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**STOCKS  
OF  
DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS  
AUGUST 1950**

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## STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS - AUGUST 1, 1950

### CREAMERY BUTTER

At the opening of business on August 1, 1950 the stocks of creamery butter on hand in Canada amounted to 60,963,000 lb. Cold Storage warehouses had in store 44,840,000 lb. while dairy factories held 15,423,000 lb. Butter in transit amounted to 700,000 lb. The summary total was higher than last year by 1.1 million pounds. The five year average of August 1 stocks is 55,798,000 lb. The July 1950 "into-storage" movement was 11.5 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 16.0 million pounds last year.

### CHEESE

The total stocks of cheese were 36,381,000 lb. consisting of 35,636,000 lb. Canadian 441,000 lb. Imported and 304,000 lb. in transit. The summary total was higher than last year by 6.3 million pounds and showed an "out-of-storage" movement of 2.2 million pounds.

### CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS

Stocks of evaporated whole milk held by or for manufacturers amounted to 37,021,000 lb. which was a decrease of 18.1 million pounds from last year. The apparent net "into-storage" movement of evaporated whole milk for July 1950 was 11.5 million pounds. The chief by-product skimmilk powder amounted to 8,047,000 lb. a decrease of 4.1 million pounds from last year and an increase of 1.4 million pounds over last month. Stocks of frozen cream amounted to 777,000 lb. on August 1, 1950. Ice cream stocks amounted to 884,000 gallons as compared with 881,000 gallons on July 1.

### EGGS

On August 1, 1950 there were 409,000 cases of cold storage eggs reported 76,000 cases of fresh eggs and 6,000 cases of shell eggs in transit. Frozen eggs totalled 11,285,000 lb. being 4.7 million pounds higher than the 1949 figure. The net "out-of-storage" movement for July 1950 was 144 thousand pounds as compared with a similar movement of 671,000 lb. during July 1949.

### DRESSED POULTRY

The summary total of poultry stocks on August 1, 1950 was higher than last year by 1.8 million pounds. An "out-of-storage" movement of 2.7 million pounds is shown for the month of July 1950. Chickens in stock amounted to 3,142,000 lb. fowl to 1,967,000 lb. and turkeys to 2,635,000 lb. not including estimates. There were no stocks of dressed poultry in transit on August 1, 1950.

STOCKS OF BUTTERIn Cold Storages and Dairy Factories in Canada - AUGUST 1, 1950

		AUGUST 1, 1950 PRELIMINARY	JULY 1, 1950 REVISED	AUGUST 1, 1949
- thousand pounds -				
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>60,963</u>	<u>49,445</u>	<u>59,875</u>
IN COLD STORAGES		44,840	32,551	43,190
IN DAIRY FACTORIES		15,423	15,554	16,195
IN TRANSIT		700	1,340	490
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>596</u>	<u>560</u>	<u>604</u>
In Cold Storages		1	1	207
In Dairy Factories		596	560	397
<u>Nova Scotia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>897</u>	<u>968</u>	<u>957</u>
In Cold Storages		627	738	566
In Dairy Factories		270	230	391
<u>New Brunswick</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>2,768</u>	<u>1,907</u>	<u>2,319</u>
In Cold Storages		1,859	1,111	1,149
In Dairy Factories		909	796	1,170
<u>Quebec</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>18,132</u>	<u>13,330</u>	<u>20,874</u>
In Cold Storages		15,592	10,544	18,212
In Dairy Factories		2,540	2,786	2,662
<u>Ontario</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>10,579</u>	<u>8,747</u>	<u>14,106</u>
In Cold Storages		6,445	5,263	9,837
In Dairy Factories		4,134	3,484	4,269
<u>Manitoba</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>13,597</u>	<u>10,895</u>	<u>9,483</u>
In Cold Storages		12,399	9,674	8,015
In Dairy Factories		1,198	1,221	1,468
<u>Saskatchewan</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>4,269</u>	<u>3,665</u>	<u>4,518</u>
In Cold Storages		1,078	575	1,230
In Dairy Factories		3,191	3,090	3,288
<u>Alberta</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>7,841</u>	<u>6,546</u>	<u>5,251</u>
In Cold Storages		5,534	3,419	3,031
In Dairy Factories		2,257	3,127	2,220
<u>British Columbia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,584</u>	<u>1,487</u>	<u>1,273</u>
In Cold Storages		1,256	1,227	943
In Dairy Factories		328	260	330
<u>5 year average 1945 - 49</u>		<u>55,798</u>		
<u>DAIRY BUTTER</u>	lb.	1,173	470	1,243
<u>WHEY BUTTER</u>	lb.	23,000	157,000	140,000

† Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included with dairy factories.

