

I.	CREAMERY	BUTTER,	CHEDDAR	CHEESE	AND	ICE	CREAM	PRODUC	TION IN	CANADA	BY	PROVINCES,	
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CREAMERY BUTTER										
Province		March		Janu	ary to March					
	1944	1945	% Change	1944	1945	% Change				
	1b.	lb.		lb.	lb.	K				
CANADA	14,144,204	14,524,825	(+) 2.7	35,970,191	36, 549, 807	(+) 1.6				
Prince Edward Is.	109,126	148,409	(+) 36.0	348,990	516,654	(+) 48.0				
Nova Scotia	397,732	431,058	(+) 8.4	1,139,050	1,267,124	(+) 11.2				
New Brunswick	241,955	279,251	(+) 15.4	593,982	731,770	(+) 23.2				
Quebec	1,002,834	1,579,925	(+) 57.5	2,460,550	3,656,088	(+) 48.6				
Ontario	4,481,109	4,962,877	(+) 10.8	11,460,661	12,662,451	(+) 10.5				
Manitoba	2,076,192	1,759,233	(-) 15.3	5,171,252	4,278,160	(-) 17.3				
Saskatchewan	3,149,655	2,756,241	() 12.5	7,914,951	6,862,659	(-) 13.3				
Alberta	2,306,097	2,106,472	(-) 8.7	5,815,022	5,383,220	(-) 7.4				
British Columbia	379,504	501,359	(+) 32.1	1,065,733	1,191,681	(+) 11.8				

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	1.944	1945	% Change	1944	1945	% Change		
	lb,	16.	%	lb.	lb.	%		
CANADA	3,170,667	3,532,325	(+) 11.4	7,652,181	8,021,356	(+) 4.8		
Prince Edward Is. New Brunswick Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia	6,920 16,629 531,852 1,990,893 290,009 	5,200 6,800 527,227 2,351,828 263,587 1,702 312,436 63,545	(-) 21.9 (-) 59.1 (-) 0.9 (+) 13.1 (-) 9.1 - (+) 18.1 (-) 9.0	22,467 35,533 1,733,807 4,444,664 603,932 615,675 196,103	16,239 31,797 1,322,448 5,136,156 525,860 3,502 810,435 174,919	(-) 27.7 (-) 10.5 (-) 23.7 (+) 15.6 (-) 12.9 - (+) 31.6 (-) 10.8		

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Province		March	ana ana ang sa ang nang na ang sa	Janu	ary to March	
TTOVINGO	1944	1945	1945 % Change		1945	% Change
	Gal.	Gal.	%	Gal.	Gal.	%
CANADA	955,842	899,376	(-) 5.9	2,576,527	2,526,843	(-) 1.9
Prince Edward Is Nova Scotia New Brunswick Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia	4,935 80,825 24,316 158,197 401,180 68,268 45,334 68,205 104,582	4,226 80,682 28,166 176,688 354,314 67,510 40,400 55,588 91,802	(-) 14.4 (-) 0.2 (+) 15.8 (+) 11.7 (-) 11.7 (-) 1.1 (-) 10.9 (-) 18.5 (-) 12.2	14,178 187,389 66,369 415,671 1,129,383 184,066 127,311 187,237 274,913	12,494 217,984 81,546 435,112 1,073,690 170,112 113,200 165,560 257,145	(-) 11.9 (+) 16.3 (+) 22.9 (+) 4.7 (-) 4.9 (-) 7.6 (-) 11.1 (-) 11.6 (-) 6.5

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF DAIRY PRODUCTION IN CANADA (March, 1945)

CREAMERY BUTTER PRODUCTION in March increased nearly 3 per cent as compared with the output for the preceding year. During the three months January to March 36.5 million pounds were produced of which 14.5 million pounds were made in March. All but the Prairie Provinces shared in this increase.

DAIRY BUTTER PRODUCTION in February, based on returns from representative groups of Dairy Correspondents decreased nearly 5 per cent as compared with that produced in the same month of the preceding year but increased 6 per cent in comparison with January output. Total make in the month of February amounted to 4,461,000.

WHEY BUTTER PRODUCTION in March amounted to 55,007 pounds, a decrease of 1.8 per cent as compared with March 1944. Of this total 44 thousand pounds were produced in Ontario, the remainder in Quebec, Manitoba and British Columbia.

CHEDDAR CHEESE PRODUCTION increased approximately 11.4 per cent in March as compared with March 1944. The monthly make was approximately 3.5 million pounds, and the total for the three months January to March amounted to 8 million pounds. The increase in the March make occurred in Ontario and Alberta only.

ICE CREAM PRODUCTION in March amounted to approximately 899 thousand gallons, a decrease of approximately 6 per cent as compared with the March output of 1944. For the three months, January to March, 2.5 million gallons were produced.

<u>CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS</u> manufactured during March registered an increase of approximately 12.5 per cent as compared with the same month last year. The total production of 20.3 million pounds included 17 million pounds of Concentrated Whole Milk Products and 3.2 million pounds of Concentrated Milk By-Products. <u>EVAPORATED MILK</u>, included in the former group, increased approximately 11.5 per cent as compared with the same month last year. <u>SKIM MILK POWDER</u>, the most important milk by-product, increased approximately 51.7 per cent.

<u>CREAMERY BUTTER PRICES</u> at Montreal, based on daily quotations of the Canadian Commodity Exchange for the first grade product, averaged $35\frac{1}{4}$ cents a pound in March, 1944; the same as that of a year ago. Cheese was also unchanged, being 21 cents both last year and this year. Export cheese prices set by the government as from May 1, 1943 at 20 cents a pound for the first grade product, f.o.b. factory or grading station shipping point are still in effect.

The combined output of factory products during the month of March amounted to approximately 440 million pounds of milk, an increase of approximately 15 million pounds as compared with the combined make in terms of milk for the same month a year ago. Of the total milk used in manufacture, creamery butter represented 77.3 per cent, cheddar cheese 9.0 per cent, concentrated whole milk products 10.5 per cent and ice cream 3.2 per cent.

The domestic disappearance of creamery butter fell to 20 million pounds in February, representing a decrease of 6.8 per cent from January and 15.7 per cent in comparison with February 1944. The domestic disappearance of total butter, creamery, dairy and whey, amounted to 24.6 million pounds in February, representing on a per capita basis 2.05 pounds as compared with 2.38 pounds last year.

