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STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Stocks of apples, pears, potatoes, onions, celery, carrots and cabbage will not be reported for the period July to October inclusive.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES:

There were 9,051,000 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" as against 39,205,000 lb. in "Containers over 1 lb."

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide, etc., totalled 9,897,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 11,339,000 lb. and last month to 9,925,000 lb.

A total of all fruit, frozen and preservatives, was 58,153,000 lb. as compared with 65,346,000 lb. last year and 60,527,000 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE:

The total stocks of frozen vegetables amounted to 89,984,000 lb. as compared with 95,564,000 lb. last year. Current holdings of frozen vegetables intended for re-manufacture amounted to 13,308,000 lb. There were 14,468,000 lb. of vegetables held in brine as against 14,679,000 lb. last year.

Livestock and Animal Products Section

Agriculture Division

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TABLE 1. Frozen Fruit in Storages and Factories in Canada

	Oct. 1, 1967 preliminary	Sept. 1, 1967 revised	Oct. 1, 1966
thousand pounds			
Containers 1 lb. and under:			
Apples	9	13	34
Blueberries	80	95	58
Cherries	(1)	(1)	(1)
Citrus fruit	47	59	114
Plums	—	—	—
Raspberries	2,935	2,884	3,626
Strawberries	5,590	6,341	6,090
Other fruit	290	213	248
Reported	8,951		
Estimated	100		
Totals	9,051	9,605	10,170
Containers over 1 lb. up to 30 lb.:			
Apples	1,679	2,267	2,582
Blueberries	8,023	6,439	8,178
Cherries	8,348	9,144	5,982
Citrus fruit	107	126	88
Plums	166	130	260
Raspberries	2,656	2,767	2,489
Strawberries	4,923	5,653	5,183
Other fruit	1,329	1,176	2,395
Reported	27,231		
Estimated	250		
Totals	27,481	27,702	27,157
Containers over 30 lb.:			
Apples	158	204	276
Blueberries	1,667	2,068	1,298
Cherries	503	1,040	814
Citrus fruit	196	229	101
Plums	144	163	549
Raspberries	3,310	3,660	4,553
Strawberries	4,996	5,097	7,687
Other fruit	650	834	1,402
Reported	11,624		
Estimated	100		
Totals	11,724	13,295	16,680

TABLE 2. Fruit, Frozen and in Preservatives in Storages and Factories in Canada

	Oct. 1, 1967 preliminary	Sept. 1, 1967 revised	Oct. 1, 1966
thousand pounds			
Frozen fruit (all containers):			
Apples	1,846	2,484	2,892
Blueberries	9,770	8,602	9,534
Cherries	8,851	10,184	6,796
Citrus fruit	350	414	303
Plums	310	293	809
Raspberries	8,901	9,311	10,668
Strawberries	15,509	17,091	18,960
Other fruit	2,269	2,223	4,045
Reported	47,806		
Estimated	450		
Totals	48,256	50,602	54,007
Fruit in SO₂, etc:			
Apples	1,941	1,823	1,712
Blueberries	(1)	(1)	14
Cherries	2,296	2,407	2,567
Citrus fruit	1,744	1,764	1,772
Plums	712	373	794
Raspberries	925	1,213	1,550
Strawberries	1,414	1,565	1,561
Other fruit	865	780	1,369
Reported	9,897		
Estimated	--		
Totals	9,897	9,925	11,339
Summary of fruit:			
Frozen:			
Containers 1 lb. and under	9,051	9,605	10,170
Containers over 1 lb.	39,205	40,997	43,837
Totals	48,256	50,602	54,007
In preservatives:			
Totals	9,897	9,925	11,339
Grand totals	58,153	60,527	65,346

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



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TABLE 3. Frozen Vegetables in Storages and Factories in Canada

	Oct. 1, 1967 preliminary	Sept. 1, 1967 revised	Oct. 1, 1966
thousand pounds			
Frozen:			
Asparagus	702	679	442
Beans - Green	12,543	11,659	11,273
Wax	2,612	1,804	2,031
Lima	2,221	1,695	4,090
Broccoli	1,595	1,403	—
Brussel sprouts	760	671	—
Carrots	2,477	2,591	—
Cauliflower	571	384	—
Corn	12,142	6,251	11,247
Peas	33,146	35,584	41,006
Spinach	889	993	—
Squash	1,419	1,535	—
Other vegetables	3,439	4,439	10,796
Reported	74,516		
Estimated	1,000		
Total frozen	75,516	69,688	80,885
In brine	14,468	12,631	14,679
Grand totals	89,984	82,319	95,564

TABLE 7. Frozen Vegetables Intended for Re-Manufacture
Held in Storages and Factories in Canada(1)

	Oct. 1, 1967 preliminary	Sept. 1, 1967 revised	Oct. 1, 1966
thousand pounds			
Frozen:			
Asparagus	(2)	—	—
Beans - Green	1,794	1,068	—
Wax	(2)	(2)	—
Lima	290	685	—
Broccoli	(2)	—	—
Brussel sprouts	(2)	(2)	—
Carrots	556	480	—
Corn	886	272	—
Cauliflower	(2)	—	—
Peas	8,402	6,930	—
Spinach	(2)	—	—
Squash	(2)	(2)	—
Total reported	13,308	9,577	—

(1) At time of publication reports had not been received from 8 of 34 plants contacted.
(2) Omitted to avoid disclosing individual company operations, included in totals.