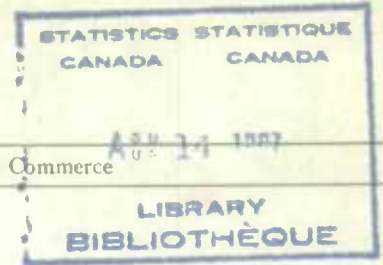




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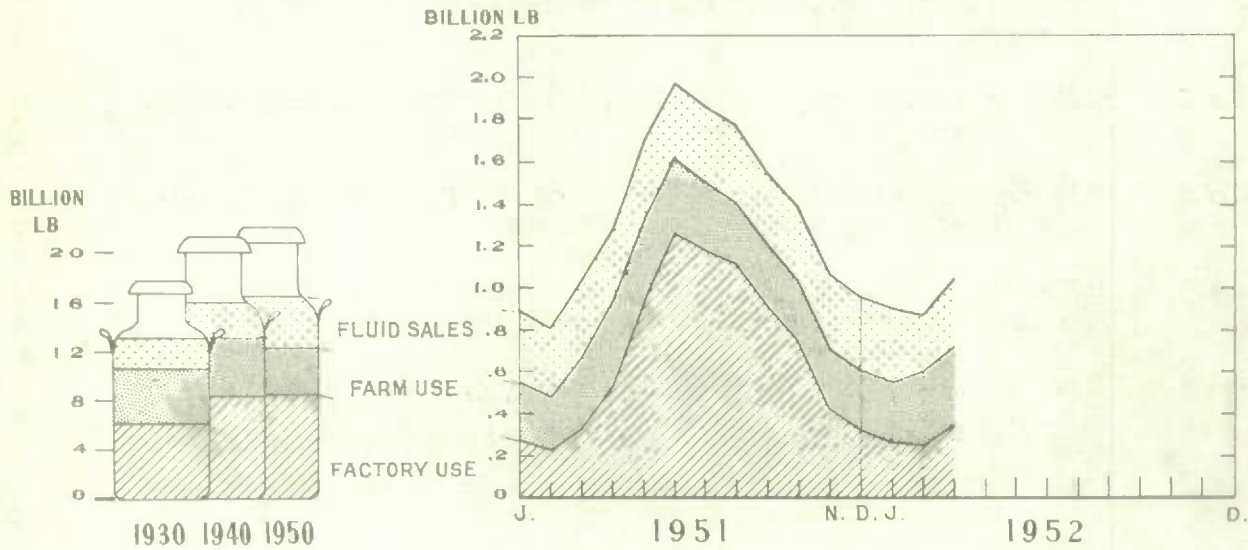
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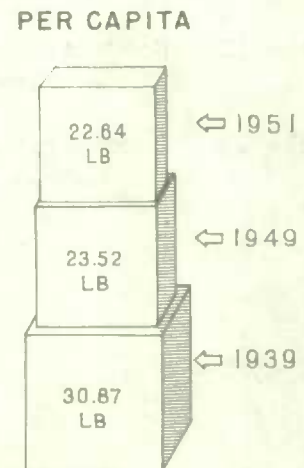
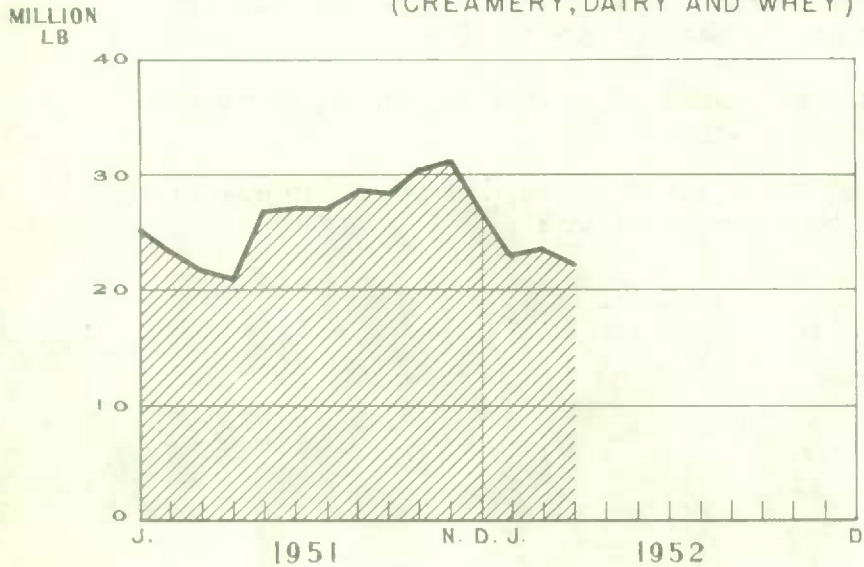
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THE DAIRY SITUATION IN APRIL

The estimated milk production of Canada for the month of April was $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent greater than for the same month last year, according to reports of dairy correspondents. This compares with an increase of 1 per cent in March over that of March, 1951.

