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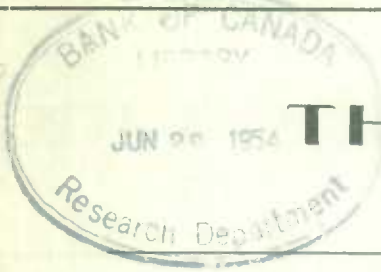


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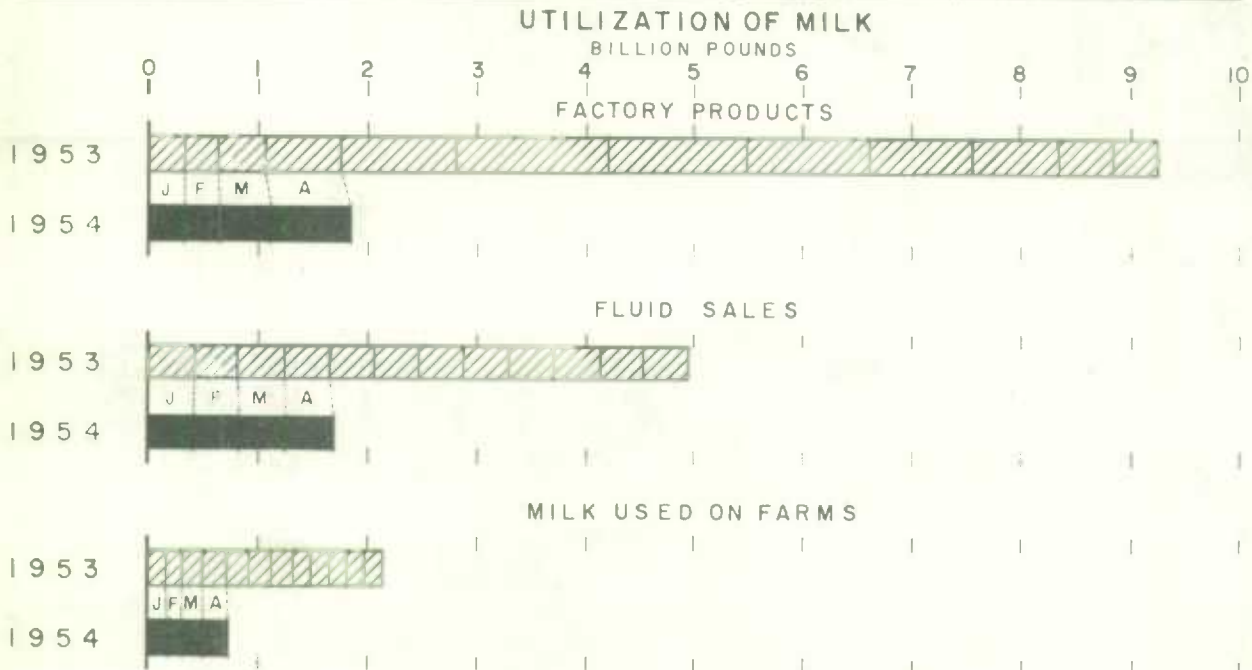
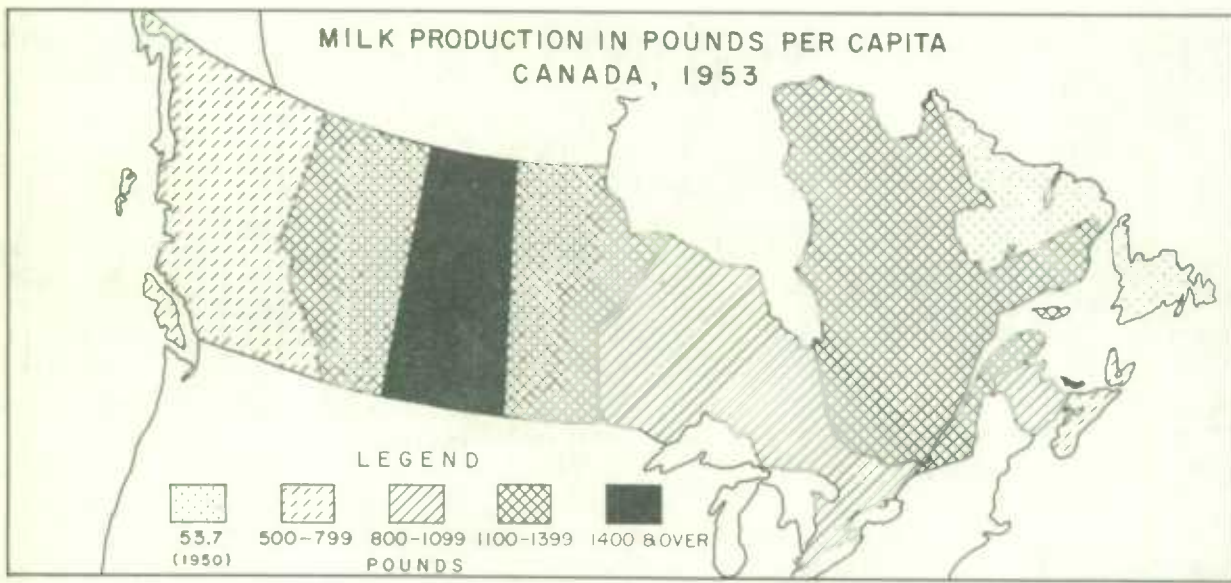


