



STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS

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SOURCE AND CONTENT

Data for this report are collected by mail questionnaires from dairy factories, concentrated milk manufacturers, public and semi public cold storages, meat packers, wholesale grocers' warehouses and central warehouses of chain grocery stores.

Inventories are taken at manufacturers and wholesale level and firms are required to report all stocks held in their own establishments or in specially rented rooms elsewhere as at the opening of the first business day of the month.

Stocks of butter and cheese in dairy factories are obtained with the co-operation of the provincial governments.

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CREAMERY BUTTER

At the opening of business on August 1, 1955 the stocks of creamery butter on hand in Canada amounted to 106,174,000 lb. Cold Storage warehouses had in store 83,485,000 lb. while dairy factories held 22.619,000 lb. The summary total was higher than last year by 12,8 million pounds. The five year average 1950-54 of August 1 stocks is 67,313,000 lb. The July 1955 "into-storage" movement was 16.2 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 18.5 million pounds last year.

CHEDDAR CHEESE

The total stocks of cheddar cheese were 39,028,000 lb. consisting of 38,873,000 lb. Canadian, 3,000 lb. imported and 152,000 lb. in transit on August 1, 1955. The summary total was lower than last year by 1.3 million pounds and showed an "into-storage" movement of 2.6 million pounds for July 1955.

CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS

Stocks of evaporated whole milk held by or for manufacturers amounted to 48,106,000 lb, which was a decrease of 12.2 million pounds from last year. The "into-storage" movement of evaporated whole milk for July 1955 was 9.1 million pounds. The chief by-product skim-milk powder amounted to 9,631,000 lb, a decrease of 8.3 million pounds from last year and a decrease of 12 thousand pounds from last month. Ice cream stocks amounted to 1,337,000 gallons as compared with 1,287,000 gallons on August 1, 1954. Stocks of frozen cream amounted to 284,000 lb, on August 1, 1955, last year they amounted to 401,000 lb.

EGGS

The August 1, 1955 report shows 208,000 cases of cold storage eggs and 43,000 cases of fresh eggs. There were no shell eggs in transit. Frozen eggs totalled 9,684,000 lb. being 1.8 million pounds higher than the 1954 figures. The "into-storage" movement for July 1955 was 591 thousand pounds as compared with a similar movement of 599 thousand pounds during July 1954.

POULTRY

The summary total of poultry stocks on August 1, 1955 was lower than last year by 5.3 million pounds. An "out-of-storage" movement of 781 thousand pounds is shown for the month of July 1955. By kinds, with reported eviscerated quantity in brackets, these stocks include: Chicken 1,207,000 lb. (320,000) lb., Fowl 1,471,000 lb. (359,000) lb. and turkey 2,961,000 lb. (947,000) lb. These figures do not include estimates for firms whose reports were not received in time. There were 25,000 lb. poultry in transit on August 1, 1955.

in cold storages and dairy factories in Canada - August 1, 1955

		Aug. 1, 1955 Preliminary	July 1, 1955 Revised	Aug. 1, 1954
			- thousand pounds	_
CANADA In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories In Transit	TOTAL	106,174 83,485 22,619 70	89,976 70,719 19,117 140	93,408 72,184 21,119 105
Prince Edward Island In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	955 610 345	608 241 367	1,216 790 426
Nova Scotia In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	525 289 236	458 231 227	964 660 304
New Brunswick In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	2,315 1,847 468	1,824 1,314 510	3,050 2,300 750
luebec In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	48,148 40,679 7,469	41,384 34,890 6,494	40,651 34,328 6,323
In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	25,380 19,392 5,988	23,090 18,158 4,932	23,716 18,064 5,652
In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	17,669 16,038 1,631	14,376 12,855 1,521	12,832 11,270 1,562
Saskatchewan In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	5,598 1,749 3,849	4,245 1,063 3,182	4,733 1,296 3,437
Alberta In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	4,148 1,814 2,334	2,746 1,137 1,609	4,671 2,364 2,307
British Columbia In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	1,366 1,067 299	1,105 830 275	1,470 1,112 358
5 year average 1950-54		67,313	871 - Televiciano	
DAIRY BUTTER	lb.	271,000	208,000	219,000

