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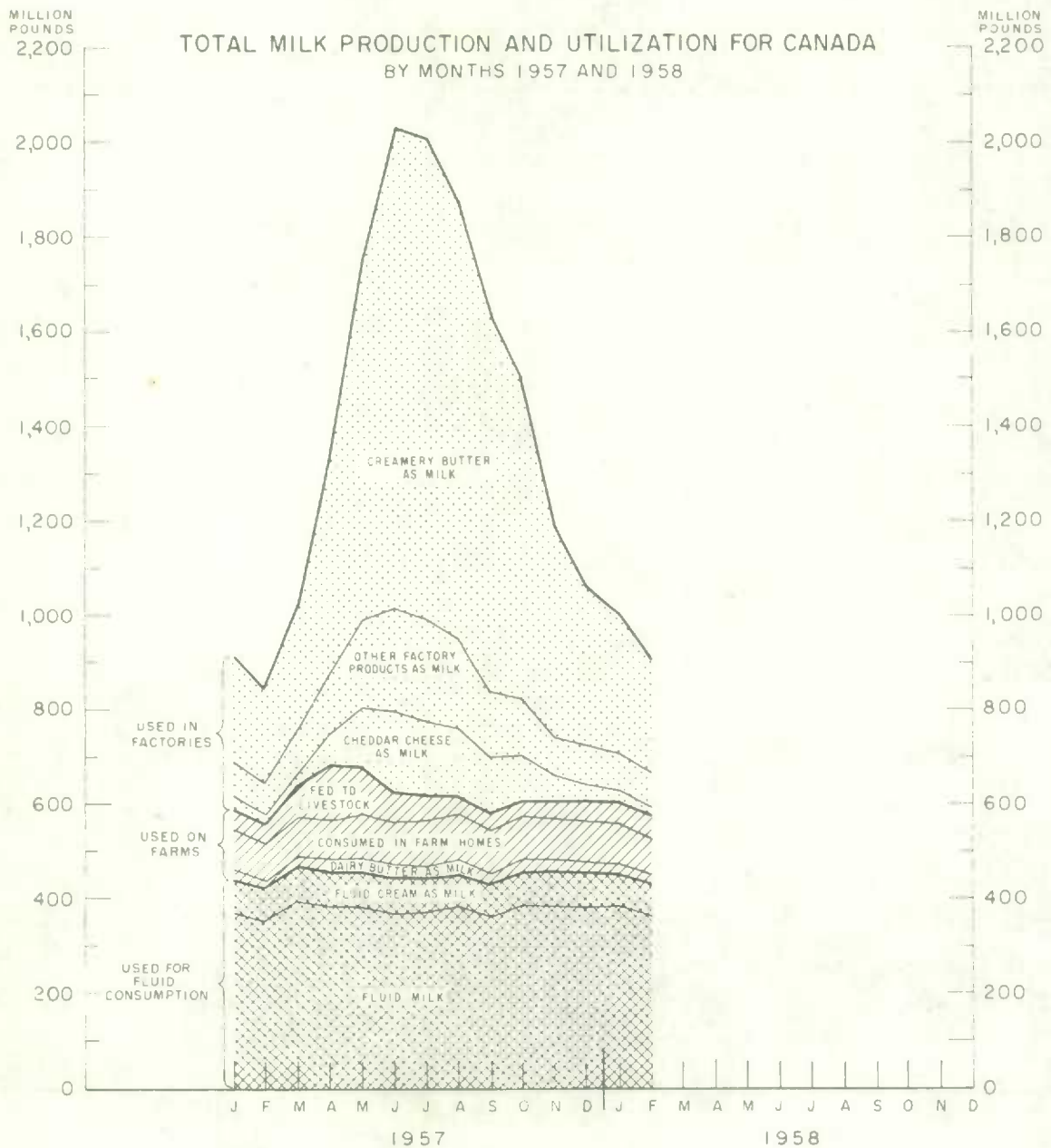


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THE DAIRY SITUATION, MARCH, 1958.

Total milk production in Canada for the month of March is tentatively estimated at approximately 1,159,000,000 pounds, an increase of about 13 per cent over the same month last year. This record milk production for March is sufficient to bring the January to March cumulative total to 3,069,000,000 pounds, over 10 per cent more than the cumulative total at March 31, 1957.