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THE DAIRY SITUATION IN MAY, 1954

The farm milk supply in May is estimated to be somewhat below the production of the same month of 1953. This is the first reverse in eight months. Since July, 1951, the monthly production of milk in Canada has been moving in an upward direction, increased quantities having been reported in comparison with corresponding months of the previous year with the exception of August, 1952, and September, 1953. Based on sample indications reported in this publication a month ago, the advance forecast for April, 1954, showed an increase of 2 per cent over that of April, 1953. However, with the inclusion of complete statistics, the increase is now revised to 2.7 per cent. In the month of May, a 4 per cent increase in the quantities of milk used in farm homes was partially offset by a decline of 2 per cent in the amount fed to live stock. Deliveries of milk to factories reflected the decrease in milk production, the total being down 2 per cent from the previous May. This decline applies to all products (see table below).

MILK EQUIVALENT OF DAIRY FACTORY PRODUCTION

Product	May			January-May		
	1953	1954	Percentage Change	1953	1954	Percentage Change
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%
Creamery Butter	797,285	782,941	(-) 1.8	2,114,214	2,177,698	(+) 3.0
Cheddar Cheese	99,594	98,560	(-) 1.0	229,647	218,438	(-) 4.9
Concentrated Milk Products	111,471	107,375	(-) 3.7	308,020	318,218	(+) 3.3
Ice Cream	50,252	50,133	(-) 0.2	159,358	158,015	(-) 0.8
TOTAL	1,058,602	1,039,009	(-) 1.9	2,811,239	2,872,369	(+) 2.2

It is evident that farmers are not keeping as many cows as in previous months. The numbers estimated on the basis of reports from dairy correspondent's for May 15th, represent an increase of 4 per cent as compared with numbers shown in the mid-May survey of the previous year. However, the semi-live stock survey of December 1, 1953, showed 6 per cent more cows on farms than at December 1, 1952. This change in relationship may be due to differences in the way in which dairy cows and beef cows are being classified by farm reporters; or possibly some cows formerly used for milking purposes are now being employed for raising beef calves, in which case they would not be reported as "milch cows".

**TABLE 1 - PERCENTAGE OF COWS MILKED, COWS FRESHENING AND
DAILY PRODUCTION OF MILK PER COW 1/**
Canada, by Provinces*, March, April and May, 1953 and 1954

Province	Year	Percentage of Cows Milked			Percentage of Cows Freshening		
		March	April	May	March	April	May
Canada	1953	54.9	66.6	73.8	11.7	17.0	12.5
	1954	56.2	66.5	73.5	11.9	16.1	12.1
P.E.I.	1953	50.6	59.7	67.8	9.5	15.3	20.2
	1954	48.6	52.6	65.4	9.8	16.0	19.1
N.S.	1953	67.3	70.8	74.3	9.1	11.5	10.0
	1954	66.7	70.1	73.2	9.0	10.5	7.9
N.B.	1953	54.2	63.3	72.1	10.8	18.8	17.7
	1954	52.6	62.5	72.0	13.0	18.7	18.1
Que.	1953	40.9	64.9	77.5	13.9	26.9	16.5
	1954	43.4	65.5	77.4	15.2	24.9	15.1
Ont.	1953	61.3	68.6	73.1	11.1	13.4	9.3
	1954	61.0	67.9	73.3	11.4	13.1	9.0
Man.	1953	57.2	64.5	70.9	10.8	12.2	10.6
	1954	58.2	64.4	69.0	10.8	12.8	10.6
Sask.	1953	54.7	65.0	70.1	12.5	15.0	12.6
	1954	57.3	64.2	69.9	10.3	13.9	15.7
Alta.	1953	56.1	64.5	71.1	11.0	14.6	13.0
	1954	58.9	64.8	70.2	11.1	12.2	12.3
B.C.	1953	70.4	74.4	78.4	10.0	9.0	7.5
	1954	73.4	75.5	77.4	8.9	8.4	7.8

