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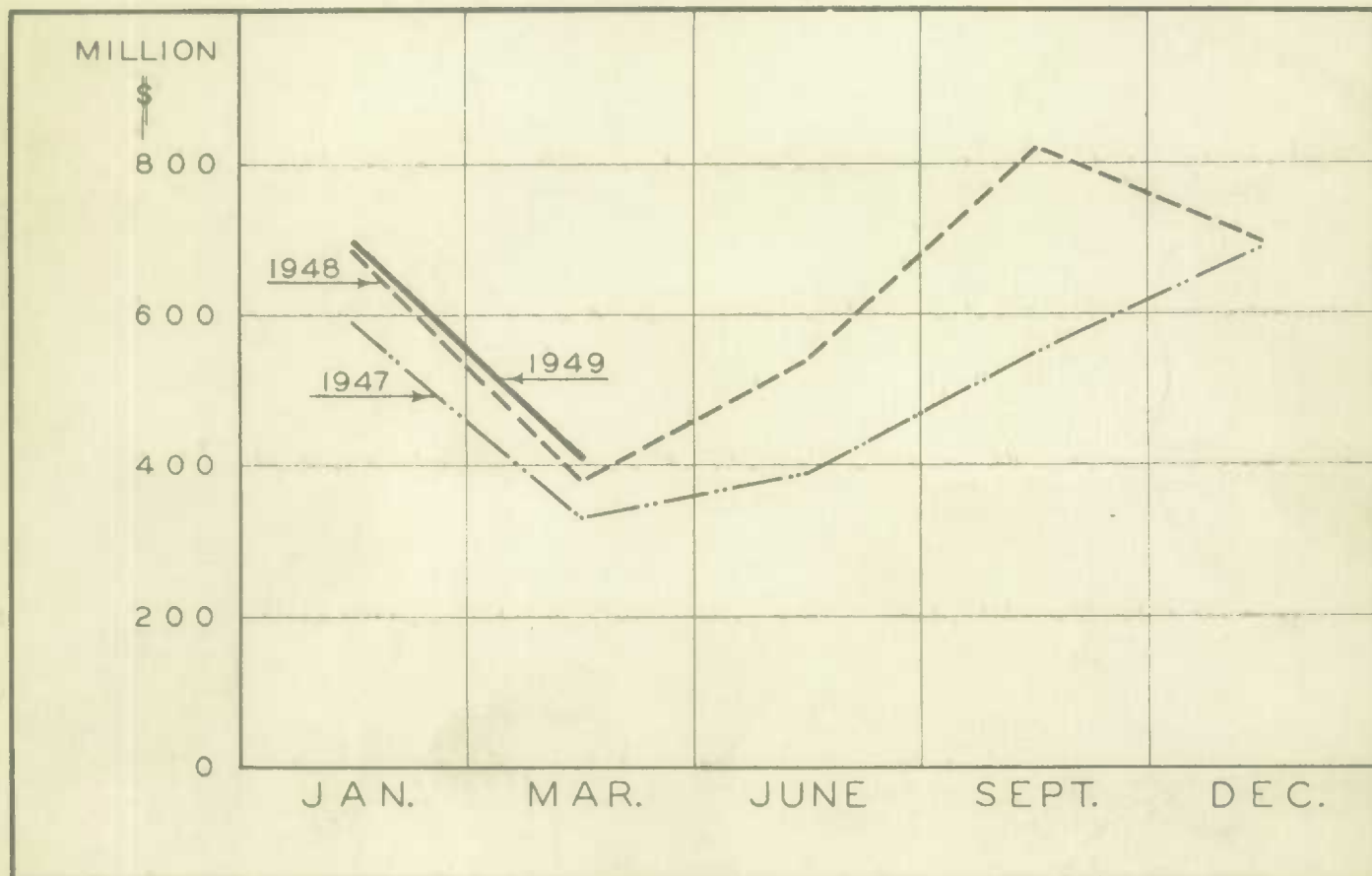
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CASH INCOME FROM THE SALE OF FARM PRODUCTS BY QUARTERS, CANADA, 1947-49



