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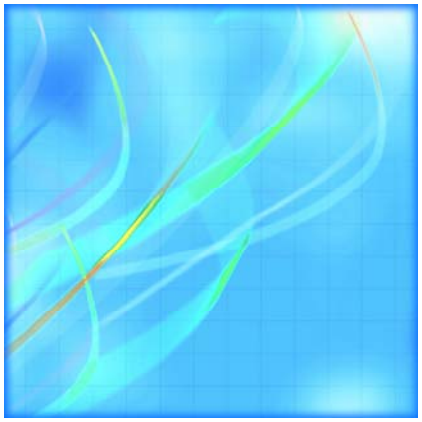

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0s	value rounded to 0 (zero) where there is a meaningful distinction between true zero and the value that was rounded
p	preliminary
r	revised
x	suppressed to meet the confidentiality requirements of the *Statistics Act*
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F	too unreliable to be published

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Highlights

- For the 12 month period ending September 30, 2008 Canadian requirements were 50.19 million hectolitres as determined by the Canadian Milk Supply Management Committee (CMSMC).
- Canadian milk producers sold 7.67 million kilolitres of milk and cream to dairies during the 2007-2008 dairy year, up 2.5% from last year.
- Industrial milk sales, which accounted for 60.5% of all milk sold, totalled 4.64 million kilolitres.
- Fluid milk sales, at 3.03 million kilolitres, were 1.4% above year-ago levels.
- Canadian consumers purchased 3.02 million kilolitres of milk and cream during the 2007-2008 dairy year, up 0.4% from last year levels.
- Sales of 2% milk, the most popular, were up 0.4% at 1 250 thousand kilolitres. Sales of 1% milk and skim milk both increased, at 603 thousand kilolitres and 289 thousand kilolitres respectively. Sales of standard (homogenized) milk at 383 thousand kilolitres declined 4.1%.
- Total cream sales, at 288 thousand kilolitres, were slightly above year-ago levels.
- Butter production increased during the 2007-2008 dairy year to 84.2 thousand tonnes from 73.5 thousand tonnes a year ago.
- Total production of variety and cheddar cheese increased 1.9% from last year levels during the 2007-2008 dairy year.
- Variety cheese production, at 230.5 thousand tonnes, was up 3.0% and cheddar cheese production, at 143.2 thousand tonnes, was virtually unchanged from the same period last year.

Introduction

This publication provides a statistical summary on the dairy industry in Canada and the provinces for current and previous calendar years.

Data include monthly, as well as year-to-date information, on farm sales of milk and cream for fluid and industrial purposes, cash receipts from milk and cream sold off farms, production, stocks, and supply and disposition of creamery butter, cheddar cheese and other dairy products and by-products. Data series are available on a historic basis since 1920.

This publication, Dairy Statistics, provides statistical information on the dairy products industry at national and provincial levels. Through co-operation between provincial departments of agriculture, milk marketing boards and Statistics Canada, dairy statistics are collected, compiled, disseminated and analyzed on a monthly basis.

Information on the volume of milk and cream sold off farms and commercial sales of fluid milk and cream by dairies are used by governments and provincial marketing boards in calculating provincial market sharing quota allotment and skim-off credit. These data are also important as an indicator of changes in the supply-managed dairy industry, a major contributor to total farm cash receipts.

Analysis

Canadian requirements

For the 12 month period ending September 30, 2008 Canadian requirements were 50.19 million hectolitres as determined by the Canadian Milk Supply Management Committee (CMSMC).

Canadian requirements, which are calculated by the Canadian Dairy Commission (CDC), represent the total demand for industrial milk and cream and are the basis for establishing national Market Sharing Quota (MSQ).

Off-farm sales to dairies slightly below last year's level

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Total sales of milk and cream by dairies up marginally

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003-0007	Supply and disposition of milk products in Canada
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Selected summary tables from Statistics Canada

- *Per capita consumption of major food groups*
- *Production of milk and cream, by province*

Statistical tables

Table 1-1
Milk production and utilization — Fluid purposes

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Canada													
2007	**255,999**	**232,967**	**256,476**	**241,771**	**251,836**	**240,843**	**238,597**	**257,199**	**237,221**	**267,693**	**257,628**	**258,124**	**2,996,354**
2008	**255,484**	**247,017**	**253,220**	**251,350**	**257,712**	**240,548**	**244,511**	**250,502**	**251,347**	**..**	**..**	**..**	**..**
Newfoundland and Labrador													
2007	4,499	4,076	4,696	4,812	5,076	4,993	5,176	5,110	4,913	5,089	5,004	5,116	58,560
2008	5,260	4,742	5,527	5,832	6,110	6,064	6,325	6,126	5,911	..	..	..	..
Prince Edward Island													
2007	1,168	1,059	1,163	1,122	1,185	1,127	1,243	1,284	1,090	1,165	1,142	1,186	13,934
2008	1,128	1,107	1,084	1,096	1,124	1,068	1,190	1,199	1,128	..	..	..	..
Nova Scotia													
2007	9,238	7,882	8,658	8,250	8,458	8,010	8,112	8,680	7,862	8,849	8,767	8,659	101,425
2008	8,531	8,104	8,044	8,133	8,401	7,845	7,979	7,953	8,037	..	..	..	..
New Brunswick													
2007	5,772	5,266	5,813	5,435	5,710	5,394	5,385	5,703	5,341	5,773	5,701	5,933	67,226
2008	5,697	5,466	5,575	5,543	5,737	5,363	5,355	5,621	5,634	..	..	..	..
Quebec													
2007	55,605	51,000	56,181	52,908	55,556	50,586	50,648	56,485	51,018	57,572	56,623	56,623	650,805
2008	54,525	53,553	54,276	54,996	55,122	52,398	52,039	54,563	53,787	..	..	..	..
Ontario													
2007	97,661	88,989	96,191	91,132	95,325	92,213	90,073	97,211	91,825	100,721	98,183	95,111	1,134,635
2008	97,444	95,677	95,409	94,028	98,551	89,182	92,704	94,746	95,397	..	..	..	..
Manitoba													
2007	10,019	9,335	10,177	9,855	9,959	9,617	9,505	10,169	9,579	10,454	10,632	10,659	119,960
2008	10,627	9,736	10,327	9,977	10,345	9,822	9,994	9,929	10,167	..	..	..	..
Saskatchewan													
2007	9,513	8,654	9,627	9,034	9,295	9,061	8,953	9,610	8,644	10,104	9,477	9,871	111,843
2008	9,653	9,066	9,612	9,523	9,602	9,089	9,164	9,336	9,364	..	..	..	..
Alberta													
2007	31,702	28,354	32,417	28,698	30,085	29,257	28,673	31,437	26,170	35,531	30,848	32,485	365,657
2008	31,497	29,823	31,867	30,977	31,207	29,323	29,170	29,595	30,814	..	..	..	..
British Columbia													
2007	30,821	28,353	31,554	30,525	31,187	30,585	30,829	31,509	30,777	32,437	31,250	32,481	372,308
2008	31,123	29,743	31,497	31,245	31,512	30,394	30,590	31,436	31,107	..	..	..	..

Table 1-2
Milk production and utilization — Industrial purposes

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Canada													
2007	**379,780**	**339,073**	**379,462**	**385,370**	**407,758**	**400,653**	**415,569**	**390,441**	**381,879**	**366,502**	**360,540**	**389,920**	**4,596,947**
2008	**405,467**	**371,263**	**404,411**	**386,475**	**400,012**	**389,247**	**392,071**	**378,793**	**355,070**	**..**	**..**	**..**	**..**
Newfoundland and Labrador													
2007	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	..	..	..	..
Prince Edward Island													
2007	7,209	6,540	7,227	7,229	7,502	7,647	7,576	7,387	7,235	7,281	6,857	7,207	86,897
2008	7,310	6,738	7,193	6,878	7,020	6,951	6,896	6,783	6,739	..	..	..	..
Nova Scotia													
2007	5,299	5,261	5,913	6,108	6,356	6,519	6,597	6,019	6,277	5,573	5,344	6,292	71,558
2008	6,728	6,057	6,883	6,186	6,233	6,275	6,123	5,994	5,228	..	..	..	..
New Brunswick													
2007	5,497	4,882	5,408	5,599	5,858	6,201	6,309	5,727	5,554	5,214	4,945	5,356	66,550
2008	5,936	5,503	6,011	5,636	5,695	5,713	5,528	5,189	4,814	..	..	..	..
Quebec													
2007	181,554	162,105	180,622	182,883	193,036	191,833	196,212	187,585	182,606	180,539	174,199	182,613	2,195,787
2008	187,398	172,925	187,062	180,113	187,788	180,628	180,866	174,884	168,427	..	..	..	..
Ontario													
2007	109,465	96,709	111,659	114,568	121,640	117,083	125,571	116,850	113,295	109,203	105,822	118,130	1,359,995
2008	120,423	107,485	118,457	112,361	114,257	111,201	109,820	107,617	100,114	..	..	..	..
Manitoba													
2007	15,272	13,340	14,729	14,491	15,682	15,359	15,644	14,969	14,595	14,686	14,104	15,655	178,526
2008	16,927	15,540	16,931	16,670	17,233	17,179	18,000	17,599	16,143	..	..	..	..
Saskatchewan													
2007	9,218	8,443	9,301	9,245	9,680	9,484	9,717	8,780	8,881	8,259	8,795	9,774	109,577
2008	10,526	9,793	10,577	9,827	10,078	10,093	10,733	10,264	9,375	..	..	..	..
Alberta													
2007	22,801	20,671	21,290	22,702	24,458	24,399	25,148	21,701	23,989	16,512	20,933	23,419	268,023
2008	26,093	23,955	25,387	24,169	25,525	26,109	27,897	26,598	22,790	..	..	..	..
British Columbia													
2007	23,466	21,121	23,313	22,544	23,546	22,128	22,795	21,424	19,445	19,236	19,541	21,474	260,033
2008	24,126	23,268	25,910	24,635	26,183	25,096	26,209	23,866	21,440	..	..	..	..

Table 1-3
Milk production and utilization — Milk sold off farms, total

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Canada													
2007	**635,779**	**572,041**	**635,938**	**627,140**	**659,594**	**641,496**	**654,165**	**647,640**	**619,100**	**634,195**	**618,167**	**648,045**	**7,593,300**
2008	**660,952**	**618,280**	**657,631**	**637,825**	**657,724**	**629,794**	**636,582**	**629,295**	**606,417**	**..**	**..**	**..**	**..**
Newfoundland and Labrador													
2007	4,499	4,076	4,696	4,812	5,076	4,993	5,176	5,110	4,913	5,089	5,004	5,116	58,560
2008	5,260	4,742	5,527	5,832	6,110	6,064	6,325	6,126	5,911	..	..	..	..
Prince Edward Island													
2007	8,378	7,598	8,390	8,351	8,688	8,774	8,819	8,671	8,326	8,445	7,999	8,393	100,832
2008	8,438	7,844	8,277	7,974	8,144	8,019	8,086	7,983	7,867	..	..	..	..
Nova Scotia													
2007	14,538	13,143	14,572	14,358	14,814	14,529	14,709	14,699	14,139	14,421	14,111	14,951	172,984
2008	15,258	14,161	14,927	14,318	14,634	14,121	14,102	13,946	13,265	..	..	..	..
New Brunswick													
2007	11,269	10,148	11,220	11,034	11,568	11,594	11,694	11,429	10,895	10,987	10,646	11,289	133,773
2008	11,633	10,969	11,586	11,179	11,432	11,076	10,883	10,810	10,447	..	..	..	..
Quebec													
2007	237,159	213,106	236,803	235,790	248,592	242,419	246,860	244,070	233,624	238,111	230,822	239,237	2,846,593
2008	241,924	226,478	241,338	235,109	242,910	233,026	232,905	229,446	222,215	..	..	..	..
Ontario													
2007	207,126	185,698	207,850	205,701	216,965	209,296	215,644	214,061	205,121	209,924	204,004	213,241	2,494,631
2008	217,867	203,162	213,867	206,390	212,807	200,384	202,524	202,362	195,511	..	..	..	..
Manitoba													
2007	25,291	22,675	24,906	24,347	25,640	24,976	25,148	25,138	24,175	25,139	24,736	26,314	298,485
2008	27,554	25,276	27,258	26,646	27,578	27,001	27,994	27,528	26,311	..	..	..	..
Saskatchewan													
2007	18,731	17,097	18,927	18,279	18,974	18,545	18,670	18,390	17,526	18,363	18,272	19,644	221,418
2008	20,179	18,859	20,189	19,350	19,680	19,182	19,896	19,600	18,739	..	..	..	..
Alberta													
2007	54,503	49,025	53,707	51,400	54,543	53,656	53,821	53,138	50,159	52,042	51,781	55,904	633,679
2008	57,589	53,778	57,254	55,147	56,733	55,432	57,068	56,193	53,604	..	..	..	..
British Columbia													
2007	54,287	49,474	54,867	53,069	54,733	52,714	53,623	52,933	50,223	51,673	50,792	53,954	632,342
2008	55,248	53,011	57,407	55,880	57,695	55,491	56,800	55,301	52,547	..	..	..	..

