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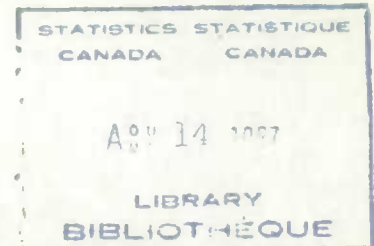
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PRODUCTION OF EGGS

November, 1956



The estimated production of eggs in Canada ^{1/} during November was 34.5 million dozen, as compared with 32.8 million dozen last month and the 32.2 million dozen for November last year. The estimate of egg production during the first eleven months of 1956 was 352.3 million dozen compared with 337.4 million dozen for the same period in 1955.

Average egg production per layer during November was 14.0 eggs compared with 13.1 eggs last month. The rate of lay for November, 1955 was 13.4.

Producers sold 30.9 million dozen eggs for market during November compared with the October estimate of 28.5 million dozen. Estimated consumption of eggs by producers during November was 3.9 million dozen.

FROZEN EGGS: Processing to frozen egg during November, 1956 in all plants under inspection reporting to the Department of Agriculture and in uninspected plants reporting to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics was 866,649 pounds.

1/ Exclusive of Newfoundland.



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EGG PRODUCTION, BY PROVINCES, NOVEMBER, 1956

Province	Average No. of Layers on Farms <u>1/</u>	Eggs per 100 Layers	Net Production		
			Farm	Other <u>2/</u>	Total
	'000	No.	- '000 doz. -		
Prince Edward Island	500	950	394	5	399
Nova Scotia	1,190	1,451	1,432	115	1,547
New Brunswick	684	1,229	697	29	726
Quebec	4,640	1,472	5,660	158	5,818
Ontario	10,509	1,465	12,734	229	12,963
Manitoba	2,986	1,367	3,375	47	3,422
Saskatchewan	3,316	1,183	3,244	62	3,306
Alberta	4,094	1,369	4,636	70	4,706
British Columbia	1,948	1,438	2,323	267	2,590
CANADA	29,867	1,396	34,495	982	35,477

EGG PRODUCTION, BY PROVINCES, NOVEMBER, 1955, REVISED

Province	Average No. of Layers on Farms <u>1/</u>	Eggs per 100 Layers	Net Production		
			Farm	Other <u>2/</u>	Total
	'000	No.	- '000 doz. -		
Prince Edward Island	481	874	349	5	354
Nova Scotia	1,102	1,362	1,245	100	1,345
New Brunswick	800	1,086	720	30	750
Quebec	3,874	1,511	4,850	136	4,986
Ontario	10,429	1,458	12,597	227	12,824
Manitoba	2,933	1,403	3,408	48	3,456
Saskatchewan	3,358	1,069	2,974	57	3,031
Alberta	3,978	1,215	3,995	60	4,055
British Columbia	2,028	1,242	2,082	239	2,321
CANADA	28,983	1,342	32,220	902	33,122

1/ Layers at October 31 plus Layers at November 30 divided by 2.

2/ Elsewhere than on farms.

EGG DISPOSITION, NOVEMBER, 1956

Farm and Other

Province	Sold for Market				Used for Food by Producers			
	Farm		Other 2/		Farm		Other 2/	
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$
	'000 doz.	'000 \$	'000 doz.	'000 \$	'000 doz.	'000 \$	'000 doz.	'000 \$
Prince Edward Island	329	122	4	2	63	23	1	-
Nova Scotia	1,300	606	104	48	99	45	8	4
New Brunswick	576	306	24	13	113	59	5	2
Quebec	4,733	1,955	133	55	843	340	24	10
Ontario	11,243	4,092	202	74	1,082	383	19	7
Manitoba	3,075	913	43	13	287	82	4	1
Saskatchewan	2,713	876	52	17	531	166	10	3
Alberta	3,926	1,276	59	19	689	217	10	3
British Columbia	2,139	905	246	104	127	52	15	6
CANADA	30,034	11,051	867	345	3,834	1,367	96	36

Total

Province	Sold for Market		Used for Food by Producers	
	'000 doz.	\$'000	'000 doz.	\$'000
Prince Edward Island	333	124	64	23
Nova Scotia	1,404	654	107	49
New Brunswick	600	319	118	61
Quebec	4,866	2,010	867	350
Ontario	11,445	4,166	1,101	390
Manitoba	3,118	926	291	83
Saskatchewan	2,765	893	541	169
Alberta	3,985	1,295	699	220
British Columbia	2,385	1,009	142	58
CANADA	30,901	11,396	3,930	1,403

2/ Elsewhere than on farms.

EGGS: NET PRODUCTION, BY PROVINCES, JANUARY TO NOVEMBER, 1956 AND 1955

Provinces	1956 - Preliminary			1955		
	Farm	Other ^{2/}	Total	Farm	Other ^{2/}	Total
- '000 doz. -						
Prince Edward Island	6,544	86	6,630	6,747	88	6,835
Nova Scotia	14,186	1,134	15,320	13,657	1,093	14,750
New Brunswick	8,524	350	8,874	8,745	359	9,104
Quebec	53,678	1,502	55,180	51,120	1,431	52,551
Ontario	130,052	2,340	132,392	128,162	2,308	130,470
Manitoba	33,508	469	33,977	30,156	422	30,578
Saskatchewan	35,346	674	36,020	33,483	637	34,120
Alberta	44,198	663	44,861	40,943	613	41,556
British Columbia	26,264	3,020	29,284	24,384	2,804	27,188
CANADA	352,300	10,238	362,538	337,397	9,755	347,152

EGG DISPOSITION, BY PROVINCES, JANUARY TO NOVEMBER, 1956 AND 1955

Province	1956 - Preliminary		1955	
	Sold For Market	Used for Food by Producers	Sold For Market	Used for Food by Producers
- '000 doz. -				
Prince Edward Island	5,617	908	5,876	862
Nova Scotia	13,497	1,511	12,899	1,558
New Brunswick	7,070	1,667	7,210	1,748
Quebec	43,432	10,620	39,758	11,443
Ontario	114,226	12,436	112,722	12,488
Manitoba	29,545	3,555	26,287	3,432
Saskatchewan	28,272	6,970	26,504	6,802
Alberta	35,548	7,879	32,674	7,767
British Columbia	26,238	2,012	24,319	1,971
CANADA	303,445	47,558	288,249	48,071

^{2/} Elsewhere than on farms.