

ONTARIO MAPLE SYRUP PRODUCTION AND PRICING SURVEY RESULTS

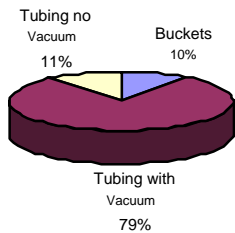
2005 Provincial Production

Item	Range	Average
First Boil	Feb 14 - Apr 12	Mar 19
Last Boil	Mar 26 - Apr 28	April 9
# of Taps	15 – 22,000	1,920
Grade of Syrup		
	% Produced	
Extra Light	23.2 %	
Light	30.0 %	
Medium	30.8%	
Amber	12.7 %	
Dark	3.3 %	
Collection Method		
	% Used	
Buckets	9.8 %	
Vacuum	79.1 %	
No Vacuum	11.1 %	
Conventional Spout (7/16")	32.7 %	
Small Diameter Spout (5/16", 19/64")	67.3 %	

2004 Provincial Packaging and Prices

Method of Sales	% Liters Syrup Sold	
Retail	49.6 %	
Wholesale	21.7 %	
Bulk	28.7 %	
Packaging		
	% Retail Sold	% Wholesale Sold
Tin	11.4 %	13.1 %
Plastic	52.1 %	67.9 %
Glass	36.5 %	19 %
Syrup Size		
	Avg Retail Price	Avg Wholesale Price
4 L	\$48.24	\$43.20
1L	\$16.28	\$12.83
500 mL	\$9.38	\$7.76
250 mL	\$5.76	\$4.84
Grade of Syrup		
	Price of Bulk Syrup per Pound	
Light	\$2.13	
Medium	\$2.60	
Amber	\$1.76	
Dark	\$1.29	

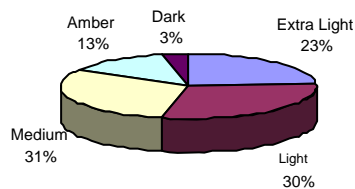
Collection System Used for Maple Sap in Ontario, 2005



Annual Syrup Production in Ontario Estimated from Survey *

2003	2004	2005
1,021,760 Litres	1,177,048 Litres	1,025,559 Litres

Grades of Syrup Produced in Ontario, 2005



Method of Maple Syrup Sales in Ontario, 2004