## STOCKS OF CHEESE

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## In Cold Storages and Dairy Factories in Canada - AUGUST 1, 1950

		AUGUST 1, 1950 PRELIMINARY	JULY 1, 1950 Revised	AUGUST 1, 1949
- thousand pounds -				
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>36,381</u>	<u>38,605</u>	<u>30,065</u>
IN COLD STORAGES		29,349	30,427	21,354
IN DAIRY FACTORIES		6,287	7,367	8,267
IMPORTED		441	507	102
IN TRANSIT		304	304	342
<u>Prince Edward Island</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>220</u>
In Cold Storages		6	1	142
In Dairy Factories		47	43	78
<u>Nova Scotia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>88</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>67</u>
In Cold Storages		88	84	67
<u>New Brunswick</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>293</u>	<u>364</u>	<u>127</u>
In Cold Storages		245	323	67
In Dairy Factories		48	41	60
<u>Quebec</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>19,975</u>	<u>20,710</u>	<u>10,802</u>
In Cold Storages		13,519	18,980	8,907
In Dairy Factories		1,456	1,730	1,895
<u>Ontario</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>11,754</u>	<u>13,475</u>	<u>15,000</u>
In Cold Storages		7,634	8,642	9,650
In Dairy Factories		4,070	4,833	5,350
<u>Manitoba</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>935</u>	<u>819</u>	<u>1,078</u>
In Cold Storages		804	679	919
In Dairy Factories		131	140	159
<u>Saskatchewan</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>133</u>	<u>222</u>	<u>354</u>
In Cold Storages		87	48	93
In Dairy Factories		96	174	261
<u>Alberta</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>1,796</u>	<u>1,565</u>	<u>1,437</u>
In Cold Storages		1,387	1,192	1,056
In Dairy Factories		409	373	431
<u>British Columbia</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>559</u>	<u>512</u>	<u>436</u>
In Cold Storages		529	479	453
In Dairy Factories		30	33	33
<u># DAIRY PRODUCTS BOARD HOLDINGS INCLUDED</u>				
		12,468	13,396	5,344

| Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown but are included with dairy factories.

STOCKS OF ICE CREAM AND FROZEN CREAM INCOLD STORAGES AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA - AUGUST 1, 1950

<u>STOCKS OF ICE CREAM</u> (or mix equivalent)	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	July 1, 1950 Revised	August 1, 1949
- thousand gallons -			
CANADA	884	881	
P. E. I.	4	4	
N. S.	38	37	not
N. B.	15	17	
Quebec	185	223	available
Ontario	405	345	
Manitoba	45	53	
Saskatchewan	43	56	
Alberta	54	55	
British Columbia	95	91	

STOCKS OF FROZEN CREAM  
(in pounds of cream)

	- thousand pounds -		
Quebec	487	279	184
Ontario	287	166	462
Other Provinces	3	19	23
ALL CANADA TOTAL	777	464	669

AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA OWNED AND HELD BY/OR FOR MANUFACTURERS- AUGUST 1/50

With Comparative Figures for last year and last month

AUGUST 1, 1950	July 1, 1950	August 1, PRELIMINARY
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Revised

1949

- thousand pounds -

CONCENTRATED WHOLE MILK

<u>Condensed Whole Milk</u>	<u>844</u>	<u>1,279</u>	<u>2,206</u>
Condensed Whole Milk (casc)	409	831	1,618
Condensed Whole Milk (bulk)	435	448	538
Evaporated Whole Milk	37,021	35,513	55,147
 <u>Whole Milk Powder</u>	 <u>1,748</u>	 <u>1,718</u>	 <u>3,589</u>
Spray Process	1,010	1,613	3,406
Roller Process	138	105	183

CONCENTRATED MILK BY-PRODUCTS

<u>Skim Milk</u>	<u>684</u>	<u>752</u>	<u>606</u>
Skim Milk:			
Condensed	162	238	316
Evaporated	522	514	290
 <u>Skimmilk Powder</u>	 <u>8,047</u>	 <u>6,660</u>	 <u>12,162</u>
 Human Food:			
Spray Process	4,923	3,679	5,199
Roller Process in Bags	484	268	357
Roller Process in Bbls.	2,532	2,496	6,053
Animal Feed	108	217	553
Buttermilk Powder	637	354	946
Casein	351	295	1,397

† There were also on hand 8,583,000 lb. of Evaporated Whole Milk in the hands of Wholesalers, but not included here.

