



GRAIN MILLING STATISTICS

November 1969

The output of wheat flour in Canada for November 1969 amounted to 3,268,000 hundredweight indicating a decrease of 8 per cent from the October 1969 output of 3,562,000 hundredweight, 11 per cent below the ten-year (1959-68) average production for the month of November of 3,667,000 hundredweight but 3 per cent over the November 1968 total of 3,179,000 hundredweight. Ontario winter wheat flour included in the quantity for the month under review amounted to 311,000 hundredweight compared with 316,000 hundredweight in November 1968. Production of wheat flour during the August-November period of the current crop year amounted to 13,473,000 hundredweight, 3 per cent above the 13,142,000 hundredweight produced during the same four months of the previous crop year but 3 per cent lower than the ten-year average for the same period.

Mill operations during November 1969 averaged 81.2 per cent of capacity when computed on a 24-day working period in the month and a daily capacity of 168,000 hundredweight. Mills reporting for October 1969 operated at 81.7 per cent of their combined rated capacity for 26 days.

Wheat milled for flour in November 1969 amounted to 7,549,000 bushels 7 per cent lower than the 8,113,000 bushels milled in October 1969 but 5 per cent higher than the 7,187,000 bushels milled in November a year ago. Ontario winter wheat included in the current month's milled wheat amounted to 723,000 bushels compared with 701,000 bushels of this type for November 1968. Total wheat milled for flour during the first four months of the 1969-70 crop year amounted to 30,782,000 bushels, compared with the 29,702,000 bushels milled in the same period of the preceding crop year. Millfeed production for November 1969 amounted to 58,000 tons, 6 per cent over the 55,000 tons produced in the same month last year. The breakdown was as follows with last year's comparable figures in brackets: bran 18,000 (18,000) tons, shorts, 38,000 (33,000) tons and middlings 2,000 (4,000) tons. Total millfeed production for the first four months of the 1969-70 crop year amounted to 238,000 tons, 5 per cent more than the 227,000 tons produced in the previous crop year.

According to preliminary Customs returns wheat flour exports for the month of October 1969 amounted to 972,000 hundredweight, 79 per cent greater than the 545,000 hundredweight exported in September 1969 but 9 per cent below the adjusted October 1968 exports of 1,063,000 hundredweight. Total shipments during the first three months of the 1969-70 crop year amounted to 2,466,000 hundredweight, 21 per cent less than the 3,115,000 hundredweight (adjusted to remove the effect of time lag in reporting returns) in the same period of the preceding crop year.

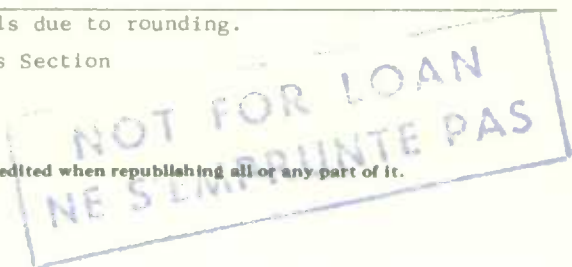
WHEAT

The following table shows the amount of wheat milled in Canadian mills for the month of November 1969, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand November 30, 1969:

Wheat	Quantities milled			Totals Nov. 1968 '000 bushels	Stocks on hand in mill bins		
	Eastern division	Western division	Totals Nov. 1969		Eastern division	Western division	Totals Nov. 1969
Manitoba Spring	4,062	2,320	6,382	6,017	1,402	79	1,480
Ontario Winter	723	—	723	701	2,090	—	2,090
Durum	311	31	342	396	Breakdown		401
All other	45	57	101	73	not available		39
Totals, wheat	5,141	2,408	7,549	7,187			4,011

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

Agriculture Division, Crops Section



MILLINGS

The following table shows the production from wheat and coarse grains milled in Canadian mills for the month of November 1969, according to divisions, with comparative totals for the same month last year and stocks on hand November 30, 1969:

Product	Production from millings				Stocks on hand Nov. 30, 1969
	Eastern division	Western division	Totals Nov. 1969	Totals Nov. 1968	
'000 cwt. Wheat flour					
Spring No. 1 or Top Patent including Semolina	293	256	549	654	See table below
Spring No. 2 Patent	835	238	1,073	1,175	
Spring No. 3 Patent (strong bakers or export patent)	481	421	903	623	
Whole wheat and graham flour	27	22	49	35	
Ontario winter wheat flour	311	—	311	316	
Durum Semolina and flour	139	15	155	172	
Lower grades of flour	87	52	138	136	
All other wheat flour	50	40	90	68	
Totals, flour	2,222	1,045	3,268	3,179	
Sundry cereals '000 lbs.					
Oatmeal	Breakdown not available		360	1,398	168
Rolled oats			4,575	5,831	2,455
Pot and pearl barley			224	214	345
Rye, flour and meal			1,559	1,463	1,023
Millfeeds '000 tons					
Bran	11	7	18	18	3
Shorts	27	11	38	33	4
Middlings	2	1	2	4	1
Totals	40	18	58	55	8