Product		MARCH		JAN	UARY - MARCI	H
riouuct	1944	1945	% Change	1944	1.945	% Change
	lb.	lb.	%	lb.	lb.	ħ
TOTAL ALL PRODUCTS	18,058,171	20,310,698	(+) 12.5	41,693,654	47,542,678	(+) 14.0
WHOLE MILK PRODUCTS	15,482,544	17,044,463	(+) 10.1	35,229,559	39,411,317	(+) 11.9
Condensed Milk Case Bulk	1,986,613 1,236, 57 0 750,043	1,510,698	(+) 22.2	5,380,569 3,511,444 1,869,125	3,878,937	(+) 10.5
Evaporated Milk Case Bulk	11,978,567 11,820,708 157,859	13,007,132		26,319,488 25,989,384 430,104	29,233,482	(+) 12.5
Whole Milk Powder Spray Roller	1,517,364 1,112,763 404,601	1,137,811	(+) 2.3	3,429,502 2,414,747 1,014,755	2,624,181	(+) 8.7
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MILK BY-PRODUCTS	2,415,910	3,210,962	(+) 32.9	6,160,417	7,993,138	(+) 29.9
Condensed Skim Milk	292,755	322,644	(+) 10.2	661,391	822,380	(+) 24.3
Evaporated Skim Milk	141,404	125,910	(-) 11.0	367,890	459,096	(+) 24.8
Skim Milk Powder Spray Roller Feed	1,513,657 761,767 669,250 82,640	986,099 1,095,100	(+) 29.4	3,811,640 1,792,310 1,821,029 198,301	2,228,402 2,650,109	(+) 24.3
Condensed Eutter- milk	149,726	72,544	(-) 51.5	482,568	439,490	(-) 8.9
Powdered Butter- milk	248,689	213,945	(-) 14.0	682,343	623,348	(-) 7.2
Milk Preparations (Baby Foods, etc.)	-	27,269	-	-	27,269	-
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Table II - PRODUCTION OF CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS IN CANADA MARCH, AND JANUARY - MARCH, 1944 AND 1945.

NOTE: Malted Milk, Cream Powder and Sugar of Milk being produced by less than three firms, the separate items do not appear on this report. The production is included, however, in the totals shown at the top of the table.

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PRODUCT	Butter Fat	Milk	Per cent of Total	Butter Fat	Milk	Per cent of Total
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Creamery Butter	11,901	340,026	77.3	29,948	855,631	78.4
Cheddar Cheese	1,385	39,562	9.0	3,145	89,839	8.3
Concentrated Milk Products Condensed Whole Milk Evaporated Whole Milk Whole Milk Powder	1,607 177 1,032 398	45,928 5,049 29,496 11,383	10.5 1.2 6.7 2.6	3,702 469 2,336 897	105,763 13,388 66,736 25,639	9.7 1.2 6.1 2.4
Ice Cream TOTAL 1945 1944	<u>495</u> 15,388 14,865	<u>14,129</u> 439,645 424,667	<u>3.2</u> 100.0	1,380 38,185 37,315	<u>39,697</u> 1,090,930 1,066,134	3.6 100.0

Table III - BUTTER-FAT AND MILK EQUIVALENT OF FACTORY DAIRY PRODUCTION MARCH AND JANUARY - MARCH, 1945

Table IV - QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MILK POWDERS SOLD IN CANADA FEBRUARY, AND JANUARY TO FEBRUARY, 1944 AND 1945

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	Roller	975,053						
Casein 173,199 369,197 41,306 85,691 23.85 23.21	Feed	129,147	233,402	13,611	20,301	10.54	8.70	
	Casein	173,199	369,197	41,306	85,691	23.85	23.21	

Not sufficient reports to publish Rennet and Acid Casein separately. (x) Not sufficient reports to pub(1) Prices on a delivered basis.

REVIEW OF DAIRY PRODUCTION CONDITIONS IN CANADA (Based on the reports of Dairy Correspondents and Dairy Farm Observers).

Summary: Milk production and utilization statistics which appear on Table VII of this report show a production of 916,336,000 pounds of milk during the month of February, 1945, compared with 929,671,000 pounds in the same month of 1944. While these figures show a reduction from the previous year it should be remembered that there were twenty-nine days in the month of February, 1944. Thus, on the basis of a twenty-eight day month these would be an increase of 2.1 per cent, in place of a decrease of 1.4 per cent. In analysing these figures it may be found that a considerable variation exists in the use of milk in the different provinces as compared with 1944. This was particularly the case in Eastern Canada where much larger percentages of milk were diverted into creamery butter; and also in British Golumbia where concentrated milk products absorbed a substantially greater proportion of the total supply. For the whole of Canada, the situation remained virtually unchanged between 1944 and 1945, 34 per cent being used for manufacturing, $11\frac{1}{2}$ to 12 per cent for farm-made butter and cheese, and 54 to $54\frac{1}{2}$ per cent for milk otherwise used (including fluid sales, home consumed and milk fed to live stock). Dairy butter production fell approximately 5 per cent, but on the basis of a 28 day month would show a decline of only $l_2^{\frac{1}{2}}$ per cent compared with February, 1944.

Although complete figures are not available for the month of March it is apparent that the exceptionally nice weather that prevailed throughout the month had a most favourable effect on milk production The snow had completely disappeared before the 25th of the month; and with normal or above normal sunshine, and exceptionally high temperatures throughout the whole of Canada, the season would appear to be at least two weeks in advance of the previous year Just what effect this will have on farm milk production in future months cannot be determined as yet; although it suggests the possibilities of an early pasture growth and a consequent increase in milk supplies during the early spring period. Feed supplies are holding out well. There is a shortage of hay in many sections, particularly in the Eastern Provinces, while bran and concentrates are rather difficult to procure in sufficient quantities.

Cow numbers reported by dairy correspondents in February show very little change from last year. The increase was approximately 1 per cent as compared with that reported in the same month of 1944. More cows were due to freshen in the subsequent month (March), and this may partially offset the $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent decline in the percentage of cows being milked. The increase in freshenings was probably due in part to an earlier calving season.

The butter supply position has greatly improved. In the month of January the domestic disappearance of total butter (including creamery, dairy and whey butter) was reduced by more than 2 million pounds as compared with the same month last year; and in February there was a reduction of approximately 4 million pounds. This was due, of course, to the cut in the ration to six ounces per week, and to rigid control measures. Commencing with April 1 the ration has been advanced to seven ounces per week. In March supplies have been substantially augmented by the increase in production due to the diversion of larger quantities of surplus milk into the butter-making channel. During the month of April creameries may be expected to reap the benefits of increased milk supplies resulting from the earlier production season; and if these forecasts materialize there should be a sizeable volume of butter left in store when the production season commences in May.

Prince Edward Island: March was a very favourable month for dairy production. The weather was abnormally warm with slightly more than the usual amount of sunshine; there was more precipitation but little snow. Feeds are holding out well although there are some shortages of concentrates. The economic advantages of dairying continue to interest farmers, and reports for February showed that cow numbers were substantially greater than those of a year ago. With considerable young stock coming into maturity a smaller percentage of the cows are being milked at the present time. Hence, since there are more cows in calf and a substantial increase in holdings, the future psoition may be improved. Milk production increased 14 per cent in February as compared with the same month in 1944, although the per cow output was reduced. An interesting feature of the situation is revealed in the proportion of milk going into creamery butter, 41 per cent being used in February as compared with 32 per cent in the same month a year ago.

