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ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND FARM VALUE OF COMMERCIAL VEGETABLES, 1967

The accompanying table comprises 1967 estimates, with revised figures of the acreage for 1966, production and total farm value of commercial vegetables grown in Canada for all crops for which statistics are prepared. The total acreage of commercial vegetables for 1967 stood at 238,341 acres, about 4 per cent more than the 229,102 acres planted the previous season. The total farm value reached \$78,883,000 in 1967, some 9.0 million dollars above the revised 1966 figure. This increase in the farm value of vegetables grown in Canada, in 1966, was mainly due to an increase in the value, over the previous season, of carrots, processing tomatoes, fresh tomatoes and cucumbers of some 9.7 million dollars, although the total farm value reported for all other vegetables in 1967 was about 0.7 million dollars below the 1966 level.

Procedures followed in preparing the 1967 vegetable crop estimates varied for the different areas and, to some extent, for the different crops. Questionnaires were mailed to farmers who reported growing vegetables for sale in the 1961 Census in provinces for which statistics are published in this report, except Ontario and British Columbia. There were two questionnaires; the first one, mailed in July, was designed to provide information on the acreage of vegetables and the second, mailed about the middle of November, provided information on yields and prices.

In the Maritime Provinces, Quebec, Manitoba and Alberta, the results of these surveys formed the basis of the estimates with the final figures being prepared in consultation with representatives of Federal and Provincial Departments of Agriculture. The Quebec Bureau of Statistics and the Manitoba Department of Agriculture prepared the estimates for those provinces. In Ontario the estimates for most crops were prepared by the Ontario Fruit and Vegetable Statistics Committee. Acreage and crop estimates for British Columbia were compiled by the Provincial Department of Agriculture.

For the main processing crops - beans, corn, peas and tomatoes - acreages contracted, planted under contract and harvested and purchases of raw materials and payments for raw materials were obtained from processing firms.

The estimates included in this report cover only vegetables grown commercially for fresh sale and for processing. Vegetables grown either on farms or elsewhere for home consumption only are not included. The areas shown in the accompanying table are planted acreages except in the case of the processing crops. Yields were calculated on a planted acreage basis, where acreage planted is shown. In certain cases acreage actually harvested would be somewhat less than acreage planted.

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	Year	Acreage	Average yield per acre	Production	Total farm value
		acres	lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000
<u>Canada</u>					
Asparagus	1966	3,821	1,437	5,492	1,236
	1967	3,466	1,466	5,081	1,223
Beans processing(1)	1966	23,360	4,087	95,480	1,170
	1967	24,330	4,188	101,900	1,810
Beans fresh	1966	1,415	7,582	10,729	999
	1967	2,821	3,375	9,521	865
Beets	1966	2,472	18,788	46,443	959
	1967	2,562	16,132	41,329	958
Cabbage	1966	6,690	20,520	137,281	3,705
	1967	6,680	20,233	135,159	3,595
Carrots	1966	14,079	29,897	420,918	6,029
	1967	13,789	25,750	355,060	9,990
Cauliflower	1966	2,977	10,970	32,658	1,981
	1967	3,343	11,152	37,281	2,320
Celery	1966	974	39,825	38,790	1,637
	1967	1,103	33,199	36,618	1,482
Corn processing(1)	1966	42,640	9,009	384,160	4,091
	1967	40,630	8,914	362,160	4,340
Corn fresh	1966	14,799	4,886	72,306	2,739
	1967	17,127	4,505	77,155	2,846
Cucumbers	1966	11,241	9,253	104,018	4,740
	1967	12,489	9,624	120,194	6,090
Lettuce	1966	4,555	10,586	48,219	3,341
	1967	4,859	11,620	56,462	3,780
Onions	1966	8,917	23,119	206,156	8,165
	1967	9,422	23,841	224,627	7,006
Parsnips	1966	602	18,409	11,082	504
	1967	443	18,203	8,064	382

