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Data for this report are collected by mail questionnaires from dairy factories, concentrated milk manufacturers, public and semi public cold storages, meat packers, growers, 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; while stocks of poultry products are obtained with the co-operation of the Canada Department of Agriculture.

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### Creamery butter

At the opening of the first business day of May 1973, the stocks of creamery butter on hand in Canada amounted to 18,162,000 lb. The summary total was lower than last year by 4.1 million pounds. The five-year average 1968-1972 of May 1 stocks is 38,722,000 lb. The April 1973 "in-to-storage" movement was 49 thousand pounds as compared with an opposite movement of 129 thousand pounds last year.

### Cheddar cheese

The total stocks of cheddar cheese were 61,591,000 lb. The summary total was lower than last year by 2.0 million pounds and showed an "out-of-storage" movement of 2.1 million pounds for April 1973.

### Concentrated milk products

Stocks of evaporated whole milk held by or for manufacturers amounted to 13,043,000 lb. which was an increase of 301 thousand pounds over last year. The "out-of-storage" movement of evaporated whole milk for April 1973 was 2.8 million pounds. Stocks of the chief by-product, skim milk powder, amounted to 93,750,000 lb. an increase of 52.2 million pounds over last year and an increase of 10.5 million pounds over last month.

### Frozen eggs

Stocks of frozen eggs at May 1 1973 totalled 7,291,000 lb. being 5.4 million pounds lower than the 1972 figures. The "out-of-storage" movement for April 1973 was 311 thousand pounds as compared with a similar movement of 955 thousand pounds during April 1972.

### Frozen poultry meat

The summary total of dressed and eviscerated frozen poultry meat stocks at May 1, 1973 was higher than last year by 4.6 million pounds. An "out-of-storage" movement of 6.8 million pounds is shown for the month of April 1973. By kind, the frozen stocks were: Chicken, 27,602,000 lb., Fowl, 3,159,000 lb., Turkey, 16,882,000 lb., Duck, 430,000 lb. and Goose, 71,000 lb.

TABLE 1. Stocks of Butter in Cold Storages and Dairy Factories in Canada

Creamery butter	May 1, 1973 preliminary	April 1, 1973 revised	May 1, 1972
	thousand pounds		
CANADA .....	18,162	18,113	22,283
Prince Edward Island .....	200	148	187
Nova Scotia .....	420	614	359
New Brunswick .....	246	407	298
Quebec .....	4,703	4,497	10,562
Ontario .....	4,433	4,027	5,142
Manitoba .....	1,103	1,164	1,023
Saskatchewan .....	1,049	895	1,061
Alberta .....	2,144	3,076	2,279
British Columbia .....	3,864	3,285	1,372
5 year average 1968-1972 .....	38,722		
Whey butter .....	188	239	190

TABLE 2. Stocks of Cheddar Cheese in Cold Storages and Dairy Factories in Canada

	May 1, 1973 preliminary	April 1, 1973 revised	May 1, 1972
	thousand pounds		
CANADA .....	61,591	63,685	63,580
Prince Edward Island .....	572	756	293
Nova Scotia .....	603	633	357
New Brunswick .....	66	69	70
Quebec .....	36,292	37,665	39,101
Ontario .....	20,280	20,715	20,984
Manitoba .....	1,223	1,319	615
Saskatchewan .....	189	115	77
Alberta .....	1,182	1,268	731
British Columbia .....	1,184	1,145	1,352

TABLE 3. Stocks of Concentrated Milk in Cold Storages, Warehouses and Dairy Factories in Canada Owned and Held by/or for Manufacturers

	May 1, 1973 preliminary	April 1, 1973 revised	May 1, 1972
thousand pounds			
<u>Concentrated Whole Milk</u>			
Condensed whole milk .....	1,388	913	1,302
Case .....	(1)	(1)	(1)
Bulk .....	1,388	913	1,302
Evaporated whole milk .....	13,043	15,835	12,742
Whole milk powder .....	482	480	584
Spray process .....	372	354	387
Roller process .....	110	126	197
Partly skimmed milk:			
4 % .....	391	481	646
2 % .....	1,688	1,647	857
<u>Concentrated Milk By-products</u>			
Skim milk .....	341	468	386
Evaporated .....	314	445	239
Condensed .....	27	23	147
Skim milk powder .....	93,750	83,239	41,564
Spray process .....	92,987	82,804	40,485
Roller process .....	763	435	1,079
Buttermilk powder .....	1,475	1,504	1,450
Whey powder .....	2,911	3,312	6,519

(1) Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included with "bulk".

