

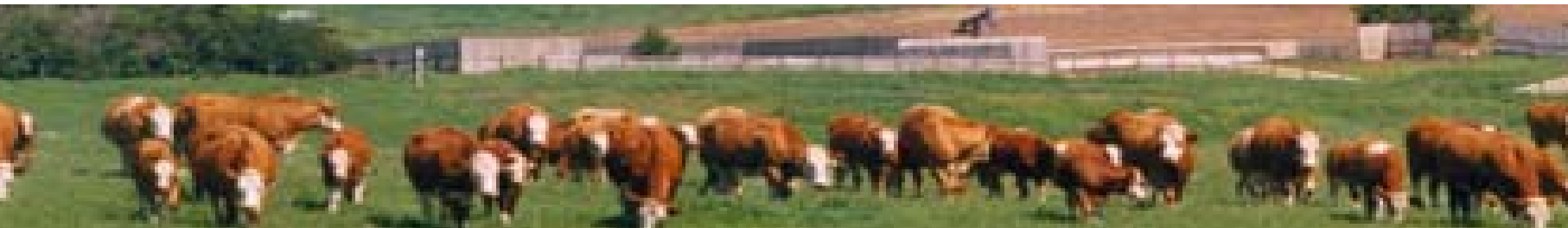
# BEEF PRODUCTION IN CANADA

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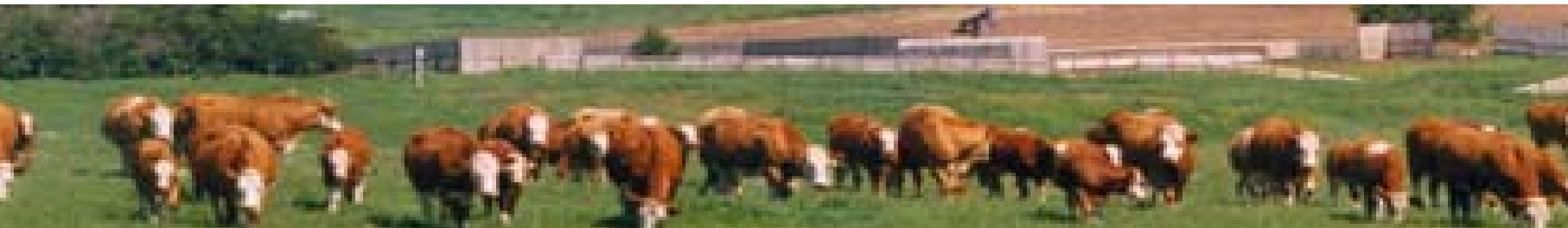
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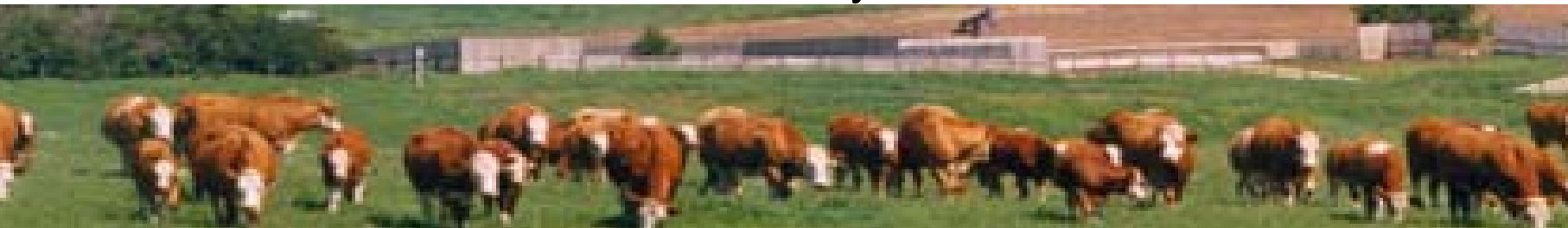
# CANADA

- 9,984,670 sq km of land
- Population of 32,805,041 people
- 15 Million cattle total - 5.3 million Beef cows, 1 million Dairy cows
- 90,000 beef producers in the country
- Average beef cow herd size: 53
- Beef production contributed \$20 Billion to Canada's economy in 2004



