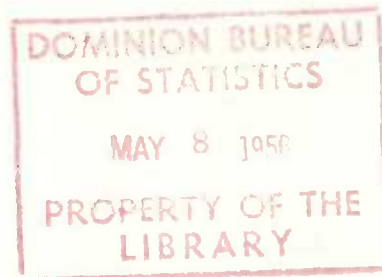




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The Canned Foods Summary is an annual report combining production statistics from all sources of foods packed in cans or other air-tight containers. The items include food products such as meat, fish, fruits, vegetables, juices, concentrated milk, etc., but do not include canned beverages, dog food, etc.

In 1935 the gross value of production of canned foods was \$50,000,000 (see Table 1). Each succeeding year except 1943 and 1949 this production has increased until the 1952 value was over \$359,000,000, more than seven times the 1935 figure. The 1953 value of \$307,476,965 shows a drop of over \$50,000,000, mainly accounted for by a decrease in the production of Canned Meats. In 1954 the basis of collection for all industries except fish processing was "value of shipments" instead of production. Shipments for 1954 totalled \$312,542,770.

Since the introduction, about 150 years ago, of canning as a method of food preservation, food processors have constantly sought to improve their production, not only through new and improved methods but also by adding to the variety of foods which may be successfully canned. The canning industry is of great importance economically as it gives work to nearly thirty thousand people annually. Related fields of transportation, merchandising, etc. employ many more workers proportionately. The commercial canning of foods has saved housewives many hours of needless toil and has helped keep the food budget within reasonable bounds. In addition, the canning industries are important from the standpoint of nutrition. Throughout the whole year, it is now possible to enjoy canned foods with much of the flavour and all of the nourishment of fresh-cooked food. The consumer is protected by the inspection services of the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Fisheries, Ottawa.

The tables in this bulletin give details of the volume and value of production of various domestically canned foods as well as those imported from and exported to other countries. A supplementary table was added in 1951 to show per capita consumption of various canned foods from 1939 to date.

TABLE 1. Gross Value of Production of Principal Canned Foods, 1935-1954¹

Note. The values given here correspond to the quantities given in Table 2.

	Canned Fish	Canned Fruits	Canned Vegetables	Canned Meats ²	Canned Soups	Miscellaneous Canned Foods ³	Concentrated Milk Products	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1935	13,638,127	4,757,301	12,101,138	992,973	3,978,806	7,602,456	6,849,989	49,920,790
1936	15,564,501	5,318,731	13,963,401	1,551,061	6,256,444	9,931,021	7,434,896	60,020,055
1937	13,619,606	5,251,981	17,117,580	1,681,915	6,021,687	13,814,178	10,078,192	67,585,139
1938	16,297,611	4,556,282	14,519,963	1,833,926	7,742,625	13,101,998	11,844,817	69,897,222
1939	15,478,961	7,769,005	14,526,671	3,218,566	9,259,222	13,232,874	11,575,971	75,061,270
1940	17,873,376	6,740,876	16,812,119	2,902,769	6,912,546	17,384,233	14,478,543	83,104,462
1941	26,829,659	7,501,161	22,689,459	5,435,654	10,207,193	21,433,594	19,570,999	113,667,719
1942	31,943,416	6,057,333	22,690,913	8,367,783	8,850,693	20,216,935	24,487,982	122,615,055
1943	27,286,951	4,225,833	15,331,390	12,360,761	10,568,847	22,046,555	26,105,175	117,925,512
1944	26,046,074	6,548,931	26,951,532	25,877,616	14,756,625	32,061,768	27,829,398	159,871,944
1945	34,473,056	5,709,009	22,643,212	35,283,554	15,868,485	27,283,697	29,895,009	171,156,022
1946	39,113,884	12,000,242	31,106,845	43,710,776	25,092,969	40,891,205	32,968,991	224,884,912
1947	46,964,541	17,212,661	35,159,582	30,391,681	22,753,853	46,375,674	40,198,691	239,056,683
1948	42,148,530	14,903,597	48,096,945	26,960,271	17,991,461	52,137,412	54,216,408	256,454,624
1949	37,247,473	18,451,162	39,534,541	24,859,834	20,415,334	42,599,463	44,250,824	227,358,631
1950	42,947,564	18,553,967	39,320,486	28,985,773	26,683,077	47,106,988	47,076,784	250,674,639
1951	61,168,048	20,652,066	53,057,408	34,072,310	32,669,022	62,509,552	61,330,207	325,458,613
1952	40,793,468	14,681,209	60,133,387	81,773,875 ⁴	34,672,953	65,574,899	61,755,498 ⁵	359,385,289
1953	47,510,289	19,015,945	50,467,103	41,002,821	33,185,145	62,429,762	53,865,900 ⁵	307,476,965
1954	50,851,463	23,482,177 ⁵	51,577,818 ⁵	33,720,611 ⁵	34,104,633 ⁵	64,484,069 ⁵	54,321,999 ⁵	312,542,770

