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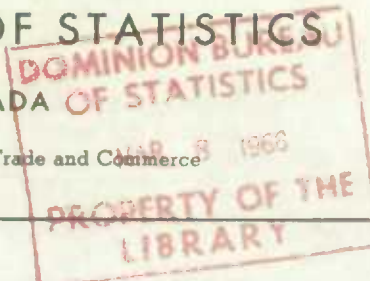
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GRAIN MILLING STATISTICS

The output of wheat flour in Canada for January 1966 amounted to 3,703,000 hundredweight, representing a decrease of 2 per cent from the December 1965 output of 3,787,000 hundredweight but 24 per cent greater than the January 1965 total of 2,977,000 hundredweight and 15 per cent higher than the ten-year (1956-65) average production for the month of January of 3,225,000 hundredweight. Ontario winter wheat flour included in the quantity for the month under review amounted to 217,000 hundredweight compared with 234,000 hundredweight in January 1965. Production of wheat flour during the first six months of the current crop year amounted to 22,787,000 hundredweight, 17 per cent above the 19,462,000 hundredweight produced during the same period of the 1964-65 crop year and 12 per cent over the ten-year average for the same period.

Mill operations during January 1966 averaged 88.0 per cent of capacity when computed on a 25-day working period in the month and a daily capacity of 168,000 hundredweight. Mills reporting for December 1965 operated at 90.9 per cent of their combined rated capacity for the same number of days.

Wheat milled for flour in January 1966 amounted to 8,257,000 bushels, 3 per cent less than the 8,529,000 bushels milled in December 1965, but 25 per cent greater than the 6,622,000 bushels milled in January a year ago. Ontario winter wheat included in the current month's milled wheat amounted to 523,000 bushels compared with 582,000 bushels of this type for January 1965. Total wheat milled for flour during the August-January period of the current crop year amounted to 51,067,000 bushels 18 per cent above the 43,366,000 bushels milled in the same period of the preceding crop year.

Millfeed production for January 1966 amounted to 61,000 tons, 25 per cent more than the 49,000 tons produced in the same month last year. The breakdown was as follows with last year's comparable figures in brackets: bran, 26,000 (20,000) tons, shorts 31,000 (26,000) tons and middlings 3,000 (3,000) tons. Total millfeed production for the first six months of the 1965-66 crop year amounted to 379,000 tons 17 per cent more than the 323,000 tons produced in the corresponding period of the previous crop year.

According to preliminary Customs returns wheat flour exports for the month of December 1965 amounted to 833,000 hundredweight, 54 per cent lower than the 1,827,000 hundredweight exported during November 1965 and 14 per cent less than the adjusted December 1964 exports of 965,000 hundredweight. Total shipments during the first five months of the 1965-66 crop year amounted to 5,689,000 hundredweight compared with the 5,732,000 hundredweight (adjusted to remove the effect of time lag in reporting returns) exported in the same period of the preceding crop year.

NOTE: Official wheat flour export data for January 1966 were not available at the time of preparation of this report. The flour export figure for January included in this report represents an unofficial estimate.

WHEAT

The following table shows the amount of wheat milled in Canadian mills for the month of January 1966, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand January 31, 1966:

Wheat	QUANTITIES MILLED				STOCKS ON HAND IN MILL BINS		
	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals Jan/66	Totals Jan/65	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals Jan. 31/66
	'000 bushels						
Manitoba Spring	3,540	3,827	7,367	5,688	1,104	288	1,392
Ontario Winter	523	-	523	582	1,328	-	1,328
Durum	231	60	291	278	BREAKDOWN		219
All Other	BREAKDOWN		76	74	NOT		
Totals, Wheat	NOT AVAILABLE		8,257	6,622	AVAILABLE		

Note: Components in tables may not 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 January 1966, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at January 31, 1966:

Product	PRODUCTION FROM MILLINGS				Stocks
	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals Jan/66	Totals Jan/65	on Hand January 31, 1966
<u>WHEAT FLOUR</u> '000 cwt.					
Spring No. 1 or Top Patent including Semolina	246	426	672	703	
Spring No. 2 Patent	606	396	1,002	941	SEE
Spring No. 3 (Strong Bakers or Export Patent)(1)	574	692	1,266	676	TABLE
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	17	21	38	45	
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour	217	-	217	234	
Durum Semolina and Flour	102	27	129	121	BELOW
Lower Grades of Flour	113	184	297	151	
All Other Wheat Flour	34	49	83	106	
Totals, Flour	1,908	1,795	3,703	2,977	
<u>SUNDRY CEREALS</u> '000 lbs.					
Oatmeal	B R E A K D O W N		751	1,740	283
Rolled Oats	N O T		6,779	7,404	2,195
Barley, Pot & Pearl	A V A I L A B L E		241	283	246
Rye, Flour and Meal			1,683	1,524	961
<u>MILLFEEDS</u> '000 tons					
Bran	13	13	26	20	4
Shorts	17	15	31	26	4
Middlings	2	1	3	3	1
Totals	32	29	61	49	9

(1) Including flour of a higher extraction rate for export to Britain.

