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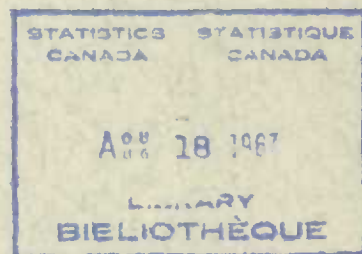
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BREAD AND OTHER BAKERY PRODUCTS INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1931.

A report on the Bread and Other Bakery Products Industry for the year 1931 is presented herewith. The total number of firms reporting was 2,912 and were located by provinces as follows: - Prince Edward Island 9, Nova Scotia 73, New Brunswick 67, Quebec 916, Ontario, 1,158, Manitoba 133, Saskatchewan 156, Alberta 154, British Columbia and Yukon 246.

The statistics here given relate only to those firms whose principal products were bread, buns, pies, cakes and pastry. This report must not be considered as comprehensive, as these commodities are also produced as secondary products of the Biscuit and Confectionery Industry for which a separate report is published.

Hotels, restaurants and public institutions which bake their own bread are not required to report such operations, and statistics relating to these are, therefore, not included in this report.

In comparison with the year 1930, there was an increase of 215 in the number of establishments, \$2,352,940 in the total capital investment, 601 in the total number of employees, but a decrease of \$581,929 in the amount of salaries and wages paid, \$7,963,067 in the cost of materials used and \$3,776,667 in the gross value of production.

The principal products of the industry in the order of their importance as indicated by the total selling value were - bread \$46,658,782, pies, cakes, cookies and pastry \$14,554,103 and buns \$3,071,823.

Detailed statistics relating to capital, employees, salaries and wages, materials used, products, fuel and power will be found on reference to the following tables.

THE BREAD AND OTHER BAKERY PRODUCTS INDUSTRY IN CANADA, 1931.

Table 1. - Principal Statistics of the Baking Industry in Canada, by Provinces, 1926 to 1931.

Provinces	Estab- lish- ments No.	Capital Invested \$	Em- ployees No.	Salaries and Wages \$	Cost of Materials \$	Selling Value of Products \$
<u>1 9 2 6</u>						
CANADA .....	2,214	37,416,979	13,389	14,732,139	32,928,065	62,920,009
Prince Edward Island ..	6	59,133	24	15,900	67,062	120,149
Nova Scotia .....	61	631,859	302	256,951	791,551	1,475,993
New Brunswick .....	44	547,366	218	225,536	665,683	1,206,237
Quebec .....	764	11,647,553	4,041	4,165,919	9,356,208	17,567,988
Ontario .....	890	17,156,580	6,347	7,295,259	15,753,267	30,125,253
Manitoba .....	92	1,795,824	728	745,362	1,571,379	3,174,424
Saskatchewan .....	85	1,256,063	358	431,720	960,033	1,850,207
Alberta .....	110	1,551,171	502	508,413	1,333,173	2,816,547
British Columbia and Yukon .....	162	2,771,430	869	1,087,079	2,429,709	4,583,161
<u>1 9 2 7</u>						
CANADA .....	2,443	40,559,259	14,414	16,063,147	35,779,690	68,726,262
Prince Edward Island ..	6	60,935	25	18,429	71,784	135,222
Nova Scotia .....	56	369,848	276	243,691	702,393	1,330,217
New Brunswick .....	56	545,499	252	237,234	742,500	1,318,620
Quebec .....	838	12,498,864	4,258	4,498,791	10,171,046	19,310,546
Ontario .....	947	19,056,396	6,882	7,962,239	16,880,622	32,745,604
Manitoba .....	120	1,943,325	799	881,393	1,953,961	3,809,554
Saskatchewan .....	101	1,276,471	407	469,114	1,035,212	2,052,142
Alberta .....	120	1,830,844	535	596,593	1,540,726	3,181,721
British Columbia and Yukon .....	199	2,977,077	980	1,160,613	2,681,446	4,842,636
<u>1 9 2 8</u>						
CANADA .....	2,482	44,377,449	15,422	16,901,238	36,151,747	71,227,097
Prince Edward Island ..	8	69,787	33	24,576	82,247	156,183
Nova Scotia .....	58	760,314	319	265,969	790,541	1,490,780
New Brunswick .....	58	773,011	358	300,072	779,246	1,403,958
Quebec .....	835	13,233,720	4,380	4,569,736	10,067,733	19,514,222
Ontario .....	960	19,693,170	7,137	8,120,394	16,511,830	33,093,415
Manitoba .....	115	1,991,688	881	964,678	2,089,775	4,070,991
Saskatchewan .....	111	1,982,896	543	634,063	1,404,589	2,806,277
Alberta .....	128	2,752,067	620	704,107	1,736,721	3,520,789
British Columbia and Yukon .....	209	3,120,796	1,151	1,317,643	2,689,065	5,160,482



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Table 1. - Principal Statistics of the Baking Industry in Canada, by Provinces, 1926 to 1931. - Concl'd.

