NATIONAL STATISTICS (ACTIVE AS OF YEAR END)

PROVINCE	RECORDED HERDS		RECORDED COWS		AVERAGE HERD SIZE		% OF HERDS > 50 COWS	
	2009	**2010**	**2009**	**2010**	**2009**	**2010**	**2009**	**2010**
British Columbia	321	311	43,412	44,056	135	142	88	91
Alberta	460	455	58,647	58,733	127	129	92	92
Saskatchewan	124	116	17,985	17,845	145	154	94	95
Manitoba	216	209	25,676	26,150	119	125	82	82
Ontario	3,142	3,129	234,657	233,022	75	74	62	62
Quebec	5,166	5,156	295,798	290,462	57	56	49	47
New Brunswick	166	162	12,188	12,069	73	75	63	64
Nova Scotia	159	158	12,856	12,959	81	82	68	70
Prince Edward Island	130	128	9,677	9,337	74	73	68	65
CANADA	**9,884**	**9,824**	**710,896**	**704,633**	**72**	**72**	**58**	**57**

MILK PRODUCTION PER COW (KG)

	2009	2010
BC	9,368	9,621
AB	9,165	9,356
SK	9,017	9,145
MB	8,454	8,521
ON	8,424	8,548
QC	8,352	8,582
NB	8,313	8,408
NS	8,492	8,619
PE	8,272	8,448

SOMATIC CELL COUNT AVERAGE

	2009	2010
BC	178	182
AB	221	235
SK	276	293
MB	307	331
ON	265	266
QC	261	259
NB	242	247
NS	260	257
PE	252	248

CALVING INTERVAL (MONTHS)

	2009	2010
BC	14.3	14.2
AB	14.1	14.1
SK	14.5	14.5
MB	14.9	14.8
ON	14.3	14.3
QC	14.1	14.1
NB	14.3	14.1
NS	14.5	14.5
PE	14.7	14.7

AVERAGE DRY PERIOD (DAYS)

	2009	2010
BC	74	76
AB	84	83
SK	89	92
MB	97	97
ON	76	77
QC	70	69
NB	72	71
NS	78	80
PE	84	88

PRODUCTION

REGION	HERDS	305 M	305 F	305 P	COMP BCA	BCA M	BCA F	BCA P	2009 BCA	2008 BCA
BRITISH COLUMBIA	325	10,017	371	320	222.3	224	220	223	218.4	219.8
AGASSIZ	19	10,144	374	320	219.7	221	219	219	211.4	216.1
CENTRAL B.C.	10	8,738	323	279	190.5	192	188	192	194.0	196.1
CHILLIWACK	59	10,347	382	329	228.1	230	226	229	224.2	224.6
COURTENAY-COMOX	10	9,260	355	297	210.6	209	213	210	215.1	214.4
COWICHAN	26	10,029	379	319	221.5	221	223	221	220.1	221.0
DELTA-RICHMOND	15	10,013	367	321	219.8	220	217	222	211.8	216.8
DEWDNEY-DEROCHE	29	9,957	371	321	227.3	231	222	229	221.5	221.7
KAMLOOPS-OKANAGAN	57	10,053	374	322	222.1	222	221	223	218.6	219.6
KOOTENAY	5	10,324	386	324	225.6	226	228	223	230.8	215.7
MATSQUI	23	10,066	359	319	220.3	224	214	222	213.1	212.9
PITT MEADOWS-MAPLE RIDGE	8	9,990	382	325	234.2	240	227	237	232.8	230.7
SUMAS	36	10,046	368	320	222.2	224	219	224	218.3	219.6
SURREY-LANGLEY	28	9,816	361	316	222.2	226	215	225	217.5	224.8
ALBERTA	471	9,844	359	312	215.0	217	212	216	210.4	208.9
CALGARY	57	9,778	357	312	214.8	217	211	217	207.1	207.1
EDMONTON	109	9,554	350	305	208.4	210	206	210	203.5	200.4
LETHBRIDGE/BROOKS	122	10,090	367	318	220.0	223	218	220	218.0	216.7
PEACE RIVER	4	9,307	341	296	202.2	203	201	203	200.2	188.5
RED DEER	166	9,936	362	315	216.2	218	214	217	211.8	211.4
VERMILION	13	9,242	346	294	211.2	214	208	211	201.4	199.0
SASKATCHEWAN	124	9,905	357	314	213.4	216	209	215	207.1	205.7
CANORA	6	8,949	311	289	183.4	186	175	190	172.9	182.7
PRINCE ALBERT/MELFORT	9	9,499	338	300	205.6	209	200	208	199.6	199.6
REGINA	15	10,443	365	330	221.6	226	213	225	220.8	217.4
SASKATOON	17	9,845	365	313	216.0	218	213	216	203.1	205.4
SASKATOON EAST	31	9,941	357	312	211.8	215	208	212	206.4	203.1
SASKATOON WEST	13	9,840	363	314	217.7	218	217	218	210.3	208.8
SWIFT CURRENT	21	9,870	359	315	214.1	215	211	216	212.9	212.3
WEYBURN	12	10,139	366	329	218.5	220	212	224	209.5	203.6
MANITOBA	217	9,413	348	298	204.9	207	203	205	203.6	198.9
CENTRAL	57	9,735	355	307	210.1	213	208	210	208.4	204.4
EASTERN	101	9,253	343	293	201.5	203	201	201	199.5	194.1
INTERLAKE	41	9,438	355	299	204.6	205	205	204	204.9	203.5
NORTH WEST	3	9,004	313	290	186.9	190	178	193	195.8	192.1
SOUTH WEST	15	9,282	348	302	213.0	216	207	216	210.8	199.2

