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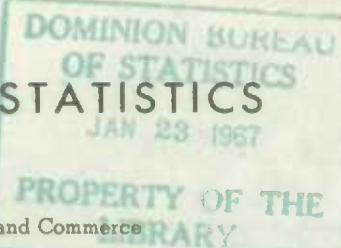
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GRAIN MILLING STATISTICS

The output of wheat flour in Canada for November 1966 amounted to 3,896,000 hundredweight, representing an increase of 5 per cent over the October 1966 output of 3,694,000 hundredweight, 4 per cent above the ten-year (1956-65) average production for the month of November of 3,750,000 hundredweight, but 3 per cent less than the November 1965 total of 3,906,000 hundredweight. Ontario winter wheat flour included in the quantity for the month under review amounted to 269,000 hundredweight compared with 261,000 hundredweight in November 1965. Production of wheat flour during the August-November period of the current crop year amounted to 14,751,000 hundredweight, 4 per cent below the 15,301,000 hundredweight produced during the same four months of the previous crop year but 5 per cent above the ten-year August-November average.

Mill operations during November 1966 averaged 91.5 per cent of capacity when computed on a 26-day working period in the month and a daily capacity of 164,000 hundredweight. Mills reporting for October operated at 90.0 per cent of their combined rated capacity for 25 days.

Wheat milled for flour in November 1966 amounted to 8,810,000 bushels, 5 per cent more than the 8,366,000 bushels milled in October, and slightly above the 8,768,000 bushels milled in November a year ago. Ontario winter wheat included in the current month's milled wheat amounted to 686,000 bushels compared with 631,000 bushels of this type for November 1965. Total wheat milled for flour during the first four months of the 1966-67 crop year amounted to 33,458,000 bushels, 2 per cent below the 34,291,000 bushels milled in the same period of the preceding crop year. Millfeed production for November 1966 amounted to 66,000 tons, 3 per cent above the 64,000 tons produced in the same month last year. The breakdown was as follows with last year's comparable figures in brackets: bran, 25,000 (27,000) tons, shorts 37,000 (33,000) tons and middlings 4,000 (4,000) tons. Total millfeed production for the first four months of the 1966-67 crop year amounted to 251,000 tons, unchanged from the comparable figure of a year ago.

According to preliminary Customs returns wheat flour exports for the month of October 1966 amounted to 1,514,000 hundredweight, 47 per cent higher than the revised figure of 1,030,000 hundredweight exported in September 1966 but 5 per cent below the adjusted October 1965 figure of 1,597,000 hundredweight. Exports during the first three months of the 1966-67 crop year amounted to 3,814,000 hundredweight, 1 per cent less than the 3,870,000 hundredweight (adjusted to remove the effect of time lag in reporting returns) shipped during the same period of the preceding crop year.

NOTE: The flour export figure for the month of November 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 November 1966, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand November 30, 1966:

Wheat	QUANTITIES MILLED				STOCKS ON HAND IN MILL BINS		
	Eastern	Western	Totals	Totals	Eastern	Western	Totals
	Division	Division	Nov./66	Nov./65	Division	Division	Nov. 30/66
'000 bushels							
Manitoba Spring	3,827	3,890	7,717	7,694	1,493	158	1,651
Ontario Winter	686	-	686	631	1,959	-	1,959
Durum	267	41	308	333	B R E A K D O W N		152
All Other	B R E A K D O W N		99	110	N O T		
Totals, Wheat	N O T		8,810	8,768	A V A I L A B L E		
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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 November 1966, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at November 30, 1966:

