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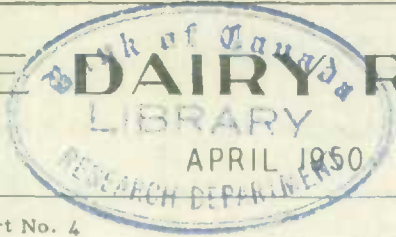
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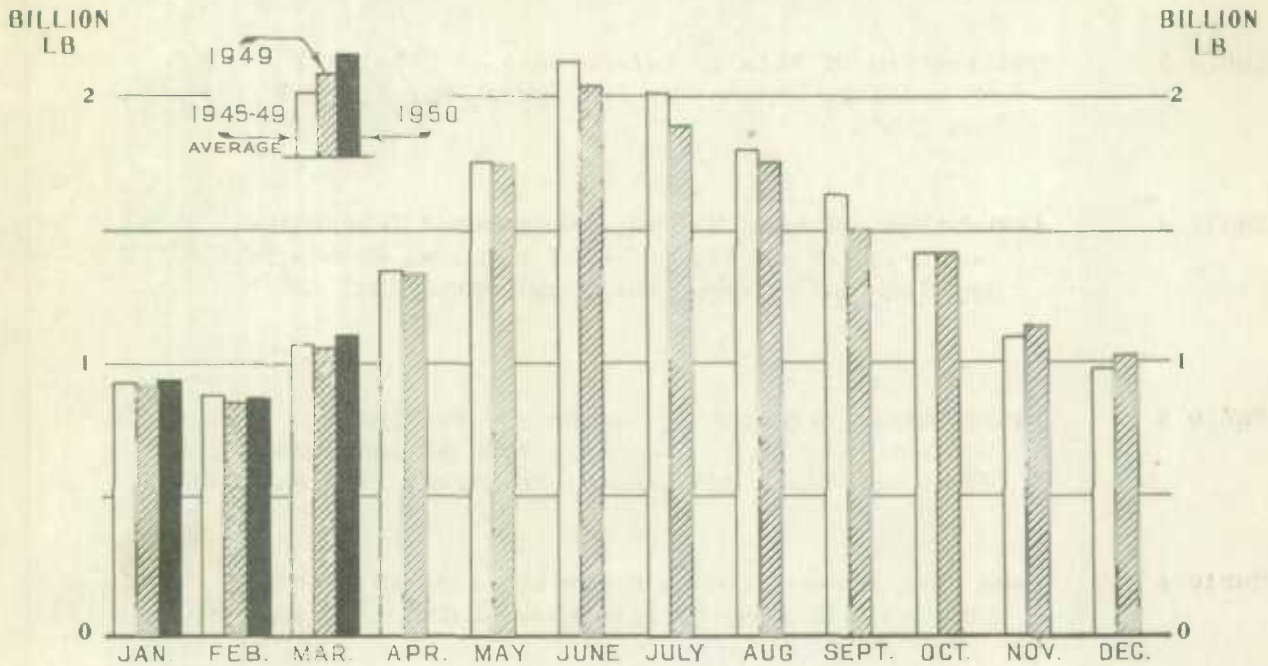


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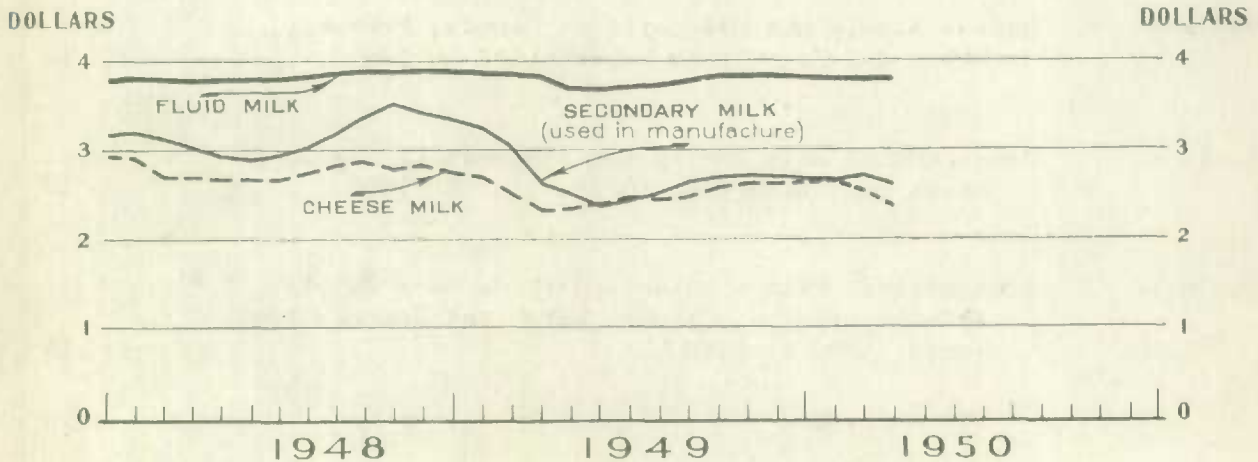
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TOTAL MILK PRODUCTION IN CANADA