in cold storages and dairy factories in Canada - August 1, 1955

		Aug. 1, 1955 Preliminary	July 1, 1955 Revised	Aug. 1, 1954
		-	thousand pounds -	
CANADA In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories In Transit	TOTAL	39,028 34,364 4,512 152	36,403 31,447 4,880 76	40,332 34,908 5,196 228
Prince Edward Island In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	167 167	$\frac{91}{\frac{1}{91}}$	161 3 158
Nova Scotia In Cold Storages	TOTAL	<u>89</u> 	94	82 82
New Brunswick In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	133 98 35	139 88 51	124 69 55
Luebec In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	15,277 14,636 641	14,844 14,119 725	15,113 14,321 792
Ontario In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	20,320 17,350 2,970	18,769 15,383 3,386	20,960 17,517 3,443
Manitoba In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	699 620 79	503 444 59	892 827 65
Saskatchewan In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	217 98 119	225 145 80	294 160 134
Alberta In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	1,129 855 274	862 596 266	1,501 1,137 364
British Columbia In Cold Storages In Dairy Factories	TOTAL	845 618 227	800 578 222	977 792 185
IMPORTED CHEESE (included in above figu	res)	3	35	1

^{1/} Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included with dairy factories.

STOCKS OF ICE CREAM AND FROZEN CREAM IN COLD STORAGES

AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA - AUGUST 1, 1955

	Preliminary	July 1, 1955 Revised	Aug. 1, 1954
FOCKS OF ICE CREAM (000 gal.) or mix equivalent)			
ANADA	1,337	1,359	1,287
Prince Edward Island	6	13	5
Nova Scotia	39	43	41
New Brunswick	13	23	26
Quebec	342	351	325
Ontario	561	563	536
Manitoba	79	73	81
Saskatchewan	86	79	77
Alberta	79	90	78
British Columbia	132	124	118
TOCKS OF FROZEN CHEAM (000 1b.)			
in pounds of cream)			
Quebec	211	181	371
Ontario	1/	1/	27
Other Provinces	73	49	3
	-	-	
LL CANADA TOTAL	284	230	401

^{1/} Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included with Other Provinces.

STOCKS OF CONCENTRATED MILK IN COLD STORAGES, WAREHOUSES AND DAIRY FACTORIES IN CANADA OWNED AND HELD BY/OR FOR MANUFACTURERS AUGUST 1, 1955

with comparative figures for last year and last month

	Aug. 1, 1955 Preliminary	July 1, 1955 Revised	Aug. 1, 1954
CONCENTRATED WHOLE MILK	w 1	thousand pounds -	
Condensed Whole Milk Case Bulk	1,043 678 365	1,195 984 211	1,078 699 379
Evaporated Whole Milk	48,106 2/	39,020 1/	60,314
Whole Milk Powder Spray Process Roller Process	2,278 2,175 103	2,430 2,308 122	2,087 2,072 15
Partly Skimmed Evaporated Milk	2,155 2/	2,311	-
CONCENTRATED MILK BY-PRODUCTS			
Skim-milk Evaporated Condensed	87 9 78	72 21 51	1,212 1,154 58
Skim-milk Powder Human Food:	9,631	9,643	17,912
Spray Process Roller Process Animal Feed	7,395 <u>2/</u> 1,913 <u>2/</u> 323	7,124 2,268 251	13,380 4,283 249
Buttermilk Powder	504	4.67	682
Casein	1,115 2/	921	1,510
Whey Powder	1,137	1,126	2,020

^{1/} There were also on hand 7,406,000 lb. of Evaporated Whole Milk in the hands of Wholesalers, but not included here.

^{2/} Estimates included in these figures are as follows: Evaporated Whole Milk 80,000 lb., Whole Milk Powder: Spray Process 60,000 lb., Partly skimmed Evaporated Milk 180,000 lb., Skim Milk Powder: Spray Process 500,000 lb., Roller Process 80,000 lb., Casein 60,000 lb.

The second secon	Aug. 1, 1955 Preliminary	July 1 1955 Revised	1954	, Aug. 1 1955 Prelimin	19		ug. 1 1954
	COLD S	TORAGE			FRI	ESH	
CANADA (000 cases)	208 1/	270	201	43	1/ _ :	51 _	58
Maritimes	-	2/2/	_	2		3	2
Quebec	2	2/	9	5		8	10
Ontario	53	72	54	14		17	19
Manitoba	55	73	51	4		4	10
Saskatchewan	33	40	31	6		7	4
Alberta	56	70	41	5		8	9
British Columbia	7	13	15	3		4	4
		August :			July 1, 1955 Revised	Aug. 1 1954	,
ROZEN	WHOLE	YOLK	WHITES	TOTAL	TOTAL	TOTAL	
CANADA (000 lb.)	7,364 1/	853	1,467	9,684	9,093	7,927	
Maritimes	167	1	16	184	105	146	
Quebec	1,479	163	160	1,802	1,779	2,042	
Ontario	1,873	284	351	2,508	2,811	2,568	
Manitoba	2,095	304	732	3,131	2,811	2,016	
Saskatchewan	849	23	29	901	940	198	
Alberta	300	56	57	413	235	522	
British Columbia	316	22	122	460	412	435	
	200		. 1, 1955	-	_	. 1, 1954	
EGG SUMMARY (C	oo cases j	Pre		Revised		-	
Shell Eggs			251	321		259	
In Transit (page 13	5)		NI des si	e raig		1	
Frozen Eggs (38.5]			252	236		206	
		B. C.	503	557	1 0.00	466	

