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SEPTEMBER FORECAST OF PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL FIELD CROPS, CANADA, 1967

On the basis of yields indicated at September 15, production of the six major grains this year, with the 1966 totals in brackets, in millions of bushels, is as follows: all wheat, 592.9 (827.3); oats, 301.3 (374.7); barley, 247.7 (301.2); all rye, 13.4 (17.2); flaxseed, 10.2 (22.0); and rapeseed, 26.5 (25.8).

The current forecast based on farm surveys as of September 15 confirms earlier indications that crop outturns in the Prairie Provinces were much better this year than had been expected earlier in spite of drought conditions over large areas of the Prairie Provinces. By the time this survey was taken much of the crop was harvested, and in consequence, the current forecast is based to a large extent on actual threshing returns. Normal temperatures on the Prairies during the latter part of August advanced the start of harvesting and near perfect weather in September favoured completion of the harvest in record time. The crop came off in good condition and quality is high. By mid-September the bulk of the wheat crop was combined and towards the end of the month most crops in all districts were under cover except for a small portion of the flax and other oilseed crops.

The harvesting of spring sown grains in Ontario and Quebec is also nearing completion. Wet weather in August delayed field operations but warm sunny weather in early September permitted good progress with the harvest. Latest indications record somewhat lower yields than indicated earlier. In the Maritime provinces wet conditions have hampered harvesting operations and the quality of most crops has been affected. Farmers in British Columbia have almost completed harvesting crops with good early September weather however yields of most crops declined as a result of the hot, dry conditions experienced during the latter part of summer.

In addition to the crops for which second forecasts are now available, first forecasts of production for buckwheat, dry peas, dry beans, corn for grain, soybeans, sunflower seed, sugar beets, field roots and fodder corn are included in this report.

Forecasts of average yields in this report are based on returns from crop correspondents reporting on conditions on or about September 15 and on information supplied by contracting and processing companies and by officials responsible for

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agricultural statistics in each of the provinces. Estimates of acreages seeded to the various crops, with certain exceptions, are those obtained from the Agriculture Division's annual June Survey and published in the August 4 Crop Report, and include all revisions to date. The latest estimates of acreage, yield and production for 1966 are included in the tables for comparison. It is emphasized that all yields, except where specified, are reported on a field-run basis, no allowance being made for dockage which varies from year to year and for different crops.

ALL WHEAT Canada's 1967 wheat crop now placed at 592.9 million bushels is 28 per cent below last year's 827.3 million bushels. Production is lower than the previous year due to a 29 per cent decrease in yield although acreage was increased by one per cent. The average yield at 19.7 bushels per acre is 29 per cent below the 1966 average of 27.9 bushels per acre. This year's all Canada crop of spring wheat, including durum, is forecast at 577.4 million bushels compared with the 1966 crop of 812.1 million. Ontario's winter wheat crop is estimated at 15.5 million bushels an increase of 2 per cent from last year's crop of 15.2 million.

In the Prairie Provinces the 1967 wheat crop is now placed at 574.0 million bushels, some 233.0 million bushels or 29 per cent below the 1966 crop. The current crop is above that of 1966 in Manitoba where production is forecast at 90.0 million bushels compared with 79.0 million last year. Production in Saskatchewan which accounts for about 57 per cent of this year's all Canada wheat crop, is estimated at 339.0 million bushels, some 37 per cent less than last year's outturn of 537.0 million. The Alberta crop, forecast at 145.0 million bushels, is down 24 per cent from last year's production of 191.0 million. The indicated average yield per seeded acre in the Prairie Provinces, on the basis of conditions at mid-September, is 19.4 bushels, with Manitoba averaging 25.6, Saskatchewan 17.2 and Alberta 22.7 bushels. Current estimates of production in the Prairies include relatively small quantities of winter wheat principally in Alberta, and an estimated 20.6 million bushels of durum wheat.