Product	PRODUCTION FROM MILLINGS				Stocks on Hand
	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals Nov/66	Totals Nov/65	November 30, 1966
<u>WHEAT FLOUR</u> '000 cwt.					
Spring No. 1 or Top Patent					
including Semolina	344	428	772	664	
Spring No. 2 Patent	700	496	1,196	1,147	SEE
Spring No. 3 Patent (Strong Bakers or Export Patent) (1) ...	540	685	1,225	1,302	TABLE
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	18	24	42	43	
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour	269	-	269	261	BELOW
Lower Grades of Flour	71	63	134	229	
All Other Wheat Flour	70	59	129	113	
Durum Semolina and Flour	111	18	130	147	
Totals, Flour	2,124	1,772	3,896	3,906	
<u>SUNDRY CEREALS</u> '000 lbs.					
Oatmeal	B R E A K D O W N		2,699	2,568	385
Rolled Oats	N O T		7,511	7,820	2,152
Barley, Pot and Pearl	A V A I L A B L E		140	284	1,059
Rye, Flour and Meal			1,442	1,345	561
<u>MILLFEEDS</u> '000 tons					
Bran	13	12	25	27	2
Shorts	20	17	37	33	3
Middlings	2	1	4	4	1
Totals	36	30	66	64	5

(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	81	356	437	120	176	296	733
Spring No. 2 Patent	101	173	275	69	56	126	400
Spring No. 3 Patent (Strong Bakers of Export Patent) .	35	549	584	36	55	91	675
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	11	13	23	19	12	31	54
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour .	80	27	107	-	-	-	107
Lower Grades of Flour	18	4	22	17	2	19	42
All Other Wheat Flour	27	6	33	8	13	22	55
Durum Semolina and Flour ...	B R E A K D O W N		23	B R E A K D O W N		3	25
Totals	N O T A V A I L A B L E		1,504	N O T A V A I L A B L E		587	2,091

SUMMARY OF MILLINGS

The following table summarizes the milling of wheat and coarse grains for human consumption for the first four months of the 1966-67 crop year, with comparative figures for 1965-66:

Month	Wheat for Flour	Oats	Barley	Rye
		'000 bushels		
August 1966	8,035	458	15	31
September	8,247	521	13	39
October	8,366	532	16	39
November	8,810	553	14	38
Totals	33,458	2,064	57	147
Totals, Last Year	34,291	2,315	53	143

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 four months of the crop year 1966-67, including percentage of operation and wheat flour exports, with comparative figures for 1965-66:

Month	WHEAT FLOUR		Oatmeal	Rolled Oats	Millfeeds	Wheat Flour
	% of Operation	Quantity '000 cwt.	'000 pounds	'000 pounds	'000 tons	Exports '000 cwt.
August 1966	79.5	3,526	1,730	6,630	61	1,270
September	85.4	3,634	1,265	8,126	62	1,030
October	90.0	3,694	1,369	8,083	62	1,514
November	91.5	3,896	2,699	7,511	66	1,100(1)
Totals		14,751	7,063	30,350	251	4,914
Totals, Last Year		15,301	10,497	29,940	251	5,011(2)

(1) Estimated. See NOTE page 1 for explanation of this figure.

(2) Adjusted to remove the effect of time lag in reporting returns.

WHEAT FLOUR EXPORTS(1)

