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STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

APPLES: Canadian apples held in cold and common storage were 539,000 bushels, compared with 365,000 bushels last year.

PEARS: There were 25,000 bushels of pears on hand on June 1, 1964.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES:

There were 2,656,000 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" as against 16,315,000 lb. in "Containers Over 1 lb."

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 9,601,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 7,516,000 lb. and last month 10,512,000 lb. The total of all fruit frozen and in preservatives was 28,572,000 lb. as compared with 26,754,000 lb. last year and 32,514,000 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES: Stocks of potatoes were 2,206,000 hundredweight, as compared with 3,128,000 hundredweight last year. Stocks of onions were reported as 67,000 bushels as compared with 89,000 bushels last year. Stocks of carrots amounted to 79,000 bushels as compared with 60,000 bushels last year. Stocks of cabbage increased to 47,000 bushels from 40,000 bushels last year. There were 22,000 crates of celery on hand at June 1, 1964, as compared with 25,000 crates last year.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE:

The total stocks of frozen vegetables amounted to 36,371,000 lb. as compared with 34,872,000 lb. last year. There were 4,081,000 lb. of vegetables held in brine as against 3,966,000 lb. last year.

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 storages, fruit warehouses, wholesalers and in storages of 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 five for information as to specific cities and areas included on stocks of potatoes and other vegetables.

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	June 1, 1964 Preliminary	May 1, 1964 Revised	June 1, 1963
- thousand pounds -			
<u>CONTAINERS 1 lb. AND UNDER</u>			
Apples	66	67	95
Blueberries	297	434	440
Cherries	86	82	45
Citrus Fruit	140	152	1,052
Plums	-	-	-
Raspberries	770	1,066	478
Strawberries	854	1,322	1,289
Other Fruit	293	283	425
Reported	2,506		
Estimated	150		
TOTAL	<u>2,656</u>	<u>3,406</u>	<u>3,824</u>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 1 lb. UP TO 30 lb.</u>			
Apples	2,202	2,923	1,777
Blueberries	854	1,206	863
Cherries	1,467	1,996	1,069
Citrus Fruit	111	60	144
Plums	13	80	38
Raspberries	849	945	186
Strawberries	1,284	1,622	1,649
Other Fruit	1,314	1,466	1,363
Reported	8,094		
Estimated	900		
TOTAL	<u>8,994</u>	<u>10,298</u>	<u>7,089</u>
<u>CONTAINERS OVER 30 lb.</u>			
Apples	239	448	498
Blueberries	1,151	1,315	970
Cherries	1,554	1,732	1,943
Citrus Fruit	72	(1)	1,277
Plums	298	329	121
Raspberries	662	793	460
Strawberries	1,699	2,334	2,406
Other Fruit	946	1,347	650
Reported	6,621		
Estimated	700		
TOTAL	<u>7,321</u>	<u>8,298</u>	<u>8,325</u>

AND FACTORIES IN CANADA

	June 1, 1964 Preliminary	May 1, 1964 Revised	June 1, 1963
- thousand pounds -			
<u>FROZEN FRUIT (ALL CONTAINERS)</u>			
Apples	2,507	3,438	2,370
Blueberries	2,302	2,955	2,273
Cherries	3,107	3,810	3,057
Citrus Fruit	323	212	2,473
Plums	311	409	159
Raspberries	2,281	2,804	1,124
Strawberries	3,837	5,278	5,344
Other Fruit	2,553	3,096	2,438
Reported	17,221		
Estimated	1,750		
TOTAL	18,971	22,002	19,238
<u>FRUIT IN SO2 OR BENZOATE</u>			
Apples	1,256	1,571	1,345
Blueberries	(1)	76	4
Cherries	1,198	1,266	1,193
Citrus Fruit	1,567	1,882	1,229
Plums	515	799	688
Raspberries	1,240	1,416	848
Strawberries	1,470	1,857	941
Other Fruit	1,455	1,645	1,268
Reported	8,701		
Estimated	900		
TOTAL	9,601	10,512	7,516
<u>SUMMARY OF FRUIT</u>			
<u>FROZEN:</u>			
Containers 1 lb. and under	2,656	3,406	3,824
Containers over 1 lb.	16,315	18,596	15,414
Total	18,971	22,002	19,238
<u>IN PRESERVATIVES:</u>			
Total	9,601	10,512	7,516
GRAND TOTAL	28,572	32,514	26,754

