

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

	Average 2004/2005 to 2008/2009	Total		August to October	
		2008/2009	2009/2010 ^r	2009/2010 ^r	2010/2011 ^p
Flaxseed					
Area harvested					
Thousands of hectares	637	625	623	623	353
Thousands of acres	1,574	1,545	1,540	1,540	873
Yield					
Kilograms per hectare	1,260	1,400	1,500	1,500	1,200
Bushels per acre	19.7	21.9	23.8	23.8	19.1
thousands of metric tonnes					
Beginning stocks					
On farms	108	25	165	165	215
In commercial positions	91	142	64	64	74
Total beginning stocks	198	167	229	229	289
Production	798	861	930	930	423
Imports	20	7	6	2	1
Total supplies	1,016	1,035	1,165	1,161	714
Grain exports	602	639	772	80	93
Product exports	0	0	0	0	0
Total exports	602	639	772	80	93
Domestic disappearance					
Human food	..	..	..	..	..
Crushings	x	x	x	x	x
Seed requirements	29	29	18	..	..
Loss in handling	5	6	1	..	..
Animal feed, waste and dockage	x	x	x	..	..
Total domestic disappearance	189	168	104
Ending stocks	226	229	289
Total disposition	1,016	1,035	1,165

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Canola					
Area harvested					
Thousands of hectares	5,621	6,494	6,376	6,376	6,514
Thousands of acres	13,889	16,048	15,755	15,755	16,097
Yield					
Kilograms per hectare	1,700	1,900	1,900	1,900	1,800
Bushels per acre	30.7	34.7	34.8	34.8	32.5
thousands of metric tonnes					
Beginning stocks					
Stocks on farms	692	521	975	975	1,100
In commercial positions	798	941	686	686	1,023
Total beginning stocks	1,489	1,462	1,661	1,661	2,123
Production	9,680	12,643	12,417	12,417	11,866
Imports	150	121	128	52	100
Total supplies	11,319	14,225	14,206	14,130	14,089
Grain exports	5,573	7,908	7,162	1,650	1,680
Product exports	0	0	0	0	0
Total exports	5,573	7,908	7,162	1,650	1,680
Domestic disappearance					
Human food	0	0	..	..	..
Crushings	3,691	4,280	4,788	977	1,495
Seed requirements	43	47	49	..	..
Loss in handling	0	1	1	..	..
Animal feed, waste and dockage	311	329	83	..	..
Total domestic disappearance	4,046	4,656	4,921
Ending stocks	1,700	1,661	2,123
Total disposition	11,319	14,225	14,206

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		2007/2008	2008/2009	2009/2010 ^r	2009/2010 ^r	2010/2011 ^p
Soybeans³						
Area harvested						
Thousands of hectares	1,181	1,172	1,195	1,383	1,383	1,477
Thousands of acres	2,919	2,895	2,954	3,418	3,418	3,649
Yield						
Kilograms per hectare	2,660	2,300	2,800	2,500	2,500	2,900
Bushels per acre	39.5	34.2	41.5	37.7	37.7	43.8
thousands of metric tonnes						
Beginning stocks						
Stocks on farms	94	130	30	45	45	65
In commercial positions ¹	205	340	91	175	175	235
Total beginning stocks	299	470	121	220	220	300
Production	3,139	2,696	3,336	3,507	3,507	4,345
Imports	332	337	350	371	65	35
Total supplies	3,771	3,502	3,807	4,098	3,792	4,680
Grain exports	1,553	1,553	1,888	2,111	270	677
Product exports	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total exports	1,553	1,553	1,888	2,111	270	677
Domestic disappearance						
Crushings Total ⁴	1,449	1,347	1,280	1,293	180	250
Seed requirements	128	126	145	154	..	..
Residual ²	326	356	274	240	..	..
Total domestic disappearance	1,903	1,829	1,699	1,687	..	..
Ending stocks	315	121	220	300	..	..
Total disposition	3,771	3,502	3,807	4,098	..	..

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. Canadian Oilseed Processors Association.