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GRAIN MILLING STATISTICS

The output of wheat flour in Canada for August 1966, the opening month of the new crop year amounted to 3,526,000 hundredweight, 4 per cent above the 3,384,000 hundredweight produced during July 1966, 3 per cent over the August 1965 figure of 3,424,000 hundredweight and 9 per cent greater than the ten-year (1956-65) average production for the month of August of 3,230,000 hundredweight. Ontario winter wheat flour included in the quantity for the month under review amounted to 256,000 hundredweight compared with 259,000 hundredweight in August 1965.

Mill operations during August 1966 averaged 79.5 per cent of capacity when computed on a 26-day working period in the month and a daily capacity of 171,000 hundredweight. Mills reporting for July operated at 79.8 per cent of their combined rated capacity for 25 days.

Wheat milled for flour in August 1966 amounted to 8,035,000 bushels, 5 per cent over the 7,674,000 bushels milled in July and 4 per cent higher than the 7,690,000 bushels milled in August a year ago. Ontario winter wheat included in the current month's milled wheat amounted to 657,000 bushels compared with 632,000 bushels of this type for August 1965.

Millfeed production for August 1966 amounted to 61,000 tons, 9 per cent more than the 56,000 tons produced in the same month last year. The breakdown was as follows with last year's comparable figures in brackets: bran 25,000 (24,000) tons, shorts 33,000 (28,000) tons and middlings 3,000 (4,000) tons.

NOTE: The flour export figure for the month of August 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 August 1966, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand August 31, 1966:

Wheat	QUANTITIES MILLED				STOCKS ON HAND IN MILL BINS		
	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals Aug/66	Totals Aug/65	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals Aug. 31/66
	- '000 bushels -						
Manitoba Spring	3,530	3,330	6,860	6,714	1,143	238	1,381
Ontario Winter	657	-	657	632	2,061	-	2,061
Durum	325	112	437	259	B R E A K D O W N		81
All Other	B R E A K D O W N		81	85	B R E A K D O W N		7
Totals, Wheat	N O T A V A I L A B L E		8,035	7,690	N O T A V A I L A B L E		3,529

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 August 1966, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand at August 31, 1966:

Product	PRODUCTION FROM MILLINGS				Stocks
	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals Aug/66	Totals Aug/65	on Hand Aug. 31, 1966
<u>WHEAT FLOUR</u> '000 cwt.					
Spring No. 1 or Top Patent including Semolina	271	374	645	625	S E E
Spring No. 2 Patent	769	489	1,257	1,178	
Spring No. 3 Patent (Strong Bakers or Export Patent) (1)	407	491	899	864	T A B L E
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	20	20	40	40	
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour	256	-	256	259	B E L O W
Durum Semolina and Flour	135	49	184	117	
Lower Grades of Flour	69	77	147	241	
All Other Wheat Flour	45	52	98	98	
Totals, Flour	1,973	1,553	3,526	3,424	
<u>SUNDRY CEREALS</u> '000 lbs.					
Oatmeal	B R E A K D O W N		1,731	3,240	376
Roller Oats	N O T		6,630	5,479	1,917
Barley, Pot and Pearl	A V A I L A B L E		157	123	320
Rye, Flour and Meal			1,202	1,387	787
<u>MILLFEEDS</u> '000 tons					
Bran	13	12	25	24	5
Shorts	19	14	33	28	4
Middlings	2	1	3	4	1
Totals	34	27	61	56	10

(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	76	258	335	111	204	316	650
Spring No. 2 Patent	101	97	198	78	64	143	341
Spring No. 3 Patent (Strong Bakers or Export Patent)	32	221	253	73	41	114	367
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	10	13	23	15	14	29	51
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour	81	27	108	-	-	-	108
Lower Grades of Flour	20	4	24	25	1	26	50
All Other Wheat Flour	19	5	24	16	12	29	53
Durum Semolina and Flour	B R E A K D O W N		16	B R E A K D O W N		5	21
Totals	N O T A V A I L A B L E		981	N O T A V A I L A B L E		660	1,642

### SUMMARY OF MILLINGS

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

Month	Wheat for Flour	Oats	Barley	Rye
		- '000 bushels -		
August 1966	8,035	458	15	31
August 1965 (revised)	7,690	577	11	36

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

Month	WHEAT FLOUR		Oatmeal	Rollled 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	1,100 (1)
August 1965 (revised)	-	3,424	3,240	5,479	56	1,108 (2)

(1) Estimate, see text for explanation of this figure.

(2) The figure for the comparable month last year has been adjusted to remove the effect of time lag in reporting returns.