Daily Production of Milk Per Cow

	Year	All Cows			Cows Milked		
		Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.
Canada	1953	14.0	17.4	20.3	25.5	26.1	27.5
	1954	14.0	16.9	19.5	24.5	25.4	26.5
P.E.I.	1953	11.1	15.1	18.3	22.0	25.3	27.0
	1954	10.4	13.5	17.1	21.5	25.6	26.1
N.S.	1953	14.5	15.5	17.5	21.6	21.9	23.6
	1954	14.1	15.1	16.4	21.2	21.6	22.4
N.B.	1953	10.9	14.1	17.6	20.1	22.3	24.4
	1954	11.0	14.2	17.1	16.2	22.8	23.7
Que.	1953	9.4	15.6	19.3	23.1	24.0	24.9
	1954	10.0	15.8	19.0	23.0	24.1	24.5
Ont.	1953	17.6	20.1	22.8	28.7	29.4	31.3
	1954	16.9	19.1	22.0	27.8	28.1	30.0
Man.	1953	14.7	16.5	18.8	25.7	25.5	26.5
	1954	14.0	15.8	17.2	24.0	24.6	25.0
Sask.	1953	13.6	16.2	18.4	24.8	25.0	26.3
	1954	13.5	15.9	17.5	23.6	24.7	25.0
Alta.	1953	15.2	17.9	20.3	27.2	27.8	28.9
	1954	15.8	17.2	18.5	26.8	26.5	26.3
B.C.	1953	17.5	19.2	23.0	24.8	25.8	29.3
	1954	18.3	18.9	22.8	24.9	25.0	29.4

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

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

May freshenings were up slightly from last year, whereas a month ago there was a slight decline. However, $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent more cows were reported in calf in May and freshenings during the first quarter of the year were up substantially over January-March, 1952. Thus, if a reasonable percentage of those cows that calved earlier in the year are still in production, and if more cows come into lactation later, which reports seem to indicate, milk production may well be maintained at a relatively high level in June when the milk flow reaches the high point of the season. The daily yield of milk per cow at 19.5 pounds for all cows and 26.5 pounds for those actually milked, represent declines from those of May, 1953.

The weather in May was more variable than usual. Reports from seventeen of the Experimental Stations located in different parts of the Dominion, would indicate that temperatures were generally lower than last year; although at two places-Lethbridge and Saanichton average temperatures were slightly above those of May, 1953. Generally, there was more precipitation, but the numbers of sunshine hours were reduced from last year at all the Eastern Provinces with the exception of Kentville, N.S., Delhi and Harrow, Ontario. On the other hand, quite the opposite situation prevailed at all stations in the Western Provinces except Summerland, B.C.

FARM MILK PRODUCTION, UTILIZATION AND INCOME IN APRIL, 1954*

Farm Milk Production: The estimated quantity of milk produced on farms in April, amounted to 1,358,628,000 pounds. This represents a gain of 36 million pounds or 2.7 per cent more than that of April, 1953. Of this amount 719 million pounds or 52.9 per cent was utilized in factory production, while fluid sales absorbed approximately 422 million pounds or 31.1 per cent of the total supply. During January-April the estimated production was 4,257 million pounds, an increase of 14.5 million pounds or about 3.5 per cent more than that produced in the same period of the previous year. The quantity of milk utilized for factory production in January-April amounted to 1,833 million pounds while fluid sales accounted for 1,696 million pounds.

Fluid Sales: Sales of fluid milk and cream, the latter expressed as milk, amounted to 422,486,000 pounds in April, an increase of approximately 11 million pounds in comparison with April of the previous year. This included about 353 million pounds of fluid milk, comprising about 26 per cent of the farm milk supply, and fluid cream sales of 69 million pounds representing 5 per cent. During the three-month period, January-April, fluid sales totalled 1,695,627,000 pounds, an increase of 48 million pounds or approximately 2.8 per cent over those of the 1953 period.

Dairy Butter: The dairy butter make in April amounted to 1,805,000 pounds, increasing 1 per cent over the corresponding month of 1953. The maritimes, Manitoba and Saskatchewan were responsible for this increase. For the four-months, January-April, 6,649,000 pounds were produced, an increase of 8 per cent over the same period last year.

