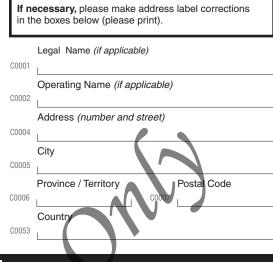
Agriculture Division

Survey of commercial stocks of corn and soybeans (Industrial users)

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GENERAL INFORMATION

This information is collected under the authority of the *Statistics Act*, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1985, Chapter S-19. COMPLETION OF THIS QUESTIONNAIRE IS A LEGAL REQUIREMENT UNDER THIS ACT.

Survey purpose

This survey asks questions about commercial stocks of raw **unprocessed** corn for grain and soybeans, stored in your company's elevators. These products may be for your company's use or to be sold to grain or oilseed processing companies for human or animal consumption, or for industrial use. The data are also used by Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC) and by grain analysts in the public and private sectors. Your information may also be used by Statistics Canada for other statistical and research purposes.

Confidentiality

The *Statistics Act* protects the confidentiality of information collected by Statistics Canada.

Statistics Canada is prohibited by law from releasing any information it collects which could identify any person, business, or organization, unless consent has been given by the respondent or as permitted by the *Statistics Act*. Statistics Canada will use the information from this survey for statistical purposes.

Record linkages

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

Data-sharing agreements

To reduce respondent burden, Statistics Canada has entered into data-sharing agreements with provincial and territorial statistical agencies and other government organizations, which have agreed to 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 and territorial 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 businesses may not object to the sharing of the data.

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

The shared data will be limited to information pertaining to business establishments located within the jurisdiction of the respective province or territory.

Fax or e-mail transmission disclosure

Statistics Canada advises you that there could be a risk of disclosure during the transmission of information by facsimile or e-mail. However, upon receipt, Statistics Canada will provide the guaranteed level of protection afforded all information collected under the authority of the *Statistics Act*. **Note:** There is no risk of disclosure if you are completing a web-based questionnaire online.

Please keep a copy of this report for your file and return a copy to Statistics Canada by the 5th day of the following month by electronic means or facsimile to 1-888-883-7999. If you have any questions, telephone 1-800-665-3393.





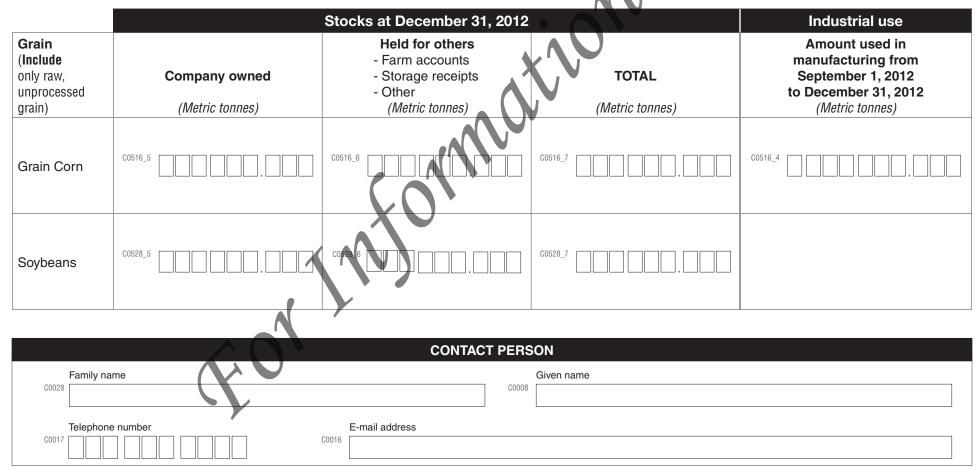
INSTRUCTIONS:

Report **physical stocks** of **unprocessed grain held in your company's elevators** at **December 31st, 2012**: **Please report** physical stocks held in your company's elevators in **metric tonnes**.

Include imports.

Exclude all physical stocks held in elevators licensed by the Canadian Grain Commission.

Please enter only the stock owned by the company and held in company owned elevators in the "Company Owned" column. Please enter any other stock in the "Held for others" column; i.e. farm accounts, storage receipts and other companies.



Thank you for your co-operation