Agriculture Division

# Fur Farm Report - 2011 Mink and Foxes

#### CONFIDENTIAL when completed.

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If necessary, please make address label corrections in the boxes below for the main operation and on the second page for the operators (please print).

C0001	Farm Name (if applicable)			
C0002	Corporation Name (if applicable)			
C0004	Address (number and street)			
C0005	City			
C0006	Frov. ce / Territory Connection Postal Code			
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# GENERAL INFORMATION

This information is collected under the authority of the *Statistics / ct*, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1985, Chapter S-19.

COMPLETION OF THIS QUESTIONNAIRE IS A LEGAL REQUIREMENT UNDER THIS ACT.

# Purpose of this survey

The purpose of this survey is to produce annual estimates of the farm pelts produced in Canada. The information is used by all levels of government in developing policies and in addressing issues related to the fur industry.

#### Confidentiality

#### Your answers are confidential.

Statistics Canada is prohibited by law from releasing any information it collects which could resultify any person, business, or organization, unless consent has been given by the respondent or as permitted by the Statistics Act. The confidentiality provisions of the Statistics Act are not affected by either the Access to intermation Act or any other legislation. Therefore, for example the Canada Revenue Agency cannot access identifiable surve, records from Statistics Canada.

Information from this survey will be used for statistical purposes only and will be published in aggregate form.

### Record linkages

To enhance the data from this survey, Statistics Canada may combine it with information from other surveys or from administrative sources.

#### Your participation is important

Your participation is vital to ensuring that the information collected in this survey is accurate and comprehensive.

## Instructions

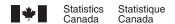
- Read each question carefully. When a question does not apply, put in a "0".
- Where a mink/fox has died BUT was pelted, report it in the question on peltings.
- INCLUDE mink/fox boarded by you for others in answering questions in this report.
- · EXCLUDE mink/fox boarded for you by others.

Please return the completed questionnaire to Statistics Canada within <u>30 days</u> of receipt by mail using the return envelope.

You can also fax it to us at 1-888-883-7999.

Lost the return envelope or need help? Call us at **1-866-445-4323** or mail to: Statistics Canada, Operations and Integration Division, Distribution Center – SC-0505 150 Tunney's Pasture Driveway, Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0T6

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	MAIN OPERATOR					
	Surname or Family Name  Usual First Name and Initial					
C0028	C0008					
C0017	Telephone Number Fax Number Other Telephone Number					
C0504	Number and Street Name					
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C0507	Post Office (name of city, town or village where mail is received)  Province  C0512  C0510  C					
C0018	Email Address (if applicable)					
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г	PARTNER					
	Surname or Family Name  Usual First va and Initial					
C0601	C0603					
	Check this box if the address and telephone number is the same as main operator.					
C0602	Telephone Number					
C0609	Number and Street Name					
C0611	Post Office (name of city, town or village where real is received)  Province Postal Code  C0612  C0610					
	PARTNER					
C0701	Surname or Fami. Name  Usual First Name and Initial					
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C0702	Telephone Number Fax Number Other Telephone Number					
C0709	Number and Street Name					
C0711	Post Office (name of city, town or village where mail is received)  Province  CO712  Postal Code					

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MINK/FOXES BOARDED FOR OTHERS AT DECEMBER 31, 2011						
If you boarded mink/fox for more than one owner, please add additional contact information in the comments section.						
Last Name of Owner	First Name o	f Owner				
01000	01001					
Address C1002		Province/State	Postal Code/Zip Code			
LIVE MINK/FOXES	SOLD DURING	3 2011				
If you sold mink/fox to more than one buyer, please add			s section.			
Last Name of Purchaser	f Purchaser					
C2000	C2001					
Address		Province/State	Postal Code/Zip Code			
C2002		02003				
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LIVE MINK/FOXES PUF  If you bought mink/fox from more than one seller, please a			unto acation			
Last Name of Seller	First Name o		riis section.			
C3000	C3001					
Address		Province/State	Postal Code/Zip Code			
C3002		C3003 C30	004			
SECTION A	<b>Y</b>					
		Mink (#)	Fox (#)			
	males	C4000	C5000			
1. Live on farm at January 1, 2011	females >	C4001	C5001			
	lemales -					
2. Bought in 2011		C4002	C5002			
3. Taken as boarders in 2011		C4003	C5003			
		C4004	C5004			
4. Kits (pups) born in 2011						
5. TOTAL (sum of 1 to 4)		C4005	C5005			
6. Sold live in 2011		C4006	C5006			
6. Cold 1170 117 2011		C4007	C5007			
7. Boarders removed alive in 2011		04007	03007			
8. Peltings in 2011 (include pelts taken from animals that died and	d spring peltings)	C4008	C5008			
9. Died (not pelted); include loss of kits (pups)		C4009	C5009			
10. Escaped or lost		C4010	C5010			
	males <b>&gt;</b>	C4011	C5011			
11. Live on farm at December 31, 2011	females >	C4012	C5012			
12 TOTAL (cum of 6 to 11)		C4013	C5013			
12. TOTAL (sum of 6 to 11)						