‡ Estimates included in these figures are as follows:

Whole Milk Powder, Spray Process 225,000 lb. Skimmilk Powder, Spray Process 80,000 lb. Roller Process in Bbls., 37,000 lb. and Casein 45,000 lb.

EGGS IN COLD STORAGE AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA - AUGUST 1, 1950

With Comparative Figures for last year and for last month

	COLD STORAGE			FRESH		
	AUG. 1, 1950	JULY 1, 1950	AUGUST 1, 1949	AUG. 1, 1950	JULY 1, 1950	AUGUST 1, 1949
	PRELIMINARY	Revised		PRELIMINARY	Revised	
CANADA	- thousand cases -			- thousand cases		
Maritimes	409	460	587	76	88	44
Quebec	-	2	-	2	2	1
Ontario	16	20	11	5	7	5
Manitoba	198	239	329	11	16	11
Saskatchewan	68	69	118	34	28	8
Alberta	34	33	39	6	14	8
Br. Columbia	61	64	86	12	17	7
	39	33	4	4	4	4

FROZEN EGGS ( 000 lb.)

	AUGUST 1, 1950			July 1, 1950		Aug. 1, 1949	
	PRELIMINARY						
	WHOLE	YOLK	WHITES	TOTAL	TOTAL	TOTAL	
CANADA	<u>8,157</u>		<u>1,266</u>	<u>1,862</u>	<u>11,285</u>	<u>11,429</u>	<u>6,594</u>
Maritimes	229	12	50	291	291	307	
Quebec	1,396	538	772	2,706	2,717	1,339	
Ontario	2,967	469	494	3,930	4,203	2,141	
Manitoba	1,566	221	393	2,185	1,923	1,884	
Saskatchewan	588	-	7	595	876	304	
Alberta	1,031	24	124	1,179	1,082	424	
Br. Columbia	380	2	17	399	337	195	
	- 000 cases -						

	AUGUST 1, 1950	JULY 1, 1950	AUGUST 1, 1949
EGG SUMMARY			
Shell Eggs	485	548	631
In Transit (page 13)	6	8	6
Frozen Eggs ( 38.5 lb. per case)	293	297	171
TOTAL	784	853	808

\* These figures include estimates of 3,000 cases of Cold Storage Eggs, 2,000 cases Fresh Eggs and 200,000 lb. Frozen Eggs for firms failing to report on time. These estimates are not included in the data of the individual provinces.

STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS IN 9 CITIES

7.

AUGUST 1, 1950

With Comparative Figures for last year and Revised Totals for last month

	BUTTER		CHEESE		- EGGS - (000 cases)		
	Creamery (000 lb.)		Cheddar (000 lb.)		Cold Storage	Fresh	
	AUG. 1, 1950	Aug. 1, 1949	AUG. 1, 1950	Aug. 1, 1949	AUG. 1, 1950	Aug. 1, 1949	AUG. 1, 1950
Quebec	3,272	2,450	106	107	(x)	8	1
Montreal	12,212	15,948	18,397	8,730	6	2	4
Toronto	5,595	8,747	1,021	1,877	10	2	5
Winnipeg	12,781	8,299	846	975	(x)	115	33
Regina	851	975	36	32	( 11	8	1
Saskatoon	477	374	122	107	(	6	1
Edmonton	4,282	2,545	512	769	41	62	9
Calgary	1,526	981	916	343	14	19	2
Vancouver †	1,253	987	441	384	27	3	3
<b>TOTAL 9 CITIES</b>	<b>42,349</b>	<b>41,306</b>	<b>22,397</b>	<b>13,374</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>59</b>
July 1, 1950 (revised)		32,500		22,689		195	63

- FROZEN EGGS - (000 lb.)

