

FEB 16 1948

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS
 AGRICULTURAL DIVISION
 OTTAWA, CANADA

STATISTICS STATISTIQUE
 CANADA CANADA

Dominion Statistician: Herbert Marshall
 Director, Agricultural Division: C. V. Parker
 In Charge, Cold Storage Statistics: R. P. Lafleur

APR 17 1948

LIBRARY
 BIBLIOTHÈQUE

STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES - FEBRUARY 1, 1948

APPLES

Canadian apples held in Cold and Common Storage, at distributing centres only were 267,246 barrels, 1,999,426 boxes and 614,587 bushels in other containers. Converting all containers to bushels the combined figures were 3,415,751 bushels as compared with 2,191,750 bushels as at February 1, 1947 and 4,910,850 bushels last month. The apparent net "out-of-storage" movement was 1.5 million bushels.

PEARS

There were 16,873 bushels of Canadian Pears on hand and 2077 bushels of Imported Pears.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

There were 392,544 pounds of Fruit, in "Packages Under 10 lb." while for "10 lb. and Over" the total was 11,110,495 lb. including an estimate of 400,000 lb. for firms failing to report on time.

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 16,255,543 lb. In these figures an estimate of 1,500,000 lb. is included. A year ago they amounted to 17,493,466 lb. and last month to 16,089,523 lb.

The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives, was 27,758,582 lb. as compared with 28,936,205 lb. last year and 28,370,078 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES

Holdings of Canadian grown vegetables, at distributing centres only were as follows:

POTATO holdings amounted to 316,588 tons, there being an "out-of-storage" movement of 62,078 tons. There were also 250 tons of Imported Potatoes.

ONIONS Stocks of onions were reported as 8,200 tons as compared with 11,671 tons at the same date last year and 13,228 tons on January 1, 1948.

CELERY There were 2,770 crates of Canadian Celery on hand. Last year at the same date there were 18,690 crates. There were also imported stocks of Celery amounting to 14,336 crates on February 1, 1947. On January 1, 1948 Canadian stocks were 53,489 crates.

OTHER VEGETABLES were reported as follows: Beets 845 tons, Carrots 4157 tons Cabbage 460 tons and Parsnips 474 tons.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE

"Packages under 10 lb." showed a total of 575,449 lb. while for "10 lb. and Over" the total was 6,511,800 lb. including an estimate of 200,000 lb. There were 5,483,480 lb. held in Brine, including an estimate of 500,000 lb.

CANADIAN APPLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

2.

INCLUDING HOLDINGS BY COMMERCIAL GROWERS
With Comparative Holdings for last year and last month

CANADA	FEBRUARY 1, 1948			TOTAL- BUSHELLS		
	Barrels	Boxes	Other Bu.	Feb. 1, 1947	FEBRUARY 1, 1948 PRELIMINARY	Jan. 1/48 Revised
Cold Storage	65,338	1,905,046	494,138	1,592,673	2,595,198	3,269,989
Common Storage	201,908	94,380	120,449	599,077	820,553	1,640,861
Grand Total	267,246	1,999,426	614,587	2,191,750	3,415,751	4,910,850
Maritimes	183,800	47,527	3,065	433,131	601,992	1,338,090
Quebec	8,318	111,010	5,811	141,346	141,775	203,524
Ontario	75,128	84,095	605,711	454,185	915,190	1,191,277
Manitoba	-	20,940	-	21,144	20,940	41,615
Saskatchewan	-	12,756	-	10,615	12,756	13,095
Alberta	-	11,186	-	15,499	11,186	15,222
Br. Columbia	-	1,711,912	-	1,115,830	1,711,912	2,108,027

C I T I E S

Quebec	1,966	26,845	80	21,108	32,823	40,633
Montreal	3,559	75,009	5,591	116,027	91,277	141,914
Toronto	415	31,712	54,227	66,023	87,184	119,273
Winnipeg	-	20,940	-	21,144	20,940	41,615
Regina	-	7,082	-	3,361	7,082	6,014
Saskatoon	-	2,780	-	4,526	2,780	4,229
Calgary	-	4,738	-	5,939	4,738	5,616
Edmonton	-	6,448	-	9,560	6,448	9,606
Vancouver ^{1/}	-	24,867	-	40,166	24,867	41,133

^{1/} Including New Westminster.

