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OILS AND FATS, APRIL 1954
Price 10 cents $\$ 1.00$ per year

1. Production and Stocks of Certain Oils and Fats, April 1954
(In thousands of pounds)

|  | Production |  |  |  | $\underline{\alpha}$ | Manufacturers' Stocks |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { April } \\ & 1954 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { March } \\ 1954 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { April } \\ & 1953 \end{aligned}$ | Total <br> Four <br> Months <br> 1954 | Total <br> Four <br> Months $1953$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { April } 30 \\ 1954 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { March } 31 \\ 1954 \end{gathered}$ |
| Margarine | 9,476 | 10,233 ${ }^{1 /}$ | 8,273 | 38,237 | 34,742 | 2,146 | 2,0161/ |
| Shortening |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Package | 4,571 | 5,960 | 4,165 | 21,883 | 18,232 | 2,562 | 2,594 |
| Bulk . | 8,552 | 7,971 | 6,099 | 29,538 | 25,295 | 5,230 | $4,922$ |
| Refined oils - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Coconut oils. | 846 | 893 |  | 4,218 |  | 577 | 555 |
| Salad and cooking oils .. | 2,593 | 2,800 | 2,5031/ | 9,293 | 8,2501/ | $\frac{1}{5}, 456$ | $1,391$ |
| Lard | $7,387$ | 7,587 | 9,271 | 28,958 | 37,6081/ | 5,930 3,201 | $\begin{aligned} & 5,144 \\ & 3,566 \end{aligned}$ |
| Tallow - edible | $2,467$ | 2,657 | 2,274 | 9,905 | $8,5441$ | 3,201 | $3,566$ |
| - inedible ......... | 7,850 | 7,968 | 8,551 294 | 31,093 | $33,0071$ | 5,586 282 | 4,0751/ |
| Grease - white | 418 | 348 | 294 | 1,465 | , 990 | $282$ | 244 |
| Other (2) Other ................... | 478 1,003 | 468 1,012 | 418 | 1,872 4,117 | 1,601 | 469 403 | 636 |

(1) Revised. (2) Includes oleo oil, oleo stearin, oleo stock, neatsfoot and other oils.
2. - Crushings of Vegetable Oil Seods and Production of Oil and Oil Meal (1)
(In thousands of pounds)

| Item |  |  | Flaxseed | Soybeans | Other (2) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Crushings - |  |  |  |  |  |
| Seed crushed |  | April 1954 | 11,928 | 44,504 | 4,370 |
| " " |  | April 1953 | 16,613 | 43,280 |  |
| " |  | Jan.Apr. 1954 | 55,272 | 187,472 | 10,512 |
| 11 |  | Jan.-Apr. 1953 | 76,779 | 167,735 | 3,778 |
| Production - |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0 ll | .... | April 1954 | 4,095 | 7,997 | 2,775 |
| " | ... | April 1953 | 5,969 | 7,542 | , |
| 11 |  | Jan.-Apr. 1954 | 19,459 | 32,978 | 5,921 |
| 11 |  | Jan.-Apr. 1953 | 27,203 | 29,207 | 2,467 |
| Oil meal |  |  |  |  |  |
| " 1 | ... | April 1954 | 7,250 | 36,046 | 1,398 |
| " | ... | April 1953 | 9,819 | 34,381 | - |
| " " |  | Jan.-Apr. 1954 | 34,039 | 151,241 | 3,583 |
| 11 | .... | Jan.-Apr 1953 | 46,439 | 133,646 | 1,263 |

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

Propared in the Animal Products Section, Industry and Merchandising Division.
3. Consumption of Oils and Fats in Margarine and Shortening。 April, 1954 and January to April 1953 and 1954
(In thousands of pounds. All figures on refined oil basis)

| Oil or Fat | In Margarine |  |  | In Shortening |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { April } \\ & 1954 \end{aligned}$ | January to April 1954 | January to April 1953 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { April } \\ & 1954 \end{aligned}$ | January to April 1954 | January to April 1953 |
| Vegetable Oils |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Coconut | 871 | 3,428 | 4,116 | 601 | 1,937 | 1,692 |
| Cottonseed | 1,586 | 6,892 | 6,973 | 2,000 | 8,606 | 5,677 |
| Palm (1) ........ | 1,236 | 3,678 | 2/ | 2,188 | 8,803 | 2,962 |
| Soybean ......... | 2,620 | 11,977 | 14,040 | 4,261 | 15,318 | 11,721 |
| Sunflowerseed | - | - | 2/ | 2/ | $2 /$ | 182 |
| Other | - | 10 | 1,228 | 72 | 416 | 304 |
| Totals | 6,313 | 25,985 | 26,357 | 9,122 | 35,080 | 22,538 |
| Marine and Fish Oils | 1,169 | 4,219 | 1,713 | 826 | 3,799 | 2,187 |
| Animal Oils |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lard ............ | - | - | - | 785 | 4,131 | 12.990 |
| Edible Tallow . | - | - | - | 2,284 | 8,512 | 5,363 |
| Other | 3 | 10 | 6 | 244 | 739 | 609 |
| Total | 3 | 10 | 6 | 3,313 | 13,382 | 18,962 |
| GRAND TUTALS ....... | 73485 | 30,214 | 28,076 | 13,261 | 52,261 | 43,687 |

(1) Includes palm kernel.
(2) Included with other vegetable ofls.