The milk equivalent of dairy factory production in April showed an advance of over 11 per cent as compared with April, 1951. With the exception of cheddar cheese all products reflected this increase in milk and cream deliveries to factories. A detailed analysis appears in the table below.

MILK EQUIVALENT OF DAIRY FACTORY PRODUCTION

Product	APRIL			JANUARY - APRIL		
	1951	1952	Percentage Change	1951	1952	Percentage Change
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%
Creamery Butter	395,101	447,560	(+ 13.3	989,404	1,083,404	(+ 9.5
Cheddar Cheese	43,623	40,316	(-) 7.6	99,437	83,539	(-) 16.0
Concentrated Milk Products	72,677	80,721	(+ 11.1	182,118	196,748	(+ 8.0
Ice Cream	33,588	38,682	(+ 15.2	100,854	110,142	(+ 9.2
TOTAL	544,989	607,279	(+ 11.4	1,371,813	1,473,833	(+ 7.4

The numbers of dairy cows on farms are increasing according to reports of Dairy Correspondents. Moreover, the percentage of cows being milked is somewhat higher than last year (66.3 as against 66.0 per cent). It is possible that this situation will be reflected in increased milk production during the coming season.

Sample indications, based on the reports of dairy correspondents, indicate an increase of 2 per cent in the number of cows in calf in April as compared with the same month in 1951. Indications are that freshenings in May will be $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent greater than in May, 1951.

Milk production per cow, based on all cows in the herds of Dairy Correspondents, averaged 17.3 pounds per day; and based on those actually milked the average was 26.1 pounds. These figures represent only fractional gains over the same month of the previous year. The quantity of milk used in farm homes was practically unchanged in April, but 3 per cent more milk was fed to live stock than in April, 1951.

Temperatures were slightly higher than in the previous April, particularly in the Western Provinces, and the hours of sunshine exceeded those of the same month of 1951 at 15 out of the 18 stations that reported on weather conditions. Precipitation was variable, but less than normal rain was received in many areas. However, during April pastures made a nice start and recent rains have been beneficial.

TABLE 1 - PERCENTAGE OF COWS MILKED, COWS FRESHENING AND
DAILY PRODUCTION OF MILK PER COW

Canada, by Provinces, February, March and April, 1951 and 1952

Province	Year	Percentage of Cows Milked 1/			Percentage of Cows Freshening 1/		
		Feb.	March	April	Feb.	March	April
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Canada	1951	51.3	53.6	66.0	7.8	14.2	19.4
	1952	51.7	54.5	66.3	7.7	12.2	17.5
P.E.I.	1951	55.4	48.7	56.1	7.0	9.7	18.1
	1952	54.9	50.5	56.5	5.5	10.1	15.0
N.S.	1951	67.3	66.8	70.3	8.1	9.9	12.1
	1952	67.9	66.6	70.1	8.0	9.4	10.9
N.B.	1951	54.3	53.8	63.2	8.9	14.9	21.1
	1952	57.5	54.3	63.1	7.4	12.4	18.4
QUE.	1951	35.6	39.4	63.6	5.1	21.5	31.2
	1952	37.5	41.3	64.3	5.1	14.9	26.5
ONT.	1951	54.6	57.8	67.4	8.1	11.6	15.5
	1952	56.1	60.0	69.1	8.0	11.4	14.1
MAN.	1951	50.7	54.0	63.6	8.6	12.2	15.6
	1952	52.0	56.4	64.8	10.1	11.2	13.6
SASK.	1951	54.2	55.9	61.2	11.1	11.3	15.0
	1952	51.0	55.9	62.9	9.7	12.5	16.8
ALTA.	1951	55.6	58.7	64.9	8.9	11.7	14.0
	1952	54.5	56.9	64.1	9.1	10.9	14.8
B.C.	1951	68.7	71.8	76.1	10.0	10.0	10.3
	1952	69.5	72.8	76.9	10.9	10.1	9.3
Province	Year	Daily Production of Milk Per Cow (Based on all cows) 1/			Daily Production of Milk Per Cow (Based on Cows Actually Milked)		
		Feb.	March	April	Feb.	March	April
		lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Canada	1951	12.0	13.3	17.2	23.5	24.9	26.0
	1952	12.3	13.7	17.3	23.7	25.2	26.1
P.E.I.	1951	10.7	10.6	13.9	19.3	21.8	24.7
	1952	11.3	11.5	14.0	20.6	22.9	24.7
N.S.	1951	14.1	14.4	15.8	21.0	21.5	22.5
	1952	14.0	14.4	15.5	20.6	21.7	22.1
N.B.	1951	9.8	11.3	14.7	18.1	21.0	23.1
	1952	10.6	11.5	14.3	18.4	21.1	22.7
QUE.	1951	6.9	8.6	15.1	19.2	21.8	23.7
	1952	7.6	9.2	15.5	20.3	22.4	24.2
ONT.	1951	15.1	17.0	20.4	27.6	28.8	30.2
	1952	15.5	17.4	20.5	27.6	29.0	29.6
MAN.	1951	11.4	12.5	15.2	22.5	23.2	23.9
	1952	12.9	14.1	16.2	24.8	25.0	25.1
SASK.	1951	12.1	12.8	14.6	22.3	22.9	23.8
	1952	11.3	13.4	15.9	22.1	23.9	25.3
ALTA.	1951	13.9	15.2	17.6	25.0	25.9	27.1
	1952	13.6	14.8	17.5	25.0	26.0	27.4
B.C.	1951	16.6	17.9	20.2	24.2	25.0	26.5
	1952	17.6	18.9	20.4	25.3	25.9	26.5