Nova Scotia: High temperatures prevailed in this province during March. There was slightly less sunshine, but at Kentville the average temperature was 30.5 degrees as against a normal 29 degrees. Observers advise that weather conditions had a favourable reaction on dairying. A shortage of hay is reported from some sections, particularly the southern counties, and protein feeds are difficult to procure in quantity; otherwise the feed situation is satisfactory. The holdings of cows increased 42 per cent in February as compared with the same month in 1944 and about the same proportion of these cows were used for milking purposes. Dairy cows are coming into lactation a little earlier, as ineicated by a substantial increase in March freshenings, and there is a moderate increase in the numbers of cows coming into milk at a later date. The farm milk supply advanced over 4 per cent and fluid sales were 5 per cent above those of February, 1944.

New Brunswick: The weather in March was ideal for this season of the year. In southern parts of the province (Fredericton) temperatures averaged 31 degrees as against 26 degrees in March, 1944. The total precipitation was above normal, but there was very little snow. Cows held on farms increased 5 per cent in February over the same month last year, and the percentage milking advanced over 2 per cent. Future freshenings were definitely on the decline, however, and there is no indication that the situation will be better later on. Milk production was scarcely equal to that of February, 1944, and with 18 per cent used for creamery butter as against 15 per cent last year, lesser quantities were available for other purposes.

Quebec: The spring season was exceptionally early in this province. The warm weather was welcomed by dairy farmers as many of them are running short of hay. Reports from dairy correspondents show smaller holdings of cows, due in part to heavy sales and to the increased proportion of heilfer stock just coming into maturity. A greater percentage of the cows on farms were milked, however, and about 3 per cent more calves were born than was the case in March, 1944. Cows have been selling at good prices, averaging about \$75 for grades. Milk production in February moved up nearly 2 per cent, although a reduction took place in the production of milk per cow. Sales of milk for fluid and manufacturing advanced about 13 per cent, and increased wuantities were used in farm homes. Milk production will probably be maintained at a slightly higher level, despite labour shortages in some districts.

Ontario: Warm, sunny days, with some rain but little snow, would seem to describe the weather situation throughout the province. The now disappeared, even in northern sections, before the 25th of the month. A few districts are short of hay, and concentrates are difficult to obtain. February cow numbers were up 1 per cent. Yet, a smaller percentage of cows were milked, and freshenings also declined. Farmers have been obtaining good prices for cows, the average for grades being about \$80 a head. With plenty of grain available, more attention was given to dairying. In February the milk production advanced nearly $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent as compared with the same month last year, and the output per cow advanced nearly 4 per cent. Less milk was consumed in farm homes, but sales increased $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Owing to increased holdings of dairy cows it is believed that milk production will be maintained above the 1944 level.

Manitoba: Mild weather was general throughout the province and farmers have been able to make early preparations for farm work. Feed supplies are holding out well, althoughthough those who have to depend on hay find that the quality is poor. Cow numbers reported in February fell 4 per cent as compared with the same month last year and there was a corresponding decline in the percentage milked. Fewer cows were in calf and freshenings were substantially reduced. Naturally enough, milk production declined, and the reduction of 11 per cent was reflected in a decline in all products. Sales of milk fell 23 per cent as compared with February, 1944.

Saskatchewan: With ample sunshine and above normal temperatures, conditions were exceptionally favourable for dairy production during the month of March. Feed supplies are ample, although some farmers depending on hay supplies are complaining of a shortage. Cow numbers are maintained at about the same level as last year, but reports indicate a substantial reduction in the percentage of cows actually milked. There was little change in freshenings and the numbers of cows in calf were 5 per cent below those of February, 1944. Regardless of the partial retreat from dairying, cows appear to be selling at high prices. Milk production in February declined 8 per cent. More milk was consumed in farm homes, while the sales of milk were very substantially reduced.

<u>Alberta:</u> Spring weather commenced early in March, and it now appears that the season is more than two weeks ahead of last year. A shortage of hay and alfalfa was reported in southern parts of the province, but elsewhere the feed situation is satisfactory. Cow buyers have been quite active in the province and high prices were paid. A reduction of 3 per cent in cow numbers was reported by dairy correspondents as compared with February, 1944. Cows coming into lactation in March were substantially reduced and it would now appear that fewer cows will be available for milk production this season. Consequently, milk production fell over 5 per cent and the production per cow declined 22 per cent. Less milk was used on farm homes and sales fell to a much lower level. Observers are of the opinion that the decline in milk production may be expected to continue.

British Columbia: Exceptionally nice weather was reported in the Fraser River Valley and in Interior areas during March. Grass is greening up and herds are being turned into open pastures during the day. The feed situation is unchanged, except that bran is probably more difficult to procure. Cow numbers showed an increase of about l_2^+ per cent in February; a greater percentage of the cows were milked, and a substantial increase was reported in the numbers coming into lactation later in the season. This situation was reflected in milk production which advanced 4 per cent, and approximately 15 per cent more milk was used in manufacture. On the whole the situation is quite favourable, and it is probable that milk production will be well maintained during the coming season.

Table V - PRODUCTION	OF MIL	k per cov	V AND	PERCENTAGES	OF COWS	MILKING,	REPORTED
BY DA	IRY COH	RESPONDE	NTS, F	FOR FEBRUARY,	, 1941 T	0 1945	

Province	Milk Production per cow in pounds per day					Percentage of Cows Milking						
	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	Av.	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	Av.
CANADA	11.7	12.0	10.4	13.3	12.5	12.0	52.8	55.9	56.5	57.6	55.7	55.8
Prince Edward Island	10.6	14.0	11.1	15.0	13.9	13.0	65.1	67.4	61.0	67.0	65.9	65.1
Nova Scotia	15.7	13.8	11.4	13.2	15.2	14.2	76.3	76.0	72.1	77.0	77.6	75.8
New Brunswick	12.6	13.9	14.6	16.8	17.3	15.4	67.6	68.9	70.6	76.9	78.7	72.5
Quebec	8.0	8.4	7.6	10.6	8.4	8.5	42.1	40.9	44.6	39.4	40.3	41.7
Ontario	13.4	14.1	12.3	13.2	13.7	13.6	58.8	61.5	60.5	58.9	56.7	59.6
Manitoba	13.7	11.1	11.1	12.5	12.4	12.4	54.3	60.7	62.1	66.4	63.5	60.2
Saskatchewan	11.0	10.6	9.1	14.9	12.6	11.1	50.6	53.1	55.5	65.5	58.5	54.9
Alberta	13.7	15.3	11.5	17.0	16.6	14.9	44.8	61.5	57.9	66.4	63.7	57.9
British Columbia	15.9	15.3	12.4	17.2	17.2	15.8	79.4	76.9	77.8	80.8	80.0	78.7

