

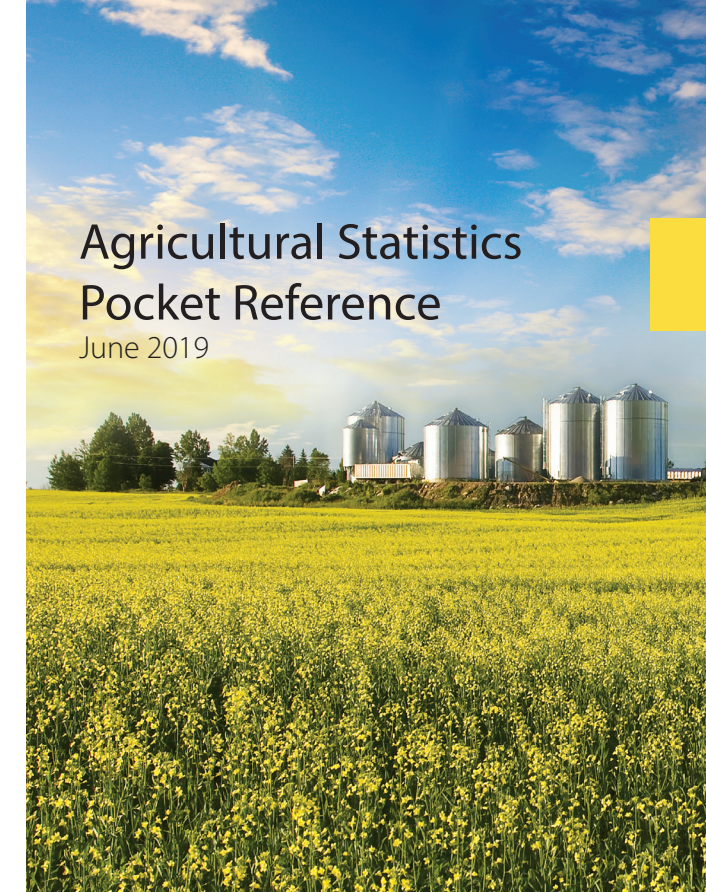
Crop production							
	Harvested area in thousand acres		Yield in bu/acre		Production in thousand tonnes		Average 2017-18 price in \$/t
	2018	2013-17*	2018	2013-17*	2018	2013-17*	
Winter wheat	134	297	43	47	156	375	N/A
Spring wheat (excl. durum)	7 770	7 680	46	44	9 659	9 266	236
Durum	4 887	4 413	35	41	4 596	4 950	263
Oats	1 206	1 334	91	92	1 689	1 891	179
Barley	2 521	2 157	63	63	3 439	2 992	196
Fall rye	49	94	34	39	43	94	173
Flaxseed	710	1 002	22	24	404	600	475
Canola seed	12 244	11 241	39	38	10 927	9 710	502
Soybeans	405	352	21	26	232	229	388
Field peas	1 898	2 233	35	36	1 781	2 185	275
Triticale	22	16	42	34	24	14	N/A
	pounds/acre						
Mustard seed	364	299	815	886	135	121	783
Lentils	3 283	3 635	1 270	1 432	1 892	2 291	487
Canary seed	188	258	1 242	1 215	106	140	460
Chickpeas	361	143	1 689	1 667	277	109	1 088
Total	36 071	35 156	tonnes/acre		35 382	34 969	
Tame hay	3 376	3 564	1	1	3 902	4 186	N/A
Potatoes	6	7					
Fruit	2	2					
Vegetables	1	1					
Greenhouse	0.04	0.05					
Sod & nursery stock	3	3					
Summerfallow	1 091	1 784					
Top five agricultural export markets							
2014-18 average	in millions \$		per cent of total				
United States	3 813		27				
China	2 710		19				
Japan	1 012		7				
India	856		6				
Mexico	665		5				
Total global ag exports	14 192		100				
Top five sources of agricultural imports							
2014-18 average	in millions		per cent of total				
United States	590		83				
Mexico	21		3				
Philippines	19		3				
Guatemala	8		1				
India	6		1				
Total global ag imports		708		100			

