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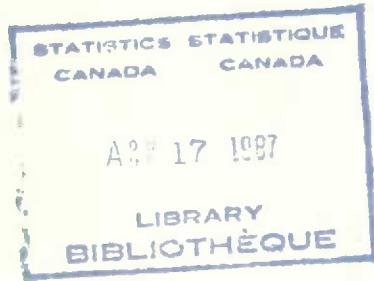
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STOCKS  
OF  
FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

JANUARY 1951



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STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES - JANUARY 1, 1951

APPLES

Canadian apples held in cold and common storage were 6,101,000 bushels compared with 8,101,000 bushels last month and 6,826,000 bushels last year. The apparent net "out-of-storage" movement was 2,000,000 bushels.

PEARS

There were 26,000 bushels of Canadian Pears on hand on January 1, 1951.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

There were 1,326,000 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 15,416,000 lb.

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 16,167,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 14,936,000 lb. and last month to 16,028,000 lb. The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives was 32,909,000 lb. as compared with 28,980,000 lb. last year and 33,631,000 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES

Holdings of vegetables were:

POTATO

Stocks of potatoes were 18,170,000 bushels, there being an "out-of-storage" movement of 3,785,000 bushels.

ONION

Stocks of onions were reported as 997,000 bushels as compared with 513,000 bushels last year and 1,147,000 bushels last month.

CARROTS

Stocks of carrots amounted to 530,000 bushels as compared with 615,000 bushels last month and 429,000 bushels last year.

CABBAGE

Stocks of cabbages decreased to 260,000 bushels from 393,000 bushels last month.

CELERY

There were 56,000 crates of celery on hand. Last year at January 1 there were 155,000 crates.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE

"Containers 1 lb. and Under" showed a total of 4,011,000 lb. while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 7,466,000 lb. There were 4,761,000 lb. held "In Brine".

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## FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

	JANUARY 1, 1951 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1950 Revised	January 1, 1950
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB.</u>			
<u>Apple</u>			
Reprocessing	500	485	658
Institutional	1,093	1,188	299
Pulp	396	257	331
TOTAL	1,989	1,930	1,288
<u>Blueberries</u>			
Reprocessing	362	370	1,175
Institutional	70	80	177
Pulp	(x)	(x)	8
TOTAL	432	450	1,360
<u>Cherries</u>			
Reprocessing	2,223	2,288	1,646
Institutional	543	552	507
Pulp	355	386	114
TOTAL	3,121	3,226	2,267
<u>Citrus Fruits</u>			
Reprocessing	-	-	-
Institutional	162	164	-
Pulp	286	(x)	73
TOTAL	448	164	73
<u>Plums</u>			
Reprocessing	424	425	134
Institutional	190	247	129
Pulp	-	(x)	10
TOTAL	614	672	273
<u>Raspberries</u>			
Reprocessing	1,346	1,422	2,029
Institutional	247	264	249
Pulp	62	92	69
TOTAL	1,655	1,778	2,347
<u>Strawberries</u>			
Reprocessing	4,088	4,096	3,016
Institutional	1,029	1,053	433
Pulp	765	907	317
TOTAL	5,882	6,056	3,766
<u>Other</u>			
Reprocessing	887	1,283	1,028
Institutional	66	181	90
Pulp	197	530	210
TOTAL	1,150	1,994	1,328
Reported	15,291		
Estimated	125		
TOTAL	15,416	16,270	12,702

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

	JANUARY 1, 1951 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	December 1, 1950 Revised	January 1, 1950
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 LB. AND UNDER</u>			
Apples	(x)	2	5
Blueberries	5	10	38
Cherries	11	12	9
Citrus Fruits	(x)	(x)	1
Plums	-	-	-
Raspberries	229	300	288
Strawberries	824	874	919
Other	147	135	82
Reported	1,216		
Estimated	110		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,326</b>	<b>1,333</b>	<b>1,342</b>
<u>FRUIT IN SO2 OR BENZOATE</u>			
Apples	3,155	2,847	2,189
Blueberries	-	-	126
Cherries	1,694	1,653	1,186
Citrus Fruits	1,524	1,739	2,593
Plums	2,717	2,617	2,635
Raspberries	1,908	1,986	1,818
Strawberries	2,672	3,221	1,799
Other	1,982	1,965	2,590
Reported	15,652		
Estimated	515		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,167</b>	<b>16,028</b>	<b>14,936</b>
<u>SUMMARY OF FRUIT</u>			
<u>Containers Over 1 lb.</u>	<u><b>15,416</b></u>	<u><b>16,270</b></u>	<u><b>12,702</b></u>
Reprocessing	9,830	10,369	9,686
Institutional Trade	<b>3,400</b>	3,729	1,884
Pulp	2,186	2,172	1,132
Containers 1 lb. and Under In Preservatives	1,326 16,167	1,333 16,028	1,342 14,936
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>32,909</b>	<b>33,631</b>	<b>28,980</b>