ENROLLMENT

	BRITISH COLUMBIA	ALBERTA	SASKATCHEWAN	MANITOBA	ALL WESTERN PROVINCES 2010	2009	2008	2007
DHI Herds	325	471	124	217	1,137	1,172	1,205	1,252
Percent Publishable	83%	58%	68%	75%	70%	69%	69%	69%
Percent Management	17%	42%	32%	25%	30%	31%	31%	31%
DHI Cows	44,080	59,480	18,076	25,613	147,249	150,085	151,185	145,252
Percent Publishable	80%	63%	72%	80%	72%	71%	72%	72%
Percent Management	20%	37%	28%	20%	28%	29%	28%	28%
Average Herd Size	136	126	146	118	130	128	125	116

PRODUCTION TRENDS

	BRITISH COLUMBIA			ALBERTA			SASKATCHEWAN			MANITOBA		
	M (KG)	F (KG)	P (KG)	M (KG)	F (KG)	P (KG)	M (KG)	F (KG)	P (KG)	M (KG)	F (KG)	P (KG)
2010	10,017	371	320	9,844	359	312	9,905	357	314	9,413	348	298
2009	9,815	367	314	9,623	351	306	9,571	345	305	9,313	343	298
2008	9,892	367	316	9,574	346	304	9,480	341	304	9,094	336	292
2007	9,961	364	317	9,607	346	304	9,432	340	303	9,113	333	292

2010 Management Centre Benchmarks

All Western Canada DHI Herds Based on 2010 Herd Averages

	British Columbia				Alberta				Saskatchewan				Manitoba			
PERCENTILE	**25th**	**50th**	**75th**	**90th**	**25th**	**50th**	**75th**	**90th**	**25th**	**50th**	**75th**	**90th**	**25th**	**50th**	**75th**	**90th**
Number of Cows	72	107	157	243	77	107	150	226	81	120	182	282	55	84	128	205
Standard Milk (kgs)	31.8	34.2	36.5	38.7	31.5	34.2	36.2	38.0	30.8	33.4	35.9	39.0	28.6	31.6	34.5	37.2
Annual Milk Value ($)	6,111	6,643	7,168	7,654	5,861	6,534	7,101	7,543	5,422	6,133	6,767	7,453	5,172	5,816	6,622	7,118
Udder Health (Linear Score)	2.5	2.2	1.9	1.6	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.0	3.2	2.7	2.5	2.3	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.5
Age at 1st Calving (months)	27.2	26.3	25.2	24.5	27.9	26.1	25.0	24.4	28.4	26.9	25.7	24.6	29.2	27.4	26.0	24.9
Calving Interval (months)	14.7	14.0	13.5	13.2	14.6	13.7	13.3	12.9	15.0	14.3	13.6	13.1	15.3	14.4	13.7	13.1
% of herd in 3+ Lactation	31.3	36.1	41.2	46.3	32.8	37.7	42.9	48.7	32.6	39.9	45.7	50.1	32.9	37.8	43.8	50.9
Efficiency (% of herd in milk)	82.9	85.5	87.3	88.9	79.7	83.7	86.5	88.6	77.4	81.3	85.4	87.8	76.9	82.6	86.3	88.7
Turnover (% of herd removed)	47.6	40.6	33.6	27.1	47.6	38.9	32.1	26.6	49.6	41.4	34.7	30.5	45.6	37.5	27.9	21.9
Days Dry	81	71	64	59	91	76	66	59	106	88	70	63	108	84	69	61
Days to 1st Breeding	105	93	83	76	99	85	75	69	103	90	80	73	112	91	79	69

HOW PERCENTILES WORK

If all the herds (animals could be substituted for herds) were arranged in order from lowest to highest, the75th percentile would be the value of the herd that is better than 75% of all the other herds. The 99th percentile value is that which is better than 99% of all the other herds.

PROFILE: CHILLIWACK CATTLE CO. – MEADOW GOLD FARMS LTD., CHILLIWACK, BC

Chilliwack Cattle Co. – Meadow Gold ranked second in British Columbia for Herd Management Score, a tribute to Sig and Ernie Birkholz and the protocols and staff he developed before health issues prompted him to sell in July, 2010 to his life-long friend, Ken Kooyman. Ken and his brothers grew up as neighbours.

"The staff continues to follow the procedures," Birkholz says. "There is an extensive set of protocols" developed through years of learning. "If something's not working right, we change procedures," he said.

Sig thanks his parents, Ernie and Susan Birkholz, for all their work over the years. He also credits Fred Abdolvahabi, a veterinarian who immigrated from Iran and joined six ago, Brad Barten, a five year team member, and Kevin Romeyn who joined from Kooyman's operation before the sale was completed.