Milk utilized in March for factory products in Canada at 492,645,000 pounds was 28.1 per cent greater than the same month in 1957. This increase was the greatest over the last few years of any month over the corresponding month a year earlier. Factory utilization increased over last year for every product and except for ice cream increases were more pronounced in March than in earlier months. For the first time in 1958, more milk went into cheddar cheese production than during the same month last year. Milk used in creamery butter production continues to be paramount, both in volume and in per cent increase, over the same month last year. The table below gives more detailed information about milk utilization for March and January to March.

Milk Equivalents of Dairy Factory Production

Product	March			January-March		
	1957	1958	Percentage Change	1957	1958	Percentage Change
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%
Creamery Butter	261,215	346,250	(+) 32.6	678,860	880,940	(+) 29.8
Cheddar Cheese	30,492	36,894	(+) 21.0	77,649	81,048	(+) 4.4
Concentrated Milk Products	54,758	69,602	(+) 27.1	137,197	159,178	(+) 16.0
Ice Cream	38,029	39,899	(+) 4.9	96,271	101,133	(+) 5.1
TOTAL	384,494	492,645	(+) 28.1	989,977	1,222,299	(+) 23.5

Fluid sales in February exceeded February 1957 by 2.3 per cent and for the purpose of a tentative estimate fluid sales in March are assumed to have exceeded last March by about the same amount.

The Dairy Correspondent's survey reported 2.3 per cent more milk consumed on farms and 20 per cent more whole milk fed to livestock in March 1958 than March 1957. At the end of the first three months of 1958, indications were that 14 per cent more whole milk had been fed to livestock than in the same period last year and 1.6 per cent more milk had been consumed in farm homes. Dairy butter production in January and February was only slightly less than for these same two months in 1957.

The monthly survey indicated that, whereas total cow numbers were down about 1 per cent from last March, 3 per cent more cows were milked, and production per cow milked was 2.8 per cent greater than March 1957. Prices in March held steady and combined with the more favourable weather conditions, probably contributed to the increase in milk production.

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

Canada, by Provinces*, January, February and March, 1957 and 1958
N.B. These data are obtained from a sample survey of dairy farms.

Province	Year	Percentage of Cows Milked			Percentage of Cows Freshening		
		January	February	March	January	February	March
CANADA	1957	54.3	51.3	53.3	6.0	7.1	11.1
	1958	56.5	52.4	55.0	6.1	6.9	11.6
P.E.I.	1957	63.4	51.0	45.7	4.7	5.3	9.3
	1958	64.7	50.2	43.3	2.9	4.1	9.1
N.S.	1957	69.0	67.6	65.7	6.2	7.3	8.0
	1958	69.8	68.0	67.7	7.6	7.3	8.7
N.B.	1957	58.0	53.7	50.5	5.3	6.7	11.3
	1958	59.9	52.6	50.6	5.0	6.9	12.1
Que.	1957	42.5	34.9	38.2	3.4	4.4	13.8
	1958	45.2	35.4	41.5	3.5	4.6	15.2
Ont.	1957	56.7	55.8	59.2	7.2	8.1	10.6
	1958	59.0	57.0	60.1	7.0	7.2	11.1
Man.	1957	53.1	55.6	58.3	7.1	8.1	9.6
	1958	55.1	55.6	59.7	8.0	8.9	10.6
Sask.	1957	52.1	52.7	54.4	7.9	10.1	11.0
	1958	55.9	55.9	57.7	8.3	9.8	10.4
Alta.	1957	55.9	54.5	56.8	7.4	8.4	10.2
	1958	58.7	57.3	58.6	7.3	8.1	9.7
B.C.	1957	70.0	70.8	72.1	7.4	8.2	7.8
	1958	71.6	72.1	75.1	7.6	7.9	7.8

