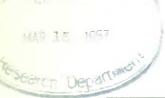
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DAIRY FACTORY PRODUCTION

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CHEDDAR CHEESE CREAMERY BUTTER MILLION POUNDS MILLION POUNDS 10 20 30 20 50 30 JAN. FEB. MARCH -APRIL MAY JUNE JULY AUG. SEPT. OCT. NOV. DEC.

TABLE 1 - CREAMERY BUTTER, CHEDDAR CHEESE AND ICE CREAM PRODUCTION BY PROVINCES

February and January to February, 1957, Compared with 1956

		February		January-February			
Provinc e	1957	1956	% of 1956	1957	1956	% of 1956	
			GREAMER	Y BUTTER			
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	
CANADA	8,266	10,517	79	17,892	22,272	80	
Prince Edward Is.	180	186	97	419	414	101	
Nova Scotia	266	296	90	580	627	93	
New Brunswick	192	233	82	448	518	86	
Quebec	1,063	1,657	64	3,068	4,407	70	
Ontario	3,055	4,099	75	6,391	8,343	77	
Manitoba	962	1,195	81.	1,838	2,253	82	
Saskatchewan	1,054	1,187	89	2,040	2,311	88	
Alberta	1,378	1,467	94	2,310	2,942	96	
British Columbia	116	197	59	298	457	65	
			CHEDDAR	CHRESE			
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	*000 lb.	*000 lb.	%	
CANADA	1,973	1,759	112	4,363	3,767	116	
Prince Edward Is.	1	1	100	7	4	175	
New Brunswick	21	19	111	48	43	112	
Quebec	636	393	162	1,523	929	164	
Ontario	1,143	1,145	100	2,438	2,390	102	
Manitoba	21	36	58	48	72	67	
Saskatchewan	-	_		1			
Alberta	94	119	79	187	232	81	
British Columbia	57	46	124	111	97	114	
			ICE	CREAM			
	'000 gal.	'000 gal.	76	'000 gal.	'000 gal.	%	
CANADA	1,709	1,673	102	3,398	3,195	106	
Prince Edward Is.	8	8	100	15	12	125	
Nova Scotia	72	73	99	128	138	93	
New Brunswick	46	38	121	82	75	109	
Quebec	414	392	106	818	748	109	
Ontario	615	630	98	1,260	1,180	107	
Manitoba	90	95	95	171	181	94	
	118	100	118	232	203	114	
Saskatchewan	158	151	105	306	287	107	
Alberta British Columbia	188	186	101	386	371	104	
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	*000	1000	%	*000	*000	%	
Creamery Butter-1b		23,816	95	48,049	45,818	105	
Ice Cream gal	1,739	1,617	108	3,331	3,151	106	

Domestic Disappearance data for the current month are preliminary and are based on production and stocks only.

TABLE II - PRODUCTION OF CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS IN CANADA

February and January-February, 1957 Compared with 1956

Products		Februar	У	January-February			
Frod uc us	1957	1956	% of 1956	1957	1956	% of 1956	
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	%	
BOWLET ATT TEXABLES	10.040	99 607	0.4	40 709	46 005	on	
TOTAL ALL PRODUCTS	18,949	22,607	84	40,792	46,805	87	
HOLE MILK PRODUCTS 1/	15,306	17,975	85	33,010	36,468	91	
Condensed Milk	1,276	1,445	88	2,689	2,506	107	
Case	239	474	50	745	758	98	
Bulk	1,037	971	107	1,944	1,748	111	
Evaporated Milk	12,170	14,393	85	26,146	29,363	89	
Case	11,371	13,668	83	24,486	28,001	87	
Bulk	799	725	110	1,660	1,362	122	
Whole Milk Powder	582	789	74	1,272	1,545	82	
Spray	512	745	69	1,128	1,458	77	
Roller	70	44	159	144	87	166	
Unclassified Products							
Partly Skimmed Evap.							
Milk 2/	81.5	1,075	76	2,059	2,322	89	
Other Products 3/	437	227	193	795	658	121	
MILK BY-PRODUCTS 1/	3,643	4,632	79	7,782	10,337	75	
Condensed Skim Milk	223	288	77	424	549	77	
Evaporated Skim Milk	410	640	64	848	1,362	62	
Skim Milk Powder	2,563	2,966	86	5,581	6,856	81	
Spray	1,777	2,011	88	3,900	4,756	- 82	
Roller	786	955	82	1,681	2,100	80	
Powdered Buttermilk	185	351	53	383	718	53	
Whey Powder	151	126	120	298	263	113	
Casein	67	233	29	1.86	531	35	
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Malted Milk and Cream Powder not shown separately in this statement, are included in total Whole Milk Products, while Sugar of Milk and Condensed Buttermilk are included in Milk by-products.

^{2/} Butter-fat content averaged 4 per cent.

^{3/} Includes Sub-standard Whole Milk Powder with a fat content of 5 to 25 per cent, and sterilized cream, testing 25 per cent in February 1956 and February 1957.

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TABLE III - WHEY BUTTER PRODUCTION BY PROVINCES

February and January to February 1957, with Comparisons for 1956

Month	Year	CANADA	P.E.I.	QUEBEC	ONTARIO	MANITOBA	ALBERTA
		lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
February	1956 1957	41,300	-	4,000 5,000	37,000 37,000		300
JanFeb.	1956 1957	85,600 91,600	-	9,000	75,000 80,600	1,000	600

TABLE IV - WHOLE MILK EQUIVALENTS OF DAIRY FACTORY PRODUCTS

In thousands of pounds, February, 1956 and 1957

Year	Total	Creamery Butter	Cheddar Cheese	Concentrated Products	Ice Cream
1956	339,277	246,098	19,349	45,389	28,441 29,053
1957	282,264	193,424	21,703	38,084	

TABLE V - AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICES F.O.B. MONTREAL

January to April, 1956 and January-February, 1957

Source: Dealers' quotations average by Prices Section, Dominion Bureau of Statistics

	1956				1957	
Products	Jan. per 1b.	Feb. per lb.	March per 1b.	April per 1b.	January per 1b.	February per 1b.
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Creamery Butter(Solids)1/	58	58	58	58	58	58
Cheddar Cheese (Ont.Coloured)	32 1/4	32 1/4	33	32 1/2	35 3/8	35 3/8
Condensed Whole Milk(cases) (48-15's % fat) 2/	\$10.60	\$10.60	\$10.60	\$10.60	\$11.00	\$11.00
Evaporated Whole Milk(cases)	\$ 5.75	\$ 5.75	\$ 5.75	\$ 5.75	\$ 6.00	\$ 6.00
Whole Milk Powder(Barrels) (Spray - 26 per cent) (Roller- 26 per cent)	35 1/2 29 1/2	35 29 1/2	35 29 1/2	35 29 1/2	36 1/2 32	37 1/2 32
Skim Milk Powder (Bags) (Spray) 2/	14	13	12 1/2	12 1/4	17	17
(Roller)2/	12 1/2	11 1/2	11	10 1/2	13	13 1/2
Feed(Skm.& Bm.Pdr.)-Bags	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	9	9
Whey Powder	6	6	6	6	7	7
Casein	27	26	26	25	23 1/2	23 1/2

Represents prices of first grade solids sold to the trade. Butter purchased currently by the Dominion Government continues at 58 cents per pound.

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^{2/} Prices based on car lot shipments; otherwise L.C.L. Shipments. Note: Prices given are in cents per lb. unless otherwise specified.