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## POULTRY ESTIMATES

NOVEMBER 1953

The estimated production of eggs in Canada <sup>1/</sup> during November was 29.9 million dozen as compared with the October estimate of 26.8 million dozen and 28.4 million dozen during November, 1952. The estimate of egg production during the first eleven months of 1953 was 316.2 million dozen compared to 309.7 million dozen during the same eleven months of 1952.

Average egg production per hen over six months of age during November was 14.9 eggs as compared with 14.2 eggs last month and 13.7 in November 1952, reflecting, in part, the effect of very favourable weather conditions this November.

Producers sold 24.8 million dozen eggs for market during November compared with 22.6 million dozen eggs during October and 24.3 in November 1952. The estimated consumption of eggs by producers during November was 3.7 million dozen.

FROZEN EGGS: Production of frozen eggs during November, 1953 in all plants under inspection reporting to the Department of Agriculture and in uninspected plants reporting to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics was 54,739 pounds.

<sup>1/</sup> Exclusive of Newfoundland.

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Production on Farms and Elsewhere, by Provinces, November 1953

Province	Average No. of Hens <u>1/</u> Over 6 months on Farms	Eggs per 100 Hens Over 6 months	Net Production		
			Farm	Other <u>2/</u>	Total
	000	No.	000 doz.		
Pr. Edward Island ...	331	1,255	345	5	350
Nova Scotia .....	726	1,772	1,069	86	1,155
New Brunswick .....	568	1,250	588	24	612
Quebec .....	3,460	1,747	4,823	135	4,958
Ontario .....	9,469	1,577	12,345	222	12,567
Manitoba .....	2,308	1,466	2,802	39	2,841
Saskatchewan .....	2,534	1,077	2,254	43	2,297
Alberta .....	2,879	1,351	3,217	48	3,265
British Columbia ....	1,352	1,451	1,625	187	1,812
<b>CANADA .....</b>	<b>23,627</b>	<b>1,487</b>	<b>29,068</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>29,857</b>

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	000	No.	000 doz.		
Pr. Edward Island ...	398	791	261	3	264
Nova Scotia .....	809	1,537	1,031	82	1,113
New Brunswick .....	561	1,118	520	21	541
Quebec .....	3,440	1,533	4,370	122	4,492
Ontario .....	10,048	1,503	12,514	225	12,739
Manitoba .....	2,245	1,267	2,354	33	2,387
Saskatchewan .....	2,385	907	1,785	34	1,819
Alberta .....	2,618	1,178	2,550	38	2,588
British Columbia ....	1,826	1,449	2,194	252	2,446
<b>CANADA .....</b>	<b>24,330</b>	<b>1,369</b>	<b>27,579</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>28,389</b>

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

2/ Elsewhere than on farms.

Egg Disposition, by Provinces, January to November, 1953 and 1952

Province	1953 - Preliminary		1952	
	Sold for Market	Used for food by Producers	Sold for Market	Used for food by Producers
----- 000 dozens -----				
Pr. Edward Island ...	4,744	883	5,030	876
Nova Scotia .....	8,787	3,058	7,393	3,341
New Brunswick .....	5,565	1,645	5,289	1,823
Quebec .....	30,760	11,480	36,836	12,175
Ontario .....	104,940	12,077	104,626	12,741
Manitoba .....	22,298	3,477	21,559	3,685
Saskatchewan .....	23,589	6,573	22,403	7,245
Alberta .....	24,266	7,549	22,659	7,858
British Columbia ....	20,045	2,101	22,318	2,196
<b>CANADA .....</b>	<b>244,998</b>	<b>48,843</b>	<b>248,113</b>	<b>51,940</b>

Eggs: Net Production on Farms and Elsewhere, by Provinces, January to November 1953 and 1952

Province	1953 - Preliminary			1952		
	Farm	Other <sup>1/</sup>	Total	Farm	Other <sup>1/</sup>	Total
----- 000 dozens -----						
Pr. Edward Island ...	5,992	80	6,072	5,919	76	5,995
Nova Scotia.....	11,127	890	12,017	10,181	815	10,996
New Brunswick .....	7,041	287	7,328	6,986	285	7,271
Quebec .....	47,348	1,375	48,723	48,733	1,365	50,098
Ontario .....	122,100	2,196	124,296	119,407	2,151	121,558
Manitoba .....	27,224	382	27,606	25,881	363	26,244
Saskatchewan .....	32,886	588	33,474	29,960	571	30,531
Alberta .....	33,333	499	33,832	31,153	467	31,620
British Columbia ....	20,527	2,361	22,888	22,731	2,614	25,345
<b>CANADA .....</b>	<b>307,582</b>	<b>8,658</b>	<b>316,240</b>	<b>300,951</b>	<b>8,707</b>	<b>309,658</b>

<sup>1/</sup> Elsewhere than on farms.



EGG DISPOSITION NOVEMBER 1953

Province	<u>Sold for Market</u>				<u>Used for food by Producers</u>			
	Farm	Value	Other <sup>1/</sup>	Value	Farm	Value	Other <sup>1/</sup>	Value
	000 doz.	\$000	000 doz.	\$000	000 doz.	\$000	000 doz.	\$000
Pr. Edward Island .	276	115	4	1	59	24	1	-
Nova Scotia .....	827	419	66	34	188	93	15	7
New Brunswick .....	478	277	20	11	100	57	4	2
Quebec .....	3,547	1,678	99	47	858	397	24	11
Ontario .....	10,866	4,640	196	84	933	389	17	7
Manitoba .....	2,332	872	33	12	271	99	4	1
Saskatchewan .....	1,759	681	33	13	453	171	9	3
Alberta .....	2,524	997	38	15	584	225	9	3
British Columbia ..	1,540	764	177	88	137	67	16	8
<b>CANADA .....</b>	<b>24,149</b>	<b>10,443</b>	<b>666</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>3,583</b>	<b>1,522</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>42</b>

FARM AND OTHER

Province	<u>Sold for Market</u>		<u>Used for food by Producers</u>	
	000 doz.	\$000	000 doz.	\$000
Pr. Edward Island ...	280	116	60	24
Nova Scotia .....	893	453	203	100
New Brunswick .....	498	288	104	59
Quebec .....	3,646	1,725	882	408
Ontario .....	11,062	4,724	950	396
Manitoba .....	2,365	884	275	100
Saskatchewan .....	1,792	694	462	174
Alberta .....	2,562	1,012	593	228
British Columbia ....	1,717	852	153	75
<b>CANADA .....</b>	<b>24,815</b>	<b>10,748</b>	<b>3,682</b>	<b>1,564</b>

<sup>1/</sup> Elsewhere than on farms.