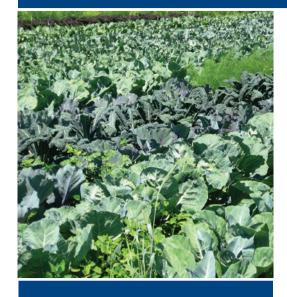
Agriculture in Brief

Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District



Jurisdictional Makeup: The Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District has 3 member municipalities, 6 electoral areas and a Nu-Chah-Nulth Tribal Council Representative.

Population ¹ (2006)	#	30,664
Jurisdictional Area ²	ha	688,530
Population Increase (1971-2006)	#	68
Agricultural Land Reserve 3 (2008)	ha	7,750

		1996	2001	2006
Total Area Farmed	ha	2,480	2,535	3,171
Farmland Owned ⁴		84%	87%	75%
Farmland Leased 4		16%	13%	25%
Number of Farms ⁵ Reporting	#	80	81	89
Average Farm Size	ha	31.0	31.0	35.6

Farmland Use				
Crops 6	ha	895	951	920
Summerfallow	ha	33	x 7	0
Pasture (managed)	ha	200	183	141
Pasture (unmanaged)	ha	277	373	745
Other ⁸	ha	1,075	×	1,364
Total	ha	2,480	2,535	3,170

Crops				
Field Crops ⁹	ha	817	872	875
Fruits, Berries & Nuts	ha	9	10	18
Vegetables	ha	13	18	15
Other 10	ha	56	51	12
Total	ha	895	951	920

Mushrooms (farms)	#	0	0	1
(area)	m ²	0	0	X
Greenhouses (farms)	#	8	5	9
(area)	m ²	15,995	X	X
Nursery Products	ha	X	X	Х
Sod Grown for Sale	ha	0	0	0
Christmas Trees	ha	68	×	57

MUNICIPALITIES

PORT ALBERNI, City of TOFINO, District of UCLUELET, District of

ELECTORAL AREA

"A" - BAMFIELD

"B" - BEAUFORT

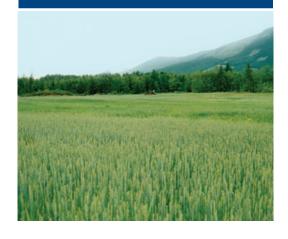
"C" - LONG BEACH

"D" - SPROAT LAKE

"E" - BEAVER CREEK

"F" - CHERRY CREEK

NU-CHAH-NULTH TRIBAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE



Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District







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		1996		2001		2006
Livestock	<u>Farms</u>	<u>Livestock</u>	<u>Farms</u>	<u>Livestock</u>	<u>Farms</u>	<u>Livestock</u>
Hens & Chickens	25	1,466	32	2,923	32	2,310
Turkeys	1	X	5	X	5	X
Total Other Poultry	7	Χ	13	390	11	152
Cattle & Calves	42	1,661	32	1,259	36	1,416
Dairy Cows	12	562	6	414	4	401
Beef Cows	29	272	19	196	28	343
Pigs	11	Х	7	X	3	X
Sheep & Lambs	10	190	13	X	12	X
Horses & Ponies	12	52	17	82	23	109
Goats	5	32	4	38	5	X
Wild Boar	na	na	0	0	1	Х
Mink	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fox	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bison	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deer	na	na	1	X	2	X
Llamas & Alpacas	4	31	5	44	7	76
Rabbits	2	X	0	0	na	na
Colonies of Bees for Honey	7	402	7	242	4	166

		1996	2001	2006
Area Irrigated	ha	365	552	554
Total Farm Capital		\$ 42,423,043	\$ 36,284,393	\$ 65,288,472
Annual Gross Farm Receipts		\$ 4,937,331	\$ 4,680,332	\$ 5,491,456
Annual Cash Wages Paid		\$ 1,035,479	\$ 1,291,448	\$ 1,362,398

Source: Statistics Canada, 1996, 2001 and 2006 Census of Agriculture and, where applicable, Statistics Canada, customized tabulations, 1996, 2001 and 2006 Census of Agriculture.

- ¹ Source: Statistics Canada, 2006 Census of Population.
- ² Source: www.marh.gov.bc.ca/MUNFIN/#statistics
- ³ ALR as of January 1, 2008 Source: files of the Agricultural Land Commission
- ⁴ Source: B.C. Ministry of Agriculture and Lands, Adapted from Statistics Canada, 1996, 2001 and 2006 Census of Agriculture.
- ⁵ Over time, the official definition of "census farm" or "agricultural operation" has changed. An explanation of these changes can be found at: www.statcan.ca/english/freepub/95-629-XIE/2007000/terms.htm#farm. In 2006, an "agricultural operation" was described generally as a farm, ranch or other agricultural operation producing agricultural products for sale or the intention of sale in the past 12 months. For a complete definition of "agricultural operation" and "agricultural products", refer to the Census glossary at: www.statcan.ca/english/agcensus2006/glossary.htm#gt3.
- ⁶ Field crop area does not include those crop areas not included for reasons of confidentiality.
- ⁷ 'x' indicates that farms reporting but further information not provided due to confidentiality.
- ⁸ "Other": includes 'Unimproved Land', 'Other Improved Land' and 'Woodland'
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- ¹⁰ "Other" Crops: also account for area figures not provided due to confidentiality.