FARM PRICES OF FLUID MILK, SECONDARY MILK
AND CHEESE MILK
(DOLLARS PER HUNDRED LB)



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THE DAIRY SITUATION IN APRIL, 1950

In contrast to the three previous months, milk production in April appears to have declined slightly from that of the same month last year. While practically no change was shown in the sample indications from the Dairy Correspondents Survey, there was a reduction of 3 1/2 per cent in the milk equivalent of manufactured products in April, 1950, as compared with that of April, 1949. It will be seen from the table below that the declines in cheddar cheese and ice cream production significantly reflected this reduction. It should be remembered, of course, that fluid milk sales take approximately 25 per cent of the milk supply and if the quantities used for this purpose continue to increase, the over-all milk supply may show a somewhat lesser decline than the factory production figures would indicate.

MILK EQUIVALENTS OF DAIRY FACTORY PRODUCTS

Product	APRIL			JANUARY-APRIL		
	1949	1950	Percentage Change	1949	1950	Percentage Change
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%
Creamery Butter	456,347	453,816	(-) 0.6	1,168,643	1,175,600	(+) 0.6
Cheddar Cheese	58,887	54,085	(-) 8.2	88,172	107,457	(+) 21.9
Concentrated Milk Products	66,210	58,691	(-) 11.4	177,657	164,731	(-) 7.3
Ice Cream	34,614	27,882	(-) 19.4	84,015	84,186	(+) 0.2
TOTAL	616,058	594,474	(-) 3.5	1,518,487	1,531,974	(+) 0.9

Cow numbers are somewhat above those of the previous year, but the percentage of cows milked fell below 66 per cent which represents a slight reduction from that of April, 1949. Similarly, the milk production per cow, based on all cows in the herd, fell to 25.8 pounds as compared with 26.1 pounds a year ago. Fewer cows freshened in April and the percentage relationship to total cows also registered a slight **decline**.

Temperatures throughout Canada were uniformly low during the month of April ranging from 29 to 35 degrees in the Prairie Provinces, 38 degrees in the Eastern Provinces and 46 to 48 degrees in the coastal and lower mainland areas of British Columbia. Compared with April, 1949, there was less precipitation in the Eastern Provinces, but considerably more rainfall in Western Canada. Dull backward weather was general throughout the Dominion. Seeding has been delayed and spring growth is fully two weeks or more behind that of 1949. Feed **supplies** were short in some areas and a lack of spring pasture growth has necessitated a longer feeding period than usual.

FARM MILK PRODUCTION, UTILIZATION AND INCOME IN MARCH, 1950

Farm Milk Production: The estimated quantity of milk produced on farms in March amounted to 1,103 million pounds, an increase of 51 million pounds over that of March 1949. Of this amount, 384 million pounds or 35 per cent of the total was utilized in factory production. During the January-March period of 1950 the estimated production of 2,906 million pounds represents an increase of 89 million pounds over the total shown for the same period of the previous year. The quantity of milk utilized for factory production in January-March amounted to 938 million pounds, while fluid sales accounted for 1,059 million pounds.

Fluid Sales: Sales of fluid milk and cream, the latter expressed as milk, amounted to 365,953,000 pounds in March, an increase of approximately 3 million pounds in comparison with last year. This included about 303 million pounds of fluid milk, comprising about 28 per cent of the farm milk supply, and fluid cream sales of 63 million pounds in milk equivalent, representing 6 per cent of the total milk output.

Dairy Butter: The March dairy butter make amounted to 3,844,000 pounds, decreasing 20 per cent from the corresponding month in 1949. All provinces contributed to the decline.

Farm Cash Income: Cash income from the sale of dairy products in March amounted to \$21,727,000. This represented a reduction of approximately \$351,000 from last year. The weighted average price of \$2.86 per hundred pounds of milk may be compared with \$2.99 in the corresponding month of 1949. All prices showed a decrease. Fluid milk at \$3.78 per hundred, was 7 cents per hundred below that of March, 1949. Fluid cream decreased 22 cents per hundred pounds of milk, and butter-fat used in the production of creamery butter fell from 73.0 cents to 60.6 cents per pound. Milk for concentration declined 46 cents per hundred pounds of milk, cheese milk was reduced by 18 cents and milk used in ice cream declined 24 cents per hundred as compared with prices in March, 1949.

PRODUCTION AND PRICES OF DAIRY PRODUCTS IN MARCH, 1950

Butter: Total butter production including creamery, dairy and whey butter amounted to over 16 1/4 million pounds in March, 1950. This was almost 3/4 million pounds or approximately 4 per cent less than that produced in the same month of the previous year.