TABLE 2. Volume of Production of Principal Canned Foods, 1935-1954¹

	Canned Fish	Canned Fruits	Canned Vegetables	Canned Meats ²	Canned Soups	Miscellaneous Canned Foods ³	Concentrated Milk Products
	Pounds	Dozen cans	Dozen cans	Pounds	Dozen cans	Pounds	Pounds
1935	93,342,708	1,825,613 ⁶	6,602,822 ⁶	4,666,683	1,603,685 ⁶	96,124,679	103,603,000
1936	114,117,086	2,052,077 ⁶	7,410,145 ⁶	6,733,940	2,583,324 ⁶	134,179,311	109,814,300
1937	96,719,995	2,120,413 ⁶	9,611,050 ⁶	7,976,364	2,426,739 ⁶	175,159,804	137,399,900
1938	107,584,455	2,018,554 ⁶	8,710,103 ⁶	8,733,308	3,125,432 ⁶	153,227,423	157,923,900
1939	108,893,332	3,547,542 ⁶	7,615,449 ⁶	16,826,963	3,510,319 ⁶	156,755,419	166,042,500
1940	132,124,047	5,221,419 ⁶	18,972,699 ⁶	14,838,871	7,874,789	212,462,856	193,126,194
1941	190,073,678	4,817,305	23,560,220	24,265,275	11,065,144	246,469,639	236,002,697
1942	198,339,168	3,460,103	21,528,803	30,978,069	9,952,996	223,270,661	260,667,418
1943	166,564,042	1,955,045	13,007,228	44,391,283	11,502,759	265,522,235	255,759,313
1944	144,960,471	3,294,254	23,292,719	94,477,165	16,142,714	365,376,200	270,660,087
1945	189,406,289	2,741,829	19,506,157	153,358,596	16,338,883	278,729,924	295,269,781
1946	180,622,617	5,012,759	24,824,742	210,098,653	25,422,311	429,977,179	301,498,418
1947	191,597,664	7,012,690	22,425,957	116,241,005	19,492,519	392,771,254	330,121,182
1948	121,938,397	5,661,401	30,590,877	75,819,495	14,711,993	470,881,375	388,863,645
1949	96,860,208	8,316,422	27,682,883	58,549,946	15,025,311	447,251,781	357,272,853
1950	104,218,992	7,196,555	24,994,412	64,845,182	19,564,326	345,350,119	376,671,807
1951	133,362,256	8,259,099	29,821,585	66,764,951	22,517,141	422,530,859	431,245,033
1952	92,790,432	6,280,913	33,541,297	150,541,023 ⁴	23,139,955	451,333,630	465,264,142 ⁵
1953	124,744,992	7,577,310	29,817,339	75,182,283	21,706,263	410,060,450	440,285,465 ⁵
1954	116,166,288	9,513,572 ⁵	30,177,848 ⁵	68,029,709 ⁵	24,274,921 ⁵	446,185,864 ⁵	453,248,792 ⁵

1. Includes Newfoundland beginning 1951.

2. Includes meat, chicken, ready dinners, and meat pastes.

3. Includes juices, pie fillings, jams, mincemeat, etc.

4. Increased production in 1952 is due to government controlled canning programme.

5. These figures represent "shipments" instead of "production".

6. These commodities are reported in cases from 1935 to 1940 inclusive.

Imports and Exports

Imports of canned foods during 1954 were valued at \$37,198,756. Fruits not grown in Canada or grown only in limited areas by reason of climatic conditions form the most important items of import, e.g., pineapple, apricots. For the same reason citrus fruit juices are being imported in increasingly large quantities. Canned beef was brought in from Australia during 1951 and gives the highest import figure to date for canned meats.

The exports of canned foods during 1954 amounted to \$56,459,713 with canned fish, canned meat, and concentrated milk products making up nearly 96% of this amount. The following table summarizes the imports and exports of canned foods by groups for significant years from 1939 to 1954.