Data for Newfoundland are not available.

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

FARM MILK PRODUCTION, UTILIZATION AND INCOME IN MARCH, 1952

Farm Milk Production: The estimated quantity of milk produced on farms in March amounted to 1,050,167 million pounds, an increase of 12 million pounds from that of March, 1951*. Of this amount, 348 million pounds or 33 per cent of the total was utilized in factory production. During the January-March period of 1952 the estimated production of 2,808 million pounds represents an increase of 61 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 867 million pounds, while fluid sales accounted for 1,082 million pounds.

Fluid Sales: Sales of fluid milk and cream, the latter expressed as milk, amounted to 376,692,000 pounds in March, an increase of approximately 5 million pounds in comparison with last year. This included about 316 million pounds of fluid milk, comprising about 30 per cent of the farm milk supply, and fluid cream sales of 61 million pounds representing 6 per cent. During the three-month period, January-March, fluid sales totalled 1,082,075,000 pounds, an increase of 2.6 per cent as compared with the same period of 1951.

Dairy Butter: The March dairy butter make amounted to 3,199,000 pounds, decreasing 17 per cent from the corresponding month in 1951. All provinces contributed to the decline with the exception of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. For the three months, January, February and March 9,370,000 pounds were produced, a decrease of 8 per cent from the same period last year.

Farm Cash Income: Cash income from the sale of dairy products in March amounted to \$24,969,000. This represented an increase of approximately \$1,239,000 in comparison with the same month last year. The weighted average price of \$3.41 per hundred pounds of milk may be compared with \$3.34 in the corresponding month of 1951. All prices showed decreases from those of the previous March with the exception of fluid milk and milk for manufacturing. Fluid milk at \$4.39 per hundred was 36 cents above that of March, 1951, and milk used in manufacture advanced from \$3.18 per hundred to \$3.20 per hundred. Cheese milk, on the other hand, declined to \$2.62 per hundred, a reduction of 46 cents per hundred from the previous March. Creamery butter-fat decreased from 74.7 cents to 67.4 cents per pound, and dairy butter at 63.7 cents was approximately 1.4 cents per pound below that of March, 1951.

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

Table 2. - Dairy Butter Production

Canada, February, March and January-March 1948 to 1952 and by Provinces*
1950 to 1952