Stock Holdings: Holdings of butter in store and transit on April 1 amounted to almost 28 million pounds, approximately 15 million pounds more than last year. On March 1, 1950, the stock holdings were 36 1/2 million pounds as compared with 19 million pounds a year ago.

The Butter Supply: The quantity of butter represented by stocks on March 1 and production during the month amounted to 52 3/4 million pounds. This was a gain of approximately 16 3/4 million pounds over last year.

Domestic Disappearance: The domestic disappearance of butter in March including creamery, dairy and whey butter, amounted to 24 1/4 million pounds, an increase of 1 1/4 million pounds or 5.8 per cent. On a per capita basis the domestic disappearance amounted to 1.76 pounds as against 1.70 pounds a year ago.

Butter Prices at Montreal: Butter prices at Montreal, based on quotations of the Canadian Commodity Exchange for first grade solids, averaged 61 cents per pound in March as against 62 1/4 cents last year.

Cheese Production: Cheddar cheese production in March amounted to over 2 million pounds, representing an increase of about 3/4 million pounds as compared with that produced in the same month of the previous year.

Cheese Prices: The Montreal price of Ontario white cheese averaged 29 1/4 cents per pound in March. The comparative price in 1949 was 32 cents.

Concentrated Milk Products: The total quantity of concentrated milk products manufactured in March was approximately 22 1/4 million pounds, a decrease of 2 1/4 million pounds as compared with last year. Concentrated whole milk products declined 2 1/2 million pounds while milk by-products registered an increase of 1/4 million pounds. Evaporated milk, one of the most important of the whole milk products, decreased almost 2 1/4 million pounds and the production of skim milk powder, the leading skim milk product, was approximately the same as that reported a year ago.

Ice Cream: The quantity of ice cream manufactured in March was approximately 1 1/4 million gallons or 212 thousand gallons less than that produced a year ago.

TABLE 1 - MILK PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION
CANADA, BY PROVINCES, MARCH 1949 AND 1950

SECTION A

		Total Milk l/ Production	Factory Production				Farm-Made Dairy Butter
			Creamery Butter	Cheddar Cheese	Milk For Concentration	Ice Cream	
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1949	1,051,829 [*]	285,049	15,127	47,816	20,993	112,956
	1950	1,102,669 [*]	291,586	23,550	45,947	22,626	90,065
P.E.I.	1949	10,068	3,960	33	-	100	1,359
	1950	10,013	4,147	56	-	108	680
N.S.	1949	30,712	8,740	-	x/	1,272	5,225
	1950	31,822	9,841	-	x/	1,260	4,545
N.B.	1949	31,344	6,490	189	-	714	10,333
	1950	29,235	6,818	290	-	702	6,748
QUE.	1949	236,281	41,846	434	10,303	2,915	18,064
	1950	256,304	41,963	1,092	11,192	3,294	17,549
ONT.	1949	371,737	108,621	11,708	27,727	8,917	19,868
	1950	386,818	107,590	18,002	26,677	9,072	15,440
MAN.	1949	81,925	32,380	657	-	1,358	12,395
	1950	80,952	29,756	735	x/	1,692	9,560
SASK.	1949	118,211	38,753	145	-	1,272	26,007
	1950	117,614	37,300	200	-	1,476	21,110
ALTA.	1949	112,972	39,573	1,649	x/	1,858	17,432
	1950	126,550	44,330	2,629	x/	2,304	12,559
B.C.	1949	48,793	4,686	312	x/	2,587	2,273
	1950	55,313	9,841	546	x/	2,718	1,874

1/ Total Milk Production estimates in 1950 do not include the quantities used for farm-made cheese and factory cheese other than cheddar. Thus, in order to establish comparable data for the previous year, the milk equivalent of these two products, amounting to 5,026,000 lb. in March, 1949, has been deducted from the total milk production of 1,056,855,000 lb.

* Includes milk equivalent of concentrated milk products reported by less than three firms (see footnote "x/").

x/ Less than three firms manufacturing this product.