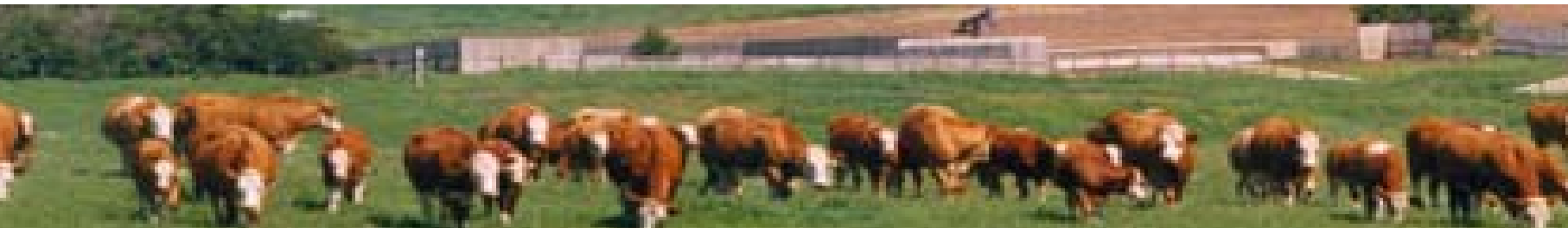


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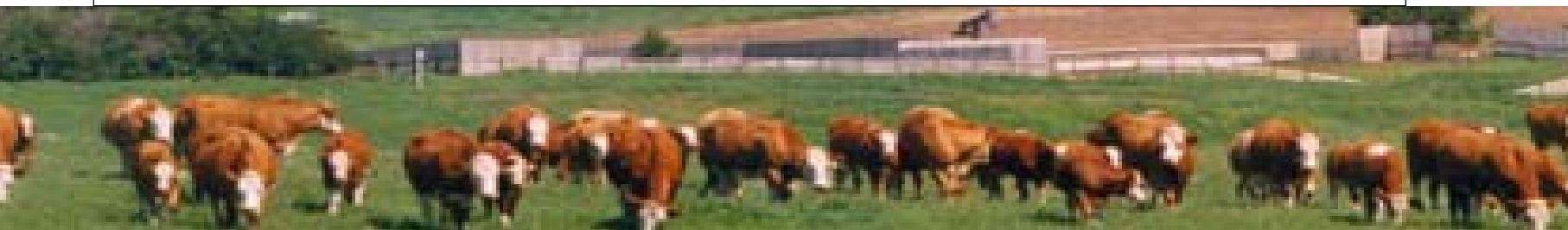
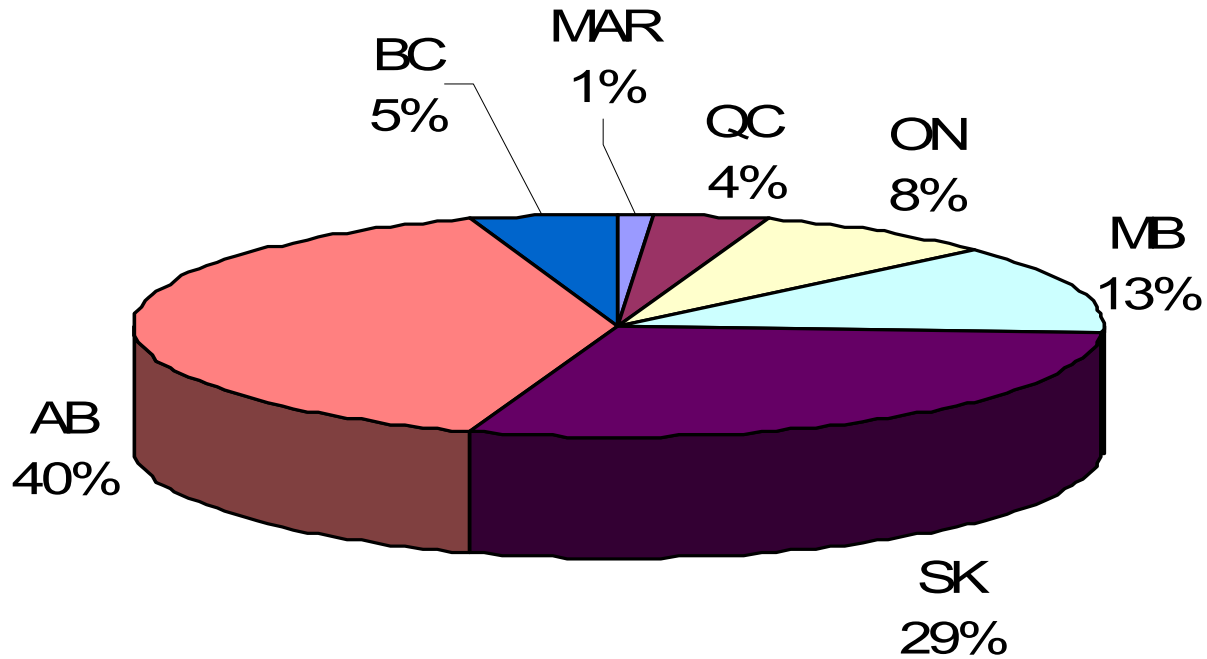


