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OILS AND FATS, FEBRUARY 1954

1. Production and Stocks of Certain Oils and Fats, February 1954

G.S. S.	(lr	thousan	nds of por	inds)				
CANADA CANADA	Production					Manufacturers' Stocks		
A9" 17 1007	February 1954	January 1954	February 1953	Total Two Months 1954		February 28, 1954	January 31, 1954	
Margarine Shortening -	8,041	10,191	7,578	18,232	18,167	2,073	1,650	
Package	6,397 6,461	4,955 6,553	4,089 6,542	11,352 13,014	9,534	2,744 5,050	2,814	
Coconut oils Salad and cooking oils	1,173	1,306	1,6821	2,479	3,2991	1,485	640 1,517	
Tallow - edible	6,934 2,458 7,674	7,050 2,322 7,600	2,042		4,120	3,861 3,635 4,539	3,389 3,862 4,863	
Grease - white other (2)	340 483 1,039	359 443 1,063	213 363 856	699 926 2,102	452 773 1,779	203 673 427	256 586 418	

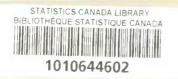
(1) Revised. (2) Includes oleo oil, oleo stearin, oleo stock, neatsfoot and other oils.

2. - Crushings of Vegetable Oil Seeds and Production of Oil and Oil Meal (1)
(In thousands of pounds)

Item		Flaxseed	Soybeans	Other (2)
Crushings -				
Seed crushed	1 February, 1954	16,112	45,673	_
11 11	February, 1953	20,374	43,044	-
11 11	Jan Feb. 1954	33,810	97,220	512
27 89	JanFeb. 1953	40,272	82,313	3,778
Production -				
Oil	February, 1954	5,743	8,031	-
H	February, 1953	6,957	7,585	_
H	JanFeb. 1954	12,001	16,832	128
10	JanFeb. 1953	14,092	14,364	2,467
Oil meal	February, 1954	10,082	36,803	-
11 11	February, 1953	12,353	34,176	
11	JanFeb. 1954	20,872	78,164	177
11 11	JanFeb. 1953	24,483	65,701	1,263

Compiled in the Crops Section, Agriculture Division. 2/ Includes such items as copra, sunflower, rapeseed and mustard seed.

Prepared in the Animal Products Section, Industry and Merchandising Division.



3. Consumption of Oils and Fats in Margarine and Shortening. February, 1954 and January to February, 1953 and 1954

(In thousands of pounds. All figures on refined oil basis)

]	n Margarine	9	In Shortening			
Oil or Fat	February,	January to February, 1954	January to February, 1953	February, 1954	January to February, 1954	February,	
Vegetable Oils					100		
Coconut	711	1,649	2,128	335	708	843	
Cottonseed	1,463	3,332	3,738	2,213	3,717	2,715	
Palm (1)	637	1,308	(2)	2,026	4,093	1,682	
Soybean	2,889	6,439	7,573	3,777	7,261	5,658	
Sunflowerseed	-	- 1	-	(2)	(2)	(2)	
Other	1	9	584	109	185	240	
Totals	5,701	12,737	14,023	8,460	15,964	11,138	
Marine and Fish Oils	801	2,012	679	931	2,240	1,203	
Animal Oils							
Lard		***	-	1,491	2,667	7,093	
Edible Tallow	-	-	-	2,247	3,652	2,388	
Other	3	5	3	162	349	275	
Totals	3	5	3	3,900	6,668	9,756	
GRAND TOTALS	6,505	14,754	14,705	13,291	24,872	22,097	

⁽¹⁾ Includes palm kernel.

⁽²⁾ Included with other vegetable oils.