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CANADIAN MILLING STATISTICS

November, 1935

Ottawa, Canada, January 3, 1936.- The Dominion Bureau of Statistics publishes, herewith, preliminary statistics of grains ground and products for November, 1935, with comparisons for the previous year, inventory for the month and wheat flour exports.

The daily capacity reporting for November, 1935 amounted to 95,138 barrels.

SUMMARY

During the month of November, 1935, 7,262,558 bushels of wheat were ground in Canadian mills compared with 7,659,806 bushels for the corresponding month of the previous year. Coarse grains, with the exception of buckwheat, were higher than for November, 1934.

Grains ground for the month of November, 1935 are shown in bushels with comparative figures for the same month of the previous year in brackets: Wheat 7,262,558 (7,659,806); Oats 1,513,259 (1,162,272); Corn 166,813 (149,553); Barley 128,150 (60,079); Buckwheat 29,413 (34,171); and Mixed Grains 1,778,718 (1,473,878).

Mill Stocks of wheat on November 30, 1935 amounted to 12,491,739 bushels, while for the same month in 1934 the amount was 11,881,518 bushels.

Flour production in November, 1935 amounted to 1,603,803 barrels compared with 1,703,831 barrels for the same month last year. Exports of flour in November, 1935 amounted to 525,368 barrels compared with 504,384 barrels in November, 1934.

MILL GRINDINGS

The following table shows the amount of wheat, oats, corn, barley, buckwheat and mixed grain milled for the month of November, 1935, by merchant and custom mills in Canada according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at November 30, 1935 (in bushels):-

Grain	Quantities Ground				Stocks on hand, November, 30, 1935		
	Merchant Mills	Custom Mills	Total November, 1935	Total November, 1934	Merchant Mills	Custom Mills	Total November 30, 1935
EASTERN DIVISION							
Wheat	3,117,504	144,743	3,262,247	3,407,306	6,526,361	92,744	6,619,106
Oats	598,117	178,643	776,760	559,299	303,406	74,802	378,208
Corn	80,142	85,161	165,303	147,023	304,170	13,201	317,371
Barley	28,768	37,547	66,315	27,153	84,837	19,827	104,664
Buckwheat	-	29,413	29,413	34,171	1,388	6,291	7,679
Mixed Grain	28,000	1,671,110	1,699,110	1,412,416	207	18,227	18,434
WESTERN DIVISION							
Wheat	3,860,382	139,929	4,000,311	4,252,500	5,757,030	115,604	5,872,634
Oats	688,515	47,984	736,499	602,973	959,898	12,652	972,550
Corn	1,460	50	1,510	2,530	26,171	600	26,771
Barley	44,129	17,706	61,835	32,926	45,468	5,706	51,173
Buckwheat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mixed Grain	-	79,608	79,608	61,462	-	-	-
DOMINION OF CANADA							
Wheat	6,977,886	284,672	7,262,558	7,659,806	12,283,391	208,348	12,491,739
Oats	1,286,632	226,627	1,513,259	1,162,272	1,263,304	87,454	1,350,758
Corn	81,802	85,211	166,813	149,553	330,341	13,801	344,142
Barley	72,897	55,253	128,150	60,079	130,305	25,532	155,837
Buckwheat	-	29,413	29,413	34,171	1,388	6,291	7,679
Mixed Grain	28,000	1,750,718	1,778,718	1,473,878	207	18,227	18,434

MILLINGS

The following table shows the production from wheat and coarse grains ground in merchant and custom mills in Canada for the month of November, 1935, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at November 30, 1935:-

Products	Unit of Measure	Production from Grindings				Stocks on hand Nov. 30
		Eastern Division	Western Division	Total Nov., 1935	Total Nov., 1934	
<u>Wheat Flour</u>						
Manitoba Sp. P. No. 1	Barrels	271,986	233,317	505,303	545,517	322,221
Manitoba Sp. P. No. 2	"	215,281	277,078	492,359	535,667	146,501
Ontario Winter Straight	"	78,516	-	78,516	44,334	25,841
All Other	"	128,854	330,647	459,501	506,368	679,234
Total Flour	"	694,637	841,042	1,535,679	1,631,686	1,173,797
<u>Sundry Cereals</u>						
Low Grade or Feed Flour	Barrels	34,267	33,857	68,124	72,145	26,363
Bran	Tons	11,965	14,160	26,125	26,025	8,963
Shorts	"	10,306	15,529	25,835	26,170	10,803
Middlings	"	3,401	3,348	6,749	6,908	5,135
All Other Offal	"	4,358	4,763	9,121	7,742	3,455
Oatmeal	Pounds	992,544	556,494	1,549,038	1,119,776	1,009,105
Rolled Oats	"	7,328,700	10,119,702	17,448,402	14,345,997	8,274,920
Corn Flour and Meal	"	1,944,746	-	1,944,746	1,570,810	434,885
Barley, Pot and Pearl	"	170,137	193,501	363,638	247,165	115,786
Buckwheat Flour	"	529,644	-	529,644	560,772	16,930
<u>Ground Feed</u>						
Ground Oats	Pounds	6,754,860	3,141,918	9,896,778	8,084,432	1,041,850
Cracked Corn	"	5,487,287	84,656	5,571,943	4,286,595	535,240
Ground Barley	"	1,993,760	2,541,866	4,535,626	2,903,761	193,850
Mixed Grain	"	75,835,630	3,538,822	79,374,452	65,854,153	127,857

⌘ Including Coarse Grain Offal.