^{1/} These figures include estimates of 2,000 cases of Cold Storage Eggs, 4,000 cases Fresh Eggs and Frozen Eggs, Whole 285,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time. These estimates are not included in the data of the individual provinces.

2/ Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included in "Total."

STOCKS OF DAIRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS IN 9 CITIES AUGUST 1, 1955

with comparative figures for last year and revised totals for last month

	BU	PTER	CHE	ESE	E	GGS (000	cases)	
	Creamer	y (000 lb.)	Cheddar	Cheddar (000 lb.)		orage	Fresh	
	Aug. 1, 1955	Aug. 1, 1954	Aug. 1, 1955	Aug. 1, 1954	Aug. 1, 1955	Aug. 1, 1954	Aug. 1, 1955	
Quebec	4,584	3,852	106	88	1/	5	1	
Montreal	32,962	26,902	14,442	14,168	1	2	4	
Toronto	10,195	9,283	1,625	1,519	4	1	8	
Winnipeg	16,525	11,571	629	840	54	49	3	
Regina	1,399	1.100	28	81	1/	4	-1	
Saskatoon	902	353	29	76	8	5	2	
Edmonton	2,054	2,329	444	627	43	31	3	
Calgary	374	547	423	530	6	5	1	
Vancouver 2/	1,024	1,100	583	718	6	15	2	
TOTAL 9 CITIES	70,019	57,037	18,309	18,647	125	117	25	
July 1, 1955 (revis	sed) 59,1	81	17,2	47	1	67	27	

	August	1, 1955		Aug. 1, 1954
WHOLE	YOLK	WHITES	TOTAL	TOTAL
579 702 758 2,094 1/ 118 106 1/ 296	30 133 186 304 1/ 56 1/ 22	38 91 218 731 1/ 56 1/ 119	647 926 1,162 3,129 100 118 218 76 437	586 1,059 1,575 2,014 71 36 324 144 412
4,776	754	1,283	6,813	6,221
4,561	658	960	6,179	
	579 702 758 2,094 1/ 118 106 1/ 296	WHOLE YOLK 579 30 702 133 758 186 2,094 304 1/ 118 - 106 56 1/ 296 22 4,776 754	579 30 38 702 133 91 758 186 218 2,094 304 731 1/ 1/ 1/ 118 - 106 56 56 1/ 296 22 119 4,776 754 1,283	WHOLE YOLK WHITES TOTAL 579 30 38 647 702 133 91 926 758 186 218 1,162 2,094 304 731 3,129 1/ 1/ 1/ 100 118 - 118 - 106 56 56 218 1/ 1/ 1/ 76 296 22 119 437 4,776 754 1,283 6,813

Note: Of the preliminary totals for Canada at August 1, 1955 the above cities' stocks were:

CREAMERY BUTTER 66.0 % CHEESE 47.1 % SHELL EGGS 59.8 % FROZEN EGGS 70.4 %

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^{2/} Including New Westminster.