TABLE 1 - MILK PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION
CANADA, BY PROVINCES, MARCH 1949 AND 1950

SECTION B

		Milk Otherwise Used				Recapitulation		
		Fluid Milk	Fluid ^{1/} Cream	Farm-Home Consumed	Fed to Livestock	Factory ^{2/} Production	Farm Production	Otherwise Used
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1949	294,294	59,103	130,030	86,461	368,985	112,956	569,888
	1950	303,422	62,531	134,720	128,222	383,709	90,065	628,895
P.E.I.	1949	1,757	208	1,960	691	4,093	1,359	4,616
	1950	1,903	227	1,950	942	4,311	680	5,022
N.S.	1949	9,281	894	3,970	1,330	10,012	5,225	15,475
	1950	9,559	897	3,980	1,740	11,101	4,545	16,176
N.B.	1949	6,543	725	5,000	1,350	7,393	10,333	13,618
	1950	6,510	737	4,400	3,030	7,810	6,748	14,677
QUE.	1949	92,881	16,338	27,500	26,000	55,498	18,064	162,719
	1950	94,832	18,282	28,400	39,700	57,541	17,549	181,214
ONT.	1949	115,834	17,562	41,000	20,500	156,973	19,868	194,896
	1950	120,120	18,317	45,000	26,600	161,341	15,440	210,037
MAN.	1949	13,360	4,115	10,300	7,360	34,395	12,395	35,135
	1950	13,502	4,107	10,600	11,000	32,183	9,560	39,209
SASK.	1949	12,444	3,890	22,600	13,100	40,170	26,007	52,034
	1950	12,656	3,972	22,200	18,700	38,976	21,110	57,528
ALTA.	1949	18,624	6,136	14,400	13,300	43,080	17,432	52,460
	1950	19,592	6,406	14,800	23,900	49,263	12,559	64,698
B.C.	1949	23,570	9,235	3,300	2,830	7,585	2,273	38,935
	1950	24,748	9,586 ¹	3,390	2,610	13,105	1,874	40,334

^{1/} Cream expressed as milk.

^{2/} Statistics for the separate provinces shown under this caption do not include data for products manufactured in those provinces indicated by footnote x/ in Section A, but are included in the Canada total at the top of this column.

TABLE 2 - MILK PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION IN CANADA, BY PROVINCES,

January - March 1949 and 1950

Section A

		Total Milk 1/ Production	Factory Production				Farm-Made Dairy Butter
			Creamery Butter	Cheddar Cheese	Milk For Concentration	Ice Cream	
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1949	2,816,948*	712,296	29,285	111,447	49,401	324,504
	1950	2,906,454*	721,784	53,372	106,040	56,304	252,060
P.E.I.	1949	30,375	13,004	133	-	272	3,678
	1950	31,486	14,995	156	-	288	2,179
N.S.	1949	89,241	24,532	-	x/	3,344	15,253
	1950	94,435	28,139	-	x/	3,240	14,198
N.B.	1949	81,958	16,846	356	-	1,729	26,898
	1950	78,428	18,487	691	-	1,890	19,283
QUE.	1949	629,321	107,145	947	22,645	7,374	51,124
	1950	649,985	95,923	3,443	25,146	8,550	40,253
QNT.	1949	1,001,478	261,127	20,731	68,896	20,992	58,691
	1950	1,026,579	264,688	39,458	60,078	23,760	39,854
MAN.	1949	206,978	73,500	1,737	-	3,487	34,630
	1950	210,987	71,765	1,503	x/	4,392	29,780
SASK.	1949	318,359	96,227	389	-	3,072	75,679
	1950	314,425	91,377	267	-	3,492	62,721
ALTA.	1949	308,385	103,397	4,245	x/	4,058	51,428
	1950	338,470	112,511	6,539	x/	5,148	38,122
B.C.	1949	130,947	16,518	747	x/	5,073	7,123
	1950	140,843	23,899	1,315	x/	5,544	5,670

1/ Total Milk Production estimates in 1950 do not include the quantities used for farm-made cheese and factory cheese other than cheddar. Thus, in order to establish comparable data for the previous year, the milk equivalent of these two products, amounting to 14,001,000 lb., in January-March, 1949, has been deducted from the total milk production of 2,830,949,000 lb.

* Includes milk equivalent of concentrated milk products reported by less than three firms (see footnote "x/").

x/ Less than three firms manufacturing this product.

TABLE 2 - MILK PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION IN CANADA, BY PROVINCES,

January - March 1949 and 1950

Section B

		Milk otherwise Used				Recapitulation		
		Fluid Milk	Fluid 1/ Cream	Farm-Home Consumed	Fed to Livestock	Factory 2/ Production	Farm Production	Otherwise Used
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1949	862,992	166,466	377,160	183,397	902,429	324,504	1,590,015
	1950	885,904	172,670	389,120	269,200	937,500	252,060	1,716,894
P.E.I.	1949	5,110	571	5,670	1,937	13,409	3,678	13,288
	1950	5,512	616	5,550	2,190	15,439	2,179	13,868
N.S.	1949	28,444	2,838	11,440	3,390	27,876	15,253	46,112
	1950	30,034	2,784	11,370	4,670	31,379	14,198	48,858
N.B.	1949	17,659	1,850	14,160	2,460	18,931	26,898	36,129
	1950	17,554	1,883	13,180	5,460	21,068	19,283	38,077
QUE.	1949	272,871	46,015	79,100	42,100	138,111	51,124	440,086
	1950	283,336	49,834	81,700	61,800	133,062	40,253	476,670
ONT.	1949	351,298	53,443	120,800	45,500	371,746	58,691	571,041
	1950	356,420	55,021	128,400	58,900	387,984	39,854	598,741
MAN.	1949	36,788	11,586	28,900	16,350	78,724	34,630	93,624
	1950	37,022	11,445	30,000	25,080	77,660	29,780	103,547
SASK.	1949	35,225	10,567	66,200	31,000	99,688	75,679	142,992
	1950	35,914	10,754	66,700	43,200	95,136	62,721	156,568
ALTA.	1949	52,928	16,829	41,300	34,200	111,700	51,428	145,257
	1950	55,257	17,493	42,600	60,800	124,198	38,122	176,150
B.C.	1949	62,669	22,767	9,590	6,460	22,338	7,123	101,486
	1950	64,855	22,840	9,620	7,100	30,758	5,670	104,415