Province		DAIRY BUT	ITER		WHEY BUTTER			
TIOVINCE	1943	1944	1945	1943	1944	1945		
	000 lb.	000 lb.	000 lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.		
CANADA	4,610	4,693	4,461	25,875	36,348	36,432		
Prince Edward Island	31	33	31	-	-	-		
Nova Scotia	199	189	167		-	-		
New Brunswick	415	448	403	4-4-57	-	-		
Quebec	362	376	365	210	2,072	3,545		
Ontario	896	914	859	21,804	31,438	30,452		
Manitoba	403	415	394	2,419	1,141	1,195		
Saskatchewan	1,385	1,357	1,303		- 1			
Alberta	820	861	835	417	474	TITE SAL		
British Columbia	99	100	104	1,025	1,223	1,240		
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Table VI - PRODUCTION OF DAIRY BUTTER AND WHEY BUTTER IN CANADA BY PROVINCES, FEBRUARY 1943, 1944 AND 1945 - 10 -

Table VII - TOTAL MILK P	PRODUCTION IN CAMADA,	BY PROVINCES,	FEBRUARY	1943,1944, 1945.
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Province and	Year	Total Milk Production	Butter(1)	Cheese(2)	Concen- trated Products	Ice Cream	Otherwise Used (3)
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CANADA	1943 1944 1945	906,503 929,671 916,336	385,918 366,493 352,592	19,485 22,983 23,892	24,744 24,903 27,696	11,184 12,293 12,649	465,172 502,999 499,507
Prince Edward Island	1943 1944 1945	8,695 8,090 9,252	4,266 3,333 4,528	51 59 67		59 69 67	4,319 4,629 4,590
Nova Scotia	1943 1944 1945	29,844 29,160 30,375	14,435 12,839 13,060	28 28 27	70 59 392	829 823 1,131	14,482 15,411 15,765
New Brunswick	1943 1944 1945	26,454 26,901 26,655	14,945 14,504 14,340	71 60 102	-	400 319 381	11,038 12,018 11,832
Quebec	1943 1944 1945	156,050 161,287 163,994	27,938 20,169 24,960	1,836 4,558 3,038	3,800 3,983 3,719	1,633 1,904 1,751	120,843 130,673 130,526
Ontario	1943 1944 1945	315,079 317,118 324,515	114,271 103,130 106, 5 12	13,328 13,012 14,997	17,571 18,257 18,600	4,826 5,264 5,922	165,083 177,455 178,484
Manitoba	1943 1944 1945	82,655 83,683 74,095	49,669 48,163 40,156	1,930 2,101 1,864		781 918 726	30,275 32,501 31,349
Saskatchewan	1943 1944 1945	136,633 144,411 132,729	85,871 90,343 79,682	135 134 153	40.5 1011 1011	657 675 503	49,970 53,259 52,391
Alberta	1943 1944 1945	110,722 114,590 108,197	63,721 62,027 57,534	1,556 2,311 3,005	1,238 1,671 1,716	867 913 866	43,340 47,663 45,376
British Columbia	1943 1944 1945	40,371 44,431 46,224	10,802 11,985 11,820	550 720 639	2,065 933 3,269	1,132 1,403 1,302	25,822 29,390 29,194

(1) Representing Creamery Butter (Table 1) and Dairy Butter (Table VI) on a milk basis.

(2) Represents Cheddar Cheese (Table 1) together with Farm-made Cheese and Factory produced whole milk cheese other than Cheddar, neither of which are shown in this report.

(3) Includes Fluid Sales, Farm-home Consumed and milk fed to Live Stock, the production of which amounted to 318 million pounds, 123 million pounds, and 59 million pounds, respectively, for the whole of Canada in February, 1945. TABLE VIII - CONSUMPTION OF FLUID MILK, INCLUDING CREAN EXPRESSED AS MILK

(CANADA)						
Month	T	otal Consumpti	on	Daily Cor	sumption p	er Capita
	1942	1945	1944	1942	1943	1944
	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt :	pt	pt
January	292,055	321,063	345,672	0.81	0.38	0.93
February	289,036	309,749	337,000	0.39	0.94	0.97
March	316,161	331,959	355,374	0.88	0.91	0.96
April	325,673	332,200	347,764	. 0.93	0.94	0.97
May	333,740	349,741	364,838	0.92	0.98	0.98
June	329,777	348,970	365,216	0.94	0.99	1.02
July	321,916	356,407	366,078	0.89	0.97	0.99
August	320,144	353,837	358,112	0.89	0.97	0.96
September	325,516	355,482	361,689	0.93	1.00	1.01
October	355, 382	357,225	364,566	0.93	0.98	0.98
lovember	328,844	349,586	354,777	0.94	0.99	0,99
December	335,969	559,212	360,306	0.93	0.98	0.97
Total	3,854,213	4,125,431	4,281,392	0.91	0.96	0.98
Month	Commer	cial Distribu	tion	Daily Cor	sumption p	er Capita
January	206,046	223,442	248,236	0.73	0.78	0.85
February	195,814	215,548	240,980	0.77	0.83	0.88
larch	217,176	227,776	247,014	0.77	0.79	0.84
April	210,765	222,885	236,920	0.77	0.80	0.84
lay	216,499	235,542	248,932	0.76	0.82	0.85
June	213,925	236,630	252,376	0.78	0.85	0.89
July	216,828	242,126	249,559	0.77	0.84	0.85
August	210,807	237, 518	244,170	0.74	0.83	0.83
September	206,989	229,755	238,549	0.76	0.83	0.84
)ctober	218,382	240,381	248,603	0.77	0.84	0.85
lovember	215,160	235,512	242,715	0.78	0.85	0.86
)ecember	225,072	246,451	249,598	0.79	0.86	0.85
Total	2,553,463	2,793,566	2,947,652	0.77	0.82	0.85
Month	Farm-	Home Consumpt:	ion	Daily Con	sumption p	er Capita
anuary	36,009	97,622	97,436	1.14	1.25	1.25
February	93,222	94,201	96,020	1.32	1.34	1.32
larch	98,985	104,183	108,360	1.27	1.34	1.39
April	114,908	109,315	110,044	1.52	1.45	1.47
lay	117,241	114,199	115,906	1.50	1.47	1.49
lune	115,852	112,339	112,840	1.54	1.49	1.50
July	105,088	114,282	116,519	1.35	1.47	1.50
ugust	109,337	116,318	113,942	1,40	1,49	1.46
September	118,527	125,727	123,140	1.57	1.67	1.63
)ctober	117,000	116,844	115,963	1.50	1.50	1.49
lovember	113,684	114,074	112,062	1,51	1.51	1.49
December	110,897	112,761	110,708	1.42	1.45	1.42
Total	1,300,750	1,331,865	1,333,740	1.42	1.45	1.45
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Note: The per capita consumption of milk sold for commercial distribution (fluid sales less 3% for wastage), is calculated on the basis of the "non-producing" population, including all urban dwellers plus the occupants of farms where there are no cows. The per capita consumption of milk used in the homes of milk suppliers is based on the "milk-producing" population only, i.e. the occupants of farms where cows are kept.