Province	Year	March		February		Cumulative Jan.-March	
		Quantity	% of Year Preceding	Quantity	% of Year Preceding	Quantity	% of Year Preceding
		'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	%
CANADA	1948	4,975	-	4,598	-	14,430	-
	1949	4,821	97	4,322	94	13,850	96
	1950	4,026	84	3,372	78	11,066	80
	1951	3,871	96	2,959	88	10,147	92
	1952	3,199	83	2,881	97	9,370	92
P. E. I.	1950	34	-	31	-	103	-
	1951	28	82	20	65	81	79
	1952	16	57	16	80	54	67
N. S.	1950	188	-	188	-	600	-
	1951	137	73	120	64	401	67
	1952	166	121	150	125	469	117
N. B.	1950	243	-	243	-	734	-
	1951	206	85	226	93	692	94
	1952	275	133	281	124	891	129
QUE.	1950	887	-	435	-	1,935	-
	1951	955	108	549	126	2,107	109
	1952	721	75	471	86	1,847	88
ONT.	1950	670	-	540	-	1,724	-
	1951	650	97	367	68	1,556	90
	1952	380	58	376	102	1,251	80
MAN.	1950	408	-	416	-	1,271	-
	1951	391	96	326	78	1,067	84
	1952	325	83	325	100	992	93
SASK.	1950	980	-	920	-	2,830	-
	1951	992	101	855	93	2,728	96
	1952	894	90	851	100	2,596	95
ALTA.	1950	536	-	520	-	1,627	-
	1951	450	84	440	85	1,330	82
	1952	363	81	356	81	1,094	82
B. C.	1950	80	-	79	-	242	-
	1951	62	78	56	71	185	76
	1952	59	95	55	98	176	95

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

PRODUCTION, DISTRIBUTION AND PRICES OF DAIRY PRODUCTS IN MARCH, 1952

Butter: Total butter production (including creamery, dairy and whey butter) amounted to 14 million pounds in March, 1952. This represented a decrease of 53 thousand pounds, which represents a percentage decline from the same month last year of less than half of one percent. The January - March output of 36 $\frac{3}{4}$ million pounds was 3 per cent above the total for the same period of the previous year.

Stock Holdings: Holdings of butter in store and transit, which amounted to 25 $\frac{3}{4}$ million pounds at March 1, declined to 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ million pounds on April 1. Compared with those of a year ago, the stocks at March 1 showed an increase of approximately 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ million pounds, while those of April 1 advanced 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ million pounds.

The Butter Supply: The quantity of butter represented by stocks on March 1, and production during the month, amounted to 39 $\frac{3}{4}$ million pounds. This was an increase of approximately 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ million pounds as compared with last year.

Domestic Disappearance: The domestic disappearance of butter in March, including creamery, dairy and whey butter, amounted to 22 $\frac{1}{4}$ million pounds, an increase of $\frac{1}{2}$ million pounds or 3 per cent. On a per capita basis the domestic disappearance amounted to 1.57 pounds as compared with 1.54 a year ago. During the January - March period the domestic disappearance of total butter amounted to 68 $\frac{1}{2}$ million pounds as compared with 70 million pounds in the same period of 1951; and the per capita disappearance of 4.85 pounds compares with 4.99 pounds a year earlier.

Butter Prices at Montreal: Butter prices at Montreal, based on quotations of the Canadian Commodity Exchange for first grade solids, averaged 66 $\frac{3}{8}$ cents per pound in March as against 66 $\frac{1}{4}$ cents last year.

Cheese Production: Cheddar cheese production in March amounted to 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ million pounds, representing a decrease of 41 thousand pounds in comparison with that produced in the same month of the previous year.

Cheese Prices: The Montreal price of Ontario colored cheese averaged 37 $\frac{1}{4}$ cents per pound in March. The comparative price for March, 1951 was 39 $\frac{3}{4}$ cents.

Concentrated Milk Products: The total quantity of concentrated milk products manufactured in March was approximately 26 $\frac{1}{4}$ million pounds, which represented an increase of 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ million pounds in comparison with the same month last year. Concentrated whole milk products advanced 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ million pounds, while by-products registered an increase of $\frac{3}{4}$ million pounds. Evaporated milk, one of the most important of the whole milk products, increased 2 million pounds and the production of skim milk powder, the leading milk by-product, was $\frac{3}{4}$ million pounds above the output of March, 1951.

Ice Cream: The quantity of Ice Cream manufactured in March was approximately 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ million gallons or 15 thousand gallons more than that produced a year ago.