### Preliminary Statement of Wheat Ground and Wheat Flour Produced, (1) by Month and Divisions, Crop Year 1965-66:

Month	WHEAT GROUND			WHEAT FLOUR PRODUCED		
	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals Canada	Eastern Division	Western Division	Totals Canada
	'000 bushels			'000 hundredweight		
August 1965	4,304	3,386	7,690	1,912	1,512	3,424
September	4,319	4,294	8,612	1,933	1,923	3,856
October	4,651	4,570	9,221	2,069	2,046	4,115
November	4,527	4,240	8,768	2,015	1,891	3,906
December	4,375	4,144	8,519	1,939	1,844	3,783
January 1966	4,324	3,933	8,257	1,908	1,795	3,703
February	4,353	4,021	8,374	1,923	1,810	3,733
March	4,815	4,277	9,092	2,127	1,930	4,056
April	4,114	3,329	7,443	1,818	1,496	3,315
May	4,077	2,683	6,760	1,815	1,195	3,010
June	4,300	3,219	7,519	1,863	1,429	3,292
July	4,187	3,487	7,674	1,825	1,559	3,384
Totals 1965-66	52,348	45,583	97,930	23,146	20,430	43,577

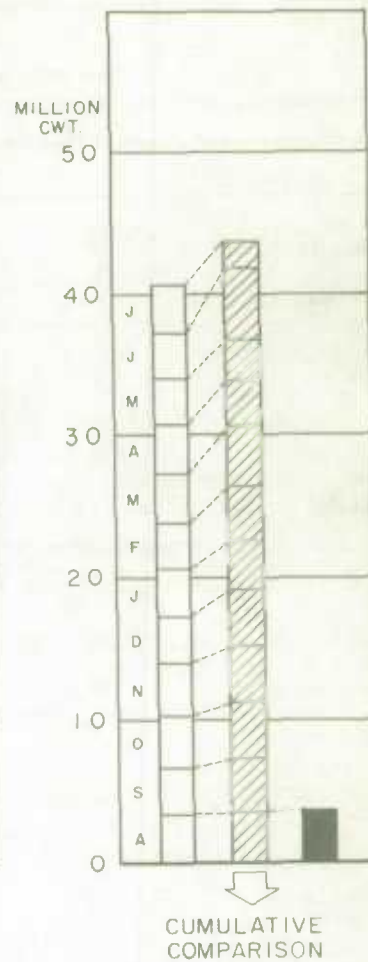
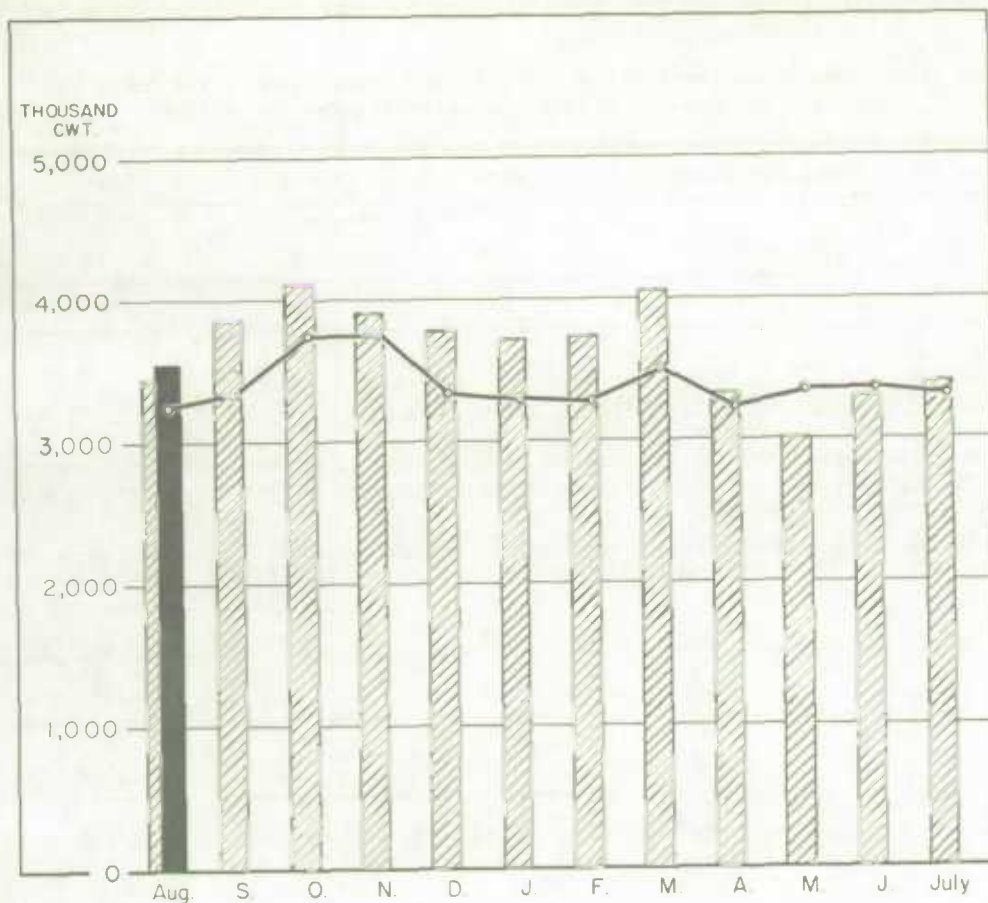
(1) Revised from August to December 1965.





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# WHEAT FLOUR PRODUCTION



# WHEAT FLOUR EXPORTS