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TABLE VIII - CONSUMPTION OF FLUID MILK, INCLUDING CHEAM EXPRESSED AS MILK

(PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND)

Month]]	otal Consumpt	ion	Daily	Consumption pe	r Capita
	1942	1943	1944	1942	1943	1944
	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt	pt	pt
January	2,284	2,567	2,679	0.77	0.85	0.95
February	2,347	2,797	2,988	0.37	1.03	1.13
larch	2,385	2,690	2,877	0.80	0.89	1.02
pril	2,637	2,731	2,836	0.91	0.94	1.04
lay	2,747	2,845	2,962	0.92	0.95	1.05
lune	2,885	3,226	3,281	1.00	1,11	1.20
July	2,451	2,744	3,017	0.82	0.91	1.07
lugust	2,792	3,127	3,210	0.94	1.04	1.14
september	2,314	3,216	3,347	1.01	1.11	1.23
ctober	2,829	888,3	2,897	0.95	0.96	1.03
lovember	2,794	2,895	2,909	0.97	0.99	1.07
ecember	2,791	3,037	5,030	0.94	1.01	1.07
Total	31,856	34,763	36,032	0.91	0.98	1.08
Month	Comn	ercial Distri	bution	Daily (Consumption per	r Capita
anuary	957	1,081	1,297	0.59	0.66	0.89
ebruary	972	1,147	1,388	0.67	0.77	1.01
larch	1,061	1,167	1,400	0.65	0.71	0.96
pril	1,036	1,211	1,332	0.69	0.76	0.94
ay	1,094	1,226	1,311	0.68	0.74	0.90
lune	1,045	1,202	1,298	0.67	0.75	0.92
uly	1,099	1,341	1,474	0.68	0.81	1.01
ugust	1,058	1,323	1,389	0.66	0.80	0.95
September	377	1,182	1,252	0.62	0.74	0.88
otober	956	1,128	1,173	0.59	0.69	0.80
lovember	1,084	1,257	1,288	0.69	0.79	0.91
ecember	1,058	1,217	1,229	0.65	0.74	0.84
Total.	12,447	14,482	15,831	0.65	0.74	0.92
Month	angendereter annettinger territer (e. 1911)	n-Home Consum			Consumption per	the first as group, the first
	1,327		1,382	0.98		
anuary ebruary	1,375	1,486 1,650	1,600	1.12	1.09	1.02
arch	1,324	1,523	1,476	0.97	1.12	1.09
pril	1,551	1,520	1,504	1.18	1.18	1.14
ay	1,653	1,619	1,651	1.22	1.10	1.22
une	1,840	2,024	1,983	1.40	1.54	1.51
uly	1,352	1,403	1,543	0.99	1.03	1.13
ugust	1,734	1,804	1.821	1.28	1.33	1.34
eptember	1,937	2,034	2,095	1.47	1.55	1.59
ctober	1,873	1,760	1,7.4	1.33	1.29	1.27
ovember	1,710	1,638	1,621	1.20	1	1.23
ecember	1,733	1,820	1,801	1.28	1.34	1.33
Total	19,409	20,281	20,201	1.21	1.27	1.26

including all urban dwellers plus the occupants of farms where there are no cows. The per capita consumption of milk used in the homes of milk suppliers is based on the "milk-producing" population only, i.e. the occupants of farms where cows are kept.