	AUGUST 1, 1950			August 1, 1949	
	WHOLE	YOLK	WHITES	TOTAL	TOTAL
Quebec	282	42	36	360	232
Montreal	799	496	737	2,032	1,102
Toronto	2,077	187	441	2,705	1,335
Winnipeg	1,566	221	398	2,185	1,884
Regina	( 192	-	3	( 195	90
Saskatoon	(	-	-	(	77
Edmonton	723	4	112	839	306
Calgary	241	20	11	272	118
Vancouver †	357	-	13	370	173
<b>TOTAL 9 CITIES</b>	<b>6,237</b>	<b>970</b>	<b>1,751</b>	<b>8,958</b>	<b>5,317</b>
July 1, 1950 (revised)				8,716	

Note: Of the preliminary totals for Canada at August 1, 1950 the above cities' stocks were:

Creamery Butter 70.1% Cheese 61.6% Shell Eggs 50.1% Frozen Eggs 79.4%

(x) Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included in total.

† Including New Westminster.

STOCKS IN COLD STORAGE, KILLING PLANTS

With Comparative Figures

	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	JULY 1, 1950 <u>Revised</u>	AUGUST 1, 1949	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	JULY 1, 1950 <u>Revised</u>	AUGUST 1, 1949
	- thousand pounds -			- thousand pounds -		
	<u>TOTAL</u>			<u>BROILERS</u>		
CANADA	9,892	4	11,471	7,116	436	459
Maritimes	266		396	390	7	3
Quebec	2,913		3,990	2,265	282	296
Ontario	2,323		3,014	2,044	73	84
Manitoba	1,585		2,232	1,071	20	20
Saskatchewan	138		179	332	-	2
Alberta	704		958	466	22	19
Br. Columbia	620		702	548	32	35
						40
	<u>CHICKENS</u>			<u>FOWL</u>		
CANADA	3,143		3,917	2,108	1,967	3,303
Maritimes	90		117	185	71	126
Quebec	1,241		1,414	639	378	1,114
Ontario	759		971	745	819	1,070
Manitoba	701		983	228	268	524
Saskatchewan	31		33	58	75	47
Alberta	189		276	94	216	260
Br. Columbia	131		123	109	140	162
						106
	<u>DUCKS</u>			<u>GESE</u>		
CANADA	161		141	203	58	59
Maritimes	1		2	7	3	3
Quebec	113		93	121	8	10
Ontario	29		30	63	25	22
Manitoba	9		9	1	14	13
Saskatchewan	-		-	-	-	1
Alberta	1		2	1	7	8
Br. Columbia	8		5	10	1	2
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AUGUST 1, 1950

9.

AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA

for last year and last month

	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	JULY 1, 1950 <u>Revised</u>	AUGUST 1, 1949 <u>Revised</u>	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	JULY 1, 1950 <u>Revised</u>	AUGUST 1, 1949 <u>Revised</u>	
- thousand pounds -				- thousand pounds -			
<u>TURKEYS</u>				<u>UNCLASSIFIED</u>			
CANADA	2,635	3,406	1,734	150	186	146	
Maritimes	88	134	47	6	11	4	
Quebec	880	1,050	617	11	13	23	
Ontario	537	732	255	81	105	24	
Manitoba	555	657	312	18	26	49	
Saskatchewan	32	95	72	-	1	30	
Alberta	261	388	162	8	5	8	
Br. Columbia	282	350	269	26	25	8	

POULTRY SUMMARY

	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	JULY 1, 1950 <u>Revised</u>	AUGUST 1, 1949
- thousand pounds -			
Canadian (as above)	8,892	11,471	7,116
Imported	-	-	9
IN TRANSIT (page 13)	-	100	-
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>8,892</u>	<u>11,571</u>	<u>7,125</u>

\* These figures include an estimate of 343,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time.

These estimates are not included in the various classifications or in the specific provinces.

STOCKS OF DRESSED POULTRY IN NINEWith comparative figures for last year and

	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	AUGUST 1, 1949	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	AUGUST 1, 1949
	- thousand pounds -		- thousand pounds -	
	TOTAL		BROILERS	
Quebec	255	146	43	30
Montreal	2,332	1,788	70	111
Toronto	1,543	1,173	49	82
Winnipeg	1,534	1,060	20	11
Regina & Saskatoon	65	195	-	4
Edmonton	390	265	5	10
Calgary	296	159	16	27
Vancouver /	530	477	25	26
TOTAL 9 CITIES	7,130	# 5,263	228	301
July 1, 1950 (revised)		9,365	224	
	<u>CHICKENS</u>		<u>FOWL</u>	
Quebec	63	26	32	18
Montreal	1,079	634	327	395
Toronto	391	298	603	580
Winnipeg	701	226	267	462
Regina & Saskatoon	18	39	40	91
Edmonton	113	54	125	101
Calgary	74	31	82	29
Vancouver /	115	85	122	92
TOTAL 9 CITIES	2,554	1,393	1,598	1,768
July 1, 1950 (revised)		3,274	2,723	

# This total includes an estimate of 135,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time.

This estimate is not included in the various classifications or in the specific cities.

