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OILS AND FATS, May 1957

Price 10 cents
\$1.00 per year1. - Production and Stocks of Certain Oils and Fats, May, 1957
(In thousands of pounds)

	Production					Manufacturers' Stocks	
	May 1957	April 1957	May 1956	Total five Months		May 31 1957	April 30 1957
				1957	1956		
Margarine (including spreads)	9,212	9,974	9,870	54,552	55,074	1,855	2,692
Shortening -							
Package	4,346	3,254	4,429	21,725	24,433	3,607	3,810
Bulk	6,955	6,675	7,452	33,224	40,032	5,725	6,446
Refined oils -							
Coconut oils	860	1,283	1,373	5,184	5,161	599	825
Salad and cooking oils ..	2,404	2,524	2,469 ^{1/}	12,045	11,413 ^{1/}	2,202	2,143
Lard	8,066	7,787 ^{1/}	9,889	39,185	48,634	5,845	6,950 ^{1/}
Tallow - edible	3,279	2,867	3,172	14,941	14,675	5,352	5,484
- inedible	10,385	9,397 ^{1/}	10,671	47,176	49,924	6,646	8,759 ^{1/}
Grease - white	79	69	219	568	1,140	51	57 ^{1/}
- other	802	798	644	3,997	2,296	416	734
Other ^{2/}	1,123	945	1,092	4,821	4,770	663	679 ^{1/}

^{1/} Revised. ^{2/} Includes oleo oil, oleo stearin, oleo stock, neatsfoot and other oils.2. - Crashings of Vegetable Oil Seeds and Production of Oil and Oil Meal ^{1/}
(In thousands of pounds)

Item			Flaxseed	Soybeans	Other ^{2/}
Crashings -					
Seed Crushed	May,	1957	21,070 ^{3/}	57,961	6,655
" "	May,	1956	18,857	53,839	574
" "	Jan.-May,	1957	83,093 ^{3/}	331,892	36,989
" "	Jan.-May,	1956	85,866	303,856	20,445
Production -					
Oil	May,	1957	7,592 ^{3/}	10,073	3,650
" "	May,	1956	6,726	9,514	143
" "	Jan.-May,	1957	30,140 ^{3/}	58,150	19,774
" "	Jan.-May,	1956	30,770	53,216	10,688
Oil Meal -	May,	1957	13,101 ^{3/}	46,782	2,341
" "	May,	1956	11,716 ^{4/}	42,171	169
" "	Jan.-May,	1957	51,019 ^{3/}	266,341	14,104
" "	Jan.-May,	1956	53,040 ^{4/}	239,661	7,782

^{1/} Compiled in the Crops Section, Agriculture Division. ^{2/} Includes such items as copra, sunflower, mustard seed and rapeseed. ^{3/} Preliminary. ^{4/} Revised.

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3. - Consumption of Oils and Fats in Margarine and Shortening,
May, 1957 and January to May, 1956 and 1957.

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

	In Margarine (including spreads)			In Shortening		
	May 1957	January to May 1957	January to May 1956	May 1957	January to May 1957	January to May 1956
<u>Vegetable Oils</u>						
Coconut	1,254	7,059	4,911	352	1,525	2,709
Cottonseed	441	3,094	4,337	696	4,195	6,819
Palm <u>1/</u>	1,163	7,006	6,121	969	5,593	5,001
Soybean	2,972	18,150	19,379	2,898	14,585	19,549
Sunflowerseed	-	-	-	-	-	<u>2/</u>
Other	-	36	429	72	443	524
Totals	5,830	35,345	35,177	4,987	26,341	34,602
<u>Marine and Fish Oils</u>	1,235	7,014	7,369	1,782	10,460	7,578
<u>Animal Oils</u>						
Lard	336	1,775	2,021	2,194	9,369	11,690
Edible Tallow	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	<u>3/</u>	2,057	8,017	9,832
Other	1	36	66	293	1,210	1,550
Totals	337	1,811	2,087	4,544	18,596	23,072
GRAND TOTALS	7,402	44,170	44,633	11,313	55,397	65,252

1/ Includes palm kernel. 2/ Included with other vegetable oils. 3/ Included with other animal oils.