Flour production for the month of November, 1935 amounted to 1,603,803 barrels compared with 1,703,831 barrels in the same month of 1934. November production of flour showed a decline from the previous month. Wheat offal output declined accordingly with bran 26,125 (26,025) tons, shorts 25,835 (26,170) tons, and middlings 6,749 (6,908) tons.

Cereal production for the month of November, 1935 was as follows with the figures for the same month last year in brackets and the quantities in pounds: Oatmeal, 1,549,038 (1,119,776); Rolled Oats, 17,448,402 (14,345,997); Corn Flour and Meal, 1,944,746 (1,570,810); Pot and Pearl Barley, 363,638 (247,165); and Buckwheat Flour, 529,644 (560,772).

Animal feed products increased over last year and compared as follows: Ground Oats, 9,896,778 (8,084,432) pounds; Cracked Corn, 5,571,943 (4,286,595) pounds; Ground Barley, 4,535,626 (2,903,761) pounds; and Mixed Grain, 79,374,452 (65,854,153) pounds.

Total flour stocks for the month of November amounted to 1,200,160 barrels compared with 1,303,360 barrels for the same month last year and 1,112,334 barrels for the previous month.

SUMMARY OF MILL GRINDINGS

The following table summarizes the mill grind of wheat, oats, corn, barley and mixed grain for the first four months of the crop year 1935-36, with comparative figures for 1934-35:-

Months	Wheat	Oats	Corn	Barley	Mixed Grain
	(Bushels)				
August, 1935	5,230,795	733,282	229,976	59,523	913,719
September	6,932,568	1,151,068	218,914	68,880	1,134,815
October	8,261,087	1,543,665	218,229	99,278	1,627,948
November	7,262,558	1,513,259	166,813	128,150	1,778,718
T O T A L	27,687,008	4,941,274	833,932	355,831	5,455,200
TOTAL LAST YEAR	27,038,444	4,230,796	694,237	258,190	4,553,126

SUMMARY OF MILL PRODUCTION

The following table summarizes the production of wheat flour, oatmeal, rolled oats and corn flour and meal for the first four months of the crop year 1935-36, including percentage of operation and wheat flour exports, with comparative figures for 1934-35:-

Months	Wheat Flour		Oatmeal Pounds	Rolled Oats Pounds	Corn Flour and Meal Pounds	Wheat Flour Exported Barrels
	Percentage of operation	Quantity Barrels				
August, 1935	48.9	1,161,389	493,528	7,977,920	2,321,082	376,562
September	68.3	1,535,189	902,388	13,911,445	2,312,180	395,640
October	75.0	1,824,754	1,700,720	19,488,481	2,842,570	501,442
November	68.3	1,603,803	1,549,038	17,448,402	1,944,746	525,368
T O T A L		6,125,135	4,645,674	58,826,248	9,420,578	1,799,012
TOTAL LAST YEAR		6,023,439	3,320,113	55,209,897	7,406,748	1,771,342

The following table shows the manufacture of rolled oats in Canada for the calendar years 1929 to 1934:-

Months	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	x 1934
	(Pounds)					
January	8,679,885	6,124,696	10,905,497	9,566,907	9,015,444	10,261,459
February	10,461,693	9,528,470	10,399,104	9,216,882	7,613,656	9,338,950
March	10,781,395	8,439,370	8,693,573	8,408,031	8,588,777	7,866,835
April	7,820,971	7,335,362	6,941,276	6,619,264	5,585,475	6,397,869
May	9,081,471	6,903,250	7,724,670	6,315,048	6,464,036	6,132,154
June	10,572,672	8,593,230	9,567,277	8,002,390	7,634,723	9,556,820
July	11,457,935	10,145,257	12,201,352	8,940,843	10,030,017	10,292,971
August	13,367,389	10,167,012	9,703,392	12,301,642	11,258,685	10,644,925
September	11,583,159	13,825,936	14,549,397	14,124,180	12,093,243	13,521,725
October	13,434,705	13,588,271	17,603,960	16,765,969	15,676,287	16,697,250
November	9,527,302	13,326,255	20,796,084	17,871,610	16,416,025	14,345,997
December	8,239,655	10,723,499	11,513,316	10,532,277	7,468,493	7,587,664
T O T A L	125,008,232	118,700,608	140,598,898	128,665,043	117,844,461	122,644,619

x Preliminary figures from August to December 1934.

