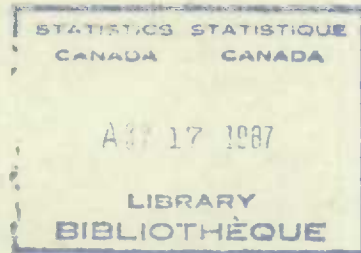


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**STOCKS**

**OF**

**FRUIT AND VEGETABLES**

**JUNE 1950**



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FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

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## STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES - JUNE 1, 1950

### APPLES

Canadian apples held in cold and common storage were 1,502 barrels 111,519 boxes and 13,493 bushels in other containers. Converting all containers to bushels the combined figure was 129,518 bushels as compared with 143,923 bushels as at June 1, 1949 and 132,035 bushels last month. The apparent net "out-of-storage" movement was 2,517 bushels. There were 15,090 bushels of imported apples on hand on June 1, 1950.

### PEARS

There were 16 bushels of Canadian Pears on hand on June 1, 1950.

### FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

There were 157,000 lb. of fruit, in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" while for "Over 1 lb.". the total was 6,938,000 lb.

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 10,369,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 16,469,000 lb. and last month to 11,593,000 lb. The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives was 17,464,000 lb. as compared with 27,597,000 lb. last year and 20,500,000 lb. last month.

### VEGETABLES

Holdings of Canadian grown vegetables were:

#### POTATO

Stocks of potatoes were 34,533 tons, there being an "out-of-storage" movement of 190,359 tons. There were also 438 tons of imported potatoes on hand June 1, 1950.

#### ONION

Stocks of onions were reported as 427 tons as compared with 1,997 tons last year and 1,033 tons last month. There were also 846 tons of imported onions on hand on June 1, 1950.

#### CELERY

There were 1,490 crates of Canadian celery on hand. Last year at June 1 there were 3,759 crates. Imported celery on hand on June 1, 1950 amounted to 12,974 crates.

OTHER VEGETABLES were reported as follows: Beets 63 tons, Carrots 729 tons Cabbage 32 tons and Parsnips 47 tons. Imported stocks were: Beets 59 tons Carrots 658 tons, Cabbage 466 tons and Parsnips 49 tons.

### VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE

"Containers 1 lb. and Under" showed a total of 507,000 lb. while for "Over 1 lb.". the total was 3,264,000 lb. There were 1,327,000 lb. held "In Brine".

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FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

	JUNE 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	May 1, 1950 Revised	June 1, 1949
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB.</u>			
<u>Apple</u>			
Reprocessing	649	723	488
Institutional	239	272	26
Pulp	203	396	209
TOTAL	1,091	1,391	723
<u>Blueberries</u>			
Reprocessing	546	704	269
Institutional	124	163	51
Pulp	(x)	(x)	1
TOTAL	670	867	321
<u>Cherries</u>			
Reprocessing	882	1,153	544
Institutional	297	340	93
Pulp	79	95	43
TOTAL	1,258	1,588	680
<u>Citrus Fruits</u>			
Reprocessing	-	-	-
Institutional	(x)	(x)	-
Pulp	105	147	1,397
TOTAL	105	147	1,397
<u>Plums</u>			
Reprocessing	104	114	86
Institutional	1	1	2
Pulp	(x)	(x)	45
TOTAL	105	115	133
<u>Raspberries</u>			
Reprocessing	866	1,401	1,497
Institutional	115	154	81
Pulp	53	71	134
TOTAL	1,034	1,626	1,712
<u>Strawberries</u>			
Reprocessing	1,190	1,531	3,824
Institutional	148	248	487
Pulp	130	182	182
TOTAL	1,468	1,961	4,493
<u>Other</u>			
Reprocessing	457	518	711
Institutional	241	294	106
Pulp	64	183	552
TOTAL	762	995	1,369
Reported	6,493		
Estimated	445		
TOTAL	6,938	8,690	10,828

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

IN STORAGES AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

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	JUNE 1, 1950 PRELIMINARY	May 1, 1950 Revised	June 1, 1949
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 LB. AND UNDER</u>			
Apples	2	2	5
Blueberries	25	31	15
Cherries	7	7	15
Citrus Fruits	(x)	(x)	-
Plums	-	-	-
Raspberries	20	40	26
Strawberries	25	61	211
Other	68	76	28
Reported	147		
Estimated	10		
TOTAL	157	217	300