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	75	296	371	110	154	265	636
Spring No. 2 Patent	107	141	248	85	43	128	376
Spring No. 3 Patent (Strong Bakers or Export Patent)	41	561	602	46	61	107	709
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	10	17	27	13	13	27	54
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour	59	27	86	-	-	-	86
Lower Grades of Flour	30	7	36	35	10	44	81
All Other Wheat Flour	15	4	19	22	8	29	48
Durum Semolina and Flour	B R E A K D O W N		15	B R E A K D O W N		4	19
Totals	N O T A V A I L A B L E		1,404	N O T A V A I L A B L E		603	2,007

SUMMARY OF MILLINGS

The following table summarizes the milling of wheat and coarse grains for human consumption for the first six months of the crop year 1965-66, with comparative figures for 1964-65:

Month	Wheat for Flour	Oats	Barley	Rye
'000 bushels				
August 1965	7,676	577	11	36
September	8,627	613	16	37
October	9,221	548	10	37
November	8,758	577	16	34
December	8,529	458	13	37
January 1966	8,257	417	12	42
Totals	51,067	3,190	78	223
Totals, Last Year	43,366	3,094	81	211

SUMMARY OF MILL PRODUCTION AND WHEAT FLOUR EXPORTS

The following table summarizes the production of wheat flour, oatmeal, rolled oats and millfeeds for the first six months of the crop year 1965-66 including percentage of operation and wheat flour exports, with comparative figures for 1964-65:

Month	WHEAT FLOUR		Oatmeal	Rollled Oats	Millfeeds	Wheat Flour
	% of Operation	Quantity '000 cwt.	'000 pounds	'000 pounds	'000 tons	Exports '000 cwt.
August 1965	78.4	3,419	3,240	7,569	56	842
September	90.8	3,861	2,694	8,608	63	1,198
October	98.8	4,115	1,995	8,033	68	988
November	93.6	3,902	2,568	7,820	64	1,827
December	90.9	3,787	2,410	5,952	68	833
January 1966	88.0	3,703	751	6,779	61	870 (1)
Totals	-	22,787	13,658	44,762	379	6,559
Totals, Last Year	-	19,462	13,523	45,064	323	6,716 (2)

(1) Estimate.

(2) The figures for the comparable period last year have been adjusted to remove the effect of time lag in reporting returns.

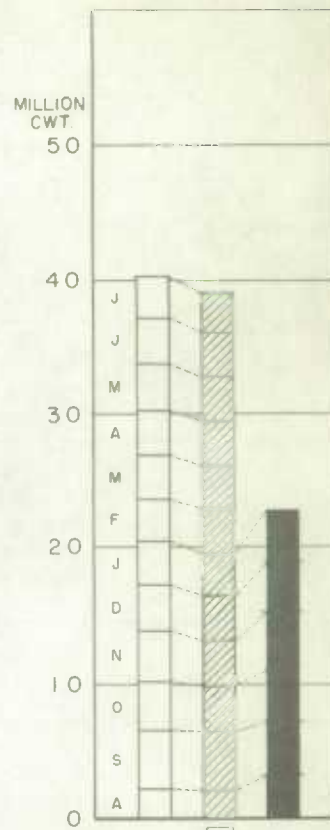
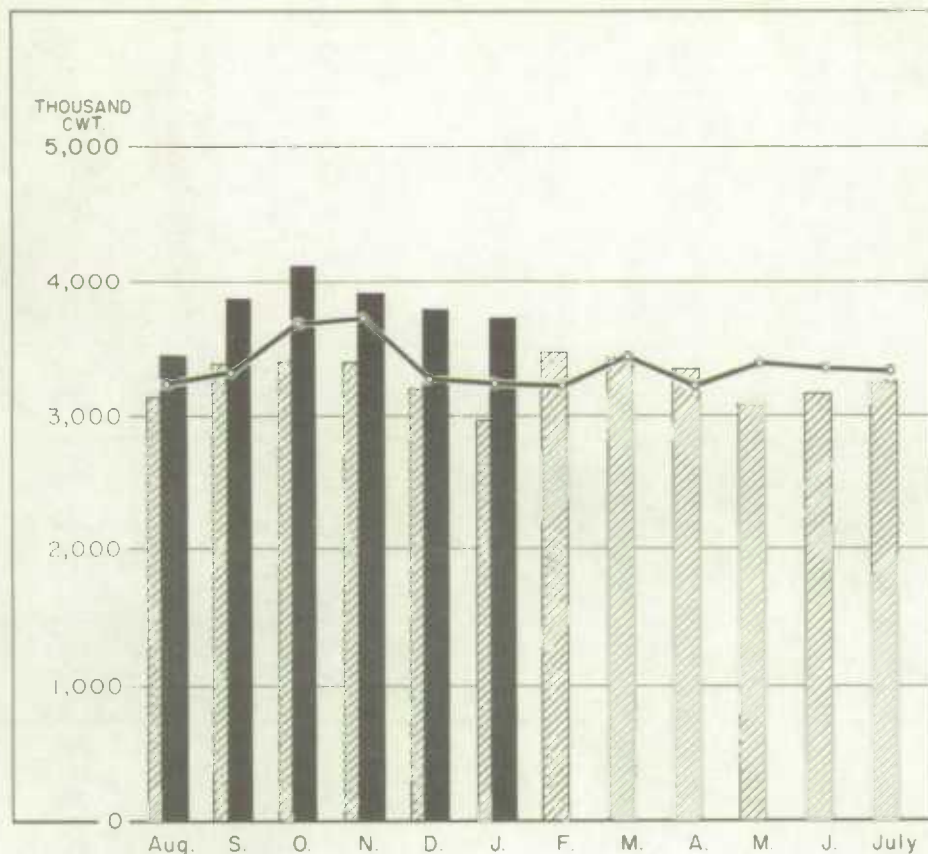
The following table shows the output of millfeeds (bran, shorts and middlings) for the crop years 1960-61 to 1964-65:

Month	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
'000 tons					
August	60	56	49	49	52
September	62	53	47	56	56
October	63	56	53	76	58
November	65	60	50	77	55
December	53	50	41	74	52
January	45	52	45	76	49
February	49	46	46	72	56
March	56	58	47	75	56
April	51	44	48	63	55
May	57	55	54	62	51
June	52	59	49	67	52
July	56	61	46	65	53
Totals	668	650	575	813	647



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WHEAT FLOUR PRODUCTION



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