/ Including New Westminster.

CITIES OF CANADA - AUGUST 1, 1950

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Comparative Totals for last month

	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	August 1, 1949	AUGUST 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	August 1, 1949
	- thousand pounds -		- thousand pounds -	
	<u>DUCKS</u>		<u>GEESE</u>	
Quebec	14	9	-	2
Montreal	98	110	8	-
Toronto	25	53	23	20
Winnipeg	9	1	14	1
Regina & Saskatoon	-	-	-	1
Edmonton	-	1	2	1
Calgary	-	-	5	3
Vancouver <sup>✓</sup>	8	6	-	6
<u>TOTAL 9 CITIES</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>180</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>34</u>
<u>July 1, 1950 (revised)</u>	<u>133</u>		<u>48</u>	
	<u>TURKEYS</u>		<u>UNCLASSIFIED</u>	
Quebec	103	61	-	-
Montreal	740	516	10	22
Toronto	444	139	8	1
Winnipeg	555	311	18	48
Regina & Saskatoon	7	30	-	30
Edmonton	140	95	5	3
Calgary	116	64	3	5
Vancouver <sup>✓</sup>	234	254	26	8
<u>TOTAL 9 CITIES</u>	<u>2,339</u>	<u>1,470</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>117</u>
<u>July 1, 1950 (revised)</u>	<u>2,884</u>		<u>79</u>	

<sup>✓</sup> Including New Westminster.

BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS AND

Reported by

With Comparative Figures

AUGUST 1, 1950  
PRELIMINARY

July 1, 1950

August 1,  
1949

## IN TRANSIT

BUTTER

## CANADA

- thousand pounds -

Maritime Provinces	700	1,340	490
Quebec	70	70	-
Ontario	-	175	-
Manitoba	245	465	140
Saskatchewan	70	245	140
Alberta	70	70	35
British Columbia	105	70	-
	140	245	175

## At Principal Railway Terminals /

Toronto	70	175	105
Winnipeg	-	35	35
Vancouver	140	105	-

## IN TRANSIT

CHEESE

- thousand pounds -

## CANADA

304	304	342
Quebec	114	-
Ontario	-	114
Manitoba	-	114
Saskatchewan	76	76
Alberta	76	-
British Columbia	38	-

## At Principal Railway Terminals /

Montreal	-	-	190
Winnipeg	-	76	38
Vancouver	-	-	38

/ Figures for "Terminals" included with "In Transit".

AUGUST 1, 1950

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POULTRY IN TRANSIT IN CANADA

Railway Companies

for last year and last month

	<u>AUGUST 1, 1950</u> <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	<u>JULY 1, 1950</u>	<u>AUGUST 1, 1949</u>
<b>IN TRANSIT</b>		<b>EGGS</b>	
	cases	cases	cases
<b>CANADA</b>	6,000	7,800	6,000
Maritime Provinces	600	-	-
Quebec	1,200	600	-
Ontario	3,000	1,200	2,400
Manitoba	600	1,800	2,400
Saskatchewan	600	600	-
Alberta	-	1,200	600
British Columbia	-	2,400	600

At Principal Railway Terminals ↗

Montreal	1,200	-	-
Toronto	600	-	-
Winnipeg	-	600	600
Vancouver	-	1,200	-

**IN TRANSIT**

POULTRY

- thousand pounds -

<b>CANADA</b>	-	100	-
Manitoba	-	25	-
Alberta	-	25	-
British Columbia	-	50	-

↗ Figures for "Terminals" included with "In Transit"

<u>Average Net Weights per Carloads</u>	<u>Butter</u> lb.	<u>Cheese</u> lb.	<u>Eggs</u> cases	<u>Poultry</u> lb.
Domestic	35,000	38,000	600	25,000
Export	44,800	38,000	600	25,000

These average weights are in accordance with order of Transport Controller TCO4F.

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