Value of agriculture and food imports		
\$ million	2018	2013-2017
Crops	164	139
Livestock and poultry	22	8
Plant products	157	132
Animal products	464	83
Food and beverages	223	188
Total	1029	550
Value of agriculture and food exports		
\$ million	2018	2013-2017*
Canola seed	3 155	2 737
Lentils	848	1 674
Wheat (excl. durum)	2 368	2 058
Dry peas	769	1 175
Durum	1 193	1 483
Flaxseed	268	311
Oats	296	294
Barley	375	209
Chickpeas	64	73
Canary seed	92	99
Mustard seed	77	73
Cattle and calves	186	383
Plant products	2 930	2 719
Animal products	111	100
Food and beverages	11	10
Other	695	441
Total	13 438	13 838

Note: Figures may not add due to rounding

* 5 year average

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Agricultural Statistics Pocket Reference

June 2019

Saskatchewan: location			
North latitude	60°N		
South latitude	49°N		
West longitude	1 100°W of Greenwich		
East longitude	102°W of Greenwich		
Area: 2016 Census			
Total area	2 51 366 mi ²	161 million acres	
Freshwater area	22 921 mi ²	15 million acres	
Land area	228 445 mi ²	146 million acres	
Farm land area		62 million acres	
Cultivated farm land area		47 million acres	
Cropped area		41 million acres	
Summerfallow area		1 million acre	
Tame or seeded pasture		5 million acres	
Natural land for pasture		11 million acres	
Other		4 million acres	
Population: 2016 Census			
Total population	1 098 352		
Cities and towns	805 030		
City of Regina	215 106		
City of Saskatoon	246 376		
Villages and municipalities	223 843		
Reserves	56 050		
Climate normals: 1981-2010			
	Annual precipitation (mm)	Frost-free days	Growing degree days above 5°C (May-Oct.)
Estevan	427	121	1 717
Regina	390	115	1 640
Moose Jaw	365	121	1 770
Swift Current	357	122	1 626
Yorkton	449	116	1 504
Saskatoon	354	117	1 560
Kindersley	325	120	1 552
North Battleford	374	111	1 500
Prince Albert	428	108	1 457
Melfort	396	102	N/A
Meadow Lake	415	96	1 378

Number of farms and farm size: 2016 Census		
Number of farms		34 523
Grain and oilseed		21 505
Cattle (beef)		7 167
Cattle (dairy)		120
Hog		37
Average farm size		
Total area		1 784 acres
Cultivated area		1 354 acres
Certified organic farming: 2016 Census		
Farms reporting certified organic products		823
Farms reporting transitional organic products		81
Area under irrigation		
	2017	2012-16*
Total acres	361 651	348 780
Source: Saskatchewan Agriculture		
Gross domestic product (in chained 2012 dollars)		
	2018	2013-17*
	\$ million	\$ million
Agriculture	6 666	6 565
Total primary industry	29 056	27 440
All industries	82 503	79 800
Labour force & employment, annual average		
	2018	2013-17*
	thousands	thousands
Agriculture		
Labour force	38	42
Employment	37	42
Total primary industry		
Labour force	62	69
Employment	61	67
Total		
Labour force	607	600
Employment	570	569

Value of farm capital		
	2018	2013-17*
	\$ million	\$ million
Land & buildings	88 708	68 050
Machinery & equipment	16 219	14 052
Livestock & poultry	3 821	4 100
Total	108 749	86 203
Amount of farm debt outstanding at December 31		
	2018	2013-17*
	\$ million	\$ million
Source:		
Chartered banks	4 064	3 484
Credit unions	3 260	2 493
Government	6 000	4 652
Other	2 915	2 664
Total	16 239	13 293
Average farm operator income		
	2015	2010-14*
Net farm operating income	\$75 374	\$54 169
Off-farm income	\$46 904	\$40 775
Total	\$122 278	\$94 944
Annual average household food expenditures		
	2017	2012-16*
Food	\$9 143	\$8 195
Food purchased from stores	\$6 436	\$5 808
Food purchased from restaurants	\$2 707	\$2 386
Food industry manufacturing		
	2017	2016
	\$ million	\$ million
Grain and oilseed milling	3 451	3 124
Meat manufacturing	548	533
Total value-added manufacturing*	5 021	4 445
*Value-added manufacturing includes all food, beverage and bioproducts		