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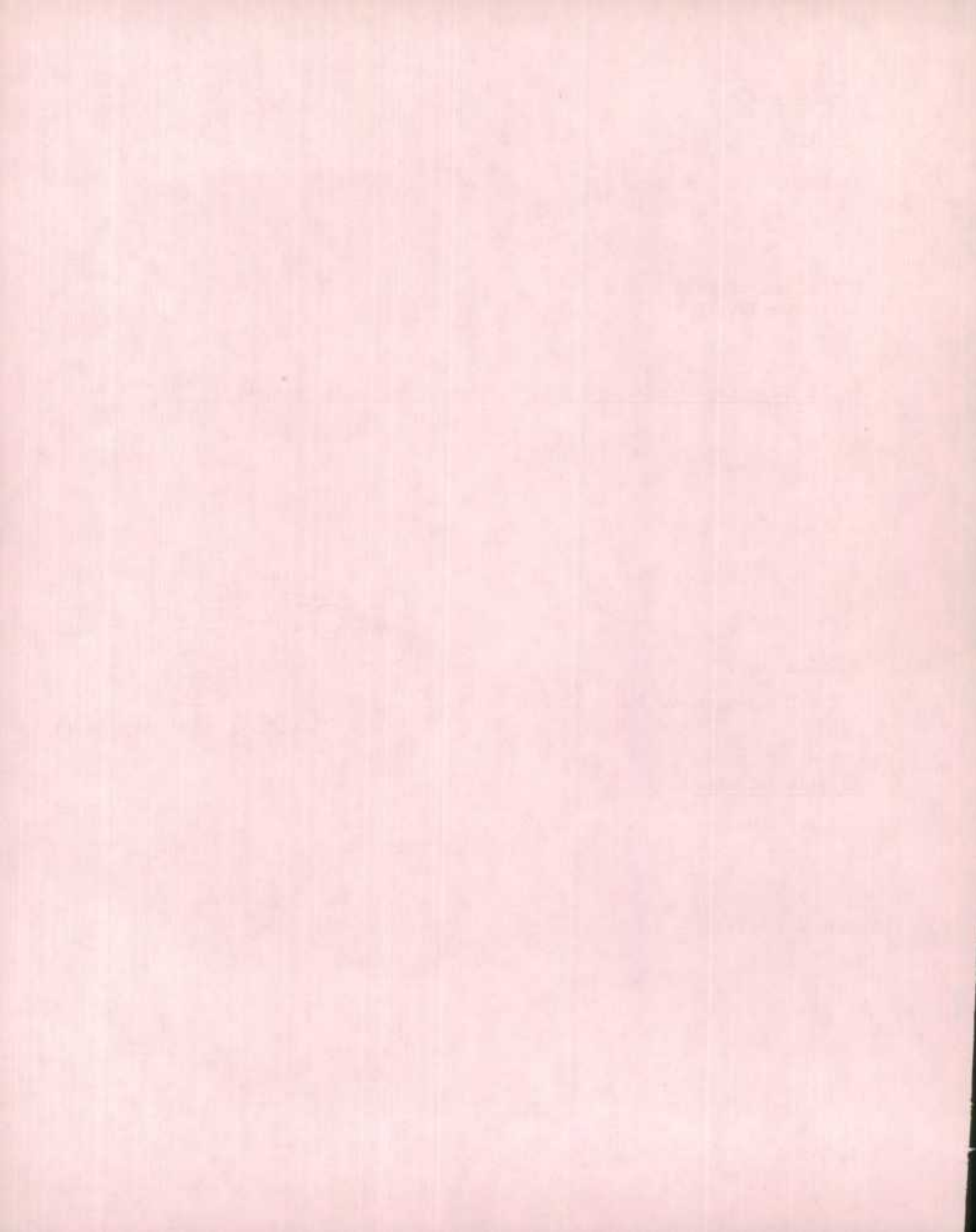
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Acreage, Production and Farm Value of Commercial Vegetables, 1967

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	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Value</u>
<u>Alberta</u>		
Total acreages and value 1966	13,580	2,841
1967	10,040	1,562
<u>British Columbia</u>		
Total acreages and value 1966	14,829	6,365
1967	15,516	7,759

Omit footnote(4) - not applicable.



