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FARM IMPLEMENT AND EQUIPMENT SALESSecond Quarter, 1959

This report shows estimates of farm implement sales for the first six months of 1959. These are based upon the data reported by a panel of major-line companies whose portion of the 1958 total is known. The estimates are subject to revision since the factor used in the blow-up is based on 1958 operations and may change when 1959 annual totals for all firms are known next year. Estimated sales of forage harvesters are not available for this second quarter report.

Page 2 of this report shows final 1958 total dollar sales by provinces and sales of selected major lines. This will serve as an advance statement of the regular 1958 annual report.

Estimated Farm Implement and Equipment Sales, by Provinces,
Six Months Ending June 30
(Values at Wholesale Price)

Province	Total, All Machines (Including Repair Parts)			Repair Parts		
	1958	1959	Change 1959/58	1958	1959	Change 1959/58
	\$	\$	%	\$	\$	%
CANADA.....	81,640,885	104,914,533	+28.5	15,294,404	19,915,422	+30.2
Atlantic Provinces...	3,055,034	3,203,531	+ 4.9	603,364	617,847	+ 2.4
Quebec.....	10,929,907	13,706,602	+25.4	1,739,458	2,259,664	+29.9
Ontario.....	20,287,718	27,159,161	+33.9	3,265,292	4,161,373	+27.4
Manitoba.....	7,616,881	10,220,443	+34.2	1,659,770	2,044,219	+23.2
Saskatchewan.....	18,223,430	24,837,346	+31.3	4,166,047	5,863,211	+40.7
Alberta.....	18,202,260	22,615,043	+23.8	3,386,779	4,397,871	+29.8
British Columbia.....	2,569,655	3,172,407	+23.5	473,694	571,237	+20.6

Estimated Number of Units Sold,
Six Months Ending June 30
(Dealer's Sales to User)

Item	Canada		Atlantic Provinces and Quebec		Ontario		Prairie Provinces and British Columbia	
	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959
	<u>TRACTORS</u>							
Farm-Use - Wheel Type	12,275	14,565	2,617	3,135	3,358	4,097	6,300	7,333
- Crawler...	311	282	113	75	52	41	146	166
<u>COMBINES</u>								
Full Type.....	74	124	10	26	45	41	19	57
Self-Propelled.....	106	202	4	5	19	31	83	166
<u>AUTOMATIC HAY BALERS</u>	1,887	2,372	293	357	831	1,463	763	552
<u>FORAGE HARVESTERS</u>								
(basic machine only)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<u>SWATHERS & WINDROWERS</u>	--	366	--	2	--	14	--	350

Farm Implement and Equipment Sales, by Provinces,
1957 and 1958

(Values at Wholesale Price)

Province	Total, All Machines (Including Repair Parts)			Repair Parts		
	1957 \$000.	1958 \$000	Change 1958/57 %	1957 \$000	1958 \$000	1958/57 %
CANADA.....	183,721	205,993	+12.1	33,321	33,979	+ 0.5
Atlantic Provinces....	6,369	6,898	+ 8.3	1,073	1,101	+ 2.6
Quebec.....	27,955	30,455	+ 8.9	4,113	3,987	- 3.1
Ontario.....	46,152	50,060	+ 8.5	6,979	7,002	+ 0.3
Manitoba.....	18,699	21,530	+15.1	3,986	3,835	- 3.8
Saskatchewan.....	41,568	46,421	+11.7	9,431	9,516	+ 0.9
Alberta.....	38,214	45,505	+19.1	7,279	7,561	+ 3.9
British Columbia.....	4,704	5,124	+ 7.6	960	977	+ 1.8

Sales of Selected Items, 1958

Item	Dollar Value Canada \$000	Number of Units Sold							
		total	Atl.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
Tractors (farm use) - wheel type	58,576	23,184	1,131	5,018	6,269	2,047	4,060	3,948	711
- crawler type	2,579	622	12	225	123	75	30	71	85
Mouldboard ploughs - mounted									
2 furrow	849	4,774	252	2,888	1,386	53	29	56	110
3 furrow & larger	917	3,292	71	959	1,869	69	46	225	53
Diskers									
- under 10 ft.	544	804	--	--	--	(1)	641	98	(1)
- 10 ft. & over	3,930	4,290	--	--	(1)	601	2,467	1,215	(1)
Field Cultivators - tractor drawn.									
- conventional type	933	2,576	12	68	783	778	503	417	15
- heavy duty type	3,615	6,453	(1)	12	91	705	3,720	1,914	(1)
Grain drills - press	1,276	1,798	(1)	(1)	(1)	111	736	890	(1)
Manure Spreaders - 2 wheel P.T.O.	1,269	2,501	112	538	1,488	75	73	167	48
2 wheel - ground drive	1,792	4,872	308	1,582	1,972	207	201	463	139
Mowers - P.T.O. drawn	977	2,911	151	585	354	361	422	463	75
- semi-mounted	1,403	4,830	167	1,132	738	575	1,003	1,131	84
- mounted	1,270	4,549	354	1,463	1,332	306	347	545	202
Side delivery rakes - ground drive	3,412	9,630	578	2,435	2,449	1,041	1,166	1,856	105
Automatic hay balers - P.T.O.	11,803	9,414	310	1,441	2,605	945	1,779	2,149	185
Engine drive	3,219	2,030	160	639	402	164	158	354	153
Combines - pull type under 8 ft.	2,724	1,632	91	158	778	143	153	293	16
8 - 10 ft.	1,498	572	(1)	(1)	169	102	177	113	(1)
over 10 ft.	947	295	--	--	--	68	156	(1)	(1)
- Self-propelled									
10 ft. & under	3,882	853	23	60	215	152	135	256	12
over 10 ft.	12,407	2,297	--	(1)	95	256	974	942	(1)
Swathers & Windrowers									
- tractor drawn	1,666	2,377	4	31	147	403	1,034	749	9
- self-propelled	2,210	1,157	(1)	55	131	172	378	417	(1)
Forage harvesters - fly wheel type	765	644	15	108	296	41	66	101	17
Tractor loaders	2,455	5,882	201	1,185	2,474	491	421	997	113

(1) Less than three firms.

Item	Number of Units Sold							
	CANADA	Atl. Prov.	Quebec	Ontario	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
<u>COMBINES (cont.)</u>								
<u>Self propelled</u>								
10 ft. and under	1,496	46	134	612	226	156	303	19
Over 10 ft.	3,417	1	8	123	412	1,441	1,406	26
Total, 1959	4,913	47	142	735	638	1,597	1,709	45
Total, 1958	3,150	23	69	310	408	1,109	1,198	33
<u>AUTOMATIC HAY BALERS</u>								
Power take off - Wire	47	(1)	37	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	-
- Twine	10,830	432	1,438	3,270	1,337	2,005	2,145	203
Engine driven - Wire	77	(1)	30	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	-
- Twine	1,585	142	379	260	191	161	310	142
Total, 1959	12,539	576	1,884	3,534	1,547	2,183	2,470	345
Total, 1958	11,444	470	2,080	3,007	1,109	1,937	2,503	338
<u>SWATHERS AND MINDROWERS</u>								
Tractor drawn	3,077	(1)	13	38	507	1,455	1,052	(1)
Self propelled	1,576	(1)	53	129	261	488	631	(1)
Total, 1959	4,653	4	66	167	768	1,943	1,683	22
Total, 1958	3,534	5	86	278	575	1,412	1,166	12

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