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POULTRY ESTIMATES

OCTOBER 1951

The estimated production of eggs in Canada ^{1/} during October was 31.6 million dozen as compared with the September estimate of 27.4 million dozen and 21.0 million dozen during October, 1950. The estimate of egg production during the first ten months of 1951 was 288.5 million dozen compared to 284.9 million dozen during the same ten months of 1950.

Average egg production per hen over six months during October was 13.6 eggs as compared with 14.5 eggs last month.

Producers sold 27.1 million dozen eggs for market during October compared with 22.3 million dozen eggs during the previous month. The estimated consumption of eggs by producers during October was 4.0 million dozen.

FROZEN EGGS: Production of frozen eggs during October, 1951, in all plants under inspection reporting to the Department of Agriculture and in uninspected plants reporting to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics was 396,062 pounds.

1/ Exclusive of Newfoundland.

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TABLE 1A: Production on Farms and Elsewhere by Provinces, October 1951.

Province	Average No. of Hens <u>1/</u> over 6 months On Farms	Eggs per 100 Hens over 6 months	Net Production		Total
			Farm	Other <u>3/</u>	
	000	No.	000 doz.		
Pr. Edward Island ...	366	1,105	334	11	345
Nova Scotia	1,054	1,425	1,245	246	1,491
New Brunswick	492	1,352	552	73	625
Quebec	4,470	1,464	5,415	634	6,049
Ontario	9,984	1,448	11,936	919	12,855
Manitoba	1,838	1,250	1,902	127	2,029
Saskatchewan	2,386	933	1,838	86	1,924
Alberta	3,188	1,280	3,376	203	3,579
British Columbia	1,822	1,489	2,249	450	2,699
CANADA	25,600	1,363	28,847	2,749	31,596

TABLE 1B: Production on Farms and Elsewhere, by Provinces, October 1950.

Province	Average Layers <u>2/</u> on Farms	Eggs per 100 Layers	Net Production		Total
			Farm	Other <u>3/</u>	
	000	No.	000 doz.		
Pr. Edward Island	476	869	343	12	355
Nova Scotia	929	1,049	811	161	972
New Brunswick	534	852	374	49	423
Quebec	3,962	1,051	3,441	403	3,844
Ontario	9,428	1,074	8,375	645	9,020
Manitoba	1,918	681	1,077	72	1,149
Saskatchewan	2,766	661	1,509	71	1,580
Alberta	3,096	741	1,897	114	2,011
British Columbia	1,325	1,225	1,344	269	1,613
CANADA	24,434	949	19,171	1,796	20,967

1/ Hens over 6 months of September 30 plus Hens over 6 months of October 31 divided by 2.

2/ Layers of September 30 plus Layers of October 31 divided by 2.

3/ Elsewhere than on farms.

TABLE 2: Egg Disposition by Provinces, January to October 1951 and 1950.

Province	1951 - Revised 1/		1950	
	Sold for Market	Used for food by Producers	Sold for Market	Used for food by Producers
----- 000 Dozens -----				
Pr. Edward Island ...	4,400	912	4,319	703
Nova Scotia	10,939	3,497	9,676	3,348
New Brunswick	5,444	1,874	4,768	1,931
Quebec	37,032	12,554	37,880	11,914
Ontario	90,106	16,351	91,833	14,253
Manitoba	16,081	3,508	16,446	3,942
Saskatchewan	18,914	6,667	19,299	6,779
Alberta	24,305	7,543	22,136	7,563
British Columbia	21,906	3,208	19,151	1,809
CANADA	229,127	56,114	225,508	52,242

TABLE 3: Eggs: Net Production on Farms and Elsewhere, by Provinces, January to October 1951 and 1950.

Province	1951 - Revised 1/			1950		
	Farm	Other 2/	Total	Farm	Other 2/	Total
----- 000 Dozens -----						
Pr. Edward Island ...	5,180	176	5,356	4,907	166	5,073
Nova Scotia	11,960	2,368	14,328	11,013	2,181	13,194
New Brunswick	6,366	840	7,206	6,034	796	6,830
Quebec	44,723	5,235	49,958	45,333	5,304	50,637
Ontario	98,687	7,599	106,286	101,370	7,806	109,176
Manitoba	18,912	1,266	20,178	19,728	1,322	21,050
Saskatchewan	25,554	1,199	26,753	25,592	1,202	26,794
Alberta	31,427	1,886	33,313	28,709	1,722	30,431
British Columbia	20,942	4,188	25,130	18,119	3,624	21,743
CANADA	263,751	24,757	288,508	260,805	24,123	284,928

1/ Revised in relation to the June 1, 1951 Survey of numbers of birds on farms.

2/ Elsewhere than on farms.

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Province	Sold for Market				Used for food by Producers			
	Farm	Value	Other ^{1/}	Value	Farm	Value	Other ^{1/}	Value
	000 doz.	\$000	000 doz.	\$000	000 doz.	\$000	000 doz.	\$000
Pr. Edward Island ...	265	138	9	5	64	33	2	1
Nova Scotia	1,036	646	205	128	212	130	42	26
New Brunswick	438	264	58	35	118	70	16	9
Quebec	4,388	2,580	513	302	926	535	108	63
Ontario	10,680	6,344	822	488	966	564	74	43
Manitoba	1,634	776	109	52	243	113	16	8
Saskatchewan	1,404	653	66	31	403	183	19	9
Alberta	2,777	1,350	167	81	596	284	36	17
British Columbia	2,125	1,035	425	207	149	71	30	14
CANADA	24,747	13,786	2,374	1,329	3,677	1,983	343	190

Province	<u>FARM AND OTHER</u>			
	Sold for Market		Used for food by Producers	
	000 doz.	\$000	000 doz.	\$000
Pr. Edward Island ...	274	143	66	34
Nova Scotia	1,241	774	254	156
New Brunswick	496	299	134	79
Quebec	4,901	2,882	1,034	598
Ontario	11,502	6,832	1,040	607
Manitoba	1,743	828	259	121
Saskatchewan	1,470	684	422	192
Alberta	2,944	1,431	632	301
British Columbia	2,550	1,242	179	85
CANADA	27,121	15,115	4,020	2,173

^{1/} Elsewhere than on farms.

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