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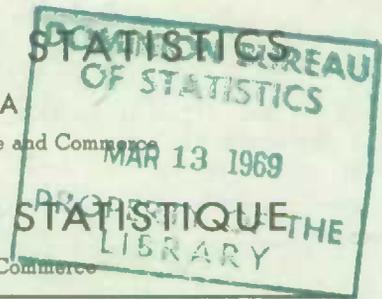
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GRAIN MILLING STATISTICS

January 1969

The output of wheat flour in Canada for January 1969 amounted to 3,488,000 hundredweight representing an increase of 22 per cent over the December 1968 output of 2,869,000 hundredweight, 11 per cent greater than the January 1968 total of 3,149,000 hundredweight and 7 per cent above the ten-year (1959-68) average production for the month of January of 3,264,000 hundredweight. Ontario winter wheat flour included in the quantity for the month under review amounted to 262,000 hundredweight compared with 245,000 hundredweight in January 1968. Production of wheat flour during the first six months of the current crop year amounted to 19,495,000 hundredweight, 1 per cent over the 19,230,000 hundredweight produced during the same period of the 1967-68 crop year but 6 per cent below the ten-year average for the same period.

Mill operations during January 1969 averaged 80.0 per cent of capacity when computed on a 26-day working period in the month and a daily capacity of 168,000 hundredweight. Mills reporting for December 1968 operated at 69.2 per cent of their combined rated capacity for 25 days.

Wheat milled for flour in January 1969 amounted to 7,849,000 bushels, 21 per cent above the 6,487,000 bushels milled in December 1968, and 11 per cent higher than the 7,044,000 bushels milled in January a year ago. Ontario winter wheat included in the current month's milled wheat amounted to 566,000 bushels compared with 591,000 bushels of this type for January 1968. Total wheat milled for flour during the August-January period of the current crop year amounted to 44,028,000 bushels, 2 per cent over the 43,184,000 bushels milled in the same period of the preceding crop year.

Millfeed production for January 1969 amounted to 60,000 tons, 12 per cent over the 53,000 tons produced in the same month last year. The breakdown was as follows with last year's comparable figures in brackets: bran 22,000 (18,000) tons, shorts 35,000 (32,000) tons and middlings 3,000 (3,000) tons. The millfeed production for the first six months of the 1968-69 crop year amounted to 336,000 tons, 4 per cent above the 324,000 tons produced in the corresponding period of the previous year.

According to preliminary Customs returns wheat flour exports for the month of January 1969 amounted to 684,000 hundredweight, 19 per cent less than the 841,000 hundredweight exported during December 1968, and 9 per cent lower than the adjusted January 1968 exports of 755,000 hundredweight. Total shipments during the first six months of the 1968-69 crop year amounted to 5,368,000 hundredweight compared with the 5,345,000 hundredweight (adjusted to remove the effect of time lag in reporting returns) exported in the same period of the preceding crop year.

WHEAT

The following table shows the amount of wheat milled in Canadian mills for the month of January 1969, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand January 31, 1969:

Wheat	Quantities milled				Stocks on hand in mill bins		
	Eastern division	Western division	Totals Jan. 1969	Totals Jan. 1968	Eastern division	Western division	Totals Jan. 1969
	'000 bushels						
Manitoba Spring ...	3,997	2,754	6,752	5,967	2,053	73	2,126
Ontario Winter	566	—	566	591	1,048	—	1,048
Durum	Breakdown not available		425	400	Breakdown not available		133
All other	available		106	86	available		
Totals, wheat ...			7,849	7,044			

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

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The following table shows the production from wheat and coarse grains milled in Canadian mills for the month of January 1969, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand January 31, 1969:

Product	Production from millings				Stocks on hand Jan. 31, 1969
	Eastern division	Western division	Totals Jan. 1969	Totals Jan. 1968	
'000 cwt. Wheat flour					
Spring No. 1 or Top Patent including Semolina	292	348	640	560	
Spring No. 2 Patent	820	338	1,158	1,104	
Spring No. 3 Patent (Strong Bakers or Export Patent)	528	407	935	801	See table below
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	19	27	46	44	
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour	262	—	262	245	
Durum Semolina and Flour	155	26	181	181	
Lower grades of flour	88	96	184	139	
All other wheat flour	38	45	83	75	
Totals, flour	2,201	1,287	3,488	3,149	
Sundry cereals					
'000 lbs.					
Oatmeal			1,546	2,391	332
Rolled oats	Breakdown not available		6,414	5,935	2,450
Pot and pearl barley			189	225	260
Rye, flour and meal			1,562	1,593	742
Millfeeds					
'000 tons					
Bran	13	8	22	18	3
Shorts	22	13	35	32	3
Middlings	2	1	3	3	1
Totals	37	22	60	53	7