1/ Cream expressed as milk.

2/ Statistics for the separate provinces shown under this caption do not include data for the products manufactured in those provinces indicated by footnote x/ in Section A, but are included in the Canada total at the top of this column.

TABLE 3 - UTILIZATION OF MILK IN PERCENTAGES OF TOTAL MILK PRODUCTION
CANADA, BY PROVINCES, MARCH 1949 AND 1950

Province	Year	Used in Manufacture			Total	Fluid Sales	Used on Farms	
		Creamery Butter	Cheddar Cheese	Conc. Milk and Ice Cream			Dairy Butter	Other Purposes
		%	%	%	%	%	%	
CANADA	1949	27.10	1.44	6.54	35.08	33.60	10.74	20.58
	1950	26.44	2.14	6.22	34.80	33.19	8.17	23.84
P.E.I.	1949	39.33	0.32	0.99	40.64	19.53	13.50	26.33
	1950	41.42	0.56	1.08	43.06	21.27	6.79	28.88
N.S.	1949	28.46	-	4.14	32.60	33.13	17.01	17.26
	1950	30.92	-	3.96	34.88	32.86	14.28	17.98
N.B.	1949	20.70	0.60	2.28	23.58	23.19	32.97	20.26
	1950	23.32	1.00	2.40	26.72	24.79	23.08	25.41
QUE.	1949	17.71	0.18	5.60	23.49	46.22	7.65	22.64
	1950	16.37	0.43	5.65	22.45	44.13	6.85	26.57
ONT.	1949	29.22	3.15	9.86	42.23	35.89	5.34	16.54
	1950	27.81	4.66	9.24	41.71	35.79	3.99	18.51
MAN.	1949	39.52	0.80	1.66	41.98	21.33	15.13	21.56
	1950	36.76	0.91	2.09	39.76	21.75	11.81	26.68
SASK.	1949	32.78	0.12	1.08	33.98	13.82	22.00	30.20
	1950	31.71	0.17	1.25	33.13	14.14	17.95	34.78
ALTA.	1949	35.03	1.46	1.64	38.13	21.92	15.43	24.52
	1950	35.03	2.08	1.83	38.94	20.55	9.93	30.58
B.C.	1949	9.60	0.64	5.30	15.54	67.24	4.66	12.56
	1950	17.79	0.99	4.91	23.69	62.07	3.39	10.85

**TABLE 4 - PERCENTAGE OF COWS MILKED, COWS FRESHENING, AND DAILY PRODUCTION OF MILK PER COW
FEBRUARY, MARCH AND APRIL 1949 AND 1950**

