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## CASH INCOME FROM THE SALE OF FARM PRODUCTS IN THE PRAIRIE PROVINCES

### JANUARY TO SEPTE BER, 1926 TO 1941

Ottawa, November 24, 1941. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics issues today estimates of the cash income from the sale of farm products in the Prairie Provinces for the months of January to September, 1926 to 1941. These estimates are based on reports of marketings and prices received by farmers for the principal farm products. The estimates are subject to revision as more complete data on production and marketings become available.

#### SUMMARY

Cash income from the sale of farm products in the Prairie Provinces during the first nine months of 1941 totalled \$255,359,000 compared with \$208,588,000 in the corresponding period of 1940 and an average of \$205,192,000 for the five years 1936 to 1940. Higher receipts in 1941 have been recorded for all individual items contributing to the total. The higher returns from wheat occurred early in the year as a result of the heavy marketings of the 1940 wheat crop during the first six months of 1941. Receipts from the 1941 wheat crop in the third quarter of the year are sharply below those of the same months of 1940 but receipts from all other grains and all classes of live stock are higher for the current year. The important increases which occurred in income from the sale of live stock and animal products are the result of a greater volume of production and higher prices for these products. Income from hogs amounted to \$37,404,000 during the first nine months of 1941 as compared with \$25,667,000 during the corresponding period of 1940. Receipts from the sale of milk and butterfat were \$27,320,000 during the first nine months of 1941 as compared with \$17,759,000 in the same months of 1940.

Cash income in the third quarter of 1941 amounted to 999,019,000 as compared with \$118,994,000 in the same quarter of 1940. The reduction of \$40,834,000 in receipts from wheat during this period was partially offset by increases in income from all other sources. For the first nine months of 1941 cash income in Alberta showed the greatest increase over that of the corresponding months of 1940. In that province the increase amounted to \$27,374,000 or 38 per cent. In Saskatchewan the increase amounted to \$11,210,000 or 12 per cent. Cash income to farmers in Manitoba was higher by \$8,187,000 or 20 per cent over the first nine months of 1940. Total cash income for the three Prairie Provinces at \$39,044,000 in September was the highest for any individual month during the current year.

Since deliveries of wheat during the last three months of 1941 will be substantially below those of the same period a year previously, the cash income from wheat during the final quarter of 1941 will be considerably below that of 1940 especially in Alberta and Saskatchewan. On the other hand, income from the sale of other grains, live stock and live-stock products will be higher. On balance cash income from the sale of farm products in the Prairie Provinces should be substantially higher for the calendar year 1941 than was the case in 1940. Income included in this report is that received from the sale of farm products and does not include any bonus payments made to farmers during the period under review.

# Cash Income from the Sale of Farm Products in the Prairie Provinces, January to September, 1926 to 1941

#### Thousand Dollars

1927 1928 1929 1930 1931	214,563 352,580 341,846 182,059 96,907	1934
		1940 208,588 1941 255,359

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Cash Income from the Sale of Farm Products in the Prairie Provinces, Nine Month Periods, 1937 to 1941