Table 2
Cash receipts from milk and cream sold off farms

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	thousands of dollars												
Canada													
2006	**419,008**	**387,924**	**420,124**	**404,306**	**412,303**	**389,821**	**384,473**	**399,888**	**395,096**	**405,024**	**400,683**	**424,581**	**4,843,231**
2007	**421,774**	**391,316**	**432,021**	**423,236**	**445,619**	**429,400**	**435,467**	**444,302**	**434,916**	**451,398**	**439,376**	**457,818**	**5,206,643**
2008	**447,374**	**429,065**	**451,707**	**431,140**	**454,945**	**434,709**	**432,867**	**444,016**	**436,922**	**..**	**..**	**..**	**..**
Newfoundland and Labrador													
2006	3,111	2,853	3,220	3,113	3,331	3,210	3,276	3,367	3,229	3,416	3,252	3,400	38,778
2007	3,482	3,172	3,614	3,575	3,802	3,664	3,767	3,815	3,651	3,837	3,689	3,804	43,872
2008	3,919	3,555	4,119	4,182	4,421	4,336	4,486	4,456	4,233	..	..	..	..
Prince Edward Island													
2006	5,397	4,974	5,408	5,430	5,575	5,176	4,786	5,326	5,147	5,220	5,123	5,525	63,087
2007	5,519	5,239	5,718	5,655	5,916	5,747	5,356	5,887	5,713	5,878	5,713	5,836	68,177
2008	5,577	5,560	5,766	5,485	5,627	5,420	5,334	5,568	5,658	..	..	..	..
Nova Scotia													
2006	9,452	8,813	8,950	9,104	9,383	8,968	9,199	8,046	9,085	8,753	8,503	9,404	107,660
2007	9,681	8,802	9,713	9,525	9,685	9,548	9,732	9,732	9,774	9,900	10,203	10,443	116,738
2008	10,412	8,607	10,445	9,937	8,924	9,858	9,356	11,102	9,349	..	..	..	..
New Brunswick													
2006	7,614	6,291	7,973	6,965	7,623	6,648	6,439	7,074	6,949	6,821	6,589	7,379	84,365
2007	7,697	6,462	7,847	7,151	7,647	7,855	7,739	7,454	7,458	7,827	7,371	7,862	90,370
2008	8,136	6,945	8,273	7,408	7,201	7,668	7,098	7,924	7,384	..	..	..	..
Quebec													
2006	157,909	150,273	165,891	152,828	158,534	150,453	142,039	151,862	150,685	156,423	152,567	159,183	1,848,647
2007	157,696	146,192	162,163	163,599	167,873	164,498	162,593	168,235	167,364	169,800	166,554	168,022	1,964,589
2008	162,614	158,175	161,993	166,953	167,626	163,905	155,588	162,304	162,099	..	..	..	..
Ontario													
2006	137,714	126,110	136,459	135,658	135,409	124,382	130,384	130,757	130,003	130,323	132,148	141,573	1,590,920
2007	136,113	131,294	142,791	138,133	147,787	138,839	145,389	147,769	139,824	147,978	143,467	152,649	1,712,033
2008	146,724	144,122	149,987	130,755	149,948	134,885	137,140	141,774	140,027	..	..	..	..
Manitoba													
2006	16,442	15,104	16,417	15,121	16,069	15,304	15,271	15,719	15,534	16,609	15,366	15,845	188,801
2007	16,400	14,664	16,815	16,303	16,901	16,540	16,569	16,013	18,256	18,534	17,858	18,278	203,131
2008	19,110	17,048	18,813	18,264	18,516	18,369	19,110	19,299	18,302	..	..	..	..
Saskatchewan													
2006	12,191	10,281	10,745	10,885	11,469	11,690	11,494	11,620	11,502	10,830	9,882	10,844	133,433
2007	13,306	11,028	11,388	11,114	12,400	12,248	13,053	12,121	11,964	12,593	12,108	13,164	146,487
2008	13,109	12,619	12,948	12,131	12,896	12,542	14,829	12,754	12,582	..	..	..	..
Alberta													
2006	33,900	30,660	28,938	30,326	30,347	31,226	28,677	32,817	31,171	33,419	34,203	36,411	382,095
2007	36,169	31,294	35,250	32,548	36,407	34,637	34,700	37,140	35,679	38,178	35,908	38,908	426,818
2008	38,060	34,243	38,338	36,251	38,052	37,960	39,343	38,972	38,490	..	..	..	..
British Columbia													
2006	35,278	32,565	36,123	34,876	34,563	32,764	32,908	33,300	31,791	33,210	33,050	35,017	405,445
2007	35,711	33,169	36,722	35,633	37,201	35,824	36,569	36,136	35,233	36,873	36,505	38,852	434,428
2008	39,713	38,191	41,025	39,774	41,734	39,766	40,583	39,863	38,798	..	..	..	..

Table 3-1
Commercial sales of milk and cream — Canada [1]

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Standard milk													
2006	34,802	30,892	33,571	34,753	32,671	32,026	33,846	32,851	32,977	36,439	32,820	34,813	402,461
2007	34,883	31,251	32,969	34,475	31,695	30,915	33,452	32,174	30,478	36,891	31,282	32,551	393,016
2008	32,782	30,223	30,761	33,162	30,727	29,524	32,460	30,694	30,377	..	..	..	..
Milk 2%													
2006	109,563	98,222	105,301	109,063	102,345	98,861	103,726	100,488	101,939	112,387	103,226	106,933	1,252,054
2007	110,036	98,658	104,363	108,769	98,831	96,391	103,653	100,297	98,442	121,311	103,108	105,206	1,249,065
2008	108,437	100,867	100,472	109,874	100,963	96,089	105,201	99,375	100,568	..	..	..	..
Milk 1%													
2006	50,275	45,920	50,059	50,529	49,014	47,970	47,997	47,547	48,810	52,124	49,166	50,633	590,044
2007	52,454	47,495	50,972	51,173	48,586	46,298	48,922	48,826	47,722	56,196	49,492	50,441	598,577
2008	51,778	48,958	49,033	52,065	50,161	48,571	50,231	48,383	49,298	..	..	..	..
Skim milk													
2006	24,158	22,096	24,133	24,285	23,959	23,223	22,995	22,746	23,577	24,888	23,687	23,908	283,655
2007	24,905	22,768	24,431	24,565	23,637	23,222	23,450	23,430	23,037	26,770	24,018	23,769	288,002
2008	24,974	23,649	23,802	25,359	24,474	21,668	23,928	23,229	23,843	..	..	..	..
Buttermilk													
2006	1,057	999	1,096	1,057	1,159	1,124	1,276	1,231	1,109	1,294	1,139	1,150	13,691
2007	1,259	1,193	1,233	1,319	1,314	1,219	1,305	1,308	1,216	1,336	1,166	1,066	14,934
2008	1,212	1,099	1,178	1,249	1,150	1,192	1,253	1,105	1,205	..	..	..	..
Chocolate drink [2]													
2006	16,862	15,029	15,504	14,768	14,747	13,014	13,073	13,799	15,549	17,442	15,560	14,209	179,556
2007	16,780	15,919	14,280	15,516	14,216	14,026	13,881	14,602	16,317	19,201	16,015	14,057	184,810
2008	17,039	16,240	15,802	17,726	15,876	13,696	15,372	15,969	16,339	..	..	..	..
Cereal cream													
2006	8,120	7,799	8,235	8,602	7,990	7,790	8,162	8,038	8,329	8,860	8,265	9,113	99,303
2007	8,100	7,830	8,216	8,557	7,963	7,566	8,126	7,882	8,116	9,678	8,330	9,155	99,519
2008	8,130	7,951	7,852	8,448	8,056	7,777	8,360	7,864	7,849	..	..	..	..
Table cream													
2006	7,196	6,607	7,676	8,530	8,069	8,200	9,209	8,331	8,273	8,885	8,038	8,197	97,211
2007	8,706	7,482	8,340	8,852	8,734	8,573	9,239	8,494	8,013	9,910	8,368	7,881	102,592
2008	8,097	7,458	7,833	9,507	8,498	8,446	9,481	8,652	8,609	..	..	..	..
Whipping cream													
2006	2,806	2,709	2,766	3,361	2,958	3,220	3,447	3,095	2,994	3,570	2,986	4,239	38,151
2007	2,856	2,740	2,919	3,288	3,060	3,193	3,687	3,336	3,104	4,009	3,187	4,485	39,864
2008	2,885	2,852	3,112	3,182	3,248	3,320	3,771	3,320	3,348	..	..	..	..
Sour cream													
2006	3,351	3,072	3,432	3,990	3,311	4,158	4,404	3,751	3,652	4,033	3,834	4,407	45,395
2007	3,695	3,328	3,951	3,848	3,791	4,255	5,073	3,790	3,796	3,967	3,947	4,601	48,042
2008	3,845	4,217	3,814	3,531	3,291	3,418	3,630	3,061	3,073	..	..	..	..
Eggnog													
2006	..	0	7	5	0	1	0	0	187	416	1,954	5,893	..
2007	..	31	37	5	0	1	1	1	209	800	2,198	6,353	..
2008	..	..	4	..	0	0	1	1	112	..	..	..	..

1. Excludes Newfoundland and Labrador.
2. Includes chocolate homogenized, chocolate partly skimmed 2% and flavoured milk.

