Stirdon Betker Division – 1982-2004.

Collection/Fonds:	United Farmers of Alberta Co-operative fonds
Hierarchy Level:	Series
Collection/Fonds Number:	4
Series Number:	22
Material Format:	textual records graphic material sound recording moving images
Physical Description:	10 cm of textual records and other material
Scope and Content:	The series consists of two promotional calendars, a poster, a sound-slide production, a videocassette, and two compact discs containing photographic images and a PowerPoint presentation.
Administrative History:	Stirdon Systems Ltd. was established in Olds, Alberta in 1971. It developed and produced computer-controlled systems for milling livestock feeds on the farm. Stirling Mcleod was one of the founders of the business and served as its General Manager until his retirement in 2005. In 1997 the firm was acquired by UFA Co-op and became one of its Divisions. A second office of the division was established at Lethbridge. In 2001 UFA Co-op acquired Betker Livestock of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan and integrated it with Stirdon, under the name Stirdon Betker Divisic By 2010 the Olds manufacturing plant was moved to Red Deer and the Saskatoon office was closed. The organization was part of the Construction Division, 2007-2010, and became known as the Stirdon Betker Team.
Custodial History:	The sound-slide production was donated by Stirling Mcleod, 2005.
Creator:	United Farmers of Alberta Co-operative
Subjects:	Livestock feeding systems
Names:	Stirdon Systems Stirdon Betker Division United Farmers of Alberta Co-operative
Places:	Olds
Date:	1982-2004
Source:	Archival Descriptions