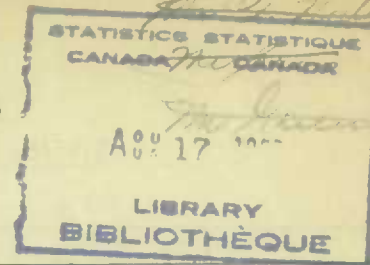




## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

 Agriculture Division  
 OTTAWA


Published by Authority of the Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Trade and Commerce

No. 12, 1949

Price: \$1.00 per annum for 12 reports

STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES - DECEMBER 1, 1949APPLES

Canadian apples held in cold and common storage were 677,288 barrels, 4,996,045 boxes and 1,891,707 bushels in other containers. Converting all containers to bushels the combined figure was 8,919,616 bushels as compared with 5,129,432 bushels as at December 1, 1948 and 969,958 bushels last month. The apparent net "into-storage" movement was 7,949,658 bushels.

PEARS

There were 43,843 bushels of Canadian Pears on hand December 1, 1949.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

There were 394,000 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 15,498,000 lb.

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 14,886,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 21,455,000 lb. and last month to 15,940,000 lb.

The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives, was 30,778,000 lb. as compared with 38,270,000 lb. last year and 33,099,000 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES

Holdings of Canadian grown vegetables were:

POTATO

Stocks of potatoes were 686,582 tons, there being an "into-storage" movement of 657,196 tons. There were also 139 tons of imported potatoes on hand December 1, 1949.

ONION

Stocks of onions were reported as 16,778 tons as compared with 22,779 tons last year and 15,956 tons last month. There were also 86 tons of imported onions on hand on December 1, 1949.

CELERY

There were 351,015 crates of Canadian celery on hand. Last year at December 1 there were 197,735 crates on hand. There were 3,032 crates of imported celery on hand on December 1, 1949.

OTHER VEGETABLES were reported as follows: Beets 2,589 tons, Carrots 13,566 tons, cabbage 8,271 tons and Parsnips 2,298 tons.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE

"Containers 1 lb. and Under" showed a total of 635,000 lb. while for "Over 1 lb. the total was 7,669,000 lb. There were 3,894,000 lb. held "In Brine".

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

	December 1, 1948 <sup>1/</sup>	DECEMBER 1, 1949 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 1949 Revised
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB.</u>			
<u>Apple</u>			
Reprocessing	( 651	792	575
Institutional	(	35	16
Pulp	158	219	267
TOTAL	809	1,046	858
<u>Blueberries</u>			
Reprocessing	( 899	1,390	1,787
Institutional	(	181	208
Pulp	-	(x)	(x)
TOTAL	899	1,571	1,995
<u>Cherries</u>			
Reprocessing	(1,139	1,847	2,028
Institutional	(	387	468
Pulp	-	78	90
TOTAL	1,139	2,312	2,586
<u>Citrus Fruits</u>			
Reprocessing	( -	-	-
Institutional	(	-	-
Pulp	83	768	887
TOTAL	83	768	887
<u>Plums</u>			
Reprocessing	( 160	263	129
Institutional	(	3	3
Pulp	-	(x)	(x)
TOTAL	160	266	132
<u>Raspberries</u>			
Reprocessing	(2,542	2,345	2,446
Institutional	(	208	235
Pulp	91	61	71
TOTAL	2,633	2,614	2,752
<u>Strawberries</u>			
Reprocessing	(8,637	4,586	5,125
Institutional	(	315	452
Pulp	239	246	222
TOTAL	8,876	5,147	5,799
<u>Other</u>			
Reprocessing	(1,071	1,142	1,244
Institutional	(	70	76
Pulp	441	212	352
TOTAL	1,512	1,424	1,672
Reported		15,148	
Estimated		350	
TOTAL	16,111	15,498	16,681

(x) Insufficient reports received, but included in "Other".

<sup>1/</sup> Prior to 1949 "Reprocessing and Institutional Trade" reported as "Straight 2/1, 3 / 1" in Containers 10 lb. and Over.