Table 3-2
Commercial sales of milk and cream — Quebec

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Standard milk													
2006	9,975	8,793	8,946	10,568	8,647	8,475	9,937	8,617	8,787	10,883	8,872	10,036	112,536
2007	9,816	8,813	8,867	10,527	8,459	8,241	9,920	8,436	8,653	11,909	8,911	9,834	112,386
2008	9,662	8,705	8,772	10,364	8,378	8,281	9,899	8,464	8,584	..	..	..	..
Milk 2%													
2006	31,300	28,127	28,489	33,586	27,500	26,460	30,410	26,665	27,649	34,503	28,619	31,754	355,062
2007	31,258	28,548	28,547	33,876	27,013	26,035	30,605	26,158	27,303	38,343	28,647	30,828	357,161
2008	31,221	27,968	28,071	33,469	27,049	26,354	30,652	26,634	27,144	..	..	..	..
Milk 1%													
2006	8,737	7,950	8,058	9,567	7,803	7,492	8,569	7,385	7,881	9,831	8,162	9,044	100,479
2007	8,839	8,235	8,287	9,880	7,893	7,637	8,822	7,502	8,040	11,202	8,391	9,026	103,754
2008	9,052	8,243	8,331	9,867	7,929	7,845	8,956	7,669	8,120	..	..	..	..
Skim milk													
2006	3,205	3,053	2,998	3,654	3,020	2,867	3,225	2,718	2,896	3,600	2,951	3,291	37,478
2007	3,179	3,057	2,985	3,518	2,843	2,848	3,191	2,712	2,843	3,974	2,922	3,110	37,182
2008	3,103	2,913	2,933	3,522	2,835	2,746	3,146	2,665	2,809	..	..	..	..
Buttermilk													
2006	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Chocolate drink [1]													
2006	2,455	2,102	2,470	2,200	2,067	1,883	2,097	2,032	2,194	2,623	1,967	2,063	26,153
2007	2,145	2,081	1,831	2,364	1,912	1,846	2,127	2,059	1,915	3,244	2,102	1,853	25,479
2008	2,285	2,675	1,890	3,012	2,048	1,866	2,480	2,138	2,141	..	..	..	..
Cereal cream													
2006	1,701	1,649	1,720	2,045	1,661	1,622	1,793	1,613	1,683	2,068	1,781	2,069	21,405
2007	1,684	1,675	1,645	1,978	1,642	1,571	1,911	1,545	1,676	2,374	1,772	1,988	21,461
2008	1,754	1,643	1,629	1,933	1,649	1,652	1,860	1,612	1,579	..	..	..	..
Table cream													
2006	763	737	822	1,013	831	954	1,238	974	907	1,095	875	1,036	11,245
2007	838	798	866	1,149	955	1,047	1,347	1,078	1,029	1,364	1,033	1,074	12,578
2008	977	939	952	1,266	1,044	1,140	1,461	1,147	1,106	..	..	..	..
Whipping cream													
2006	746	715	754	932	745	879	1,085	788	785	987	824	1,273	10,513
2007	761	731	738	953	799	861	1,150	808	773	1,126	891	1,272	10,863
2008	741	748	834	880	823	919	1,135	842	798	..	..	..	..
Sour cream													
2006	250	250	250	256	256	256	256	256	320	320	320	320	3,310
2007	250	250	250	256	256	256	256	256	320	320	320	320	3,310
2008	250	250	250	256	256	256	256	256	320	..	..	..	..

1. Includes chocolate homogenized, chocolate partly skimmed 2% and flavoured milk.

Table 3-3
Commercial sales of milk and cream — Ontario

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Standard milk													
2006	12,449	10,976	11,991	12,298	11,667	11,590	11,922	11,763	11,820	12,778	11,720	11,990	142,964
2007	12,407	11,006	11,421	12,081	11,194	10,989	11,629	11,518	10,749	13,133	11,252	11,013	138,392
2008	11,763	10,773	10,679	11,400	10,925	10,229	11,250	10,845	10,425	..	..	..	..
Milk 2%													
2006	45,394	40,042	43,273	44,181	42,247	40,854	42,107	41,078	41,704	44,500	41,705	42,442	509,527
2007	45,113	39,713	42,149	43,675	40,212	39,708	41,924	41,318	39,555	48,798	42,280	40,782	505,227
2008	43,861	41,011	39,674	43,188	40,605	38,134	42,155	40,327	40,511	..	..	..	..
Milk 1%													
2006	20,202	18,610	20,096	20,465	19,877	19,775	19,468	19,256	19,671	20,631	19,593	20,071	237,715
2007	21,380	18,923	20,129	20,415	19,456	19,123	19,733	19,906	19,073	22,802	20,307	19,528	240,775
2008	21,022	19,789	19,233	20,317	19,738	18,160	20,027	19,323	19,257	..	..	..	..
Skim milk													
2006	9,272	8,331	9,167	9,280	9,072	8,847	8,711	8,614	8,934	9,308	8,885	8,924	107,345
2007	9,456	8,443	8,971	9,253	8,859	8,797	8,886	8,901	8,615	10,388	9,560	8,754	108,883
2008	9,562	9,015	8,755	9,543	9,240	8,426	9,132	8,878	9,051	..	..	..	..
Buttermilk													
2006	464	406	476	442	518	471	570	557	476	640	572	548	6,140
2007	662	662	622	707	712	607	619	626	609	683	588	493	7,590
2008	683	556	586	620	566	583	562	452	582	..	..	..	..
Chocolate drink [1]													
2006	8,256	7,003	6,481	6,545	6,326	5,871	5,707	5,903	7,025	8,157	7,176	6,150	80,600
2007	8,276	7,783	5,743	7,113	6,179	6,561	6,281	6,502	8,193	9,030	7,535	6,115	85,311
2008	8,551	7,494	7,846	8,349	7,350	6,301	7,200	7,996	8,011	..	..	..	..
Cereal cream													
2006	3,550	3,286	3,529	3,686	3,326	3,302	3,560	3,419	3,711	3,801	3,536	3,947	42,653
2007	3,456	3,382	3,506	3,707	3,330	3,071	3,272	3,225	3,519	4,155	3,639	3,808	42,070
2008	3,500	3,432	3,265	3,462	3,375	3,222	3,490	3,260	3,256	..	..	..	..
Table cream													
2006	4,202	3,725	4,173	4,976	4,493	4,496	5,298	4,504	4,780	5,116	4,624	4,638	55,025
2007	4,789	4,200	4,549	4,878	4,869	4,678	4,999	4,430	4,249	5,653	4,479	4,099	55,872
2008	4,505	3,938	3,927	5,213	4,478	4,338	4,938	4,513	4,551	..	..	..	..
Whipping cream													
2006	1,004	928	828	1,148	915	999	977	898	943	1,087	923	1,161	11,811
2007	898	845	866	971	901	969	1,036	1,009	1,038	1,299	1,090	1,223	12,145
2008	1,020	916	849	1,019	1,007	994	1,100	1,015	1,188	..	..	..	..
Sour cream													
2006	1,443	1,576	1,601	2,100	1,557	2,446	2,359	1,705	1,549	1,953	1,768	2,263	22,320
2007	1,665	1,355	1,928	1,819	1,738	2,221	3,032	1,767	1,718	1,897	1,834	2,491	23,465
2008	1,848	2,242	1,823	1,519	1,272	1,397	1,591	1,250	1,193	..	..	..	..

1. Includes chocolate homogenized, chocolate partly skimmed 2% and flavoured milk.

Table 3-4
Commercial sales of milk and cream — Manitoba

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Standard milk													
2006	926	844	996	917	971	940	920	965	956	1,033	1,033	1,033	11,534
2007	1,033	1,033	1,033	922	816	794	904	816	813	945	691	961	10,761
2008	802	830	814	932	824	800	925	800	803	..	..	..	..
Milk 2%													
2006	3,471	3,196	3,687	3,374	3,605	3,472	3,361	3,567	3,517	3,689	3,689	3,689	42,317
2007	3,689	3,689	3,689	3,440	2,977	2,925	3,311	2,964	2,996	3,512	2,647	3,558	39,397
2008	3,006	3,071	3,051	3,453	3,018	2,902	3,314	2,862	2,932	..	..	..	..
Milk 1%													
2006	2,482	2,270	2,730	2,505	2,646	2,558	2,408	2,567	2,617	2,684	2,684	2,684	30,835
2007	2,684	2,684	2,684	2,468	2,176	1,110	2,326	2,108	2,164	2,516	1,763	2,516	27,199
2008	2,163	2,209	2,188	2,454	2,168	2,078	2,311	2,060	2,088	..	..	..	..
Skim milk													
2006	1,205	1,090	1,283	1,209	1,270	1,237	1,152	1,208	1,242	1,278	1,278	1,278	14,730
2007	1,278	1,278	1,278	1,186	1,061	1,026	1,108	1,024	1,037	1,196	798	1,197	13,467
2008	1,052	1,063	1,060	1,191	1,071	1,010	1,111	983	1,014	..	..	..	..
Cereal cream													
2006	304	299	218	207	219	215	208	225	220	232	232	232	2,811
2007	232	232	232	242	190	210	216	188	193	226	114	251	2,526
2008	178	224	224	252	192	185	251	188	215	..	..	..	..
Whipping cream													
2006	87	89	89	100	101	98	104	103	98	134	134	134	1,271
2007	134	134	134	120	97	96	124	103	97	137	84	166	1,426
2008	82	93	109	104	103	101	119	110	97	..	..	..	..

Table 3-5
Commercial sales of milk and cream — Alberta

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Standard milk													
2006	3,679	3,233	3,822	3,484	3,662	3,544	3,520	3,631	3,756	3,938	3,769	3,888	43,926
2007	3,871	3,419	3,929	3,491	3,663	3,534	3,554	3,762	3,353	3,592	3,438	3,584	43,190
2008	3,585	3,319	3,512	3,556	3,602	3,491	3,511	3,514	3,604	..	..	..	..
Milk 2%													
2006	10,810	9,884	10,955	10,061	10,491	10,288	10,055	10,503	10,630	11,127	10,743	10,550	126,097
2007	11,200	9,808	11,148	9,799	10,199	9,972	10,001	10,925	10,228	11,125	10,525	10,825	125,755
2008	11,280	10,627	10,723	10,810	10,685	10,268	10,282	10,342	10,780	..	..	..	..
Milk 1%													
2006	7,145	6,501	7,299	6,828	7,101	6,876	6,548	6,780	7,056	7,304	7,111	7,123	83,672
2007	7,433	6,594	7,573	6,672	7,041	6,830	6,623	7,221	6,773	7,312	6,997	7,193	84,262
2008	7,275	6,965	7,159	7,216	7,274	8,175	6,660	6,746	7,153	..	..	..	..
Skim milk													
2006	3,645	3,302	3,682	3,489	3,652	3,536	3,357	3,463	3,652	3,780	3,705	3,607	42,870
2007	3,877	3,450	3,929	3,651	3,732	3,611	3,417	3,701	3,596	3,904	3,625	3,637	44,130
2008	3,956	3,666	3,787	3,919	3,838	2,387	3,528	3,528	3,758	..	..	..	..
Buttermilk													
2006	172	183	206	191	197	204	225	220	205	196	206	188	2,393
2007	200	174	208	182	205	214	225	258	210	222	216	188	2,502
2008	178	170	184	193	182	180	207	196	185	..	..	..	..
Chocolate drink [1]													
2006	2,631	2,632	2,797	2,470	2,684	1,742	1,901	2,155	2,379	2,489	2,390	2,218	28,488
2007	2,384	2,320	2,640	2,295	2,330	2,194	2,006	2,426	2,499	2,724	2,651	2,338	28,807
2008	2,483	2,397	2,416	2,484	2,639	2,073	2,098	2,338	2,351	..	..	..	..
Cereal cream													
2006	936	893	997	929	972	954	923	994	1,003	1,012	1,013	1,041	11,667
2007	976	894	1,027	894	974	932	923	1,039	951	1,018	980	1,069	11,677
2008	946	931	964	994	1,042	1,001	995	1,013	1,012	..	..	..	..
Whipping cream													
2006	373	389	429	484	455	452	478	499	458	550	437	673	5,677
2007	421	402	469	461	457	450	476	532	462	551	393	748	5,822
2008	389	414	505	448	497	480	509	483	484	..	..	..	..
Sour cream													
2006	153	130	144	168	178	140	145	130	121	121	146	116	1,692
2007	129	110	121	141	150	118	122	109	102	102	123	98	1,425
2008	108	93	102	119	126	100	103	92	86	..	..	..	..