DURUM WHEAT The acreage in durum wheat in the Prairie Provinces in 1967 was 24 per cent more than that seeded in 1966, but the average yield estimated at 15.6 bushels per acre is 42 per cent below 1966. Mid-September indications are for a crop of 20.6 million bushels compared with the 1966 crop of 28.4 million. Estimated production by provinces, in millions of bushels, is as follows: Manitoba, 1.1; Saskatchewan, 16.5; and Alberta, 3.0.

OATS FOR GRAIN Production of oats for grain in 1967 is forecast at 301.3 million bushels, 20 per cent below last year's 374.7 million. Production in the Prairie Provinces is forecast at 191.0 million bushels compared with 258.0 million in 1966. This year's production in Manitoba at 65.0 million compares with the 1966 crop of 64.0 million bushels. In Saskatchewan, forecast production of 49.0 million bushels is 47 per cent less than the 1966 output of 93.0 million. The Alberta crop of 77.0 million bushels is 24 per cent smaller than last year's crop of 101.0 million. Yields of oats in Ontario are forecast at 53.7 bushels per acre and production is expected to amount to some 58.2 million bushels, about 19 per cent of the total Canadian output. The crop is 2 per cent below the 1966 outturn of 59.2 million bushels. The indicated average yield for Canada as a whole is 40.5 bushels per acre compared with 47.3 in 1966.

BARLEY The 1967 barley crop is forecast at 247.7 million bushels, 18 per cent below last year's 301.2 million. Production in the Prairie Provinces is forecast at 229.0 million bushels compared with 283.0 million in 1966. This year's production in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta is estimated at 33.0 million, 62.0 million and 134.0 million bushels, respectively. The estimated average yield for the Prairie Provinces at 30.1 bushels is some 25 per cent lower than the 1966 average of 40.4 bushels. The indicated average yield for Canada as a whole is 30.5 bushels per acre compared with 40.4 bushels in 1966.

RYE The combined production of fall and spring rye is now estimated at 13.4 million bushels, some 22 per cent below the 1966 crop of 17.2 million. Average yields estimated at 17.7 bushels per acre, are 25 per cent below the 1966 average of 23.7 bushels.

OILSEED CROPS The 1967 flaxseed crop is now forecast at 10.2 million bushels, some 54 per cent below last year's outturn of 22.0 million. Acreage sown to this crop decreased 42 per cent this year and average yields at 9.2 bushels per acre are 20 per cent below last year's 11.5 bushels. Rapeseed production in 1967 is forecast at 26.5 million bushels compared with 25.8 million bushels last year. Acreage seeded to this crop was 13 per cent larger than in 1966 but the average yield of 15.4 bushels per acre is 9 per cent lower than the 1966 outturn of 16.9 bushels. Production of soybeans currently forecast at 8.3 million bushels, is 8 per cent smaller than last year's outturn of 9.0 million bushels. The average yield per acre is forecast at 28.6 bushels compared with 32.3 bushels last year. The area sown to sunflowers in Manitoba is placed at 44,000 acres and is the only province having significant acreage in 1967. The indicated yield at 850 pounds per acre results in a forecast production of 37,400,000 pounds.

MIXED GRAINS Canada's 1967 crop of mixed grains is estimated at 75.9 million bushels, down 7 per cent from the 81.4 million produced in 1966. The indicated average yield for all Canada at 45.5 bushels per acre is one per cent lower than the 46.1 bushels obtained in 1966. Some 45.6 million bushels of this year's crop were grown in Ontario where the average yield of 55.9 bushels per acre compared with last year's yield of 48.4 bushels per acre.

DRY PEAS AND BEANS The 1967 production of dry peas is placed at 1.0 million bushels, a decrease of 10 per cent from last year's outturn of 1.1 million bushels. The average yield per acre at 20.8 bushels is up 17 per cent from last year. Acreage seeded to this crop decreased by 23 per cent in 1967 from the previous year. The dry bean crop is forecast at 2.1 million bushels, compared with last year's outturn of 2.9 million bushels.