Provinces	Estab- lish- ments No.	Capital Invested \$	Em- ployees No.	Salaries and Wages \$	Cost of Materials \$	Selling Value of Products \$
<u>1929</u>						
CANADA .....	2,568	48,969,603	17,023	18,481,612	38,507,559	77,214,466
Prince Edward Island.	7	74,139	33	25,104	98,157	191,588
Nova Scotia .....	60	912,949	380	331,063	960,591	1,858,711
New Brunswick .....	53	721,688	358	348,279	810,723	1,580,637
Quebec .....	854	14,035,072	4,724	4,920,908	10,739,904	21,198,384
Ontario .....	1,007	21,158,759	7,947	8,854,267	17,576,925	35,546,101
Manitoba .....	118	2,555,817	930	980,618	2,109,465	4,160,990
Saskatchewan .....	115	2,464,440	637	756,251	1,472,449	3,091,608
Alberta .....	137	3,539,774	729	852,158	1,844,470	3,948,109
British Columbia and Yukon .....	217	3,506,965	1,285	1,412,964	2,894,875	5,638,338
<u>1930</u>						
CANADA .....	2,697	51,914,170	17,736	19,444,533	36,582,843	73,594,894
Prince Edward Island.	6	86,365	31	26,446	95,258	178,642
Nova Scotia .....	61	876,609	396	331,930	886,936	1,735,921
New Brunswick .....	55	742,497	350	337,436	790,215	1,412,613
Quebec .....	868	14,207,041	4,661	4,718,572	9,390,368	18,673,421
Ontario .....	1,071	23,334,067	8,568	9,774,795	17,185,996	35,161,217
Manitoba .....	124	3,210,955	1,009	1,140,348	2,129,915	4,238,061
Saskatchewan .....	120	2,962,496	666	757,034	1,387,963	2,793,878
Alberta .....	149	2,961,761	733	828,673	1,738,199	3,524,008
British Columbia and Yukon .....	243	3,532,379	1,322	1,529,299	2,977,993	5,877,133
<u>1931</u>						
CANADA .....	2,912	54,267,110	18,337	18,862,604	28,619,776	64,818,227
Prince Edward Island.	9	108,531	41	32,767	84,144	168,086
Nova Scotia .....	73	965,702	408	347,208	732,962	1,626,623
New Brunswick .....	67	860,895	358	368,093	739,181	1,492,790
Quebec .....	916	15,163,817	4,920	4,831,284	7,421,417	16,656,417
Ontario .....	1,158	24,928,605	8,929	9,566,772	13,379,923	31,655,238
Manitoba .....	133	3,052,782	958	1,002,683	1,569,133	3,393,408
Saskatchewan .....	156	3,026,717	678	668,036	1,026,097	2,217,090
Alberta .....	154	2,839,239	715	751,977	1,220,681	2,734,158
British Columbia and Yukon .....	246	3,320,822	1,312	1,313,784	2,386,238	4,874,417

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Table 2. - Size of Establishments by Groups of Capital Investment, Value of Output and Employment, 1930 and 1931.

