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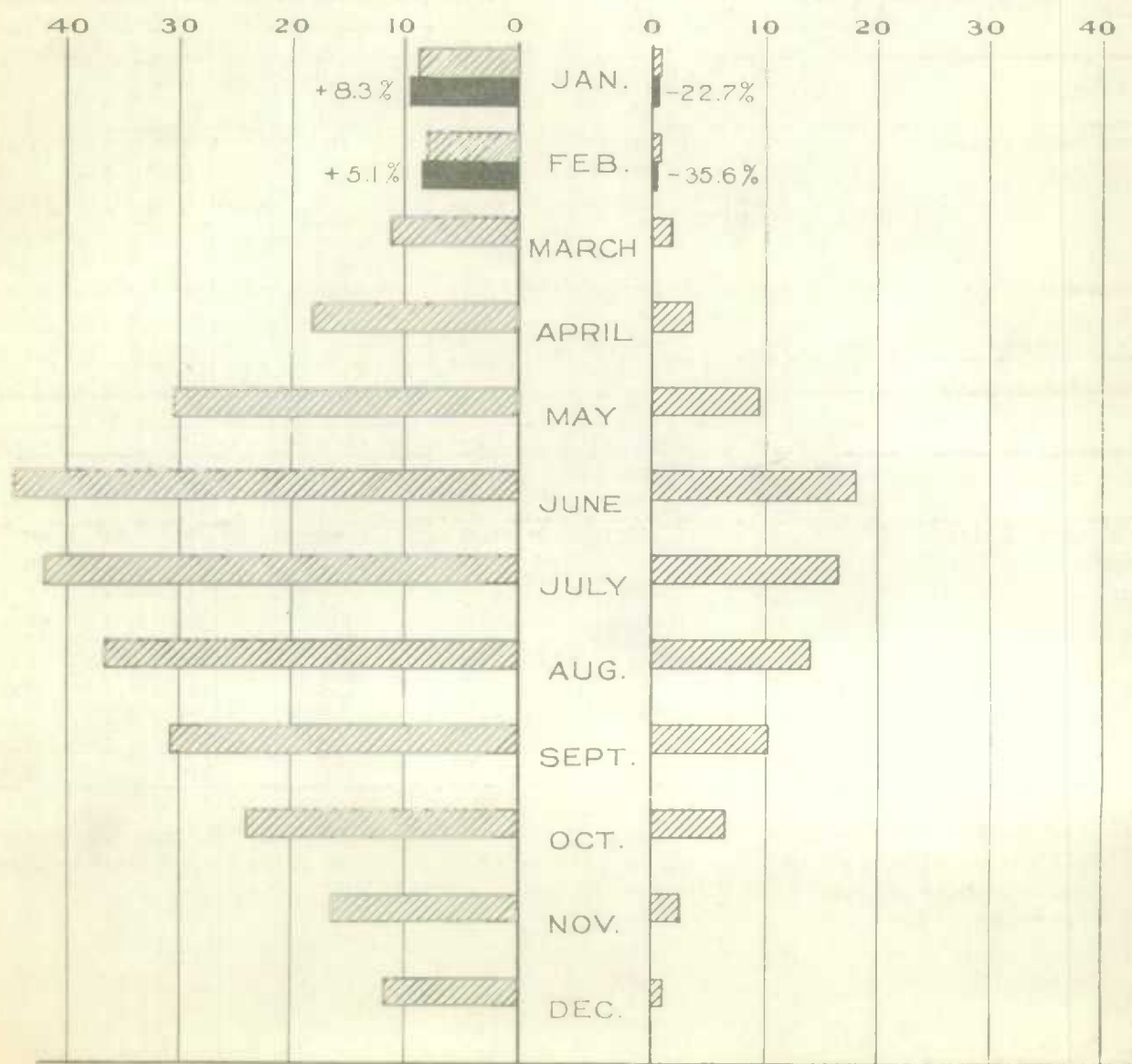