TABLE 3. Imports of Canned Foods, Calendar Years 1939 - 1954

	Canned Fish	Canned Fruits	Canned Vegetables	Canned Meats	Soup and Soup Preparations	Miscellaneous Canned Foods	Concentrated Milk Products	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1939	1,300,158	1,108,515	316,232	1,001,547	14,009	648,083	73,601	4,462,145
1940	881,100	1,231,936	511,464	842,537	10,609	1,032,395	180,499	4,690,540
1945	50,173	52,454	336,379	104,857	68,646	828,385	97,864	1,538,758
1946	336,803	292,605	536,286	1,949	305,059	7,480,297	502,242	9,455,241
1947	1,392,588	3,218,418	2,852,361	102,919	270,919	5,553,820	977,522	14,368,547
1948	1,378,490	3,191,128	310,954	139,608	6,662	4,235,039	175,189	9,437,070
1949	2,194,379	5,087,102	77,920	2,655,975	3,076	8,242,633	98,961	18,360,046
1950	1,864,470	6,609,678	336,625	3,148,211	23,324	8,916,127	117,445	21,015,880
1951	2,833,849	9,674,737	1,848,118	7,482,098	79,992	6,538,236	885,005	31,342,033
1952	2,919,177	9,463,487	3,477,283	4,648,360	130,430	9,607,782	148,858	30,395,377
1953	3,744,548	10,109,820	2,170,766	3,943,072	252,146	13,693,592	132,931	34,046,875
1954	4,136,564	12,480,806	2,118,705	5,106,719	250,387	13,021,711	83,864	37,198,756

TABLE 4. Exports of Canned Foods, Calendar Years 1939 - 1954

	Canned Fish	Canned Fruits	Canned Vegetables	Canned Meats	Canned Soups	Miscellaneous Canned Foods	Concentrated Milk Products	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1939	11,548,982	3,089,768	2,906,919	832,280	3,599,847	1,769,029	3,295,009	27,041,834
1940	11,669,050	1,832,895	2,533,821	762,364	605,021	810,512	4,298,778	22,732,241
1945	23,864,759	1,422,569	1,587,889	21,752,276	536,782	884,841	12,218,133	62,267,049
1946	30,427,580	1,632,744	1,613,191	27,124,839	1,071,737	3,484,869	9,910,583	75,265,523
1947	31,510,497	2,882,288	1,385,309	19,776,437	1,779,473	3,056,116	12,009,484	72,403,604
1948	21,044,204	654,409	845,038	10,612,172	896,198	845,138	16,622,196	51,519,355
1949	17,397,489	1,110,959	365,193	4,689,871	586,780	795,717	11,988,078	36,934,087
1950	15,248,687	240,504	707,065	5,291,242	644,479	1,126,801	9,550,595	32,811,373
1951	16,192,679	177,800	2,385,715	6,752,952	995,830	853,777	9,700,894	37,059,647
1952	13,986,347	121,216	298,815	11,114,217	896,680	748,354	13,687,946	40,853,575
1953	18,373,822	120,660	204,655	16,679,508	734,743	810,298	11,137,468	48,061,154
1954	27,834,876	404,989	430,020	17,585,576	724,356	943,761	8,536,135	56,459,713

