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GRAIN MILLING STATISTICS

The output of wheat flour in Canada for June 1960 amounted to 3,648,000 hundredweight, representing an increase of 12 per cent over the May 1960 output of 3,253,000 hundredweight, 8 per cent greater than the June 1959 figure of 3,387,000 hundredweight and 5 per cent more than the ten-year (1950-1959) average production for the month of June of 3,471,000 hundredweight. Ontario winter wheat flour included in the quantity for the month under review amounted to 211,000 hundredweight as against 247,000 hundredweight in June 1959. Production of wheat flour during the August-June period of the 1959-60 crop year amounted to 37,146,000 hundredweight, 2 per cent above the 36,516,000 hundredweight produced during the same period of 1958-59.

Mill operations during June 1960 averaged 82.3 per cent of capacity when computed on a 26-day working period in the month and a daily capacity of 170,000 hundredweight. Mills reporting for May 1960 operated at 76.6 per cent of their combined rated capacity for 25 days.

Wheat milled for flour in June 1960 amounted to 8,270,000 bushels, exceeding by 8 per cent the 7,664,000 bushels milled in June a year ago. Ontario winter wheat included in the current month's milled wheat amounted to 500,000 bushels compared with 575,000 bushels of this type in June 1959. Total wheat milled for flour during the August-June period of the current crop year amounted to 84,173,000 bushels, 2 per cent greater than the 82,628,000 bushels milled in the preceding crop year.

Stocks of wheat for flour in mill bins at the close of June 1960 amounted to 2,754,000 bushels.

According to preliminary Customs returns wheat flour exports during June 1960 amounted to 1,072,000 hundredweight, representing a decrease of 36 per cent from the May total of 1,670,000 hundredweight, and 18 per cent less than the adjusted June 1959 figure of 1,305,000 hundredweight. Total shipments for the August-June period of the 1959-60 crop year amounted to 14,694,000 hundredweight compared with 14,607,000 hundredweight (adjusted to remove the effect of time lag in reporting returns) in the same period of the 1958-59 crop year.

Millfeed production for June 1960 amounted to 62,000 tons, 10 per cent more than the 57,000 tons produced in the same month last year. The breakdown was as follows with last year's comparable figures in brackets: bran 25,000 (23,000) tons, shorts 29,000 (27,000) tons and middlings 9,000 (7,000) tons. Total millfeed production for the August-June period of the 1959-60 crop year amounted to 630,000 tons, 4 per cent over the 608,000 tons produced during the same period of 1958-59.

WHEAT

The following table shows the amount of wheat milled in Canadian mills for the month of June 1960, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand June 30, 1960:

WHEAT	QUANTITIES MILLED				STOCKS ON HAND IN MILL BINS		
	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals June/60	Totals June/59	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals June 30/60
	- '000 bushels -						
Manitoba Spring	3,218	4,261	7,479	6,874	1,789	93	1,882
Ontario Winter	500	-	500	575	425	-	425
All Other	30	67	98	51	30	-	30
Durum	B R E A K D O W N		194	165	B R E A K D O W N		418
	N O T				N O T		
Totals, Wheat			8,270	7,664			2,754
	A V A I L A B L E				A V A I L A B L E		

NOTE: Components in tables may not add exactly to the totals due to rounding.

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MILLINGS

The following table shows the production from wheat and coarse grains milled in Canadian mills for the month of June 1960, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at June 30, 1960:

Product	PRODUCTION FROM MILLINGS				Stocks on Hand June 30, 1960
	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals June/60	Totals June/59	
<u>WHEAT FLOUR</u> - '000 cwt. -					
Spring No. 1 or Top Patent including Semolina	243	452	696	573	SEE
Spring No. 2 Patent	607	624	1,231	1,155	
Spring No. 3 Patent (Strong Bakers or Export Patent) ^{1/}	383	586	969	927	TABLE
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	19	32	50	42	
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour	211	-	211	247	
Lower Grades of Flour	152	125	278	262	
All Other Wheat Flour	42	86	128	107	
Durum Semolina and Flour	B R E A K D O W N		85	73	BELOW
- - - - - <u>NOT</u>					
Totals, Flour	A V A I L A B L E		3,648	3,387	
<u>SUNDRY CEREALS</u> - '000 lbs. -					
Oatmeal	B R E A K D O W N		1,492	1,330	220
Rolled Oats	N O T		4,840	5,073	2,393
Barley, Pot and Pearl	A V A I L A B L E		231	194	366
Rye, Flour and Meal			1,332	1,644	818
<u>MILLFEEDS</u> - '000 tons -					
Bran	11	14	25	23	2
Shorts	15	14	29	27	2
Middlings	4	5	9	7	5
Totals	30	33	62	57	9

^{1/} Including Flour of a higher extraction rate for export to the United Kingdom.