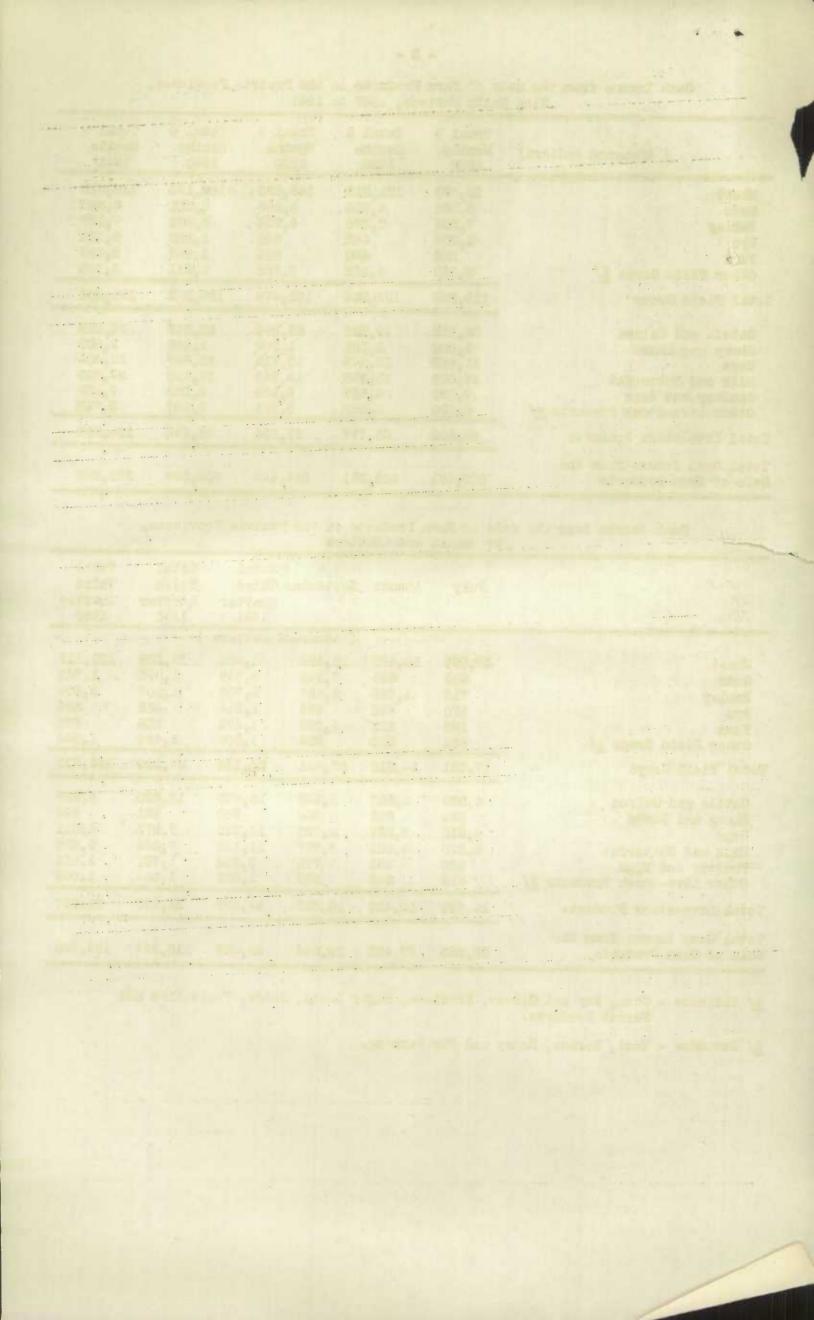
( thousand dollers)	Total 9				
	Months	Months	Months	Months	Months
	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941
Wheat Oats Barley Rye Flax Other Field Crops 1/	95,873	121,215	145,260	109,173	119,512
	6,524	4,933	4,265	5,231	6,880
	7,834	5,266	4,733	3,442	7,127
	1,285	445	842	1,138	2,112
	586	480	824	1,347	2,237
	3,165	4,165	2,555	2,611	3,188
otal Field Crops	115,267	136,504	158,479	122,942	141,056
Cattle and Calves Sheep and Lambs Hogs Wilk and Butterfat Poultry and Eggs Other Live-stock Products 2/	32,922	19,222	22,896	28,843	34,923
	1,329	1,151	1,357	1,438	1,656
	21,925	15,943	15,715	25,667	37,404
	17,039	18,953	15,643	17,759	27,320
	7,039	6,825	6,984	8,252	9,258
	4,950	3,683	3,371	3,687	3,742
otal Live-stock Products	85,204	65,777	65,966	85,646	114,303
otal Cash Income from the ale of Farm Products	200,471	202,281	224,445	208,588	255,359

