



STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

APPLES: Canadian apples held in cold and common storage were 1,276,000 bushels, compared with 1,220,000 bushels last year.

PEARS: There were 23,000 bushels of Pears on hand on April 1, 1961.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES:

There were 4,073,000 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 19,559,000 lb.

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 8,014,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 10,654,000 lb. and last month 9,339,000 lb. The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives was 31,646,000 lb. as compared with 36,291,000 lb. last year and 34,890,000 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES: Holdings of vegetables were:

Stocks of potatoes were 6,415,000 hundredweight, as compared with 5,522,000 hundredweight last year. Stocks of onions were reported as 290,000 bushels as compared with 253,000 bushels last year. Stocks of carrots amounted to 82,000 bushels as compared with 152,000 bushels last year. Stocks of cabbage increases to 62,000 bushels from 54,000 bushels last year. There were 27,000 crates of celery on hand. Last year at April 1 there were 26,000 crates.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE:

"Containers 1 lb. and Under" showed a total of 9,954,000 lb while for "Over 1 lb." the total was 25,351,000 lb. There were 6,094,000 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 footnote 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 STORAGES AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	Apr. 1, 1961 Preliminary	Mar. 1, 1961 Revised	Apr. 1, 1960
- thousand pounds -			
CONTAINERS OVER 1 lb.			
Apples			
Institutional 1/	1,628	1,417	1,973
Reprocessing	753	839	1,032
Pulp	260	360	268
TOTAL	2,641	2,616	3,273
Blueberries			
Institutional 1/	1,219	1,566	1,036
Reprocessing	1,007	1,273	1,552
Pulp	2/	2/	1
TOTAL	2,226	2,839	2,589
Cherries			
Institutional 1/	790	841	977
Reprocessing	818	1,192	1,417
Pulp	2/	2/	23
TOTAL	1,608	2,033	2,417
Citrus Fruits			
Institutional 1/	45	42	27
Reprocessing	2/	2/	10
Pulp	812	802	1,362
TOTAL	857	844	1,399
Plums			
Institutional 1/	10	25	52
Reprocessing	207	288	120
Pulp	2/	2/	22
TOTAL	217	313	194
Raspberries			
Institutional 1/	1,642	2,078	2,912
Reprocessing	678	859	632
Pulp	114	2/	66
TOTAL	2,434	2,937	3,610
Strawberries			
Institutional 1/	2,984	2,896	1,523
Reprocessing	3,500	3,972	2,492
Pulp	50	65	28
TOTAL	6,534	6,933	4,043
Other Fruits			
Institutional 1/	939	897	1,070
Reprocessing	1,185	1,257	2,097
Pulp	318	494	186
TOTAL	2,442	2,648	3,353
Reported	18,959		
Estimated	600		
TOTAL	19,559	21,163	20,878

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".

AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	Apr. 1, 1961 Preliminary	Mar. 1, 1961 Revised	Apr. 1, 1960
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- thousand pounds -

CONTAINERS 1 lb. AND UNDER

Apples	27	11	16
Blueberries	282	320	383
Cherries	19	22	43
Citrus Fruit	526	419	565
Plums	-	-	1
Raspberries	787	818	826
Strawberries	1,810	2,355	2,377
Other Fruit	<u>422</u>	<u>443</u>	<u>548</u>
Reported	3,873		
Estimated	200		
TOTAL	<u>4,073</u>	<u>4,388</u>	<u>4,759</u>

FRUIT IN SO2 OR BENZOATE

Apples	1,274	1,561	1,904
Blueberries	9	12	16
Cherries	965	1,094	1,121
Citrus Fruit	1,347	1,196	1,939
Plums	863	1,129	1,282
Raspberries	778	910	1,008
Strawberries	1,121	1,588	1,703
Other Fruit	<u>1,657</u>	<u>1,849</u>	<u>1,681</u>
TOTAL	<u>8,014</u>	<u>9,339</u>	<u>10,654</u>

SUMMARY OF FRUIT

<u>Containers Over 1 lb.</u>			
Institutional Trade ^{1/}	9,557	9,762	9,570
Reprocessing	8,448	9,680	9,352
Pulp	<u>1,554</u>	<u>1,721</u>	<u>1,956</u>
TOTAL	<u>19,559</u>	<u>21,163</u>	<u>20,878</u>
<u>Containers 1 lb. and Under</u>	<u>4,073</u>	<u>4,388</u>	<u>4,759</u>
In Preservatives	<u>8,014</u>	<u>9,339</u>	<u>10,654</u>
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>	<u>31,646</u>	<u>34,890</u>	<u>36,291</u>