# Canadian Beef Industry Structure

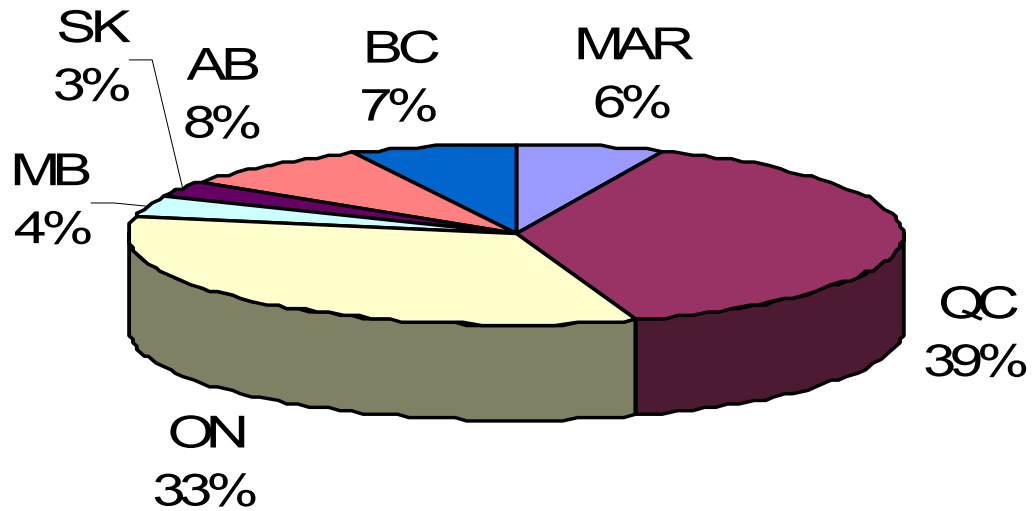
- Seedstock Producer
- Cow Calf Producer
- Backgrounder
- Feedlot
- Processor



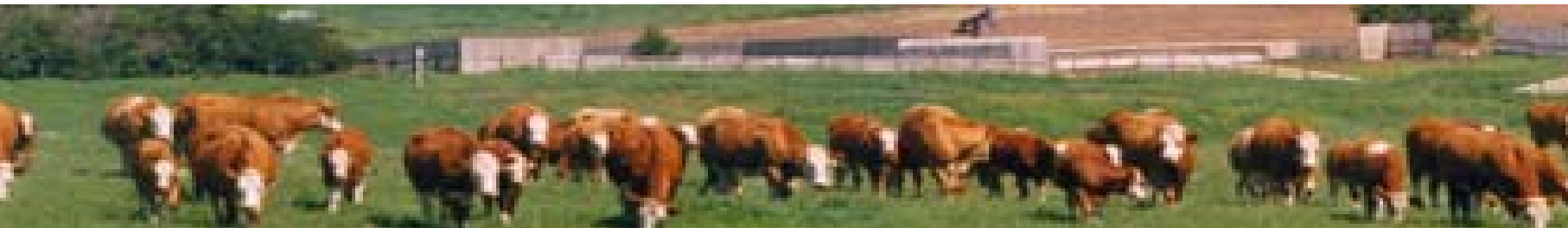
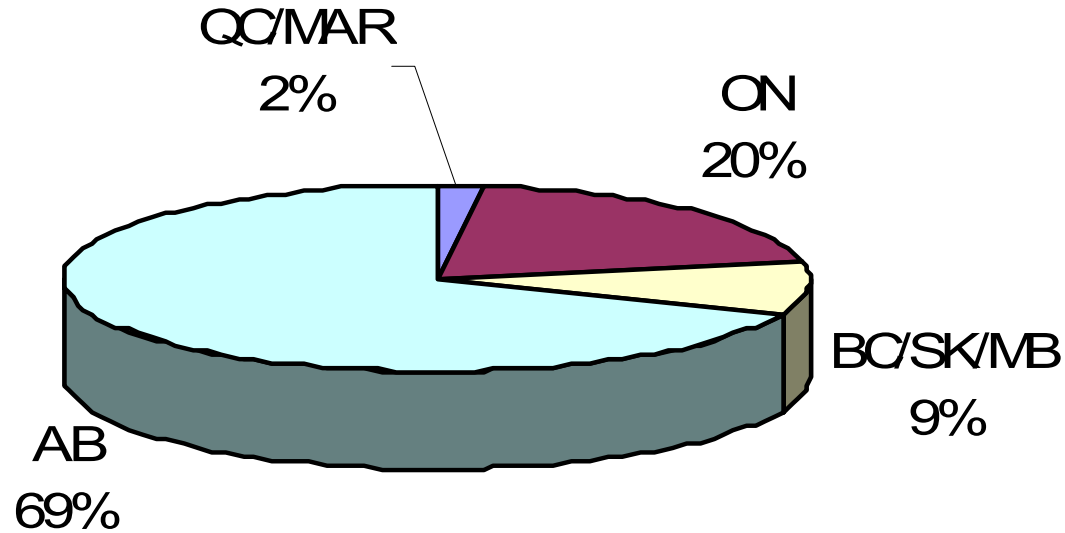
# BEEF COWS IN CANADA