DAILY PRODUCTION OF MILK PER COW

Province	Year	All Cows			Cows Milked		
		lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
CANADA	1957	11.9	12.2	13.4	21.9	23.7	25.2
	1958	13.0	12.9	14.3	23.1	24.7	25.9
P.E.I.	1957	11.1	9.8	9.6	17.5	19.3	21.0
	1958	11.0	9.0	8.5	16.9	17.9	19.5
N.S.	1957	13.8	14.1	14.0	20.0	20.8	21.3
	1958	14.8	14.5	14.5	21.2	21.4	21.5
N.B.	1957	9.4	10.1	10.5	16.2	18.8	20.8
	1958	10.1	10.1	10.9	16.8	19.1	21.5
Que.	1957	7.8	7.4	8.8	18.3	21.0	23.0
	1958	8.6	7.7	9.8	19.1	21.8	23.7
Ont.	1957	14.3	14.8	16.3	25.3	26.6	27.5
	1958	15.7	15.8	17.5	26.6	27.7	29.1
Man.	1957	11.8	13.3	14.5	22.3	24.0	24.8
	1958	13.1	13.6	15.0	23.7	24.5	25.1
Sask.	1957	10.5	11.7	13.2	20.2	22.2	24.3
	1958	12.5	13.7	14.4	22.4	24.4	25.0
Alta.	1957	14.1	14.4	15.9	25.2	26.5	28.0
	1958	15.3	16.0	16.6	26.1	27.5	28.3
B.C.	1957	17.9	18.9	20.0	25.6	26.6	27.8
	1958	19.8	20.0	20.9	27.6	27.8	27.9

* 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 FEBRUARY, 1958

Farm Milk Production: The estimated quantity of milk produced on farms in February amounted to 907,168,000 pounds. This represents an increase of 65 million pounds or 7.8 per cent above that of February, 1957. Of this amount 330 million pounds or 36.4 per cent was utilized in factory production, while fluid sales absorbed approximately 431 million pounds or 47.6 per cent of the total milk supply. During January-February the estimated production was 1,910 million pounds, an increase of 156 million pounds more than that produced in the same period of the previous year. The quantity of milk utilized for factory production in January-February amounted to 730 million pounds while fluid sales accounted for 885 million pounds.

Fluid Sales: Sales of fluid milk and cream, the latter expressed as milk, amounted to 431,377,000 pounds in February, an increase of approximately 10 million pounds in comparison with February of the previous year. This included about 364 million pounds of fluid milk, comprising about 40.1 per cent of the farm milk supply, and fluid cream sales of 67 million pounds representing 7.45 per cent. During the two-month period, January-February, fluid sales totalled 884,778,000 pounds, an increase of 23 million pounds or approximately 2.7 per cent over those of the 1957 period.

Dairy Butter: The dairy butter make in February amounted to 809,000 pounds, decreasing 1 per cent from the corresponding month in 1957. For the two months, January-February, 1,686,000 pounds were produced, also a decline of 1 per cent from the same period last year.

Farm Cash Income: Cash income from the sale of dairy products in February amounted to \$26,910,000. This represented an increase of approximately 10.2 per cent or \$2,491,000 in comparison with the same month last year. The weighted average price of \$3.53 per hundred pounds of milk was 7 cents higher than in February, 1957. Fluid milk at \$4.64 per hundred was 16 cents higher than February, 1957. Creamery butter-fat increased from 60.2 cents to 64.5 cents per pound, and dairy butter at 61 cents was 4 cents higher than in February, 1957. Milk used in manufacture increased from \$2.34 per hundred in February, 1957, to \$2.96 per hundred in February, 1958. Cheese milk declined to \$2.66 per hundred, a decrease of 2 cents per hundred in comparison with the same month a year earlier.

TABLE 2 - DAIRY BUTTER PRODUCTION

Canada, January, February and January to February, 1954 to 1958
and by Provinces*, 1956 to 1958