TABLE 5. Factory Shipments of Canned Foods, by Provinces, 1954

No.		Canada			Ontario		
		Quantity		Selling value at factory	Quantity		Selling value at factory
		Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds		Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds	
	Fish canned¹:			\$			\$
1	Clams 48 lb. cases	19,035	913,680	416,600	—	—	—
2	Cod	1,364	65,472	11,056	—	—	—
3	Haddock	175	8,400	1,915	—	—	—
4	Hake	23,834	1,144,032	184,855	—	—	—
5	Herring	28,353	1,360,944	216,174	—	—	—
6	Herring, kippered snacks	12,299	590,352	171,876	—	—	—
7	Lobster	57,678	2,768,544	3,631,503	—	—	—
8	Lobster tomalley & paste	6,752	324,096	133,301	—	—	—
9	Mackerel	11,570	555,360	73,470	—	—	—
10	Quahaugs	474	22,752	7,828	—	—	—
11	Salmon	1,743,887	83,706,576	38,438,713	—	—	—
12	Sardines	416,916	20,011,968	5,447,875	—	—	—
13	Tuna	45,280	2,173,440	1,140,246	—	—	—
14	All other	52,514	2,520,672	976,051	—	—	—
15	Total, canned fish	2,420,131	116,166,288	50,851,463	—	—	—
	Fruits, canned⁴:						
16	Apples including crabapples	211,134	11,429,070	1,405,049	23,012	1,352,527	145,487
17	Apple sauce	614,087	8,838,660	1,044,102	394,693	5,651,875	690,654
18	Apricots	438,908	6,305,657	1,146,901	109,066	1,332,305	295,480
19	Blackberries	14,433	194,816	34,120	—	—	—
20	Blueberries	125,333	1,920,513	397,512	48,768	733,246	149,041
21	Cherries	548,781	7,949,421	1,425,888	464,752	6,688,994	1,159,491
22	Fruit cocktail and fruits for salad	598,052	7,657,723	1,518,874	531,224	6,910,795	1,345,103
23	Loganberries	27,920	432,781	125,544	—	—	—
24	Peaches	3,314,524	49,542,679	7,696,909	2,772,823	42,249,647	6,404,629
25	Pears, Bartlett	934,921	13,217,823	2,593,356	591,430	8,559,834	1,670,199
26	Pears, Kieffer	1,075,570	17,064,144	2,193,561	1,058,303	16,805,965	2,154,751
27	Plums, gages, etc.	583,013	9,754,185	917,591	306,901	5,444,986	474,188
28	Raspberries	340,985	4,130,643	1,018,160	183,200	2,192,119	589,321
29	Rhubarb	4,188	293,460	25,090	1,908	161,933	10,776
30	Strawberries	369,911	4,309,025	1,102,246	240,690	2,732,124	671,510
31	All other fruits	311,812	4,556,077	837,274	151,802	2,277,286	407,442
32	Total	9,513,572	147,596,677	23,482,177	6,878,572	103,093,636	16,168,072
	Vegetables, canned⁴:						
33	Asparagus	389,948	3,834,658	1,225,190	295,579	3,010,351	941,630
34	Beans, green or wax	3,345,921	52,020,247	5,275,285	313,637	4,431,551	507,387
35	Beans, baked	7,106,114	93,705,339	10,961,692	4,078,814	52,303,566	6,367,600
36	Beans, lima	148,365	1,779,620	226,874	119,160	1,444,652	185,125
37	Beets	781,245	12,317,967	1,249,043	603,523	9,139,463	953,228
38	Carrots	357,989	7,005,528	529,078	164,766	2,990,656	233,017
39	Carrots and peas combined	436,403	5,143,829	656,151	88,491	1,074,882	154,039
40	Corn, cream, whole grain	5,412,289	70,334,894	8,338,564	3,361,504	43,868,936	5,115,802
41	Corn on the cob	80,752	2,173,823	197,530	3	3	3
42	Mixed vegetables (macedoine)	623,663	9,020,104	975,739	3	3	3
43	Mushrooms	262,627	1,996,389	1,114,295	131,126	1,101,935	630,139
44	Peas	7,325,331	100,031,855	13,096,141	3,610,902	47,947,865	6,500,233
45	Pumpkin and squash	296,032	5,957,657	451,215	202,166	4,121,786	300,552
46	Spinach	130,548	1,510,870	195,033	84,396	964,683	127,269
47	Tomatoes	3,052,714	60,772,139	6,297,527	2,096,138	40,893,856	4,282,260
48	All other vegetables	427,907	6,910,525	788,461	411,020	5,726,305	759,940
49	Total	30,177,848	434,515,444	51,577,818	15,561,222	219,020,487	27,058,221

1. These figures are for production, not factory shipments and are not identical with those published in the Fish Processing Industry report, which includes domestic canners and some estimated figures.