IN STORAGES AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	December 1, 1948	DECEMBER 1, 1949 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	November 1, 1949 Revised
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 LB. AND UNDER 2/</u>			
Apples	-	5	5
Blueberries	62	20	20
Cherries	38	7	23
Citrus Fruits	-	-	-
Plums	-	-	-
Raspberries	132	72	74
Strawberries	396	213	286
Other	76	71	70
Reported		388	
Estimated		6	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>478</b>

FRUIT IN SO<sub>2</sub> OR BENZOATE

Apples	2,232	1,972	1,691
Blueberries	-	-	-
Cherries	1,223	815	969
Citrus Fruits	2,668	2,101	2,553
Plums	2,174	2,899	2,812
Raspberries	5,869	2,087	2,388
Strawberries	3,577	1,987	2,202
Other	3,662	2,680	3,325
Reported		14,541	
Estimated		345	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>21,455</b>	<b>14,886</b>	<b>15,940</b>

SUMMARY OF FRUIT

<u>Containers Over 1 lb.</u>	<u>15,099</u>	<u>13,914</u>	<u>14,792</u>
Reprocessing	( 15,099	12,715	13,334
Institutional Trade	(	1,199	1,458
Pulp	1,012	1,584	1,889
Containers 1 lb. & Under	704	394	478
In Preservatives	21,455	14,886	15,940
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>38,270</b>	<b>30,778</b>	<b>33,099</b>

2/ Prior to 1949 "Containers 1 lb. and Under" were reported as "Under 10 lb."



FROZEN VEGETABLES IN STORAGES AND FACTORIES  
IN CANADA

	December 1, 1948	DECEMBER 1, 1949 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	November 1, 1949 Revised
- thousand pounds -			
<u>FROZEN VEGETABLES</u>			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 LB. AND UNDER 1/</u>			
Asparagus	43	6	12
Beans, Lima	49	20	25
Beans, String	205	90	111
Corn	83	93	107
Peas	717	142	247
Other	352	284	222
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,449</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>724</b>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB. 2/</u>			
<u>FOR REPROCESSING</u>			
Asparagus	(Comparable	33	34
Beans, Lima	data	707	793
Beans, String	not	331	354
Corn	available)	310	330
Peas		2,409	2,953
Other		995	1,839
Reported		4,785	
Estimated		1,000	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>5,785</b>	<b>6,303</b>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB. 2/</u>			
<u>FOR INSTITUTIONAL TRADE</u>			
Asparagus	(Comparable	12	15
Beans, Lima	data	126	118
Beans, String	not	267	277
Corn	available)	116	113
Peas		1,037	1,343
Other		326	301
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,884</b>	<b>2,167</b>
<u>SUMMARY OF VEGETABLES</u>			
Containers 1 lb. and Under	1,449	635	724
Containers Over 1 lb.	5,245	7,669	8,470
For Reprocessing	( 5,245	5,785	6,303
For Institutional Trade	(	1,884	2,167
In Brine	4,692	3,894	4,423
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11,386</b>	<b>12,198</b>	<b>13,617</b>

1/ Prior to 1949 "Containers 1 lb. and Under" were reported as "Under 10 lb.".

2/ Prior to 1949 "Containers Over 1 lb." for reprocessing and Institutional trade reported as "10 lb. and Over".

CANADIAN APPLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

5.

Including Holdings by Commercial Growers

With Comparative Holdings for last year and for last month

CANADA	DECEMBER 1, 1949			- B U S H E L S -		
	Barrels	Boxes	Other Bushels	December 1, 1948	DECEMBER 1, 1949 PRELIMINARY	November 1/49 Revised
Cold Storage	114,982	4,857,760	1,513,287	4,075,081	6,715,993	753,133
Common Storage	562,306	138,285	378,420	1,054,351	2,203,623	216,825
GRAND TOTAL	677,288	4,996,045	1,891,707	5,129,432	8,919,616	969,958
Maritimes	532,376	25,885	424,569	758,653	2,047,582	12,441
Quebec	12,471	113,201	9,261	143,645	159,875	150,416
Ontario	132,441	22,387	1,457,877	1,118,504	1,877,587	581,684
Manitoba	-	242,262	-	90,545	242,262	179,813
Saskatchewan	-	13,810	-	14,210	13,810	9,263
Alberta	-	15,337	-	17,750	15,337	14,708
Br. Columbia	-	4,563,163	-	2,986,125	4,563,163	21,633

CITIES

Quebec	2,689	17,203	155	34,325	25,425	34,242
Montreal	2,107	94,396	9,106	90,991	109,823	116,174
Toronto	1,845	11,200	103,693	86,092	120,428	121,154
Winnipeg	-	242,262	-	90,545	242,262	179,813
Regina	-	5,702	-	4,835	5,702	2,917
Saskatoon	-	5,155	-	7,043	5,155	4,557
Calgary	-	7,778	-	7,677	7,778	7,301
Edmonton	-	7,559	-	10,073	7,559	7,407
Vancouver <u>1/</u>	-	13,492	-	16,849	13,492	18,607

1/ Including New Westminster.

