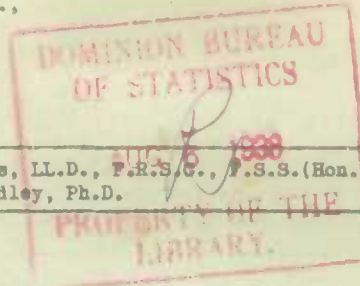


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CANADIAN MILLING STATISTICS
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Ottawa, Canada, August 5, 1938.- The Dominion Bureau of Statistics publishes herewith, preliminary statistics of grains ground and products for June, 1938, with comparisons for the previous year, inventory for the month and wheat flour exports.

The daily capacity reporting for June, 1938 amounted to 94,144 barrels.

SUMMARY

During the month of June, 1938, 4,397,902 bushels of wheat were ground in Canadian mills compared with 4,542,258 bushels for the corresponding month of the previous year. In the coarse grain group, all grains—oats, corn, barley, buckwheat and mixed grain, were higher than for June last year.

Grains ground for the month of June, 1938 are shown in bushels with comparative figures for the same month of the previous year in brackets: Wheat 4,397,902 (4,542,258); Oats 688,291 (639,628); Corn 389,359 (274,441); Barley 77,166 (71,977); Buckwheat 6,228 (3,539); and Mixed Grain 861,330 (616,808).

Mill stocks of wheat on June 30, 1938 amounted to 1,838,035 bushels, while for the same month in 1937 the amount was 3,474,532 bushels.

Flour production in June, 1938 amounted to 969,207 barrels compared with 1,000,879 barrels for the same month last year. Exports of flour in June, 1938 amounted to 299,503 barrels compared with 389,995 barrels in June, 1937.

MILL GRINDINGS

The following table shows the amount of wheat, oats, corn, barley, buckwheat and mixed grain milled for the month of June, 1938, by merchant and custom mills in Canada according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at June 30, 1938 (in bushels):-

Grain	Quantities Ground				Stocks on hand, June 30, 1938		
	Merchant Mills	Custom Mills	Total June, 1938	Total June, 1937	Merchant Mills	Custom Mills	Total June 30, 1938
EASTERN DIVISION							
Wheat	2,282,589	81,127	2,363,716	2,253,013	831,732	44,438	876,170
Oats	269,397	98,241	367,638	324,805	616,228	32,679	648,907
Corn	137,160	249,630	386,790	271,587	146,923	46,122	193,045
Barley	23,359	25,954	49,313	41,384	28,420	8,156	36,576
Buckwheat	-	6,228	6,228	3,539	7,890	5,530	13,410
Mixed Grain	26,846	778,066	804,912	578,615	224	25,687	25,911
WESTERN DIVISION							
Wheat	1,917,645	116,541	2,034,186	2,289,245	828,068	133,797	961,865
Oats	279,670	40,983	320,653	314,823	299,835	2,297	302,132
Corn	2,120	449	2,569	2,854	15,389	261	15,650
Barley	6,707	21,146	27,853	30,593	30,770	7,616	38,386
Buckwheat	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mixed Grain	-	56,418	56,418	38,193	-	332	332
DOMINION OF CANADA							
Wheat	4,200,234	197,668	4,397,902	4,542,258	1,659,800	178,235	1,838,035
Oats	549,067	139,224	688,291	639,628	916,063	34,976	951,039
Corn	139,280	250,079	389,359	274,441	162,312	46,383	208,695
Barley	30,066	47,100	77,166	71,977	59,190	15,772	74,962
Buckwheat	-	6,228	6,228	3,539	7,890	5,530	13,410
Mixed Grain	26,846	834,484	861,330	616,808	224	26,019	26,243

MILLINGS

The following table shows the production from wheat and coarse grains ground in merchant and custom mills in Canada for the month of June, 1938, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at June 30, 1938:-

Products	Unit of Measure	Production from Grindings				Stocks on hand June 30, 1938
		Eastern Division	Western Division	Total June, 1938	Total June, 1937	
<u>Wheat Flour</u>						
Manitoba Sp. P. No. 1	Barrels	227,192	146,227	373,419	318,951	268,102
Manitoba Sp. P. No. 2	"	132,528	114,539	247,067	316,004	159,173
Ontario Winter Straight	"	69,369	-	69,369	41,213	14,806
All other	"	74,783	161,492	236,275	285,505	408,608
Total Flour	"	503,872	422,258	926,130	961,673	850,689
<u>Sundry Cereals</u>						
Low Grade or Feed Flour	Barrels	13,539	29,538	43,077	39,206	43,608
Bran	Tons	8,279	6,564	14,843	15,004	5,747
Shorts	"	7,744	7,075	14,819	17,651	5,539
Middlings	"	3,519	1,641	5,160	4,596	3,586
All Other Offal*	"	4,736	1,917	6,653	5,673	2,250
Oatmeal	Pounds	476,500	151,874	628,374	401,239	636,911
Rolled Oats	"	3,066,372	4,153,640	7,220,012	7,382,593	4,367,623
Corn Flour and Meal	"	3,753,470	-	3,753,470	1,902,675	521,273
Barley, Pot and Pearl	"	77,812	74,480	152,292	90,752	136,230
Buckwheat Flour	"	100,106	-	100,106	58,258	3,038
<u>Ground Feed</u>						
Ground Oats	Pounds	4,306,251	1,994,402	6,300,653	6,198,669	769,445
Cracked Corn	"	8,761,491	143,884	8,905,375	7,947,795	813,120
Ground Barley	"	2,034,080	1,194,012	3,228,092	3,281,410	358,522
Mixed Grain	"	35,770,024	2,491,671	38,261,695	27,542,243	324,951