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Month	То	tal Consumpti	on	Daily Co	nsumption pe	er Capita
	1942	1943	1944	1942	1943	1944
	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt	pt	pt
January	8,663	9,663	10,132	0.48	0.52	0.53
ebruary	8,812	9,930	10,639	0.54	0.59	0.60
larch	9,790	11,078	11,512	0.54	0.60	0.61
pril	10,210	11,293	11,755	0.58	0.63	0.64
lay	10,248	11,195	11,543	0.56	0.61	0.61
lune	9,789	11,175	11,261	0.56	0.63	0.61
uly	10,932	12,016	12,374	0.60	0.65	0.65
ugust	10,105	11,531	11,775	0.56	0.62	0.62
September	9,935	10,820	10,687	0.56	0.61	0.58
lctober	10,511	11,132	11,209	0.58	0.60	0.59
ovember	10,102	10,554	10,810	0.57	0.59	0.59
)ecember	10,490	10,762	11,596	0.58	0.58	0.61
Total	119,587	131,149	135,293	0.56	0.60	0.60
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Month	Comme	rcial Distril	oution	Daily Co.	nsumption pe	er Capita
anuary	6,314	7,009	7,532	0.44	0.48	0.50
ebruary	6,131	6,927	7,547	0.47	0.52	0.53
larch	6,778	7,523	8.047	0.47	0.51	0.53
pril	7,127	7,840	8,307	0.51	0.55	0.57
iay	7,257	8,055	8,373	0.50	0.55	0.55
une	6,654	7,852	8,006	0.48	0.55	0.53
uly	7,930	8,564	8,647	0.55	0.59	0.57
ugust	7,110	8,176	8,254	0.50	0.56	0.55
September	6,856	7,679	7,830	0.49	0.54	0.53
ctober	7,367	0,105 ,	8,183	0.51	0.55	0.54
lovember	7,137	7,708	7,936	0.51	0.54	0.54
ecember	7,593	8,125	8,934	0.53	0.56	0.59
Total	84,254	93,563	97,596	0.50	0.54	0.55
Month	Farm	-Home Consump	otion	Daily Co	nsumption pe	r Capita
anuary	2,349	26,54	2,600	0.61	0.69	0.68
February	2,681	3,003	3,092	0.77	0.87	0.86
larch	3,012	3,555	3,465	0.79	0.93	0.90
pril	3,083	3,453	3,448	0.83	0.93	0.93
lay	2,991	3,140	3,170	0.78	0.82	0.83
une	3,135	3,323	3,255	0.85	0.90	0.88
uly	3,002	3,452	3,727	0.78	0.90	0.97
ugust	2,995	3,355	3,521	0.78	0.88	0.92
September	3,079	3,141	2,857	0.83	0.85	0.77
ctober	3,144	3,027	3,026	0.82	0.79	0.79
lovember	2,965	2,846	2,874	0.80	0.77	0.78
)ecember	2,897	2,637	2,662	0.76	0.69	0.69
Total	35,333	37,586	37,697	0.78	0.83	0.83
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(NEW BRUNSWICK)						
Month	I	otal Consumpt	ion	Daily Con	sumption p	er Capita
	1942	1943	1944	1942	1943	1944
STREET	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt	pt	pt
January	6,797	7,756	8,265	0.47	0.53	0.58
February	6,979	7,360	8,041	0.54	0.56	0.60
March	7,525	8,236	8,859	0.52	0.56	0.62
April	8,329	8,470	8,952	0.60	0.60	0.65
May	8,640	9,445	9,753	0.60	0.64	0.68
June	8,069	9,047	9,364	0.58	0.64	0.67
July	8,226	9,257	9,808	0.57	0.63	0.68
August	8,333	9,248	9,409	0.58	0.63	0.66
September	8,699	9,971	10,417	0.62	0.70	0.75
October	8,562	9,523	9,539	0.59	0.65	0.67
November	8,827	9,615	9,889	0.63	0.68	0.71
December	8,958	9,673	10,054	0.62	0.66	0.70
Total	97,944	107,601	112,850	0.58	0.62	0.66
Month	Com	mercial Distr	ibution	Daily Con	sumption p	er Capita
January	3,924	4,395	5,074	0.39	0.42	0.51
February	3,805	4,376	5,118	0.42	0.47	0.54
March	4,185	4,729	5,388	0.41	0.46	0.54
April	4,256	4,682	5,101	0.43	0.47	0.52
May	4,093	4,830	5,070	0.40	0.46	0.50
June	3,878	4,940	5,135	0.39	0.49	0.53
July	4,178	4,804	5,090	0.41	0.46	0.51
August	4,159	4,991	5,239	0.41	0.48	0.52
September	4,122	5,029	5,328	0.42	0.50	0.55
October	4,264	5,074	5,225	0.42	0.49	0.52
November	4,368	5,066	5,115	0.45	0.50	0.55
December	4,302	4,947	5,094	0.42	0.48	0.51
Total	49,534	57,863	61,977	0.41	0.47	0.52
Month	and a second	rm-Home Consu			sumption pe	
January	2,873	3,361	3,191	0.67	0.79	0.75
February	3,174	2,984	2,923	0.82	0.77	0.73
March	3,340	3,507	3,471	0.78	0.82	0.81
April	4,075	3,788	3,851	0.99	0.92	0.93
May	4,547	4,615	4,683	1.07	1.08	1.10
June	4,191	4,107	4,229	1.02	0.99	1.02
July	4,048	4,453	4,718	0.95	1.04	1.11
August	4,174	4,257	4,170	0.98	1.00	0.98
September	4,577	4,942	5,089	1,11	1.20	1.23
October	4,298	4,449	4,314	1.01	1.04	1.01
November	4,459	4,549	4,774	1.08	1.10	1.16
December	4,656	4,726	4,960	1.09	1.11	1.16
Total .	48,410	49,738	50,373	0.96	0.99	1.00
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Month	Te	otal Consumpti	on	Daily Cor	sumption p	er Capita
Contrast (D)	1942	1943	1944	1942	1943	1944
	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt	pt	pt
	07 590	03 450	96,745	0.79	0.85	0.89
anuary	83,520	91,450		0.84	0.87	0.85
ebruary	79,715	84,175 91,309	91,721 97,599	0.36	0.85	0.90
arch	90,099	98,287	103,359	0.93	0.95	0.90
pril	94,431	99,495	104,914	0.94	0.93	0.97
ay	93,648			0.95	0.96	1.01
une	96,855	99,033	105,625	0.91	0.97	1.00
uly	96,033	104,005	108,123	0.38	0.96	0.96
ugust	92,731	102,448	103,921			1.02
eptember	95,399	103,986	107,443	0.94	1.00	
ctober	97,403	101,575	106,110	0.93	0.95	0.98
ovember	94,961	98,959	102,638	0.93	0.96	0.98
ecember	95,696	101,084	102,496	0.91	0.94	0.94
Total	1,115,541	1,175,859	1,230,694	0.90	0.93	0.96
Month	Com	mercial Distri	bution	Daily Cor	sumption p	er C a pita
anuary	66,261	70,567	76,183	0.79	0.83	0.88
ebruary	62,449	67,445	74,161	0.83	0.87	0.91
arch	70.360	71,767	77,479	0.84	0.84	0.89
				0.85	0.84	0.89
pril	68,754	69,785	74,641			
ay	72,239	74,406	79,584	0.87	0.87	0.92
une	71,588	76,600	82,696	0.89	0.93	0.98
uly	72,028	79,231	82,368	0.86	0.93	0.95
ugust	68,292	76,488	78,751	0.82	0.90	0.91
eptember	68,154	75,651	79,403	0.84	0.91	0.94
ctober	70,942	75,908	78,914	0.85	0.89	0.91
ovember	70,698	74,939	77,907	0.87	0.91	0.93
ecember	73,834	79,003	79,761	0.88	0.93	0.92
Total	835,599	891,790	941,848	0.85	0.89	0.92
Month	H	Farm-Home Cons	umption	Daily Cor	sumption p	er Capits
anuary	17,259	20.883	20,562	0.80	0.97	0.95
ebruary	17,266	16,730	17,560	0.88	0.86	0.87
arch	19,739	19,542	20,120	0.92	0.91	0.93
pril	25,677	28,502	28,718	1.23	1.36	1.38
ay	26,409	25,089	25,330	1.22	1.16	1.17
une	25,267	22,488	22,929	1.21	1.08	1.10
uly	24,005	24,774	25,755	1.11	1.15	1.19
ugust	24,489	25,958	25,170	1.14	1.20	1.17
eptember	27,245	28,335	28,040	1.30	1.36	1.34
ctober	26,461	25,667	27,196	1.23	1.19	1.26
ovember	24,263	24,020	24,731	1.16	1.15	1.18
ecember	21,862	22,081	22,735	1.01	1.02	1.05
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Total	279,942 capita consumpt	284,069	288,846	1.10 ercial dist	ibution (f	luid sal
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Month	To	tal Consumptio	a	Daily Consumption per Capi		
	1942	1943	1944	1942	1943	1944
	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt	pt	pt
January	107,621	116,778	127,056	0.91	0.97	1.03
February	107,344	113,603	123,329	1.00	1,05	1.07
March	114,710	118,407	128,731	0.97	0.99	1.05
April	114,972	116,757	121,502	1.00	1.01	1.02
May	120,028	127,064	132,003	1.01	1.06	1.07
June	115,865	122,885	128,625	1.01	1.06	1.08
July	111,842	125,279	128,067	0.94	1.05	1.04
August	113,297	125,759	126,118	0.96	1.05	1.03
September	117,448	126,893	127,729	1.02	1.09	1.08
October	120,692	125,458	127,531	1.02	1.05	1.04
November	116,645	123,070	123,838	1.02	1.06	1.04
December	121,829	130,872	130,753	1.03	1.09	1.06
Total	1,382,293	1,472,825	1,526,282	0.99	1.04	1.05
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Month	Comme	ercial Distric	ution	Daily Cor	nsumption pe	r Capita
January	81,127	88,429	99,002	0.80	0.87	0.94
February	77,517	86,043	96,330	0.85	0.93	0.98
March	85,004	88,404	95,440	0.84	0.87	0.91
April	81,981	86,900	91,209	0.84	0.88	0.90
May	84,555	93,010	97,622	0.84	0.91	0.91
June	82,184	91,225	96,660	0.84	0.92	0.95
July	82,813	93,579	94,478	0.82	0.92	0.90
August	81,644	90,625	92,402	0.81	0.89	0.88
September	81,543	88,474	91,093	0.84	0.90	0.89
)ctober	85,771	92,632	95,374	0.85	0.91	0.91
lovember	82,707	90,150	91,918	0.85	0.91	0.90
December	88,073	96,440	97,367	0.87	0.94	0.92
Total	994,919	1,085,911	1,138,895	0.84	0.90	0.92
Month	Farm	-Home Consump	tion	Daily Con	sumption pe	r Capita
anuary	26,494	28,349	28,054	1.50	1.60	1.59
February	29,827	27,560	26,999	1.87	1.73	1.63
larch	29,706	30.003	33,291	1.68	1.70	1.88
April	32,991	29,857	30,293	1.93	1.75	1.77
lay	35,473	34,054	34,381	2.01	1.93	1.95
June	33,681	31,660	31,965	1.97	1.85	1.87
July	29,029	31,700	33,589	1.64	1.79	1.90
lugust	31,653	35,134	33,716	1.79	1.99	1.91
September	35,905	38,419	36,636	2.10	2.25	2.20
)ctober	34,921	32,826	32,157	1.97	1.86	1.82
lovember	33,938	32,920	31,920	1.98	1.92	1.87
)ec e mber	53,756	34,437	33,386	1.91	1.95	1.89
Total	387,374	386,914	387,387	1.86	1.85	1.86

