

DID YOU KNOW?

Facts About Canola and Wheat



Wheat flour is used to make pizza dough. There were approximately **3 billion** pizzas sold in the United States last year.



Canola produces small yellow flowers that are a rich source of nectar which attracts bees.

Wheat is the **#1** crop grown in Oklahoma. Most of the wheat grown here is hard red winter wheat.



2 types of resins isolated from canola are used in the manufacturing of ink that is used for printing newspapers.

It takes **50** pounds of canola seed for the extraction of **10** liters of oil.

Canola oil is used for cooking and as an ingredient in salad dressing.



Fruit of canola is a pod. It looks like a pea pod, but it is **5** times smaller. A pod contains **20**, black or brown round seeds.

A kernel is a wheat seed. There are **1,000,000** kernels in a bushel.



It takes **9** seconds for a combine to harvest enough wheat to make about **70** loaves of bread. **1** acre will produce enough wheat for about **2,500** loaves of wheat bread.