Canada by Provinces	Year	Percentage of Cows Milked 1/			Percentage of Cows Freshening 1/		
		February	March	April	February	March	April
CANADA	1949	51.6	54.3	66.2	8.9	16.1	18.1
	1950	52.2	54.9	65.9	7.8	14.1	17.8
P.E.I.	1949	62.0	55.0	61.1	5.7	7.1	17.9
	1950	59.7	53.4	58.3	6.8	8.5	17.8
N.S.	1949	67.3	66.9	69.8	8.7	10.1	11.1
	1950	64.3	63.7	66.3	6.5	10.7	13.0
N.B.	1949	57.4	49.8	64.8	10.2	15.1	22.4
	1950	57.9	56.9	64.2	7.3	16.0	16.8
QUE.	1949	35.9	39.5	63.0	7.3	21.5	31.2
	1950	37.0	41.4	64.0	6.4	20.5	29.4
QNT.	1949	55.4	58.0	67.0	9.1	15.7	14.9
	1950	55.4	58.2	66.1	8.1	12.4	13.7
MAN.	1949	54.8	58.4	64.5	11.6	13.2	13.7
	1950	54.3	55.4	64.5	8.7	13.1	14.3
SASK.	1949	54.6	54.9	62.5	12.6	13.3	14.0
	1950	53.0	54.8	64.0	8.7	11.1	15.0
ALTA.	1949	64.3	67.3	68.5	9.3	10.0	12.2
	1950	60.4	63.3	67.3	9.5	10.8	13.0
B.C.	1949	69.1	73.3	76.5	9.2	10.7	9.1
	1950	69.3	71.3	76.0	9.2	9.5	9.7
Canada by Provinces	Year	Daily Production of Milk Per Cow (Based on All Cows) 1/			Daily Production of Milk Per Cow (Based on Cows actually milked)		
		February	March	April	February	March	April
CANADA	1949	12.0	13.5	17.3	23.3	24.9	26.1
	1950	12.4	13.8	17.0	23.7	25.2	25.8
P.E.I.	1949	12.1	12.3	16.0	19.5	22.3	26.2
	1950	11.5	11.7	14.8	19.2	22.0	25.4
N.S.	1949	14.0	14.7	15.7	20.9	21.9	22.5
	1950	12.9	13.1	14.4	20.0	20.5	21.8
N.B.	1949	10.7	10.5	14.3	18.6	21.1	22.1
	1950	11.4	12.5	15.2	19.6	22.0	23.7
QUE.	1949	6.8	8.8	15.3	18.8	22.4	24.3
	1950	7.6	9.5	15.1	20.6	23.0	23.5
QNT.	1949	14.4	16.1	19.3	26.0	27.8	28.7
	1950	15.1	16.8	20.0	27.2	28.8	29.6
MAN.	1949	12.5	13.9	15.7	22.8	23.7	24.3
	1950	12.7	13.0	15.2	23.4	23.5	23.5
SASK.	1949	11.9	12.7	15.1	21.9	23.3	24.2
	1950	11.7	12.5	15.2	22.0	22.8	23.7
ALTA.	1949	15.9	17.2	18.9	24.7	25.7	27.6
	1950	15.3	16.8	18.1	25.8	26.5	27.0
B.C.	1949	16.1	17.1	18.8	23.4	23.4	24.6
	1950	16.4	17.9	19.8	23.7	25.0	26.0

1/ Based on cows and heifers two years and over kept mainly for milking purposes.

TABLE 5 - DAIRY BUTTER PRODUCTION

By provinces ^{1/}, March and January-March, 1947, 1948, 1949 and 1950

		1947	1948	1949	1950	Per cent of 1949
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%
CANADA	March	5,498	4,975	4,821	5,844	80
	January-March	14,723	14,430	13,850	10,758	78
P.E.I.	March	42	49	58	29	50
	January-March	103	143	157	93	59
N.S.	March	198	147	223	194	87
	January-March	549	432	651	606	93
N.B.	March	415	427	441	288	65
	January-March	1,224	1,219	1,148	823	72
QUE.	March	588	656	771	749	97
	January-March	1,555	1,916	2,182	1,718	79
ONT.	March	1,387	947	848	659	78
	January-March	2,853	2,924	2,505	1,701	68
MAN.	March	488	555	529	408	77
	January-March	1,340	1,582	1,478	1,271	86
SASK.	March	1,362	1,400	1,110	901	81
	January-March	4,092	3,640	3,230	2,677	83
ALTA.	March	844	693	744	536	72
	January-March	2,608	2,254	2,195	1,627	74
B.C.	March	174	101	97	80	82
	January-March	399	320	304	242	80

^{1/} Data for Newfoundland are not available.

