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PRODUCTION OF CONCENTRATED MILK, CANADA, JUNE, 1936.

Statistics of the production of concentrated milk in Canada in June, 1936, are based on returns from the 34 firms whose factories manufactured during the month any of the various items embraced in the classification "concentrated milk", i.e., condensed milk, evaporated milk, milk powder, or other.

Production.- The production in June of all items of concentrated milk, combined, amounted to 13,987,516 pounds, an increase over the preceding month of 1,956,606 pounds, or 16 per cent, but a decrease from June, 1935, of 69,540 pounds, or less than $\frac{1}{2}$ of one per cent. The quantities of evaporated milk and skim milk powder manufactured are the largest shown for any month of the present year, while about an average monthly output is recorded for condensed milk.

Cumulative Production.- The combined production of all items for the six months ended June 30 was 51,774,382 pounds, compared with 53,796,713 pounds in the corresponding period of 1935. Production for the first half of 1936, although lower than that of the first six months of 1935, is higher than that of the corresponding period in any one of the years 1931 to 1934 inclusive, the periods in these years being under the 50 million pound mark.

Foreign Trade.- Exportation of concentrated milk was on the whole less than in June, 1935, although an increase is recorded in the quantity of milk powder. The import figures are not available at the date of issue of this report, but the quantities imported in any month are relatively of little importance.

Storage Holdings.- Quantities held in storage warehouses at date of July 1, were less for most items than at the same date in 1935, the exception being evaporated milk, which shows a slightly larger amount. The total for all items was 13,623,139 pounds, compared with 15,102,243 pounds at date of July 1, 1935.

1. Concentrated Milk Production for June, 1936 with Comparative Statistics for May, 1936 and June, 1935.

Kind	June, 1936 Lb.	May, 1936 Lb.	June, 1935 Lb.
Condensed milk (sweetened)			
Case goods	425,809	509,406	612,786
Bulk goods	146,606	311,737	271,556
Condensed skim milk	683,718	412,112	507,096
Evaporated milk (unsweetened)			
Case goods	9,134,398	7,760,047	8,953,862
Bulk goods	53,146	12,305	31,280
Evaporated skim milk	-	20,400	17,800
Whole milk powder	380,831	490,873	333,046
Skim milk powder	2,605,154	2,008,482	2,620,483
Cream powder	1,353	2,214	3,845
Buttermilk powder	363,349	289,123	443,880
Condensed buttermilk	51,144	58,182	5,089
Casein	131,698	141,858	232,589
Sugar of milk	20,310	14,171	23,744
TOTAL	13,987,516	12,030,910	14,057,056



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2. Cumulative Production of Concentrated Milk for the Six Months Ended June 30, 1936, with Comparative Statistics for the Six Months Ended June 30, 1935.

Kind	Six Months Ended June 30	
	1936 Lb.	1935 Lb.
Condensed milk: (sweetened)		
Case goods	2,461,637	3,015,410
Bulk goods	1,281,533	1,528,778
Condensed skim milk	2,357,152	2,251,719
Evaporated milk: (unsweetened)		
Case goods	33,005,412	34,321,879
Bulk goods	135,820	108,496
Evaporated skim milk	48,208	63,382
Whole milk powder	1,475,597	1,146,208
Skim milk powder	8,832,849	9,105,100
Cream powder	19,472	10,052
Buttermilk powder	1,238,875	1,401,975
Condensed buttermilk	387,360	156,957
Casein	488,921	629,975
Sugar of milk	41,746	56,782
TOTAL	51,774,382	53,796,713

3. Production by Months of Condensed Milk, Evaporated Milk and Skim Milk Powder for the period January to June, 1936.

	Condensed Milk		Evaporated Milk		Skim Milk Powder Lb.
	Case goods Lb.	Bulk goods Lb.	Case goods Lb.	Bulk goods Lb.	
January	410,957	177,354	2,696,802	12,391	1,053,806
February	338,703	192,641	3,038,030	25,770	833,961
March	395,418	264,631	4,452,383	17,343	1,024,604
April	391,344	188,564	5,923,752	14,865	1,301,842
May	509,406	311,737	7,760,047	12,305	2,008,482
June	415,809	146,606	9,134,398	53,146	2,605,154

4. Imports and Exports of Concentrated Milk Products, June, 1936, with Comparative Statistics for May, 1936 and June, 1935 (a)

Kind	Quantity Imported			Quantity Exported		
	June 1936 Lb.	May 1936 Lb.	June 1935 Lb.	June 1936 Lb.	May 1936 Lb.	June 1935 Lb.
Condensed milk	(b)	2,034	623	117,000	140,700	202,900
Evaporated milk	-	-	-	793,500	951,500	1,626,200
Milk powder	(b)	1,597	968	590,700	464,200	327,600
Casein	(b)	7,387	1,631	-	-	-

5. Concentrated Milk Products in Cold Storage Warehouses, July 1, 1936, with Comparative Statistics for June 1, 1936 and July 1, 1935 (c)

Kind	July 1, 1936 Lb.	June 1, 1936 Lb.	July 1, 1935 Lb.
Condensed milk	635,555	734,929	810,125
Condensed skim milk	352,236	308,757	790,744
Evaporated milk	10,279,478	7,277,592	10,240,279
Whole milk powder	666,253	596,655	817,248
Skim milk powder	1,531,117	1,100,462	2,050,246
Buttermilk powder	39,050	83,491	-
Cream powder	5,538	39,310	9,512
Casein	113,912	140,535	384,039

- (a) External Trade Report - "Imports and Exports of Milk and Its Products and Eggs".
- (b) Not yet available.
- (c) Agricultural Branch - "Cold Storage Holdings in Canada".

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