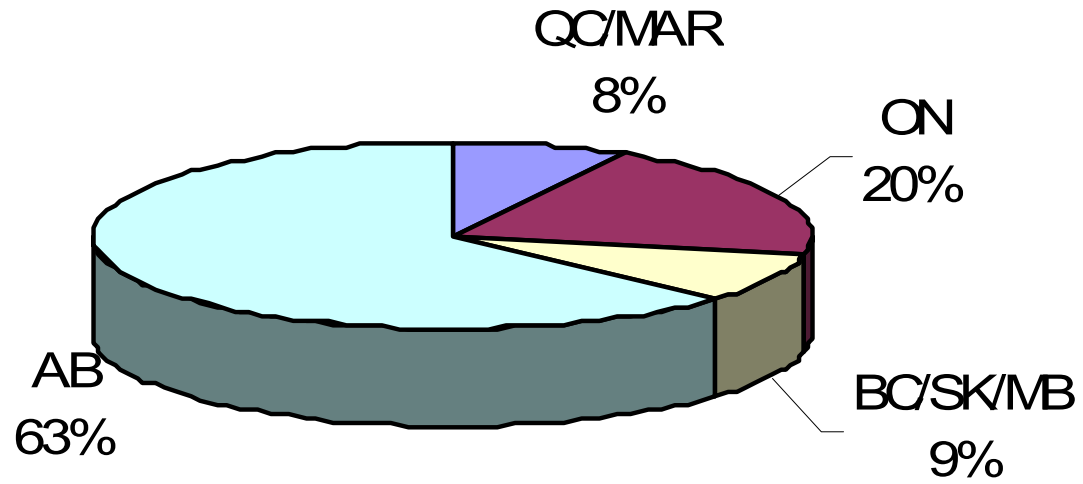
# DAIRY COWS IN CANADA



# FED CATTLE PRODUCTION



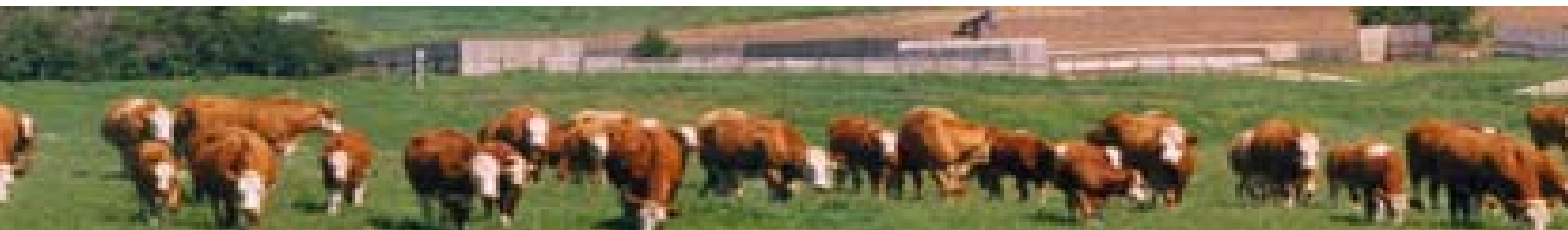