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	83	183	267	112	103	215	482
Spring No. 2 Patent	194	79	273	64	23	86	360
Spring No. 3 Patent (strong bakers or export patent)	64	238	302	67	34	101	403
Whole wheat and graham flour	13	12	24	18	8	25	50
Ontario winter wheat flour	86	21	107	—	—	—	107
Lower grades of flour	35	4	39			24	63
All other wheat flour	17	7	24			27	51
Durum Semolina and flour	23	3	25	Breakdown		4	29
Totals	515	547	1,061	not available		482	1,544

SUMMARY OF MILLINGS

The following table summarizes the milling of wheat and coarse grains for human consumption for the first four months of the crop year 1969-70, with comparative figures for 1968-69:

Month	Wheat for flour	Oats	Barley	Rye
August 1969	7,384	314	14	28
September	7,737	411	15	39
October	8,113	440	9	38
November	7,549	257	14	37
Totals	30,782	1,421	51	142
Totals last year	29,702	1,626	32	138

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 1969-70, including percentage of operation and wheat flour exports, with comparative figures for 1968-69:

Month	Wheat flour		Oatmeal	Rolled oats	Millfeeds	Wheat flour exports
	% of operation	Quantity				
		'000 cwt.				
August 1969	74.3	3,232	640	5,422	57	949
September	81.6	3,412	1,384	6,467	60	545
October	81.7	3,562	1,022	7,249	64	972
November	81.2	3,268	360	4,575	58	N.A.
Totals	-	13,473	3,406	23,712	238	N.A.
Totals last year	-	13,142	7,180	22,809	227	N.A.

N.A. Not available.

WHEAT FLOUR EXPORTS(1)

Month	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969
'000 hundredweight					
January	984	1,479	1,306	755	532
February	712	1,706	703	1,041	903
March	995	1,607	1,593	1,140	1,200
April	1,760	1,927	1,076	885	454
May	1,528	540	1,088	896	622
June	946	1,446	1,223	586	798
July	1,057	1,009	432	842	1,356
August	1,108	1,197	1,206	1,125	1,003
September	1,165	923	886	928	
October	1,597	1,544	687	1,063	
November	1,141	1,074	787	1,002	
December	1,853	1,691	1,024	723	
Totals	14,845	16,142	12,009	10,985	

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

Customs Exports of Wheat Flour by Countries of Consignment
1968 and 1969

Destination	October		August - October	
	1968(1)	1969(2)	1968(1)	1969(2)
hundredweight				
<u>Western Europe</u>				
EEC:				
Belgium and Luxembourg	4,479	563	8,459	4,202
France	—	—	—	280
Germany Federal Republic	—	—	—	123
Italy	900	—	1,800	1,800
Netherlands	1,000	330	1,025	824
Sub-totals	6,379	893	11,284	7,229
<u>Other Western Europe</u>				
Britain	86,540	81,655	286,911	291,609
Denmark	200	—	200	—
Greece	8,055	6,944	8,775	6,944
Iceland	700	—	1,472	—
Ireland	140	—	140	—
Portugal	1,522	3,955	4,399	8,739
Sweden	—	—	224	224
Sub-totals	97,157	92,554	302,121	307,516
Totals	103,536	93,447	313,405	314,745
<u>Africa</u>				
Algeria	8,811	—	28,639	—
Angola	—	—	1,700	300
Cameroun Republic	200	—	3,000	—
Congo-Kinshasa	—	1,000	6,000	2,000
Dahomey	3,679	3,000	4,164	5,277
French Africa n.e.s.	1,500	—	1,500	—
Gambia	5,060	2,500	5,060	9,019
Ghana	124,796	58,871	320,865	85,805
Guinea Republic	—	—	27,880	5,000
Ivory Coast	1,400	—	1,400	300
Liberia	12,056	13,740	28,099	46,136
Malawi	—	900	5,211	2,770
Mozambique	2,939	1,192	7,041	4,393
Nigeria	100	—	100	—
Portuguese Africa n.e.s.	878	2,214	12,183	7,624
Sierra Leone	610	99	1,735	99
Tanzania	—	450	—	1,450
Togo	15,643	12,156	23,953	27,841
Totals	177,672	96,122	478,530	198,014
<u>Asia</u>				
Ceylon	965	—	360,909	—
Cyprus	24	56	24	235
Hong Kong	12,996	1,000	42,564	16,763
India	100	—	100	95
Indonesia	93,232	—	128,706	9,257
Iran	389	—	666	326
Iraq	—	—	6,835	—
Israel	62,727	—	99,300	—

See footnote(s) at end of table.