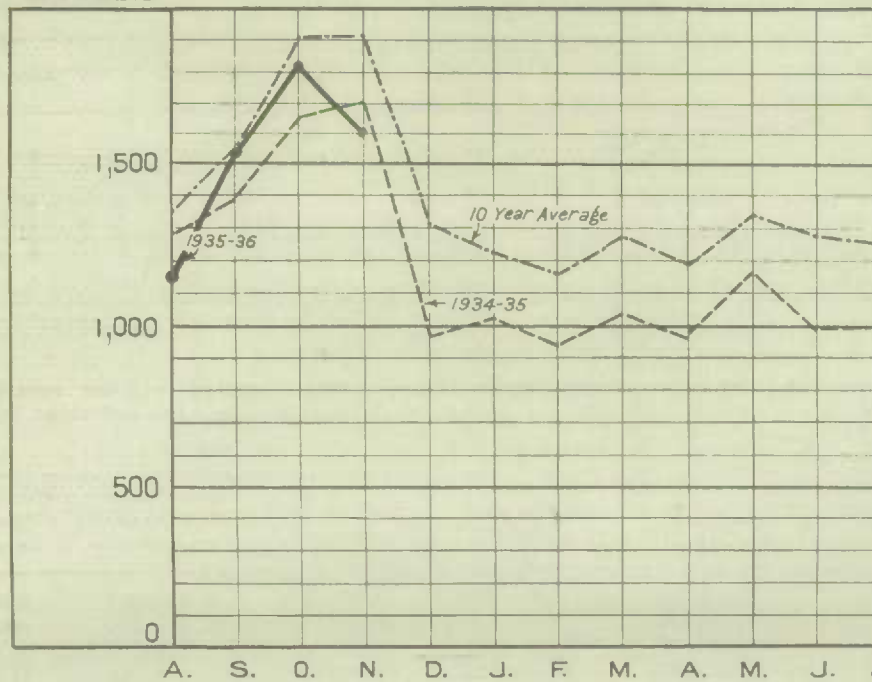


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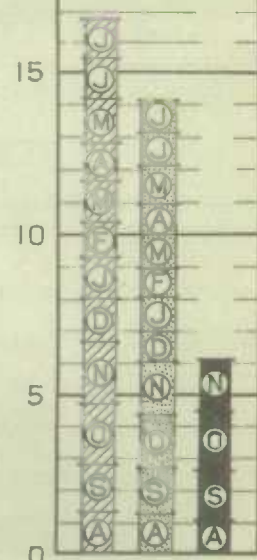
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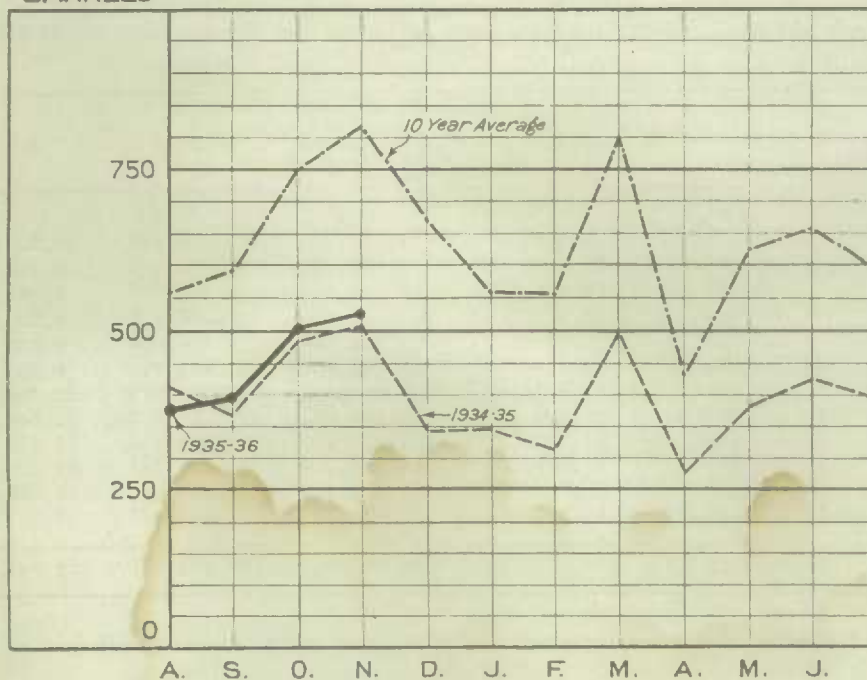
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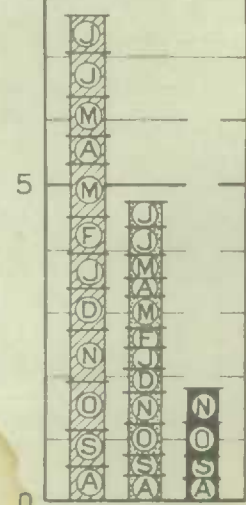
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