* Including Coarse Grain Offal

Flour production for the month of June, 1938 amounted to 969,207 barrels compared with 1,000,879 barrels for the same month last year. The decline was normal at this season, the second last month of the present crop year. Wheat offal was generally lower in keeping with the flour trend, middling alone varying. The items were bran, 14,843 (15,004) tons, shorts, 14,819 (17,651) tons and middlings 5,160 (4,596) tons.

Cereal production for June 1938 was higher than for the same month a year ago. Production was as follows with figures for June last year in brackets and the quantities in pounds: Oatmeal, 628,374 (401,239); Rolled Oats, 7,220,012 (7,382,593); Corn Flour and Meal, 3,753,470 (1,902,675); Pot and Pearl Barley, 152,292 (90,752); and Buckwheat Flour, 100,106 (58,258).

Animal feed products were firm with a generous increase in mixed grain over the same month last year. These compared as follows: Ground Oats, 6,300,653 (6,198,669) pounds; Cracked Corn, 8,905,375 (7,947,795) pounds; Ground Barley, 3,228,092 (3,281,410) pounds; and Mixed Grain, 38,261,695 (27,542,243) pounds.

Total flour stocks for the month of June, 1938 amounted to 894,297 barrels compared with 1,032,056 barrels for the same month last year and 907,110 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 eleven months of the crop year 1937-38, with comparative figures for 1936-37:-

Months	Wheat	Oats	Corn	Barley	Mixed Grain
			(Bushels)		
August, 1937	4,712,746	837,433	231,643	85,601	714,113
September	6,418,235	1,128,172	219,842	130,936	1,241,096
October	6,626,888	1,291,496	306,272	135,337	1,460,519
November	6,473,672	1,522,321	247,907	139,232	1,711,986
December	4,552,164	1,191,395	225,138	124,409	1,747,553
January, 1938	4,137,413	1,088,788	222,147	108,179	1,578,220
February	3,819,153	1,042,447	235,305	133,310	1,828,161
March	4,498,940	945,541	279,028	115,917	1,610,123
April	3,591,547	714,122	259,819	98,958	1,651,833
May	4,416,909	644,602	188,684	73,531	1,201,292
June	4,397,902	688,291	389,359	77,166	861,330
TOTAL	53,645,569	11,094,808	2,805,144	1,222,576	15,606,226
TOTAL LAST YEAR	59,644,391	10,540,890	3,134,854	975,102	13,702,088

SUMMARY OF MILL PRODUCTION

The following table summarizes the production of wheat flour, oatmeal, rolled oats and corn flour and meal for eleven months of the crop year 1937-38, including percentage of operation and wheat flour exports, with comparative figures for 1936-37:

Months	Wheat Flour		Oatmeal	Rollled Oats	Corn Flour and Meal	Wheat Flour Exported
	Percentage of Operation	Quantity Barrels	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Barrels
August, 1937	44.0	1,042,949	473,546	10,219,290	1,993,480	288,608
September	61.5	1,437,586	838,850	13,546,438	2,128,854	306,655
October	63.9	1,489,185	688,108	15,747,667	2,476,304	336,478
November	62.2	1,449,419	1,039,574	17,451,906	2,292,148	405,921
December	42.1	1,010,971	1,085,780	13,627,225	1,738,544	337,678
January, 1938	38.7	921,285	830,502	11,770,834	2,214,502	295,776
February	38.4	849,228	723,038	10,731,207	1,729,202	272,488
March	41.1	999,387	579,750	9,995,402	2,208,412	301,735
April	35.5	794,282	719,259	6,139,923	2,395,008	184,703
May	43.6	977,740	441,461	6,159,367	3,045,902	297,126
June	43.3	969,207	628,374	7,220,012	3,753,470	299,503
TOTAL		11,941,239	8,048,242	122,609,271	25,975,826	3,326,671
TOTAL LAST YEAR		13,189,448	7,307,184	118,753,769	24,805,385	4,190,701