Farm Cash Income: Cash income from the sale of dairy products in April amounted to \$33,630,000. This represented an increase of approximately 3.7 per cent or \$1,189,000 in comparison with the same month last year. The weighted average price of \$2.94 per hundred pounds of milk may be compared with \$2.92 in the corresponding month of 1953. Fluid milk at \$4.37 per hundred was 4 cents higher than April, 1953. Creamery butter-fat at 61.1 cents per pound remained the same as last year, while dairy butter at 59 cents was 1 cent higher in April, 1953. Milk used in manufacture decreased from \$2.59 per hundred in April, 1953, to \$2.53 per hundred in April, 1954. Cheese milk increased to \$2.13 per hundred, an increase of 8 cents per hundred in comparison with the same month a year earlier.

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

TABLE 2 - DAIRY BUTTER PRODUCTION
 Canada, March, April and January to April 1950 to 1954
 and by Provinces*, 1952 to 1954

Province	Year	March		April		January to April	
		Quantity	% of Year Preceding	Quantity	% of Year Preceding	Quantity	% of Year Preceding
		'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	%
Canada	1950	2,294		2,432		8,856	
	1951	2,171	95	2,340	96	8,143	92
	1952	1,957	90	2,172	93	7,808	96
	1953	1,565	80	1,779	82	6,177	79
	1954	1,765	113	1,805	101	6,649	108
P.E.I.	1952	31		37		135	
	1953	35	113	40	108	142	105
	1954	41	117	41	102	148	104
N.S.	1952	79		86		322	
	1953	55	70	69	80	261	81
	1954	76	138	88	128	341	131
N.B.	1952	139		155		639	
	1953	120	86	146	94	540	85
	1954	164	137	187	128	645	119
Que.	1952	517		636		1,859	
	1953	311	60	451	71	1,225	66
	1954	437	141	406	90	1,443	118
Ont.	1952	200		188		847	
	1953	153	76	134	71	540	64
	1954	106	69	108	81	423	78
Man.	1952	187		194		764	
	1953	151	81	154	79	599	78
	1954	177	117	184	119	675	113
Sask.	1952	510		536		2,018	
	1953	458	90	476	89	1,770	88
	1954	483	105	507	107	1,886	107
Alta.	1952	247		282		1,027	
	1953	238	96	251	89	912	89
	1954	235	99	230	92	897	98
B.C.	1952	47		58		197	
	1953	44	94	58	100	188	95
	1954	46	105	54	93	191	102

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

PRODUCTION, DISTRIBUTION AND PRICES OF DAIRY PRODUCTS IN APRIL, 1954

Butter: Total butter production (including creamery, dairy and whey butter) amounted to 25 3/4 million pounds in April, 1954. This represented an increase of 1 1/2 million pounds or 7 per cent as compared with the same month last year. The January-April output of 66 1/2 million pounds was 6 per cent above the total of the same period of the previous year.

Stock Holdings: Holdings of butter in store and transit, which amounted to 42 million pounds at April 1, increased to 42 3/4 million pounds on May 1. Compared with those of a year ago, the stocks at April 1, showed an increase of approximately 15 1/4 million pounds, while those of May 1, increased 15 3/4 million pounds.

The Butter Supply: The quantity of butter represented by stocks on April 1, production and imports during the month, amounted to 68 million pounds. This was an increase of almost 16 3/4 million pounds as compared with last year.

Domestic Disappearance: The domestic disappearance of butter in April including creamery, dairy and whey butter, amounted to 25 million pounds, an increase of almost 1 million pounds. On a per capita basis the domestic disappearance amounted to 1.67 pounds as compared with 1.63 pounds a year ago. During the January-April period the domestic disappearance of total butter amounted to 94 3/4 million pounds as compared with 90 million pounds in the same period of 1953; and the per capita disappearance of 6.31 pounds may be compared with 6.09 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 59 cents per pound in April the same as last year.

Cheese Production: Cheddar Cheese production in April, 1954 amounted to 4 1/2 million pounds, a decrease of one million pounds or 19 per cent less than that produced in April, 1953.

Cheese Prices: Ontario colored cheese at Montreal averaged 31 1/2 cents per pound in April, 1954. The same as in April, 1953.

Concentrated Milk Products: The total quantity of concentrated milk products manufactured in April was approximately 39 million pounds, which represented a decrease of 312 thousand pounds in comparison with the same month last year. Concentrated whole milk products were approximately the same as last year, while by-products decreased approximately 314 thousand pounds. Evaporated milk, one of the most important of the whole milk products increased 1/2 million pounds and the production of skim milk powder, the leading milk by-product, was 27 thousand pounds above the output of April, 1953.

Ice Cream: The quantity of ice cream manufactured in April was approximately 2 million gallons, a decrease of 46 thousand gallons in comparison with the April production a year earlier. Production during the four-month period January-April amounted to 6,246,000 gallons. This represented a decrease of 72 thousand gallons as compared with that produced in the same period of 1953.