Cash Income from the Sale of Farm Products in the Prairie Provinces, by Months and Quarters

	July	August	September	Total Third Quarter 1941	Total Third Quarter 1940	Total Third Quarter 1939	
			( thousan	d dollars	)		
Wheat Oats Barley Rye Flax Other Field Crops 1	15,499 635 713 170 183 461	10,420 666 1,645 466 222 593	15,486 2,248 2,427 678 1,068 554	41,405 3,549 4,785 1,314 1,473 1,608	82,239 1,076 1,207 435 928 1,464	129,117 1,762 2,838 554 738 1,324	
Total Field Crops	17,661	14,012	22,461	54,134	87,349	136,333	
Cattle and Calves Sheep and Lambs Hogs Milk and Butterfat Poultry and Eggs Other Live-stock Products 2/	4,539 224 4,216 4,270 830 813	4,853 248 3,327 4,081 653 248	6,443 308 4,720 3,777 770 565	15,835 780 12,263 12,128 2,253 1,626	13,630 651 7,273 7,026 1,781 1,284	8,838 596 4,511 6,585 1,815 1,052	
Total Live-stock Products	14,892	13,410	16,583	44,885	31,645	23,397	
Total Cash Income from the Sale of Farm Products	32,553	27,422	39,044	99,019	118,994	159,730	

<sup>1/</sup> Includes - Corn, Hay and Clover, Potatoes, Sugar Beets, Seeds, Vegetables and Forest Products.

<sup>2/</sup> Includes - Wool, Horses, Honey and Fur Farming.