The following table shows the production of ground oats for the calendar years 1932-37:

Months	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937 *
			(Pounds)			
January	7,096,449	7,056,256	7,394,091	7,097,044	8,232,834	9,390,540
February	6,747,960	6,557,917	6,819,996	6,844,063	7,650,395	8,549,677
March	7,952,453	8,606,818	7,942,004	7,368,595	8,167,014	9,823,046
April	7,791,680	7,234,551	6,965,147	7,451,039	7,659,780	8,937,714
May	6,369,831	6,782,935	6,617,727	6,998,026	6,057,642	7,810,027
June	4,893,433	5,494,107	5,664,907	5,927,378	6,480,628	6,216,677
July	4,444,215	4,780,054	5,143,190	5,267,690	6,550,509	5,613,135
August	4,545,240	5,683,792	4,784,757	5,079,645	6,693,371	5,723,867
September	6,653,674	6,433,728	5,727,054	6,663,434	8,388,158	8,271,593
October	8,544,683	8,231,522	7,624,248	8,674,143	11,037,672	9,470,424
November	10,159,070	9,484,840	9,084,736	10,385,521	11,681,034	11,987,427
December	8,109,255	6,805,018	7,489,505	8,734,270	10,815,220	9,074,932
T O T A L	83,307,943	83,151,538	81,257,362	86,490,848	99,414,257	100,869,059

* Preliminary from August to December 1937.

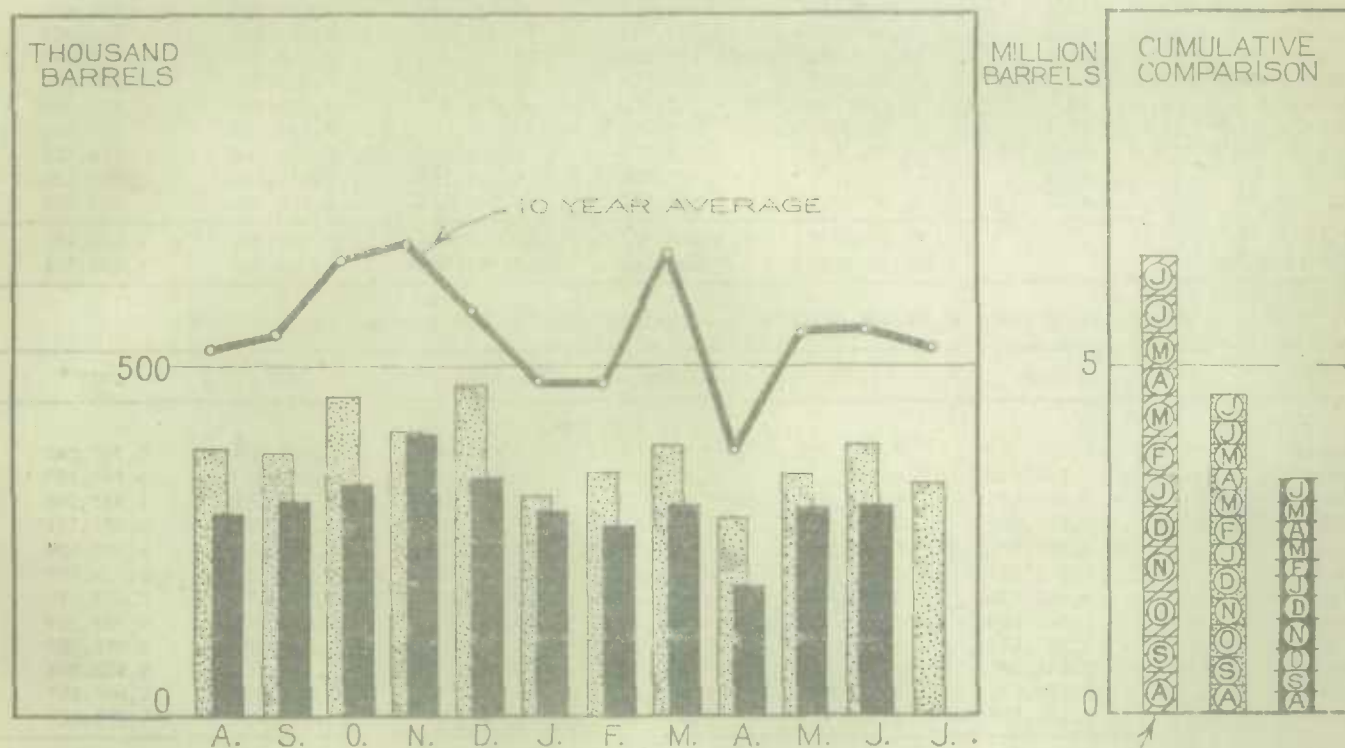


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