TABLE 3 - MILK PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION
Canada, by Provinces*, April, 1953 and 1954

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	1953	1,322,785 ^{a/}	695,178	41,629	81,691	92,789	411,498
	1954	1,358,628 ^{a/}	718,871	42,237	85,690	89,344	422,486
P.E.I.	1953	12,215	6,377	936	1,610	985	2,307
	1954	13,490	7,593	959	1,850	794	2,294
N.S.	1953	31,877	11,188	1,615	3,670	1,986	13,418
	1954	33,128	11,630	2,059	3,860	1,620	13,959
N.B.	1953	33,887	13,713	3,416	3,280	1,422	12,056
	1954	36,594	15,053	4,376	3,510	1,110	12,545
Que.	1953	425,750	204,689	10,553	21,489	29,012	160,007
	1954	457,951	237,975	9,500	22,800	29,200	158,476
Ont.	1953	449,485	267,083	3,136	18,301	24,506	136,459
	1954	446,093	258,502	2,527	18,200	23,400	143,464
Man.	1953	86,436	50,777	3,604	6,922	7,734	17,399
	1954	86,119	48,560	4,306	8,190	6,810	18,253
Sask.	1953	110,131	54,231	11,139	13,422	12,335	19,004
	1954	109,681	51,144	11,864	14,600	11,600	20,473
Alta.	1953	107,482	57,230	5,873	10,328	12,359	21,692
	1954	109,993	59,347	5,382	9,940	12,800	22,524
B.C.	1953	46,903	11,271	1,357	2,669	2,450	29,156
	1954	50,642	14,130	1,264	2,740	2,010	30,498

* 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 this column.

^{3/} Includes fluid milk and fluid cream expressed as milk.

TABLE 4 - MILK EQUIVALENTS OF FACTORY PRODUCTS AND FLUID SALES

Canada, by Provinces*, April, 1953 and 1954

Province	Year	Used in Manufacture				Fluid Sales	
		Creamery Butter	Cheddar Cheese	Concentrated Milk	Ice Cream	Milk	Cream <u>1/</u>
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
Canada	1953	523,529	59,851	75,690	36,108	342,703 <u>2/</u>	68,795 <u>2/</u>
	1954	560,898	48,411	74,236	35,326	353,015	69,471
P.E.I.	1953	6,084	55	-	238	1,972 <u>2/</u>	335 <u>2/</u>
	1954	7,301	88	<u>x/</u>	204	1,978	316
N.S.	1953	9,454	-	<u>x/</u>	1,734	11,930 <u>2/</u>	1,488 <u>2/</u>
	1954	9,828	-	<u>x/</u>	1,802	12,324	1,635
N.B.	1953	12,098	561	-	1,054	10,596 <u>2/</u>	1,460 <u>2/</u>
	1954	13,455	561	-	1,037	11,009	1,536
Que.	1953	169,931	5,005	21,797	7,956	134,575	25,432
	1954	199,743	6,468	24,012	7,752	133,095	25,381
Ont.	1953	168,597	49,918	35,274	13,294	116,131	20,328
	1954	173,815	36,344	35,287	13,056	122,750	20,714
Man.	1953	47,268	1,265	-	2,244	13,359	4,040
	1954	45,115	1,320	-	2,125	14,201	4,052
Sask.	1953	51,808	77	-	2,346	15,182	3,822
	1954	48,859	143	-	2,142	16,609	3,864
Alta.	1953	51,831	2,288	<u>x/</u>	3,111	16,143	5,549
	1954	53,703	2,618	<u>x/</u>	3,026	17,025	5,499
B.C.	1953	6,458	682	<u>x/</u>	4,131	22,815	6,341
	1954	9,079	869	<u>x/</u>	4,182	24,024	6,474

* 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.

2/ Division of sales between milk and cream differ from those published in the January issue of the Dairy Review. Fluid sales totals shown by months, 1950 to 1954 are unchanged.