Table 3. - Milk Production and Utilization

Canada, by Provinces*, March, 1951 and 1952

Province	Year	Total Milk 1/ Production	Factory 2/ Products	Dairy Butter	Farm-Home Consumed	Fed to Livestock	Fluid 3/ Sales
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1951	1,038,440a	329,164	90,699	131,910	114,651	372,016
	1952	1,050,167a	348,179	74,953	127,250	123,093	376,692
P.E.I.	1951	9,011	3,300	656	1,930	1,101	2,024
	1952	8,928	3,642	375	1,850	1,003	2,058
N.S.	1951	28,868	8,568	3,210	3,530	1,650	11,910
	1952	30,486	8,161	3,889	3,730	2,160	12,546
N.B.	1951	24,132	6,117	4,827	4,360	1,910	6,918
	1952	25,098	6,183	6,443	3,350	2,160	6,962
Que.	1951	243,919	46,473	22,376	27,100	30,900	117,070
	1952	255,421	56,636	16,893	26,700	33,000	122,192
Ont.	1951	368,724	141,856	15,230	44,200	23,600	143,838
	1952	368,599	148,644	8,904	44,000	24,700	142,351
Man.	1951	74,838	27,720	9,161	9,700	11,080	17,177
	1952	78,314	32,903	7,615	9,400	12,000	16,396
Sask.	1951	114,450	35,757	23,242	22,700	16,200	16,551
	1952	112,550	36,042	20,947	20,800	18,000	16,761
Alta.	1951	120,363	41,482	10,544	15,200	25,700	27,437
	1952	116,131	37,557	8,505	14,500	26,800	28,769
B.C.	1951	45,279	9,035	1,453	3,190	2,510	29,091
	1952	44,441	8,212	1,382	2,920	3,270	28,657

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

1/ Total milk production by months does not include the milk equivalent of factory cheese other than cheddar, shown in the annual statement.

a Includes milk equivalent of concentrated milk products reported by less than three firms (see footnote "x" in Table 4).

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 Table 4, but are included in the Canada total at the top of the column.

3/ Includes fluid milk and fluid cream expressed as milk.

Table 4.-Milk Equivalents of Factory Products and Fluid Sales

Canada, by Provinces*, March, 1951 and 1952

Province	Year	Used in Manufacture				Fluid Sales	
		Creamery Butter	Cheddar Cheese	Concentrated Milk	Ice Cream	Milk	Cream 1/
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1951	237,511	19,540	45,185	26,928	312,397	59,619
	1952	251,662	19,083	50,236	27,198	316,177	60,515
P.E.I.	1951	3,093	45	-	162	1,823	201
	1952	3,444	-	-	198	1,878	180
N.S.	1951	6,912	-	x/	1,656	10,860	1,050
	1952	6,631	-	x/	1,530	11,425	1,121
N.B.	1951	4,639	524	-	954	6,141	777
	1952	4,920	345	-	918	6,141	821
Que.	1951	30,787	1,125	9,377	5,184	99,508	17,562
	1952	36,762	1,816	13,306	4,752	103,787	18,405
Ont.	1951	89,386	15,474	26,952	10,044	124,722	19,116
	1952	98,218	13,903	26,731	9,792	123,350	19,001
Man.	1951	25,375	167	-	2,178	13,178	3,999
	1952	30,061	880	-	1,962	12,585	3,811
Sask.	1951	34,114	167	-	1,476	12,723	3,828
	1952	34,044	234	-	1,764	12,990	3,771
Alta.	1951	37,652	1,526	x/	2,304	21,001	6,436
	1952	33,505	1,370	x/	2,682	21,715	7,054
B.C.	1951	5,553	512	x/	2,970	22,441	6,650
	1952	4,077	535	x/	3,600	22,306	6,351

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

1/ Cream expressed as milk.

x/ Less than three firms manufacturing this product, data are included, however, in the Canada total at the top of this column.

TABLE 5 - UTILIZATION OF MILK IN PERCENTAGES OF TOTAL MILK PRODUCTION

Canada, By Provinces*, March, 1951 and 1952

Province	Year	Used in Manufacture				Used on Farms		
		Creamery Butter	Cheddar Cheese	Conc. Milk and Ice Cream	Total	Fluid Sales	Dairy Butter	Other Purposes
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%
CANADA	1951	22.87	1.88	6.95	31.70	35.83	8.73	23.74
	1952	23.96	1.82	7.37	33.15	35.87	7.14	23.84
P.E.I.	1951	34.32	0.50	1.80	36.62	22.46	7.28	33.64
	1952	38.58	-	2.22	40.80	23.05	4.20	31.95
N. S.	1951	23.94	-	5.74	29.68	41.26	11.12	17.94
	1952	21.75	-	5.02	26.77	41.15	12.76	19.32
N. B.	1951	19.22	2.17	3.96	25.35	28.67	20.00	25.98
	1952	19.60	1.38	3.66	24.64	27.74	25.67	21.95
QUE.	1951	12.62	0.46	5.97	19.05	48.00	9.17	23.78
	1952	14.39	0.71	7.07	22.17	47.84	6.61	23.38
ONT.	1951	24.24	4.20	10.03	38.47	39.01	4.13	18.39
	1952	26.65	3.77	9.91	40.33	38.62	2.41	18.64
MAN.	1951	33.91	0.22	2.91	37.04	22.95	12.24	27.77
	1952	38.38	1.12	2.51	42.01	20.94	9.72	27.33
SASK.	1951	29.81	0.14	1.29	31.24	14.46	20.31	33.99
	1952	30.25	0.21	1.57	32.03	14.89	18.61	34.47
ALTA.	1951	31.28	1.27	1.91	34.46	22.80	8.76	33.98
	1952	28.85	1.18	2.31	32.34	24.77	7.33	35.56
B. C.	1951	12.26	1.13	6.56	19.95	64.25	3.21	12.59
	1952	9.17	1.20	8.10	18.47	64.49	3.11	13.93