FRUIT IN SO2 OR BENZOATE

Apples	1,216	1,509	2,072
Blueberries	(x)	(x)	-
Cherries	556	579	677
Citrus Fruits	3,172	3,956	3,884
Plums	1,112	2,012	1,617
Raspberries	930	1,124	2,943
Strawberries	462	763	2,126
Other	1,071	1,650	3,150
Reported	8,519		
Estimated	1,850		
TOTAL	10,369	11,593	16,469

SUMMARY OF FRUIT

<u>Containers Over 1 lb.</u>	<u>6,938</u> <sup>1/</sup>	<u>8,690</u>	<u>10,828</u>
Reprocessing	5,124	6,144	7,419
Institutional Trade	1,165	1,472	846
Pulp	649	1,074	2,563
Containers 1 lb. and Under	157	217	300
In Preservatives	10,369	11,593	16,469
TOTAL	17,464	20,500	27,597

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

<sup>1/</sup> Pulp formerly not included

FROZEN VEGETABLES IN STORAGEES AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	JUNE 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	May 1, 1950 Revised	June 1, 1949
- thousand pounds -			
<u>FROZEN VEGETABLES</u>			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 lb. and under</u>			
Asparagus	8	-	5
Beans, Lima	33	37	4
Beans, String	17	41	22
Corn	54	69	39
Peas	129	342	260
Other	256	266	63
Reported	497		
Estimated	10		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>393</b>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB.</u>			
<u>FOR REPROCESSING</u>			
Asparagus	56	21	52
Beans, Lima	620	655	298
Beans, String	181	176	129
Corn	209	254	118
Peas	707	860	912
Other	374	469	1,031
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,147</b>	<b>2,435</b>	<b>2,540</b>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB.</u>			
<u>FOR INSTITUTIONAL TRADE</u>			
Asparagus	17	25	9
Beans, Lima	41	50	12
Beans, String	80	95	26
Corn	73	43	64
Peas	509	635	160
Other	397	395	388
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,117</b>	<b>1,243</b>	<b>659</b>
<u>SUMMARY OF VEGETABLES</u>			
Containers 1 lb. and Under	507	755	393
Containers Over 1 lb.	<u>3,264</u>	<u>3,678</u>	<u>3,199</u>
For Reprocessing	2,147	2,435	2,540
For Institutional Trade	1,117	1,243	659
In Brine	1,327	1,801	2,831
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,098</b>	<b>6,234</b>	<b>6,423</b>

CANADIAN APPLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

Including holdings by Commercial growers

With comparative holdings for last year and last month

CANADA	Barrels	JUNE 1, 1950		BUSHEL		
		Boxes	Other Bu.	JUNE 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	May 1, 1950 Revised	June 1, 1949
Cold Storage	1,502	80,770	9,952	95,228	101,863	111,877
Common Storage	-	30,749	3,541	34,290	30,172	32,046
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>1,502</b>	<b>111,519</b>	<b>13,493</b>	<b>129,518</b>	<b>132,035</b>	<b>143,923</b>
Maritimes	100	4,458	345	5,103	24,200	4,758
Quebec	70	37,837	365	38,412	833	65,785
Ontario	1,332	19,787	12,783	36,566	107,002	41,724
Manitoba	-	17,034	-	17,034	-	13,618
Saskatchewan	-	4,291	-	4,291	-	2,887
Alberta	-	9,579	-	9,579	-	4,804
Br. Columbia	-	18,533	-	18,533	-	10,347
<b>CITIES</b>						
Quebec	2	8,696	6	8,708	8	13,001
Montreal	68	28,823	359	29,386	825	52,533
Toronto	300	4,955	4,430	10,285	16,300	15,003
Winnipeg	-	17,034	-	17,034	-	13,618
Regina	-	2,170	-	2,170	-	1,584
Saskatoon	-	1,544	-	1,544	-	562
Calgary	-	2,437	-	2,437	-	2,954
Edmonton	-	7,142	-	7,142	-	1,850
Vancouver	-	14,100	-	14,100	-	7,834

\* Including New Westminster.

