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## STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

OCTOBER 1, 1970

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 6,090,000 lb. of fruit in "Containers 1 lb. and Under" as against 49,150,000 lb. in "Containers over 1 lb."

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide, etc., totalled 6,336,000 lb. A year ago they amounted to 6,358,000 lb. and last month to 6,776,000 lb.

The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives, was 61,576,000 lb. as compared with 63,329,000 lb. last year and 60,152,000 lb. last month.

### Vegetables, frozen and in brine

The total stocks of frozen vegetables amounted to 110,633,000 lb. as compared with 97,074,000 lb. last year. Current holdings of frozen vegetables intended for re-manufacture amounted to 17,497,000 lb. There were 13,067,000 lb. of vegetables held in brine as against 18,315,000 lb. last year.

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TABLE 1. Frozen Fruit in Storages and Factories in Canada

	October 1, 1970 preliminary	September 1, 1970 revised	October 1, 1969
thousand pounds			
<u>Containers 1 lb. and under</u>			
Apples .....	9	8	25
Blueberries .....	710	762	1,680
Cherries .....	(1)	(1)	—
Citrus fruit .....	(1)	(1)	—
Plums .....	—	—	—
Raspberries .....	1,086	1,172	2,061
Strawberries .....	3,759	4,096	4,529
Other fruit .....	526	358	221
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>6,090</b>	<b>6,396</b>	<b>8,516</b>
<u>Containers over 1 lb. up to 30 lb.</u>			
Apples .....	2,776	3,297	4,115
Blueberries .....	6,571	5,963	5,895
Cherries .....	6,520	7,009	8,877
Citrus fruit .....	87	79	140
Plums .....	249	144	297
Raspberries .....	3,787	3,402	2,004
Strawberries .....	9,638	9,360	9,054
Other fruit .....	1,580	1,304	1,524
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>31,208</b>	<b>30,558</b>	<b>31,906</b>
<u>Containers over 30 lb.</u>			
Apples .....	564	735	587
Blueberries .....	1,775	2,104	3,895
Cherries .....	1,768	1,018	1,521
Citrus fruit .....	(1)	(1)	184
Plums .....	502	380	854
Raspberries .....	4,643	3,423	3,225
Strawberries .....	7,385	7,957	5,184
Other fruit .....	1,305	805	1,099
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>17,942</b>	<b>16,422</b>	<b>16,549</b>

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

	October 1, 1970 preliminary	September 1, 1970 revised	October 1, 1969
thousand pounds			
<u>Frozen fruit (all containers)</u>			
Apples .....	3,349	4,040	4,727
Blueberries .....	9,056	8,829	11,470
Cherries .....	8,288	8,027	10,398
Citrus fruit .....	87	79	324
Plums .....	751	524	1,151
Raspberries .....	9,516	7,997	7,290
Strawberries .....	20,782	21,413	18,767
Other fruit .....	3,411	2,467	2,844
Totals .....	55,240	53,376	56,971
<u>Fruit in SO<sub>2</sub>, etc.</u>			
Apples .....	316	520	240
Blueberries .....	(1)	(1)	(1)
Cherries .....	2,228	2,338	2,190
Citrus fruit .....	1,301	1,479	1,532
Plums .....	282	121	499
Raspberries .....	486	606	386
Strawberries .....	485	512	477
Other fruit .....	1,238	1,200	1,034
Totals .....	6,336	6,776	6,358
<u>Summary of fruit</u>			
Frozen:			
Containers 1 lb. and under .....	6,090	6,396	8,516
Containers over 1 lb. ....	49,150	46,980	48,455
Totals .....	55,240	53,376	56,971
In preservatives:			
Totals .....	6,336	6,776	6,358
Grand totals .....	61,576	60,152	63,329

(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

	October 1, 1970 preliminary	September 1, 1970 revised	October 1, 1969
	thousand pounds		
<b>Frozen</b>			
Asparagus .....	495	540	478
Beans - Green .....	16,832	14,766	14,423
Wax .....	2,929	2,939	2,997
Lima .....	3,397	1,899	2,576
Broccoli .....	2,731	1,543	2,986
Brussel sprouts .....	1,213	1,320	1,091
Carrots .....	3,788	3,881	4,361
Cauliflower .....	1,602	761	1,027
Corn .....	21,629	10,369	15,943
Peas .....	49,720	50,623	45,173
Spinach .....	699	626	550
Squash .....	890	767	723
Other vegetables .....	4,708	4,422	4,746
<b>Total frozen .....</b>	<b>110,633</b>	<b>94,456</b>	<b>97,074</b>
<b>In brine .....</b>	<b>13,067</b>	<b>12,336</b>	<b>18,315</b>
<b>Grand totals .....</b>	<b>123,700</b>	<b>106,792</b>	<b>115,389</b>

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

	October 1, 1970 preliminary	September 1, 1970 revised	October 1, 1969
	thousand pounds		
<b>Frozen</b>			
Asparagus .....	—	—	—
Beans - Green .....	1,543	1,213	1,821
Wax .....	172	137	(2)
Lima .....	427	155	651
Broccoli .....	(2)	(2)	(2)
Brussels sprouts .....	(2)	(2)	(2)
Carrots .....	1,171	1,335	1,287
Corn .....	1,735	1,235	1,548
Cauliflower .....	—	—	(2)
Peas .....	12,328	13,009	14,303
Spinach .....	—	—	(2)
Squash .....	(2)	(2)	(2)
<b>Total reported .....</b>	<b>17,497</b>	<b>17,199</b>	<b>19,888</b>

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

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