CORN FOR GRAIN Production of corn for grain in 1967 is forecast at 72.1 million bushels, 9 per cent above last year's crop of 66.3 million. The expected average yield of 82.3 bushels per acre compares with 82.2 bushels for last year. With the exception of 275,000 bushels produced in Manitoba and 1,508,000 bushels in Quebec with small quantities in other provinces for which estimates are not available, all of this year's crop of grain corn was grown in Ontario.

POTATOES On the basis of yields indicated at mid-September the 1967 potato crop is estimated at 43.0 million cwt. compared with last year's crop of 57.2 million cwt. Indicated production in the four major potato producing provinces, with last year's figures in brackets, is as follows: Prince Edward Island, 8.4 (10.8); New Brunswick, 11.3 (14.4); Quebec, 7.5 (8.8); and Ontario, 6.8 (12.5) million cwt.

FORAGE CROPS Production of tame hay including clover and alfalfa, currently placed at 24.9 million tons, is 4 per cent below last year's 26.0 million tons. Production of fodder corn is forecast at 7.1 million tons, 7 per cent above last year's production of 6.6 million.

SUGAR BEETS Production of sugar beets is forecast at 1,092,800 tons, compared with last year's output of 1,166,554 tons. Forecast yields at 12.91 tons per acre are 10 per cent below last year's output of 14.35 tons. Production in Alberta, placed at 448,800 tons, accounts for 41 per cent of the Canadian total.

BUCKWHEAT Production of buckwheat, grown chiefly in Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec, is estimated at 1,185 thousand bushels compared with 1,164 thousand produced in 1966. Yields at 15.7 bushels per acre, are 26 per cent below last year's level of 21.3 bushels.

FIELD ROOTS The 1967 crop of field roots (turnips, mangels, etc.) is placed at 162,000 tons compared with 195,000 tons last year.

SUMMARY COMPARISONS OF PRODUCTION

ALL CANADA

Based on conditions on or about September 15, the 1967 production of principal grain crops in Canada is forecast, in millions of bushels, as follows, with 1966 totals within brackets: winter wheat, 15.5 (15.2); spring wheat, 577.4 (812.1); all wheat 592.9 (827.3); oats for grain, 301.3 (374.7); barley, 247.7 (301.2); fall rye, 12.2 (15.2); spring rye, 1.2 (2.0); all rye, 13.4 (17.2); flaxseed, 10.2 (22.0); mixed grains, 75.9 (81.4); corn for grain, 72.1 (66.3); buckwheat, 1.2 (1.2); dry peas, 1.0 (1.1); dry beans, 2.1 (2.9); soybeans, 8.3 (9.0); and rapeseed, 26.5 (25.8). Average yields per acre in bushels, are forecast as follows, with the 1966 figures within brackets: all wheat, 19.7 (27.9); oats for grain, 40.5 (47.3); barley, 30.5 (40.4); all rye, 17.7 (23.7); flaxseed, 9.2 (11.5); mixed grains, 45.5 (46.1); corn for grain, 82.3 (82.2); buckwheat, 15.7 (21.3); dry peas, 20.8 (17.8); dry beans, 20.0 (24.8); soybeans, 28.6 (32.3); and rapeseed, 15.4 (16.9).

The indicated production of root and fodder crops in 1967, with 1966 totals within brackets, are as follows: Potatoes, 43.0 (57.2) million cwt.; tame hay, 24.9 (26.0) million tons; fodder corn, 7.1 (6.6) million tons; field roots, 162 (195) thousand tons; and sugar beets, 1,093 (1,167) thousand tons. The average yields per acre are as follows, with last year's figures within brackets; potatoes, 141.5 (179.3) cwt.; tame hay, 1.93 (1.98) tons; fodder corn, 11.87 (11.50) tons; field roots, 11.82 (12.91) tons; and sugar beets, 12.91 (14.35) tons.