Province	Year	January		February		January - February	
		Quantity	% of Year Preceding	Quantity	% of Year Preceding	Quantity	% of Year Preceding
		'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	%
CANADA	1954	1,283		1,145		2,428	
	1955	1,056	82	1,011	88	2,067	85
	1956	1,000	95	968	96	1,968	95
	1957	881	88	819	85	1,700	86
	1958	877	100	809	99	1,686	99
P.E.I.	1956	20		11		31	
	1957	21	105	18	164	39	126
	1958	15	71	12	67	27	69
N.S.	1956	44		35		79	
	1957	48	109	41	117	89	113
	1958	43	90	38	93	81	91
N.B.	1956	69		65		134	
	1957	74	107	67	103	141	105
	1958	81	109	67	100	148	105
Que.	1956	127		122		249	
	1957	100	79	79	65	179	72
	1958	87	87	46	58	133	74
Ont.	1956	72		79		151	
	1957	59	82	51	65	110	73
	1958	65	110	66	129	131	119
Man.	1956	112		112		224	
	1957	100	89	102	91	202	90
	1958	120	120	118	116	238	118
Sask.	1956	314		318		632	
	1957	260	83	242	76	502	79
	1958	251	97	259	107	510	102
Alta.	1956	209		194		403	
	1957	189	90	189	97	378	94
	1958	192	102	180	95	372	98
B.C.	1956	33		32		65	
	1957	30	91	30	94	60	92
	1958	23	77	23	77	46	77

* Data for Newfoundland are not available.

PRODUCTION AND PRICES OF DAIRY PRODUCTS IN FEBRUARY, 1958

BUTTER

Production: Total butter production including creamery, dairy and whey butter amounted to 11 million pounds in February, 1958. This was 2 million pounds or approximately 21 per cent more than that produced in the same month of the previous year.

Stocks: Holdings of butter in store and transit on March 1 amounted to 46 3/4 million pounds, approximately 12 million pounds less than last year. On February 1, 1958, the stock holdings of 58 1/4 million pounds represented a decrease of 14 1/2 million pounds as compared with the previous year.

Supply: The quantity of butter represented by stocks on February 1, plus production and imports during February, amounted to 69 1/4 million pounds. This was a decrease of approximately 12 3/4 million pounds in comparison with February, 1957.

Domestic Disappearance: The domestic disappearance of butter in February, including creamery, dairy and whey butter, amounted to 22 1/2 million pounds, a decrease of 3/4 million pounds or 3 per cent. On a per capita basis the domestic disappearance amounted to 1.34 pounds as compared with 1.41 pounds a year ago.

Prices: Butter prices at Montreal, based on dealers' quotations for first grade solids, averaged 62 1/2 cents per pound in February as against 58 cents last year.

CHEDDAR CHEESE

Production: Cheddar cheese production amounted to approximately 1 3/4 million pounds, representing a decrease of about 1/4 million pounds as compared with that produced in the same month of the previous year.

Prices: The Montreal price of Ontario coloured cheese averaged 35 1/4 cents per pound in February. The comparative price in 1957 was 35 3/8 cents.

CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS

The total quantity of concentrated milk products manufactured in February was approximately 23 3/4 million pounds, an increase of 4 3/4 million pounds as compared with last year. Concentrated whole milk products increased 2 1/4 million pounds while milk by-products increased 2 1/2 million pounds. Evaporated milk, the most important of the whole milk products, showed an increase of 2 million pounds and the production of skim milk powder, the leading skim milk product, increased 2 1/2 million pounds.

ICE CREAM

The quantity of ice cream manufactured in February was approximately 1 3/4 million gallons or 29 thousand gallons less than that produced a year ago.

TABLE 3

Milk Production and Utilization, Canada, by Provinces, February, 1957 and 1958 ^{1/}

The milk equivalent of cottage cheese or any cheese other than cheddar does not appear as a component of total milk production until our annual "Dairy Statistics" is published. Where more than one provincial factory product total cannot be reported because less than three firms are involved, this information appears as part of the Canada total for factory products.

Prov.	Year	Total Milk Production	Factory Products	Dairy Butter	Farm-Home Consumed	Fed to Livestock	Fluid Sales
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1957	841,779	282,127	19,165	76,540	42,364	421,583
	1958	907,168	330,424	18,931	78,560	47,876	431,377
P.E.I.	1957	9,334	4,359	421	1,770	774	2,010
	1958	8,620	4,194	281	1,620	526	1,999
N.S.	1957	27,151	7,397	959	3,420	1,010	14,365
	1958	26,448	6,795	889	3,680	1,200	13,884
N.B.	1957	22,778	5,238	1,568	3,030	1,180	11,762
	1958	22,753	5,094	1,568	3,100	1,140	11,851
Que.	1957	205,897	48,310	1,849	18,900	7,600	129,238
	1958	216,487	54,496	1,076	19,500	9,090	132,325
Ont.	1957	306,209	114,839	1,193	16,500	15,400	158,277
	1958	331,783	133,913	1,545	17,500	17,800	161,025
Man.	1957	62,718	24,517	2,387	7,190	5,200	23,424
	1958	69,955	30,982	2,761	7,020	5,300	23,892
Sask.	1957	72,713	26,579	5,663	12,500	4,570	23,401
	1958	82,422	33,671	6,061	13,000	5,000	24,690
Alta.	1957	82,692	36,029	4,423	10,900	4,870	26,470
	1958	90,091	42,118	4,212	10,800	5,780	27,181
B.C.	1957	43,914	6,486	702	2,330	1,760	32,636
	1958	46,786	7,338	538	2,340	2,040	34,530