MILL OWNED FLOUR STOCKS

Grade of flour	Eastern division			Western division			Totals east and west
	At mills	At offsite positions, in transit and on consignment east of the lakehead	Totals	At mills	At offsite positions, in transit and on consignment lakehead and west	Totals	
'000 cwt.							
Spring No. 1 or Top Patent including Semolina	108	189	297	143	96	239	536
Spring No. 2 Patent	138	145	283	67	38	105	388
Spring No. 3 Patent (Strong Bakers or Export Patent)	49	427	477	36	38	74	551
Whole Wheat and Graham Flour	15	17	31	19	9	28	59
Ontario Winter Wheat Flour	89	22	111	—	—	—	111
Lower grades of flour	17	4	20	18	1	19	40
All other wheat flour	5	19	23	14	2	16	39
Durum Semolina and flour	17	15	32	Breakdown not available			40
Totals	437	838	1,274			490	1,764

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 1968-69, with comparative figures for 1967-68:

Month	Wheat for flour	Oats	Barley	Rye
August 1968	7,337	265	3	35
September	6,999	435	5	34
October	8,173	535	15	33
November	7,184	390	8	36
December	6,487	423	14	33
January 1969	7,849	420	14	39
Totals	44,028	2,469	59	210
Totals last year	43,184	2,775	71	214

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 1968-69, including percentage of operation and wheat flour exports, with comparative figures for 1967-68:

Month	Wheat flour		Oatmeal	Rolled oats	Millfeeds	Wheat flour exports
	% of Operation	Quantity				
		'000 cwt.				
August 1968	76.2	3,240	530	4,430	56	987
September	82.5	3,099	2,193	5,986	54	1,059
October	83.2	3,620	3,060	6,561	62	904
November	75.8	3,178	1,398	5,831	55	893
December	69.2	2,869	3,580	4,608	49	841
January 1969	80.0	3,488	1,546	6,414	60	684
Totals	-	19,495	12,307	33,831	336	5,368
Totals last year	-	19,230	17,322	34,303	324	5,345

The following table shows the output of millfeeds (bran, shorts and middlings) for the crop year 1963-64 to 1967-68:

Month	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
	'000 tons				
August	49	52	56	61	56
September	56	56	63	62	57
October	76	58	68	62	56
November	77	55	64	66	54
December	74	52	68	54	48
January	76	49	61	53	53
February	72	56	60	48	51
March	75	56	65	60	56
April	63	55	55	49	48
May	62	51	50	50	54
June	67	52	57	53	49
July	65	53	58	51	56
Totals	813	647	724	667	640

Customs Exports of Wheat Flour by Countries of Consignment
Crop Years 1967-68 and 1968-69

Destination	January		August - January	
	1968(1)	1969(2)	1967-68(1)	1968-69(2)
hundredweight				
<u>Western Europe</u>				
EEC:				
Belgium and Luxembourg	—	11,468	20,107	21,688
Italy	653	900	4,500	3,600
Netherlands	1,166	—	5,566	1,172
Sub-totals	1,819	12,368	30,173	26,460
<u>Other Western Europe</u>				
Britain	88,232	102,800	673,347	609,155
Denmark	—	—	200	200
Gibraltar	—	1,120	4,200	2,240
Greece	—	7,229	18,938	16,004
Iceland	702	—	702	1,472
Ireland	—	—	2,590	1,260
Norway	50	50	50	50
Portugal	367	1,600	19,610	7,349
Spain	855	—	855	—
Sweden	224	—	224	224
Sub-totals	90,430	112,799	720,716	637,954
Totals	92,249	125,167	750,889	664,414
<u>Africa</u>				
Algeria	882	—	22,665	28,639
Angola	—	—	4,850	1,900
Cameroun Republic	—	500	7,284	9,305
Congo-Kinshasa	3,333	5,000	21,028	11,000
Dahomey	—	1,284	12,731	6,707
French Africa n.e.s.	—	—	—	3,607
Gambia	—	—	20,206	12,530
Ghana	1,891	6,389	356,152	339,580
Guinea Republic	—	—	—	38,649
Ivory Coast	—	—	1,400	1,650
Liberia	1,663	3,594	38,831	42,812
Libya	98	—	98	—
Malawi	2,475	3,475	16,238	11,040
Morocco	—	—	23,149	—
Mozambique	1,188	6,498	9,551	14,288
Nigeria	—	—	—	100
Portuguese Africa n.e.s.	2,380	500	6,820	16,583
Sierra Leone	146	39	1,897	3,083
South Africa Republic	—	—	935	—
Tanzania	1,000	500	2,500	500
Togo	—	2,750	30,114	39,784
Tunisia	—	—	966	—
U.A.R. Egypt	—	133,957	—	293,974
Zambia	500	—	2,500	—
Totals	15,556	164,486	579,915	875,726
<u>Asia</u>				
Aden	—	—	2,800	—
Afghanistan	—	—	225	270
Bahrain	—	—	95	—
Ceylon	—	—	373,751	364,789
Cyprus	—	24	—	203
Hong Kong	12,600	8,888	91,762	80,463
India	—	—	34,200	100
Indonesia	—	—	—	157,329
Iran	—	—	140	702
Iraq	—	—	—	6,835

See footnotes at end of table.