1. Includes chocolate homogenized, chocolate partly skimmed 2% and flavoured milk.

Table 3-6
Commercial sales of milk and cream — British Columbia

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Standard milk													
2006	5,317	4,810	5,319	5,210	5,301	5,092	5,248	5,371	5,317	5,443	5,263	5,500	63,191
2007	5,319	4,789	5,314	5,163	5,247	5,146	5,206	5,237	4,749	4,981	4,700	4,801	60,652
2008	4,682	4,376	4,718	4,663	4,548	4,433	4,521	4,673	4,593	..	..	..	..
Milk 2%													
2006	10,573	9,752	10,812	10,403	10,656	10,142	10,472	10,728	10,701	10,729	10,588	10,742	126,298
2007	10,820	9,857	11,015	10,577	10,834	10,643	10,805	11,170	11,241	11,768	11,421	11,633	131,784
2008	11,451	10,881	11,535	11,383	11,333	10,862	10,983	11,386	11,197	..	..	..	..
Milk 1%													
2006	6,565	6,014	6,656	6,435	6,527	6,240	6,314	6,463	6,583	6,656	6,616	6,567	77,636
2007	6,807	6,286	6,956	6,696	6,794	6,648	6,667	6,814	6,711	7,060	6,825	6,898	81,162
2008	6,962	6,645	6,941	6,907	7,228	6,956	6,892	7,085	7,087	..	..	..	..
Skim milk													
2006	4,255	3,961	4,354	4,224	4,342	4,154	4,155	4,190	4,290	4,340	4,311	4,272	50,848
2007	4,420	4,094	4,538	4,387	4,484	4,404	4,373	4,437	4,400	4,604	4,451	4,472	53,064
2008	4,593	4,386	4,623	4,554	4,645	4,484	4,391	4,522	4,489	..	..	..	..
Buttermilk													
2006	252	226	257	259	284	291	297	293	273	275	219	249	3,175
2007	244	216	255	272	250	274	295	295	270	258	249	262	3,140
2008	229	233	273	291	277	295	337	323	297	..	..	..	..
Chocolate drink [1]													
2006	663	621	709	688	718	684	683	736	749	778	762	691	8,482
2007	725	687	765	766	814	760	756	739	781	823	707	693	9,016
2008	687	723	681	723	753	704	737	740	780	..	..	..	..
Cereal cream													
2006	1,290	1,258	1,394	1,325	1,402	1,367	1,327	1,410	1,374	1,403	1,370	1,449	16,369
2007	1,340	1,270	1,420	1,350	1,412	1,380	1,370	1,426	1,374	1,476	1,411	1,504	16,733
2008	1,356	1,331	1,377	1,410	1,381	1,321	1,319	1,350	1,368	..	..	..	..
Whipping cream													
2006	486	468	533	563	590	604	596	610	551	638	528	775	6,942
2007	521	506	572	623	647	641	669	679	571	714	578	849	7,570
2008	538	552	652	592	652	646	675	661	609	..	..	..	..
Sour cream													
2006	483	423	526	420	438	447	430	454	431	449	443	447	5,391
2007	443	420	443	450	458	441	457	467	451	444	476	444	5,394
2008	468	441	441	460	457	454	477	279	269	..	..	..	..

1. Includes chocolate homogenized, chocolate partly skimmed 2% and flavoured milk.

Table 3-7
Commercial sales of milk and cream — Other provinces

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Standard milk													
2006	2,456	2,236	2,497	2,276	2,423	2,385	2,299	2,504	2,341	2,364	2,163	2,366	28,310
2007	2,437	2,191	2,405	2,290	2,316	2,211	2,238	2,405	2,162	2,331	2,290	2,359	27,635
2008	2,288	2,220	2,266	2,247	2,450	2,290	2,354	2,398	2,368	..	..	..	..
Milk 2%													
2006	8,015	7,221	8,085	7,458	7,846	7,645	7,321	7,947	7,738	7,839	7,882	7,756	92,753
2007	7,956	7,043	7,815	7,402	7,595	7,108	7,007	7,762	7,119	7,764	7,588	7,580	89,739
2008	7,618	7,310	7,418	7,572	8,272	7,569	7,815	7,824	8,004	..	..	..	..
Milk 1%													
2006	5,144	4,575	5,219	4,729	5,060	5,029	4,690	5,096	5,002	5,018	5,000	5,144	59,706
2007	5,311	4,773	5,343	5,042	5,226	4,950	4,751	5,274	4,961	5,304	5,208	5,280	61,423
2008	5,304	5,107	5,181	5,303	5,825	5,357	5,385	5,500	5,593	..	..	..	..
Skim milk													
2006	2,576	2,359	2,649	2,429	2,603	2,582	2,395	2,553	2,563	2,582	2,557	2,536	30,384
2007	2,695	2,446	2,730	2,569	2,658	2,536	2,475	2,655	2,547	2,704	2,662	2,598	31,275
2008	2,708	2,606	2,643	2,630	2,845	2,615	2,620	2,653	2,722	..	..	..	..
Buttermilk													
2006	169	184	157	165	160	158	184	160	155	183	142	165	1,982
2007	153	141	149	158	148	125	167	129	127	173	113	124	1,707
2008	122	139	135	146	126	133	147	134	140	..	..	..	..
Chocolate drink [1]													
2006	2,857	2,672	3,047	2,865	2,952	2,834	2,685	2,973	3,202	3,395	3,265	3,088	35,835
2007	3,250	3,048	3,301	2,978	2,980	2,665	2,711	2,875	2,929	3,379	3,020	3,058	36,194
2008	3,033	2,951	2,969	3,158	3,086	2,752	2,857	2,758	3,056	..	..	..	..
Cereal cream													
2006	339	414	377	411	410	329	351	377	337	344	333	375	4,397
2007	412	377	386	386	415	402	433	459	403	430	414	535	5,052
2008	396	389	393	397	417	395	445	441	419	..	..	..	..
Table cream													
2006	2,231	2,145	2,681	2,541	2,745	2,750	2,673	2,853	2,586	2,674	2,539	2,523	30,941
2007	3,079	2,484	2,925	2,825	2,910	2,847	2,893	2,985	2,735	2,893	2,856	2,707	34,139
2008	2,615	2,581	2,955	3,028	2,976	2,968	3,082	2,992	2,951	..	..	..	..
Whipping cream													
2006	110	120	133	133	153	188	207	197	159	174	140	223	1,937
2007	121	123	140	160	159	176	232	205	163	182	150	227	2,038
2008	115	129	163	139	166	180	234	208	172	..	..	..	..
Sour cream													
2006	1,023	692	911	1,046	883	869	1,214	1,206	1,230	1,190	1,158	1,261	12,683
2007	1,209	1,194	1,208	1,183	1,189	1,219	1,206	1,191	1,204	1,204	1,194	1,248	14,449
2008	1,170	1,191	1,198	1,176	1,179	1,211	1,203	1,185	1,204	..	..	..	..

1. Includes chocolate homogenized, chocolate partly skimmed 2% and flavoured milk.

Table 4-1
Production of selected products and by-products — Canada

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Creamery butter [1]													
2007	7,917	6,836	6,998	6,889	6,464	6,074	6,353	5,991	5,432	6,782	6,110	6,735	78,581
2008	9,518	7,852	8,174	8,590	6,779	6,017	6,236	4,798	5,271	..	..	..	..
Whey butter [1]													
2007	323	261	276	332	295	293	363	320	332	419	366	277	3,857
2008	284	265	222	283	286	307	359	217	213	..	..	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]													
2007	12,510	10,278	10,879	13,582	12,046	12,177	13,227	11,746	11,497	12,969	11,910	12,120	144,941
2008	11,694	10,611	10,753	11,801	11,848	12,993	13,258	11,798	11,822	..	..	..	..
Speciality cheese [2]													
2007	18,543	18,044	18,533	18,018	18,256	18,290	18,800	18,422	20,694	21,982	19,739	19,398	228,719
2008	19,081	18,064	18,542	18,752	18,855	18,524	18,519	17,827	19,576	..	..	..	..
Selected varieties													
Brick													
2007	298	207	193	250	310	249	278	231	287	358	331	363	3,355
2008	304	259	298	323	299	264	263	268	368	..	..	..	..
Colby													
2007	46	40	36	52	53	41	31	37	50	44	43	38	511
2008	39	27	48	45	68	33	28	54	46	..	..	..	..
Cream cheese													
2007	2,270	2,682	2,499	2,349	1,927	2,939	3,026	2,192	4,104	3,756	3,657	2,962	34,363
2008	2,204	2,793	2,803	2,359	2,678	3,134	2,562	2,984	4,012	..	..	..	..
Farmer's, skim													
2007	186	126	142	141	191	97	97	123	174	159	134	202	1,772
2008	95	152	159	183	179	127	159	165	165	..	..	..	..
Feta													
2007	257	342	327	351	374	372	407	390	326	400	331	287	4,164
2008	219	305	323	370	387	369	390	411	409	..	..	..	..
Fruilano and casata													
2007	6	4	4	8	4	6	4	7	4	7	4	7	65
2008	4	6	4	6	4	5	4	6	4	..	..	..	..
Gouda													
2007	252	245	269	227	280	257	245	266	246	322	330	283	3,222
2008	298	249	333	313	301	279	321	283	300	..	..	..	..
Havarti													
2007	513	450	486	452	494	487	462	495	469	550	484	446	5,788
2008	373	412	336	377	401	383	439	477	454	..	..	..	..
Monterey jack													
2007	419	494	408	333	525	411	372	365	405	509	414	350	5,005
2008	406	395	433	455	354	310	489	472	504	..	..	..	..
Mozzarella													
2007	9,492	9,048	9,508	9,646	9,760	8,588	9,688	9,577	9,951	10,837	9,320	9,626	115,041
2008	9,939	8,913	9,323	9,801	10,083	9,127	9,357	8,628	9,045	..	..	..	..
Parmesan													
2007	593	606	707	648	624	657	495	497	432	531	410	646	6,846
2008	577	783	683	569	483	686	661	359	372	..	..	..	..
Pizza cheese													
2007	915	730	662	366	367	376	427	443	408	475	437	454	6,060
2008	473	397	447	452	409	371	410	451	440	..	..	..	..
Provolone													
2007	241	215	204	172	232	235	247	330	312	317	304	253	3,062
2008	289	246	285	275	272	252	316	258	285	..	..	..	..
Ricotta													
2007	763	521	484	516	462	747	424	552	500	640	526	582	6,717
2008	563	575	518	429	408	519	397	573	521	..	..	..	..

See footnotes at the end of the table.

Table 4-1 – continued

Production of selected products and by-products — Canada

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Emmental and swiss													
2007	669	577	625	529	715	771	700	759	744	849	777	803	8,518
2008	871	626	716	832	742	713	789	725	851	..	..	..	..
Cottage cheese													
2007	2,328	2,262	2,344	2,366	2,172	3,820	3,585	2,153	2,139	2,623	2,152	2,195	30,139
2008	3,729	3,834	2,208	2,513	2,097	2,044	2,383	2,124	2,114	..	..	..	..
Yogurt													
2007	20,873	21,546	21,106	22,491	22,491	18,819	19,914	21,467	21,019	23,228	20,484	18,234	251,672
2008	25,340	22,599	22,028	24,955	23,862	20,736	21,185	23,290	23,250	..	..	..	..
Whole milk products													
Concentrated whole milk													
2007	2,733	1,971	2,659	2,746	2,206	2,388	1,886	1,368	1,695	2,055	1,794	1,864	25,365
2008	2,481	2,982	3,096	3,161	1,969	2,062	2,578	1,601	1,824	..	..	..	..
Concentrated partly skimmed milk 2%													
2007	494	558	400	409	558	332	442	327	303	558	544	558	5,483
2008	551	715	749	474	493	449	422	310	444	..	..	..	..
Other whole milk products [3]													
2007	1,328	1,484	1,283	1,738	1,497	1,772	1,940	987	1,190	1,081	1,308	574	16,182
2008	1,060	1,089	830	939	669	877	962	629	720	..	..	..	..
Milk by-products													
Sweetened concentrated skim milk													
2007	130	122	117	199	285	89	368	88	28	123	237	115	1,901
2008	78	277	181	178	62	68	130	117	74	..	..	..	..
Concentrated skim milk													
2007	796	989	893	1,575	1,260	1,066	1,520	1,065	785	561	291	409	11,210
2008	402	294	221	678	638	758	652	621	680	..	..	..	..
Powdered buttermilk													
2007	260	226	214	192	177	137	172	162	202	235	159	196	2,332
2008	293	229	222	245	214	162	194	160	156	..	..	..	..
Whey powder													
2007	2,510	2,582	2,409	2,826	2,395	2,650	2,655	2,269	2,280	2,504	2,477	2,333	29,890
2008	2,253	2,200	1,886	1,957	2,281	2,371	2,185	1,624	1,940	..	..	..	..
Skim milk powder													
2007	7,515	5,047	5,763	6,634	6,424	6,807	7,556	6,137	5,194	5,886	5,129	6,759	74,851
2008	9,040	7,319	8,277	8,157	6,162	5,954	6,709	6,044	6,316	..	..	..	..

