inventories were down about 11% from October 1, 2007. Hog numbers began falling three years ago, as rising input costs for feed, coupled with declining hog commodity prices, cut into the profit margins for producers.

Structural changes, along with barn and farm closures have taken place in the hog industry, with almost 16% of hog producers leaving the industry since October 2007. The national breeding herd is down over 8% from October 1, 2007. Registrations from the Cull Breeding Swine Program indicate that 124,000 breeding animals have been taken out of the herd since November 1, 2007. Under this federal program, the registered barns must remain out of production for at least three years.

Hog exports continued their decline from the first quarter, while slaughter decreased slightly from the previous quarter.

Available on CANSIM: tables 003-0004, 003-0087 to 003-0090, 003-0092 and 003-0093.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 3460.

The report *Hog Statistics*, Vol. 7, no. 4 (23-010-XWE, free) is now available. From the *Publication* module of our website, under *Free Internet publications*, choose *Agriculture*.

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Hog inventories at October 1, 2008

	2008	2007 to 2008	2008	2007 to 2008	2008	2007 to 2008	2008	2007 to 2008
	Breeding		Market hogs				Total hogs	
			Under 20 kilograms		20 kilograms and over			
	thousand head	% change	thousand head	% change	thousand head	% change	thousand head	% change
Canada	1,416	-8.3	3,780	-18.9	7,599	-6.8	12,795	-10.9
Atlantic	26	-14.7	68	-19.2	75	-56.6	169	-41.1
Quebec	383	-3.5	1,212	-7.6	2,440	4.2	4,035	-0.4
Ontario	361	-11.7	981	-19.3	1,835	-16.9	3,176	-17.1
East	770	-7.9	2,261	-13.4	4,349	-7.9	7,380	-9.6
Manitoba	347	-6.3	882	-22.2	1,521	8.1	2,750	-5.5
Saskatchewan	113	-14.7	161	-49.3	626	-23.2	900	-28.9
Alberta	170	-9.1	439	-21.3	1,042	-9.1	1,650	-12.7
British Columbia	17	-8.3	38	-9.4	61	-9.8	115	-9.4
West	646	-8.7	1,519	-25.9	3,250	-5.4	5,415	-12.5

Note: Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.



Placement of hatchery chicks and turkey poults

September 2008 (preliminary)

Placements of hatchery chicks on farms stood at 54.1 million birds in September, down 6.2% from September 2007. Placements of turkey poults on farms increased 3.6% to 2.2 million birds.

Available on CANSIM: table 003-0021.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey number 5039.

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Cereals and oilseeds review

August 2008

Data from the August issue of *Cereals and Oilseeds Review* are now available. This issue contains an overview of September's market conditions.

The annual "Grain storage and movement supplement," prepared in conjunction with the Canadian Grain Commission, is also included in this issue.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey numbers, including related surveys, 3401, 3403, 3404, 3443, 3464, 3476 and 5046.

The August 2008 issue of *Cereals and Oilseeds Review*, Vol. 31, no. 8 (22-007-XIB, free), is now available from the *Publications* module of our website.

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Deliveries of major grains

September 2008

Data on major grain deliveries are now available for September.

Available on CANSIM: table 001-0001.

Definitions, data sources and methods: survey numbers, including related surveys, 3403, 3404, 3443 and 5046.

The September 2008 issue of *Cereals and Oilseeds Review* (22-007-XIB, free) will soon be available.

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New products

Cereals and Oilseeds Review, August 2008, Vol. 31, no. 8
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Hog Statistics, Vol. 7, no. 4
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