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	Year	Acreage	Average yield per acre	Production	Total farm value
		acres	lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000
<u>Canada — Concluded</u>					
Peas processing(1)	1966	50,600	2,485	125,760	3,783
	1967	52,650	2,581	135,880	4,023
Spinach	1966	1,111	10,049	11,164	606
	1967	882	7,420	6,544	373
Tomatoes processing(1)	1966	21,860	26,142	571,460	12,414
	1967	23,730	27,917	662,460	15,610
Tomatoes fresh	1966	7,902	16,429	129,825	6,798
	1967	9,266	16,850	156,136	8,005
Turnips	1966	9,087	23,618	214,616	5,358
	1967	8,749	27,485	240,468	4,185
Total acreages and value	1966	229,102			70,255
	1967	238,341			78,883
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>					
Beets	1966	20	15,500	310	11
	1967	15	16,800	252	9
Cabbage	1966	45	19,711	887	20
	1967	60	19,100	1,146	32
Carrots	1966	65	17,708	1,151	43
	1967	40	23,000	920	35
Cauliflower	1966	20	11,500	230	8
	1967	20	8,600	172	6
Corn fresh	1966	40	5,600	224	15
	1967	45	4,600	207	17
Cucumbers	1966	5	20,000	100	10
	1967	6	21,000	126	13
Lettuce	1966	7	8,571	60	6
	1967	9	9,000	81	11
Parsnips	1966	14	8,429	118	8
	1967	14	15,000	210	10
Tomatoes fresh	1966	12	15,000	180	32
	1967	12	16,000	192	22
Total acreages and value	1966	228			153
	1967	221			155

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	Year	Acreage	Average yield per acre	Production	Total farm value
		acres	lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000
<u>Nova Scotia</u>					
Beans processing(2)	1966	2,590	3,985	10,320	..
	1967	2,160	4,481	9,680	..
Beans fresh	1966	50	4,460	223	21
	1967	40	4,300	172	22
Beets	1966	70	18,300	1,281	78
	1967	70	14,900	1,043	58
Cabbage	1966	350	18,300	6,405	263
	1967	390	12,700	4,953	193
Carrots	1966	360	19,800	7,128	285
	1967	380	18,000	6,840	280
Cauliflower	1966	60	11,200	672	50
	1967	50	8,900	445	49
Corn fresh	1966	370	5,100	1,887	108
	1967	440	5,100	2,244	132
Cucumbers	1966	320	11,600	3,712	178
	1967	340	14,200	4,828	246
Lettuce	1966	120	8,100	972	115
	1967	110	5,400	594	75
Parsnips	1966	100	19,400	1,940	151
	1967	110	14,500	1,595	112
Peas processing(2)	1966	7,210	3,223	23,240	..
	1967	7,780	2,321	18,060	..
Tomatoes fresh	1966	200	12,600	2,520	154
	1967	220	24,600	5,412	211
Total acreages and value	1966	11,800			1,403
	1967	12,090			1,378

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	Year	Acreage	Average yield per acre	Production	Total farm value
		acres	lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000
<u>New Brunswick</u>					
Beans fresh	1966	50	2,500	125	16
	1967	60	2,600	156	19
Beets	1966	80	9,800	784	67
	1967	60	6,900	414	36
Cabbage	1966	170	15,100	2,567	103
	1967	190	16,100	3,059	122
Carrots	1966	210	29,500	6,195	242
	1967	180	15,100	2,718	106
Cauliflower	1966	50	12,000	600	41
	1967	50	10,000	500	40
Corn fresh	1966	295	3,102	915	50
	1967	320	3,400	1,088	65
Cucumbers	1966	200	5,110	1,022	52
	1967	180	8,600	1,548	80
Lettuce	1966	70	5,100	357	45
	1967	80	6,800	544	65
Tomatoes fresh	1966	190	15,500	2,945	194
	1967	180	12,400	2,232	156
Total acreages and value	1966	1,315			810
	1967	1,300			689
<u>Quebec</u>					
Asparagus	1966	300	1,900	570	143
	1967	300	2,100	630	156
Beans processing	1966	14,180	3,859	54,720	..
	1967	14,650	4,033	59,080	..

