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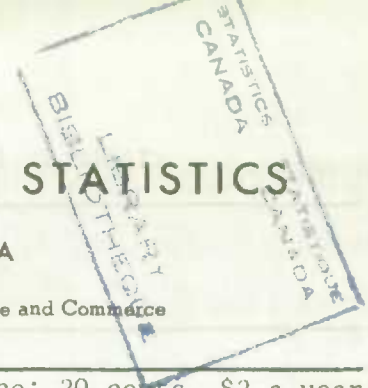
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STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

SEPTEMBER 1969

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

Fruit, frozen and in preservatives

There were 8,332,000 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" as against 44,559,000 lb. in "Containers over 1 lb.".

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide, etc., totalled 7,465,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 6,636,000 lb. and last month to 5,897,000 lb.

The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives, was 60,356,000 lb. as compared with 53,394,000 lb. last year and 51,406,000 lb. last month.

Vegetables, frozen and in brine

The total stocks of frozen vegetables amounted to 79,937,000 lb. as compared with 77,042,000 lb. last year. Current holdings of frozen vegetables intended for re-manufacture amounted to 9,636,000 lb. There were 14,438,000 lb. of vegetables held in brine as against 9,293,000 lb. last year.

Agriculture Division
Livestock and Animal Products Section

September 1969

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TABLE 1. Frozen Fruit in Storages and Factories in Canada

	September 1, 1969 preliminary	August 1, 1969 revised	September 1, 1968
thousand pounds			
<u>Containers 1 lb. and under</u>			
Apples	33	30	19
Blueberries	1,916	61	634
Cherries	—	(1)	—
Citrus fruit	—	—	(1)
Plums	—	—	(1)
Raspberries	2,004	2,189	2,528
Strawberries	4,159	4,721	7,744
Other fruit	220	298	267
Totals	8,332	7,299	11,192
<u>Containers over 1 lb. up to 30 lb.</u>			
Apples	5,275	5,802	2,459
Blueberries	3,956	1,062	4,494
Cherries	10,378	5,257	8,894
Citrus fruit	161	176	282
Plums	544	659	30
Raspberries	1,498	2,153	1,855
Strawberries	9,320	8,908	4,524
Other fruit	1,256	1,636	756
Totals	32,388	25,653	23,294
<u>Containers over 30 lb.</u>			
Apples	639	685	215
Blueberries	905	540	1,759
Cherries	1,250	1,306	542
Citrus fruit	141	116	484
Plums	32	89	112
Raspberries	3,234	3,577	2,660
Strawberries	5,457	5,794	5,530
Other fruit	513	450	970
Totals	12,171	12,557	12,272

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

	September 1, 1969 preliminary	August 1, 1969 revised	September 1, 1968
thousand pounds			
<u>Frozen fruit (all containers)</u>			
Apples	5,947	6,517	2,693
Blueberries	6,777	1,663	6,887
Cherries	11,628	6,563	9,436
Citrus fruit	302	292	766
Plums	576	748	142
Raspberries	6,736	7,919	7,043
Strawberries	18,936	19,423	17,798
Other fruit	1,989	2,384	1,993
Totals	52,891	45,509	46,758
<u>Fruit in SO₂, etc.</u>			
Apples	514	413	945
Blueberries	(1)	(1)	(1)
Cherries	3,279	1,502	556
Citrus fruit	1,721	1,781	1,561
Plums	120	150	168
Raspberries	490	617	680
Strawberries	560	647	1,956
Other fruit	781	787	770
Totals	7,465	5,897	6,636
<u>Summary of fruit</u>			
Frozen:			
Containers 1 lb. and under	8,332	7,299	11,192
Containers over 1 lb.	44,559	38,210	35,566
Totals	52,891	45,509	46,758
In preservatives:			
Totals	7,465	5,897	6,636
Grand totals	60,356	51,406	53,394

(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

	September 1, 1969 preliminary	August 1, 1969 revised	September 1, 1968
thousand pounds			
<u>Frozen</u>			
Asparagus	581	618	732
Beans - Green	9,839	6,170	12,274
Wax	2,657	2,116	3,056
Lima	1,880	1,877	1,055
Broccoli	1,581	1,207	1,309
Brussel sprouts	1,130	1,226	644
Carrots	4,869	5,407	2,087
Cauliflower	920	1,198	310
Corn	7,620	4,593	5,953
Peas	43,961	33,872	42,913
Spinach	700	825	984
Squash	809	833	1,534
Other vegetables	3,390	3,497	4,191
Total frozen	79,937	63,439	77,042
In brine	14,438	8,265	9,293
Grand totals	94,375	71,704	86,335

TABLE 4. Frozen Vegetables Intended for Re-Manufacture
Held in Storages and Factories in Canada(1)

	September 1, 1969 preliminary	August 1, 1969 revised	September 1, 1968
thousand pounds			
<u>Frozen</u>			
Asparagus	-	-	-
Beans - Green	463	544	1,383
Wax	(2)	(2)	(2)
Lima	187	224	160
Broccoli	(2)	(2)	(2)
Brussels sprouts	(2)	(2)	(2)
Carrots	1,274	1,986	393
Corn	411	737	961
Cauliflower	(2)	(2)	(2)
Peas	7,290	10,017	12,070
Spinach	(2)	(2)	(2)
Squash	(2)	(2)	-
Total reported	9,636	13,864	15,249

(1) At time of publication reports had not been received from 3 of 22 plants contacted.

(2) Omitted to avoid disclosing individual company operations, included in totals.