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OTTAWA, July, 1949 - The Dominion Bureau of Statistics issues today a report containing estimates of farm cash income from the sale of farm products and from supplementary payments for the first quarters of 1947, 1948 and 1949. The estimates are based on reports of marketings and prices received by farmers for principal farm products and are subject to revision as more complete data become available. The estimates include amounts paid out as grain participation, adjusting and equalization payments and those Dominion and Provincial payments which farmers receive as subsidies to prices. Payments made under the provisions of the Prairie Farm Assistance Act are not included in the totals for "Cash Income from the Sale of Farm Products", but are included in the grand totals in the year in which payments are made under the heading "Supplementary Payments."

Preliminary figures indicate that during the first three months of 1949, farmers' receipts from the sale of farm products amounted to \$406,386,000 as compared with \$380,006,000 in 1948 and \$333,779,000 in 1947, a gain of 6.9 per cent and 21.7 per cent respectively.

Compared with a year ago, cash income from the sale of field crops at \$133,878,000 for the first quarter of 1949, was up more than 20 per cent. This increase can be largely attributed to the increases in the marketings of the five principal grains and a higher price for wheat. Income from the sale of livestock and livestock products totalling \$264,776,000 for the January - March period of this year is relatively unchanged from that of the same period of 1948. With the exception of cattle and calves, the 1949 marketings of livestock were down this year as against last. Prices on the other hand were, without exception higher than a year ago with the index of livestock prices indicating an overall increase of more than 20 per cent.

CASH INCOME FROM THE SALE OF FARM PRODUCTS, JANUARY TO MARCH, 1947-49 1/

	1947	1948	1949
(Thousand Dollars)			
Prince Edward Island	3,875	5,298	4,538 -
Nova Scotia	6,111	7,170	7,795 +
New Brunswick	7,603	10,295	9,635 -
Quebec	49,232	61,688	66,023 +
Ontario	120,193	143,243	152,440 +
Manitoba	24,559	24,328	26,509 +
Saskatchewan	47,202	40,477	45,301 +
Alberta	59,543	70,906	76,546 +
British Columbia	15,461	16,601	17,599 +
CANADA	333,779	380,006	406,386

1/ Excludes Supplementary Payments.

CASH INCOME, BY PROVINCES, AND ITEMS, JANUARY TO MARCH - 1949

	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.
(Thousand Dollars)					
Wheat.....	-	-	-	-	283
Wheat Equalization & Adj. Payments..	-	-	-	-	-
Oats.....	123	14	163	445	953
Barley.....	-	-	-	22	249
Oats & Barley Equalization Payments.	-	-	-	-	-
Rye.....	-	-	-	-	-
Flax.....	-	-	-	-	-
Other Field Crops ^{1/}	1,552	1,591	4,555	14,196	42,550
TOTAL FIELD CROPS.....	1,675	1,605	4,718	14,663	44,035
Cattle & Calves.....	619	1,571	1,281	9,958	32,230
Sheep & Lambs.....	^{2/}	55	14	148	320
Hogs.....	863	778	978	16,833	32,297
Dairy Products.....	571	2,203	1,526	15,920	24,860
Poultry & Eggs.....	521	1,388	838	6,793	14,845
Other Livestock Products, ^{3/}	164	99	131	578	919
TOTAL LIVESTOCK & PRODUCTS.....	2,738	6,094	4,768	50,230	105,471
Miscellaneous.....	125	96	149	1,130	2,934
CASH INCOME FROM FARM PRODUCTS.....	4,538	7,795	9,635	66,023	152,440
Supplementary Payments.....	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL CASH INCOME.....	4,538	7,795	9,635	66,023	152,440

^{1/} Includes, Corn, Hay & Clover, Potatoes, Sugar Beets, Tobacco, Fruits, Vegetables and Forest Products.