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

TABLE 4

Milk Production and Utilization - Cumulative Data, Canada, by Provinces,
January to February, 1957 and 1958 ^{1/}

The milk equivalent of cottage cheese or any cheese other than cheddar does not appear as a component of total milk production until our annual "Dairy Statistics" is published. Where more than one provincial factory product total cannot be reported because less than three firms are involved, this information appears as part of the Canada total for factory products.

Province	Year	Total Milk Production	Factory Products	Dairy Butter	Farm-Home Consumed	Fed to Livestock	Fluid Sales
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1957	1,753,861	605,483	39,780	163,510	83,161	861,927
	1958	1,910,312	729,654	39,453	165,440	90,987	884,778
P.E.I.	1957	20,789	10,547	912	3,760	1,453	4,117
	1958	19,352	10,071	632	3,570	976	4,103
N.S.	1957	58,113	17,292	2,082	7,350	2,140	29,249
	1958	57,204	16,446	1,895	7,640	2,440	28,783
N.B.	1957	47,918	12,125	3,300	6,440	2,128	23,925
	1958	48,798	12,118	3,463	6,550	2,121	24,546
Que.	1957	448,107	121,403	4,189	41,100	15,280	266,135
	1958	479,276	146,742	3,112	41,900	16,930	270,592
Ont.	1957	628,511	239,594	2,574	35,300	31,000	320,043
	1958	695,413	291,753	3,066	36,100	34,400	330,094
Man.	1957	124,662	46,690	4,727	15,360	9,680	48,205
	1958	141,697	62,139	5,569	14,570	10,450	48,969
Sask.	1957	146,257	51,624	11,747	26,200	8,410	48,276
	1958	166,275	67,018	11,935	27,400	9,310	50,612
Alta.	1957	172,755	77,136	8,845	22,900	9,550	54,324
	1958	188,343	90,792	8,705	22,800	10,400	55,546
B.C.	1957	106,749	29,072	1,404	5,100	3,520	67,653
	1958	113,954	32,575	1,076	4,910	3,960	71,433

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

TABLE 5

Milk Equivalents of Factory Products and Fluid Sales, Canada, by Provinces,
February, 1957 and 1958 ^{1/}

Province	Year	Used in Manufacture				Fluid Sales	
		Creamery Butter	Cheddar Cheese	Concentrated Milk	Ice Cream	Milk	Cream ^{2/}
		'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
CANADA	1957	193,799	21,120	38,087	29,121	355,671	65,912
	1958	238,259	18,568	44,969	28,628	363,811	67,566
P.E.I.	1957	4,212	11	-	136	1,739	271
	1958	4,025	33	^{3/}	136	1,739	260
N.S.	1957	6,224	-	^{3/}	1,173	12,702	1,663
	1958	5,639	-	^{3/}	1,156	12,321	1,563
N.B.	1957	4,259	231	-	748	10,343	1,419
	1958	4,306	176	-	612	10,446	1,405
Que.	1957	25,646	6,677	8,830	7,157	109,488	19,750
	1958	35,311	3,069	9,146	6,970	112,773	19,552
Ont.	1957	71,066	12,298	20,884	10,591	134,977	23,300
	1958	86,627	13,035	24,000	10,251	136,327	24,698
Man.	1957	22,722	231	-	1,564	18,307	5,117
	1958	29,109	462	-	1,411	18,673	5,219
Sask.	1957	24,664	11	-	1,904	19,586	3,815
	1958	31,801	-	-	1,870	20,761	3,929
Alta.	1957	32,292	1,034	^{3/}	2,703	22,312	4,158
	1958	38,376	1,056	^{3/}	2,686	22,981	4,200
B.C.	1957	2,714	627	^{3/}	3,145	26,217	6,419
	1958	3,065	737	^{3/}	3,536	27,790	6,740

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

^{2/} Cream expressed as milk.