MILL OWNED FLOUR STOCKS

Grade of Flour	EASTERN DIVISION			WESTERN DIVISION			Total East and West
	At Mills	At Offsite Positions, in Transit and on Consignment East of the Lakehead	Total	At Mills	At Offsite Positions, in Transit and on Consignment Lakehead and West	Total	
- '000 cwt. -							
Spring No. 1 or Top Patent including Semolina	48	395	443	85	158	243	686
Spring No. 2 Patent	95	201	296	99	67	166	462
Spring No. 3 Patent (Strong Bakers or Export Patent)	58	320	378	66	93	158	536
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	7	10	17	12	8	20	37
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour	55	22	77	-	-	-	77
Lower Grades of Flour	70	29	100	19	14	33	132
All Other Wheat Flour	13	14	27	14	67	81	108
Durum Semolina and Flour	B R E A K D O W N			B R E A K D O W N			34
- - - - - <u>NOT</u>							
Totals	A V A I L A B L E			A V A I L A B L E			2,073

SUMMARY OF MILLINGS

The following table summarizes the milling of wheat and coarse grains for human consumption for eleven months of the crop year 1959-60, with comparative figures for 1958-59:

Month	Wheat for Flour	- '000 bushels -		
		Oats	Barley	Rye
August 1959	7,523	409	13	32
September	7,518	566	20	37
October	8,654	636	24	38
November	8,535	504	16	40
December	7,354	356	11	39
January 1960	6,727	413	15	38
February	7,321	452	12	34
March	7,822	467	22	39
April	7,072	395	23	48
May	7,377	330	17	39
June	8,270	332	14	36
Totals	84,173	4,860	188	422
Totals, Last Year	82,628	4,724	156	419

SUMMARY OF MILL PRODUCTION AND WHEAT FLOUR EXPORTS

The following table summarizes the production of wheat flour, oatmeal, rolled oats and millfeeds for eleven months of the crop year 1959-60, including percentage of operation and wheat flour exports, with comparative figures for 1958-59:

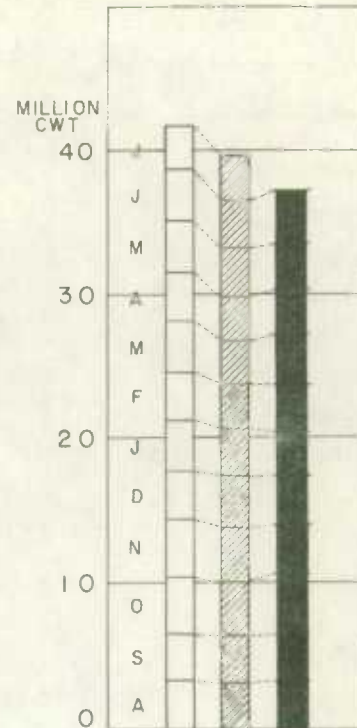
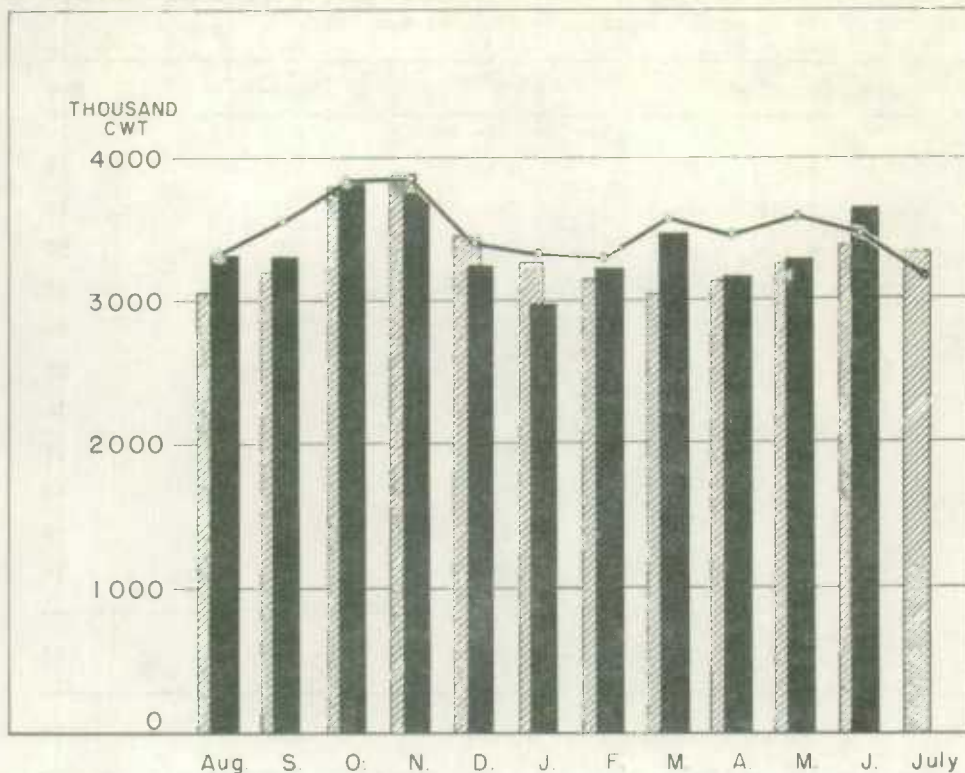
Month	WHEAT FLOUR		Oatmeal '000 pounds	Rolled Oats '000 pounds	Millfeeds '000 tons	Wheat Flour ^{1/} Exports '000 cwt.
	% of Operation	Quantity '000 cwt.				
August 1959	75.1	3,307	1,241	6,322	57	1,389
September	78.2	3,303	1,386	9,091	56	1,542
October	86.7	3,820	1,204	10,522	65	1,330
November	92.2	3,758	1,856	7,503	64	1,440
December	73.5	3,244	1,241	5,536	56	1,547
January 1960	70.4	2,980	2,057	5,749	49	1,337
February	76.2	3,231	1,999	6,438	54	1,138
March	75.5	3,462	2,483	6,340	58	1,138
April	74.1	3,141	2,765	4,799	53	1,090
May	76.6	3,253	1,562	4,781	56	1,670
June	82.3	3,648	1,493	4,840	62	1,072
Totals	-	37,146	19,287	71,921	630	14,694
Totals, Last Year	-	36,516	12,992	73,408	608	14,607