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

FROZEN VEGETABLES IN STORAGES AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	Apr. 1, 1961 Preliminary	Mar. 1, 1961 Revised	Apr. 1, 1960
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 lb. AND UNDER</u>			
Asparagus	82	100	122
Beans, Lima	398	424	370
String	1,756	2,211	1,168
Corn	304	341	567
Peas	2,633	3,186	3,433
Other	<u>4,581</u>	<u>4,632</u>	<u>3,708</u>
Reported	9,754		
Estimated	200		
TOTAL	<u>9,954</u>	<u>10,894</u>	<u>9,368</u>
<u>CONTAINERS FOR INSTITUTIONAL 1/</u>			
Asparagus	74	76	40
Beans, Lima	203	419	235
String	1,267	1,362	1,310
Corn	1,698	1,894	1,428
Peas	3,281	3,450	3,564
Other	<u>3,877</u>	<u>4,013</u>	<u>3,282</u>
Reported	10,400		
Estimated	150		
TOTAL	<u>10,550</u>	<u>11,214</u>	<u>9,859</u>
<u>CONTAINERS HELD FOR REPROCESSING</u>			
Asparagus	-	-	2
Beans, Lima	234	367	343
String	1,372	1,839	962
Corn	2,561	3,403	1,617
Peas	6,803	8,582	6,075
Other	<u>3,681</u>	<u>3,982</u>	<u>1,816</u>
Reported	14,651		
Estimated	150		
TOTAL	<u>14,801</u>	<u>18,173</u>	<u>10,815</u>
<u>SUMMARY OF VEGETABLES</u>			
<u>Containers Over 1 lb.</u>			
For Institutional Trade 1/	10,550	11,214	9,859
For Reprocessing	<u>14,801</u>	<u>18,173</u>	<u>10,815</u>
TOTAL	<u>25,351</u>	<u>29,387</u>	<u>20,674</u>
<u>Containers 1 lb. and Under</u>			
In Brine	<u>6,094</u>	<u>6,709</u>	<u>7,239</u>
GRAND TOTAL	<u>41,399</u>	<u>46,990</u>	<u>37,281</u>

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

APPLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

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

CANADA	Apr. 1, 1961 Preliminary			Mar. 1, 1961 Revised	Apr. 1, 1960
	(000 bushels)				
TOTAL	Cold 1,164	Common 112	Total 1,276	2,153	1,220
Maritimes	41	13	54	128	94
Quebec	193	15	208	420	243
Ontario	493	8	501	776	587
Manitoba	7	23	30	36	12
Saskatchewan	7	6	13	12	11
Alberta	-	24	24	20	25
Br. Columbia	423	23	446	761	248

CITIES					
Quebec	1	7	8	10	7
Montreal	21	8	29	32	22
Toronto	31	1	32	32	21
Winnipeg	7	23	30	36	12
Regina	-	5	5	6	5
Saskatoon	7	1	8	5	5
Calgary	-	11	11	9	9
Edmonton	-	13	13	11	16
Vancouver 1/	1	22	23	27	20

1/ Including New Westminster.

CANADA	P E A R S (000 bushels)		
	Apr. 1, 1961 Preliminary	Mar. 1, 1961 Revised	Apr. 1, 1960
CANADA	23	19	18
Maritimes	-	-	-
Quebec	14	13	11
Ontario	4	2	3
Manitoba	2	1	1
Saskatchewan	-	1	-
Alberta	2	1	2
Br. Columbia	1	1	1

Including holdings by commercial growers in specified areas 1/

with comparative figures of last year

	Apr. 1, 1961 Preliminary	Apr. 1, 1960	Apr. 1, 1961 Preliminary	Apr. 1, 1960	Apr. 1, 1961 Preliminary	Apr. 1, 1960
	<u>POTATOES</u> - 000 cwt. -		<u>ONIONS</u> - 000 bu. -		<u>CARROTS</u> - 000 bu. -	
CANADA	6,415	5,522	290	253	82	152
Maritimes	4,480	4,013	5	5	4	15
Quebec	591	378	61	19	12	12
Ontario	915	644	191	197	49	108
Manitoba	23	32	5	6	3	3
Saskatchewan	49	33	5	5	3	3
Alberta	191	198	7	9	5	6
Br. Columbia	166	224	16	12	6	5
	<u>CABBAGE</u> - 000 bu. -		<u>CELERY</u> - 000 crates -			
CANADA	62	54	27	26		
Maritimes	3	6	-	-		
Quebec	9	7	11	12		
Ontario	32	24	7	4		
Manitoba	6	4	2	2		
Saskatchewan	2	2	1	2		
Alberta	3	6	3	3		
Br. Columbia	7	5	3	3		

- 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 area 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.