(a) Groups of Capital Investment	1930			1931		
	Estab-lish-ments	Total Capital	Average Capital per Estab-lishment	Estab-lish-ments	Total Capital	Average Capital per Estab-lishment
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
Under \$50,000 .....	2,570	20,466,037	7,963	2,777	22,564,482	8,125
\$50,000 to under \$100,000 .....	51	3,577,990	70,157	67	4,782,212	71,376
\$100,000 to under \$200,000 .....	27	3,445,019	127,593	21	2,654,875	126,423
\$200,000 to under \$500,000 .....	27	7,727,356	286,198	28	8,340,348	297,870
\$500,000 to under \$1,000,000 .....	20	13,804,042	690,202	16	11,638,846	727,428
\$1,000,000 and over.	2	2,893,726	1,446,863	3	4,286,347	1,428,782
TOTAL .....	2,697	51,914,170	19,249	2,912	54,267,110	18,636
(b) Groups of Values of Output	Estab-lish-ments	Total Value of Output	Average Output per Estab-lishment	Estab-lish-ments	Total Value of Output	Average Output per Estab-lishment
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
	No.	\$	\$	No.	\$	\$
Under \$50,000 .....	2,471	27,039,911	10,935	2,737	28,796,474	10,521
\$50,000 to under \$100,000 .....	118	8,196,633	69,463	91	6,475,984	71,165
\$100,000 to under \$200,000 .....	53	7,140,980	134,735	38	4,795,224	126,190
\$200,000 to under \$500,000 .....	33	10,133,981	307,090	28	8,631,275	308,260
\$500,000 to under \$1,000,000 .....	14	9,960,410	711,458	14	10,520,161	751,440
\$1,000,000 and over.	8	11,122,979	1,390,372	4	5,599,109	1,399,777
TOTAL .....	2,697	73,594,894	27,288	2,912	64,818,227	22,259
(c) Groups of Employment	Estab-lish-ments	Total Persons Employed	Average Persons Employed per Estab-lishment	Estab-lish-ments	Total Persons Employed	Average Persons Employed per Estab-lishment
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Under 20 persons ...	2,570	8,811	3.43	2,788	9,759	3.50
20 to under 50 .....	72	2,033	28.24	75	2,098	27.97
50 to under 100 ....	33	2,369	71.79	25	1,816	72.64
100 to under 200 ...	13	1,969	151.46	15	2,147	143.13
200 to under 500 ...	9	2,554	283.78	9	2,517	279.67
TOTAL .....	2,697	17,736	6.58	2,912	18,337	6.30

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Production Statistics.

Table 3. - Production by Items for Canada, 1930 and 1931.

Items of Production	Unit of Measure	1930		1931	
		Quantity	Selling Value \$	Quantity	Selling Value \$
Bread .....	Lb.	938,219,259	55,036,283	938,305,538	46,653,782
Buns .....	-	-	2,692,832	-	3,071,823
Pies, cakes, pastry, etc. .	-	-	15,226,831	-	14,554,103
Puddings .....	-	-	76,752	-	128,517
Biscuits, plain and fancy .	Ton	420	143,481	303	61,950
Confectionery, chocolate ..	Lb.	247,692	71,164	55,323	23,925
Confectionery, sugar .....	"	139,552	45,772	239,531	52,296
Ice cream .....	Gal.	27,541	60,448	33,751	59,590
All other products .....	-	-	241,331	-	207,241
<b>TOTAL VALUE .....</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>73,594,894</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>64,818,227</b>

NOTE: - Data here given do not necessarily represent the total Canadian production of these commodities, since they are also produced in other industries.



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Table 4. - Production by Items

Items of Production	Unit of Measure	CANADA	
		Quantity	Selling Value
			\$
Bread .....	Lb.	938,305,538	46,658,782
Buns .....	-	-	3,071,323
Pies, cakes, pastry, etc. ....	-	-	14,554,103
Puddings .....	-	-	128,517
Biscuits, plain and fancy .....	Ton	303	61,950
Confectionery, chocolate .....	Lb.	55,323	23,925
Confectionery, sugar .....	"	239,531	52,296
Ice cream .....	Gal.	33,751	59,590
All other products .....	-	-	207,241
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>64,818,227</b>

Items of Production	Unit of Measure	Quebec		Ontario	
		Quantity	Selling Value	Quantity	Selling Value
			\$		\$
Bread .....	Lb.	273,350,045	12,620,450	435,721,647	21,877,493
Buns .....	-	-	898,562	-	1,499,170
Pies, cakes, pastry, etc. ....	-	-	2,979,123	-	8,030,268
Puddings .....	-	-	43,367	-	61,883
Biscuits, plain and fancy .....	Ton	X	X	-	-
Confectionery, chocolate .....	Lb.	13,896	3,769	30,093	11,840
Confectionery, sugar .....	"	32,485	6,612	182,837	37,532
Ice Cream .....	Gal.	7,333	11,111	23,654	43,488
All other products .....	-	-	93,423	-	93,564
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16,656,417</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>31,655,238</b>

NOTE: - Data here given do not necessarily represent the total Canadian production of

X As there are less than 3 establishments, statistics are included with "All Other Products."