1. Butter includes salted, unsalted (sweet, cultured, flavoured), whipped and reduced -calorie.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.
3. Includes whole milk powder and sweetened concentrated milk.

Table 4-2
Production of selected products and by-products — Quebec

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Creamery butter [1]													
2007	3,007	2,676	2,956	2,531	2,513	2,368	2,496	2,490	2,050	2,610	2,355	2,718	30,770
2008	4,221	3,293	3,647	3,242	2,496	1,872	1,926	1,565	1,819	..	..	..	..
Whey butter [1]													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Cheddar cheese [2]													
2007	5,854	4,015	4,225	7,123	5,452	5,546	6,606	5,248	4,938	6,543	5,517	5,792	66,859
2008	4,945	4,183	4,309	5,612	5,265	6,444	6,857	5,191	5,545	..	..	..	..
Speciality cheese [2]													
2007	11,599	11,207	10,981	11,326	11,444	11,000	12,220	11,462	13,327	14,591	12,424	12,144	143,725
2008	11,986	11,026	11,363	11,762	11,944	11,195	11,693	11,244	11,856	..	..	..	..
Yogurt													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x

1. Butter includes salted, unsalted (sweet, cultured, flavoured), whipped and reduced -calorie.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 4-3
Production of selected products and by-products — Ontario

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Creamery butter [1]													
2007	2,425	2,047	1,944	2,104	1,885	1,661	1,849	1,607	1,670	2,192	1,938	2,011	23,333
2008	2,480	2,152	2,154	2,475	1,974	1,905	1,924	1,702	1,749	..	..	..	..
Whey butter [1]													
2007	30	32	51	37	42	50	51	47	48	44	52	45	529
2008	53	61	36	33	35	24	29	25	13	..	..	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]													
2007	3,639	3,295	3,650	3,477	3,725	3,700	3,583	3,499	3,577	3,406	3,332	3,316	42,199
2008	3,744	3,485	3,557	3,324	3,712	3,516	3,476	3,502	3,250	..	..	..	..
Speciality cheese [2]													
2007	4,712	4,736	5,290	4,851	4,899	5,447	4,731	5,083	5,532	5,421	5,438	5,399	61,539
2008	5,145	5,184	5,312	5,114	5,024	5,521	4,950	4,665	5,817	..	..	..	..
Cottage cheese													
2007	1,297	1,183	1,258	1,261	1,109	2,744	2,518	1,093	1,082	1,513	1,097	1,048	17,203
2008	2,713	2,714	1,090	1,399	966	937	1,003	868	794	..	..	..	..
Yogurt													
2007	4,732	4,360	4,691	4,977	5,739	4,432	4,323	4,756	4,192	4,654	4,980	3,549	55,385
2008	5,838	4,477	4,406	4,704	5,051	4,782	5,235	5,198	5,443	..	..	..	..

1. Butter includes salted, unsalted (sweet, cultured, flavoured), whipped and reduced -calorie.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 4-4
Production of selected products and by-products — Manitoba

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Creamery butter [1]													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Whey butter [1]													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Cheddar cheese [2]													
2007	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	1,404
2008	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	..	..	..	..
Speciality cheese [2]													
2007	904	904	904	904	904	904	904	904	904	904	904	904	10,848
2008	904	904	904	904	904	904	904	904	904	..	..	..	..

1. Butter includes salted, unsalted (sweet, cultured, flavoured), whipped and reduced -calorie.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 4-5
Production of selected products and by-products — Alberta

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Creamery butter [1]													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Whey butter [1]													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Cheddar cheese [2]													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Speciality cheese [2]													
2007	475	412	513	435	486	433	426	445	415	506	447	442	5,435
2008	519	444	434	479	442	404	461	486	462	..	..	..	..

1. Butter includes salted, unsalted (sweet, cultured, flavoured), whipped and reduced -calorie.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 4-6
Production of selected products and by-products — British Columbia

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Creamery butter [1]													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Whey butter [1]													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Cheddar cheese [2]													
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..	..	x
Speciality cheese [2]													
2007	456	391	449	88	117	100	109	125	104	146	117	104	2,306
2008	124	98	119	104	136	94	123	117	134	..	..	..	..

1. Butter includes salted, unsalted (sweet, cultured, flavoured), whipped and reduced -calorie.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 4-7
Production of selected products and by-products — Other provinces

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Creamery butter [1]													
2007	2,485	2,112	2,098	2,255	2,065	2,045	2,007	1,894	1,712	1,981	1,817	2,006	24,477
2008	2,817	2,407	2,373	2,873	2,308	2,240	2,386	1,532	1,703	..	..	..	..
Whey butter [1]													
2007	293	229	225	294	253	242	312	273	284	376	314	232	3,327
2008	231	203	187	250	251	283	330	192	200	..	..	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]													
2007	2,900	2,850	2,887	2,865	2,751	2,813	2,921	2,881	2,864	2,902	2,943	2,894	34,471
2008	2,887	2,826	2,770	2,748	2,753	2,916	2,808	2,987	2,909	..	..	..	..
Speciality cheese [2]													
2007	398	395	397	414	407	408	411	403	412	414	409	406	4,874
2008	404	408	410	390	405	407	390	411	403	..	..	..	..
Cottage cheese													
2007	1,031	1,079	1,085	1,105	1,063	1,076	1,068	1,060	1,057	1,110	1,056	1,148	12,938
2008	1,016	1,120	1,118	1,114	1,131	1,107	1,380	1,256	1,320	..	..	..	..
Yogurt													
2007	16,142	17,186	16,415	17,513	16,752	14,386	15,591	16,710	16,827	18,574	15,504	14,684	196,284
2008	19,502	18,123	17,622	20,251	18,811	15,954	15,950	18,091	17,807	..	..	..	..

1. Butter includes salted, unsalted (sweet, cultured, flavoured), whipped and reduced -calorie.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 5-1
Production of selected products by dairy manufacturers — Canada

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Ice cream mix													
2007	8,483	9,837	12,884	14,835	17,074	16,987	17,779	16,061	11,810	14,148	11,258	9,066	160,222
2008	7,361	10,469	12,112	14,414	13,999	16,410	17,300	13,826	11,670	..	..	..	..
Hard ice cream													
2007	15,673	18,443	24,658	27,145	28,660	28,146	28,848	27,536	19,602	23,470	20,113	14,771	277,065
2008	12,449	18,799	21,909	24,552	22,644	25,856	27,297	22,433	19,548	..	..	..	..
Soft ice cream													
2007	474	466	615	1,744	3,058	3,494	4,131	2,444	1,674	909	521	630	20,160
2008	424	434	553	2,254	2,923	3,542	4,490	2,717	1,645	..	..	..	..
Ice cream, total													
2007	16,147	18,909	25,273	28,889	31,718	31,640	32,979	29,980	21,276	24,379	20,634	15,401	297,225
2008	12,873	19,233	22,462	26,806	25,567	29,398	31,787	25,150	21,193	..	..	..	..
Selected products													
Milkshake mix													
2007	495	400	511	616	732	676	716	594	510	737	666	621	7,274
2008	664	521	687	800	786	851	894	787	657	..	..	..	..
Sherbert													
2007	236	354	285	593	784	1,010	349	540	460	278	350	142	5,381
2008	363	565	1,075	421	461	475	437	550	297	..	..	..	..
Water ices													
2007	1,383	1,955	2,238	2,781	2,323	2,248	2,391	1,369	1,426	1,147	435	353	20,049
2008	730	1,251	1,805	2,158	2,010	2,534	2,357	1,558	1,083	..	..	..	..
Ice milk mix													
2007	1,283	1,667	2,205	2,921	3,543	3,372	3,655	3,003	2,062	2,098	1,517	445	27,771
2008	1,556	1,748	2,031	3,574	3,208	3,510	3,961	3,373	2,190	..	..	..	..
Soft frozen yogurt mix													
2007	23	42	48	49	77	72	39	68	57	38	18	28	559
2008	43	82	81	85	105	122	113	79	105	..	..	..	..
Hard frozen yogurt mix													
2007	633	709	700	897	1,335	1,475	863	975	630	698	933	544	10,392
2008	373	1,138	1,016	1,156	1,597	1,267	1,071	934	1,007	..	..	..	..

Table 5-2
Production of selected products by dairy manufacturers — Ontario

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Ice cream mix													
2007	5,085	5,992	8,716	9,302	11,139	9,772	10,690	10,233	7,111	9,102	8,079	5,005	100,226
2008	3,962	6,648	7,870	8,473	7,771	8,758	9,662	7,810	6,766	..	..	..	..
Hard ice cream													
2007	10,194	12,065	17,511	18,563	21,578	18,880	20,575	19,983	14,001	18,105	16,216	10,008	197,679
2008	7,806	13,352	15,810	16,745	15,159	17,026	18,563	15,055	13,362	..	..	..	..
Soft ice cream													
2007	121	104	179	284	820	757	886	635	357	321	177	138	4,779
2008	195	139	164	379	495	601	825	630	310	..	..	..	..
Ice cream, total													
2007	10,315	12,169	17,690	18,847	22,398	19,637	21,461	20,618	14,358	18,426	16,393	10,146	202,458
2008	8,001	13,491	15,974	17,124	15,654	17,627	19,388	15,685	13,672	..	..	..	..

Table 5-3
Production of selected products by dairy manufacturers — Other provinces

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	kilolitres												
Ice cream mix													
2007	3,398	3,845	4,169	5,532	5,935	7,215	7,089	5,829	4,699	5,046	3,179	4,061	59,997
2008	3,400	3,821	4,241	5,941	6,228	7,652	7,638	6,017	4,903	..	..	..	..
Hard ice cream													
2007	5,480	6,378	7,147	8,582	7,082	9,266	8,273	7,553	5,601	5,365	3,898	4,763	79,388
2008	4,642	5,446	6,099	7,807	7,485	8,829	8,734	7,378	6,185	..	..	..	..
Soft ice cream													
2007	353	363	436	1,460	2,237	2,737	3,245	1,809	1,317	588	344	492	15,381
2008	230	295	390	1,875	2,428	2,940	3,664	2,087	1,334	..	..	..	..
Ice cream, total													
2007	5,833	6,741	7,583	10,042	9,319	12,003	11,518	9,362	6,918	5,953	4,242	5,255	94,769
2008	4,872	5,741	6,489	9,682	9,913	11,769	12,398	9,465	7,519	..	..	..	..