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1. CREAMERY BUTTER, CHEDDAR CHEESE AND ICE CREAM PRODUCTION IN CANADA, BY PROVINCES

February and January-February, 1948 and 1949

CREAMERY BUTTER

Province	February			January-February		
	1948	1949	% Change	1948	1949	% Change
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%
CANADA	8,026	8,433	(+) 5.1	16,983	18,129	(+) 6.7
Prince Edward Island	114	164	(+) 43.9	262	384	(+) 46.6
Nova Scotia	328	311	(-) 5.2	720	667	(-) 7.4
New Brunswick	161	206	(+) 28.0	349	454	(+) 30.1
Quebec	547	881	(+) 61.1	1,561	2,662	(+) 70.5
Ontario	2,972	3,220	(+) 8.3	6,069	6,532	(+) 7.6
Manitoba	1,024	905	(-) 11.6	2,046	1,750	(-) 14.5
Saskatchewan	1,367	1,222	(-) 10.6	2,818	2,451	(-) 13.0
Alberta	1,348	1,332	(-) 1.2	2,808	2,724	(-) 3.0
British Columbia	165	192	(+) 16.4	350	505	(+) 44.3

CHEDDAR CHEESE

Province	February			January-February		
	1948	1949	% Change	1948	1949	% Change
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%
CANADA	930	599	(-) 35.6	1,901	1,350	(-) 29.0
Prince Edward Island	6	4	(-) 33.3	14	10	(-) 28.6
New Brunswick	6	6	-	15	11	(-) 26.7
Quebec	23	16	(-) 30.4	59	54	(-) 8.5
Ontario	613	388	(-) 36.7	1,263	897	(-) 29.0
Manitoba	88	44	(-) 50.0	154	94	(-) 39.0
Saskatchewan	-	11	-	-	11	-
Alberta	163	111	(-) 31.9	328	233	(-) 29.0
British Columbia	31	19	(-) 38.7	68	40	(-) 41.2

ICE CREAM

Province	February			January-February		
	1948	1949	% Change	1948	1949	% Change
	'000 gals.	'000 gals.	%	'000 gals.	'000 gals.	%
CANADA	1,002	1,020	(+) 1.8	2,015	2,016	-
Prince Edward Island	4	7	(+) 75.0	8	11	(+) 37.5
Nova Scotia	59	79	(+) 33.9	116	161	(+) 38.8
New Brunswick	37	35	(-) 5.4	67	69	(+) 3.0
Quebec	160	139	(-) 13.1	335	298	(-) 11.0
Ontario	425	451	(+) 6.1	829	844	(+) 1.8
Manitoba	69	75	(+) 8.7	134	147	(+) 9.7
Saskatchewan	67	68	(+) 1.5	140	130	(-) 7.1
Alberta	75	76	(+) 1.3	166	155	(-) 6.6
British Columbia	106	90	(-) 15.1	220	201	(-) 8.6

Prices: Creamery butter at Montreal averaged 68½ cents per lb. in February as compared with 67½ cents in the same month last year. Western cheese sold for domestic use at Montreal averaged 32½ cents, compared with 36½ cents per lb., in February, 1948.

Table II - PRODUCTION OF CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS IN CANADA
February and January - February, 1948 and 1949

