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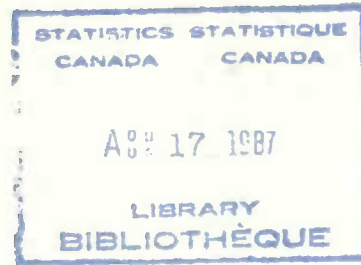
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## STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

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STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES - APRIL 1, 1951

APPLES

Canadian apples held in cold and common storage were 1,881,000 bushels compared with 3,114,000 bushels last month and 1,309,000 bushels last year. The apparent net "out-of-storage" movement was 1,233,000 bushels.

PEARS

There were 4,000 bushels of Canadian Pears on hand on April 1, 1951.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

There were 1,191,000 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 11,310,000 lb.

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 15,145,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 13,661,000 lb. and last month to 15,982,000 lb. The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives was 27,646,000 lb. as compared with 24,044,000 lb. last year and 28,942,000 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES

Holdings of vegetables were:

POTATO

Stocks of potatoes were 9,991,000 bushels, there being an "out-of-storage" movement of 2,220,000 bushels.

ONION

Stocks of onions were reported as 392,000 bushels as compared with 133,000 bushels last year and 587,000 bushels last month.

CARROTS

Stocks of carrots amounted to 155,000 bushels as compared with 270,000 bushels last month and 111,000 bushels last year.

CABBAGE

Stocks of cabbages decreased to 25,000 bushels from 40,000 bushels last month.

CELERY

There were 12,000 crates of celery on hand. Last year at April 1 there were 16,000 crates.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE

"Containers 1 lb. and Under" showed a total of 2,782,000 lb. while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 6,674,000 lb. There were 2,860,000 lb. held "In Brine".

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## FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

	APRIL 1, 1951 PRELIMINARY	Mar. 1, 1951 Revised	April 1, 1950
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 lb.</u>			
<u>Apple</u>			
Reprocessing	654	751	819
Institutional	365	402	286
Pulp	278	259	392
TOTAL	1,297	1,412	1,497
<u>Blueberries</u>			
Reprocessing	128	217	805
Institutional	52	55	152
Pulp	(x)	(x)	1
TOTAL	180	272	958
<u>Cherries</u>			
Reprocessing	1,684	1,574	1,322
Institutional	259	344	329
Pulp	238	303	104
TOTAL	2,181	2,221	1,755
<u>Citrus Fruits</u>			
Reprocessing	(x)	-	-
Institutional	14	(x)	-
Pulp	1,004	650	164
TOTAL	1,018	650	164
<u>Plums</u>			
Reprocessing	117	267	118
Institutional	118	123	1
Pulp	-	-	1
TOTAL	235	390	120
<u>Raspberries</u>			
Reprocessing	887	778	1,474
Institutional	161	88	228
Pulp	68	74	79
TOTAL	1,116	940	1,781
<u>Strawberries</u>			
Reprocessing	2,636	2,952	1,809
<b>Institutional</b>	771	976	407
Pulp	757	788	214
TOTAL	4,164	4,716	2,430
<u>Other</u>			
Reprocessing	746	679	853
<b>Institutional</b>	120	337	109
Pulp	183	180	186
TOTAL	1,049	1,196	1,148
Reported	11,240		
Estimated	70		
TOTAL	11,310	11,797	9,853

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

	APRIL 1, 1951 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1951 Revised	April 1, 1950
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 LB. AND UNDER</u>			
Apples	(x) 3	(x) 4	2
Blueberries	3	4	49
Cherries	16	17	7
Citrus Fruits	41	(x)	1
Plums	-	-	-
Raspberries	172	196	177
Strawberries	770	847	148
Other	177	99	146
Reported	1,179		
Estimated	12		
TOTAL	1,191	1,163	530
<u>FRUIT IN SO2 OR BENZOATE</u>			
Apples	3,420	3,114	1,693
Blueberries	-	-	49
Cherries	1,191	1,362	1,107
Citrus Fruits	3,110	3,048	4,143
Plums	2,249	2,506	2,288
Raspberries	1,649	1,804	1,218
Strawberries	2,071	2,418	1,064
Other	1,415	1,730	2,099
Reported	15,105		
Estimated	40		
TOTAL	15,145	15,982	13,661
<u>SUMMARY OF FRUIT</u>			
<u>Containers Over 1 lb.</u>	<u>11,310</u>	<u>11,797</u>	<u>9,853</u>
Reprocessing	6,852	7,218	7,200
Institutional Trade	1,930	2,325	1,512
Pulp	2,528	2,254	1,141
Containers 1 lb. and Under In Preservatives	1,191 15,145	1,163 15,982	530 13,661
TOTAL	27,646	28,942	24,044