TABLE 6 - FARM CASH INCOME FROM DAIRYING AND AVERAGE PRICE PER UNIT
CANADA, BY PROVINCES, MARCH 1949 AND 1950

	Income		Price		Income		Price	
	1949	1950	1949	1950	1949	1950	1949	1950
	TOTAL INCOME				(1) FLUID SALES (milk only)			
	\$'000	\$'000	\$	\$	\$'000	\$'000	\$	\$
CANADA	22,078	21,727	2.99	2.86	11,327	11,467	3.85	3.78
P.E.I.	176	172	2.84	2.64	64	68	3.65	3.59
N.S.	718	725	3.28	3.13	390	417	4.21	4.36
N.B.	560	536	3.12	2.94	263	262	4.03	4.02
QUE.	5,599	5,571	3.28	3.20	3,557	3,633	3.83	3.83
ONT.	8,541	8,322	2.93	2.77	4,402	4,312	3.80	3.59
MAN.	1,358	1,275	2.59	2.47	496	494	3.71	3.66
SASK.	1,446	1,355	2.51	2.41	447	458	3.59	3.62
ALTA.	1,835	1,967	2.68	2.58	721	801	3.87	4.09
B.C.	1,525	1,603	3.68	3.35	987	1,022	4.19	4.13
	(2) FLUID CREAM				(3) MILK FOR CONCENTRATION			
CANADA	1,526	1,474	2.58	2.36	1,460	1,192	3.05	2.59
P.E.I.	6	6	2.79	2.78	-	-	-	-
N.S.	25	23	2.78	2.54	x/	x/	x/	x/
N.B.	22	21	2.98	2.90	-	-	-	-
QUE.	422	450	2.58	2.46	314	285	3.05	2.55
ONT.	414	405	2.36	2.21	826	667	2.98	2.50
MAN.	86	76	2.09	1.86	-	-	-	-
SASK.	83	81	2.13	2.04	-	-	-	-
ALTA.	139	133	2.27	2.07	x/	x/	x/	x/
B.C.	329	279	3.56	2.91	x/	x/	x/	x/
	(4) CHEESE MILK				(5) ICE CREAM MILK			
CANADA	378	550	2.51	2.33	601	593	2.86	2.62
P.E.I.	1	1	2.59	2.30	3	3	2.81	2.43
N.S.	-	-	-	-	43	40	3.40	3.20
N.B.	5	7	2.58	2.33	22	19	3.09	2.67
QUE.	12	27	2.69	2.50	93	104	3.19	3.17
ONT.	288	418	2.46	2.32	247	219	2.77	2.41
MAN.	17	16	2.61	2.21	30	36	2.24	2.12
SASK.	4	4	2.57	2.17	32	34	2.48	2.29
ALTA.	42	61	2.55	2.33	49	55	2.63	2.41
B.C.	9	15	2.91	2.69	82	83	3.17	3.05
	(6) CREAMERY BUTTER-FAT				(7) DAIRY BUTTER			
	\$'000	\$'000	¢	¢	\$'000	\$'000	¢	¢
CANADA	6,376	6,184	73.0	60.6	410	267	64.5	57.8
P.E.I.	98	92	70.7	63.7	4	2	65.0	60.0
N.S.	216	208	70.6	60.6	44	36	64.0	58.0
N.B.	153	149	67.2	62.2	95	78	67.0	58.0
QUE.	1,040	984	71.0	67.0	161	88	65.0	59.0
ONT.	2,331	2,285	61.3	60.7	33	16	64.0	60.0
MAN.	716	606	63.2	58.2	13	7	63.0	57.0
SASK.	854	763	63.0	58.5	26	15	59.0	55.0
ALTA.	866	900	62.5	58.0	18	17	60.0	54.0
B.C.	102	196	62.0	56.7	16	8	61.0	54.0

x/ Less than three reports received - Included in Canada Total.

TABLE 7 - BUTTER - SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION^{1/}

Canada, February, March and January-March, 1946 to 1950

Year	February	March	Jan-March	February	March	Jan-March
Production - '000 lb.			Stocks First of Month-'000 lb. ^{2/}			
1946	13,307	17,278	44,624	23,011	9,997	5,450
1947	13,437	17,787	45,575	32,016	24,222	15,419
1948	12,659	16,435	42,938	31,697	19,058	8,439
1949	12,746	17,020	44,325	27,859	18,929	12,878
1950	11,821	16,333	41,678	46,345	36,470	27,875
Imports - lb. ^{3/}			Exports - '000 lb. ^{3/}			
1946	30	-	272	258	364	925
1947	4,110,376	1,008,000	5,118,376	272	325	1,017
1948	-	572	629	94	147	312
1949	-	-	1,120,000	103	52	188
1950	-	-	568	52	567	642
Domestic Disappearance - '000 lb.			Domestic Disappearance Per Capita-lb.			
1946	26,063	21,461	74,749	2.12	1.75	6.09
1947	25,069	27,272	78,535	1.99	2.17	6.24
1948	25,204	26,908	78,160	1.96	2.09	6.07
1949	21,573	23,019	70,028	1.59	1.70	5.17
1950	21,644	24,361	69,300	1.56	1.76	5.00

TABLE 8 - CHEDDAR CHEESE - SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION

Canada, February, March and January-March 1946 to 1950

Year	February	March	Jan-March	February	March	Jan-March
Production - '000 lb.			Stocks First of Month - '000 lb. ^{2/}			
1946	1,378	2,810	5,887	24,202	19,927	17,997
1947	1,414	2,586	5,748	23,144	19,939	18,657
1948	927	1,686	3,560	26,719	24,919	22,422
1949	547	1,358	2,629	31,136	27,713	24,594
1950	1,030	2,114	4,791	41,013	39,012	34,905
Exports - '000 lb. ^{3/}			Domestic Disappearance - '000 lb.			
1946	5,568	232	15,132	85	4,508	6,349
1947	39	688	2,846	4,580	3,180	9,655
1948	253	306	5,697	2,474	3,877	5,953
1949	34	32	124	3,936	4,445	12,314
1950	316	298	967	2,715	5,923	12,889

^{1/} Butter Statistics as shown in this report cover Creamery, Dairy and Whey Butter.