Table 6-1
Stocks of specified dairy products [1] — Canada

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	tonnes											
Total stocks												
Butter												
2007	9,984	11,810	13,163	13,795	14,435	15,857	15,839	14,623	14,806	13,169	12,676	11,390
2008	10,804	14,905	16,540	19,625	20,070	19,708	18,785	18,595	16,544	12,815	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	45,898	48,031	46,551	45,158	47,519	48,739	48,684	49,925	50,005	49,380	49,292	48,752
2008	48,929	48,722	47,906	48,007	47,588	47,898	49,035	49,655	48,163	47,626	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	16,182	18,829	15,412	14,855	15,682	16,269	16,517	17,456	17,442	17,842	17,851	17,953
2008	18,906	18,783	18,150	18,408	19,468	17,806	19,992	19,616	19,564	19,686	..	..
Whey butter												
2007	479	552	403	311	360	312	274	347	411	366	356	470
2008	469	346	370	1,188	454	480	581	614	510	503	..	..
Process cheese												
2007	9,831	8,811	8,756	10,996	10,316	9,984	9,793	10,771	9,165	9,814	11,104	10,821
2008	8,090	8,168	9,243	9,443	8,539	9,626	9,842	9,598	8,987	8,365	..	..
Manufactures and government stocks												
Butter												
2007	8,620	10,534	11,771	12,411	13,039	14,259	14,395	13,401	13,726	12,040	11,104	9,915
2008	8,899	12,723	14,563	17,407	18,182	17,946	16,990	17,131	14,604	10,757	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	42,231	43,271	42,046	41,409	43,659	44,294	44,543	46,316	45,913	44,471	44,748	44,587
2008	45,142	45,495	43,682	44,586	43,961	44,037	44,610	44,877	44,553	43,879	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	13,922	16,114	13,197	13,170	13,843	14,131	14,234	15,101	14,607	14,490	14,711	14,883
2008	15,671	15,926	15,277	14,381	16,039	14,187	16,689	15,995	15,975	15,707	..	..
Concentrated whole milk												
2007	995	1,157	1,122	1,341	1,649	1,471	1,662	1,292	1,016	1,114	1,034	913
2008	971	981	1,065	1,179	1,418	1,262	1,223	1,104	878	639	..	..
Whole milk powder												
2007	192	240	214	188	213	227	219	270	195	369	248	144
2008	87	158	153	200	206	225	337	315	476	414	..	..
Concentrated partly skimmed milk												
2007	151	338	335	275	301	244	316	322	227	210	212	185
2008	248	408	209	328	374	388	414	335	462	344	..	..
Concentrated skim milk												
2007	145	88	96	109	103	133	137	159	159	125	160	119
2008	66	170	154	147	191	245	243	212	130	160	..	..
Skim milk powder												
2007	14,668	16,464	15,431	15,378	14,915	16,889	18,745	18,134	20,128	19,598	16,261	17,249
2008	19,745	24,893	27,834	33,639	36,081	36,313	36,048	35,528	37,017	21,398	..	..
Powdered buttermilk												
2007	378	508	493	425	352	305	335	355	348	361	365	275
2008	255	327	338	370	437	438	407	392	375	339	..	..
Whey powder												
2007	4,289	4,360	4,831	4,895	5,517	5,872	5,757	6,406	6,880	7,809	7,958	8,094
2008	8,659	10,198	10,070	9,516	9,167	8,142	7,303	7,566	8,465	7,718	..	..

1. On the first day of the month.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 6-2
Stocks of specified dairy products [1] — Quebec

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	tonnes											
Total stocks												
Butter												
2007	4,937	5,707	6,415	7,129	7,483	8,474	8,605	8,274	9,068	8,204	7,692	6,467
2008	5,736	6,964	8,893	10,004	9,899	9,414	8,530	8,527	6,879	3,130	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	12,251	13,252	13,005	11,808	12,476	12,970	12,466	12,921	14,116	15,306	15,090	14,996
2008	15,881	14,626	14,300	13,841	13,783	13,295	14,502	15,074	13,185	13,951	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	7,027	9,890	7,130	6,710	7,082	7,212	6,982	7,160	7,067	7,394	7,170	8,180
2008	7,874	8,681	8,221	8,670	8,820	7,523	8,204	8,378	8,471	8,300	..	..
Manufactures and government stocks												
Butter												
2007	4,828	5,535	6,197	6,939	7,410	8,322	8,484	8,236	8,903	8,136	7,584	6,364
2008	5,336	6,816	8,665	9,833	9,669	9,272	8,361	8,372	6,724	2,909	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..

1. On the first day of the month.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 6-3
Stocks of specified dairy products [1] — Ontario

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	tonnes											
Total stocks												
Butter												
2007	2,199	2,787	2,990	2,954	3,212	3,595	3,508	3,125	2,651	2,462	2,862	2,601
2008	2,424	3,742	3,541	4,228	4,385	4,308	4,238	4,423	4,874	4,640	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	28,092	28,661	27,905	28,018	29,670	30,380	30,816	31,638	30,803	28,795	28,912	28,626
2008	27,926	28,984	28,176	29,044	28,757	29,554	29,450	29,498	29,901	28,317	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	7,356	6,670	6,511	6,526	7,045	7,376	7,856	8,710	8,580	8,679	8,861	8,060
2008	9,221	8,229	8,332	7,946	8,790	8,529	10,155	9,357	9,183	9,392	..	..
Manufactures and government stocks												
Butter												
2007	1,185	1,857	2,087	1,976	2,112	2,409	2,423	2,162	1,959	1,645	1,619	1,487
2008	1,140	1,987	2,077	2,500	3,018	2,974	2,913	3,353	3,357	3,111	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	27,667	28,199	27,371	27,466	29,039	29,832	30,231	31,066	30,114	28,090	28,305	27,974
2008	27,363	28,404	27,679	28,421	28,132	29,026	28,847	29,006	29,386	27,566	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	6,568	5,899	5,837	5,827	6,226	6,255	6,588	7,400	6,988	6,591	7,084	6,383
2008	7,366	6,754	6,682	5,881	6,744	6,122	7,963	7,048	6,869	6,828	..	..

1. On the first day of the month.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 6-4
Stocks of specified dairy products [1] — Manitoba

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	tonnes											
Total stocks												
Butter												
2007	155	138	271	310	383	426	430	346	422	402	262	174
2008	264	597	887	1,023	889	873	802	588	817	811	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	744	645	713	650	663	633	688	671	444	479	453	436
2008	518	447	716	443	437	434	440	448	487	422	..	..
Manufactures and government stocks												
Butter												
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275
2008	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	275	..	..

1. On the first day of the month.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 6-5
Stocks of specified dairy products [1] — Saskatchewan

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	tonnes											
Total stocks												
Butter												
2007	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36
2008	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..
Manufactures and government stocks												
Butter												
2007	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36
2008	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..

1. On the first day of the month.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 6-6
Stocks of specified dairy products [1] — Alberta

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	tonnes											
Total stocks												
Butter												
2007	684	1,041	1,288	1,392	1,367	1,455	1,622	1,338	1,331	914	901	1,119
2008	1,222	2,280	1,824	2,443	3,173	3,142	3,392	3,364	2,693	2,793	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	400	986	414	267	379	372	350	364	318	191	284	256
2008	248	249	252	272	281	268	273	297	237	241	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	475	378	520	513	485	554	480	427	468	494	456	478
2008	494	564	530	528	554	463	461	516	537	566	..	..
Manufactures and government stocks												
Butter												
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
2008	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	..	..

1. On the first day of the month.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.

Table 6-7
Stocks of specified dairy products [1] — Other provinces[3]

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	tonnes											
Total stocks												
Butter												
2007	1,974	2,100	2,164	1,973	1,954	1,871	1,638	1,504	1,298	1,151	924	993
2008	1,121	1,285	1,359	1,891	1,688	1,936	1,787	1,657	1,245	1,405	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	4,410	4,487	4,513	4,415	4,331	4,384	4,364	4,331	4,325	4,609	4,554	4,437
2008	4,356	4,415	4,461	4,407	4,330	4,347	4,370	4,338	4,353	4,696	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	1,324	1,891	1,250	1,105	1,069	1,128	1,199	1,160	1,328	1,274	1,364	1,236
2008	1,317	1,309	1,067	1,265	1,303	1,291	1,172	1,365	1,373	1,428	..	..
Manufactures and government stocks												
Butter												
2007	7,398	8,641	9,649	10,398	10,891	11,814	11,936	11,203	11,730	10,359	9,449	8,392
2008	7,723	10,700	12,450	14,871	15,129	14,936	14,040	13,742	11,211	7,610	..	..
Cheddar cheese [2]												
2007	14,289	14,797	14,401	13,669	14,345	14,187	14,038	14,975	15,524	16,106	16,169	16,338
2008	17,504	16,817	15,728	15,890	15,555	14,737	15,488	15,596	14,892	16,038	..	..
Variety cheese [2]												
2007	7,353	10,215	7,360	7,344	7,617	7,876	7,646	7,701	7,619	7,899	7,627	8,501
2008	8,304	9,172	8,595	8,500	9,296	8,065	8,726	8,946	9,107	8,879	..	..

1. On the first day of the month.
2. Includes cheese required to make processed cheese.
3. 'Other provinces' may not have the same provincial breakdown due to the availability and confidentiality of data.

Table 7-1
Supply and disposition of milk products and by-products, Canada — Creamery butter

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Beginning stocks													
2007	9,984	11,810	13,163	13,795	14,435	15,857	15,839	14,623	14,806	13,169	12,676	11,390	9,984
2008	10,804	14,905	16,540	19,625	20,070	19,708	18,785	18,595	..	..	..	..	..
Production													
2007	7,917	6,836	6,998	6,889	6,464	6,074	6,353	5,991	5,432	6,782	6,110	6,735	78,581
2008	9,518	7,852	8,174	8,590	6,779	6,017	6,236	4,798	..	..	..	..	..
Imports													
2007	869	168	509	350	835	999	412	464	894	576	1,094	814	7,984
2008	84	15	110	222	364	731	395	1,099	..	..	..	..	..
Supply, total													
2007	18,770	18,814	20,670	21,034	21,734	22,930	22,604	21,078	21,132	20,527	19,880	18,939	248,112
2008	20,406	22,772	24,824	28,437	27,213	26,456	25,416	24,492	..	..	..	..	..
Ending stocks													
2007	11,810	13,163	13,795	14,435	15,857	15,839	14,623	14,806	13,169	12,676	11,390	10,804	10,804
2008	14,905	16,540	19,625	20,070	19,708	18,785	18,595	16,544	..	..	..	..	..
Total disposition													
2007	6,960	5,651	6,875	6,599	5,877	7,091	7,981	6,272	7,963	7,851	8,490	8,135	85,745
2008	5,501	6,232	5,199	8,367	7,505	7,671	6,821	7,948	..	..	..	..	..
Exports													
2007	48	27	26	56	4	4	1	0	0	1	10	0	177
2008	2	0	5	14	2	64	225	133	..	..	..	..	..
Domestic disappearance													
2007	6,913	5,624	6,849	6,543	5,873	7,087	7,980	6,272	7,963	7,850	8,480	8,135	85,569
2008	5,499	6,232	5,193	8,353	7,503	7,606	6,595	7,815	..	..	..	..	..

Table 7-2
Supply and disposition of milk products and by-products, Canada — Cheddar cheese, total

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Beginning stocks													
2007	45,898	48,031	46,551	45,158	47,519	48,739	48,684	49,925	50,005	49,380	49,292	48,752	45,898
2008	48,929	48,722	47,906	48,007	47,588	47,898	49,035	49,655	..	..	..	..	..
Production													
2007	12,510	10,278	10,879	13,582	12,046	12,177	13,227	11,746	11,497	12,969	11,910	12,120	144,941
2008	11,694	10,611	10,753	11,801	11,848	12,993	13,258	11,798	..	..	..	..	..
Imports													
2007	64	16	83	84	68	47	22	105	125	125	127	20	886
2008	120	91	127	78	76	73	34	63	..	..	..	..	..
Supply, total													
2007	58,472	58,325	57,513	58,824	59,633	60,963	61,933	61,776	61,627	62,474	61,329	60,892	723,761
2008	60,743	59,424	58,786	59,886	59,512	60,964	62,327	61,516	..	..	..	..	..
Ending stocks													
2007	48,031	46,551	45,158	47,519	48,739	48,684	49,925	50,005	49,380	49,292	48,752	48,929	48,929
2008	48,722	47,906	48,007	47,588	47,898	49,035	49,655	48,163	..	..	..	..	..
Total disposition													
2007	10,441	11,774	12,355	11,305	10,894	12,279	12,008	11,771	12,247	13,182	12,577	11,963	142,796
2008	12,021	11,518	10,779	12,298	11,614	11,929	12,672	13,353	..	..	..	..	..
Exports													
2007	0	19	365	1,439	116	3	55	37	1	1,191	1,210	366	4,802
2008	245	208	1,096	832	1	38	101	66	..	..	..	..	..
Domestic disappearance													
2007	10,441	11,755	11,990	9,866	10,779	12,276	11,953	11,734	12,247	11,991	11,367	11,597	137,996
2008	11,777	11,310	9,683	11,466	11,612	11,891	12,571	13,287	..	..	..	..	..