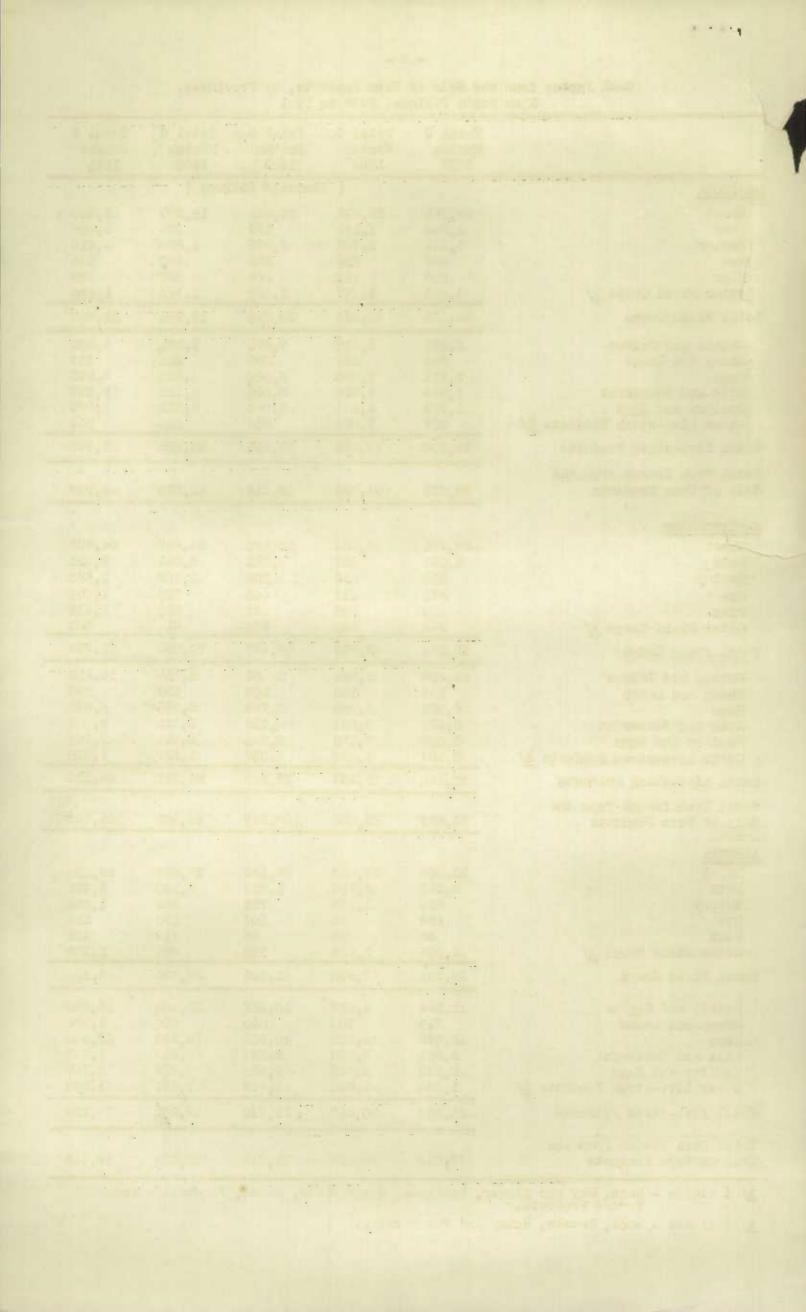


Cash Income from the Sale of Farm Products, by Provinces, Nine Month Periods, 1937 to 1941

	Total 9 Months	Total 9 Months	Total 9 Months	Total 9 Months	Total 9
	1.937	1938	1939	1940	1941
MANITOBA		( t)	nousand dol.	lars )	
Wheat	29,765	25,885	25,058	15,377	15,400
Oats	1,743	1,140	637	450	1,468
Barley	6,142	3,705	2,879	1,653	4,412
Rye	857	292	288	240	538
Flax	205	162	306	359	495
Other Field Crops 1/	1,420	1,877	1,158	1,172	1,470
Cotal Field Crops	40,132	33,061	30,326	19,251	23,783
Cattle and Calves	6,372	6,297	7,071	7,871	7,530
Sheep and Lambs	233	259	289	301	287
Hogs	2,711	2,893	2,909	4,653	5,565
Milk and Butterfat	5,964	6,539	5,594	6,119	8,929
Poultry and Eggs	1,913	1,844	2,085	2,512	2,785
Other Live-stock Products 2/	907	1,003	868	829	844
Total Live-stock Products	18,100	18,835	18,816	22,285	25,940
otal Cash Income from the	FO 000	F1 000	10 710	(1) 500	0 200
Sale of Farm Products	58,232	51,896	49,142	41,536	÷9,723
SASKATCHENAN					
Wheat	27,799	43,303	82,020	64,897	64,678
Oats	2,535	997	1,775	2,641	2,421
Barley	858	416	1,102	1,107	1,663
Rye	272	112	445	728	1,359
Flax	339	293	433	869	1,416
Other Field Crops 1/	741	652	672	610	532
Total Field Crops	32,544	45,773	86,447	70,852	72,069
Cattle and Calves	14,306	3,598	5,438	8,165	10,513
Sheep and Lambs	347	188	208	237	293
Hogs	6,969	2,995	2,798	5,365	8,891
Milk and Butterfat	5,474	5,894	4,916	5,723	9,443
Poultry and Eggs	2,886	2,572	2,843	3,414	3,766
Other Live-stock Products 2/	2,159	1,038	1,037	1,227	1,218
Total Live-stock Products	32,141	16,285	17,240	24,131	34,124
Potal Cash Income from the		0.0 ACO	100 000	04 007	200 200
Sale of Farm Products	64,685	62,058	103,687	94,983	106,193
ALBERTA					
Wheat	38,309	52,027	38,182	28,899	39,434
Oats	2,246	2,796	1,853	2,140	2,991
Barley	834	1,1.45	752	682	1,052
Rye	156	41	109	170	215
Flax	42	25	85	119	326
Other Field Crops 1	1,004	1,636	725	829	1,186
Total Field Crops	42,591	57,670	41,706	32,839	45,204
Cattle and Calves	12,244	9,327	10,387	12,807	16,880
Sheep and Lambs	749	704	860	900	1,07
Hogs	12,245	10,055	10,008	15,649	22,948
Milk and Butterfat	5,601	6,520	5,133	5,917	8,948
Poultry and Eggs	2,240	2,409	2,056	2,326	2,70
Other Live-stock Products 2/					
Total Live-stock Products	34,963	30,657	29,910	39,230	54,239
Total Cash Income from the					
Sale of Farm Products	77,554	88,327	71,616	72,069	99,44

