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STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

PROPERTY OF THE

AFPIES Canadian apples held in cold and common storage were 3,092,000 bushels compared with 1,011,000 bushels last year.

FEARS

There were 17,000 bushels of Pears on hand on April 1, 1959.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVA

There were 4,480,()0 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 25,016,000 lb.

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 8,782,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 9,194,000 lb. and last month 10,199,000 lb. The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives was 38,278,000 lb. as compared with 30,229,000 lb. last year and 41,251,000 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES Holdings of vegetables were:

Stocks of potatoes were 6,983,000 hundredweight, as compared with 6,173,000 hundredweight last year. Stocks of onions were reported as 137,000 hushels as compared with 156,000 bushels last year. Stocks of carrots amounted to 146,000 bushels as compared with 153,000 bushels last year. Stocks of cabbage decreased to 32,000 bushels from 40,000 bushels last year. There were 23,000 crates of celery on hand. Last year at April 1 there were also 23,000 crates.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE

"Containers 1 lb. and Under" showed a total of 8,398,000 lb. while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 13,320,000 lb. There were 3,113,000 lb. held "In Brine".

NOTE AS TO SOURCE AND CONTENT

The data contained in this report represents stocks of fruit and vegetables; fresh, frozen and in preservatives, held by food processors Cold Storage, fruit warehouses, wholesalers and in storages of commercial growers in certain areas of commercial production. Inventories of fresh fruit and vegetables are obtained through the inspection services of the Canada Department of Agriculture.

See footnote on page six for information as to specific cities and areas included on stocks of potatoes and other vegetables.

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AGRICULTURE DIVISION

		Apr. 1, 1959 Preliminary	Mar. 1, 1959 Revised	Apr. 1, 1958	
CONTAINERS OVER 1	l Th	- thousand pounds -			
OUNTAINING OVER 1	T 100				
Apples		7 69 4	3 570	3 504	
Institutional 1		1,624	1,530 575	1,594 8 4 9	
Reprocessing Pulp			321	206	
· u.r.p	TOTAL	2/2,739	2,426	2,649	
Blueberries					
Institutional 1/		1,243	1,405	1,152	
Reprocessing		1,514	1,665	1,148	
Pulp		2,757	2/ 3,070	30	
73	TOTAL	2,757	3,070	2,330	
Cherries Institutional 1/		1,666	1,884	1,363	
Reprocessing		3,375	3,466	2,679	
Pulp		145	187	44	
	TOTAL	5,186	5,537	4,086	
Citrus Fruits					
Institutional 1/		138	127	110	
Reprocessing		2/	2/	3	
Pulp	COURT AT	1,589	1,524	1,001 1,114	
Plums	TOTAL	19161	1,651	49114	
Institutional 1/		138	121	43	
Reprocessing		337	341	362	
Pulp		-	- Dear		
	TOTAL	475	462	405	
Raspberries					
Institutional 1		3,775	3,441	969	
Reprocessing		639 2/	719	723	
Pulp	TOTAL	4,414	4,160	1,696	
Strawberries	TOTAL	-,	19 100	2,000	
Institutional 1/		2,200	2,459	1,533	
Reprocessing		2,665	3,537	2,025	
Pulp		80	139	40	
	TOTAL	4,945	6,135	3,598	
Other Fruit		PIC A	m70	per prop from	
Institutional 1		754	738	535	
Reprocessing		1,205 714	1,352 355	83 7 72	
Pulp	TOTAL	2,673	2,445	1,444	
	TOTAL	4,010	D, 110	-,	
Reported		24,916			
Estimated		100			
TOTAL		25,016	25,886	17,322	

Containers over 1 lb. up to 30 lb. for larger volume trade such as hotels, restaurants, camps, hospitals, etc.

^{2/} Less than three firms reporting this item. The figures therefore cannot be shown separately but are included in "Other Fruit".