PRAIRIE PROVINCES

According to the second forecast, production of the six principal grain crops in the Prairie Provinces, in millions of bushels, is as follows, with 1966 totals within brackets: three provinces - wheat, 574.0 (807.0); oats for grain, 191.0 (258.0); barley, 229.0 (283.0); all rye, 11.9 (15.7); flaxseed, 9.8 (21.5); rapeseed, 26.5 (25.8). Manitoba-wheat, 90.0 (79.0); oats for grain, 65.0 (64.0); barley, 33.0 (28.0); all rye, 2.7 (2.4); flaxseed, 6.2 (10.0); rapeseed, 2.8 (2.1). Saskatchewan-wheat, 339.0 (537.0); oats for grain, 49.0 (93.0); barley, 62.0 (96.0); all rye, 5.5 (9.0); flaxseed, 1.6 (6.0); rapeseed, 11.5 (12.7). Alberta-wheat, 145.0 (191.0); oats for grain, 77.0 (101.0); barley, 134.0 (159.0); all rye, 3.7 (4.3); flaxseed, 2.0 (5.5); rapeseed, 12.2 (11.0).

TABLE 1. September Forecast of the 1967 Production of Principal Field Crops in Canada, Compared with Latest Estimates for 1966

Province and crop	Area		Yield per acre		Production	
	1966	1967	1966	1967(1)	1966	1967(1)
	- acres -		- bushels -		- bushels -	
CANADA						
Winter wheat ..	341,000	400,000	44.6	38.7	15,200,000	15,480,000
Spring wheat(2)	29,351,500	29,720,800	27.7	19.4	812,138,000	577,388,000
All wheat ...	29,692,500	30,120,800	27.9	19.7	827,338,000	592,868,000
Oats for grain	7,923,900	7,436,100	47.3	40.5	374,678,000	301,305,000
Barley	7,461,300	8,115,000	40.4	30.5	301,235,000	247,735,000
Fall rye	623,200	674,000	24.4	18.1	15,214,000	12,171,000
Spring rye	102,600	84,300	19.6	14.4	2,006,000	1,217,000
All rye	725,800	758,300	23.7	17.7	17,220,000	13,388,000
Flaxseed	1,917,700	1,107,400	11.5	9.2	22,020,000	10,212,000
Mixed grains ..	1,766,600	1,668,200	46.1	45.5	81,443,000	75,946,000
Corn for grain	806,600	875,500	82.2	82.3	66,328,000	72,078,000
Buckwheat	54,600	75,500	21.3	15.7	1,164,000	1,185,000
Peas, dry	61,300	47,400	17.8	20.8	1,094,000	988,000
Beans, dry	118,000	106,000	24.8	20.0	2,932,000	2,117,000
Soybeans	279,000	290,000	32.3	28.6	9,012,000	8,294,000
Rapeseed	1,525,000	1,726,000	16.9	15.4	25,800,000	26,500,000
			- cwt. -		- cwt. -	
Potatoes	318,900	303,800(3)	179.3	141.5	57,180,000	42,993,000
			- tons -		- tons -	
Tame hay	13,154,000	12,902,000	1.98	1.93	26,049,000	24,882,000
Fodder corn ...	577,700	596,400	11.50	11.87	6,643,000	7,081,000
Field roots ...	15,100	13,700	12.91	11.82	195,000	162,000
Sugar beets ...	81,272(3)	84,621(3)	14.35(3)	12.91	1,166,554	1,092,800
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND						
			- bushels -		- bushels -	
Spring wheat ..	2,100	1,600	35.7	30.0	75,000	48,000
Oats for grain	85,900	80,000	62.7	44.7	5,386,000	3,576,000
Barley	11,600	18,000	59.0	32.0	684,000	576,000
Mixed grains ..	48,100	50,000	65.0	45.5	3,126,000	2,275,000
			- cwt. -		- cwt. -	
Potatoes	52,100	51,000	206.8	165.0	10,776,000	8,415,000
			- tons -		- tons -	
Tame hay	182,000	180,000	1.94	1.90	353,000	342,000
Field roots ...	1,900	1,700	13.16	12.94	25,000	22,000
NOVA SCOTIA						
			- bushels -		- bushels -	
Spring wheat ..	1,400	2,000	38.6	37.5	54,000	75,000
Oats for grain	25,700	24,000	56.8	45.0	1,460,000	1,080,000
Barley	3,600	6,000	50.6	36.3	182,000	218,000
Mixed grains ..	10,100	13,000	56.7	43.7	573,000	568,000
			- cwt. -		- cwt. -	
Potatoes	6,200	5,000	156.9	147.0	973,000	735,000
			- tons -		- tons -	
Tame hay	226,000	218,000	2.30	2.10	520,000	458,000
Field roots ...	1,300	1,200	13.85	12.50	18,000	15,000