^{2/} Stocks include shipments in transit. Those shown under the headings "Jan-March" represent holdings at the end of the periods, April 1.

^{3/} Foreign Trade Statistics (Exports and Imports) include Newfoundland as from April 1, 1949.

TABLE 9 - CONCENTRATED MILK, SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION

Canada, March and January-March, 1946 to 1950

Year	Whole Milk Products		Milk By-Products		Total	
	March	Jan-March	March	Jan-March	March	Jan-March
(A) Production - '000 lb.						
1946	17,876	36,996	3,313	7,651	21,189	44,647
1947	18,066	39,049	3,992	10,124	22,058	49,173
1948	17,122	38,298	3,904	9,059	21,026	47,357
1949	19,437	43,928	4,969	12,221	24,406	56,149
1950	16,950	39,322	5,229	12,611	22,179	51,933
(B) Stocks First of Month - '000 lb. <u>1/</u>						
1946	11,800	15,533	2,258	2,013	14,058	17,546
1947	17,769	20,512	3,525	3,797	21,294	24,309
1948	6,929	7,817	5,950	5,941	12,879	13,758
1949	25,513	28,244	8,437	9,289	33,950	37,533
1950	21,316	15,826	3,656	3,301	24,972	19,127
(C) Imports - lb. <u>2/</u>						
1946	-	11,611	-	81,177	-	92,788
1947	6,633	7,508	1,400	91,000	8,033	98,508
1948	-	962	504	1,454	504	2,416
1949	208	1,596	2,300	10,130	2,508	11,726
1950	62	1,157	2,801	6,642	2,863	7,799
(D) Exports - '000 lb. <u>2/</u>						
1946	1,638	7,992	898	1,664	2,536	9,656
1947	1,541	5,305	275	1,096	1,816	6,401
1948	2,177	6,213	586	2,932	2,763	9,145
1949	2,633	9,320	98	2,957	2,731	12,277
1950	3,021	10,477	617	2,543	3,638	13,020
(E) Domestic Disappearance - '000 lb.						
1946	12,505	40,165	2,660	8,311	15,165	48,476
1947	13,789	39,756	3,447	10,027	17,236	49,783
1948	14,057	37,917	3,328	9,832	17,385	47,749
1949	14,073	41,228	4,021	11,228	18,094	52,456
1950	19,419	57,586	4,970	14,188	24,389	71,774

1/ Stocks shown under the captions "Jan-March" represent holdings at the end of the periods, April 1.

2/ Foreign trade statistics include Newfoundland as from April 1, 1949.



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TABLE 10 - CONCENTRATED MILK - PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS

Supply and Disposition, Canada, March and January-March, 1946 to 1950

Section A	March	Jan-March	March	Jan-March	March	Jan-March
	Condensed Whole Milk		Condensed Skim Milk		Casein	
Year	Production - '000 lb.					
1946	2,035	4,419	245	555	88	201
1947	1,591	4,566	383	959	202	534
1948	1,433	3,726	478	1,125	127	368
1949	2,422	6,548	218	505	134	317
1950	1,123	3,306	228	524	162	403
Section B	Evaporated Whole Milk		Whole Milk Powder		Skim Milk Powder	
	(A) PRODUCTION - '000 lb.					
1946	14,399	29,707	1,227	2,375	2,498	5,546
1947	15,165	30,920	1,176	3,120	2,799	6,475
1948	14,183	31,301	1,062	2,312	2,399	5,179
1949	15,952	34,224	837	2,464	3,342	8,369
1950	13,743	31,311	1,505	3,371	3,237	7,575
	(B) Stocks First of Month - '000 lb. 1/					
1946	9,731	12,893	757	1,061	839	734
1947	14,083	16,996	1,584	1,669	1,926	2,416
1948	3,893	5,101	1,128	1,232	2,623	2,340
1949	20,752	22,755	2,297	2,706	6,673	7,700
1950	19,492	13,946	927	875	2,864	2,567
	(C) Exports - '000 lb. 2/					
1946	469	5,014	249	655	713	847
1947	545	1,966	147	359	275	1,096
1948	1,139	2,455	288	913	562	2,329
1949	1,304	3,691	306	1,058	48	2,098
1950	1,781	6,621	884	2,993	568	2,421
	(D) Domestic Disappearance - '000 lb.					
1946	10,768	34,161	674	1,742	1,890	5,788
1947	11,707	33,012	944	2,757	2,034	5,657
1948	11,836	33,189	670	1,791	2,120	5,580
1949	12,645	36,557	122	1,619	2,267	6,472
1950	17,508	52,473	673	1,029	2,966	8,115

1/ Stocks shown under the captions "Jan-March" represent holdings at the end of the periods, April 1.

2/ Foreign trade statistics include Newfoundland as from April 1, 1949.