^{3/} Less than three firms manufacturing this product; data are included, however, in the Canada total at the top of this column.

TABLE 6

Percentage of Milk Supply Used in Factory Production, Canada, by Provinces, February, 1957 and 1958 ^{1/}

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	1957	23.02	2.51	7.98	33.51	50.08	2.28	14.13
	1958	26.26	2.05	8.11	36.42	47.55	2.09	13.94
P.E.I.	1957	45.12	0.12	1.46	46.70	21.53	4.51	27.26
	1958	46.69	0.39	1.58	48.66	23.19	3.26	24.89
N.S.	1957	22.92	-	4.32	27.24	52.91	3.53	16.32
	1958	21.32	-	4.37	25.69	52.50	3.36	18.45
N.B.	1957	18.70	1.02	3.28	23.00	51.64	6.88	18.48
	1958	18.93	0.77	2.69	22.39	52.09	6.89	18.63
Que.	1957	12.46	3.24	7.76	23.46	62.77	0.90	12.87
	1958	16.31	1.42	7.44	25.17	61.12	0.50	13.21
Ont.	1957	23.21	4.01	10.28	37.50	51.69	0.39	10.42
	1958	26.11	3.93	10.32	40.36	48.53	0.47	10.64
Man.	1957	36.23	0.37	2.49	39.09	37.35	3.80	19.76
	1958	41.61	0.66	2.02	44.29	34.15	3.95	17.61
Sask.	1957	33.92	0.02	2.62	36.56	32.18	7.79	23.47
	1958	38.58	-	2.27	40.85	29.96	7.35	21.84
Alta.	1957	39.05	1.25	3.27	43.57	32.01	5.35	19.07
	1958	42.60	1.17	2.98	46.75	30.17	4.68	18.40
B.C.	1957	6.18	1.43	7.16	14.77	74.32	1.60	9.31
	1958	6.55	1.58	7.56	15.69	73.80	1.15	9.36

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

TABLE 7

Farm Cash Income from Dairy Products Sold by Farmers, Canada, by Provinces,
February, 1957 and 1958 1/

All data are based on prices at the farm

Province	Year	All Products	Creamery Butter-fat	Cheese Milk	Milk for Ice Cream and Concentration	Fluid Cream	Fluid Milk	Dairy Butter
		\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
CANADA	1957	24,419	4,090	566	1,907	1,881	15,946	29
	1958	26,910	5,385	494	2,182	1,936	16,880	33
P.E.I.	1957	172	91	<u>2/</u>	4	9	67	1
	1958	179	92	<u>1</u>	8	8	70	<u>2/</u>
N.S.	1957	815	135	-	47	51	578	4
	1958	823	129	-	55	48	586	5
N.B.	1957	662	89	6	25	48	484	10
	1958	675	97	4	20	47	494	13
Que.	1957	6,431	562	183	451	569	4,664	2
	1958	7,016	835	91	460	532	5,097	1
Ont.	1957	9,213	1,487	325	802	536	6,060	3
	1958	10,110	1,925	339	921	595	6,326	4
Man.	1957	1,368	459	6	32	103	766	2
	1958	1,634	638	12	32	117	833	2
Sask.	1957	1,532	512	<u>2/</u>	50	99	868	3
	1958	1,797	717	<u>1</u>	45	94	936	5
Alta.	1957	1,952	700	26	118	97	1,009	2
	1958	2,244	885	27	153	120	1,057	2
B.C.	1957	2,274	55	20	378	369	1,450	2
	1958	2,432	67	20	488	375	1,481	1

1/ Data for Newfoundland are not available.

2/ Less than 500 dollars.

