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STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

APPLES Canadian apples held in cold and common storage were 3,552,000 bushels, compared with 4,616,000 bushels last year.

PEARS There were 33,000 bushels of Pears on hand on February 1, 1960.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

There were 5,575,000 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 24,774,000 lb.

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 11,909,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 10,168,000 lb. and last month 12,196,000 lb. The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives was 42,258,000 lb. as compared with 44,745,000 lb. last year and 43,309,000 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES Holdings of vegetables were:

Stocks of potatoes were 9,342,000 hundredweight, as compared with 11,570,000 hundredweight last year. Stocks of onions were reported as 647,000 bushels as compared with 455,000 bushels last year. Stocks of carrots amounted to 580,000 bushels as compared with 447,000 bushels last year. Stocks of cabbage increased to 78,000 bushels from 52,000 bushels last year. There were 23,000 crates of celery on hand. Last year at February 1 there were 28,000 crates.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE

"Containers 1 lb. and Under" showed a total of 10,281,000 lb. while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 28,457,000 lb. There were 8,443,000 lb. held "In Brine".

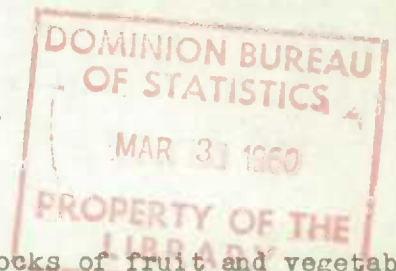
NOTE AS TO SOURCE AND CONTENT

The data contained in this report represent 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.

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

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FROZEN FRUIT AND PULP IN STORAGE AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	Feb. 1, 1960 Preliminary	Jan. 1, 1960 Revised	Feb. 1, 1959
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 lb.</u>			
<u>Apples</u>			
Institutional 1/	2,212	1,911	1,575
Reprocessing	601	389	637
Pulp	345	325	355
TOTAL	3,158	2,625	2,567
<u>Blueberries</u>			
Institutional 1/	1,781	2,083	1,869
Reprocessing	1,990	2,012	1,866
Pulp	2/	8	20
TOTAL	3,771	4,103	3,755
<u>Cherries</u>			
Institutional 1/	1,300	1,427	2,141
Reprocessing	1,953	2,003	4,481
Pulp	31	39	197
TOTAL	3,284	3,469	6,819
<u>Citrus Fruits</u>			
Institutional 1/	61	48	120
Reprocessing	2/	2/	8
Pulp	741	653	1,219
TOTAL	802	701	1,347
<u>Plums</u>			
Institutional 1/	61	61	162
Reprocessing	149	25	363
Pulp	2/	2/	-
TOTAL	210	86	525
<u>Raspberries</u>			
Institutional 1/	3,055	2,899	3,589
Reprocessing	828	1,043	804
Pulp	2/	2/	125
TOTAL	3,883	3,942	4,518
<u>Strawberries</u>			
Institutional 1/	2,647	3,021	2,446
Reprocessing	3,540	3,780	4,337
Pulp	2/	64	95
TOTAL	6,187	6,865	6,878
<u>Other Fruits</u>			
Institutional 1/	933	880	768
Reprocessing	2,035	1,950	1,185
Pulp	361	480	283
TOTAL	3,329	3,310	2,236
Reported	24,624		
Estimated	150		
TOTAL	24,774	25,101	28,645

1/ 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 Fruits".

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES IN STORAGEES
AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

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	Feb. 1, 1960 Preliminary	Jan. 1, 1960 Revised	Feb. 1, 1959
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 lb. and UNDER</u>			
Apples	28	32	70
Blueberries	577	633	357
Cherries	30	37	195
Citrus Fruits	508	493	165
Plums	2/	2	-
Raspberries	979	1,146	1,279
Strawberries	2,914	3,071	3,339
Other Fruits	519	598	527
Reported	5,555		
Estimated	20		
TOTAL	<u>5,575</u>	<u>6,012</u>	<u>5,932</u>
<u>FRUIT IN SO2 OR BENZOATE</u>			
Apples	2,154	2,200	1,567
Blueberries	21	34	33
Cherries	1,377	1,594	910
Citrus Fruits	1,403	891	1,015
Plums	1,546	1,621	1,918
Raspberries	1,142	1,264	1,045
Strawberries	2,191	2,384	2,118
Other Fruits	2,075	2,208	1,562
TOTAL	<u>11,909</u>	<u>12,196</u>	<u>10,168</u>
<u>SUMMARY OF FRUIT</u>			
<u>Containers Over 1 lb.</u>			
Institutional Trade 1/	12,200	12,330	12,670
Reprocessing	11,096	11,202	13,681
Pulp	1,478	1,569	2,294
TOTAL	<u>24,774</u>	<u>25,101</u>	<u>28,645</u>
Containers 1 lb. and Under	5,575	6,012	5,932
In Preservatives	11,909	12,196	10,168
GRAND TOTAL	<u>42,258</u>	<u>43,309</u>	<u>44,745</u>

