Table 12
Supply and disposition of oilseeds, Canada, by crop year

	Average 2002/2003 to 2006/2007	Total		August to June	
		2006/2007 r	2007/2008 r	2007/2008 r	2008/2009 p
Flaxseed					
Area harvested					
Thousands of hectares	680	785	524	524	625
Thousands of acres	1,679	1,940	1,295	1,295	1,545
Yield					
Kilograms per hectare	1,160	1,300	1,200	1,200	1,400
Bushels per acre	18.2	20.1	19.3	19.3	21.9
	thousands of metric tonnes				
Beginning stocks					
On farms	93	250	198	198	25
In commercial positions	58	86	174	174	142
Total beginning stocks	**151**	**336**	**372**	**372**	**167**
Production	786	989	634	634	861
Imports	27	8	8	7	6
Total supplies	**964**	**1,332**	**1,014**	**1,012**	**1,034**
Grain exports	574	682	679	620	550
Product exports	0	0	0	0	0
Total exports	**574**	**682**	**679**	**620**	**550**
Domestic disappearance					
Human food	..	..	..	..	..
Crushings	x	x	x	x	x
Seed requirements	30	22	27	..	..
Loss in handling	3	6	2	..	..
Animal feed, waste and dockage	x	x	x	x	x
Total domestic disappearance	**199**	**279**	**168**	**..**	**..**
Ending stocks	**190**	**372**	**167**	**..**	**..**
Total disposition	**964**	**1,332**	**1,014**	**..**	**..**

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	Average 2002/2003 to 2006/2007	Total		August to June	
		2006/2007r	2007/2008 r	2007/2008 r	2008/2009 p
Canola					
Area harvested					
Thousands of hectares	4,720	5,238	6,328	6,328	6,494
Thousands of acres	11,662	12,944	15,636	15,636	16,048
Yield					
Kilograms per hectare	1,540	1,700	1,500	1,500	1,900
Bushels per acre	27.9	30.7	27.1	27.1	34.7
			thousands of metric tonnes		
Beginning stocks					
Stocks on farms	640	1,113	679	679	521
In commercial positions	620	894	1,104	1,104	1,007
Total beginning stocks	**1,259**	**2,007**	**1,783**	**1,783**	**1,528**
Production	7,490	9,000	9,601	9,601	12,643
Imports	187	203	179	170	102
Total supplies	**8,936**	**11,210**	**11,562**	**11,554**	**14,272**
Grain exports	4,089	5,477	5,661	5,293	7,252
Product exports	0	0	0	0	0
Total exports	**4,089**	**5,477**	**5,661**	**5,293**	**7,252**
Domestic disappearance					
Human food	0	0	0	0	0
Crushings	3,129	3,579	4,144	2,811	2,908
Seed requirements	39	46	47	..	..
Loss in handling	3	2	2	..	..
Animal feed, waste and dockage	300	324	180	..	..
Total domestic disappearance	**3,471**	**3,951**	**4,374**	**..**	**..**
Ending stocks	**1,376**	**1,783**	**1,528**	**..**	**..**
Total disposition	**8,936**	**11,210**	**11,562**	**..**	**..**

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Supply and disposition of oilseeds, Canada, by crop year

	Average 2002/2003 to 2006/2007	Total			September to June	
		2005/2006	2006/2007 [r]	2007/2008 [p]	2007/2008 [r]	2008/2009 [p]
Soybeans [3]						
Area harvested						
Thousands of hectares	1,123	1,165	1,201	1,172	1,172	1,195
Thousands of acres	2,774	2,880	2,968	2,895	2,895	2,954
Yield						
Kilograms per hectare	2,540	2,700	2,900	2,300	2,300	2,800
Bushels per acre	37.6	40.3	42.9	34.2	34.2	41.5
	thousands of metric tonnes					
Beginning stocks						
Stocks on farms	76	90	200	130	130	30
In commercial positions [1]	168	180	295	340	340	91
Total beginning stocks	**244**	**270**	**495**	**470**	**470**	**121**
Production	2,855	3,156	3,466	2,696	2,696	3,336
Imports	442	339	241	337	268	326
Total supplies	**3,541**	**3,765**	**4,201**	**3,502**	**3,434**	**3,783**
Grain exports	1,163	1,316	1,741	1,696	1,557	1,736
Product exports	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total exports	**1,163**	**1,316**	**1,741**	**1,696**	**1,557**	**1,736**
Domestic disappearance						
Crushings Total [4]	1,576	1,493	1,513	1,347	1,170	1,081
Seed requirements	121	126	122	126	..	..
Residual [2]	377	334	355	213	..	..
Total domestic disappearance	**2,074**	**1,954**	**1,991**	**1,686**	**..**	**..**
Ending stocks	**304**	**495**	**470**	**121**	**..**	**..**
Total disposition	**3,541**	**3,765**	**4,201**	**3,502**	**..**	**..**

1. Stocks at transfer elevators, country elevators and crushing plants.
2. Includes feed, human food uses, dockage and loss in handling.
3. September to August crop year.
4. Source: Canadian Oilseed Processors Association.