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TABLE 1. September Forecast of the 1967 Production of Principal Field Crops in Canada, Compared with Latest Estimates for 1966 - Continued

Province and crop	Area		Yield per acre		Production	
	1966	1967	1966	1967(1)	1966	1967(1)
	- acres -		- bushels -		- bushels -	
NEW BRUNSWICK						
Spring wheat ...	4,000	4,100	33.5	28.0	134,000	115,000
Oats for grain .	72,600	74,000	50.5	41.2	3,666,000	3,049,000
Barley	5,600	9,000	44.5	31.0	249,000	279,000
Mixed grains ...	9,500	8,000	50.0	39.0	475,000	312,000
Buckwheat	2,000	2,200	38.5	35.0	77,000	77,000
			- cwt. -	-	- cwt. -	-
Potatoes	64,900	62,000	222.7	181.5	14,450,000	11,253,000
			- tons -	-	- tons -	-
Tame hay	243,000	234,000	1.95	2.04	474,000	477,000
Field roots	1,100	1,100	12.73	10.91	14,000	12,000
			- bushels -	-	- bushels -	-
QUEBEC						
Spring wheat ...	29,000	29,100	26.5	27.0	768,000	786,000
Oats for grain .	1,002,000	1,018,000	43.1	41.3	43,186,000	42,043,000
Barley	15,500	17,000	37.0	37.5	574,000	638,000
Fall rye	4,900	4,900	23.5	23.1	115,000	113,000
Flaxseed	18,500	17,000	15.4	16.9	285,000	287,000
Mixed grains ...	102,000	110,000	43.4	42.0	4,427,000	4,620,000
Corn for grain .	17,700	20,000	63.1	75.4	1,117,000	1,508,000
Buckwheat	16,000	13,300	26.0	24.1	416,000	321,000
Peas, dry	1,400	1,700	21.4	20.0	30,000	34,000
Beans, dry	1,000	1,000	19.0	17.0	19,000	17,000
			- cwt. -	-	- cwt. -	-
Potatoes	74,700	71,000	117.4	105.8	8,770,000	7,512,000
			- tons -	-	- tons -	-
Tame hay	3,378,000	3,353,000	1.98	2.16	6,688,000	7,242,000
Fodder corn	73,900	76,400	12.48	12.54	922,000	958,000
Field roots	4,100	3,700	7.80	9.46	32,000	35,000
Sugar beets	8,418	9,000 ⁽³⁾	15.47	14.00	130,196	126,000
			- bushels -	-	- bushels -	-
ONTARIO						
Winter wheat ...	341,000	400,000	44.6	38.7	15,200,000	15,480,000
Spring wheat ...	22,000	13,000	28.5	28.0	627,000	364,000
All wheat	363,000	413,000	43.6	38.4	15,827,000	15,844,000
Oats for grain .	1,219,000	1,083,000	48.6	53.7	59,243,000	58,157,000
Barley	265,000	285,000	42.4	46.4	11,236,000	13,224,000
Fall rye	47,100	49,000	27.8	26.6	1,309,000	1,303,000
Flaxseed	14,500	7,000	14.8	16.0	215,000	112,000
Mixed grains ...	845,000	815,000	48.4	55.9	40,898,000	45,558,000
Corn for grain .	786,000	850,000	82.8	82.7	65,081,000	70,295,000
Buckwheat	13,900	15,000	23.8	25.8	331,000	387,000
Peas, dry	2,500	3,000	18.0	17.0	45,000	51,000
Beans, dry	117,000	105,000	24.9	20.0	2,913,000	2,100,000
Soybeans	279,000	290,000	32.3	28.6	9,012,000	8,294,000
			- cwt. -	-	- cwt. -	-
Potatoes	52,100	48,000	240.0	142.5	12,504,000	6,840,000
			- tons -	-	- tons -	-
Tame hay	3,418,000	3,440,000	2.31	2.54	7,896,000	8,738,000
Fodder corn	454,000	480,000	11.80	12.20	5,357,000	5,856,000
Field roots	6,700	6,000	15.82	13.00	106,000	78,000
Sugar beets	11,925	15,058 ⁽³⁾	18.14	18.13	216,312	273,000