	Apr. 1, 1959 Preliminary	Mar. 1, 1959 Revised	Apr. 1, 1958
		- thousand pounds	100
ONTAINERS 1 lb. and UNDER			
Ann 30 G	62	70	49
Apples Blueberries	291	282	265
Cherries	186	174	179
Citrus Fruits	195	188	205
Plums	-	-	1
Raspberries	891	1,097	438
Strawberries	2,356	2,972	2,064
Other Fruit	499	383	512
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COTAL	4,480	5,166	3,713
TRUIT IN SO2 OR BENZOATE			
	1 700	7 704	7 000
Apples	1,300	1,384	1,099
Blueberries	629	806	868
Cherries Citrus Fruits	1,442	1,612	1,512
Plums	1,595	1,775	1,434
Raspberries	767	915	1,098
Strawberries	1,652	2,021	1,424
Other Fruit	1,318	1,655	1,702
	description (benefit or district)	-	
Reported	8,732		
Estimated	50		
TOTAL	8,782	10,199	9,194
SUMMARY OF FRUIT			
Containers Over 1 lb.	22.670		
Institutional Trade 1/	11,638	11,705	7,299
Reprocessing	10,850	11,655	8,626
Pulp	2,528	2,526	1,397
COTAL	25,016	25,886	17,322
Containers 1 lb. and Under	4,480	5,166	3,713
In Preservatives	8,782	10,199	9,194
GRAND TOTAL	38,278	41,251	30,229
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CONTAINERS 1 1b. and UNDER		- thousand pounds -	
Asparagus	98	108	142
Beans, Lima	195	161	333
String	952	808	698
Corn	798	874	957
Peas	3,022	3,955	4,245
Other Vegetables	3,333	3,192	3,493
COTAL	8,3 9 8	9,098	9,868
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ONTAINERS FOR INSTITUTIONAL 1/			
Asparagus	34	27	45
Beans, Lima	380	345	285
String	931	1,069	758
Corn	1,112	1,265	1,330
Peas	3,912	4,299	4,023
Other Vegetables	2,812	2,208	1,704
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CONTAINERS HELD FOR REPROCESSING			
	13	13	8
Asparagus	381	411	421
Beans, Lima	452	417	412
String Corn	872	1,140	1,564
Peas	1,907	2,280	3,626
Other Vegetables	514	600	656
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COTAL	4,139	4,861	6,687
CULLARY OF VEGETABLES			
Containers Over 1 lb.			
For Institutional Trade 1/	9,181	9,213	8,145
For Reprocessing	4,139	4,861	6,687
TOTAL	13,320	14,074	14,832
Containers 1 lb. and Under	8,398	9,098	9,868
In Brine	3,113	3,570	4,068
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Containers over 1 lb. up to 10 lb. for larger volume trade such as lotels, restaurants, camps, hospitals, etc.

APPLES IN COLD AND COLMON STORAGE

Including holdings by commercial growers with

comparative holdings for last year and last month

CANADA	Apr. 1, 1959 Preliminary			Mar. 1, 1959 Apr. 1, 1958 Revised		
			(000 bushels)			
TOTAL	Cold	Common	TOTAL			
	1,949	143	2,092	3,195	1,011	
Maritimes	82	12	94	148	43	
Quebec	369	16	385	663	138	
Ontario	800	45	845	1,266	378	
Manitoba	3	14	17	27	26	
Saskatchewan	6	8	14	20	14	
Alberta	_	20	20	24	30	
Br. Columbia	689	28	717	1,047	382	
CITIES						
Quebec	-	6	6	5	5	
Montreal	64	10	74	73	75	
Toronto	28	1	29	34	8	
Winnipeg	3	14	17	27	26	
Regina	1	5	6	9	5	
Saskato on	5	1	6	8	6	
Calgary	-	6	6	9	10	
Edmonton	-	14	14	1.5	20	
Vancouver 1/	4	21	25	21	29	

1/ Including New Westminster.

		PEARS	
	Apr. 1, 1959 Preliminary	Mar. 1, 1959 Revised	Apr. 1, 1958
		(000 bushels)	
CANADA	17	25	26
Maritimes			
Quebec	11	13	18
Ontario	4	3	5
Manitoba	1	-	1
Saskatchewan			- 1000
Alberta		1	2
Br. Columbia	1	8	4 7 3 13

VEGETABLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

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Including holdings by commercial growers in specified areas 1/ with comparative figures for last year.

	Apr. 1, 1959 Preliminary	1958	Apr. 1, 1959 reliminary	1958	Apr. 1, 1959 reliminary	Apr. 1, 1958
	POT	ATOES cwt	ONIONS - 000 bu		CARROTS - 000 bu	
CANADA	6,983	8,173	137	156	146	153
Maritimes	5,448	6,854	4	5	4	5
Quebec	473	357	19	19	6	10
Ontario	742	627	77	99	120	118
Manitoba	14	62	10	7	3	3
Saskatchewan	33	23	8	4	2	2
Alberta	124	82	9	8	3	4
Br. Columbia	149	168	10	14	8	11
	CABBAGE - 000 bu		CELERY - 000 crates -			
CANADA	32	40	23	2 3		
Maritimes	4	3				
Quebec	7	9	9	9		
Ontario	9	12	6	7		
Manitoba	3	4	2	1		
Saskatchewan	3	3	2	1		
Alberta	2	4	2	3		
Br. Columbia	4	5	2	2		

Maritimes

Includes holdings of commercial growers in recognized areas of

commercial production.

Quebec, Montreal, Sherbrooke and Producer stocks in these areas. Quebec All major cities and producer stocks in areas of commercial production. Ontario

Winnipeg stocks only. Manitoba

Saskatchewan Saskatoon, Regina and Craven Lumsden area only.

Calgary and Edmonton plus farm storage Brooks, Lethbridge and Calgary Alberta areas.

Br. Columbia Vancouver, New Westminster, Victoria and farm storage in commercial production areas of Vancouver Island, Fraser Valley and Kamploops-

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