The herd went on DHI in 1983-84 and the production information was integrated into a computerized feeding system. Sig and his wife, Cara, developed a highly-organized set of records featuring 16 spreadsheets.

Cara, who learned about farming after working in the oil industry in Calgary, cared for the calves "and very seldom lost one," says Sig. He bred his cows early in their heats and so 53 per cent of their calves were heifers, enabling them to cull heavily. The DHI records help identify the cows contributing the greatest profit. Somatic Cell Counts are watched closely.

He appreciates good cattle, has taken partnerships in some show cattle, and began a cross-breeding program about eight years ago to add strength to some of his weakest, but high-producing, Holsteins. He crossed them first with Brown Swiss, then with Swedish Reds, then back to Holsteins. "It really worked."

Now Birkholz, his wife and their three young sons, are building a new career in real estate vacation rentals in Hawaii and " the Chilliwack Cattle Co. is building on the foundation that has been set by the Birkholz's and continuing with our management to maintain a well performing herd, " says Ken Kooyman.

BRITISH COLUMBIA HERD MANAGEMENT SCORE

RANK & FARM NAME	HERD OWNER	CITY	TOTAL SCORE	HERD SIZE	BREED	REGION
1 Milky Way Dairy	Frank & Debbie Les	Chilliwack	968	62	HO	Chilliwack
2 Chilliwack Cattle Meadowgold	Jeff Kooyman	Chilliwack	940	149	HO	Chilliwack
3 B & L Farms Ltd	Matt Dykshoorn	Abbotsford	916	46	HO	Sumas
4 E-P Farms Ltd	J Edge-Partington	Creston	912	74	HO	Kootenay
5 Van Jaarsveld Holdings Ltd	Ron & Susan Van Jaarsveld	Duncan	910	88	HO	Cowichan
6 UBC Dairy Education & Research	Nelson Dinn	Agassiz	904	293	HO	Agassiz
7 Jennifer Veldhuisen		Grindrod	897	53	HO	Kamloops-Okanagan
8 Sunny Way Farm Ltd		Armstrong	886	94	HO	Kamloops-Okanagan
9 Country Charm Farms Ltd	Huizing Brothers	Matsqui	863	224	HO	Matsqui
10 Gordon Peterson		Agassiz	851	53	HO	Agassiz
11 Frueh Farm Ltd	Steve Frueh	Duncan	841	103	HO	Cowichan
12 Quo Vadis Dairy Farm	Bruce Kraakman	Deroche	838	159	HO	Dewdney-Deroche
13 Hyljon Holsteins Ltd	John & Susan Hylkema	Chilliwack	832	143	HO	Chilliwack
14 Vallevue Holsteins Ltd		Chilliwack	830	122	HO	Chilliwack
15 Brooknook Farms	John Ricka & Sons	Chilliwack	828	114	HO	Chilliwack
16 Rypster Farm	Francis Hylkema	Chilliwack	826	60	HO	Chilliwack
17 Romyn Hill Farm Ltd	Adrian & Marian Romyn	Sorrento	825	44	HO	Kamloops-Okanagan
18 Alpina Dairy Farm Ltd	R & T Russenberger	Abbotsford	822	134	HO	Sumas
19 Holberg Farm Ltd	Holger Schwichtenberg	Agassiz	821	156	HO	Agassiz
20 Van Laar Farms Ltd	John Van Laar	Abbotsford	821	153	HO	Sumas

PROFILE: BRAD BREDENHOF, CALMAR, AB

Three years after Brad Bredenhof and his father moved from British Columbia, Brad has scored third in Alberta for Herd Management Score. Brad's family divided their partnership in a dairy farm from his uncle's family and his uncle went into chickens. Brad and his dad set up a single corporation but they manage separate herds.

Brad has 67 milking Holsteins, Jerseys, Holstein-Jersey crosses and a few Holstein-Norwegian crosses. He particularly likes the Jerseys because they are easy to handle, to get into calf and to calve out.

He beds his freestall barn with sawdust and has 90 stalls for 60 cows, so they have plenty of space. The TMR blend features barley silage and an alfalfa-grass blend harvested as haylage. They also get alfalfa-grass hay and grain that comes in pelleted form from the local Cargill mill.

Both his nutritionist and veterinarian make use of his DHI records and Westgen artificial insemination unit uses the data to keep track of reproductive performance.

As for why his Herd Management Score is so favourable, Brad says "I keep the stalls clean and also my milking procedure is important. He has always tried to do a superior job and reminds himself that God offers instruction in the Bible to tend flocks and herds well.

"I know my cows," says Brad, "right down to the littlest details. I see heats that others don't and in the parlour, how a cow milks."

Brad says "God has blessed me very much with success. My life has more purpose than just farming, but it's my service to God to use all the gifts and talents He's given me."

"I'm not a brilliant farmer. I just try to do the best with what I have."