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Province and crop	Area		Yield per acre		Production	
	1966	1967	1966	1967(1)	1966	1967(1)
MANITOBA	- acres -		- bushels -		- bushels -	
Spring wheat(2)	3,255,000	3,520,000	24.3	25.6	79,000,000	90,000,000
Oats for grain	1,530,000	1,600,000	41.8	40.6	64,000,000	65,000,000
Barley	875,000	970,000	32.0	34.0	28,000,000	33,000,000
Fall rye	97,500	140,000	24.0	18.9	2,344,000	2,650,000
Spring rye	3,000	1,100	18.7	15.5	56,000	17,000
All rye	100,500	141,100	23.9	18.9	2,400,000	2,667,000
Flaxseed	1,107,000	718,000	9.0	8.7	10,000,000	6,200,000
Mixed grains ..	184,000	178,000	37.2	37.1	6,845,000	6,600,000
Corn for grain	2,900	5,500	44.8	50.0	130,000	275,000
Buckwheat	22,700	45,000	15.0	8.9	340,000	400,000
Peas, dry	46,000	30,000	15.9	20.0	731,000	600,000
Rapeseed	170,000	176,000	12.4	15.9	2,100,000	2,800,000
			- cwt. -		- cwt. -	
Potatoes	24,500	26,500(3)	125.0	105.7	3,062,000	2,800,000
			- tons -		- tons -	
Tame hay	1,065,000	1,052,000	1.97	1.43	2,098,000	1,500,000
Fodder corn ...	37,100	26,000	6.15	5.38	228,000	140,000
Sugar beets ...	23,045(3)	26,880(3)	10.61(3)	9.11	244,533	245,000
			- bushels -		- bushels -	
SASKATCHEWAN						
Spring wheat(2)	19,405,000	19,670,000	27.7	17.2	537,000,000	339,000,000
Oats for grain	1,838,000	1,530,000	50.6	32.1	93,000,000	49,000,000
Barley	2,255,000	2,350,000	42.6	26.4	96,000,000	62,000,000
Fall rye	328,000	319,000	23.2	14.7	7,600,000	4,700,000
Spring rye	70,300	58,200	19.9	13.7	1,400,000	800,000
All rye	398,300	377,200	22.6	14.6	9,000,000	5,500,000
Flaxseed	429,000	193,000	14.0	8.3	6,000,000	1,600,000
Mixed grains ..	153,000	128,000	43.6	26.6	6,671,000	3,400,000
Peas, dry	1,000	800	25.0	21.0	25,000	17,000
Rapeseed	731,000	675,000	17.4	17.0	12,700,000	11,500,000
			- cwt. -		- cwt. -	
Potatoes	8,500	8,000	72.8	73.5	619,000	588,000
			- tons -		- tons -	
Tame hay	1,246,000	1,100,000	1.71	1.11	2,131,000	1,225,000
Fodder corn ...	6,300	7,000	4.29	2.46	27,000	17,000
			- bushels -		- bushels -	
ALBERTA						
Spring wheat(2)	6,506,000	6,380,000	29.4	22.7	191,000,000	145,000,000
Oats for grain	2,082,000	1,960,000	48.5	39.3	101,000,000	77,000,000
Barley	3,880,000	4,280,000	41.0	31.3	159,000,000	134,000,000
Fall rye	143,000	158,000	26.2	20.9	3,750,000	3,300,000
Spring rye	29,300	25,000	18.8	16.0	550,000	400,000
All rye	172,300	183,000	25.0	20.2	4,300,000	3,700,000
Flaxseed	347,000	171,000	15.9	11.7	5,500,000	2,000,000
Mixed grains ..	410,000	361,000	44.3	34.3	18,163,000	12,400,000
Peas, dry	8,000	10,000	23.9	25.0	191,000	250,000
Rapeseed	624,000	875,000	17.6	13.9	11,000,000	12,200,000