PEARS  
(In Bushels)

	JUNE 1, 1950 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	May 1, 1950 Revised	June 1, 1949
<b>CANADA</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>311</b>
Maritimes	16	-	-
Quebec	-	-	267
Ontario	-	8	44
Manitoba	-	31	-
Saskatchewan	-	-	-
Alberta	-	-	-
Br. Columbia	-	-	-

There were 15,090 bushels of Imported Apples reported on June 1, 1950

## CANADIAN VEGETABLES

Including Holdings  
With Comparative Figures

	JUNE 1, 1950		May 1, 1950		June 1,	
	PRELIMINARY	PRELIMINARY	Revised	Revised	1949	1949
	Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported
<b>POTATOES (Tons)</b>						
CANADA	34,533	438	284,892	398	120,474	258
Maritimes	21,002	1	180,899	-	104,885	-
Quebec	4,662	69	11,723	10	5,631	-
Ontario	5,382	30	16,710	13	7,922	85
Manitoba	518	59	365	83	572	11
Saskatchewan	124	40	298	112	159	51
Alberta	551	68	615	63	206	42
Br. Columbia	2,294	171	5,282	117	1,099	69
<b>ONIONS (Tons)</b>						
CANADA	427	846	1,033	900	1,997	447
Maritimes	88	92	126	89	21	102
Quebec	179	227	328	197	783	40
Ontario	158	172	535	123	1,155	106
Manitoba	-	92	32	65	38	45
Saskatchewan	-	54	-	71	-	23
Alberta	-	73	-	94	-	22
Br. Columbia	2	136	12	261	-	109
<b>BETS (Tons)</b>						
CANADA	63	59	199	61	502	-
Maritimes	24	1	57	1	15	-
Quebec	12	34	19	10	101	-
Ontario	26	12	93	18	379	-
Manitoba	-	5	9	14	3	-
Saskatchewan	-	-	1	1	2	-
Alberta	-	-	6	6	2	-
Br. Columbia	1	7	4	11	-	-
<b>CARROTS (Tons)</b>						
CANADA	729	658	1,428	432	522	704
Maritimes	75	26	249	40	51	70
Quebec	7	141	16	119	15	206
Ontario	641	158	1,116	117	456	188
Manitoba	-	68	19	19	-	57
Saskatchewan	-	46	1	23	-	56
Alberta	-	88	20	41	-	41
Br. Columbia	6	131	7	73	-	86



IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

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by commercial growers

for last month and for last year

	JUNE 1, 1950		May 1, 1950		June 1, 1949	
	PRELIMINARY Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported	Canadian	Imported
<b>CABBAGES (Tons)</b>						
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>466</u>	<u>307</u>	<u>332</u>	<u>96</u>	<u>314</u>
Maritimes	10	19	47	25	5	20
Quebec	-	87	-	83	-	87
Ontario	22	107	201	87	90	117
Manitoba	-	53	2	20	-	14
Saskatchewan	-	42	-	36	-	30
Alberta	-	91	6	25	-	15
Br. Columbia	-	67	51	56	1	31
<b>PARSNIPS (Tons)</b>						
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>-</u>
Maritimes	19	-	84	-	15	-
Quebec	1	3	11	-	6	-
Ontario	17	-	101	-	14	-
Manitoba	-	46	31	-	8	-
Saskatchewan	2	-	7	-	5	-
Alberta	-	-	9	-	2	-
Br. Columbia	8	-	57	1	3	-
<b>CELERY (Crates)</b>						
<u>CANADA</u>	<u>1,490</u>	<u>12,974</u>	<u>1,062</u>	<u>12,232</u>	<u>3,759</u>	<u>15,095</u>
Maritimes	15	379	22	821	20	730
Quebec	-	3,399	-	3,928	-	4,768
Ontario	1,475	2,797	1,040	2,605	3,739	2,515
Manitoba	-	1,278	-	851	-	1,914
Saskatchewan	-	1,053	-	731	-	1,277
Alberta	-	2,060	-	1,309	-	1,562
Br. Columbia	-	2,008	-	1,987	-	2,329

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