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

TABLE 6 - MILK PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION

Canada, By Provinces*, January - March, 1951 and 1952

(Cumulative)

Province	Year	Total Milk 1/ Production	Factory 2/ Products	Dairy Butter	Farm-home Consumed	Fed to Livestock	Fluid Sales 3/
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1951	2,747,520	826,824	237,745	380,760	247,201	1,054,990
	1952	2,808,475	866,554	219,540	373,880	266,426	1,082,075
P. E. I.	1951	27,724	11,502	1,897	5,850	2,691	5,784
	1952	27,640	12,686	1,265	5,480	2,356	5,853
N. S.	1951	85,497	27,475	9,395	10,280	4,220	34,127
	1952	89,063	25,875	10,988	11,060	5,710	35,430
N. B.	1951	70,078	17,110	16,214	12,910	3,760	20,084
	1952	73,124	16,520	20,876	10,680	4,590	20,458
QUE.	1951	635,625	121,749	49,367	79,900	47,200	337,409
	1952	676,814	141,412	43,275	79,600	52,530	359,997
ONT.	1951	972,601	347,825	36,458	126,300	56,600	405,418
	1952	982,976	362,875	29,312	127,800	57,800	405,189
MAN.	1951	191,890	65,612	25,000	27,900	24,820	48,558
	1952	206,024	79,926	23,243	27,700	27,480	47,675
SASK.	1951	300,937	86,757	63,917	64,700	39,100	46,463
	1952	296,820	87,136	60,825	60,800	40,200	47,859
ALTA.	1951	323,928	110,633	31,162	43,400	62,000	76,733
	1952	316,993	100,807	25,632	42,300	67,400	80,854
B. C.	1951	139,240	38,161	4,335	9,520	6,810	80,414
	1952	139,021	39,317	4,124	8,460	8,360	78,760

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

1/ Total milk production by months does not include the milk equivalent of factory cheese other than cheddar, shown in the annual estimate.

2/ Data shown in this column include creamery butter, cheddar cheese, concentrated milk products and ice cream.

3/ Includes fluid milk and fluid cream expressed as milk.

TABLE 7 - FARM CASH INCOME FROM DAIRY PRODUCTS SOLD BY FARMERS

Canada, By Provinces*, March, 1951 and 1952 1/

Province	Year	All Products	Butter-Fat <u>2/</u>	Cheese Milk	Mfg. Milk <u>3/</u>	Fluid Sales	Dairy Butter
		\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
CANADA	1951	23,730	6,876	601	1,546	14,491	216
	1952	24,969	6,586	499	1,730	15,978	176
P. E. I.	1951	155	80	1	-	72	2
	1952	169	89	-	1	78	1
N. S.	1951	775	209	-	26	522	18
	1952	845	206	-	24	586	29
N. B.	1951	490	134	16	7	297	36
	1952	506	139	9	7	315	36
QUE.	1951	5,798	980	34	309	4,400	75
	1952	6,592	1,063	53	434	4,976	66
ONT.	1951	9,640	2,596	478	877	5,663	26
	1952	9,915	2,529	342	884	6,147	13
MAN.	1951	1,308	699	5	3	590	11
	1952	1,369	730	27	6	600	6
SASK.	1951	1,520	914	4	3	572	27
	1952	1,469	816	7	4	631	11
ALTA.	1951	2,288	1,060	46	58	1,109	15
	1952	2,163	825	43	86	1,202	7
B. C.	1951	1,756	204	17	263	1,266	6
	1952	1,941	189	18	284	1,443	7

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

1/ All data are based on prices f.o.b. farm.

2/ Includes income from sales of butter-fat used for creamery butter and butter fat used in the manufacture of ice cream.