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Month	Tot	al Consumption		Daily Cor	nsumption pe	er Capita
	1942	1943	1944	1942	1943	1944
	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt	pt	pt
January	17,560	18,979	20,193	0.77	0.82	0.39
February	17,153	18,676	19,830	0.83	0.89	0.93
March	18,651	20,564	21,526	0.82	0.09	0.95
April	19,403	18,982	19,697	0.88	0.85	0.10
May	10,143	19,746	20,746	0.79	0.85	0.91
June	19,388	21,754	22,696	0.88	0.97	1.03
July	19,107	21,553	21,856	0.84	0.93	0.96
August	18,861	20,920	21,528	0.82	0.90	0.95
September	18,353	20.241	20,162	0.83	0.90	0.92
October	19,077	21,475	21,338	0.83	0.93	0.94
November	18,883	20,894	20.724	0.85	0.93	0.94
December	20,060	21,582	21,166	0.88	0.93	0.93
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Total	224,639	245,366	251,512	0.83	0.90	0.94
Month	Comme	rcial Distribu	ition	Daily Con	nsumption p	er Capita
January	10,273	10,890	11,865	0.62	0.65	0.73
February	9,587	10,354	11,178	0.64	0.68	0.73
March	10,794	11,765	12,466	0.65	0.70	0.76
April	10,274	11,405	11,971	0.64	0.70	0.76
May	9,620	10,967	11,840	0.58	0.65	0.73
June	10,347	11,899	12,845	0.65	0.73	0.81
July	10,301	11,743	12,442	0.62	0.70	0.76
August	10,152	11,776	12,479	0.61	0.70	0.77
September	9,839	11,217	11,773	0.62	0.69	0.75
October	9,815	11,287	11,509	0.60	0.67	0.71
November	9,839	11,216	11,437	0.62	0.69	0.72
December	10,359	11,396	11,391	0.63	0.68	0.70
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<u>Total</u> Month	121,200	135,915 m-Home Consum;	143,196	Daily Col	l 0.69 nsumption p	0.74
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January	7,287	8,089	8,328	1.14	1.27	1.31
February	7,566	8,322	8,652	1.31	1.45	1.45
March	7,857	8,799	9,060	1.23	1.38	1.42
April	9,129	7,577	7,726	1.48	1.24	1.25
May	8,523	8,779	8,906	1.34	1.38	1.40
June	9,041	9,855	9,851	1.47	1.60	1.60
July	8,806	9,810	9,414	1.38	1.54	1.48
August	8,709	9,144	9,049	1.37	1.43	1.42
September	8,514	9,024	8,389	1.38	1.46	1.36
October	9,262	10,188	9,879	1.45	1.59	1.55
November	9,044	9,678	9,287	1.47	1.57	1.51
December	9,701	10,136	9,775	1.52	1.60	1.53
		109,451	108,316	1.38	1.46	1.44
Total	103,439 capita consumpt					

TABLE VIII - CONSUMPTION OF FLUID MILK, INCLUDING CREAM EXPRESSED AS MILK (MANITOBA)

Note: The per capita consumption of milk sold for commercial distribution (fluid sales less 3% for wastage), is calculated on the basis of the "non-producing" population, including all urban dwellers plus the occupants of farms where there are no cows. The per capita consumption of milk used in the homes of milk suppliers is based on the "milk producing" population only, i.e. the occupants of farms where cows are kept.

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	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt	pt	pt	
January	24,938	27,925	29,395	0.89	0.98	1.12	
February	27,378	30,297	31,990	1.08	1.18	1.30	
March	29,672	33,436	33,957	1.06	1.13	1.29	
April	30,997	29,984	31,172	1.14	1.09	1.23	
May	30,565	32,653	33,397	1.09	1.15	1.27	
June	32,051	33,213	53,169	1.18	1.21	1.31	
July	29,326	33,048	32,301	1.04	1.16	1.23	
August	29,153	31,041	31,751	1.04	1.09	1.21	
September	29,623	32,330	32,257	1.09	1.18	1.27	
October	30,427	32,375	32,440	1.08	1.14	1.24	
November	31,958	33,945	33,246	1.18	1.24	1.31	
December	30,633	31,805	30,626	1.09	1.12	1.17	
Total	356,721	382,052	385,681	1.08	1.14	1.25	
Month	Comme	Commercial Distribution			nsumption pe	er Capita	
January	9,419	10,078	10,931	0.58	0.60	0.75	
February	9,159	9,891	10,777	0.62	0.66	0.79	
March	9,823	10,609	11,347	0.60	0.64	0.78	
April	9,482	10,620	11,041	0.60	0.66	0.79	
May	9,329	10,356	10,662	0.57	0.62	0.73	
June	10,041	10,543	10,961	0.63	0.65	0.78	
July	9,116	10,211	10,615	0.56	0.61	0.73	
August	8,700	10,179	10,480	0.53	0.61	0.72	
September	8,427	9,439	9,718	0.55	0.58	0.69	
October	9,291	10,499	11,229	0.57	0.63	0.77	
November	10,111	11,224	11,669	0.64	0.69	0.83	
December	9,835	10,599	10,489	0.60	0.63	0.72	
Total	1.12,733	124,248	129,919	0.58	0.63	0.76	
Month	Farm-	Home Consumpt	i.on	Daily Consumption per Capita			
January	15,519	17,847	18,464	1.33	1.53	1.58	
February	18,219	20,406	21,213	1.72	1.93	1.94	
March	19,849	22,827	22,590	1.70	1.95	1.93	
April	21,515	19,364	20,131	1.90	1.71	1.78	
May	21,236	22,297	22,735	1.82	1.91	1.94	
June	22,010	22,670	22,208	1.94	2.00	1,96	
July	20,210	22,837	21,686	1.73	1.95	1.85	
August	20,453	20,862	21,271	1.75	1.78	1.82	
September	21,196	22,391	22,539	1.87	2.02	1.99	
October	21,136	21,876	21,211	1.81	1.87	1.81	
November	21,847	22,721	21,577	1.93	2.01	1.91	
December.	20,798	21,206	20,137	1.78	1.81	1.72	
Total	245,988	257,804	255,762	1.77 ercial dist	1.87	1.85 uid sales	