Customs Exports of Wheat Flour by Countries of Consignment
Crop Years 1967-68 and 1968-69

Destination	January		August - January	
	1968(1)	1969(2)	1967-68(1)	1968-69(2)
hundredweight				
<u>Asia - Concluded:</u>				
Israel	—	38,527	236,451	99,300
Japan	245	1,675	1,422	2,385
Jordan	—	—	2,205	—
Korea, South	—	—	8,465	—
Lebanon	—	2,677	79,595	81,906
Philippines	—	—	154	440
Portuguese Asia	1,140	440	2,240	4,455
Qatar	60	—	185	172
Saudi Arabia	—	—	54,098	—
Syria	—	—	—	19,802
Thailand	14,100	7,300	56,556	40,228
Trucial States	60	—	60	820
Totals	28,205	59,531	944,404	860,289
<u>Oceania</u>				
British Oceania n.e.s.	—	—	550	2,424
Fiji	575	575	1,369	1,770
New Zealand	—	—	75	200
United States Oceania	1,600	—	13,600	7,504
Totals	2,175	575	15,594	11,898
<u>Western Hemisphere</u>				
Bahamas	13,279	9,173	68,580	58,425
Barbados	6,629	8,104	42,282	62,407
Bermuda	4,916	2,651	22,682	25,893
Bolivia	7,937	—	8,027	—
Brazil	48	—	48	—
British Honduras	4,058	—	12,603	9,131
Chile	—	—	89	—
Costa Rica	—	—	798	—
Cuba(3)	462,279	260,495	2,113,611	2,289,262
Dominican Republic	49	750	349	760
Ecuador	—	—	—	150
El Salvador	—	—	62	212
French West Indies	—	—	1,729	801
Guatemala	—	2,300	1,000	2,800
Guyana	2,425	3,735	17,644	19,435
Haiti Republic	—	—	610	45,729
Honduras Republic	200	1,805	8,124	5,734
Jamaica	43,899	2,710	308,411	37,303
Leeward and Windward Islands ..	35,214	12,836	184,100	159,361
Netherlands Antilles	3,795	7,887	33,646	28,388
Panama	—	—	16,284	646
Peru	600	—	8,334	4,175
Puerto Rico	—	—	42	—
St. Pierre and Miquelon	825	928	5,280	4,476
Surinam	167	686	2,020	2,748
Trinidad and Tobago	11,533	10,080	98,229	92,580
Venezuela	—	—	100	210
U.S. Virgin Islands	—	—	—	55
United States	19,012	10,456	99,526	104,639
Totals	616,865	334,596	3,054,210	2,955,320
Totals, all countries	755,050	684,355	5,345,012	5,367,647

(1) Adjusted to remove effect on time lag.

(2) Preliminary.

(3) Source - Canadian National Millers Association.

n.e.s. Not elsewhere specified.

Customs Exports of Bran, Shorts and Middlings by
Countries of Consignment
Crop Years 1967-68 and 1968-69

Destination	January		August-January	
	1968	1969	1967-68	1968-69
hundredweight				
<u>Other Western Europe</u>				
Britain	—	500	2,952	15,920
Greece	—	—	—	120
Totals	—	500	2,952	16,040
<u>Asia</u>				
Japan	—	63,145	150,263	575,021
Lebanon	—	—	—	249
Totals	—	63,145	150,263	575,270
<u>Western Hemisphere</u>				
Barbados	—	—	575	550
Bermuda	170	—	490	545
Guyana	—	—	120	131 ^r
Jamaica	—	—	—	200
Leeward and Windward Islands ..	—	—	20	60
Netherlands Antilles	—	2	—	34
St. Pierre and Miquelon	—	—	190	80
United States	55,132	60,909	336,488	381,193
Totals	55,302	60,911	337,883	382,793
Totals, all countries	55,302	124,556	491,098	974,103

^r Revised figures.

Customs Exports of Oatmeal and Rolled Oats by Countries of Consignment
Crop Years 1967-68 and 1968-69

Destination	January		August-January	
	1968	1969	1967-68	1968-69
hundredweight				
<u>Western Europe</u>				
EEC:				
Belgium and Luxembourg	—	—	45	26
Total	—	—	45	26
<u>Africa</u>				
Mozambique	30	9	30	9
Total	30	9	30	9
<u>Western Hemisphere</u>				
Bahamas	—	43	—	134
Barbados	—	7	83	717
Bermuda	45	41	195	240
Bolivia	225	—	360	—
British Honduras	150	—	300	—
Chile	—	—	22	18
Dominican Republic	—	—	2,656	2,744
Ecuador	300	—	2,100	1,050
Guyana	—	—	18	29
Honduras Republic	—	—	—	200
Leeward and Windward Islands ..	23	71	374	652
Netherlands Antilles	—	—	9	—
Panama	104	—	226	—
Peru	—	—	499	—
St. Pierre and Miquelon	—	—	—	32
Trinidad and Tobago	—	—	27	54
United States	231	—	236	160
Venezuela	—	—	—	6,720
Totals	1,078	162	7,105	12,750
Totals, all countries	1,108	171	7,180	12,785

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