2. Included under "All other fruits".

3. Included under "All other vegetables".

4. Fruits and vegetables canned by domestic or home canners are not included.

TABLE 5. Factory Shipments of Canned Foods, by Provinces, 1954

Quebec			British Columbia			Other Provinces			
Quantity		Selling value at factory	Quantity		Selling value at factory	Quantity		Selling value at factory	
Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds		Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds		Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds		
		\$			\$			\$	
344	16,512	14,800	14,321	687,408	243,081	4,370	209,760	158,719	1
239	11,472	2,751	—	—	—	1,125	54,000	8,305	2
—	—	—	—	—	—	175	8,400	1,915	3
—	—	—	—	—	—	23,834	1,144,032	184,855	4
—	—	—	1,690	81,120	13,180	26,663	1,279,824	202,994	5
—	—	—	3,087	148,176	57,083	9,212	442,176	114,793	6
8,404	403,392	565,737	—	—	—	49,274	2,365,152	3,065,766	7
1,057	50,736	18,121	—	—	—	5,695	273,360	115,180	8
773	37,104	3,693	—	—	—	10,797	518,256	69,777	9
139	6,672	2,314	—	—	—	335	16,080	5,514	10
48	2,304	1,152	1,743,786	83,701,728	38,435,615	53	2,544	1,946	11
—	—	—	1,979	94,992	29,685	414,937	19,916,976	5,418,190	12
—	—	—	45,247	2,171,856	1,139,612	33	1,584	634	13
376	18,048	9,544	12,157	583,536	615,829	39,981	1,919,088	350,678	14
11,380	546,240	618,112	1,822,267	87,468,816	40,534,085	586,494	28,151,232	9,699,266	15
—	—	—	64,386	3,911,801	484,843	123,736	6,164,742	774,719	16
2	2	2	2	2	2	150,054	2,061,836	215,936	17
—	—	—	329,842	4,973,352	851,421	—	—	—	18
—	—	—	14,433	194,816	34,120	—	—	—	19
37,959	696,430	137,268	2	2	2	28,343	358,296	75,009	20
—	—	—	84,029	1,260,427	266,397	—	—	—	21
—	—	—	2	2	2	—	—	—	22
—	—	—	27,920	432,781	125,544	—	—	—	23
—	—	—	541,701	7,293,032	1,292,280	—	—	—	24
—	—	—	331,379	4,489,468	887,639	2	2	2	25
—	—	—	11,024	144,463	21,864	2	2	2	26
2	2	2	275,574	4,300,588	442,527	2	2	2	27
2	2	2	157,770	1,938,164	428,772	—	—	—	28
2	2	2	2	2	2	—	—	—	29
2	2	2	120,169	1,448,258	399,226	2	2	2	30
151,135	1,953,557	337,004	153,665	2,436,813	452,874	31,881	444,217	86,682	31
189,094	2,649,987	474,272	2,111,892	32,823,963	5,687,507	334,014	9,029,091	1,152,326	32
46,592	379,748	144,034	47,342	440,434	138,401	3	3	3	33
1,819,293	29,594,287	2,714,744	672,851	10,448,466	1,212,987	540,140	7,545,943	840,167	34
1,806,794	25,456,925	2,874,799	709,943	8,996,567	920,465	510,563	6,948,281	798,828	35
—	—	—	3	3	3	3	3	3	36
76,627	1,730,983	145,024	46,319	686,112	79,085	54,776	761,409	71,706	37
114,999	2,840,191	175,672	24,363	388,721	42,190	53,861	785,960	78,199	38
3	3	3	284,145	3,306,342	408,772	56,033	646,595	78,454	39
744,745	9,804,452	1,141,934	375,978	4,468,294	649,806	930,062	12,193,212	1,431,022	40
71,101	2,004,717	168,997	—	—	—	3	3	3	41
344,090	5,759,033	537,535	3	3	3	37,657	474,139	55,902	42
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	43
1,485,743	22,591,990	2,934,718	956,161	11,920,482	1,511,400	1,272,525	17,571,518	2,149,790	44
—	—	—	29,108	642,876	52,980	64,758	1,192,995	97,683	45
3	3	3	3	3	3	—	—	—	46
499,272	10,930,687	1,034,649	457,304	8,947,596	980,618	—	—	—	47
243,535	3,649,603	574,249	218,021	2,113,702	425,763	21,925	272,697	49,024	48
7,252,791	114,742,616	12,446,355	3,821,535	52,359,592	6,422,467	3,542,300	48,392,749	5,650,775	49

1. These figures are for production, not factory shipments and are not identical with those published in the Fish Processing Industry report, which includes domestic canners and some estimated figures.
 2. Included under "All other fruits".
 3. Included under "All other vegetables".
 4. Fruits and vegetables canned by domestic or home canners are not included.