		Aug. 1, 1955 Preliminary		July 1, 1955 Revised	Aug. 1, 195
			sand pounds -		
		TOT	AL POULTRY		
		101	TO CHILL		
	Dressed	Eviscerated	Total	Total	Total
CANADA	5,858	1,770	8,428 1/	9,234	13,704
Maritimes	286	103	389	445	561
Quebec	2,114	313	2,427	2,957	4,526
Ontario	1,236	926	2,162	2,134	4,447
Manitoba	880	145	1,025	1,403	1,688
Saskat chewan	150	39	189	283	393
Alberta	682	142	824	1,027	1,080
Br. Columbia	510	102	612	985	1,009
		CHICKE	N UNDER 31 1b	_	
CANADA	339	236	575	580	630
Maritimes	6	6	12	19	15
Quebec	206	37	243	195	297
Ontario	22	115	137	135	157
Manitoba	38	26	64	75	26
Saskatchewan	-	7	7	11	-
Alberta	38	39	77	94	81
Br. Columbia	29	6	35	51	54
		CHICKE	N OVER 31 1b.		
CANADA	868	84	952	1,031	5,538
Maritimes	-0.7			CE	278
Quebec	84	10	94	65	
Ontario	242	18	260	338	2,231
Manitoba	337	20	357	409	1,729
Saskatchewan	64	1	65	42	663
Alberta	11	13	24	16	120
	77	17	94	100	302
Br. Columbia	53	5	58	61	215
			FOWL.		
CANADA	1,471	359	1,830	1,932	3,914
Maritimes	76	42	118	168	135
Quebec	317	19	336	483	610
Ontario	443	245	688	526	1,812
Manitoba	217	17	234	260	594
Saskat chewan	40	8	48	53	174
Alberta	259	16	275	257	358
Br. Columbia	119	12	131	185	231
	110	2~	404		

^{1/} These figures include an estimate of 800,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time. This estimate is not included in the various classifications or in the specific Provinces.

C A N A D A Maritimes Quebec Ontario	Dressed 2,961 113 1,284 399 509		Total 3,908	Total 5,218	Total 3,080
Maritimes Quebec	2,961 113 1,284 399	Eviscerated 947 44	Total 3,908		
Maritimes Quebec	2,961 113 1,284 399	947	3,908		
Maritimes Quebec	113 1,284 399	44		5,218	3,080
Quebec	1,284		150		
Quebec	399	229	157	184	115
	399		1,513	1,869	1,223
		449	848	875	575
Manitoba		89	598	939	350
Saskatchewan	98	11	109	200	89
Alberta	292	57	349	544	314
Br. Columbia	266	68	334	607	414
		DU	ICKS		
CANADA	97	63	160	189	266
Maritimes	3	1	4	5	9
Quebec	51	10	61	62	145
Ontario	19	38	57	77	69
Manitoba	2	8	10	12	8
Saskatchewan	_		_	-	_
Alberta	5		5	7	5
Br. Columbia	17	6	23	26	30
		GE	RESE		
CANADA	31	3	34	50	70
Maritimes	4	-	4	4	1
Quebec	6	-	6	10	12
Ontario	2	3	5	6	7
Manitoba	12	date	12	16	26
Saskatchewan	1		1	2	1
Alberta	1	-	1	3	11
Br. Columbia	5	2/	5	9	12
		UNCLAS	SIFIED		
CANADA	91	78	169	234	206
Maritimes	-	-		-	8
Quebec	8	-	8	-	8
Ontario	14	56	70	106	98
Manitoba	38	4	42	59	21
Saskatchewan	_	-	400	1	9
Alberta	10	13	23	22	9
Br. Columbia	21	5	26	46	53

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There were 25,000 lb. of Poultry in transit August 1, 1955 but not included here.

	T THE PARTY	Aug. 1, 1955 Preliminary		July 1, 1955 Revised	Aug. 1, 1954
			d pounds -		
		TOTAL	. POULTRY		14
	Dressed	Eviscerated	Total	Total	Total
Quebec	260	39	299	465	419
Montreal	1,781	234	2,015	2,237	3,697
Toronto	951	686	1,637	1,492	3,226
Winnipeg	862	144	1,006	1,387	1,677
Regina & Saskatoon	50	20	70	147	164
Edmonton	313	59	372	517	616
Calgary	289	55	344	410	379
Vancouver 1/	490	98	588	902	938
TOTAL 9 CITIES	4,996	1,335	6,831 2/	7,557	11,116
		CHICKEN U	NDER 31 1b.		
Quebec	54	3/	54	76	54
Montreal	152	5	157	105	158
Toronto	19	46	65	62	53
Winnipeg	38	25	63	75	26
Regina & Saskatoon	_	3	3	3	
Edmonton	9	14	23	56	11
Calgary	20	24	44	36	70
Vancouver 1/	28	6	34	48	42
TOTAL 9 CITIES	320	123	443	461	414
		CHICKEN C	VER 31 lb.		
		77 /	5.5	70	075
Quebec	55	3/	55	72	235
Montreal	171	7	178	216	1,779
Toronto	300	12	312	363 42	1, 290 659
Winnipeg	64	1	65		
Regina & Saskatoon	3	3/	3	13	37
Edmonton	21	6	27	25 62	210
Calgary	48	8	56		80
Vancouver 1/	52	4	56	59	208
TOTAL 9 CITIES	714	38	752	852	4,498
		FOWI	4		
Quebec	29	3/	29	61	29
Montreal	274	4	278	386	550
Toronto	326	219	545	371	1,409
Winnipeg	201	17	218	247	590
Regina & Saskatoon	9	-	9	26	70
Edmonton	146	3	149	149	216
Calgary	85	2	87	73	84
Vancouver 1/	115	11	126	176	216
TOTAL 9 CITIES	1,185	256	1,441	1,489	3,164