FROZEN VEG ETABLES IN STORAGE AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	Feb. 1, 1960 Preliminary	Jan. 1, 1960 Revised	Feb. 1, 1959
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 lb. and UNDER</u>			
Asparagus	159	133	129
Beans, Lima	400	456	181
String	1,735	1,904	1,030
Corn	592	604	1,073
Peas	4,374	4,848	4,631
Other Vegetables	3,021	3,354	2,945
TOTAL	10,281	11,299	9,989
<u>CONTAINERS FOR INSTITUTIONAL 1/</u>			
Asparagus	56	63	59
Beans, Lima	395	388	481
String	1,681	1,780	1,153
Corn	1,780	1,946	1,517
Peas	5,533	6,001	5,364
Other Vegetables	4,041	3,878	2,708
TOTAL	13,486	14,056	11,282
<u>CONTAINERS HELD FOR REPROCESSING</u>			
Asparagus	3	6	14
Beans, Lima	639	735	568
String	1,392	1,540	529
Corn	2,519	2,657	1,362
Peas	8,315	9,487	3,145
Other Vegetables	2,103	2,901	889
TOTAL	14,971	17,326	6,507
<u>SUMMARY OF VEGETABLES</u>			
<u>Containers Over 1 lb.</u>			
For Institutional Trade 1/	13,486	14,056	11,282
For Reprocessing	14,971	17,326	6,507
TOTAL	28,457	31,382	17,789
<u>Containers 1 lb. and Under</u>			
In Brine	8,443	8,963	3,924
GRAND TOTAL	47,181	51,644	31,702

1/ Containers over 1 lb. up to 10 lb. for larger volume trade such as hotels, restaurants, camps, hospitals, etc.

APPLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

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Including holdings by commercial growers with comparative holdings for last year and last month

CANADA	Feb. 1, 1960 Preliminary		Jan. 1, 1960 Revised	Feb. 1, 1959
	- thousand bushels -			
TOTAL	Cold	Common	TOTAL	
	3,233	319	3,552	5,237
				4,616
Maritimes	247	129	376	707
Quebec	755	17	772	1,038
Ontario	1,314	98	1,412	1,872
Manitoba	4	14	18	24
Saskatchewan	5	9	14	14
Alberta	1	28	29	22
Br. Columbia	907	24	931	1,560
				1,610
<u>CITIES</u>				
Quebec	-	10	10	13
Montreal	24	7	31	40
Toronto	25	2	27	29
Winnipeg	4	14	18	24
Regina	-	5	5	4
Saskatoon	5	2	7	8
Calgary	1	8	9	10
Edmonton	-	20	20	12
Vancouver ^{1/}	3	18	21	28

^{1/} Including New Westminster.

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CANADA	Feb. 1, 1960 Preliminary	Jan. 1, 1960 Revised	Feb. 1, 1959
	- thousand bushels -		
	33	49	44
Maritimes	-	-	-
Quebec	14	21	18
Ontario	7	6	7
Manitoba	2	4	2
Saskatchewan	-	-	-
Alberta	3	2	2
Br. Columbia	7	16	15



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VEGETABLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

 Including holdings by commercial growers in specified areas ^{1/}

with comparative figures for last year

	Feb. 1, 1960 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1959	Feb. 1, 1960 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1959	Feb. 1, 1960 Preliminary	Feb. 1, 1959
	<u>POTATOES</u> - 000 cwt. -		<u>ONIONS</u> - 000 bu. -		<u>CARROTS</u> - 000 bu. -	
CANADA	9,342	11,570	647	455	580	447
Maritimes	6,201	8,699	5	5	54	26
Quebec	513	587	18	26	9	8
Ontario	1,714	1,576	575	389	496	391
Manitoba	19	13	7	13	3	4
Saskatchewan	63	51	6	4	2	1
Alberta	328	224	9	8	5	5
Br. Columbia	504	420	27	10	11	12
	<u>CABBAGE</u> - 000 bu. -		<u>CELERY</u> - 000 crates -			
CANADA	78	52	23	28		
Maritimes	11	8	-	-		
Quebec	6	6	7	12		
Ontario	41	23	9	9		
Manitoba	3	3	2	2		
Saskatchewan	5	1	1	1		
Alberta	7	7	2	2		
Br. Columbia	5	4	2	2		

^{1/} Maritimes	Includes holdings of commercial growers in recognized areas of commercial production.
Quebec	Quebec, Montreal, Sherbrooke and Producer stocks in these areas.
Ontario	All major cities and producer stocks in areas of commercial production.
Manitoba	Winnipeg stocks only.
Saskatchewan	Saskatoon, Regina and Craven Lumsden areas only.
Alberta	Calgary and Edmonton plus farm storage Brooks, Lethbridge and Calgary areas.
Br. Columbia	Vancouver, New Westminster, Victoria and farm storage in commercial production areas of Vancouver Island, Fraser Valley and Kamloops-Ashcroft inland.