^{2/} Less than one thousand dollars.

^{3/} Includes Honey and Fur Farming.

CASH INCOME, BY PROVINCES AND ITEMS, JANUARY TO MARCH - 1949

Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	CANADA	
(Thousand Dollars)					
2,496	11,231	17,894	261	32,165....	Wheat
499	2,573	1,598	-	4,670....	Wheat Equalization & Adj. Payments
882	2,002	2,998	78	7,658....	Oats
1,968	1,963	4,603	193	8,998....	Barley
1,095	2,034	863	12	4,004....	Oats & Barley Equalization Payments
90	690	975	-	1,755....	Rye
1,168	1,100	1,343	4	3,615....	Flax
709	297	962	4,601	71,013....	Other Field Crops 1/
8,907	21,890	31,236	5,149	133,878....	TOTAL FIELD CROPS
7,727	11,329	23,254	2,281	90,250....	Cattle & Calves
45	75	918	49	1,624....	Sheep & Lambs
3,238	4,414	11,502	1,208	72,111....	Hogs
3,526	4,022	5,231	4,280	62,139....	Dairy Products
2,191	2,613	2,688	3,328	35,205....	Poultry & Eggs
492	293	594	177	3,447....	Other Livestock Products, 3/
17,219	22,746	44,187	11,323	264,776....	TOTAL LIVESTOCK & PRODUCTS
383	665	1,123	1,127	7,732....	Miscellaneous
26,509	45,301	76,546	17,599	406,386....	CASH INCOME FROM FARM PRODUCTS
46	6,775	2,025	-	8,846....	Supplementary Payments
26,555	52,076	78,571	17,599	415,232....	TOTAL CASH INCOME

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2/ Less than one thousand dollars.

3/ Includes Honey and Fur Farming.

CASH INCOME, BY PROVINCES AND ITEMS, JANUARY TO MARCH - 1948

	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.
(Thousand Dollars)					
Wheat.....	-	-	-	-	218
Wheat Equalization & Adj. Payments..	-	-	-	-	-
Oats.....	127	15	167	398	618
Barley.....	-	-	-	42	269
Rye.....	-	-	-	-	-
Flax.....	-	-	-	-	-
Other Field Crops <u>1/</u>	2,508	1,562	5,573	13,360	37,985
TOTAL FIELD CROPS.....	2,635	1,577	5,740	13,800	39,090
Cattle & Calves.....	228	939	906	7,036	21,620
Sheep & Lambs.....	2/	52	15	121	173
Hogs.....	1,107	747	1,097	18,477	34,343
Dairy Products.....	469	2,216	1,535	14,689	25,194
Poultry & Eggs.....	471	1,390	631	5,579	18,624
Other Livestock Products, <u>3/</u>	243	162	208	938	1,452
TOTAL LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS.....	2,518	5,506	4,392	46,840	101,406
Miscellaneous.....	145	87	163	1,048	2,747
CASH INCOME FROM FARM PRODUCTS.....	5,298	7,170	10,295	61,688	143,243
Supplementary Payments.....	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL CASH INCOME.....	5,298	7,170	10,295	61,688	143,243

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2/ Less than one thousand dollars.

3/ Includes Honey and Fur Farming.