P E A R S ⁴
(In Bushels)
Including Holdings by Commercial Growers

	February 1, 1947	FEBRUARY 1, 1948 PRELIMINARY	January 1, 1948 Revised
CANADA	13,950	16,873	33,261
Maritimes	1,365	165	768
Quebec	4,437	5,580	9,100
Ontario	2,546	3,241	4,579
Manitoba	3,698	3,242	7,438
Sask.	20	543	1,633
Alta.	-	70	1,856
Br. Columbia	1,884	4,032	7,887

⁴ There were also reported 458 bushels of Imported Pears on January 1, 1948 and 2077 bushels on February 1, 1948.

FROZEN FRUIT
IN STORAGES AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	February 1, 1947	FEBRUARY 1, 1948 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	January 1, 1948 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>PACKAGES UNDER 10 LB.</u>			
Blueberries	13,481	30,465	26,067
Cherries	42,433	21,685	29,167
Plums	52,693	(x)	(x)
Raspberries	21,008	50,076	54,989
Strawberries	29,351	201,490	96,101
Other Fruit	77,471	88,828	93,018
Total	236,437	392,544	299,342
<u>10 LB. AND OVER</u>			
<u>APPLE</u>			
Straight	1,017,457	992,533	905,819
Pulp	145,574	253,529	219,017
TOTAL	<u>1,163,031</u>	<u>1,246,062</u>	<u>1,124,836</u>
<u>Blueberries</u>			
Straight	1,172,090	1,079,034	1,212,180
2 / 1	-	-	-
3 / 1	-	-	-
Pulp	-	-	-
TOTAL	<u>1,172,090</u>	<u>1,079,034</u>	<u>1,212,180</u>
<u>Cherries</u>			
Straight	868,734	716,597	825,543
2 / 1	443,566	-	(x)
3 / 1	116,218	505,285	538,387
Pulp	60,010	-	-
TOTAL	<u>1,488,528</u>	<u>1,221,882</u>	<u>1,363,930</u>
<u>Citrus Fruits</u>			
Straight	70,519	(x)	(x)
Pulp	554,116	(x)	(x)
TOTAL	<u>624,635</u>	<u>(x)</u>	<u>(x)</u>
<u>Plums</u>			
Straight	148,858	82,741	114,269
Pulp	65,000	(x)	(x)
TOTAL	<u>213,858</u>	<u>82,741</u>	<u>114,269</u>
<u>Raspberries</u>			
Straight	533,784	940,067	1,077,787
2 / 1	285,008	40,970	(x)
3 / 1	24,822	474,455	(x)
Pulp	58,000	(x)	(x)
TOTAL	<u>901,614</u>	<u>1,455,492</u>	<u>1,077,787</u>
<u>Strawberries</u>			
Straight	458,756	1,036,970	1,243,303
2 / 1	1,691,842	785,130	912,570
3 / 1	1,584,732	1,999,651	2,494,976
Pulp	59,925	(x)	(x)
TOTAL	<u>3,795,255</u>	<u>3,821,751</u>	<u>4,650,849</u>
<u>Other Fruit</u>			
Straight	1,444,964	1,128,071	1,256,188
2 / 1	353,804	-	79,082
3 / 1	24,000	322,700	722,631
Pulp	24,523	352,762	379,461
TOTAL	<u>1,847,291</u>	<u>1,803,533</u>	<u>2,437,362</u>
Reported		10,710,495	
Estimated		400,000	
Total	11,206,302	11,110,495	11,981,213

(x) Included in "Other" as insufficient reports received.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES
FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES IN STORAGES AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

FRUIT IN SO ₂ OR BENZOATE	February 1, 1947	FEBRUARY 1, 1948 PRELIMINARY	January 1, 1948 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
Apple, Pulp	2,210,488	2,336,513	2,450,374
Blueberries	-	-	(x)
Cherries	1,479,767	1,633,881	1,706,555
Citrus Fruits	3,801,009	2,367,354	1,106,415
Plums	2,387,395	1,120,292	1,388,032
Raspberries	1,655,203	3,011,860	3,596,808
Strawberries	2,133,523	1,681,034	2,489,268
Other Fruit	3,826,081	2,604,609	3,352,071
Reported		14,755,543	
Estimated		1,500,000	
Total	17,493,466	16,255,543	16,089,525
SUMMARY OF FRUIT			
Frozen, Under 10 lb.	236,437	392,544	299,342
" 10 lb. and Over	11,206,302	11,110,495	11,981,213
In Preservatives	17,493,466	16,255,543	16,089,523
Total	28,936,205	27,758,582	28,370,078
FROZEN VEGETABLES			
PACKAGES UNDER 10 lb.			
Asparagus	34,641	49,116	20,742
Beans, Lima	9,146	16,775	21,834
" String	44,959	53,897	215,417
Corn	217,839	60,795	249,335
Peas	232,456	314,382	450,662
Other Vegetables	100,838	80,484	349,855
Total	639,879	575,449	1,307,845
10 LB. AND OVER			
Asparagus	9,417	94,599	97,872
Beans, Lima	291,149	638,408	678,635
" String	615,907	684,936	757,151
Corn	187,346	363,528	363,418
Peas	1,164,756	1,746,483	2,388,132
Other Vegetables	399,136	2,783,846	3,427,444
Reported		6,311,800	
Estimated		200,000	
Total	2,667,711	6,511,800	7,712,652
SUMMARY OF VEGETABLES			
Frozen, Packages Under 10 lb.	639,879	575,449	1,307,845
Frozen, 10 lb. and Over	2,667,711	6,511,800	7,712,652
In Brine	3,536,115	5,483,480	6,822,825
Total	6,843,705	12,570,729	15,843,322

