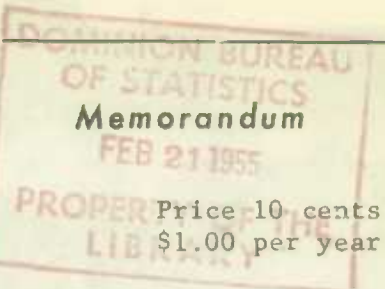


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OILS AND FATS, JANUARY 1955

1. Production and Stocks of Certain Oils and Fats, January 1955
(In thousands of pounds)

	Production			Manufacturers' Stocks	
	January 1955	December 1954	January 1954	January 31 1955	December 31 1954
Margarine	11,314	9,884	10,337 <u>1/</u>	1,971	2,036
Shortening -					
Package	6,258	5,189	4,955	4,193	3,035
Bulk	7,264	7,796	6,553	6,279	5,983
Refined oils -					
Coconut oils	1,026	1,099	1,306	874	762
Salad and cooking oils	1,572	1,525	1,971 <u>1/</u>	1,508	1,575
Lard	8,769	9,896	7,050	6,101	5,221
Tallow - edible	2,556	2,096	2,322	2,151	2,127
- inedible	8,471	8,598	7,600	4,791	5,722
Grease - white	349	365	359	233	168
- other	438	546	443	356	318
Other (2)	910	709	1,063	454	229

(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 January, 1955	13,388	56,401	6,791
" " January, 1954	17,698	51,547	3,184 <u>3/</u>
Production -			
Oil January, 1955	4,794	9,308	3,636
" January, 1954	6,258	8,802	1,095 <u>3/</u>
Oil meal January, 1955	8,046	44,098	2,944
" " January, 1954	10,790	41,361	1,771 <u>3/</u>

(1) Compiled in the Crops Section, Agriculture Division. (2) Includes such items as copra, safflower, sunflower and rapeseed. (3) Revised.

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Consumption of Oils and Fats in Margarine and Shortening
January, 1955 and January, 1954

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

	In Margarine		In Shortening	
	January, 1955	January, 1954	January, 1955	January, 1954
<u>Vegetable Oils</u>				
Coconut	705	960 <u>1</u> /	437	373
Cottonseed	2,082	1,875 <u>1</u> /	1,450	1,504
Palm (2)	1,048	690 <u>1</u> /	2,534	2,067
Soybean	3,153	3,622 <u>1</u> /	3,919	3,484
Sunflowerseed	-	-	<u>3</u> /	<u>3</u> /
Other	2	8	132	76
Totals	6,990	7,155 <u>1</u> /	8,472	7,504
Marine and Fish Oils	2,214	1,211	1,739	1,309
<u>Animal Oils</u>				
Lard	-	-	1,468	1,176
Edible Tallow	-	2	1,658	1,405
Other	2	-	343	187
Totals	2	2	3,469	2,768
GRAND TOTALS	9,206	8,368 <u>1</u> /	13,680	11,581

(1) Revised.

(2) Includes palm kernel.

(3) Included with other vegetable oils.