CASH INCOME, BY PROVINCES AND ITEMS, JANUARY TO MARCH - 1948

Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	CANADA	
(Thousand Dollars)					
1,652	6,022	11,970	311	20,173....	Wheat
693	4,049	1,446	-	6,188....	Wheat Equalization & Adj. Payments
372	1,246	3,735	109	6,787....	Oats
1,130	1,161	3,300	24	5,926....	Barley
58	582	372	-	1,012....	Rye
422	208	608	4	1,242....	Flax
736	340	1,177	4,152	67,393....	Other Field Crops <u>1/</u>
5,063	13,608	22,608	4,600	108,721....	TOTAL FIELD CROPS
6,872	10,387	17,898	1,888	67,774....	Cattle & Calves
33	69	973	36	1,472....	Sheep & Lambs
4,681	7,452	18,264	1,366	87,534....	Hogs
4,097	5,026	5,574	4,355	63,155....	Dairy Products
2,334	2,804	3,536	2,971	38,340....	Poultry & Eggs
902	541	1,019	331	5,796....	Other Livestock Products, <u>3/</u>
18,919	26,279	47,264	10,947	264,071....	TOTAL LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS
346	590	1,034	1,054	7,214....	Miscellaneous
24,328	40,477	70,906	16,601	380,006....	CASH INCOME FROM FARM PRODUCTS
433	11,515	2,787	-	14,735....	Supplementary Payments
24,761	51,992	73,693	16,601	394,741....	TOTAL CASH INCOME

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3/ Includes Money and Fur Farming.

CASH INCOME, BY PROVINCES AND ITEMS, JANUARY TO MARCH - 1947

	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.
(Thousand Dollars)					
Wheat.....	-	-	-	-	229
Wheat Participation Certificates.....	-	-	-	-	-
Oats.....	95	12	46	306	641
Barley.....	-	-	-	13	228
Rye.....	-	-	-	-	-
Flax.....	-	-	-	-	-
Other Field Crops <u>2/</u>	1,292	1,554	3,801	12,355	45,202
TOTAL FIELD CROPS.....	1,387	1,566	3,847	12,674	46,300
Cattle & Calves.....	403	1,282	819	5,426	12,858
Sheep & Lambs.....	9	39	13	88	236
Hogs.....	682	161	693	10,885	19,694
Dairy Products.....	349	1,801	1,072	12,760	21,162
Poultry & Eggs.....	553	952	718	5,505	16,075
Other Livestock Products <u>3/</u>	391	236	326	1,067	1,568
TOTAL LIVESTOCK & PRODUCTS.....	2,387	4,471	3,641	35,731	71,593
Miscellaneous.....	101	74	115	827	2,300
CASH INCOME FROM FARM PRODUCTS.....	3,875	6,111	7,603	49,232	120,193
Supplementary Payments.....	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL CASH INCOME.....	3,875	6,111	7,603	49,232	120,193

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2/ Includes Corn, Hay & Clover, Potatoes, Sugar Beets, Tobacco, Fruits, Vegetables and Forest Products.

3/ Includes Wool, Horses, Honey and Fur Farming.

CASH INCOME, BY PROVINCES AND ITEMS, JANUARY TO MARCH - 1947

Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	CANADA
(Thousand Dollars)				
4,350	11,858	16,704	342	33,483....Wheat
2,041	9,350	4,544	-	15,935....Wheat Participation Certificates
1,204	3,903	4,506	138	10,851....Oats
2,319	1,769	2,369	18	6,716....Barley
82	935	876	-	1,893....Rye
55	36	44	1/	135....Flax
642	276	1,130	4,770	71,022....Other Field Crops, 2/
10,693	28,127	30,173	5,268	140,035....TOTAL FIELD CROPS
4,360	6,738	10,409	1,632	43,927....Cattle & Calves
45	91	1,280	12	1,813....Sheep & Lambs
2,793	4,725	8,603	674	48,910....Hogs
2,949	3,509	4,023	3,318	50,943....Dairy Products
2,381	2,602	2,781	3,205	34,772....Poultry & Eggs
1,106	949	1,411	374	7,428....Other Livestock Products 3/
13,634	18,614	28,507	9,215	187,793....TOTAL LIVESTOCK & PRODUCTS
232	461	863	978	5,951....Miscellaneous
24,559	47,202	59,543	15,461	333,779....CASH INCOME FROM FARM PRODUCTS
5	8,142	1,370	-	9,517....Supplementary Payments
24,564	55,344	60,913	15,461	343,296....TOTAL CASH INCOME

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3/ Includes Wool, Horses, Honey and Fur Farming.

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