^{1/} Including New Westminster.
2/ This total includes an estimate of 500,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time. This estimate is not included in the various classifications or in the specific cities.

		Aug. 1, 1955 Preliminary		July 1, 1955 Revised	Aug. 1, 1954
		- thousan	d pounds -		
		TUF	KEY		
	Dressed	Eviscerated	Total	Total	Total
	DIGSBOU	BVISCOLAGOG	Total	10041	Total
Quebec	91	3/	91	218	96
Montreal	1,151	208	1,359	1,497	1,051
Toronto	284	345	629	563	366
Winnipeg	508	89	597	936	347
Regina & Saskatoon	37	7	44	102	47
Edmonton	128	31	159	274	163
Calgary	130	21	151	230	138
Vancouver 1/	252	66	318	538	381
TOTAL 9 CITIES	2,581	767	3,348	4,358	2,589
		Thirt	17/10		
		DUC	1/2		
Quebec	25	-	25	33	3
Montreal	26	10	36	28	142
Toronto	18	37	55	71	63
Winnipeg	2	8	10	12	8
Regina & Saskatoon	400	-	-	no.	-
Edmonton	2	-	2	3	1
Calgary	3	-	3	5	3
Vancouver 1/	17	6	23	26	29
TOTAL 9 CITIES	93	61	154	178	249
		GEE	Str.		
		Chair			
Quebec	5	-	5	5	2
Montreal	1	-	1	5	10
Toronto	1	2	3	4	-
Winnipeg	11	400	11	16	26
Regina & Saskatoon	1	407	1	2	1
Edmonton	_	en-	_	2	7
Calgary	1	- /	1	1	3
Vancouver 1/	5	3/	5	9	9
TOTAL 9 CITIES	25	2	27	44	58
		UNCLASS	CSTRI		
			11110		
Quebec	1	39	40	-	-
Montreal	6	00P	6	-	7
Toronto	3	25	28	58	45
Winnipeg	38	4	42	59	21
Regina & Saskatoon	-	10	10	1	9
Edmonton	7	5	12	8	8
Calgary	2	-	2	3	1
Vancouver 1/	21	5	26	46	53
TOTAL 9 CITIES	78	88	166	175	144

^{1/} Including New Westminster.
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BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS AND

Reported by

with comparative figures

	Aug. 1, 1955	July 1	. 1955	Aug. 1, 1954
	Preliminary		, 2000	
IN TRANSIT		BUT	PER	
		thousand		
CANADA	70	1.	40	105
Ontario	-			35
Manitoba	35	70		70
Saskatchewan	35			-
Alberta	•	3 5		
British Columbia	-		35	number of the
At Principal Railway Terminals 1/				
Winnipeg	35		70	35
Vancouver	-		35	
IN TRANSIT		CHE	ese	RELEGI
	-	thousand	pounds -	
CANADA	152		76	228
Maritime Provinces	-			38
Quebec	-		-	38
Ontario	1 - 1 - 1 -		antr-	38
Manitoba	38		-	76
Saskatchewan	38		76	-
British Columbia	76			38
At Principal Railway Terminals 1/			0.000000	(COLUMN PAR POLYCE CO
Winnipeg	38	•		
Vancouver	-		1	38

^{1/} Figures for "Terminals" included with "In Transit."

POULTRY IN TRANSIT IN CANADA

Railway Companies

for last year and last month

	Aug. 1, 1955 Preliminary	July 1, 1955	Aug. 1, 1954
IN TRANSIT		EGGS	
CANADA	cases	cases	cases 600
Maritime Provinces	*	-	600
At Principal Railway Terminals 1/	NIL	NIL	NIL
IN TRANSIT		POULTRY	
CANADA	25	thousend pounds	dir dir
Saskatchewan	25	•	-
At Principal Railway Terminals 1/	NIL	NIL	NIL

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

Average Net Weights per	Carloads	Butter 1b.	Cheese lb.	Eggs	Poultry 1b.
	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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