TABLE 5 - PERCENTAGES OF MILK SUPPLY UTILIZED IN DAIRY PRODUCTION
Canada, by Provinces*, April, 1953 and 1954

Province	Year	Used in Manufacture				Fluid Sales	Used on Farms	
		Creamery Butter	Cheddar Cheese	Conc. Milk and Ice Cream	Total		Dairy Butter	Other Purposes
		%	%	%	%	%	%	
Canada	1953	39.58	4.52	8.45	52.55	31.11	3.15	13.19
	1954	41.29	3.56	8.06	52.91	31.10	3.11	12.88
P.E.I.	1953	49.81	0.45	1.95	52.21	18.89	7.66	21.24
	1954	54.12	0.65	1.51	56.28	17.01	7.11	19.60
N.S.	1953	29.66	-	5.44	35.10	42.09	5.07	17.74
	1954	29.67	-	5.44	35.11	42.14	6.21	16.54
N.B.	1953	35.70	1.65	3.11	40.46	35.58	10.08	13.88
	1954	36.77	1.53	2.83	41.13	34.28	11.96	12.63
Que.	1953	39.91	1.18	6.99	48.08	37.58	2.48	11.86
	1954	43.62	1.41	6.94	51.97	34.61	2.07	11.35
Ont.	1953	37.51	11.11	10.80	59.42	30.36	0.70	9.52
	1954	38.96	8.15	10.34	57.95	32.16	0.57	9.32
Man.	1953	54.68	1.46	2.60	58.74	20.13	4.17	16.96
	1954	52.39	1.53	2.47	56.39	21.19	5.00	17.42
Sask.	1953	47.04	0.07	2.13	49.24	17.26	10.11	23.39
	1954	44.55	0.13	1.95	46.63	18.66	10.82	23.89
Alta.	1953	48.22	2.13	2.89	53.24	20.18	5.47	21.11
	1954	48.83	2.38	2.75	53.96	20.48	4.89	20.67
B.C.	1953	13.77	1.45	8.81	24.03	62.16	2.89	10.92
	1954	17.93	1.71	8.26	27.90	60.22	2.50	9.38

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

TABLE 6 - MILK PRODUCTION AND UTILIZATION
 Canada, by Provinces*, January-April, 1953 and 1954
 (Cumulative)

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	1953	4,111,893	1,752,636	144,543	319,968	246,707	1,648,039
	1954	4,257,148	1,833,360	155,587	330,910	241,664	1,695,627
P.E.I.	1953	40,673	19,613	3,324	6,467	2,050	9,219
	1954	45,778	24,387	3,463	7,070	1,865	8,993
N.S.	1953	121,227	40,240	6,108	14,500	6,357	54,022
	1954	127,519	43,604	7,979	15,060	5,120	55,756
N.B.	1953	110,391	33,401	12,636	13,456	3,506	47,392
	1954	117,552	36,545	15,094	14,140	2,739	49,034
Que.	1953	1,179,712	377,338	28,665	83,689	52,118	637,902
	1954	1,265,688	445,376	33,766	86,600	54,640	645,306
Ont.	1953	1,439,608	728,915	12,636	71,405	73,910	552,742
	1954	1,441,740	713,547	9,898	72,100	70,000	576,195
Man.	1953	281,736	145,995	14,017	27,488	24,191	70,045
	1954	282,787	143,414	15,796	31,600	20,200	71,777
Sask.	1953	362,536	153,903	41,418	52,357	38,857	76,001
	1954	369,510	150,223	44,132	54,300	39,870	80,985
Alta.	1953	362,249	179,474	21,340	40,049	36,888	84,498
	1954	379,386	191,321	20,989	39,280	39,760	88,036
B.C.	1953	213,761	73,757	4,399	10,557	8,830	116,218
	1954	227,188	84,943	4,470	10,760	7,470	119,545

* 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.

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 1/
Canada, by Provinces*, April, 1953 and 1954

Province	Year	All Products	Creamery Butter-fat	Cheese Milk	Mfg. Milk 2/	Fluid and 3/ Factory Cream	Fluid Milk	Dairy Butter
		\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Canada	1953	32,441	11,206	1,228	2,119	2,891	14,878	119
	1954	33,630	12,014	1,033	2,037	3,022	15,418	106
P.E.I.	1953	233	141	1	1	12	76	2
	1954	254	157	2	6	15	73	1
N.S.	1953	885	232	-	31	93	521	8
	1954	917	231	-	34	106	535	11
N.B.	1953	875	265	13	10	72	492	23
	1954	920	294	14	5	80	502	25
Que.	1953	11,074	3,871	120	523	846	5,652	62
	1954	11,867	4,550	162	577	943	5,590	45
Ont.	1953	11,460	3,539	993	909	891	5,121	7
	1954	11,547	3,576	738	886	914	5,426	7
Man.	1953	1,687	959	28	6	162	532	-
	1954	1,666	923	31	6	140	564	2
Sask.	1953	1,834	1,042	2	6	153	625	6
	1954	1,865	998	3	4	152	702	6
Alta.	1953	2,151	1,026	52	97	241	730	5
	1954	2,224	1,078	59	73	233	777	4
B.C.	1953	2,242	131	19	536	421	1,129	6
	1954	2,370	207	24	446	439	1,249	5

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

1/ All data are based on prices F.O.B. farm.