(X) Included with "Other" as insufficient reports received.

CANADIAN VEGETABLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE
Including Holdings by Commercial Growers

5.

FEBRUARY 1, 1948 with Comparative Figures for last month and last year

	February 1, 1947		February 1, 1948 PRELIMINARY		January 1, 1948 Revised	
	Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported
POTATOES (Tons)						
CANADA	411,666	-	316,583	250	378,666	-
Maritimes	312,362	-	239,068	-	285,986	-
Quebec	16,064	-	15,933	-	17,263	-
Ontario	63,819	-	38,378	250	48,685	-
Manitoba	548	-	734	-	615	-
Saskatchewan	341	-	502	-	443	-
Alberta	648	-	530	-	195	-
Br. Columbia	17,884	-	21,443	-	25,479	-
ONIONS (Tons)						
CANADA	11,671	100	8,200	-	13,228	-
Maritimes	453	60	398	-	556	-
Quebec	1,050	-	1,101	-	1,141	-
Ontario	6,382	40	5,149	-	8,899	-
Manitoba	581	-	178	-	334	-
Saskatchewan	197	-	168	-	182	-
Alberta	173	-	220	-	220	-
Br. Columbia	2,835	-	986	-	1,896	-
BEETS (Tons)						
CANADA	835	1	845	-	1,405	-
Maritimes	202	-	96	-	174	-
Quebec	51	-	49	-	58	-
Ontario	484	1	421	-	659	-
Manitoba	9	-	10	-	16	-
Saskatchewan	2	-	7	-	5	-
Alberta	11	-	12	-	3	-
Br. Columbia	76	-	250	-	490	-
CARROTS (Tons)						
CANADA	8,099	34	4,157	-	8,261	-
Maritimes	1,145	-	733	-	1,091	-
Quebec	238	-	261	-	324	-
Ontario	5,925	-	2,260	-	5,015	-
Manitoba	62	-	103	-	128	-
Saskatchewan	39	-	50	-	62	-
Alberta	37	-	57	-	42	-
Br. Columbia	653	34	693	-	1,599	-
CABBAGES (Tons)						
CANADA	3,233	68	460	-	2,530	-
Maritimes	721	-	114	-	458	-
Quebec	91	-	4	-	30	-
Ontario	2,184	-	292	-	1,443	-
Manitoba	45	-	-	-	8	-
Saskatchewan	52	-	2	-	57	-
Alberta	33	-	10	-	10	-
Br. Columbia	107	68	38	-	524	-
PARSNIPS (Tons)						
CANADA	937	12	474	-	677	-
Maritimes	267	-	126	-	190	-
Quebec	17	-	14	-	5	-
Ontario	518	-	160	-	285	-
Manitoba	15	-	43	-	10	-
Saskatchewan	20	-	18	-	14	-
Alberta	13	-	23	-	10	-
Br. Columbia	87	12	90	-	163	-
CELERY (Crates)						
CANADA	18,690	14,336	2,770	-	53,489	-
Maritimes	92	365	28	-	522	-
Quebec	5,602	847	743	-	1,974	-
Ontario	10,651	5,369	1,971	-	50,842	-
Manitoba	2,345	83	28	-	57	-
Saskatchewan	-	2,127	-	-	-	-
Alberta	-	2,133	-	-	-	-
Br. Columbia	-	3,412	-	-	94	-

STATISTICS CANADA LIBRARY
BIBLIOTHÈQUE STATISTIQUE CANADA



1010652867