^{1/} Data for the current crop year are unadjusted Customs figures as published in the 'Trade of Canada'. The figures for the comparable period last year have been adjusted to remove the effect of time lag in reporting returns.

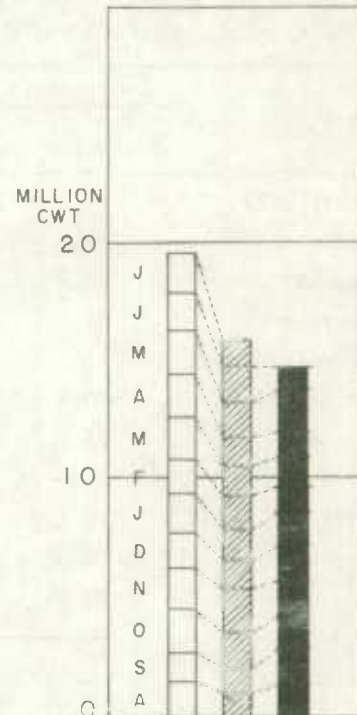
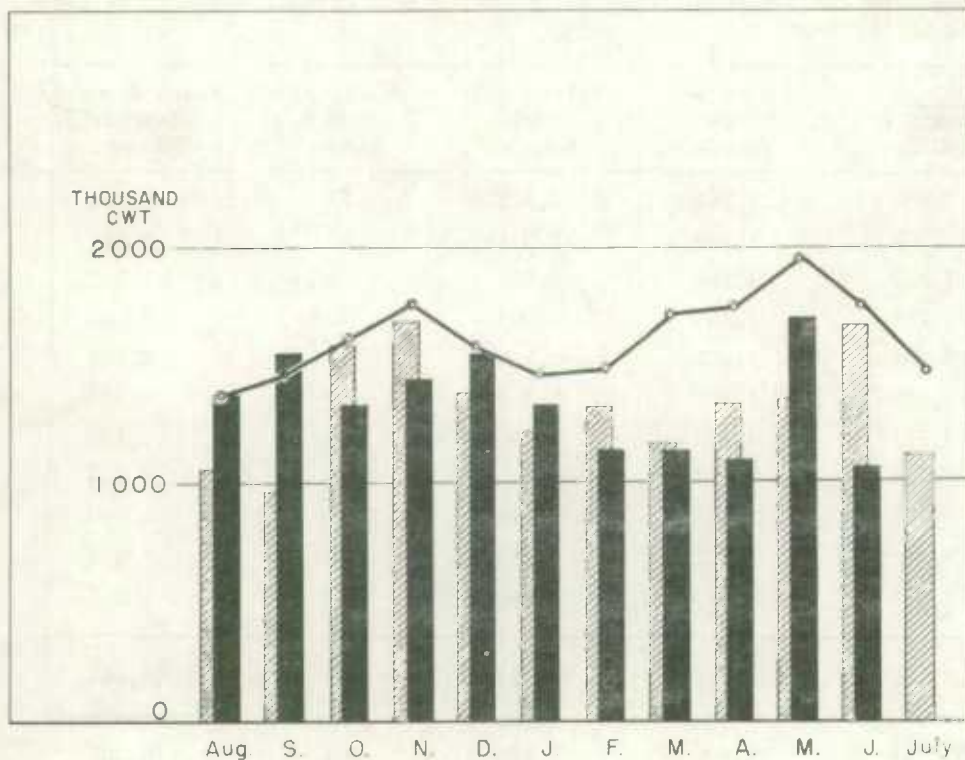


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WHEAT FLOUR PRODUCTION



WHEAT FLOUR EXPORTS



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COMPARISON



10 year average 1949-50 — 1958-59

1958-59

1959-60