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for Canada and Provinces, 1931.

Prince Edward Island		Nova Scotia		New Brunswick	
Quantity	Selling Value	Quantity	Selling Value	Quantity	Selling Value
	\$		\$		\$
2,228,192	126,544	20,291,451	1,147,980	18,062,041	1,171,582
-	1,874	-	70,925	-	19,461
-	33,208	-	363,807	-	300,153
-	10	-	55	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	220	-	-
-	-	-	1,945	-	-
-	6,450	-	41,691	-	1,594
-	168,086	-	1,626,623	-	1,492,790

Manitoba		Saskatchewan		Alberta		British Columbia	
Quantity	Selling Value	Quantity	Selling Value	Quantity	Selling Value	Quantity	Selling Value
	\$		\$		\$		\$
52,385,306	2,544,273	34,045,978	1,722,384	40,372,368	2,164,401	61,348,510	3,283,675
-	138,450	-	96,968	-	141,606	-	204,807
-	697,175	-	382,117	-	425,858	-	1,342,394
-	3,541	-	4,624	-	1,147	-	13,890
-	-	X	X	-	-	-	-
1,270	568	2,991	3,419	773	309	6,300	4,020
612	223	16,717	5,334	1,620	465	4,460	1,855
190	572	100	200	191	372	1,313	1,902
-	8,601	-	1,994	-	-	-	21,874
-	3,393,408	-	2,217,090	-	2,734,158	-	4,874,417

these commodities since they are also produced in other industries.

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Cost of Materials Used.

Table 5. - Materials Used by Quantity and Cost Value, 1931.

Class of Materials	Unit of Measure	Quantity	Cost Value
			at the Factory
			\$
Flour .....	Barrel	3,587,566	15,830,386
Hops .....	Pound	88,287	10,048
Malt .....	"	2,923,349	286,859
Malt flour .....	"	433,851	43,474
Malt extract and syrup .....	"	1,333,241	134,450
Yeast .....	"	8,470,687	1,946,609
Salt .....	Barrel	50,014	159,461
Butter .....	Pound	1,242,310	307,759
Cooking oil .....	"	709,472	79,341
Lard .....	"	6,026,427	568,442
Shortening .....	"	13,922,110	1,444,510
Cream .....	Gallon	117,357	201,678
Milk - fresh and skim .....	"	620,555	136,540
Milk - condensed .....	Pound	4,040,328	231,625
Milk - powdered .....	"	3,173,274	325,531
Cream powdered .....	"	28,570	4,025
Eggs, fresh .....	Dozen	2,889,726	633,517
Eggs, frozen .....	Pound	2,522,355	570,852
Eggs, powdered .....	"	96,288	26,411
Albumen .....	"	11,885	6,003
Fruits, dried, etc. ....	"	7,355,566	835,439
Fruits, fresh .....	"	2,351,470	252,075
Nuts .....	"	1,246,301	190,492
Extracts and essences .....	-	-	85,813
Cocoa butter .....	Pound	6,685	1,360
Glucose .....	"	303,379	16,060
Syrups .....	Gallon	60,329	29,253
Chocolate .....	Pound	119,953	29,550
Cocoa .....	"	122,540	22,584
Cocoanut, shredded .....	"	474,780	65,044
Potatoes .....	Bag	7,864	6,153
Sugar .....	Pound	28,370,092	1,473,957
Cartons, wrapping paper, etc. ....	-	-	1,492,885
All other materials .....	-	-	1,171,590
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>28,619,776</b>

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Table 6. - Capital Investment by Provinces, 1931.

Province	Number of plants reporting	Fixed Capital		Working Capital		Total Capital
		Present value of land, buildings, fixtures, machinery, tools and other equipment	Materials on hand, Stocks in process	Inventory value of finished products on hand	Cash Trading and Operating accounts, etc.	
	No.	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
CANADA .....	2,912	45,620,295	2,779,465	434,935	5,432,415	54,267,110
Prince Edward Island .....	9	83,143	11,815	958	12,615	108,531
Nova Scotia .....	73	758,572	86,112	19,556	101,462	965,702
New Brunswick .....	67	682,231	66,565	5,827	106,272	860,895
Quebec .....	916	12,427,750	864,259	237,341	1,634,467	15,163,817
Ontario .....	1,153	21,556,308	1,101,536	103,182	2,167,579	24,928,605
Manitoba .....	133	2,475,656	132,505	13,756	430,865	3,052,782
Saskatchewan .....	156	2,550,621	144,033	32,388	299,675	3,026,717
Alberta .....	154	2,346,057	170,868	5,462	316,852	2,839,239
British Columbia .....	246	2,739,957	201,772	16,465	362,628	3,320,822



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Table 7. - Employees, Salaries and Wages by Provinces, 1931.

