

Canadian Federation of Humane Societies (CFHS) - Comparison of shelter statistics, 1993-2008

The following results are from an annual survey of Canadian humane societies and SPCAs in Canada. The number of respondents varied by year; it was often roughly 60% of those surveyed. While the CFHS tried to contact all humane societies and SPCAs that we know of in Canada (about 150), we cannot guarantee that some weren't missed in these surveys.

It should also be noted that this survey did not include municipally-run animal shelters (or "pounds"), which collectively take in at least as many stray animals in Canada as do the humane society & SPCA shelters captured in this survey.

<u>Dogs</u>	<u>Admitted</u>	<u>Claimed</u>	<u>Adopted</u>	<u>Euthanized</u>	<u>Euthanized at Owner's Request</u>	<u>Other</u>
1993	102132	23.5%	38.5%	30%	n/a	8%
1995	29108	34.7%	37.2%	25.6%	n/a	2.4%
1997	83133	28%	37%	31.1%	n/a	3.9%
1998	85564	27.7%	37.5%	25.8%	n/a	9%
1999	55290	26.4%	37.6%	27.1%	2%	6.9%
2000	73655	24%	36.1%	22.6%	5.2%	12.1%
2001	39531	23.8%	48.5%	22.7%	2%	3
2002	58052	25.3%	45.6%	18.9%	3.8%	6.3%
2003	38105	15.5%	53.4%	20.6%	3.3%	7.1%
2004	37774	19%	49.3%	18.7%	2.5%	10.6%
2007	48333	27.64%	42.7 %	21.07%	n/a	n/a
2008	36651	30%	49%	19%	n/a	n/a

<u>Cats</u>	<u>Admitted</u>	<u>Claimed</u>	<u>Adopted</u>	<u>Euthanized</u>	<u>Euthanized at Owner's Request</u>	<u>Other</u>
1993	176185	3.8%	28%	60%	n/a	8.2%
1995	39927	4.2%	34.7%	58.2%	n/a	2.9%
1997	140205	5%	31.9%	59.8%	n/a	3.2%
1998	136316	5.1%	32.9%	54%	n/a	8.1%
1999	94269	4.5%	31.5%	55.8%	1.6%	6.6%
2000	120422	4.7%	33.6%	48.8%	3.7%	9.2%
2001	74087	3.6%	38.2%	51.2%	1.3%	5.3%
2002	105603	3.9%	37.2%	47.6%	2%	9.2%
2003	71126	3.2%	45.4%	41%	2.2%	8.1%
2004	72261	3.4%	45.1%	43%	1.2%	7.3%
2007	109347	3.82%	37.8%	51.15%	n/a	n/a
2008	84301	3.8%	41%	54%	n/a	n/a