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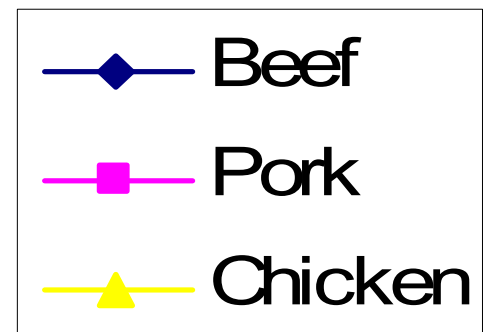
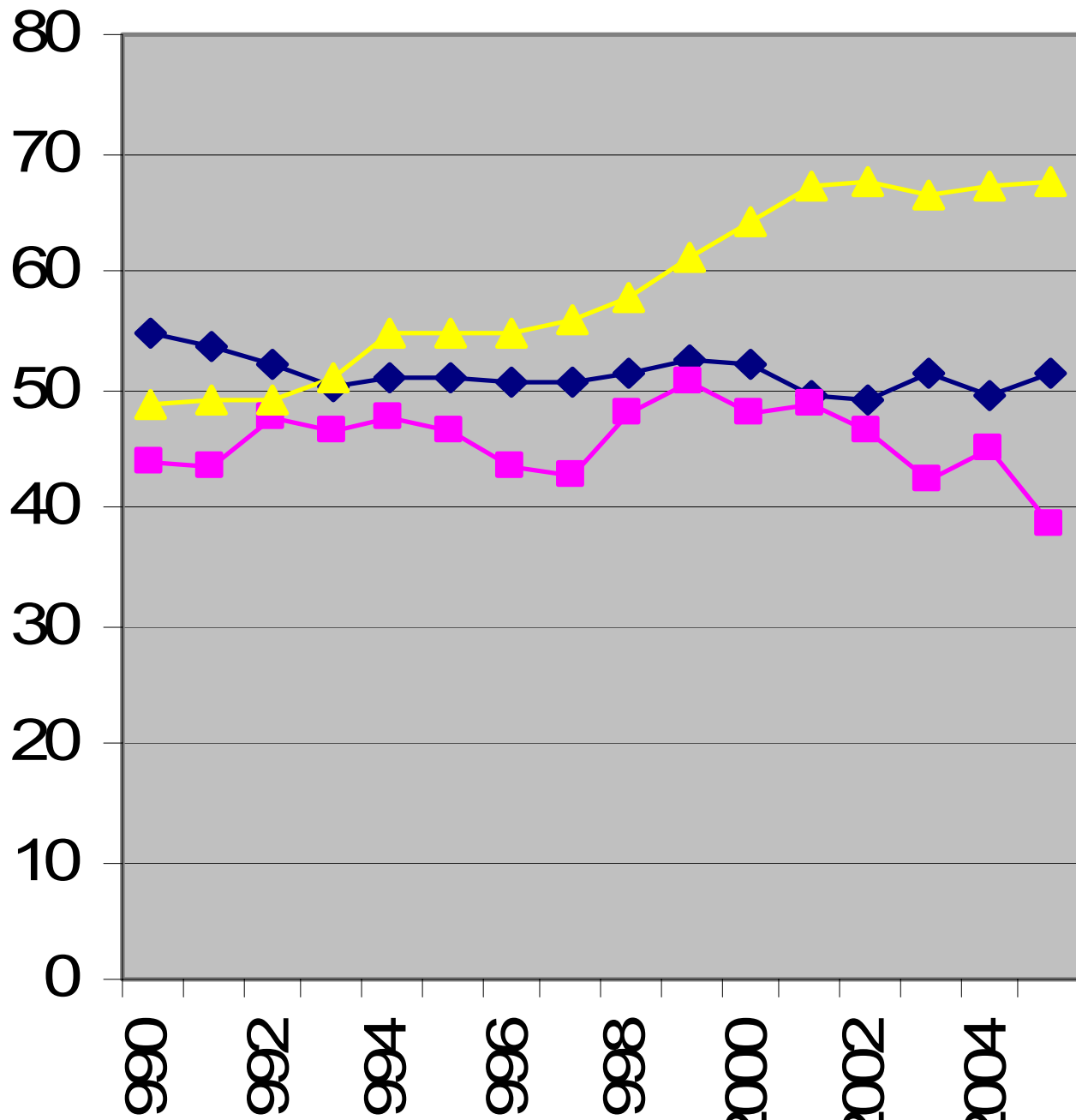




