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FARM IMPLEMENT AND EQUIPMENT SALES

January 1 to July 31, 1968

This report shows estimates of farm implement sales for the first seven months of 1968. These are based on the data reported by a panel of major-line companies, members of the Canadian Farm and Industrial Equipment Institute, whose portion of the 1966 total is known. These estimates are subject to revision since the factor used in the blow-up is based on 1966 operations and may change when 1967 annual totals for all firms are known later this year. Because of delinquent response the estimate for Quebec for 1967 was probably understated. It is not possible to revise the figure.

Estimated Farm Implement and Equipment Sales by Province,
Seven Months Ending July 31, 1968
(Value at Wholesale Price)

Province	Total, All Machines (Including Repair Parts)			Repair Parts		
	1967	1968	% Change 1968/1967	1967	1968	% Change 1968/1967
	\$'000			\$'000		
CANADA	236,940	194,001	-18.1	37,735	37,299	- 1.2
Atlantic Provinces ..	6,352	5,421	-14.7	1,467	1,521	+ 3.7
Quebec	27,422	27,233	- 0.7	5,561	5,919	+ 6.4
Ontario	55,200	48,926	-11.4	9,672	10,140	+ 4.8
Manitoba	25,738	21,456	-16.6	3,381	3,612	+ 6.8
Saskatchewan	63,305	45,145	-28.7	8,921	7,828	-12.2
Alberta	52,734	39,984	-24.2	7,541	6,887	- 8.7
British Columbia	6,189	5,836	- 5.7	1,192	1,392	+16.8

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Estimated Number of Units Sold
Seven Months Ending July 31, 1968
(Dealers' Sales to Users)

Province	Tractors, Farm-Use							
	Wheel Type							
	Under 40 H.P.		40 - 79 H.P.		80 H.P. & Over		Total Wheel Type	
	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968
CANADA	4,237	3,097	7,077	5,097	5,280	3,187	16,594	11,381
Atlantic Provinces and Quebec	1,885	1,371	1,101	1,035	62	77	3,048	2,483
Ontario	1,659	1,194	2,545	1,978	358	338	4,562	3,510
Manitoba	144	94	814	476	743	469	1,701	1,039
Saskatchewan	97	78	1,298	711	2,205	1,234	3,600	2,023
Alberta	168	101	1,102	709	1,847	1,036	3,117	1,846
British Columbia	284	259	217	188	65	33	566	480

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	Tractors, Farm-Use		Combines				Automatic hay balers	
	Crawlers		Pull-type		Self-Propelled			
	Under 35 H.P.							
	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968
CANADA	19	16	130	175	909	718	4,229	3,611
Atlantic Provinces and Quebec	2	3	1	1	14	27	1,610	1,241
Ontario	5	8	12	6	167	145	1,067	956
Manitoba	4	1	19	30	131	135	243	268
Saskatchewan	-	1	59	104	343	217	373	510
Alberta	3	2	39	34	250	184	769	513
British Columbia	5	1	-	-	4	10	167	123