TABLE 1. September Forecast of the 1967 Production of Principal Field Crops in Canada, Compared with Latest Estimates for 1966 - Concluded

Province and crop	Area		Yield per acre		Production	
	1966	1967	1966	1967(1)	1966	1967(1)
<u>ALBERTA</u>	- acres -		- cwt. -		- cwt. -	
Potatoes	25,400	22,400	153.8	133.9	3,907,000	3,000,000
			- tons -		- tons -	
Tame hay	2,938,000	2,875,000	1.61	1.36	4,730,000	3,900,000
Sugar beets ...	37,884(3)	33,683(3)	15.19(3)	13.32	575,513	448,800
<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>			- bushels -		- bushels -	
Spring wheat ...	127,000	101,000	27.4	19.8	3,480,000	2,000,000
Oats for grain .	68,700	67,100	54.4	35.8	3,737,000	2,400,000
Barley	150,000	180,000	35.4	21.1	5,310,000	3,800,000
Fall rye	2,700	3,100	35.6	33.9	96,000	105,000
Flaxseed	1,700	1,400	11.8	9.3	20,000	13,000
Mixed grains ...	4,900	5,200	54.1	41.0	265,000	213,000
Peas, dry	2,400	1,900	30.0	18.9	72,000	36,000
			- cwt. -		- cwt. -	
Potatoes	10,500	9,900	201.8	186.9	2,119,000	1,850,000
			- tons -		- tons -	
Tame hay	458,000	450,000	2.53	2.22	1,159,000	1,000,000
Fodder corn	6,400	7,000	17.03	15.71	109,000	110,000

TABLE 2. September Forecast of the 1967 Production of Principal Grain Crops in the Prairie Provinces, Compared with Latest Estimates for 1966

Crop	Area		Yield per acre		Production	
	1966	1967	1966	1967(1)	1966	1967(1)
	- acres -		- bushels -		- bushels -	
Spring wheat ...	29,166,000	29,570,000	27.7	19.4	807,000,000	574,000,000
Oats for grain .	5,450,000	5,090,000	47.3	37.5	258,000,000	191,000,000
Barley	7,010,000	7,600,000	40.4	30.1	283,000,000	229,000,000
Rye	671,100	701,300	23.4	16.9	15,700,000	11,867,000
Flaxseed	1,883,000	1,082,000	11.4	9.1	21,500,000	9,800,000
Rapeseed	1,525,000	1,726,000	16.9	15.4	25,800,000	26,500,000

TABLE 3. September Forecast of the 1967 Production of Durum Wheat in the Prairie Provinces Compared with 1966

	Area		Yield per acre		Production	
	1966	1967	1966	1967(1)	1966	1967(1)
	- acres -		- bushels -		- bushels -	
Manitoba	43,000	53,000	20.9	20.8	900,000	1,100,000
Saskatchewan ...	905,000	1,130,000	26.5	14.6	24,000,000	16,500,000
Alberta	116,000	139,000	30.2	21.6	3,500,000	3,000,000
Total	1,064,000	1,322,000	26.7	15.6	28,400,000	20,600,000

(1) As indicated on the basis of conditions on or about September 15.

(2) Includes durum wheat for which separate estimates are shown on Table 3.

(3) Revised.

Note: Durum wheat acreage and production included with spring wheat in Tables 1 and 2.

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