TABLE 8

Average Prices at the Farm for Milk, Butter-fat and Butter
Canada, by Provinces, February 1957 and 1958 ^{1/}

Province	Year	All Products	Creamery Butter-fat	Cheese Milk	Milk for Ice Cream and Concentration	Fluid Milk	Dairy Butter
		per cwt. \$	per lb. ¢	per cwt. \$	per cwt. \$	per cwt. \$	per lb. ¢
CANADA	1957	3.46	60.2	2.68	2.84	4.48	57
	1958	3.53	64.5	2.66	2.96	4.54	61
P.E.I.	1957	2.69	61.0	2.29	3.18	3.86	62
	1958	2.82	65.0	2.47	3.05	4.03	61
N.S.	1957	3.63	62.0	-	2.82	4.55	59
	1958	3.80	65.5	-	2.82	4.76	59
N.B.	1957	3.81	59.4	2.52	3.38	4.68	61
	1958	3.88	64.4	2.44	3.31	4.73	63
Que.	1957	3.62	62.5	2.74	2.82	4.26	58
	1958	3.75	67.5	2.97	2.85	4.52	61
Ont.	1957	3.37	59.7	2.64	2.55	4.49	60
	1958	3.43	63.4	2.60	2.69	4.64	63
Man.	1957	2.85	57.7	2.73	2.02	4.18	55
	1958	2.97	62.5	2.65	2.24	4.46	59
Sask.	1957	3.06	59.3	2.35	2.61	4.43	56
	1958	3.07	64.4	-	2.38	4.51	58
Alta.	1957	3.02	61.8	2.51	2.50	4.52	57
	1958	3.12	65.8	2.58	2.88	4.60	57
B.C.	1957	5.05	58.2	3.20	4.20	5.53	59
	1958	4.85	60.8	2.78	4.14	5.33	58

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

TABLE 9

Butter, Supply and Disposition, Canada, February and January to February, 1954 to 1958

Butter includes the total of creamery butter, dairy butter and whey butter

Year	Stocks Beginning '000 lb.	Production '000 lb.	Imports '000 lb.	Exports '000 lb.	Stocks End '000 lb.	Domestic Disappearance	
						Total '000 lb.	Per Capita lb.
February							
1954	61,255	11,291	-	12	50,730	21,804	1.43
1955	80,455	10,782	-	18	69,044	22,175	1.42
1956	88,493	11,523	-	19	75,132	24,865	1.55
1957	72,819	9,151	-	1/	58,697	23,273	1.41
1958	58,279	11,036	-	-	46,745	22,570	1.34
January - February							
1954	71,312	23,676	-	27	50,730	44,231	2.90
1955	91,151	23,120	-	45	69,044	45,182	2.89
1956	100,804	24,308	-	2,014	75,132	47,966	2.99
1957	88,322	19,647	-	3	58,697	49,269	2.98
1958	70,037	24,639	-	-	46,745	47,931	2.84

1/ Less than 500 lb.

TABLE 10

Cheese, Supply and Disposition, Canada, February, 1954 to 1958

Year	Stocks Beginning '000 lb.	Production '000 lb.	Imports '000 lb.	Exports '000 lb.	Stocks End '000 lb.	Domestic Disappearance	
						February '000 lb.	Jan.-Feb. '000 lb.
Cheddar Cheese							
1954	29,044	1,875	-	47	25,982	4,890	10,866
1955	40,149	1,700	-	151	36,786	4,912	10,839
1956	36,238	1,755	112	488	31,420	6,197	8,815
1957	35,709	1,920	-	322	32,238	5,069	10,704
1958	49,211	1,688	2	19	44,622	6,260	11,330
Process Cheese							
1954	3,104	3,749	-	1/	2,894	3,959	7,490
1955	3,323	3,735	-	1/	3,116	3,938	7,103
1956	3,173	4,552	-	18	3,002	4,705	8,534
1957	3,490	3,726	-	11	3,270	3,935	7,291
1958	3,181	4,717	-	62	3,364	4,472	7,703
Other Cheese (hard and soft varieties)							
1957	1,699	760	573	3	1,860	1,169	3,052
1958	1,798	779	658	3	1,541	1,691	3,221

1/ Small quantities included with cheddar cheese.