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

APPLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

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

CANADA	June 1, 1964 Preliminary		May 1, 1964 Revised		June 1, 1963
	Cold	Common	- thousand bushels -		
TOTAL	457	82	539	1,059	365
Maritimes	11	10	21	37	13
Quebec	105	9	114	267	41
Ontario	312	5	317	565	186
Manitoba	1	9	10	20	8
Saskatchewan	7	6	13	12	5
Alberta	-	18	18	26	19
Br. Columbia	21	25	46	132	93
<u>CITIES</u>					
Quebec	1	1	2	3	2
Montreal	21	8	29	21	28
Toronto	30	1	31	38	25
Winnipeg	1	9	10	20	8
Regina	-	4	4	5	2
Saskatoon	7	-	7	6	3
Calgary	-	10	10	13	8
Edmonton	-	8	8	13	11
Vancouver (1)	8	20	28	31	14

(1) Including New Westminster.

P E A R S

CANADA	June 1, 1964 Preliminary		May 1, 1964 Revised		June 1, 1963
	- thousand bushels -				
CANADA	25		25		14
Maritimes	-		-		-
Quebec	17		11		12
Ontario	6		9		2
Manitoba	1		2		-
Saskatchewan	-		-		-
Alberta	-		2		-
Br. Columbia	1		1		-

Including holdings by commercial growers in specified areas(1)

with comparable figures for last year.

	June 1, 1964 Preliminary	June 1, 1963	June 1, 1964 Preliminary	June 1, 1963	June 1, 1964 Preliminary	June 1, 1963
	<u>POTATOES</u> - 000 cwt. -		<u>ONIONS</u> - 000 bu. -		<u>CARROTS</u> - 000 bu. -	
CANADA	2,206	3,128	67	89	79	60
Maritimes	1,483	2,065	4	6	4	7
Quebec	370	520	13	27	15	23
Ontario	213	309	30	38	48	16
Manitoba	26	40	6	3	2	3
Saskatchewan	12	22	3	3	1	1
Alberta	43	97	3	6	3	4
Br. Columbia.	59	75	8	6	6	6
	June 1, 1964 Preliminary	June 1, 1963	June 1, 1964 Preliminary	June 1, 1963	June 1, 1964 Preliminary	June 1, 1963
	<u>CABBAGE</u> - 000 bu. -		<u>CELERY</u> - 000 crates -			
CANADA	47	40			22	25
Maritimes	3	4			-	1
Quebec	11	13			13	16
Ontario	23	13			3	3
Manitoba	2	4			1	2
Saskatchewan	1	1			1	-
Alberta	3	2			2	2
Br. Columbia	4	3			2	1

(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.

	June 1, 1964 Preliminary	May 1, 1964 Revised	June 1, 1963
-thousand pounds -			
<u>FROZEN:</u>			
Asparagus	156	251	364
Beans - Green	4,058	4,980	2,958
- Wax	519	667	399
- Lima	1,149	1,240	1,320
Corn	6,420	7,328	6,012
Peas	11,019	12,534	11,208
Other Vegetables	12,150	13,622	12,611
Reported	35,471		
Estimated	900		
TOTAL FROZEN	<u>36,371</u>	<u>40,622</u>	<u>34,872</u>
In Brine	<u>4,081</u>	<u>4,769</u>	<u>3,966</u>
GRAND TOTAL	<u>40,452</u>	<u>45,391</u>	<u>38,838</u>

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