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SECTION B	
	Mink Pelts (#)
1. Dark (Black)	C4014
2. Demi-buff	C4015
3. Pastel (including buff, dawn, orchid)	C4016
4. Sapphire	C4017
5. Pearl	C4018
6. Aleutian (including iris)	C4019
7. Violet	24020
8. White	C4021
9. Silver Blue	C4022
10. Lavender	C4023
11. Blush	C4024
12. Mahogany	C4025
13. Other	C4026
14. TOTAL MINK PELTED in 2011 (sum of lines 1 to 13)	C4027

SECTION C	
	Fox Pelts (#)
1. Silver	G5014
2. Pearl	C5015
3. Platinum	C5016
4. Glacier	C5017
5. Ranched Red	C5018
6. Ranched Cross	C5019
7. Blue	C5020
8. Amber	C5021
9. Other	C5022
10. TOTAL FOX PELTED in 2011 (sum of lines 1 to 9)	C5023

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# **DATA-SHARING AGREEMENTS**

To avoid duplication of enquiry, Statistics Canada has entered into data-sharing agreements with provincial statistical agencies, which must keep the data confidential and use them only for statistical purposes. Statistics Canada will only share data from this survey with those organizations that have demonstrated a requirement to use the data.

**Section 11** of the *Statistics Act* provides for the sharing of information with provincial statistical agencies that meet certain conditions. These agencies must have the legislative authority to collect the same information, on a mandatory basis, and the legislation must provide substantially the same provisions for confidentiality and penalties for disclosure of confidential information as the *Statistics Act*. Because these agencies have the legal authority to compel businesses to provide the same information, consent is not requested and farm operations may not object to the sharing of their data.

For this survey, there are **Section 11** agreements with the provincial statistical agencies of New Brunswick and Ontario.

The shared data will be limited to information pertaining to farm operations located within the jurisdiction of the respective province.

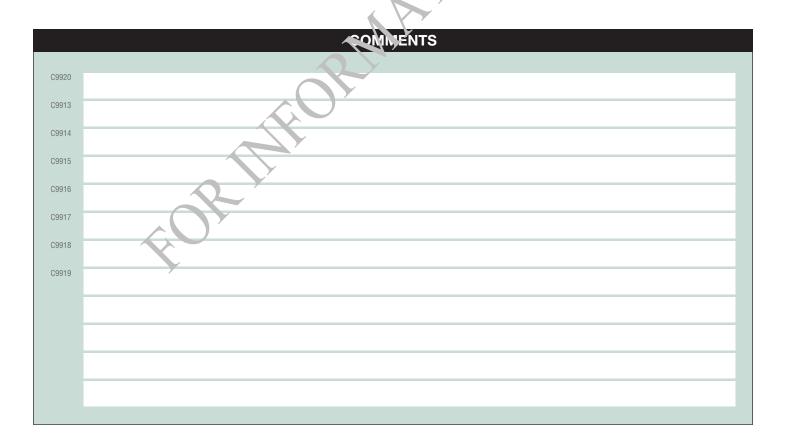
**Section 12** of the *Statistics Act* provides for the sharing of information with federal and provincial government organizations. Under **Section 12**, you may refuse to share your

information with any of these organizations by writing a letter of objection to the Chief Statistician at the address below. Please specify the name of the survey and the organizations with which you do not want to share your data.

Statistics Canada Chief Statistician R. H. Coats Building, 26<sup>th</sup> Floor, Section A 100 Tunney's Pasture Driveway Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0T6

For this survey, there are **Section 12** agreements with the Department of Natural Resources Forestry and Agrifoods Agency of Newfoundland and Labrador, the Prince Edward Island statistical agency, the New Erunswick Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fisheries Department, the Manitoba Department of Agriculture, Food and Hural Initiatives, the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture and Lange.

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Thank you for completing this questionnaire.

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