ALBERTA HERD MANAGEMENT SCORE

RANK & FARM NAME	HERD OWNER	CITY	TOTAL SCORE	HERD SIZE	BREED	REGION
1 K2 Dairy		Lethbridge	939	81	HO	Lethbridge/Brooks
2 Wetoka Farms Ltd	Michael & Marla Roth	Millet	934	68	HO	Red Deer
3 Brad Bredenhof		Calmar	932	67	HO	Edmonton
4 Deerfield Colony	Andy Waldner	Magrath	926	115	HO	Lethbridge/Brooks
5 Silver Sage Colony Farming Co. Ltd	Mike Hofer	Foremost	926	50	HO	Lethbridge/Brooks
6 Aspenridge Farms Ltd	Dick & Steve Tenhove	Blackfalds	922	47	HO	Red Deer
7 Ridder Dairy		Ponoka	919	158	HO	Red Deer
8 Brando Holsteins Inc	Wim, Sylvia & Brad Schakel	Lacombe	915	240	HO	Red Deer
9 Plainview Colony	Tim Waldner	Warner	915	124	HO	Lethbridge/Brooks
10 Philipsen Farm Ltd	Arie & Dineke Philipsen	Lacombe	906	303	HO	Red Deer
11 New Rockport Colony	Steven Wipf	New Dayton	899	104	HO	Lethbridge/Brooks
12 New Mars Dairy	Henk Schrijver	Millet	890	259	HO	Red Deer
13 Prairiehome Colony Farming Co. Ltd	Jonathan Waldner	Wrenthem	890	124	HO	Lethbridge/Brooks
14 Earnewald Holsteins	Bram & Ineke De Jong	Lacombe	883	140	HO	Red Deer
15 Springside Colony Farming Co. Ltd	John Waldner	Duchess	883	99	HO	Lethbridge/Brooks
16 Lathom Colony	Mike Hofer	Bassano	880	126	HO	Lethbridge/Brooks
17 Ten Brummelhuis Dairy	Alfons & Wilma Ten Brummelhuis	Olds	878	107	HO	Calgary
18 Sylvanside Dairy Ltd	Sipke & Margreet Dijkstra	Ponoka	874	142	HO	Red Deer
19 Couleeview Farms	Gerrit Haarman	Shaughnessy	873	154	HO	Lethbridge/Brooks
20 Danes Pride Dairy Ltd	Steen & Janne Frederiksen	Redwater	872	121	HO	Edmonton

PROFILE: DELAINE HOLSTEINS, SASKATOON, SK

A teacher and later a public servant, Elaine Donald (pictured second from right), started her dairy farm in the late 1970's with four Holstein cows. For a women in what was then a man's profession it was a real struggle to get a loan to build a freestall barn. But thanks to "Farm Start", a government program offered in the early 1980's to help fill Saskatchewan's quota under national supply management, Elaine was finally granted a loan.

She built a 40-cow freestall barn and went from shipping milk from 16 cows to 40 cows. Art Sawasky was her first DHI tester and encouraged her to become a member of Holstein Canada to begin registering cattle. The herd now is all registered with 25 VG and two excellent cows and was second in Saskatchewan in 2010 for Herd Management Score.

Today the farm is a partnership between Elaine and her husband Leonard. In 2000 they expanded to milk 135 cows with a new barn more silos and a slurry store. A water treatment system and a new calf barn followed.

Delaine Holsteins has always employed a lot of students and recently has a new herdsman Jent Postma and his wife Willeke who both love cows and enjoy working at the farm. Sherry Tetland also helps at the farm whenever she can. Also a part of the team is Leland Fuhr from DairySmart and Rod Webber from Warman Vet Clinic.

A Sparrow Farms grows and delivers the silages to fill the silos. Everyone uses the SCOUT program and DHI records to manage the herd.

Elaine says that you can't manage what you don't measure. "Some of our success is paying attention to a lot of little details. Our DHI tester, Donna Asher, does a great job for us."

SASKATCHEWAN HERD MANAGEMENT SCORE

RANK & FARM NAME	HERD OWNER	CITY	TOTAL SCORE	HERD SIZE	BREED	REGION
1 Prairie Diamond Farm	Harley Strudwick	Balgonie	904	74	HO	Regina
2 Delaine Holsteins	Elaine Donald	Saskatoon	884	135	HO	Saskatoon East
3 Fox Valley Farming Co. Ltd	Jake Entz	Fox Valley	857	80	HO	Swift Current
4 Elkrest Farms	Brad Jason Trevor Kornelius	Osler	856	569	HO	Saskatoon East
5 Pennant Colony	Dan Wipf	Pennant	852	85	HO	Swift Current
6 Dept of Animal & Poultry Science		Saskatoon	846	64	HO	Saskatoon East
7 Glenridge Holsteins	Bruce Loveridge	Grenfell	835	60	HO	Weyburn
8 Hillcrest Colony	Ben Wollman	Dundurn	827	121	HO	Saskatoon
9 Dinsmore Colony	David Waldner	Dinsmore	822	85	HO	Saskatoon West
10 Milden Colony Dairy	Steven Mandel	Milden	822	84	HO	Saskatoon West
11 Alley Holsteins	Albert Leyenhorst	Dalmeny	808	166	HO	Saskatoon East
12 Marfay Farms Ltd	William Wiebe	Osler	807	237	HO	Saskatoon East
13 Rynview Holsteins	Michael Wesselingh	Saskatoon	802	58	HO	Saskatoon East
14 Abbyview Farms	Ben Vanderkooi	Saskatoon	787	428	HO	Saskatoon East
15 Foth Ventures Ltd	Melvin Foth	Hague	782	402	HO	Saskatoon East
16 Springlake Colony	Samuel Hofer	Swift Current	771	96	HO	Swift Current
17 Baumann Holsteins	Emanuel & Simon Baumann	Kipling	771	83	HO	Weyburn
18 Kawartha Holsteins	Dave & Melissa Mcmorrow	Osler	769	61	HO	Saskatoon
19 Cypress Colony	Walter Entz	Maple Creek	748	86	HO	Swift Current
20 Greg & Sheldon Peifer		Nipawin	741	179	HO	Prince Albert/Melfort