Table 7-3
Supply and disposition of milk products and by-products, Canada — Other cheese (whole milk and cream)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Beginning stocks													
2007	16,182	18,829	15,412	14,855	15,682	16,269	16,517	17,456	17,442	17,842	17,851	17,953	16,182
2008	18,906	18,783	18,150	18,408	19,468	17,806	19,992	19,616	..	..	..	..	..
Production													
2007	18,543	18,044	18,533	18,018	18,256	18,290	18,800	18,422	20,694	21,982	19,739	19,398	228,719
2008	19,081	18,064	18,542	18,752	18,855	18,524	18,519	17,827	..	..	..	..	..
Imports													
2007	2,364	1,453	1,785	1,601	1,710	1,826	1,434	1,583	1,274	1,972	1,996	1,316	20,314
2008	1,880	1,707	1,633	1,774	1,455	1,620	1,374	1,685	..	..	..	..	..
Supply, total													
2007	37,089	38,326	35,730	34,474	35,648	36,385	36,751	37,461	39,410	41,796	39,586	38,667	451,323
2008	39,867	38,554	38,325	38,934	39,778	37,950	39,885	39,128	..	..	..	..	..
Ending stocks													
2007	18,829	15,412	14,855	15,682	16,269	16,517	17,456	17,442	17,842	17,851	17,953	18,906	18,906
2008	18,783	18,150	18,408	19,468	17,806	19,992	19,616	19,564	..	..	..	..	..
Total disposition													
2007	18,260	22,914	20,875	18,792	19,379	19,868	19,295	20,019	21,568	23,945	21,633	19,761	246,309
2008	21,084	20,404	19,917	19,466	21,972	17,958	20,269	19,564	..	..	..	..	..
Exports													
2007	356	512	346	438	341	440	408	320	361	511	522	481	5,036
2008	608	457	497	432	367	391	471	338	..	..	..	..	..
Domestic disappearance													
2007	17,904	22,402	20,530	18,354	19,039	19,428	18,887	19,699	21,208	23,434	21,111	19,281	241,277
2008	20,476	19,947	19,420	19,034	21,605	17,567	19,798	19,226	..	..	..	..	..

Table 7-4
Supply and disposition of milk products and by-products, Canada — Process cheese (from cheddar and other base)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Beginning stocks													
2007	9,831	8,811	8,756	10,996	10,316	9,984	9,793	10,771	9,165	9,814	11,104	10,821	9,831
2008	8,090	8,168	9,243	9,443	8,539	9,626	9,842	9,598	..	..	..	..	..
Production													
2007	4,416	5,321	7,444	4,558	5,380	7,013	6,460	4,402	7,369	6,427	5,601	4,549	68,940
2008	4,633	6,713	6,221	6,244	5,743	6,974	6,524	4,415	..	..	..	..	..
Imports													
2007	401	264	393	231	304	273	152	250	215	313	227	64	3,087
2008	226	170	124	121	130	116	151	136	..	..	..	..	..
Supply, total													
2007	14,648	14,396	16,593	15,785	16,000	17,270	16,405	15,423	16,749	16,554	16,932	15,434	192,189
2008	12,949	15,051	15,588	15,808	14,412	16,716	16,517	14,149	..	..	..	..	..
Ending stocks													
2007	8,811	8,756	10,996	10,316	9,984	9,793	10,771	9,165	9,814	11,104	10,821	8,090	8,090
2008	8,168	9,243	9,443	8,539	9,626	9,842	9,598	8,987	..	..	..	..	..
Total disposition													
2007	5,837	5,640	5,597	5,469	6,016	7,477	5,634	6,258	6,935	5,450	6,111	7,344	73,768
2008	4,781	5,808	6,145	7,269	4,786	6,874	6,919	5,162	..	..	..	..	..
Exports													
2007	3	2	2	19	20	3	7	35	4	5	2	1	103
2008	4	2	3	2	3	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Domestic disappearance													
2007	5,834	5,638	5,595	5,450	5,996	7,474	5,627	6,222	6,931	5,445	6,109	7,342	73,663
2008	4,777	5,806	6,142	7,267	4,783	6,872	6,918	5,162	..	..	..	..	..

Table 7-5
Supply and disposition of milk products and by-products, Canada — Skim milk powder

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Beginning stocks													
2007	14,668	16,464	15,431	15,378	14,915	16,889	18,745	18,134	20,128	19,598	16,261	17,249	14,668
2008	19,745	24,893	27,834	33,639	36,081	36,313	36,048	35,528	..	..	..	..	..
Production													
2007	7,515	5,047	5,763	6,634	6,424	6,807	7,556	6,137	5,194	5,886	5,129	6,759	74,851
2008	9,040	7,319	8,277	8,157	6,162	5,954	6,709	6,044	..	..	..	..	..
Imports													
2007	267	401	614	450	190	181	160	139	191	138	59	77	2,867
2008	163	406	539	478	275	272	351	309	..	..	..	..	..
Supply, total													
2007	22,450	21,912	21,808	22,462	21,529	23,877	26,461	24,410	25,513	25,622	21,449	24,085	281,578
2008	28,948	32,618	36,650	42,274	42,518	42,539	43,108	41,881	..	..	..	..	..
Ending stocks													
2007	16,464	15,431	15,378	14,915	16,889	18,745	18,134	20,128	19,598	16,261	17,249	19,745	19,745
2008	24,893	27,834	33,639	36,081	36,313	36,048	35,528	37,017	..	..	..	..	..
Total disposition													
2007	5,986	6,481	6,430	7,547	4,640	5,132	8,327	4,282	5,915	9,361	4,200	4,340	72,641
2008	4,055	4,784	3,011	6,193	6,205	6,491	7,580	4,864	..	..	..	..	..
Exports													
2007	1,070	791	617	727	255	51	545	1,522	1,865	2,821	2,713	1,041	14,018
2008	989	982	936	897	1,070	393	1,116	1,199	..	..	..	..	..
Domestic disappearance													
2007	4,916	5,690	5,812	6,820	4,385	5,080	7,782	2,761	4,050	6,541	1,486	3,299	58,622
2008	3,066	3,802	2,075	5,295	5,134	6,098	6,464	3,665	..	..	..	..	..

Table 7-6
Supply and disposition of milk products and by-products, Canada — Concentrated whole milk

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Beginning stocks													
2007	995	1,157	1,122	1,341	1,649	1,471	1,662	1,292	1,016	1,114	1,034	913	995
2008	971	981	1,065	1,179	1,418	1,262	1,223	1,104	..	..	..	..	..
Production													
2007	2,733	1,971	2,659	2,746	2,206	2,388	1,886	1,368	1,695	2,055	1,794	1,864	25,365
2008	2,481	2,982	3,096	3,161	1,969	2,062	2,578	1,601	..	..	..	..	..
Imports													
2007	301	140	189	294	137	154	122	139	129	98	115	76	1,894
2008	190	124	41	118	185	398	426	90	..	..	..	..	..
Supply, total													
2007	4,029	3,268	3,970	4,381	3,992	4,013	3,670	2,799	3,116	3,267	2,943	2,853	42,301
2008	3,642	4,087	4,202	4,458	3,572	3,722	4,227	2,795	..	..	..	..	..
Ending stocks													
2007	1,157	1,122	1,341	1,649	1,471	1,662	1,292	1,016	1,114	1,034	913	971	971
2008	981	1,065	1,179	1,418	1,262	1,223	1,104	878	..	..	..	..	..
Total disposition													
2007	2,872	2,146	2,629	2,732	2,521	2,351	2,378	1,783	2,002	2,233	2,030	1,882	27,559
2008	2,661	3,022	3,023	3,040	2,310	2,499	3,123	1,917	..	..	..	..	..
Exports													
2007	215	184	178	65	79	101	76	76	114	95	3	3	1,189
2008	133	20	0	3	0	3	0	7	..	..	..	..	..
Domestic disappearance													
2007	2,657	1,961	2,451	2,668	2,442	2,249	2,302	1,707	1,888	2,138	2,027	1,879	26,369
2008	2,527	3,001	3,023	3,037	2,310	2,496	3,123	1,910	..	..	..	..	..

Table 7-7
Supply and disposition of milk products and by-products, Canada — Partly skimmed concentrated milk 2%

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Beginning stocks													
2007	151	338	335	275	301	244	316	322	227	210	212	185	151
2008	248	408	209	328	374	388	414	335	..	..	..	..	..
Production													
2007	494	558	400	409	558	332	442	327	303	558	544	558	5,483
2008	551	715	749	474	493	449	422	310	..	..	..	..	..
Imports													
2007	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	..	..	..	..	..
Supply, total													
2007	645	896	735	684	859	576	758	649	554	768	756	743	8,623
2008	799	1,123	958	802	867	837	836	645	..	..	..	..	..
Ending stocks													
2007	338	335	275	301	244	316	322	227	210	212	185	248	248
2008	408	209	328	374	388	414	335	462	..	..	..	..	..
Total disposition													
2007	307	561	460	383	615	260	436	422	344	556	571	495	5,410
2008	391	914	630	428	479	423	501	183	..	..	..	..	..
Exports													
2007	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2008	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	..	..	..	..	..
Domestic disappearance													
2007	307	561	460	383	615	260	436	422	344	556	571	495	5,410
2008	391	914	630	428	479	423	501	183	..	..	..	..	..

Table 8
Imports of milk and dairy products, Canada

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Milk and cream, not concentrated													
2006	726	1,334	2,081	576	682	596	597	631	565	864	1,123	814	10,590
2007	1,987	1,894	879	991	952	937	947	1,456	1,450	2,974	2,698	1,241	18,406
2008	2,630	3,076	3,105	1,813	2,934	2,429	2,090	1,473	..	..	..	..	..
Milk and cream, concentrated [1]													
2006	34	23	34	13	36	36	10	28	30	38	106	106	494
2007	306	140	210	295	158	175	122	181	174	107	131	96	2,095
2008	344	165	144	375	330	527	607	251	..	..	..	..	..
Skim milk powder													
2006	233	193	953	424	505	317	407	316	285	100	30	8	3,771
2007	267	401	614	450	190	181	160	139	191	138	59	77	2,867
2008	163	406	539	478	275	272	351	309	..	..	..	..	..
Butter													
2006	1,187	1,212	665	404	687	834	310	460	564	1,378	1,309	713	9,723
2007	869	168	509	350	835	999	412	464	894	576	1,094	814	7,984
2008	84	15	110	222	364	731	395	1,099	..	..	..	..	..
Yogurt													
2006	42	34	60	30	43	42	37	40	42	41	60	66	537
2007	44	33	50	36	41	54	44	40	55	31	43	29	500
2008	46	34	46	44	54	43	51	46	..	..	..	..	..
Ice cream [2]													
2006	50	32	55	62	77	59	37	39	20	7	13	16	467
2007	59	42	38	31	44	19	29	55	8	14	17	63	419
2008	14	3	44	44	51	31	47	18	..	..	..	..	..
Cheddar cheese													
2006	66	93	108	51	70	57	25	123	47	119	136	59	954
2007	64	16	83	84	68	47	22	105	125	125	127	20	886
2008	120	91	127	78	76	73	34	63	..	..	..	..	..
Variety cheese													
2006	1,568	1,125	1,651	1,820	1,637	1,657	1,676	1,607	1,533	1,944	1,898	1,070	19,186
2007	2,364	1,453	1,785	1,601	1,710	1,826	1,434	1,583	1,274	1,972	1,996	1,316	20,314
2008	1,880	1,707	1,633	1,774	1,455	1,620	1,374	1,685	..	..	..	..	..
Grated or powdered cheese													
2006	105	67	74	123	77	111	65	109	83	124	65	40	1,043
2007	149	133	102	92	118	117	71	67	94	78	140	141	1,302
2008	162	269	78	181	242	157	170	156	..	..	..	..	..
Processed cheese													
2006	365	339	252	295	311	362	250	343	350	303	397	109	3,675
2007	401	264	393	231	304	273	152	250	215	313	227	64	3,087
2008	226	170	124	121	130	116	151	136	..	..	..	..	..