TABLE 5. Factory Shipments of Canned Foods, by Provinces, 1954 - Concluded

No.		Canada			Ontario		
		Quantity		Selling value at factory	Quantity		Selling value at factory
		Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds		Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds	
			\$			\$	
	Meats, canned, all kinds:						
1	Meats	—	42,015,556	23,905,815	—	12,729,481	8,580,514
2	Poultry (chicken, turkey, etc.)	—	3,019,981	2,207,413	—	558,543	350,245
3	Paste, meat, chicken, etc.	—	5,439,212	2,716,227	—	189,390	109,335
4	Ready dinner, stews, etc.	—	17,554,960	4,891,156	—	6,057,427	1,651,296
5	Total, meats, canned	—	68,029,709	33,720,611	—	19,534,841	10,691,390
	Other fruit and vegetable products:						
	Juices:						
6	(a) Tomato	5,890,238	118,776,354	9,399,286	5,264,630	106,348,367	8,458,541
7	(b) Apple	1,800,047	47,187,277	3,517,714	—	18,474,342	1,409,276
8	(c) Grape	—	2	2	—	2	2
9	(d) Other fruit	—	2	2	—	2	2
	Pie fillings:						
10	(a) Apple	—	4,748,641	719,453	—	4,285,233	649,520
11	(b) Other fruit	—	11,081,230	2,203,036	—	9,870,802	1,952,919
	Infants foods:						
12	(a) Fruits	3,348,329	12,347,454	2,999,440	3,348,329	12,347,454	2,999,440
13	(b) Vegetables	2	2	2	2	2	2
14	(c) Soups	2	2	2	2	2	2
15	(d) Other (pudding, etc.)	2	2	2	2	2	2
16	Soups, all kinds, except infants	24,274,921	212,397,846	34,104,633	22,147,654	186,318,835	31,444,987
17	Spaghetti, macaroni etc.	2,380,236	30,434,801	3,541,312	2,012,983	24,933,955	3,066,407
18	Tomato paste and purée	310,854	7,354,274	993,354	206,799	5,911,687	785,006
19	Tomato pulp	13,180	1,036,014	85,775	9,577	748,441	58,025
20	Tomato catsup	—	27,389,195	5,892,060	—	26,006,550	5,628,211
21	Sauerkraut	362,342	6,765,701	561,939	352,912	6,568,771	545,197
22	Jams	—	82,879,599	15,147,751	—	33,020,548	5,710,532
23	Jellies	—	7,420,160	1,377,341	—	5,413,837	999,058
24	Marmalades	—	21,598,661	3,542,604	—	15,502,449	2,636,207
25	Mincemeat	—	6,098,968	1,081,152	—	3,548,407	602,304
26	All other fruit and vegetable products, mainly canned ..	—	61,067,535	13,421,852	—	54,341,256	12,188,057
27	Total	—	658,583,710	98,588,702	—	513,640,934	79,133,681
	Concentrated milk products:						
	Condensed milk:						
28	Case goods	—	4,988,112	762,504	—	3	3
29	Bulk goods	—	10,689,443	1,460,139	—	3	3
	Evaporated milk:						
30	Case goods	—	271,506,882	32,207,796	—	110,754,718	12,726,812
31	Bulk goods	—	10,621,386	1,196,975	—	3	3
32	Whole milk powder	—	20,238,659	5,617,881	—	12,187,903	3,382,568
33	Condensed skim milk	—	4,607,391	425,257	—	3,986,808	376,581
34	Evaporated skim milk	—	10,072,826	374,487	—	3	3
35	Skim milk powder	—	84,232,246	7,696,201	—	38,542,547	3,756,152
36	Condensed buttermilk	—	160,604	5,144	—	90,252	4,221
37	Buttermilk powder	—	5,200,657	338,513	—	1,970,292	136,159
38	Casein	—	7,969,422	1,523,662	—	3	3
39	Whey powder	—	5,499,110	285,128	—	4,178,240	218,013
40	Unclassified products of a variable fat content	—	15,981,731	2,157,932	—	14,260,640	1,901,775
41	Cream powder, lactose (milk sugar) malted milk powder	—	1,480,323	270,380	—	1,480,323	270,380
42	Total	—	453,248,792	54,321,999	—	211,650,957	25,350,358

2. Included under "All other products canned, bottled, etc."
3. Included in "Other provinces."

TABLE 5. Factory Shipments of Canned Foods, by Provinces, 1954 - Concluded

Quebec			British Columbia			Other provinces			
Quantity		Selling value at factory	Quantity		Selling value at factory	Quantity		Selling value at factory	
Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds		Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds		Dozen cans	Net weight of contents in pounds		
		\$			\$			\$	
-	2,850,535	1,545,570	-	1,579,693	626,788	-	24,855,847	13,152,943	1
-	1,497,064	1,027,810	-	526,148	471,438	-	438,226	357,920	2
-	3,605,439	1,623,983	-	881,104	561,679	-	763,279	421,230	3
-	5,229,673	1,277,138	-	687,236	215,988	-	5,580,624	1,746,734	4
-	13,182,711	5,474,501	-	3,674,181	1,875,893	-	31,637,976	15,678,827	5
497,175	9,754,158	686,640	2	2	2	-	-	-	6
2	2	2	551,580	17,601,384	1,093,089	272,253	5,685,028	539,065	7
-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	8
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	10
2	2	2	-	2	2	2	2	2	11
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13
-	-	-	2	2	2	-	-	-	14
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15
3,660,712	21,979,740	1,963,798	2	2	2	2	2	2	16
-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	17
99,930	1,155,264	180,049	2	2	2	2	2	2	18
-	-	-	2	2	2	-	-	-	19
-	1,013,315	222,081	-	2	2	-	2	2	20
-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	21
-	23,430,025	4,248,413	-	25,910,119	5,076,054	-	518,907	112,752	22
-	1,341,215	254,645	-	665,108	123,638	-	-	-	23
-	638,775	98,759	-	5,328,509	785,635	-	128,928	22,003	24
-	601,376	113,152	-	1,213,911	215,144	-	735,274	150,552	25
-	14,241,364	1,745,736	-	9,058,734	1,253,731	-	3,941,642	570,085	26
-	74,155,232	9,513,273	-	59,777,765	8,547,291	-	11,009,779	1,394,457	27
-	3	3	-	-	-	-	4,988,112	762,504	28
-	3	3	-	-	-	-	10,689,443	1,460,139	29
-	3	3	-	3	3	-	160,752,164	19,480,984	30
-	3	3	-	-	-	-	10,621,386	1,196,975	31
-	7,990,642	2,216,653	-	-	-	-	60,114	18,660	32
-	3	3	-	3	3	-	620,583	48,676	33
-	3	3	-	-	-	-	10,072,826	374,487	34
-	34,486,591	2,746,303	-	3	3	-	11,203,108	1,193,746	35
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70,352	923	36
-	1,825,107	104,921	-	-	-	-	1,405,258	97,433	37
-	3	3	-	-	-	-	7,969,422	1,523,662	38
-	3	3	-	3	3	-	1,320,870	67,115	39
-	3	3	-	3	3	-	1,721,091	256,157	40
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41
-	162,351,579	18,621,210	-	53,465,239	7,150,952	-	25,781,017	3,199,479	42