Provinces	Employees on Salaries			Employees on Wages		
	Male	Female	Salaries	Male	Female	Wages
	No.	No.	\$	No.	No.	\$
CANADA .....	1,893	503	2,927,992	13,755	2,186	15,934,612
Prince Edward Island .	4	3	4,480	29	5	28,287
Nova Scotia .....	35	17	62,553	289	67	284,655
New Brunswick .....	35	11	51,141	235	77	316,952
Quebec .....	524	101	607,728	3,989	314	4,223,556
Ontario .....	825	240	1,459,323	6,718	1,156	8,107,449
Manitoba .....	81	40	136,723	766	71	865,960
Saskatchewan .....	131	20	184,582	458	69	483,454
Alberta .....	117	23	179,044	463	112	552,933
British Columbia .....	141	48	242,418	808	315	1,071,366

Table 8. - Monthly Employment of Wage-earners, 1931.

Months	Male	Female	Total	Months	Male	Female	Total
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
January ....	13,416	2,127	15,543	July .....	14,031	2,186	16,217
February ...	13,442	2,117	15,559	August .....	14,004	2,188	16,192
March .....	13,478	2,109	15,587	September ....	13,974	2,158	16,132
April .....	13,605	2,128	15,733	October .....	13,784	2,125	15,909
May .....	13,685	2,146	15,831	November .....	13,611	2,156	15,767
June .....	13,786	2,169	15,955	December .....	13,540	2,158	15,698
Average Monthly Employment .....				13,755	2,186	15,941	

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Table 9. - Hours Worked in Month of Highest Employment, 1931.

Number of Wage-earners in Month of Highest Employment whose Regular Hours per Week were:

Hours Worked per Week	CANADA	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
40 hours or less.	400	-	13	-	100	221	11	21	9	25
41 to 43 hours ..	78	-	1	3	12	25	1	18	5	13
44 hours .....	555	-	2	12	31	322	41	3	6	138
45 to 47 hours ..	474	-	1	2	10	87	5	116	126	127
48 hours .....	3,447	2	95	94	717	1,199	175	132	230	803
49 to 50 hours ..	1,368	5	7	-	146	1,000	105	25	52	28
51 to 53 hours ..	799	-	5	-	166	510	88	2	13	15
54 hours .....	5,415	20	186	187	1,630	2,883	184	173	118	34
55 hours .....	634	-	12	-	26	550	42	2	-	2
56 to 59 hours ..	559	-	27	16	74	315	103	17	7	-
60 hours .....	2,908	8	23	16	1,339	1,310	101	61	41	9
Over 60 hours ...	240	-	5	-	157	37	30	11	-	-

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Table 10. - Power Installation, 1931.

Classes of Power	Number of Units	Horse-power according to manufacturers' rating
Steam engines and turbines .....	12	140
Oil, gas and gasoline engines .....	430	1,605
Electric motors -		
Operated by purchased power .....	4,049	13,918
<b>TOTAL POWER FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES</b>	<b>4,491</b>	<b>15,663</b>

Table 11. - Fuel Consumption in Canada, by Classes, 1931.

Classes of Fuel	Unit of Measure	Quantity	Cost Value at Factory or Works
			\$
Bituminous coal, all grades .....	Tons of 2,000 Lb.	26,919	193,775
Anthracite coal, all grades .....	" " " "	11,990	145,156
Lignite coal, all grades .....	" " " "	3,395	27,062
Coke .....	" " " "	36,088	368,882
Gasoline .....	Imp. Gal.	86,249	24,011
Fuel oils .....	" "	1,217,133	103,542
Wood .....	Cord	81,665	353,251
Gas, artificial and natural .....	1,000 cu. ft.	748,787	401,985
Electricity purchased .....	-	-	517,107
All other fuel (not specified) ....	-	-	4,140
<b>TOTAL COST OF FUEL AND ELECTRICITY .....</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,138,911</b>



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Table 12. - Principal Statistics of Bakeries in Specified Cities throughout the Dominion, 1930<sup>x</sup>.

