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POULTRY ESTIMATES

June, 1953

The estimated production of eggs in Canada ^{1/} during June was 27.2 million dozen as compared with the revised ^{2/} May estimate of 31.5 million dozen and 25.7 million dozen during June last year. Egg production during the first six months of 1953 is estimated at 188.3 million dozen, 1 million dozen above the first six months of 1952.

Average egg production per hen over six months of age was 15.6 during June, 1.6 less than during May and slightly below the 15.8 eggs per hen recorded during June, 1952.

Producers sold 21.1 million dozen eggs for market during June compared with a revised ^{2/} May estimate of 24.3 million dozen. Estimated consumption of eggs by producers during June was 4.7 million dozen.

FROZEN EGGS: Production of frozen eggs during June, 1953 in all plants under inspection reporting to the Department of Agriculture and in uninspected plants reporting to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics was 3,284,117 pounds.

^{1/} Exclusive of Newfoundland

^{2/} Revised on basis of information from the 1951 Census on egg production elsewhere than on farms.

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Production on Farms and Elsewhere, by Provinces, June, 1953

Province	Average no. of hens ^{1/} over 6 months on farms	Eggs per 100 hens over 6 months	Net Production		
			Farm	Other ^{2/}	Total
			'000	No.	'000 Dozens
Prince Edward Island	506	1,724	722	9	731
Nova Scotia	676	1,746	980	78	1,058
New Brunswick	466	1,682	647	27	674
Quebec	2,534	1,664	3,492	98	3,590
Ontario	8,385	1,569	10,827	195	11,022
Manitoba	1,872	1,471	2,272	32	2,304
Saskatchewan	2,317	1,481	2,829	54	2,883
Alberta	2,258	1,428	2,661	40	2,701
British Columbia	1,471	1,651	2,006	231	2,237
CANADA	20,485	1,564	26,436	764	27,200

Production on Farms and Elsewhere, by Provinces, June, 1952 Revised

Province	Average no. of hens ^{1/} over 6 months on farms	Eggs per 100 hens over 6 months	Net Production		
			Farm	Other ^{2/}	Total
			'000	No.	'000 Dozens
Prince Edward Island	412	1,652	564	7	571
Nova Scotia	584	1,719	833	67	900
New Brunswick	462	1,692	644	26	670
Quebec	3,237	1,578	4,223	118	4,341
Ontario	6,698	1,563	8,635	155	8,790
Manitoba	1,974	1,450	2,364	33	2,397
Saskatchewan	2,552	1,443	3,039	58	3,097
Alberta	2,401	1,446	2,854	43	2,897
British Columbia	1,292	1,712	1,829	210	2,039
CANADA	19,612	1,584	24,985	717	25,702

^{1/} Hens over 6 months of May 31 plus hens over 6 months June 30 divided by 2.

^{2/} Elsewhere than on farms.

Egg Disposition, by Provinces, January to June, 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 -				
Prince Edward Island	3,478	511	3,457	519
Nova Scotia	5,607	1,814	4,199	2,008
New Brunswick	3,399	1,021	3,072	1,122
Quebec	14,620	6,627	23,170	7,168
Ontario	64,541	6,980	59,468	7,490
Manitoba	12,478	2,033	13,221	2,105
Saskatchewan	13,379	3,836	14,898	4,303
Alberta	13,169	4,373	14,310	4,556
British Columbia	13,101	1,223	11,744	1,292
CANADA	143,772	28,418	147,539	30,563

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

Province	1953 Preliminary			1952		
	Farm	Other <u>1/</u>	Total	Farm	Other <u>1/</u>	Total
- '000 Dozens -						
Prince Edward Island	4,381	57	4,438	4,033	52	4,085
Nova Scotia	6,952	556	7,508	5,935	476	6,411
New Brunswick	4,329	178	4,507	4,187	170	4,357
Quebec	24,408	684	25,092	30,518	854	31,372
Ontario	76,761	1,382	78,143	69,342	1,249	70,591
Manitoba	15,748	221	15,969	16,147	226	16,373
Saskatchewan	17,974	342	18,316	19,805	377	20,182
Alberta	18,934	284	19,218	19,773	297	20,070
British Columbia	13,521	1,555	15,076	12,371	1,423	13,794
CANADA	183,008	5,259	188,267	182,111	5,124	187,235

1/ Elsewhere than on farms.



Egg Disposition - June, 1953

Province	Sold for Market				Used for Food by Producers			
	Farm		Other 1/		Farm		Other 1/	
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$
	'000 Doz.	\$'000	'000 Doz.	\$'000	'000 Doz.	\$'000	'000 Doz.	\$'000
Prince Edward Island	592	265	8	3	87	38	1	-
Nova Scotia	688	387	55	31	289	160	23	13
New Brunswick	473	251	19	10	162	84	7	3
Quebec	1,854	1,003	52	28	1,074	570	30	16
Ontario	9,127	5,065	164	91	1,096	597	20	11
Manitoba	1,927	809	27	11	341	140	5	2
Saskatchewan	2,150	791	41	15	648	232	12	4
Alberta	1,897	744	28	11	721	275	11	4
British Columbia	1,757	936	202	108	176	92	20	11
CANADA	20,465	10,251	596	308	4,594	2,188	129	64

Farm and Other

Province	Sold for Market		Used for Food by Producers	
	'000 Doz.	\$'000	'000 Doz.	\$'000
Prince Edward Island	600	268	88	38
Nova Scotia	743	418	312	173
New Brunswick	492	261	169	87
Quebec	1,906	1,031	1,104	586
Ontario	9,291	5,156	1,116	608
Manitoba	1,954	820	346	142
Saskatchewan	2,191	806	660	236
Alberta	1,925	755	732	279
British Columbia	1,959	1,044	196	103
CANADA	21,061	10,559	4,723	2,252

1/ Elsewhere than on farms.