

APICULTURE

Canada's agriculture sector faces unique labour market challenges in the coming years, and so will the beekeeping industry.

The beekeeping industry includes operations that are primarily engaged in raising bees, collecting and gathering honey, and performing other beekeeping activities.



94%



of beekeepers expect **employment to rise** over the **next 10 years**.

46%



of apiaries could not fill all open jobs, **costing \$12 million** in lost sales.

369



businesses (apiaries) with employees.

Strong positive growth



for **industry outlook** for the next **five years**.

57%

of **apiaries** and $\frac{2}{3}$ of all product sales comes from the Prairies.