Customs Exports of Wheat Flour by Countries of Consignment - Con.
1968 and 1969

Destination	October		August - October	
	1968(1)	1969(2)	1968(1)	1969(2)
hundredweight				
<u>Asia - Concluded:</u>				
Japan	175	—	335	400
Jordan	—	1,407	—	1,407
Lebanon	—	4,939	76,493	12,191
Philippines	—	723	440	723
Portuguese Asia	940	—	1,755	660
Qatar	—	—	172	150
Saudi Arabia	—	—	—	120
Thailand	7,282	—	20,003	12,663
Trucial States	410	603	410	647
Totals	179,240	8,728	738,712	55,637
<u>Oceania</u>				
British Oceania n.e.s.	—	778	1,152	978
Fiji	—	—	805	710
New Zealand	200	—	200	—
United States Oceania	1,500	—	4,504	3,000
Totals	1,700	778	6,661	4,688
<u>Western Hemisphere</u>				
Bahamas	11,972	9,126	32,321	28,813
Barbados	12,345	9,331	36,070	23,806
Bermuda	4,927	4,580	14,931	10,246
British Honduras	2,617	2,389	6,041	5,583
Cuba(3)	482,139	655,650	1,210,947	1,592,723
Dominican Republic	750	—	750	—
Ecuador	—	—	150	—
El Salvador	—	—	101	—
French West Indies	—	—	701	855
Guatemala	—	—	500	350
Guyana	3,019	1,035	7,903	5,166
Haiti Republic	7,560	148	31,394	7,148
Honduras Republic	324	50	3,211	112
Jamaica	5,229	1,506	28,505	7,046
Leeward and Windward Islands	36,433	31,448	88,839	75,473
Netherlands Antilles	4,780	2,944	11,111	13,151
Panama	245	—	545	—
Peru	675	—	4,175	—
St. Pierre and Miquelon	200	1,190	1,735	2,678
Surinam	370	1,182	751	3,380
Trinidad and Tobago	8,286	44,465	35,104	83,664
Venezuela	—	—	50	61
United States	18,994	8,344	62,098	32,194
Totals	600,865	773,388	1,577,933	1,892,449
Totals, all countries	1,063,013	972,463	3,115,241	2,465,533

(1) Adjusted to remove effect of 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 1968 and 1969

Destination	October		August - October	
	1968	1969	1968	1969
hundredweight				
<u>Other Western Europe</u>				
Britain	—	—	—	3,420
Greece	—	—	120	—
Totals	—	—	120	3,420
<u>Asia</u>				
Japan	—	15,994	268,406	176,197
<u>Western Hemisphere</u>				
Barbados	550	100	550	250
Bermuda	50	50	235	155
Guyana	24	24	83	48
Haiti Republic	—	337	—	337
Jamaica	—	198	—	198
Leeward and Windward Islands ...	20	—	60	—
Netherlands Antilles	—	—	20	—
St. Pierre and Miquelon	40	40	80	70
United States	61,816	290,308	164,781	586,768
Totals	62,500	291,057	165,809	587,826
Totals, all countries	62,500	307,051	434,335	767,443

Customs Exports of Oatmeal and Rolled Oats by Countries of Consignment
1968 and 1969

Destination	October		August - October	
	1968	1969	1968	1969
hundredweight				
<u>Western Europe</u>				
EEC:				
Belgium and Luxembourg	—	36	—	36
<u>Africa</u>				
Liberia	—	—	—	350
<u>Western Hemisphere</u>				
Bahamas	31	7	65	38
Barbados	638	—	675	9
Bermuda	89	11	126	31
Bolivia	—	—	—	20
Chile	—	—	—	18
Dominican Republic	382	—	2,744	1,116
Ecuador	1,050	—	1,050	—
Guyana	11	—	29	—
Honduras Republic	—	150	200	150
Leeward and Windward Islands	144	—	415	93
Netherlands Antilles	—	458	—	620
Peru	—	50	—	150
St. Pierre and Miquelon	—	5	—	5
Trinidad and Tobago	36	—	54	24
United States	—	200	—	200
Totals	2,381	881	5,358	2,474
Totals, all countries	2,381	917	5,358	2,860

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