TABLE 4. Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat in Canada(1)

	May 1, 1973 preliminary	April 1, 1973 revised	May 1, 1972
thousand pounds			
<u>Total poultry meat</u>			
CANADA .....	49,525	56,310	44,942
Maritimes .....	2,759	3,184	2,037
Quebec .....	16,460	17,304	13,270
Ontario .....	15,134	18,063	13,680
Manitoba .....	4,318	4,622	4,567
Saskatchewan .....	1,879	2,308	1,533
Alberta .....	3,993	5,435	3,325
British Columbia .....	4,982	5,394	6,530
<u>Chicken under 4 lb.</u>			
CANADA .....	9,318	8,867	5,120
Maritimes .....	402	441	174
Quebec .....	2,591	2,528	927
Ontario .....	2,657	2,636	1,167
Manitoba .....	1,199	990	707
Saskatchewan .....	521	446	456
Alberta .....	835	738	483
British Columbia .....	1,113	1,088	1,206
<u>Chicken 4 lb. and over</u>			
CANADA .....	7,163	8,124	3,765
Maritimes .....	377	431	276
Quebec .....	3,143	3,215	1,844
Ontario .....	2,147	2,335	718
Manitoba .....	546	654	349
Saskatchewan .....	132	281	220
Alberta .....	546	825	164
British Columbia .....	272	383	194

(1) Totals include dressed and eviscerated weights.

TABLE 4. Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat in Canada(1) - Continued

	May 1, 1973 preliminary	April 1, 1973 revised	May 1 1972
thousand pounds			
<u>Chicken, further processed</u>			
CANADA .....	11,121	10,361	8,384
Maritimes .....	404	353	319
Quebec .....	5,461	4,859	3,218
Ontario .....	2,092	1,794	1,886
Manitoba .....	680	609	455
Saskatchewan .....	449	455	253
Alberta .....	716	941	686
British Columbia .....	1,319	1,350	1,567
<u>Fowl</u>			
CANADA .....	3,159	2,964	4,719
Maritimes .....	217	248	137
Quebec .....	718	613	933
Ontario .....	1,434	1,464	2,164
Manitoba .....	509	353	758
Saskatchewan .....	37	40	68
Alberta .....	109	70	177
British Columbia .....	135	176	482
<u>Turkey up to 10 lb.</u>			
CANADA .....	5,629	7,549	4,977
Maritimes .....	603	798	359
Quebec .....	1,318	1,988	1,261
Ontario .....	2,372	3,111	1,351
Manitoba .....	275	384	661
Saskatchewan .....	219	240	140
Alberta .....	450	657	267
British Columbia .....	392	371	938

(1) Totals include dressed and eviscerated weights.

TABLE 4. Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat in Canada(1) - Continued

	May 1, 1973 preliminary	April 1, 1973 revised	May 1, 1972
thousand pounds			
<u>Turkey over 10 lb. and under 16 lb.</u>			
CANADA .....	3,429	5,691	5,143
Maritimes .....	327	358	244
Quebec .....	949	1,385	1,216
Ontario .....	1,073	1,999	1,709
Manitoba .....	207	394	378
Saskatchewan .....	174	274	168
Alberta .....	218	509	372
British Columbia .....	481	772	1,056
<u>Turkey 16 lb. and over</u>			
CANADA .....	6,371	9,229	8,561
Maritimes .....	307	428	398
Quebec .....	1,254	1,681	2,511
Ontario .....	2,541	3,583	3,602
Manitoba .....	430	828	497
Saskatchewan .....	228	446	139
Alberta .....	889	1,424	874
British Columbia .....	722	839	540
<u>Turkey, further processed</u>			
CANADA .....	1,453	1,445	1,611
Maritimes .....	57	61	38
Quebec .....	477	461	479
Ontario .....	345	453	477
Manitoba .....	139	138	166
Saskatchewan .....	61	68	35
Alberta .....	64	77	111
British Columbia .....	310	187	305

(1) Totals include dressed and eviscerated weights.

TABLE 4. Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat in Canada(1) - Continued

	May 1, 1973 preliminary	April 1, 1973 revised	May 1, 1972
thousand pounds			
<u>Total turkey</u>			
CANADA .....	16,882	23,914	20,292
Maritimes .....	1,294	1,645	1,039
Quebec .....	3,998	5,515	5,467
Ontario .....	6,331	9,146	7,139
Manitoba .....	1,051	1,744	1,702
Saskatchewan .....	682	1,028	482
Alberta .....	1,621	2,667	1,624
British Columbia .....	1,905	2,169	2,839
<u>Duck</u>			
CANADA .....	430	489	743
Maritimes .....	10	4	18
Quebec .....	65	49	199
Ontario .....	100	150	177
Manitoba .....	66	80	160
Saskatchewan .....	16	21	25
Alberta .....	50	62	51
British Columbia .....	123	123	113
<u>Goose</u>			
CANADA .....	71	91	73
Maritimes .....	3	4	1
Quebec .....	49	58	51
Ontario .....	13	14	1
Manitoba .....	-	1	7
Saskatchewan .....	1	2	5
Alberta .....	-	4	4
British Columbia .....	5	8	4

(1) Totals include dressed and eviscerated weights.