FROZEN VEGETABLES IN STORAGES AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	APRIL 1, 1951 PRELIMINARY	March 1, 1951 Revised	April 1, 1950
- thousand pounds -			
<u>FROZEN VEGETABLES</u>			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 LB. AND UNDER</u>			
Asparagus	104	132	8
Beans, Lima	131	127	44
Beans, String	80	523	59
Corn	183	193	85
Peas	1,746	1,632	880
Other	538	471	363
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,782</b>	<b>3,078</b>	<b>1,439</b>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB. FOR REPROCESSING</u>			
Asparagus	11	27	21
Beans, Lima	375	397	609
Beans, String	371	292	183
Corn	292	345	215
Peas	1,649	1,660	793
Other	1,520	1,724	570
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,218</b>	<b>4,445</b>	<b>2,391</b>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 LB. FOR INSTITUTIONAL TRADE</u>			
Asparagus	49	43	23
Beans, Lima	169	203	52
Beans, String	187	235	88
Corn	323	362	81
Peas	959	1,240	728
Other	699	796	477
Reported	2,386		
Estimated	70		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,456</b>	<b>2,879</b>	<b>1,449</b>
<u>SUMMARY OF VEGETABLES</u>			
Containers 1 lb. and Under	2,782	3,078	1,439
Containers Over 1 lb.	6,674	7,324	3,840
For Reprocessing	4,218	4,445	2,391
For Institutional Trade	2,456	2,879	1,449
In Brine	2,860	2,689	2,240
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12,316</b>	<b>13,091</b>	<b>7,519</b>

APPLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

Including holdings by commercial growers

With comparative holdings for last year and last month

(000 bushels )

CANADA	APRIL 1, 1951 PRELIMINARY			March 1, 1951	April 1, 1950
	Cold	Common	TOTAL		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,736</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>1,881</b>	<b>3,114</b>	<b>1,309</b>
Maritimes	94	6	100	204	99
Quebec	62	24	86	146	66
Ontario	417	74	491	832	347
Manitoba	24	8	32	75	32
Saskatchewan	1	7	8	13	8
Alberta	1	12	13	25	8
Br. Columbia	1,137	14	1,151	1,819	749
<u>CITIES</u>					
Quebec	8	8	16	22	16
Montreal	51	16	67	109	44
Toronto	47	1	48	82	59
Winnipeg	24	8	32	75	32
Regina	-	3	3	6	3
Saskatoon	1	2	3	5	3
Calgary	1	6	7	13	3
Edmonton	-	6	6	12	6
Vancouver <u>1/</u>	10	10	20	26	26

1/ Including New Westminster.

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(000 bushels )

CANADA	APRIL 1, 1951 PRELIMINARY	March 1, 1951	April 1, 1950
		4	6
Maritimes	-	-	-
Quebec	4	4	4
Ontario	-	1	1
Manitoba	-	-	-
Saskatchewan	-	-	-
Alberta	-	-	-
Br. Columbia	-	1	-

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VEGETABLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

Including holdings by commercial growers

With comparative figures for last month and last year

	APRIL 1, 1951 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1951	April 1, 1950	APRIL 1, 1951 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	March 1, 1951	April 1, 1950
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- thousand bushels -

POTATOESONIONS

CANADA	9,991	12,211	11,291	392	587	133
Maritimes	8,091	9,706	9,450	11	13	9
Quebec	560	563	544	46	52	26
Ontario	688	1,103	895	302	472	82
Manitoba	13	14	21	11	9	3
Saskatchewan	12	16	16	3	5	1
Alberta	34	45	22	4	8	3
Br. Columbia	593	764	343	15	28	9

CARROTSCABBAGE

CANADA	155	270	111	25	40	60
Maritimes	17	31	27	2	4	15
Quebec	9	11	6	2	2	4
Ontario	96	168	62	12	28	24
Manitoba	3	4	3	4	1	4
Saskatchewan	2	2	1	1	1	1
Alberta	5	3	3	1	1	2
Br. Columbia	23	51	9	3	3	10

CELERY - (thousand crates)

CANADA	12	18	16
Maritimes	-	-	-
Quebec	3	3	6
Ontario	4	7	5
Manitoba	1	2	1
Saskatchewan	1	2	1
Alberta	1	2	2
Br. Columbia	2	2	1





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