P E A R S  
( In Bushels )

	December 1, 1948	DECEMBER 1, 1949 PRELIMINARY	November 1, 1949 Revised
CANADA	82,640	43,843	25,202
Maritimes	280	-	77
Quebec	28,695	8,767	6,481
Ontario	22,875	5,570	6,810
Manitoba	9,193	4,949	4,271
Saskatchewan	3,289	1,461	2,296
Alberta	7,528	4,471	3,401
Br. Columbia	10,780	18,675	1,866

There were 950 bushels of Imported Pears and 341 bushels of Imported Apples on hand on December 1, 1949.

## CANADIAN VEGETABLES

Including Holdings

With Comparative Figures

	December 1, 1948		DECEMBER 1, 1949 PRELIMINARY		November 1, 1949 Revised	
	Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported
<b>POTATOES (Tons)</b>						
CANADA	534,801	-	686,582	139	29,386	14
Maritimes	412,163	-	565,315	-	295	-
Quebec	22,967	-	20,704	-	1,428	-
Ontario	71,223	-	66,329	-	25,178	-
Manitoba	721	-	618	121	372	-
Saskatchewan	223	-	372	11	159	-
Alberta	791	-	1,727	-	462	-
Br. Columbia	26,713	-	31,517	7	1,492	14
<b>ONIONS (Tons)</b>						
CANADA	22,779	27	16,778	86	15,956	140
Maritimes	405	-	468	-	390	-
Quebec	1,820	-	1,244	13	1,266	48
Ontario	18,560	-	12,224	3	12,937	-
Manitoba	282	-	886	-	717	-
Saskatchewan	137	-	149	29	155	-
Alberta	256	-	141	27	176	33
Br. Columbia	1,319	27	1,666	14	315	59
<b>BEEETS (Tons)</b>						
CANADA	2,529	-	2,589	-	1,046	-
Maritimes	400	-	418	-	11	-
Quebec	208	-	108	-	92	-
Ontario	1,356	-	1,726	-	873	-
Manitoba	18	-	23	-	19	-
Saskatchewan	4	-	3	-	4	-
Alberta	11	-	20	-	13	-
Br. Columbia	532	-	291	-	34	-
<b>CARROTS (Tons)</b>						
CANADA	17,580	-	13,566	2	2,876	-
Maritimes	3,607	-	2,970	-	99	-
Quebec	416	-	188	-	143	-
Ontario	10,407	-	8,404	-	2,335	-
Manitoba	358	-	130	-	166	-
Saskatchewan	49	-	69	2	17	-
Alberta	62	-	110	-	39	-
Br. Columbia	2,681	-	1,695	-	77	-

IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

7.

by Commercial Growers

for last month and for last year

	December 1, 1948		DECEMBER 1, 1949 PRELIMINARY		November 1, 1949 Revised	
	Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported
<u>CABBAGES (Tons)</u>						
CANADA	7,990	-	8,271	-	1,537	-
Maritimes	1,289	-	1,703	-	9	-
Quebec	148	-	99	-	156	-
Ontario	4,650	-	4,416	-	1,097	-
Manitoba	601	-	116	-	115	-
Saskatchewan	72	-	32	-	21	-
Alberta	229	-	54	-	54	-
Br. Columbia	1,001	-	1,851	-	85	-
<u>PARSNIPS (Tons)</u>						
CANADA	1,683	-	2,298	-	383	-
Maritimes	418	-	530	-	20	-
Quebec	15	-	8	-	6	-
Ontario	760	-	1,057	-	244	-
Manitoba	59	-	87	-	43	-
Saskatchewan	22	-	9	-	6	-
Alberta	45	-	68	-	47	-
Br. Columbia	364	-	539	-	17	-
<u>CELERY (Crates)</u>						
CANADA	197,735	40	351,015	3,032	332,804	66
Maritimes	620	40	430	-	870	-
Quebec	5,895	-	5,698	-	4,437	-
Ontario	179,699	-	328,151	-	284,606	-
Manitoba	4,568	-	9,293	286	26,308	-
Saskatchewan	1,084	-	813	148	714	66
Alberta	983	-	328	1,197	1,385	-
Br. Columbia	4,886	-	6,302	1,401	14,484	-

650-14-12-1949



STATISTICS CANADA LIBRARY  
BIBLIOTHÈQUE STATISTIQUE CANADA



1010652911