

Saskatchewan Canola Growers
Association

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Stats Can

- Nov 09 Production 11825 MMT

Down 6.5% from 2008



China

- Four strains of blackleg
 - Canada & Australia have all four
- China has only two strains
- China is the world's largest producer of rapeseed



Imports

- In 2008/09 China imported 2.8 MMT
- Previous 5 year average 600 TMT
- China's crop is 2 MMT larger



Tariffs

- China has a 3% tariff on soybeans and 9% tariff on canola



Salmonella

- USDA has implemented zero-tolerance for salmonella
- Four Canadian crushers have had railcars stopped
- Canola meal being held to human standards



Meal Value

- 80% of the revenue from a tonne of canola comes from the oil
- 56% of a tonne of canola is meal



Biofuels

- Canada to implement a 2% renewable fuel content for diesel fuel in 2010
- Canada does not have enough production and will rely on imports
- US has over-capacity
- Better to use canola oil as human food