3/ Includes income from sales of milk for concentration and for the manufacture of ice cream.

TABLE 8 - PRICES OF DAIRY PRODUCTS, AVERAGE PER UNIT F.O.B. FARM

Canada, By Provinces*, March, 1951-1952

Province	Year	All Products ^{1/}	Creamery Butter-Fat	Cheese Milk	Mfg. Milk	Fluid Milk	Dairy Butter
		Per Cwt. \$	Per Lb. ¢	Per Cwt. \$	Per Cwt. \$	Per Cwt. \$	Per Lb. ¢
CANADA	1951	3.34	74.7	3.08	3.18	4.03	65.1
	1952	3.41	67.4	2.62	3.20	4.39	63.7
P. E. I.	1951	2.87	70.4	2.67	3.23	3.58	63.0
	1952	2.94	70.4	-	3.26	3.85	66.7
N. S.	1951	3.55	68.0	-	3.11	4.41	61.0
	1952	3.78	71.0	-	3.32	4.69	60.6
N. B.	1951	3.42	69.0	2.97	4.31	4.38	64.0
	1952	3.51	68.0	2.70	4.49	4.58	65.0
QUE.	1951	3.49	78.0	3.06	3.16	3.98	65.0
	1952	3.64	73.0	2.91	3.15	4.19	65.5
ONT.	1951	3.36	75.3	3.09	3.06	4.01	68.0
	1952	3.40	67.3	2.46	3.05	4.43	65.7
MAN.	1951	2.89	72.5	3.20	2.74	3.66	69.0
	1952	2.76	65.5	3.10	3.04	4.01	63.0
SASK.	1951	2.85	73.8	2.66	2.38	3.72	67.0
	1952	2.76	65.3	3.11	2.95	4.14	60.1
ALTA.	1951	3.21	76.1	3.02	2.93	4.35	64.0
	1952	3.13	65.1	3.10	3.20	4.58	59.3
B. C.	1951	3.92	66.3	3.26	3.80	4.35	62.0
	1952	4.37	63.6	3.34	3.77	5.13	62.3

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

^{1/} Average for all products include those of ice cream used for manufacture of ice cream and for fluid distribution - items not shown separately in this statement.

TABLE 9 - BUTTER AND CHEESE, SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION

Canada, February, March and January-March, 1948 to 1952

Year	February	March	Jan.-March	February	March	Jan.-March
BUTTER 1/						
	Production-'000 lb.			Stocks First of Month-'000 lb. 2/		
1948	12,659	16,435	42,938	31,697	19,058	8,439
1949	12,763	16,967	44,321	27,859	18,929	12,878
1950	11,948	16,583	42,089	46,376	36,468	27,891
1951	10,069	14,059	35,657	25,706	17,388	9,842
1952	10,476	14,006	36,666	36,138	25,640	17,404
	Imports - lb. 3/			Exports - '000 lb. 3/		
1948	-	572	629	94	147	312
1949	-	-	1,120,000	103	52	188
1950	-	-	568	52	567	642
1951	4,883,205	56,199	4,939,404	21	18	91
1952	2,500,000	-	4,448,000	24	27	105
	Domestic Disappearance -'000 lb.			Per Capita Disappearance - lb.		
1948	25,204	26,908	78,160	1.96	2.09	6.07
1949	21,590	22,966	70,024	1.60	1.70	5.19
1950	21,804	24,593	69,690	1.57	1.78	5.03
1951	23,249	21,643	69,982	1.66	1.54	4.99
1952	23,450	22,215	68,581	1.66	1.57	4.85

CANADIAN CHEDDAR CHEESE

	Production - '000 lb.			Stocks First of Month-'000 lb. 2/		
1948	927	1,686	3,560	26,719	24,919	22,422
1949	547	1,393	2,662	31,136	27,713	24,594
1950	1,279	2,180	5,212	41,002	38,982	34,969
1951	1,254	1,754	5,010	25,676	23,420	19,176
1952	1,037	1,713	3,880	28,862	27,032	25,122
	Exports - '000 lb. 3/			Domestic Disappearance -'000 lb.		
1948	253	306	5,697	2,474	3,877	5,953
1949	34	32	124	3,936	4,480	12,347
1950	316	298	967	2,983	5,895	13,007
1951	690	288	1,432	2,820	5,710	11,151
1952	103	61	332	2,764	3,562	10,310

1/ Butter statistics as shown in this report include Creamery, Dairy and Whey Butter; statistics for Newfoundland are not available.