1. Concentrated milk and sweetened concentrated milk
2. Includes novelties.

Source(s): International trade division, Statistics Canada

Table 9
Exports of milk and dairy products, Canada

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
	tonnes												
Milk and cream, not concentrated													
2006	538	533	720	572	370	641	515	372	507	348	251	199	5,565
2007	198	362	369	318	224	557	457	569	458	565	520	512	5,109
2008	329	293	203	280	203	153	356	280	..	..	..	..	..
Milk and cream, concentrated [1]													
2006	68	148	99	218	369	204	461	215	202	379	204	237	2,806
2007	270	196	213	96	127	145	105	111	177	150	73	37	1,700
2008	144	38	12	50	53	42	53	72	..	..	..	..	..
Skim milk powder													
2006	279	1,566	2,161	1,102	1,060	232	346	755	905	1,900	1,650	1,280	13,236
2007	1,070	791	617	727	255	51	545	1,522	1,865	2,821	2,713	1,041	14,018
2008	989	982	936	897	1,070	393	1,116	1,199	..	..	..	..	..
Butter													
2006	516	73	411	159	69	688	64	1,587	27	25	46	30	3,696
2007	48	27	26	56	4	4	1	0	0	1	10	0	177
2008	2	0	5	14	2	64	225	133	..	..	..	..	..
Yogurt													
2006	62	68	62	63	66	77	65	95	69	87	82	76	872
2007	75	79	92	87	101	85	87	82	73	80	104	56	1,002
2008	83	115	116	119	147	113	182	127	..	..	..	..	..
Ice cream [2]													
2006	1,926	2,451	2,488	3,018	3,044	2,935	3,289	2,644	2,321	2,262	2,157	741	29,276
2007	2,075	2,111	2,620	2,620	2,439	2,443	2,858	2,015	1,973	1,896	1,386	1,117	25,553
2008	859	1,412	1,474	1,879	2,609	2,881	2,441	1,904	..	..	..	..	..
Cheddar cheese													
2006	120	42	739	748	138	0	0	75	38	1,539	1,107	248	4,795
2007	0	19	365	1,439	116	3	55	37	1	1,191	1,210	366	4,802
2008	245	208	1,096	832	1	38	101	66	..	..	..	..	..
Variety cheese													
2006	558	528	558	407	488	609	349	427	392	402	510	591	5,819
2007	356	512	346	438	341	440	408	320	361	511	522	481	5,036
2008	608	457	497	432	367	391	471	338	..	..	..	..	..
Grated or powdered cheese													
2006	5	0	0	4	0	0	5	0	4	0	0	20	38
2007	3	5	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	5	0	45
2008	23	1	20	0	0	21	21	61	..	..	..	..	..
Processed cheese													
2006	18	22	4	0	0	0	0	32	5	2	1	3	90
2007	3	2	2	19	20	3	7	35	4	5	2	1	103
2008	4	2	3	2	3	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..

1. Concentrated milk and sweetened concentrated milk
2. Includes novelties.

Source(s): International trade division, Statistics Canada

Volume of milk and cream sold off farms

The milk and cream sold off farms series represents total volume, irrespective of the end use, as recorded at the farm gate. Milk and cream sold off farms is destined for either fluid or industrial purposes, and is expressed as actual volume, regardless of the butterfat content. Off farm sales reported here can differ from those reported by the Canadian Dairy Commission (CDC) because the CDC reports standardized volumes (3.6 kilograms of butterfat per hectoliter -- 3.6 B.F. kg/hl).

The volume of fluid milk represents milk sold to dairies at fluid class prices, by province of origin.

Industrial milk includes all milk sold to dairies and dairy processors at industrial class prices, by province of origin. The quantity of cream represents farm separated cream converted to milk equivalent (3.6 B.F. kg/hl) and sold for manufacturing purposes.

Volumes of milk and cream sold off farm are calculated using administrative sources. Along with cash receipts data, each provincial marketing board provides Statistics Canada with volumes of fluid milk and industrial milk and cream sold off farms, on a monthly basis. Milk marketing boards purchase milk from dairy farm operators then sell it to dairies and processors at a price based on class. All transactions are recorded by the boards and Statistics Canada receives the aggregate of these transactions.

As a result of different accounting and recording systems and practices, statistical information reported to Statistics Canada can vary from province to province.

The provincial marketing boards report sales of milk for fluid and industrial purposes to Statistics Canada in kilolitres

The portion of milk sold off farms for industrial purposes and delivered as cream is reported to Statistics Canada by the Canadian Dairy Commission(CDC) in kilograms of butterfat and converted to milk equivalent (3.6 B.F. kg/hl). Manitoba and Alberta are exceptions in that marketing boards for these two provinces report data for cream sold for industrial purposes.

The data are considered of high quality since the provincial milk marketing boards purchase all milk produced within a province and make payments to producers. Data provided by the boards are also subject to audits and are monitored by the CDC.

The information is also considered high quality because the universe is stable and the response rate is high, however non-sampling errors can occur.

Sales of fluid milk and cream by dairies

The sales of fluid milk and cream by dairies provide commercial sales data, both wholesale and retail, at national and provincial levels. These data represent all sales for direct consumption, and include sales to stores, restaurants, hotels and public institutions. The sale data represent the actual quantity of milk sold in each province regardless of the province of origin.

Total commercial sales represent products of various butterfat content. Generally, these products contain less butterfat than that contained in the milk shipped. The series consists of the following dairy commodities: standard milk (3.25% B.F.); 2% partly skimmed milk (including 2% partly skimmed U.H.T. milk); 1% partly skimmed milk; skim milk (less than 0.3% B.F.); buttermilk; chocolate drink (includes chocolate homogenized, chocolate partly skimmed 2% and bubble gum 2% milk); cereal cream (5-10% B.F.); table cream (15-21% B.F.); whipping cream (30-35% B.F.) and sour cream.

Care must be used when comparing the CDC's fluid milk purchases by dairies to that of fluid milk sold off farms to dairies as reported by provincial marketing boards and as found in Table 2. CDC data are usually higher because they include all fluid milk purchased by dairies, including exclusion milk (extra milk needed to produce a certain amount of fluid product i.e. you may need 1.1 litres of full fat milk to produce 1 litre of skim milk). It also makes no allowance for losses in processing. Off farm sales of fluid milk (Table 2) are actual shipments of milk sold off the farm, regardless of butterfat content.

Sales of fluid milk (Table 2) are total sales regardless of province of origin whereas volume of fluid milk sold off farm to dairies (Table 1-1) is reported by province of origin.

The data are collected by monthly surveys mailed to all fluid plants in many of the provinces. Questionnaires are individually tailored to meet the specific data requirements of the provincial departments of agriculture or marketing boards. For some provinces monthly totals are compiled by their marketing boards and provided to the Livestock and Animal Products Section.

The data are considered of high quality because the universe is stable and the response rate is high, however non-sampling errors can occur.

Production and stocks

Statistics Canada, in cooperation with provincial departments, milk marketing boards and the Canadian Dairy Commission, collects information on production and stocks of specified dairy products and concentrated milk products and by-products. This includes butter and cheese, which are among the key indicators of the performance of the dairy industry.

Production data are collected monthly from provincial surveys of all dairy product processors across Canada. Dairy processors are required to report their monthly production of dairy products and by-products such as butter, cheddar cheese, variety cheeses, cottage cheese, ice cream and ice cream products, whole milk products, milk by-products and yogurts.

Stockholders are requested to provide the level of inventories as of the first business day of the month. These data are collected for a wide variety of dairy products through monthly provincial dairy surveys of all dairy product processors. Stockholders are required to report the commodities on hand in their establishments, or stored elsewhere in specially rented facilities.

The Inventory Statement of Butter and Cheese survey collects monthly statistics on the stocks of butter, whey butter, butter oil, cheddar cheese, variety cheese and process cheese. The information is obtained from public, semi-public and private warehouses along with large retail and wholesale warehouses. Total stocks of these products are generated for Canada and by province, when available.

Surveys are designed to meet the data requirements of both Statistics Canada and the provincial agencies involved in the data collection and processing. Units of measure of products are in metric tonnes, with the exception of products in the ice cream industry, which are measured in kilolitres. Data are collected and released on a monthly basis.

The data are considered of high quality because the universe is stable and the response rate is high, however non-sampling errors can occur.

Supply and disposition of dairy products

The supply and disposition series provides a monthly overview of the national domestic disappearance of several dairy products. Domestic disappearance data are available for butter, cheddar cheese, variety cheese, process cheese, concentrated milk, skim milk powder and 2% concentrated milk.

Domestic disappearance is the amount of a commodity that is available for all uses in Canada and is a calculated residual obtained from the supply disposition balance sheet. Total supply is obtained by adding beginning stocks, imports and production figures. Total supply minus exports and ending stocks gives a residual amount – domestic disappearance. Domestic disappearance does not represent the total amount of a commodity actually consumed by individuals since it does not account for losses incurred at the retail level. Nor does it include household, cooking and plate loss.

Production and stock data methodology was described in the previous section. Imports and exports of dairy products are obtained from the International Trade Division of Statistics Canada. When goods are imported into or exported from Canada, declarations must be filed with Customs providing a variety of administrative information about the good involved. Statistics are developed from the Customs' administrative records.

Data quality for domestic disappearance is directly related to the quality of the individual components.

Quality statements for the import and export data obtained from International Trade Division can be found in publications from that division.

However, to be made public, the data from the International Trade Division must adhere to the high quality standards set by Statistics Canada.

Information about CANSIM

Complete historical series for certain tables in the Dairy Statistics are available on CANSIM. Data for the current month, where applicable, are available on CANSIM at the same time as the advanced information is released in the Daily Bulletin.

The following table is a summary of the relationship between this publication and the tables with dairy data on CANSIM:

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Commercial sales of milk and cream	3	003-0012	1977
Production of selected products and by-products			
Butter	4	003-0009	1977
Whey butter	4	003-0009	1977
Cheddar cheese	4	003-0010	1977
Variety cheese	4	003-0010	1977
Selected varieties	4	003-0010	1987
Cottage cheese	4	003-0046, 003-0010	1987
Yogurt	4	003-0046, 003-0010	1987
Whole milk products	4	003-0029	
Milk by-products	4	003-0029	
Production of selected products by dairy manufacturers			
Ice cream	5	003-0010	
Ice cream mix	5	003-0010	1977
Selected products	5	003-0010	1977
Stocks of specified dairy products	6	003-0033	1978
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Butter	7-1	003-0007	1976
Cheddar cheese	7-2	003-0007	1976
Variety cheese	7-3	003-0007	1976
Processed cheese	7-4	003-0007	1976
Skim milk powder	7-5	003-0007	1977
Concentrated milk	7-6	003-0007	1976
Partly skim concentrated milk (2%)	7-7	003-0007	1976