2. Included under "All other products canned, bottled, etc."
 3. Included in "Other provinces".

Fish Canning

The principal varieties of fish used in Canadian canneries are, in order of their importance: salmon, sardines, lobsters, herring, and clams.

Salmon Canning.—The canning of salmon in Canada is an industry confined almost wholly to the province of British Columbia, where this river-spawning fish of the Pacific coast is taken in abundance. Annual records of the salmon pack extend to 1876, when the number of cases was 9,847. The annual pack in recent years has, with few exceptions, exceeded a million cases, and in each four years (1926, 1928, 1930 and 1941) was more than two million cases. The pack of 1953 totalled 1,743,887 cases, valued at \$38,438,713. Under regulations made by Order in Council of April 4, 1932, canned

salmon shipped out of the province must be inspected and graded according to quality, and each can must carry a letter representing the species of salmon.

Every species of salmon known to the waters of the Pacific is to be found on the British Columbia Coast—the sockeye, the spring, the coho, the pink and the chum salmon. Of these, the sockeye, though not taken in such great numbers as the pinks and chums, is by far the most important, owing to its abundance, its deep red colour and its excellent texture which have created so keen a demand in British and foreign markets. The chief sources of supply are the Skeena River and other northern waters, and the Fraser River. The remaining species are all marketable in quality though not commanding the high prices reached by the sockeye.

TABLE 6. Production of Canned Salmon in Canada, 1876-1954

Year	Cases of 48 lbs.	Year	Cases of 48 lbs.	Year	Cases of 48 lbs.
1876	9,847	1925.....	1,719,282	1945.....	1,740,591
1885	108,517	1930.....	2,223,469	1946.....	1,350,358
1890	409,464	1931.....	686,697	1947.....	1,529,305
1895	566,395	1934.....	1,584,593	1948.....	1,310,842
1900	606,530	1938.....	1,708,835	1949.....	1,438,536
1905	1,167,822	1939.....	1,539,794	1950.....	1,493,130
1910	762,201	1940.....	1,471,435	1951.....	1,957,105
1915	1,133,381	1941.....	2,298,280	1952.....	1,304,933
1920	1,187,616	1944.....	1,099,852	1953.....	1,826,072
				1954.....	1,743,887

TABLE 7. Production of Canned Salmon in the Province of British Columbia, by Species, 1939-1954

Species	1939	1941	1946	1947	1948	1949	1951	1952	1953	1954
	cases									
Sockeye	269,888	455,296	543,027	286,109	260,644	259,821	428,299	449,495	510,147	680,718
Springs, red.....	10,302	17,794	3,972	3,840	10,002	12,051	6,370	5,104	7,481	3,677
Springs, pink.....	2,848	3,912	523	2,166	890	817	2,185	106	355	2,330
Springs, white.....	2,947	28,771	2,823	3,496	4,881	7,176	4,005	2,640	4,130	6,470
Blueback	48,209	30,027	2,914	4,545	20,396	6,955	13,237	5,582	2,056	4,302
Steelhead.....	797	3,454	4,115	3,268	5,576	2,374	3,655	3,762	3,030	3,734
Coho	196,887	361,380	97,240	139,620	186,810	208,420	299,608	59,371	108,109	123,777
Pink	620,595	427,765	116,608	599,883	321,720	709,992	736,093	679,182	794,764	335,550
Chum	386,584	920,471	576,134	461,800	496,553	227,738	461,806	91,887	394,113	580,574
Jack spring.....	—	—	782	430	665	1,118	1,138	1,428	1,083	1,604
Total	1,539,057	2,248,670	1,348,138	1,565,157	1,308,137	1,436,462	1,956,396	1,298,557	1,825,268	1,742,736

Lobster Canning.—The lobster is found in Canada in Atlantic Coast waters only, and the lobster canning industry is confined to the eastern Maritime Provinces, with Prince Edward Island as the chief producer. The annual pack of lobster in the early years of the present century frequently exceeded two hundred thousand cases, but in recent years, the output has been below that figure, the trend being towards the sale of lobsters "in shell" to the United States market. In 1954 the pack of lobster was 57,678 cases, and the value

amounted to \$3,631,503. While the quantity packed is lower than in 1953, the average price per case is higher.