Farm income		
	2018	2013-17*
	\$ million	\$ million
Crop receipts	11 177	10 697
+ Livestock receipts	2 259	2 305
+ Program payments	511	654
= Total cash receipts	13 947	13 655
(Net operating expenses)	10 338	9 261
= Net cash income	3 609	4 395
+ Income-in-kind	7	7
(Depreciation)	1830	1 617
= Realized net income	1 787	2 785
+ Value of inventory change	(269)	472
= total net income	1 518	3 256
Livestock on farms at July 1		
	2018	2013-17*
Beef cows	1 108 300	1 125 080
Beef heifers	197 100	198 500
Milk cows	29 000	28 040
Milk heifers	11 400	11 160
Bulls	62 700	62 000
Bulls steers & slaughter heifers	250 050	256 550
Calves	920 000	964 680
Total cattle & calves	2 600 000	2 675 000
Total sheep & lambs	112 000	116 200
Sows & gilts	101 100	94 480
Total pigs	1 035 000	1 046 000
Poultry production		
	2018	2013-17*
Chickens for meat (birds)	29 558 000	27 682 400
Eggs (dozen)	36 717 000	32 039 600
turkeys (birds)	748 000	820 000
Speciality livestock: census		
	2016	2011
Bison	40 418	39 343
Elk	6 900	9 917
Deer	1 939	4 089
Wild boar	N/A	3 344
Horses	39 896	54 093

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Durum	1 977 500	1 785 860	2 324	2 780	4 596	4 950	263
Oats	487 900	539 840	3 462	3 500	1 689	1 891	179
Barley	1 020 000	872 900	3 372	3 440	3 439	2 992	196
Fall rye	20 000	37 880	2 140	2 420	43	94	173
Flaxseed	287 500	405 480	1 400	1 500	404	600	475
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Triticale	8 900	6 660	2 651	2 120	24	14	N/A
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Lentils	1 328 700	1 471 060	1 424	1 604	1 892	2 291	487
Canary seed	76 000	104 320	1 390	1 360	106	140	460
Chickpeas	146 100	57 920	1 893	1 870	277	109	1 088
Total	14 597	14 227			35 382	34 969	
Tame hay	1 366 100	1 442 200	2 840	2 894	3 902	4 186	N/A
Potatoes	2 388	2 671					
Fruit	607	607					
Vegetables	324	324					
Greenhouse	16	20					
Sod & nursery stock	1 012	1 174					
Summerfallow	441 500	721 940					

Top five agricultural export markets			
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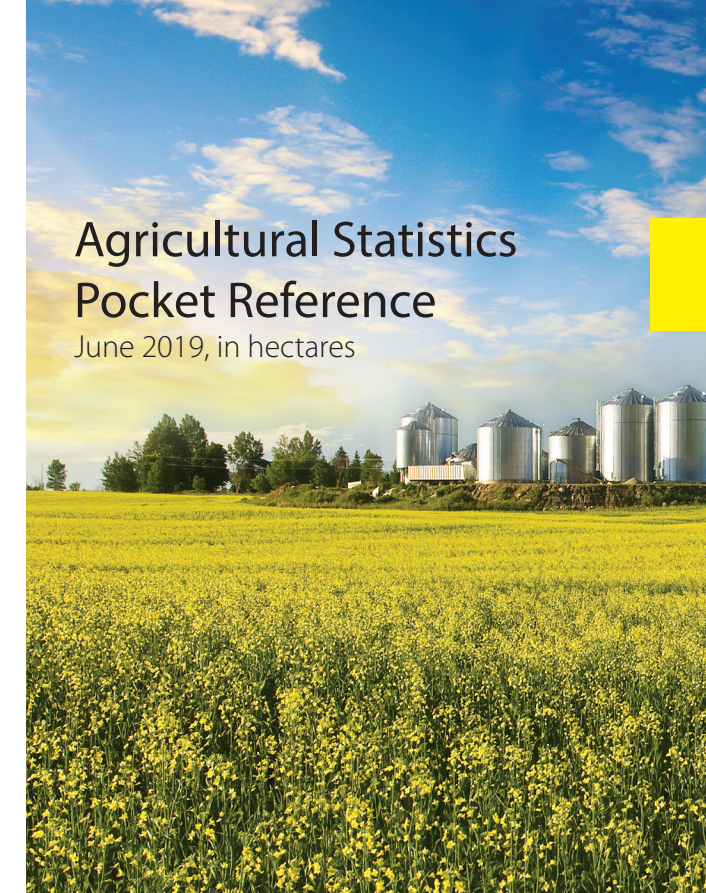
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Area: 2016 Census			
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Freshwater area	59 366 km ²	6 million hectares	
Land area	591 670 km ²	59 million hectares	
Farm land area		24 million hectares	
Cultivated farm land area		19 million hectares	
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