# Meat Consumption in Canada

	<b>Beef</b>	<b>Pork</b>	<b>Chicken</b>
1990	54.7	43.78	48.72
1991	53.55	43.32	49.01
1992	52.25	47.53	48.94
1993	50.02	46.3	50.93
1994	51.01	47.6	54.67
1995	51.12	46.58	54.67
1996	50.62	43.56	54.89
1997	50.62	42.59	56
1998	51.39	48.08	57.65
1999	52.47	50.42	60.96
2000	51.89	48.06	64.18
2001	49.41	48.5	67.22
2002	49.16	46.52	67.66
2003	51.15	42.11	66.25
2004	49.38	44.75	67.04
2005	51.37	38.36	67.68

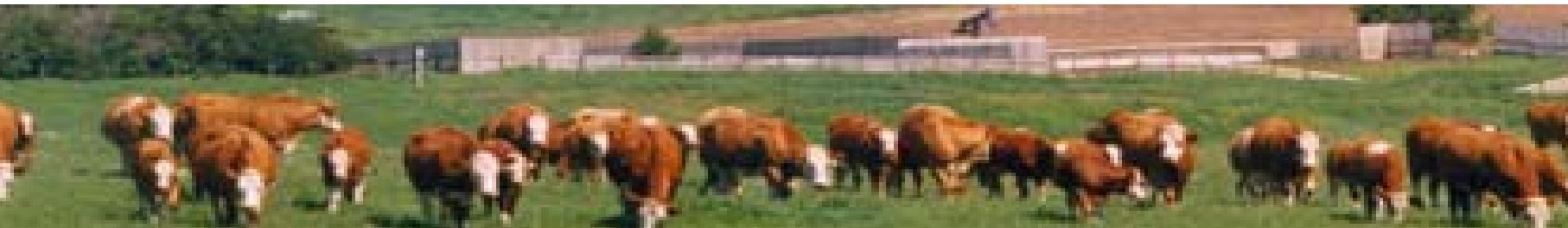




# CANADIAN BEEF EXPORTS 2005

Metric tonnes (000's)

US	370.7
Mexico	52.1
Hong Kong & Macau	20.4
Caribbean	4.0
Central Europe	2.2
Central & South America	0.7
SE Asia	0.4
EU 25	0.7

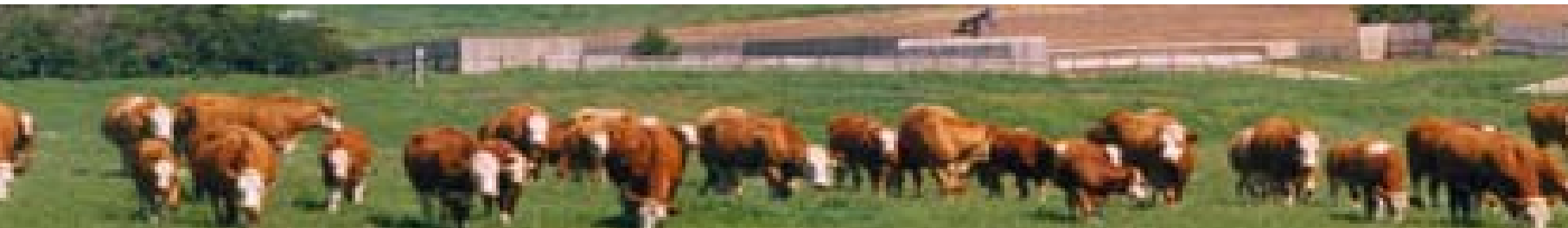


# WORLD TOP 10 BEEF & CATTLE EXPORTERS -

2005

% of world exports

Brazil	26%
Australia	20%
Canada	11%
Argentina	10%
New Zealand	8%
India	6%
Uruguay	6%
US	4%
EU 25	3%
Mexico	3%



# SIMMENTAL IN CANADA

- Nearly 40 years in Canada – first Simmental bull imported in 1967 (Parisien)
- Raised for beef production in Canada
- Initially used in Canada to breed to the British cattle to add growth & muscle
- Highly effective terminal beef sire and superior maternal qualities
- Main market is the commercial industry
- Domestically used for growth & performance and maternal qualities