Products	February			January - February		
	1948 1/	1949	% Change	1948	1949	% Change
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%
TOTAL ALL PRODUCTS	13,068	15,447	(+) 18.2	26,050	31,900	(+) 22.5
WHOLE MILK PRODUCTS	10,742	12,241	(+) 14.0	21,202	24,465	(+) 15.4
Condensed Milk	1,022	1,994	(+) 95.1	2,327	4,126	(+) 77.3
Case	533	1,395	(+) 161.7	1,268	2,899	(+) 128.6
Bulk	489	599	(+) 22.5	1,059	1,227	(+) 15.9
Evaporated Milk	8,884	9,275	(+) 4.4	17,109	18,271	(+) 6.8
Case	8,768	9,034	(+) 3.0	16,819	17,590	(+) 4.6
Bulk	116	241	(+) 107.8	290	681	(+) 134.8
Whole Milk Powder	651	720	(+) 10.6	1,405	1,773	(+) 26.2
Spray	415	499	(+) 20.2	939	1,207	(+) 28.5
Roller	236	221	(-) 6.4	466	566	(+) 21.5
Sub-standard Products	174	203	(+) 16.7	319	229	(-) 28.2
MILK BY-PRODUCTS	2,326	3,206	(+) 37.8	4,848	7,435	(+) 53.4
Condensed Skim Milk	323	80	(-) 75.2	645	292	(-) 54.7
Evaporated Skim Milk	353	397	(+) 12.5	706	780	(+) 10.5
Skim Milk powder	1,290	2,116	(+) 64.0	2,698	5,054	(+) 87.3
Spray	580	702	(+) 21.0	1,111	1,699	(+) 52.9
Roller	655	1,332	(+) 103.4	1,485	3,177 ^a	(+) 113.9
Feed	55	82	(+) 49.1	102	178 ^a	(+) 74.5
Condensed Buttermilk	143	258	(+) 80.4	303	558	(+) 84.2
Powdered Buttermilk	120	189	(+) 57.5	271	407	(+) 50.2
Casein	79	124	(+) 57.0	194	235	(+) 21.1

NOTE: Malted Milk and Cream Powder, items not shown separately in this statement, are included in total whole milk products; while Sugar of Milk and Whey Powder are included in total Milk By-Products.

"a" Includes quantities reported in January by less than three firms, not shown in the previous issue of this report.

1/ 1948 Data are revised statistics not previously published.



Table III - BUTTER-FAT AND MILK EQUIVALENT OF FACTORY DAIRY PRODUCTION
February and January-February, 1949

Product	February, 1949			January-February, 1949			
	Butter Fat	Milk	Per Cent of Total	Butter Fat	Milk	Per Cent of Total	
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	
Creamery Butter	6,915	197,585	79.2	14,866	424,762	79.8	
Cheddar Cheese	234	6,673	2.7	527	15,039	2.8	
Concentrated Milk Products	1,075	30,711	12.3	2,234	63,787	12.0	
Condensed Whole Milk	159	4,546	1.8	330	9,407	1.8	
Evaporated Whole Milk	714	20,405	8.2	1,407	40,196	7.5	
Whole Milk Powder	202	5,760	2.3	497	14,184	2.7	
Ice Cream	510	14,576	5.8	1,008	28,809	5.4	
TOTAL							
	1949	8,734	249,545	100.0	18,635	532,397	100.0
	1948	8,393	239,811		17,571	502,069	

Table IV - QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF MILK POWDERS SOLD IN CANADA
January, 1948 and 1949

Products	Quantity		Value		Average Price(1)	
	1948	1949	1948	1949	1948	1949
	January					
	lb.	lb.	\$	\$	¢	¢
TOTAL POWDER (All Classes)	3,811,436	3,912,628	726,228	763,102	19.05	19.50
Whole Milk Powder	677,812	673,206	275,984	308,919	40.72	45.89
Spray	582,948	518,364	245,671	256,314	42.14	49.45
Roller	94,864	154,842	30,313	52,605	31.95	34.00
Buttermilk Powder	250,250	284,141	21,142	24,543	8.45	8.64
Skimmilk Powder	2,563,236	2,623,525	343,452	358,541	13.40	13.67
Spray	950,845	774,647	135,936	121,894	14.30	15.74
Roller	1,554,000	1,785,098	202,208	230,957	13.01	12.94
Feed	58,391	63,780	5,308	5,690	9.09	8.92
Casein (x)	320,138	331,756	85,650	71,099	26.75	21.43

(x) Insufficient reports to publish Rennet and Acid Casein separately.

(1) Prices on a delivered basis.