2/ Stocks include shipments in transit. Those shown under the captions "Jan.-March" represent holdings as at April 1, 1948 to 1952.

3/ Foreign Trade Statistics (Exports and Imports) include Newfoundland as from April 1, 1949. Imports of Cheddar type cheese from New Zealand not included in these Statistics are shown in pounds as follows: January, 1,679,984; February, 1,780,469; March, 337,518.

TABLE 10 - CONCENTRATED MILK, SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION

Canada, March and January - March, 1948 to 1952

Year	Whole Milk Products		Milk By-Products		Total	
	March	Jan.-Mar.	March	Jan.-Mar.	March	Jan.-Mar.
(A) Production - '000 lb.						
1948	17,122	38,298	3,904	9,059	21,026	47,357
1949	19,413	44,024	5,138	12,368	24,551	56,392
1950	16,917	39,250	5,204	12,593	22,121	51,843
1951	18,581	44,306	4,382	11,093	22,963	55,399
1952	21,212	48,006	5,123	12,960	26,335	60,966
(B) Stocks First of Month - '000 lb. <u>1/</u>						
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	21,622	15,839	3,644	3,301	25,266	19,140
1951	13,154	9,571	3,519	3,082	16,673	12,653
1952	28,573	23,936	10,025	8,312	38,598	32,248
(C) Imports - lb. <u>2/</u>						
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
1951	560	1,072	1,720,681	3,968,197	1,721,241	3,969,269
1952	6,425	14,540	57,860	386,503	64,285	401,043
(D) Exports - '000 lb. <u>2/</u>						
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
1951	1,231	3,239	20	142	1,251	3,381
1952	2,590	5,875	1,620	2,684	4,210	8,559
(E) Domestic Disappearance - '000 lb.						
1948	14,057	37,917	3,328	9,832	17,385	47,749
1949	14,049	41,324	4,190	11,375	18,239	52,699
1950	19,675	57,534	4,933	14,168	24,608	71,702
1951	20,933	59,752	6,520	18,401	27,453	78,153
1952	23,265	67,759	5,274	16,831	28,539	84,590

1/ Stocks shown under the captions "Jan.-Mar." represent holdings as at April 1, 1948 to 1952.

2/ Foreign Trade Statistics (Exports and Imports) include Newfoundland as from April 1, 1949.



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TABLE II - CONCENTRATED MILK, PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS, SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION

Canada, March and January - March, 1948 to 1952

Section A	March	Jan.-Mar.	March	Jan.-Mar.	March	Jan.-Mar.
	Condensed Whole Milk		Condensed Skimmilk		Casein	
Production - '000 lb.						
1948	1,433	3,726	478	1,125	127	368
1949	2,422	6,551	261	561	137	321
1950	1,124	3,307	228	526	157	388
1951	621	2,360	357	863	142	326
1952	1,283	3,311	332	796	88	383
Section B	Evaporated Whole Milk		Whole Milk Powder		Skimmilk Powder	
	(A) Production - '000 lb.					
1948	14,183	31,301	1,062	2,312	2,399	5,179
1949	15,929	34,331	836	2,452	3,470	8,456
1950	13,722	31,275	1,492	3,334	3,252	7,577
1951	16,694	38,582	704	1,929	2,467	5,858
1952	18,752	41,983	585	1,535	3,163	7,548
(B) Stocks First of Month - '000 lb. ^{1/}						
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	19,792	13,959	927	875	2,852	2,567
1951	10,783	7,701	1,427	1,168	1,786	1,809
1952	25,660	21,224	2,096	1,514	5,719	5,415
(C) Exports - '000 lb. ^{2/}						
1948	1,139	2,455	288	913	562	2,329
1949	1,304	3,691	306	1,058	48	2,098
1950	1,785	6,625	884	2,994	568	2,421
1951	403	1,210	533	1,343	20	134
1952	541	1,613	1,154	2,626	1,596	2,462
(D) Domestic Disappearance - '000 lb.						
1948	11,836	33,189	670	1,791	2,120	5,580
1949	12,622	36,664	121	1,607	2,395	6,559
1950	17,770	52,458	660	991	2,969	8,115
1951	19,373	54,933	430	1,402	3,949	10,215
1952	22,647	62,786*	13	1,713	1,872	7,705

^{1/} Stocks shown under the captions "Jan.-Mar." represent holdings as at April 1, 1948 to 1952.

^{2/} Foreign Trade Statistics (Exports) include Newfoundland as from April 1, 1949.

* Includes a revision in Jan.-Feb. cumulative data.