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

3/ Includes income from fluid cream and butter-fat used in the manufacture of ice cream.

TABLE 8 - PRICES OF DAIRY PRODUCTS, AVERAGES PER UNIT F.O.B. FARM 1/
Canada, by Provinces*, April, 1953 and 1954

Province	Year	All Products	Creamery B.F.	Cheese Milk	Mfg. Milk 2/	Fluid Milk	Dairy Butter
		Per cwt. \$	Per lb.	Per cwt. \$	Per cwt. \$	Per cwt. \$	Per lb.
Canada	1953	2.92	61.1	2.05	2.59	4.33	60
	1954	2.94	61.1	2.13	2.53	4.37	59
P.E.I.	1953	2.66	66.4	2.35	2.71	3.65	62
	1954	2.49	61.4	2.25	2.22	3.69	61
N.S.	1953	3.43	70.0	-	2.67	4.27	60
	1954	3.39	67.0	-	2.41	4.34	59
N.B.	1953	3.29	62.5	2.40	4.51	4.56	62
	1954	3.22	62.5	2.40	4.53	4.56	62
Que.	1953	3.02	65.0	2.41	2.30	4.20	60
	1954	2.98	65.0	2.51	2.33	4.20	59
Ont.	1953	2.84	59.9	1.99	2.35	4.41	60
	1954	2.87	58.7	2.03	2.28	4.42	61
Man.	1953	2.47	57.9	2.24	2.43	3.98	-
	1954	2.49	58.4	2.34	2.59	3.97	57
Sask.	1953	2.50	57.4	2.26	2.71	4.12	56
	1954	2.60	58.3	2.22	2.57	4.23	57
Alta.	1953	2.60	56.5	2.29	2.45	4.52	56
	1954	2.63	57.3	2.25	2.50	4.51	55
B.C.	1953	4.08	57.8	2.78	3.62	4.95	58
	1954	4.23	65.0	2.77	3.78	5.20	57

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

1/ Average prices for all products include those of cream used in the manufacture of ice cream and for fluid distribution. These items not shown separately in this statement.

2/ Includes milk bought for the manufacturing of ice cream and for concentrated milk products.

TABLE 9 - BUTTER, SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION
Canada, April and January-April, 1950 to 1954

Year	Stocks Beginning '000 lb.	Production '000 lb.	Import '000 lb.	Export '000 lb.	Stocks End '000 lb.	Domestic Disappearance	
						Total '000 lb.	Per Capita lb.
A P R I L							
1950	27,891	21,971	-	67	28,490	21,305	1.55
1951	9,842	19,265	2	27	10,179	18,903	1.35
1952	17,426	21,326	23	29	17,217	21,529	1.49
1953	26,849	24,283	(x)	13	27,059	24,060	1.63
1954	42,070	25,886	(x)	22	42,886	25,048	1.67
J A N U A R Y - A P R I L							
1950	56,134	59,418	(x)	709	28,490	86,353	6.30
1951	39,319	50,551	4,941	118	10,179	84,514	6.03
1952	44,974	54,312	4,551	134	17,217	86,486	6.00
1953	54,497	62,745	(x)	95	27,059	90,088	6.09
1954	71,270	66,504	(x)	64	42,886	94,824	6.31

* Includes creamery, dairy and whey butter.
(x) Less than 500 lb.

TABLE 10 - CHEESE, SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION
Canada, April, 1950 to 1954

Year	Stocks Beginning '000 lb.	Production '000 lb.	Imports '000 lb.	Exports '000 lb.	Stocks End '000 lb.	Domestic Disappearance	
						April '000 lb.	Jan.-Apr. '000 lb.
CHEDDAR CHEESE							
1950	34,969	4,893	-	206	33,814	5,842	18,849
1951	19,171	4,008	-	178	17,653	5,348	16,568
1952	24,798	4,164	1,259	88	26,109	4,024	18,878
1953	26,577	5,441	-	3,512	25,542	2,964	21,145
1954	22,413	4,401	-	111	22,251	4,452	21,413
PROCESS CHEESE							
1950	1,011	3,083	-		1,157	2,937	12,715
1951	1,136	3,123	-		1,172	3,087	13,543
1952	1,611	3,314	-	<u>1/</u>	1,682	3,243	14,364
1953	3,116	2,950	-		2,945	3,121	14,172
1954	3,192	3,805	-		3,460	3,537	15,678
OTHER CHEESE (HARD AND SOFT VARIETIES)							
1954	1,396	736	446	-	1,306	1,272	3,972

1/ Small quantities included with cheddar cheese.