City	Estab-	Capital	Em-	Salaries	Cost of	Value of
	lish-		ployees			
	ments					
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
Charlottetown, P.E.I.	4	73,844	24	21,106	77,796	147,904
Halifax, N. S. ....	13	389,596	161	156,267	371,957	790,330
Sydney, N. S. ....	3	147,435	75	50,615	124,450	211,606
Saint John, N. B. ....	19	401,346	218	207,502	449,721	855,297
Moncton, N. B. ....	5	66,789	40	49,532	110,034	218,660
Montreal, Quebec ....	122	5,518,619	2,018	2,206,069	3,702,302	7,497,057
Quebec, Quebec ....	33	774,339	274	270,614	586,607	1,026,305
Sherbrooke, Quebec ...	8	347,781	75	81,486	170,764	321,046
Three Rivers, Quebec .	12	201,234	78	73,298	146,031	254,485
Hull, Quebec ....	7	141,120	65	70,485	151,989	275,923
Toronto, Ontario ....	237	9,518,519	3,291	4,192,074	6,216,046	13,563,914
Hamilton, Ontario ....	49	2,018,862	698	838,651	1,685,968	2,824,009
Ottawa, Ontario ....	34	1,695,495	563	655,435	1,094,499	2,405,269
London, Ontario ....	32	613,265	317	345,689	684,080	1,396,732
Windsor, Ontario ....	17	599,617	181	264,130	413,870	881,384
Brantford, Ontario ...	9	355,013	104	119,380	208,978	370,398
Kitchener, Ontario ...	10	268,698	117	122,628	237,700	473,102
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	13	161,735	60	61,759	134,637	271,234
Peterboro, Ontario ...	12	320,168	97	121,297	220,794	451,433
Oshawa, Ontario ....	7	96,228	51	51,298	100,943	179,006
Winnipeg, Manitoba ...	50	2,729,425	805	970,413	1,736,970	3,505,004
Brandon, Manitoba ....	8	151,264	66	66,430	154,013	269,720
Regina, Saskatchewan .	13	984,478	192	260,383	429,856	880,234
Saskatoon, Sask. ....	11	829,863	178	208,474	389,620	742,178
Moose Jaw, Sask. ....	6	341,087	75	92,035	152,595	342,692
Calgary, Alberta ....	26	964,153	274	327,434	626,674	1,216,300
Edmonton, Alberta ....	23	1,164,372	222	271,510	600,779	1,285,053
Lethbridge, Alberta ..	7	197,380	52	62,831	128,302	279,009
Vancouver, B. C. ....	97	2,238,407	825	985,054	1,807,085	3,631,116
Victoria, B. C. ....	32	476,500	178	195,092	407,006	786,781
New Westminster, B. C.	6	130,422	30	47,740	148,741	227,033

<sup>x</sup> Note: - To avoid delay in publishing the report on the Bread and Other Bakery Products Industry in Canada, the 1930 figures showing the principal statistics by cities were included, as the 1931 figures are not available.

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Imports and Exports.

The imports of manufactured commodities in the baking industry are not of sufficient importance to have a separate import classification but are included in imports under the item "flavoring powders, custard powders, jelly powders, sweetened breads, pies, cakes and puddings". One item only is shown separately, that of Passover bread, which in the calendar year 1931 was valued at \$135,362 all of which came from the United States.

Exports similarly are combined in the export classification under the head of "biscuits and bread" so that it is not possible to give separate information regarding the export of either commodity.

The weight of a loaf of bread throughout the Dominion is not standardized but is regulated by municipal by-laws in the various provinces, except in Ontario where under R.S.O. ch. 224 the standard weight of the loaf is fixed at 24 and 48 ounces, except that in the case of "small bread" the limit is fixed at 12 ounces. According to information collected by the Bureau of Statistics the average weight of a loaf in the provinces may be stated as follows:

Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick at  $1\frac{1}{2}$  pounds or 24 oz.

Quebec, in certain municipalities at  $1\frac{1}{2}$  pounds or 24 ounces, while in the remaining parts of the province it is variously stated at 4, 5 and 6 pounds.

Ontario at 24 and 48 ounces except in the case of "small bread".

Manitoba generally at 16 and 20 ounces except in outlying portions of the province where it is stated at 3 pounds.

Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia report 16, 18 and 20 ounces as the average weight of the loaf which is regulated by municipal by-laws.

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