PROFILE: DELICHTE HOLSTEINS, ST. ALPHONSE, MB

Henry Delichte observed his herd's consistent tendency to concentrate grazing post-milking. On pasture, a four-hour period of rest and rumination immediately preceded the next milking. So in winter, instead of intensively feeding small amounts of forage and ration every two hours, he copied the summer grazing pattern, with four hours of non-barn activity before each milking. The contented cows produced more. Focusing on animal behavior has put him on top for Herd Management Score, although Henry admits "it's a certain amount of luck. Manitoba is home to many exceptionally well-managed farms."

Henry's Belgian ancestors began farming in St. Alphonse 114 years ago. His parents, Maurice and Lillian, became bulk milk shippers in 1972. A former vice-chairman of the Dairy Farmers of Manitoba, Maurice remains active in the dairy.

Meredith, his wife of seven years, is a full partner in the farm. The mother of Trent, five, and Laura, four, is also a part-time school teacher.

Enrolled on DHI since 1972-73, the family finds the SCC and mastitis test results crucial. If the mastitis is one of several nasty strains, the cow will be treated and milked with an "isolation milker" that is never used to milk the general herd. Placed on the "to be culled list", she will be removed at the earliest opportunity.

Seven years ago Henry and Meredith introduced purebred Jerseys to improve the herd's protein: butterfat ratio. They feel a one-third Jersey to two-thirds Holstein herd blend gives the right combination of components, without sacrificing milk volume. Jerseys' impressive reproductive traits and longevity are an added bonus.

The herd is fed a ration of 50 per cent corn silage and 50 per cent long-stemmed hay, coupled with a 16 per cent dairy ration. A summer rotational grazing routine moves the herd to a new paddock every four or five days. Henry finds the outdoor exercise, fresh air and sunshine improves the herd's health, longevity, and aids in heat detection.

MANITOBA HERD MANAGEMENT SCORE

RANK & FARM NAME	HERD OWNER	CITY	TOTAL SCORE	HERD SIZE	BREED	REGION
1 Delichte Holsteins	Henry & Maurice Delichte	St Alphonse	848	44	HO	Central
2 Columbine Holsteins	Jacob & Annita Benthem	Elm Creek	844	79	HO	Central
3 Optimist Holsteins	Hans Gorter & Nelleke Vandervliet	Otterburne	839	163	HO	Eastern
4 Mageo Holsteins	Chris Pouteau	Mariapolis	819	62	HO	Central
5 Vandel Holsteins	L Vandenbossche	Bruxelles	811	53	HO	Central
6 Friecrest Holsteins	Ed & Kathy Friesen	Kleefeld	802	85	HO	Eastern
7 Houle Farms Ltd	Denis Houle	Letellier	790	41	HO	Eastern
8 Philippot Dairy Farms	Alain Philippot	St Claude	780	77	HO	Central
9 Streamline Dairy	Martin & Jennifer Hamming	Roseisle	774	89	HO	Eastern
10 C&D Farms	Cornie Penner	Altona	772	66	HO	Central
11 Fifi Holsteins	Gabriel Fifi	Bruxelles	770	28	HO	Central
12 Devloo Dairy	Dan Devloo	Cypress River	767	62	HO	Eastern
13 Rocky Ridge Dairy	Hotze & Pietje Woudstra	Grunthal	762	143	HO	Eastern
14 Jubema Holsteins	Beerd Hop & Family	Tolstoi	747	120	HO	Eastern
15 Grassriver Colony	Mack Waldner	Glenella	741	62	HO	Central
16 Donfield Farms Ltd	Garry Donohoe	Brandon	738	85	HO	South West
17 Vos Dairies	Wim & Jasper Vos	Kleefeld	737	184	HO	Eastern
18 Delgren Holsteins	Phil Delorme, Delorme Farms Ltd	St Alphonse	733	72	HO	Central
19 Friesen Dairy	John Friesen	Morden	729	44	HO	Central
20 Reutter Farms Ltd	Fritz Reutter	Grunthal	727	299	HO	Eastern