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FROZEN VEGETABLES IN STORAGEES AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	JANUARY 1, 1951 PRELIMINARY	December 1, 1950 Revised	January 1, 1950
- thousand pounds -			
<u>FROZEN VEGETABLES</u>			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 LB. AND UNDER</u>			
Asparagus	132	183	27
Beans, Lima	170	37	20
Beans, String	617	534	107
Corn	218	328	146
Peas	1,930	1,954	1,161
Other	604	555	271
Reported	3,671		
Estimated	340		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,011</b>	<b>3,591</b>	<b>1,732</b>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB.</u>			
<u>FOR REPROCESSING</u>			
Asparagus	18	19	22
Beans, Lima	487	560	726
Beans, String	383	573	254
Corn	788	499	278
Peas	2,212	2,949	1,110
Other	314	301	884
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,202</b>	<b>4,901</b>	<b>3,274</b>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB.</u>			
<u>FOR INSTITUTIONAL TRADE</u>			
Asparagus	47	54	11
Beans, Lima	205	314	77
Beans, String	272	315	121
Corn	478	399	133
Peas	1,444	1,929	1,054
Other	803	1,022	589
Reported	3,249		
Estimated	15		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,264</b>	<b>4,033</b>	<b>1,985</b>
<u>SUMMARY OF VEGETABLES</u>			
Containers 1 lb. and Under	4,011	3,591	1,732
Containers Over 1 lb.	7,466	8,934	5,259
For Reprocessing	4,202	4,901	3,274
For Institutional Trade	3,264	4,033	1,985
In Brine	4,761	3,668	3,589
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>16,238</b>	<b>16,193</b>	<b>10,580</b>

APPLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

Including holdings by Commercial Growers

With comparative holdings for last year and last month

(000 bushels )					
JANUARY 1, 1951					
CANADA	<u>PRELIMINARY</u>			Dec. 1, 1950	Jan. 1, 1950
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>Cold</b>	<b>Common</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		
	5,580	521	6,101	8,101	6,826
Maritimes	457	117	574	1,067	1,082
Quebec	172	35	207	300	107
Ontario	1,242	319	1,561	1,864	1,416
Manitoba	131	8	139	151	193
Saskatchewan	3	8	11	11	7
Alberta	2	13	15	13	10
Br. Columbia	3,573	21	3,594	4,695	4,011
<b>CITIES</b>					
Quebec	10	19	29	39	16
Montreal	131	16	147	166	76
Toronto	111	3	114	122	91
Winnipeg	131	8	139	151	193
Regina	1	4	5	4	4
Saskatoon	2	2	4	3	3
Calgary	-	6	6	6	5
Edmonton	2	7	9	7	4
Vancouver <sup>1/</sup>	3	8	11	27	8

<sup>1/</sup> Including New Westminster

PEARS  
( 000 bushels )

CANADA	JANUARY 1, 1951 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	December 1 1950	January 1, 1950
Maritimes	-	-	-
Quebec	9	9	7
Ontario	5	36	10
Manitoba	3	3	3
Saskatchewan	1	1	1
Alberta	1	5	2
Br. Columbia	7	11	8

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## VEGETABLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

Including holdings by commercial growers

With comparative figures for last month and for last year

	JAN. 1, 1951 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	Dec. 1, 1950	Jan. 1, 1950	JAN. 1, 1951 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	Dec. 1, 1950	Jan. 1, 1950
- thousand bushels -						
	<u>POTATOES</u>			<u>ONIONS</u>		
CANADA	18,170	21,955	20,492	997	1,147	513
Maritimes	14,107	17,054	16,988	15	14	14
Quebec	677	786	665	35	40	43
Ontario	2,175	2,617	1,849	836	953	407
Manitoba	9	41	25	6	9	17
Saskatchewan	11	12	12	2	4	3
Alberta	47	49	40	6	5	6
Br. Columbia	1,144	1,396	913	97	122	23
	<u>CARROTS</u>			<u>CABBAGE</u>		
CANADA	530	615	429	260	393	320
Maritimes	65	80	103	57	69	75
Quebec	8	9	6	3	4	3
Ontario	327	372	262	160	240	183
Manitoba	2	3	6	2	2	4
Saskatchewan	1	1	1	1	3	1
Alberta	5	3	1	3	3	2
Br. Columbia	122	147	50	34	72	52
	<u>CELERY</u> (thousand crates)					
CANADA	56	224	155			
Maritimes	-	1	1			
Quebec	4	3	4			
Ontario	49	214	148			
Manitoba	-	1	1			
Saskatchewan	1	1	-			
Alberta	1	2	-			
Br. Columbia	1	2	1			

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