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	Year	Acreage	Average yield per acre	Production	Total farm value
		acres	lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000
<u>Quebec - Continued</u>					
Beans fresh	1966	1,070	3,200	3,424	284
	1967	1,220	2,600	3,172	232
Beets	1966	1,330	18,400	24,472	384
	1967	1,350	13,600	18,360	319
Cabbage	1966	1,980	15,900	31,482	814
	1967	1,810	14,000	25,340	494
Carrots	1966	8,640	25,200	217,728	2,537
	1967	8,550	25,200	215,460	3,758
Cauliflower	1966	890	8,700	7,743	421
	1967	1,040	10,500	10,920	544
Celery	1966	320	30,400	9,728	326
	1967	350	23,900	8,365	323
Corn processing	1966	9,270	8,792	81,500	..
	1967	11,070	7,295	80,760	..
Corn fresh	1966	8,050	3,600	28,980	1,043
	1967	8,450	3,900	32,955	1,219
Cucumbers	1966	3,090	7,200	22,248	905
	1967	3,120	6,200	19,344	777
Lettuce	1966	2,170	9,500	20,615	1,282
	1967	2,410	9,700	23,377	1,161
Onions	1966	2,600	25,700	66,820	2,589
	1967	2,710	22,000	59,620	1,863
Peas processing	1966	14,320	1,883	26,960	..
	1967	16,410	1,698	27,860	..
Spinach	1966	230	5,100	1,173	111
	1967	270	3,900	1,053	55
Tomatoes processing	1966	940	10,830	10,180	..
	1967	1,010	11,743	11,860	..

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	Year	Acreage	Average yield per acre	Production	Total farm value
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<u>Quebec — Concluded</u>					
Tomatoes fresh	1966	2,380	7,700	18,326	1,118
	1967	2,570	7,000	17,990	1,061
Turnips	1966	2,150	22,300	47,945	1,213
	1967	2,180	20,000	43,600	846
Total acreages and value	1966	73,910			13,170
	1967	79,470			12,808
<u>Ontario</u>					
Asparagus	1966	3,017	1,218	3,675	850
	1967	2,654	1,278	3,391	848
Beans processing	1966	4,190	3,952	16,560	994
	1967	4,950	3,661	18,120	1,015
Beans fresh	1966	6,390	619
	1967	1,206	4,577	5,520	522
Beets	1966	816	20,882	17,040	324
	1967	943	20,594	19,420	433
Cabbage	1966	2,824	25,836	72,960	1,741
	1967	2,707	26,709	72,300	1,625
Carrots	1966	3,441	47,848	164,644	2,008
	1967	3,226	32,780	105,748	4,736
Cauliflower	1966	1,385	12,888	17,850	1,131
	1967	1,564	12,611	19,724	1,287
Celery	1966	437	49,584	21,668	893
	1967	520	37,473	19,486	621
Corn processing	1966	26,600	8,900	236,740	3,314
	1967	24,320	9,243	224,780	3,596
Corn fresh	1966	3,766	7,298	27,484	934
	1967	5,665	5,296	30,000	911

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	Year	Acreage	Average yield per acre	Production	Total farm value
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<u>Ontario — Concluded</u>					
Cucumbers	1966	6,782	10,255	69,550	3,137
	1967	7,979	10,463	83,482	4,413
Lettuce	1966	1,639	10,276	16,842	1,436
	1967	1,605	12,516	20,088	1,626
Onions	1966	4,694	24,337	114,238	4,227
	1967	5,050	26,186	132,238	3,715
Parsnips	1966	464	18,724	8,688	316
	1967	293	20,423	5,984	235
Peas processing	1966	18,990	2,290	43,480	2,102
	1967	19,730	3,316	65,420	2,816
Spinach	1966	703	12,216	8,588	421
	1967	511	9,573	4,892	274
Tomatoes processing	1966	20,580	26,950	554,640	12,202
	1967	22,180	28,912	641,260	15,390
Tomatoes fresh	1966	4,712	20,732	97,688	4,539
	1967	5,955	21,030	125,234	5,584
Turnips	1966	5,610	23,164	129,950	2,964
	1967	5,416	31,533	170,784	2,502
Total acreages and value	1966	110,650			44,152
	1967	116,474			52,149
<u>Manitoba</u>					
Asparagus	1966	70	2,500	175	35
	1967	70	2,600	182	37
Beets	1966	30	6,500	195	5
	1967	30	12,000	360	13