PUBLISHABLE HERD LISTINGS - BRITISH COLUMBIA

FARM	HERD OWNER	CITY	AVG BCA	BCA M	BCA F	BCA P	RECORDS	M KG	F KG	P KG	BREED
TRIWEST FARMS	VIC & TERRY TRIEMSTRA	CHILLIWACK	296.7	308	290	292	99	13,615 *	476	411	H
WISSELVIEW FARMS	WAYNE & JUDY WISSELINK	PITT MEADOWS	291.7	300	278	297	66	13,426 *	462	423	H
E-P FARMS LTD	J EDGE-PARTINGTON	CRESTON	291.0	287	305	281	66	12,626	499	393	H
JOHN TAMIS		SURREY	291.0	299	278	296	46	12,977	463	413	H,G,B
CHILLIWACK CATTLE COMP2 MEADOWGOLD	JEFF KOOYMAN	CHILLIWACK	286.3	297	275	287	117	13,501 *	464	416	H
MALABAR FARM	NORMAN VANDER WYK	DEWDNEY	279.7	295	256	288	91	13,612 *	438	423	H
VEDDERVISTA DAIRY LTD	HANK WINKELAAR	ABBOTSFORD	273.0	271	273	275	91	12,167 *	457	394	H
HAMMINGVIEW FARMS LTD	YVONNE MURDOCH	PITT MEADOWS	272.0	269	277	270	69	12,188	463	388	H
G & A FERGUSON	GORDON & ANGELA FERGUSON	ENDERBY	271.7	286	250	279	73	10,486	417	356	J,H
MARLENA FARMS LTD	FRED VERMEER	DEWDNEY	269.7	277	256	276	166	12,220	420	388	H
NATURE GLEN DAIRY	BEN BRANDSMA & TRUDY BOUWMAN	ABBOTSFORD	269.3	266	269	273	61	11,754	457	389	H,J
SWAANSITE HOLSTEINS	NEIL SWAAN	SALMON ARM	266.7	276	255	269	16	11,823	407	369	H
BROOKNOOK FARMS	JOHN RICKA & SONS	CHILLIWACK	265.0	266	257	272	97	12,086	433	393	H
UBC DAIRY EDUCATION & RESEARCH CENTRE	NELSON DINN	AGASSIZ	264.3	250	294	249	254	11,662	509	369	H
TELFORD FARMS	JAMES TELFORD	ABBOTSFORD	264.3	280	237	276	45	12,660	398	397	H
SUNNY WAY FARM LTD		ARMSTRONG	263.7	257	274	260	77	11,572	457	373	H
MILKY WAY DAIRY	FRANK & DEBBIE LES	CHILLIWACK	260.3	255	269	257	58	11,533	451	369	H
VANDEBURGT FARMS	KEN VANDEBURGT	DEWDNEY	259.3	264	254	260	314	11,605 *	416	365	H
BRINKLAND DAIRY LTD	GARY BRINK	CHILLIWACK	256.7	259	251	260	128	11,645	419	371	H
VAN GARD FARMS LTD	JIM VAN GARDEREN	CHILLIWACK	256.0	266	242	260	63	11,705	396	364	H

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NORTHEND FARM	BRODIE & BRENDA CUPPLES	THORSBY	300.3	302	287	312	11	8,786	347	298	M,G
ROSELANE HOLSTEINS		ROLLYVIEW	281.0	284	280	279	50	12,908	475	407	H,B
SCOVA FARMS LTD	SCOTT INGWERSEN	PONOKA	278.3	276	283	276	209	12,016 *	458	382	H
MORSAN DAIRY	MORRIS THALEN	PONOKA	269.7	269	274	266	420	12,294 *	465	387	H,B
EARNEWALD HOLSTEINS	BRAM & INEKE DE JONG	LACOMBE	268.0	270	274	260	109	11,720	442	359	H
VANDEN POL DAIRY	GYS & SILIA VANDEN POL	COALDALE	268.0	271	264	269	71	12,343	448	389	H
ASPENRIDGE FARMS LTD	DICK & STEVE TENHOVE	BLACKFALDS	266.3	276	261	262	44	12,715	443	383	H
NEW MARS DAIRY	HENK SCHRIJVER	MILLET	262.0	264	257	265	200	12,051	436	384	H
RINSMA HOLSTEINS	GEERT RINSMA	OLDS	261.7	270	255	260	69	12,372 *	435	377	H
WETOKA FARMS LTD	MICHAEL & MARLA ROTH	MILLET	261.7	269	260	256	50	12,327	440	373	H
EL-SHADDAI DAIRIES INC	HARVEY & GEOFF VOLKMAN	NEW SAREPTA	260.7	263	262	257	91	11,511	426	359	H
LUCKY HILL DAIRY		LACOMBE	260.3	267	256	258	142	12,125 *	432	374	H
INNISLAKE DAIRY FARM LTD	ERIC & JOHN IVERSEN	OLDS	258.7	258	258	260	50	12,138	451	388	H
REUSKEN DAIRY LTD	JAN & GEERTRUID MOLENDIJK	STETTLER	257.0	259	247	265	100	11,577	412	379	H,J
ROYAL HILL FARM		LACOMBE	256.7	260	256	254	182	11,630 *	424	362	H
SYLVANSIDE DAIRY LTD	SIPKE & MARGREET DIJKSTRA	PONOKA	256.7	258	256	256	110	11,679	429	368	H
WILL & ROB ROMMENS		DUCHESS	255.7	257	253	257	161	11,553	422	368	H
FOOTHILLS DAIRY LTD	DOUG ELZINGA	PEERS	255.7	248	271	248	84	10,813	441	347	H,J
DEERFIELD COLONY	ANDY WALDNER	MAGRATH	253.7	250	270	241	89	11,368	457	348	H
PHILIPSEN FARM LTD	ARIE & DINEKE PHILIPSEN	LACOMBE	253.3	253	252	255	224	11,314 *	419	363	H

