

# Organic Statistics 2004

## NOVA SCOTIA

### FARMERS

Number certified: 50  
 Percentage of total farmers in province: 1.3%  
 Percentage of organic farmers in Canada: 1.4%  
 Number in transition: 2  
 Value of production: unknown

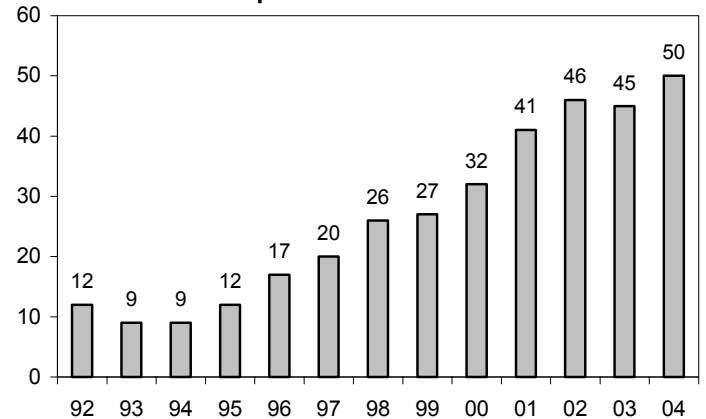
### PROCESSING & HANDLING

Certified processors: 16  
 Percentage of organic P & H in Canada: 2%

### ACREAGE

Acreage in production: 526 ha; 1300 ac.  
 Transitional acreage: 202 ha; 500 ac

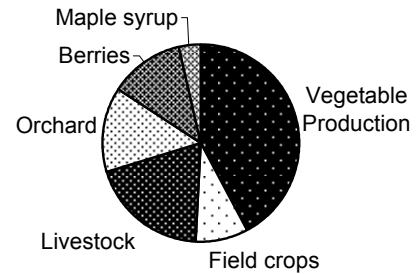
**Certified producers - Nova Scotia**



The following are minimum values and estimates from data available — breakdowns were not provided by all CBs for 2004.

Crop Type	Acres
Mixed vegetables	77
Asparagus	5
Salad/Lettuce	4
Blueberries	50
Apples	88
Oats	5
Rye	122
Pasture & Hay	827

**Type of Production**



### LIVESTOCK

Beef cattle 140; 4 farms  
 Sheep 50, 2 farms  
 Pigs - 1 farm  
 Goats - 3 farms  
 Poultry – 3 farms

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