TABLE 11 - CONCENTRATED MILK, SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION
Canada, April and January-April, 1950 to 1954

Year	Whole Milk Products		Milk By-Products		Total	
	April	Jan.-Apr.	April	Jan.-Apr.	April	Jan.-Apr.
(A) Production - '000 lb.						
1950	23,400	62,650	7,827	20,420	31,227	83,070
1951	28,289	72,428	7,185	18,338	35,474	90,766
1952	32,902	80,901	8,305	21,463	41,207	102,364
1953	29,459	74,047	9,944	27,620	39,403	101,667
1954	29,461	81,118	9,630	26,350	39,091	107,468
(B) Stocks First of Month - '000 lb. ^{1/}						
1950	15,839	15,484	3,301	4,534	19,140	20,018
1951	9,571	14,124	3,082	3,932	12,653	18,056
1952	24,164	29,853	8,665	9,448	32,829	39,301
1953	36,238	40,387	17,441	17,311	53,679	57,698
1954	27,682	29,704	10,597	11,243	38,279	40,947
(C) Imports - lb.						
1950	600	1,757	57,315	63,957	57,915	65,714
1951	3,982	5,054	518,463	4,486,660	522,445	4,491,714
1952	2,376	16,916	184,145	570,638	186,521	587,554
1953	5,157	11,212	128,725	335,760	133,882	346,972
1954	3,086	6,323	86,905	223,174	89,991	229,497
(D) Exports - '000 lb.						
1950	2,022	12,499	619	3,162	2,641	15,661
1951	1,788	5,027	25	167	1,813	5,194
1952	1,979	7,854	853	3,537	2,832	11,391
1953	1,772	7,788	850	4,118	2,622	11,906
1954	1,273	5,966	1,004	4,660	2,277	10,626
(E) Domestic Disappearance - '000 lb.						
1950	21,734	79,268	6,032	20,200	27,766	99,468
1951	22,198	81,950	6,067	24,468	28,265	106,418
1952	25,237	93,024	6,853	24,239	32,090	117,263
1953	23,544	93,916	9,352	30,489	32,896	124,405
1954	26,169	97,220	8,067	29,537	34,236	126,757

^{1/} Stocks shown under the captions "Jan.-Apr." represent holdings as at May 1, 1950 to 1954.



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TABLE 12 - CONDENSED, EVAPORATED AND POWDERED PRODUCTS - SUPPLY AND DISPOSITION

Canada, April and January-April, 1950 to 1954

Section A	April	Jan.-Apr.	April	Jan.-Apr.	April	Jan.-Apr.
	Condensed Whole Milk		Condensed Skimmilk		Casein	
Production - '000 lb.						
1950	1,888	5,195	374	900	305	693
1951	2,024	4,471	524	1,387	407	791
1952	1,285	4,595	476	1,271	195	563
1953	2,112	6,066	282	1,124	332	613
1954	1,564	4,457	272	1,039	360	819
Section B	Evaporated Whole Milk	Whole Milk Powder		Skimmilk Powder		
	(A) Production - '000 lb.					
1950	19,755	51,030	1,146	4,480	5,182	12,759
1951	23,506	61,745	1,525	3,416	3,699	9,478
1952	29,246	71,228	1,439	2,915	5,635	13,379
1953	24,784	60,061	1,429	4,577	7,041	19,473
1954	25,274	68,148	1,251	4,635	7,068	18,525
(B) Stocks First of Month - '000 lb. ^{1/}						
1950	13,959	13,686	875	698	2,567	3,592
1951	7,701	11,163	1,168	1,704	1,809	2,361
1952	21,450	26,991	1,516	1,589	5,681	6,004
1953	32,570	35,216	2,036	2,469	12,563	12,079
1954	24,763	26,721	1,657	1,412	6,753	7,668
(C) Exports - '000 lb.						
1950	1,097	7,722	837	3,831	619	3,040
1951	762	1,972	596	1,939	25	159
1952	822	2,435	1,001	3,627	803	3,265
1953	645	4,060	511	2,557	750	2,523
1954	452	2,033	720	3,369	709	3,402
(D) Domestic Disappearance - '000 lb.						
1950	18,931	71,389	487	1,478	3,538	11,653
1951	19,554	74,487	384	1,786	3,536	13,751
1952	22,883	85,699	367	2,025	4,527	12,814
1953	21,493	85,446	487	1,858	6,828	21,616
1954	22,864	87,644	776	1,850	5,444	18,157

^{1/} Stocks shown under the captions "Jan.-Apr." represent holdings as at May 1, 1950 to 1954.