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PUBLISHABLE HERD LISTINGS - SASKATCHEWAN

FARM	HERD OWNER	CITY	AVG BCA	BCA M	BCA F	BCA P	RECORDS	M KG	F KG	P KG	BREED
RYNVIEW HOLSTEINS	MICHAEL WESSELINGH	SASKATOON	292.0	299	288	289	41	12,935	462	398	H
PRAIRIE DIAMOND FARM	HARLEY STRUDWICK	BALGONIE	278.7	282	266	288	57	13,290	463	430	H
KAWARTHA HOLSTEINS	DAVE & MELISSA MCMORROW	OSLER	272.7	265	285	268	40	12,124	491	393	H,J
RIVERBEND INSTITUTION	CORCAN AGRIBUSINESS	PRINCE ALBERT	268.7	280	257	269	15	12,231	417	373	H
BAUMANN HOLSTEINS	EMANUEL & SIMON BAUMANN	KIPLING	262.3	267	250	270	53	12,536	434	402	H
DELAINE HOLSTEINS	ELAINE DONALD	SASKATOON	259.0	263	264	250	111	12,493	465	377	H
DEPT OF ANIMAL & POULTRY SCIENCE		SASKATOON	257.7	260	252	261	60	11,477 *	413	367	H
FOTH VENTURES LTD	MELVIN FOTH	HAGUE	256.7	263	253	254	316	12,108 *	433	372	H
ROBELLA HOLSTEINS	REG & JULIANN LINDENBACH	BALGONIE	253.3	256	253	251	66	11,913	435	370	H
PENNANT COLONY	DAN WIPF	PENNANT	252.3	258	251	248	69	12,060	437	369	H
ELKREST FARMS	BRAD JASON TREVOR KORNELIUS	OSLER	250.7	266	233	253	458	11,991 *	390	363	H
GLENRIDGE HOLSTEINS	BRUCE LOVERIDGE	GRENFELL	250.7	240	271	241	44	11,248	470	359	H
BENBIE HOLSTEINS	NEIL CROSBIE	CARON	248.7	242	258	246	80	11,318	449	367	H, J
COSSETTE FARMS LTD	RANDY COSSETTE	ESTEVAN	248.7	246	250	250	63	11,555	434	373	H
DINSMORE COLONY	DAVID WALDNER	DINSMORE	241.7	251	232	242	73	11,131	383	342	H
MILDEN COLONY DAIRY	STEVEN MANDEL	MILDEN	241.7	242	238	245	66	10,926	398	351	H
ALLEY HOLSTEINS	ALBERT LEYENHORST	DALMENY	240.0	245	232	243	131	11,142	390	352	H
KINGSFORD FARMS LTD	DAN & DARREN HINRICHSEN	BIENFAIT	239.7	235	243	241	58	11,095	424	360	H
EAGLEWOOD HOLDINGS LTD	EARL & SCOTT WOODSIDE	ASQUITH	239.3	238	238	242	39	10,773	401	349	H
HILLCREST COLONY	BEN WOLLMAN	DUNDURN	239.0	234	243	240	105	10,811	414	352	H

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AGGIES HOLSTEINS	HERMANN & AUDREY HUEGING	WOODLANDS	302.0	309	295	302	81	14,045	498	436	H
CURRENT HOLSTEINS	CURTIS & DARREN HUEGING	WOODLANDS	291.7	299	282	294	54	14,330	501	447	H
VANDEL HOLSTEINS	L VANDENBOSSCHE	BRUXELLES	281.0	282	274	287	41	13,088	473	422	H
FRIECREST HOLSTEINS	ED & KATHY FRIESEN	KLEEFELD	269.3	269	278	261	74	12,342	471	379	H
JUBEMA HOLSTEINS	BEERD HOP & FAMILY	TOLSTOI	259.3	261	251	266	90	11,318	407	369	H
AIRPORT COLONY	LEVI HOFER	PORTAGE	255.7	266	246	255	56	11,807	406	361	H
DONFIELD FARMS LTD	GARRY DONOHOE	BRANDON	255.3	250	258	258	66	11,845	452	387	H
JAMES VALLEY COLONY	TIM WURTZ	ELIE	254.7	263	252	249	68	12,162 *	433	365	H
PENNVIEW HOLSTEINS	LARRY PENNER	BLUMENORT	254.0	255	254	253	44	11,888	437	374	H
MALARKY HOLSTEINS	MARK DONOHOE	MINNEDOSA	254.0	255	254	253	40	12,153	447	380	H
PEMBINA COLONY	MARK HOFER	DARLINGFORD	253.0	259	254	246	72	11,722 *	426	353	H
DELICHTE HOLSTEINS	HENRY & MAURICE DELICHTE	ST ALPHONSE	251.3	253	240	261	33	10,301	395	349	H,J
BEAUROC DAIRY LTD	DENIS & DOMINIQUE CHARTIER	ST MALO	250.0	232	288	230	85	10,870	500	343	H,B
SPRINGMEADOW FARM	LAURENT & CORINNE FAILLETAZ	LIBAU	247.3	256	236	250	43	11,423	400	358	H,J
COLUMBINE HOLSTEINS	JACOB & ANNITA BENTHEM	ELM CREEK	246.3	247	243	249	64	11,603	423	371	H
DENIS HOULE	HOULE FARMS LTD	LETELLIER	245.3	229	286	221	31	10,602	492	325	H
VAN DORP DAIRY	BILL & TANJA VAN DORP	PETERSFIELD	244.3	250	233	250	64	10,654	379	344	H,J
STEINMANN DAIRY FARM	W & M STEINMANN	CLANDEBOYE	243.3	246	245	239	46	11,060	408	341	H
ROBERT WALDNER	BLUMENGART COLONY	PLUM COULEE	243.0	235	265	229	44	10,758	449	332	H
SWISS DREAM FARM		WAWANESA	242.7	245	242	241	50	9,633	382	331	B