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Cash Income from the Sale of Farm Products, by Provinces,

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				Total	Total	Total		
				Third	Third	Third		
	July	August	September	Quarter	Quarter	Quarter		
				19:11	1940	1939		
MANITOBA	( thousand dollars )							
Wheat	1,781	2,645	2,198	6,624	13,463	23,161		
Oats	126	372	768	1,266	185	400		
Barley	495	1,432	1,569	3,496	899	2,076		
Rye	62	227	170	459	166	199		
Flax	52	108	226	386	301	298		
Other Field Crops 1/	258	228	226	712	628	624		
Total Field Crops	2,774	5,012	5,157	12,943	15,642	26,758		
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Cattle and Calves	915	887	1,294	3,096	3,838	2,906		
Sheep and Lambs	64	69	100	233	243	222		
Hogs	578	456	677	1,711	1,252	813		
Milk and Butterfat	1,300	1,239	1,159	3,698	2,398	2,244		
Poultry and Eggs	278	176	278	732	580	567		
Other Live-stock Products 2/	47	, 35	211	293	242	206		
Total Live-stock Products	3,182	2,862	3,719	9,763	8,553	6,958		
Total Cash Income from the								
Sale of Farm Products	5,956	7,874	8,876	22,706	24,195	33,716		
SASKATCHEWAN								
Wheat	7,940	5,299	10,365	23,604	49,767	75,299		
Oats	251	157	1,005	1,413	537	725		
Barley	153	189	774	1,116	211	494		
Rye	81	214	481	776	231	296		
Flax	111	89	743	943	545	360		
Other Field Crops 1/	66	75	108	249	346	302		
Total Field Crops	8,602	6,023	13,476	28,101	51,637	77,476		
Cattle and Calves	1,525	1,687	2,439	5,651	4,501	2,436		
Sheep and Lambs	70	72	91	233	179	150		
Hogs	923	707	901	2,531	1,354	649		
Milk and Butterfat	1,565	1,466	1,426	4,457	2,336	2,182		
Poultry and Eggs	362	343	248	953	599	±00		
Other Live-stock Products 2/	210	114	167	491	420	330		
Total Live-stock Products	4,655	4,389	5,272	14,316	9,389	6,147		
Total Cash Income from the								
Sale of Farm Products	13,257	10,112	18,748	42,417	61,026	83,623		
ALBERTA								
Wheat	5,778	2,476	2,923	11,177	19,009	30,657		
Oats	258	137		870	354	637		
Barley	65	24	84	173	97	268		
Rye	27	25	27	79	38	59		
Flax	20	25	99	144	82	80		
Other Field Crops 1/	137	290	220	647	490	398		
Total Field Crops	6,285	0 000	3,828	13,090	20,070	32,099		
				7,088	5,291	3,496		
Cattle and Calves	2,099	2,279		314	229			
Sheep and Lambs	2,715	2,164			4,667			
Hogs				3,973	2,292	2,159		
Milk and Butterfat	1,405	1,376	1,192	568	602	848		
Poultry and Eggs Other Live-stock Products 2/	556	99	187	842	622	516		
Total Live-stock Products	7,055	6,159	7,592					
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Total Cash Income from the	13,340	9,136	11,420	33,896	33,773	42,391		
Sale of Farm Products	70,010	3,100	11, 120	00,000	00,770	10,001		

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