TABLE 11

Concentrated Milk, Supply and Disposition, Canada, February and January to February
1954 to 1958

Year	Whole Milk Products		Milk By-Products		Total	
	February	Jan.-Feb.	February	Jan.-Feb.	February	Jan.-Feb.
Stocks First of Month — '000 lb. <u>1/</u>						
1954	40,901	32,794	16,841	13,420	57,742	46,214
1955	38,342	30,868	13,043	8,988	51,385	39,856
1956	45,827	34,941	16,489	15,289	62,316	50,230
1957	28,961	21,809	9,700	6,954	38,661	28,763
1958	43,135	31,819	52,893	45,702	96,028	77,521
Production — '000 lb.						
1954	15,058	28,697	4,432	9,848	19,490	38,545
1955	17,495	32,619	3,904	9,371	21,399	41,990
1956	17,955	36,448	4,614	10,343	22,569	46,791
1957	15,307	33,022	3,645	7,785	18,952	40,807
1958	17,482	34,766	6,239	14,579	23,721	49,345
Imports — '000 lb.						
1954	2	3	71	80	73	83
1955	2	4	32	68	34	72
1956	31	34	2,050	2,996	2,081	3,030
1957	2	30	1,699	3,408	1,701	3,438
1958	47	72	4	157	51	229
Exports — '000 lb.						
1954	1,756	3,016	1,262	1,992	3,018	5,008
1955	1,141	2,619	1,123	1,750	2,264	4,369
1956	1,988	2,986	407	814	2,395	3,800
1957	632	1,812	141	429	773	2,241
1958	1,141	3,614	1,688	1,815	2,829	5,429
Domestic Disappearance — '000 lb.						
1954	21,411	44,763	6,662	13,425	28,073	58,188
1955	23,830	50,860	6,868	14,704	30,698	65,564
1956	26,884	54,046	7,457	15,501	34,341	69,547
1957	21,829	52,564	7,949	16,889	29,778	69,453
1958	27,704	55,322	11,746	21,573	39,450	76,895

1/ Stocks shown under the captions "Jan.-Feb." represent holdings as at March 1, 1954 to 1958.



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TABLE 12

Condensed, Evaporated and Powdered Products, Supply and Disposition
Canada, February, 1954 to 1958

Year	Stocks Beginning '000 lb.	Production '000 lb.	Imports '000 lb.	Exports '000 lb.	Stocks End '000 lb.	Domestic Disappearance	
						February '000 lb.	Jan.-Feb. '000 lb.
Evaporated Whole Milk							
1954	38,321	12,811	-	650	30,267	20,215	40,835
1955	33,844	14,317	-	399	26,877	20,885	45,301
1956	40,452	14,372	-	450	30,534	23,840	45,897
1957	24,864	12,170	-	276	18,301	18,457	45,478
1958	36,893	14,207	-	178	26,775	24,147	48,523
Condensed Whole Milk							
1954	1,214	743	2	21	1,157	781	1,585
1955	1,212	1,048	2	22	1,200	1,039	1,861
1956	1,052	1,446	2	5	1,211	1,284	2,364
1957	672	1,276	-	1	652	1,295	2,504
1958	861	1,013	9	-	614	1,269	2,406
Whole Milk Powder							
1954	1,355	769	<u>1/</u>	1,085	1,361	<u>2/</u>	914
1955	1,245	885	-	719	1,121	290	384
1956	2,691	789	29	1,533	1,968	8	447
1957	1,351	583	2	355	1,324	257	409
1958	2,798	837	38	963	2,260	450	187
Skim Milk Powder							
1954	10,109	3,061	-	1,028	8,117	4,025	8,130
1955	9,434	2,495	2	736	6,276	4,919	10,773
1956	12,832	2,938	2,021	192	12,170	5,429	10,555
1957	6,097	2,564	1,670	68	4,391	5,872	12,254
1958	48,066	4,974	1	1,584	41,981	9,476	16,314
Evaporated Skim Milk							
1954	1,553	599	-	-	1,078	1,074	2,348
1955	15	633	-	-	19	629	1,308
1956	30	640	-	-	18	652	1,360
1957	15	410	-	-	22	403	837
1958	9	629	-	-	9	629	1,140

1/ Less than 500 lb.

2/ Since stocks and exports exceed the total supply, disappearance data are not shown for the month indicated.

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