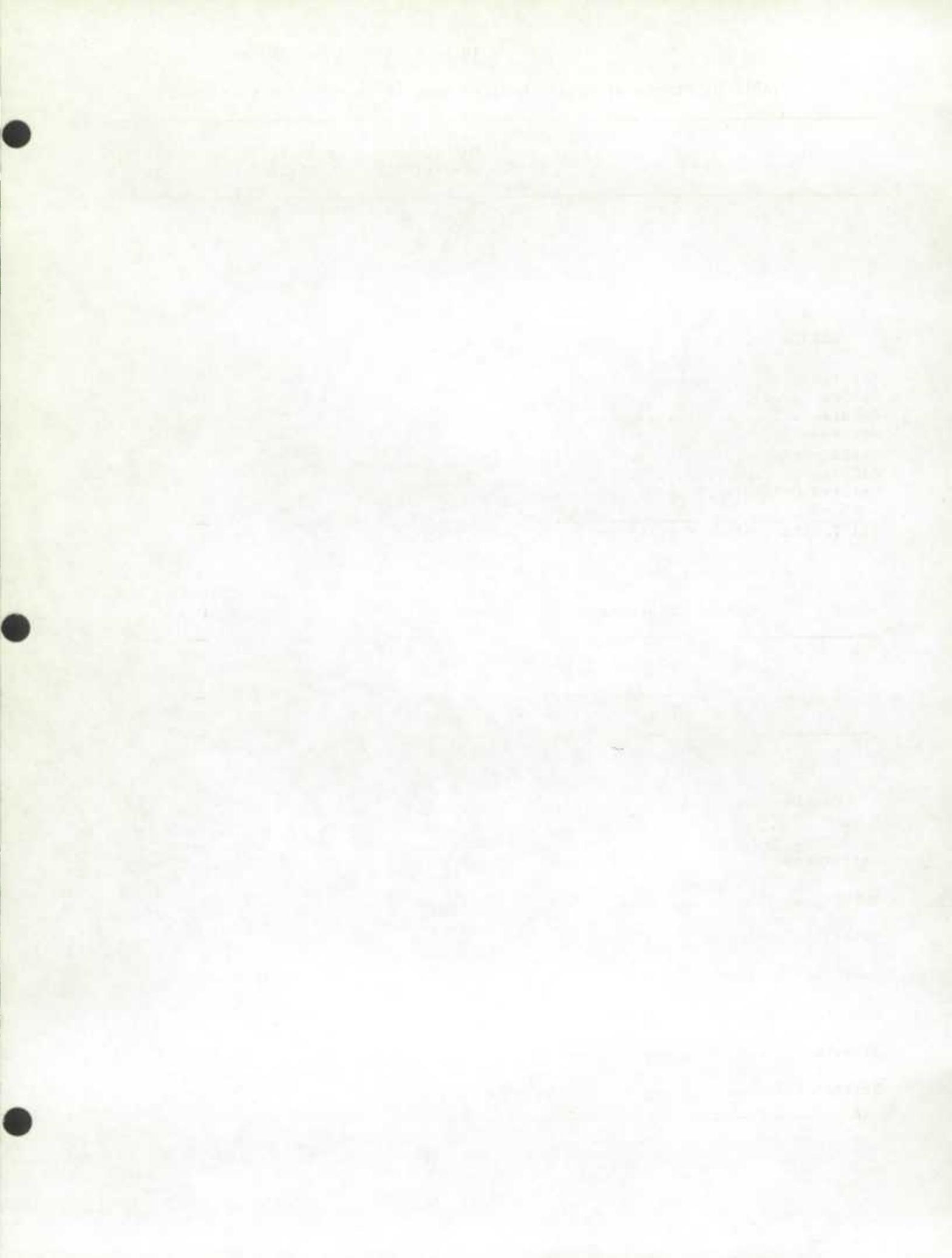
TABLE 4. Stocks of Frozen Poultry Meat in Canada(1) - Concluded

	May 1, 1973 preliminary	April 1, 1973 revised	May 1, 1972
	thousand pounds		
	<u>Unclassified</u>		
CANADA .....	1,381	1,500	1,846
Maritimes .....	52	58	73
Quebec .....	435	467	631
Ontario .....	360	524	428
Manitoba .....	267	191	429
Saskatchewan .....	41	35	24
Alberta .....	116	128	136
British Columbia .....	110	97	125