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Month	Tot	al Consumption	1	Daily Co	nsumption p	er Capita
	1942	1943	1944	1942	1943	1944
	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt	pt	pt
anuary	24,207	27,255	30,023	0.97	1.08	1.18
ebruary	23,557	25,470	28,275	1.04	1.12	1.19
larch	25,859	27,569	29,861	1.04	1.09	1.18
April	27,826	27,559	28,882	1.15	1.13	1.18
iay	27,050	27,550	23,831	1.08	1.09	1.14
lune	26,863	28,794	30,134	1.11	1.18	1.23
uly	25,597	28,742	29,770	1.03	1.14	1.17
ugust	25,755	28,992	28,625	1.03	1.15	1.13
September	26,191	30,155	30,010	1.08	1.23	1.22
ctober	27,138	32,464	31,686	1.09	1.29	1.25
lovember	26,787	30,185	29,611	1.11	1.24	1.21
ecember	26,703	29,594	28,363	1.07	1.17	1.12
Total	313,513	344, 328	354,069	1.07	1.16	1.18
Month	Commercial Distribution			Daily Con	nsumption p	er Capita
anuary	13,334	14,534	17,434	0.84	0.90	1.07
Pebruary	12,435	13,679	16,135	0.87	0.94	1.06
larch	13,894	15,006	16,800	0.87	0.93	1.03
pril	13,512	14,863	16,343	0.38	0.95	1.04
lay	13,383	15,524	16,449	0.84	0.96	1.01
lune	12,991	15,200	16,409	0.85	0.97	1.04
fuly	13,447	15,463	16,230	0.85	0.96	1.00
lugust	12,999	15,598	15,904	0.82	0.96	0.98
September	12,578	15,723	15,874	0.82	1.00	1.01
)ctober	13,749	17,736	17,552	0.86	1.10	1.08
lovember	13,938	17,143	16,966	0.91	1.10	1.08
)ecember	13,813	16,575	15,740	0.87	1.03	0.97
Total	160.073	187,044	197,836	0.86	0.98	1.03
Month		rm-Home Consum	1		nsumption p	
anuary	10 873	12,721	12,589	1.20	1.40	1.39
ebruary	11,102	11,791	12,140	1.36	1.44	1.43
larch	11,965	12,563	13,061	1.32	1.89	1.53
pril	14,314	12,696	12,539	1.63	1.45	1.43
lay	13,667	12,026	12,382	1.51	1.33	1.37
une	13,872	13,594	13,725	1.58	1.55	1.56
uly	12,150	13.280	13,540	1.34	1.46	1.49
ugust	12,756	13,394	12,719	1.41	1.48	1.46
September	13,613	14,430	14,136	1.55	1.65	1.61
	13,389	14,728	14,134	1.48	1.62	1.56
ctober	12,849	13,042	12,645	1.46	1.49	1.44
lovember		7 67 - 7 17		1 (1)		1 20
	12,890	13,019	12,623	1.42	1.44	1.39

less 3% for wastage), is calculated on the basis of the "non-producing" population, including all urban dwellers plus the occupants of farms where there are no cows. The per capita consumption of milk used in the homes of milk suppliers is based on the "milk producing" population only, i.e. the occupants of farms where cows are kept.



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TABLE VIII - CONSUMPTION OF FLUID MILK, INCLUDING CREAM EXPRESSED AS MILK

Month	Tota	al Consumption		Daily	Consumption per	Capita
	1942	1943	1944	1942	1943	1944
	,000 pt	,000 pt	,000 pt	pt	pt	pt
January	16,465	18,690	21,184	0.63	0.72	0.72
February	15,771	17,439	20,186	0.67	0.75	0.73
larch	17,470	18,669	20,472	0.67	0.72	0.70
April	16,867	18,139	19,610	0.67	0.73	0.69
hay	17,673	19,748	20,689	0.68	0.76	
lune	18,019	19,788		0.00	0.79	0.70
uly	18,402		21,060	0.71		0.74
ugust		19,762	20,759		0.76	0.71
September	19,067	20,772	21,778	0.73	0.80	0.74
)ctober	16,956	17,874	18,639	0.67	0.71	0.65
	18,743	20,334	21,767	0.72	0.79	0.74
lovember	17,887	19,467	21,113	0.71	0.78	0.74
iecember	18,809	20,806	22,222	0.72	0.30	0.76
Total	212,119	231,488	249,479	0.69	0.76	0.72
Month	Comme	ercial Consumpt	ion	Daily (Consumption per	Capita
anuary	14,436	16,458	18,919	0.60	0.69	0.69
ebruary	13,759	15,685	18,344	0.65	0.73	0.72
arch	15,278	16,806	18,647	0.64	0.71	0.68
pril	14,293	15,580	16,975	0.61	0.68	0.64
ay	14,930	17,169	18,021	0.62	0.72	0.66
une	15,196	17,171	18,366	0.65	0.75	0.69
uly	15,916	17,189	18,213	0.66	0.72	0.67
ugust	16,695	18,362	19,273	0.69	0.77	0.71
eptember	14,494	15,363	16,279	0.62	0.67	0.62
ctober	16,226	18,011	19,444	0.63	0.76	0.71
ovember	15,279	16,807	18,480	0.66	0.73	0.70
ecember	16,204	18,149	19,593	0.67	0.76	0.72
Total	182,704	202,750	220 554	0.65	0.72	0.68
Month	Farm-Home Consumption			Daily Consumption per Capita		
anuary	2,029	2,232	2,265	0.98	1.08	1 10
ebruary	2,012	1,754	1,842	1.08	0.94	1.10
arch	2,192	1,863	1,825	1.06	0.90	0.95
pril	2,574	2,559		1.29		0.88
ау	2,743		2,635		1.28	1.32
une	2,813	2,579	2,668	1.33	1.25	1.29
une uly		2,617	2,694	1.41	1.31	1.35
	2,486	2,573	2,546	1.20	1.25	1.23
ugust eptember	2,374	2,410	2,505	1.15	1.17	1.21
-	2,462	2,511	2,360	1.23	1.26	1.13
ctober	2,517	2,323	2,323	1.22	1.13	1.13
ovember ecember	2,608 2,605	2,660	2,653	1.31	1.33	1.32
	No. of the second se	2,657	2,629	1.26	1.29	1.27
Total	29,415	28,738	28,925 i for comme:	1.21	1.18	1.19

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