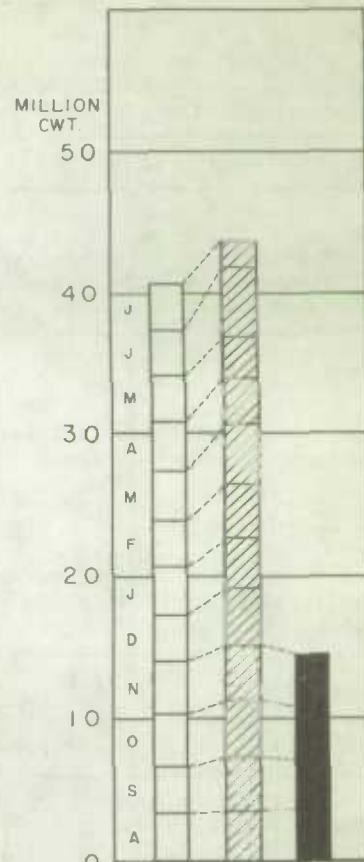
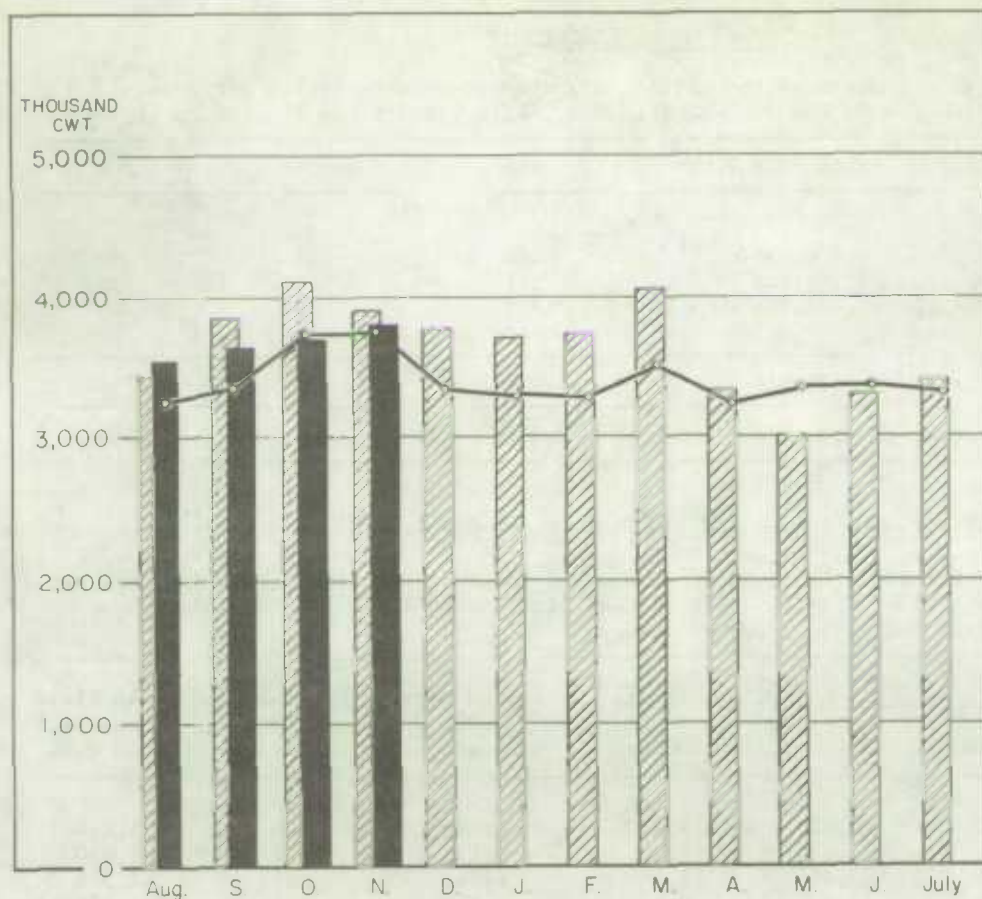
Month	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966
			'000 hundredweight		
January	1,002	690	2,534	984	1,479
February	1,107	787	2,522	712	1,706
March	1,290	1,067	2,477	995	1,607
April	1,039	1,013	2,404	1,760	1,927
May	1,081	950	2,063	1,528	540
June	1,068	1,234	1,638	946	1,446
July	1,179	845	1,859	1,057	1,009
August	1,240	1,226	1,614	1,108	
September	1,132	916	982	1,165	
October	948	1,531	1,070	1,597	
November	946	1,973	1,102	1,141	
December	1,002	2,732	965	1,852	
Totals	13,034	14,963	21,230	14,845	

(1) Adjusted to remove effect of time lag in the returns made by Customs.



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WHEAT FLOUR PRODUCTION



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