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		acres	lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000
<u>Manitoba -- Concluded</u>					
Cabbage	1966	315	10,298	3,244	117
	1967	400	16,000	6,400	205
Carrots	1966	300	18,000	5,400	157
	1967	335	30,000	10,050	402
Cauliflower	1966	110	8,200	902	45
	1967	165	7,000	1,155	90
Celery	1966	70	40,000	2,800	176
	1967	80	50,000	4,000	240
Corn fresh	1966	600	2,617	1,570	68
	1967	720	3,000	2,160	95
Cucumbers	1966	100	8,000	800	37
	1967	90	6,000	540	33
Lettuce	1966	50	2,700	135	9
	1967	50	14,000	700	70
Onions	1966	775	10,499	8,137	358
	1967	900	20,000	18,000	756
Tomatoes fresh	1966	135	21,000	2,835	227
	1967	135	20,000	2,700	235
Turnips	1966	235	21,702	5,100	127
	1967	255	29,000	7,395	207
Total acreages and value	1966	2,790			1,361
	1967	3,230			2,383

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<u>Alberta</u>					
Beans processing(3)	1966	750	2,853	2,140	104
	1967	830	4,626	3,840	74
Cabbage	1966	340	29,200	9,928	244
	1967	340	20,821	7,079	184
Carrots	1966	560	13,239	7,414	228
	1967	550	8,300	4,565	190
Corn processing(3)	1966	4,340	7,373	32,000	330
	1967	2,540	6,756	17,160	250
Corn fresh	1966	800	6,680	5,344	174
	1967	500	6,640	3,320	72
Cucumbers	1966	350	7,160	2,506	197
	1967	310	7,200	2,232	133
Onions	1966	380	10,939	4,157	197
	1967	170	3,718	632	38
Peas processing(3)	1966	5,360	2,627	14,080	648
	1967	4,300	2,381	10,240	323
Turnips	1966	700	33,600	23,520	719
	1967	500	22,200	11,100	298
Total acreages and value	1966	16,330	13 580	1,759	284
	1967	12,780	10 046	915	156
<u>British Columbia</u>					
Asparagus	1966	434	2,470	1,072	208
	1967	442	1,986	878	182
Beans processing	1966	1,650	7,115	11,740	72
	1967	1,740	6,425	11,180	721
Beans fresh	1966	245	2,314	567	59
	1967	295	1,698	501	70

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		acres	lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000
<u>British Columbia - Continued</u>					
Beets	1966	126	18,738	2,361	90
	1967	94	15,745	1,480	90
Cabbage	1966	666	14,727	9,808	403
	1967	783	19,006	14,882	740
Carrots	1966	503	22,382	11,258	529
	1967	528	16,589	8,759	483
Cauliflower	1966	462	10,089	4,661	285
	1967	454	9,615	4,365	304
Celery	1966	147	31,252	4,594	242
	1967	153	31,157	4,767	298
Corn processing	1966	2,430	13,959	33,920	447
	1967	2,700	14,615	39,460	494
Corn fresh	1966	878	6,722	5,902	347
	1967	987	5,249	5,181	335
Cucumbers	1966	394	10,355	4,080	224
	1967	464	17,444	8,094	395
Lettuce	1966	499	18,513	9,238	448
	1967	595	18,618	11,078	772
Onions	1966	468	27,359	12,804	794
	1967	592	23,880	14,137	634
Parsnips	1966	24	14,000	336	29
	1967	26	10,577	275	25
Peas processing	1966	4,720	3,814	18,000	1,033
	1967	4,430	3,228	14,300	884
Spinach	1966	178	7,882	1,403	74
	1967	101	5,931	599	44



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	Year	Acreage	Average yield per acre	Production	Total farm value
		acres	lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000
<u>British Columbia - Concluded</u>					
Tomatoes processing	1966	340	19,529	6,640	212
	1967	540	17,296	9,340	220
Tomatoes fresh	1966	273	19,527	5,331	534
	1967	194	26,165	5,076	736
Turnips	1966	392	20,666	8,101	335
	1967	398	79,067	7,589	332
Total acreages and value(4)	1966	15,345 14829			6,392 6369
	1967	16,400 15516			7,775 7759

- (1) Acreage harvested.
- (2) Includes Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick.
- (3) Includes Manitoba.
- (4) Processing acreage and value.
- .. Figures not available.