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	HERD SIZE				HOUSING		FREQUENCY	
	0-49	50-99	100-199	200+	TIE-STALL	FREE STALL	2X	3X
BRITISH COLUMBIA								
% of Herds	10.8	34.2	37.2	17.8	5.8	93.2	94.2	5.8
% of Cows	2.9	18.9	36.5	41.8	2.1	96.7	89.8	10.2
Average Herd Size	36.4	75.0	132.8	317.5	49.8	140.7	129.4	235.5
Average Milk Production	9,167	9,931	10,192	10,329	9,424	10,066	9,917	11,620
Average Fat Production	346	368	377	375	347	372	368	404
Average Protein Production	295	317	326	327	305	321	317	363
BCA Milk	208	221	228	230	218	225	222	257
BCA Fat	202	217	225	225	205	221	218	241
BCA Protein	207	221	228	229	216	224	222	253
ALBERTA								
% of Herds	7.4	37.2	42.0	13.4	12.5	86.0	94.7	5.3
% of Cows	2.2	22.5	45.0	30.3	7.3	91.6	90.1	9.9
Average Herd Size	37.5	76.5	135.1	286.3	73.3	134.5	120.1	236.0
Average Milk Production	9,327	9,789	9,920	10,042	9,714	9,883	9,786	10,875
Average Fat Production	342	352	365	370	353	361	357	395
Average Protein Production	301	310	314	318	311	313	311	340
BCA Milk	214	213	219	224	211	218	216	242
BCA Fat	205	206	216	220	205	214	211	236
BCA Protein	215	212	217	222	212	217	215	237

	HERD SIZE				HOUSING		FREQUENCY	
	0-49	50-99	100-199	200+	TIE-STALL	FREE STALL	2X	3X
SASKATCHEWAN								
% of Herds	5.6	37.9	34.7	21.8	18.5	79.0	88.7	11.3
% of Cows	1.3	20.2	32.7	45.7	9.7	88.9	75.2	24.8
Average Herd Size	34.0	77.9	137.6	306.0	76.2	164.0	123.7	319.6
Average Milk Production	8,487	10,016	9,837	10,188	9,691	9,959	9,780	10,888
Average Fat Production	313	361	359	361	360	357	354	382
Average Protein Production	273	320	311	321	310	316	311	339
BCA Milk	182	220	212	224	212	217	213	238
BCA Fat	181	211	208	213	209	209	207	224
BCA Protein	184	220	211	222	212	216	213	233
MANITOBA								
% of Herds	16.1	46.1	27.6	10.1	46.5	53.0	93.1	6.9
% of Cows	5.2	27.3	32.2	35.3	28.6	71.2	86.6	13.4
Average Herd Size	38.0	69.9	137.4	411.4	72.5	158.6	109.9	228.1
Average Milk Production	9,182	9,527	9,359	9,410	9,533	9,340	9,364	10,072
Average Fat Production	351	347	350	344	356	342	346	371
Average Protein Production	292	302	297	296	303	295	297	311
BCA Milk	201	210	203	209	210	204	205	223
BCA Fat	205	202	204	204	208	200	202	218
BCA Protein	200	208	202	206	208	202	204	215

DISPOSAL REASONS

REASON	BRITISH COLUMBIA		ALBERTA		SASKATCHEWAN		MANITOBA	
Reproductive	3,497	28%	4,281	28%	974	25%	1,692	28%
Mastitis/high SCC	2,330	19%	2,516	17%	789	21%	1,170	20%
Low milk production	1,619	13%	2,170	14%	437	11%	743	12%
Feet and leg problems	1,733	14%	1,474	10%	513	13%	581	10%
Udder breakdown	934	8%	1,756	12%	312	8%	543	9%
Sickness	989	8%	1,408	9%	377	10%	542	9%
Injury/accident	718	6%	648	4%	247	6%	363	6%
Old age	363	3%	484	3%	86	2%	189	3%
Slow milker	127	1%	264	2%	52	1%	56	1%
Bad temperament	143	1%	209	1%	39	1%	67	1%

HERD DISTRIBUTION ALL PROVINCES

COWS	HERDS
0-9	2
10-19	6
20-29	14
30-39	36
40-49	54
50-59	83
60-69	81

COWS	HERDS
70-79	102
80-89	82
90-99	85
100-109	67
110-119	77
120-129	74
130-139	39

COWS	HERDS
140-149	48
150-159	39
160-169	27
170-179	20
180-189	12
190-199	19
200+	170