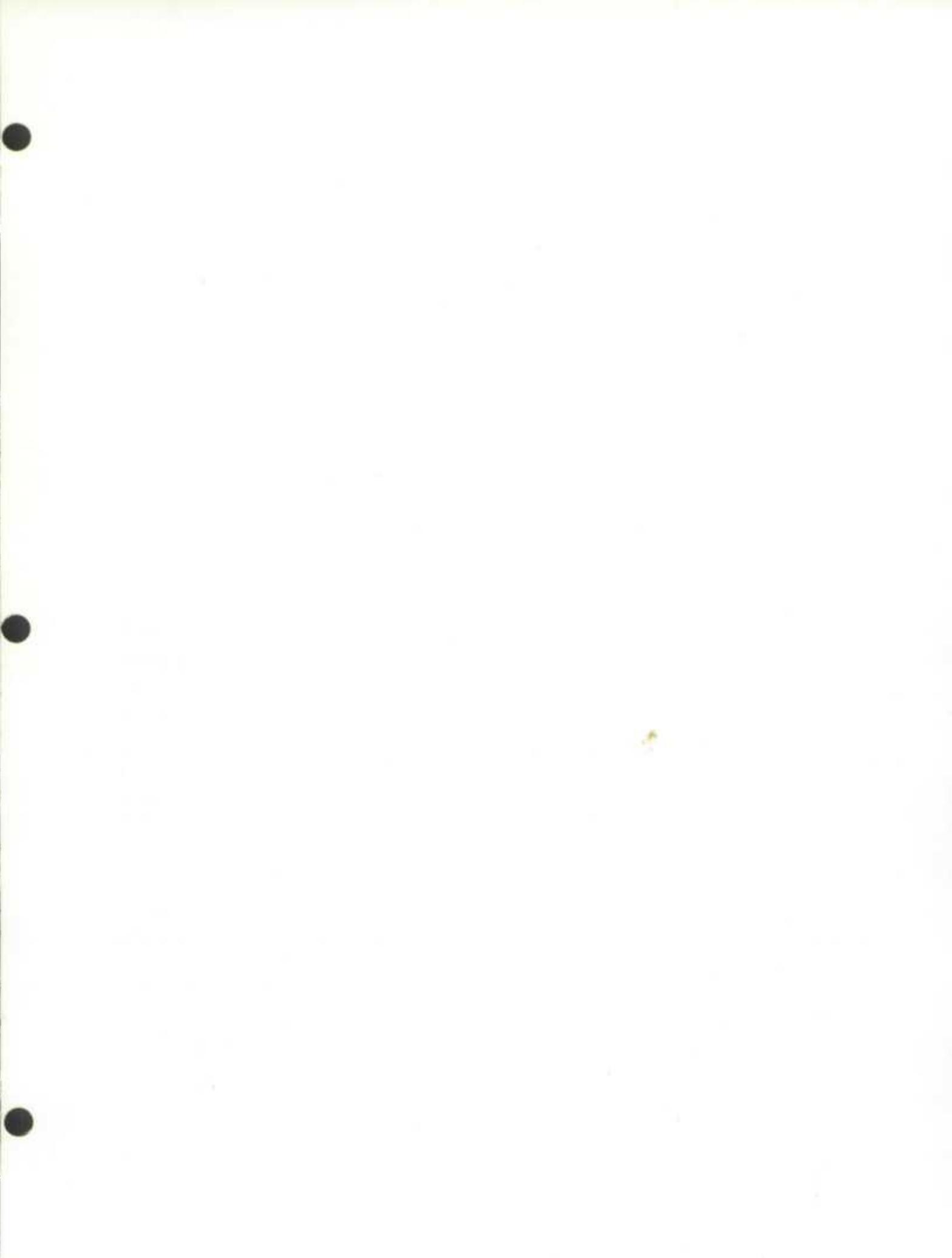
(1) Totals include dressed and eviscerated weights.

TABLE 5. Stocks of Frozen Eggs in Cold Storage in Canada

	May 1, 1973 preliminary				April 1, 1973 revised	May 1, 1972
	Whole	Yolk	Whites	Total	Total	Total
	'000 lb.					
CANADA .....	4,291	1,160	1,840	7,291	7,602	12,706
Maritimes .....	132	-	6	138	138	60
Quebec .....	2,655	298	689	3,642	3,491	7,864
Ontario .....	1,144	418	555	2,117	2,243	2,670
Manitoba .....	25	335	14	374	489	987
Saskatchewan ...	63	1	1	65	143	132
Alberta .....	32	10	194	236	267	194
British Columbia	240	98	381	719	831	799







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