In order to conserve the fisheries the Government prohibits the capture of lobsters of less than a fixed minimum size, and also makes provision for the closing to lobster fishing of such areas and for such periods in each year as may be deemed advisable.

TABLE 8. Production of Canned Lobsters, 1897 to 1954

Year	Cases of 48 pounds	Year	Cases of 48 pounds
1897	231,888	1940	58,996
1900	219,756	1941	58,517
1905	219,534	1944	66,834
1910	183,094	1945	65,525
1915	162,956	1946	71,280
1920	163,299	1947	49,820
1925	127,497	1948	60,770
1930	139,109	1949	58,999
1935	99,905	1950	70,327
1936	88,102	1951	63,980
1937	88,581	1952	59,366
1938	92,004	1953	75,020
1939	85,693	1954	57,678

Sardine Canning.—Sardine is the name given to the young herring that is used for canning. New Brunswick produces almost the entire Canadian pack of canned sardines and in that province it is the leading fishing industry. The number

of sardine canneries is small, but those in operation are of large size. In 1954 the pack totalled 833,834 25-pound cases valued at \$5,447,875. There is an important market abroad for Canadian sardines, and large quantities are exported annually.

TABLE 9. Production of Canned Sardines, 1917 to 1954

Year	Cases of 25 lbs.	Year	Cases of 25 lbs.	Year	Cases of 25 lbs.
1917	168,365	1929	329,204	1941	614,222
1918	177,193	1930	244,238	1943	545,510
1919	119,225	1931	202,520	1944	526,767
1920	129,925	1932	113,197	1945	474,176
1921	111,835	1933	180,597	1946	641,841
1922	121,800	1934	288,091	1947	914,117
1923	268,800	1935	338,436	1948	855,877
1924	282,306	1936	393,854	1949	589,542
1925	209,649	1937	423,043	1950	723,760
1926	217,592	1938	349,887	1951	667,081
1927	240,091	1939	539,486	1952	633,003
1928	257,881	1940	504,140	1953	440,637
				1954	833,834

Fruit and Vegetable Canning

The canning of fruits and vegetables is carried on most extensively in the provinces of Ontario, British Columbia and Quebec, where climatic conditions are favourable for the growing of fruits and vegetables. The canning season begins in June and continues throughout the summer and autumn until October, being at its height in July, August and September. The pack in 1954 consisted of 9,513,572 dozen

cans of fruit and 30,177,848 dozen cans of vegetables. Other important canned products are: soups of all kinds, 24,274,921 dozen cans, tomato juice 5,890,238 dozen cans, prepared foods for infants 12,953,428 dozen cans, etc. For detailed statistics of production of canned fruits and vegetables, by provinces, see Table 5.

TABLE 10. Imports of Canned Fruits, Vegetables, Juices, etc., Calendar Years 1953 and 1954

	1953		1954	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		\$		\$
Canned vegetables:				
Asparagus..... lb.	918,275	204,757	880,441	205,534
Beans, (green, wax, baked)..... "	2,596,321	229,380	4,027,951	364,654
Corn..... "	304,337	37,455	3,527,529	499,616
Mushrooms and truffles..... "	263,651	106,403	401,081	140,727
Peas..... "	2,203,038	232,070	2,017,945	190,697
Tomatoes and tomato products..... "	8,088,339	1,062,248	43,193,742	4,081,647
All other vegetables..... "	2,507,460	298,453	4,468,430	492,714
Total..... "	16,881,421	2,170,786	58,517,119	5,975,589
Canned fruits:				
Mixed fruits or fruits for salads..... "	28,392,445	3,815,010	29,150,503	4,001,467
Peaches and apricots..... "	10,959,104	1,360,344	16,830,578	1,999,742
Pears..... "	1,380,684	201,628	2,454,041	366,582
Pineapple..... "	33,500,793	4,290,455	42,420,166	5,404,527
All other fruits..... "	4,185,397	442,383	6,073,594	708,488
Total..... "	78,418,423	10,109,820	96,928,882	12,480,806
Other products:				
Jams, jellies, and preserves..... "	4,771,492	812,415	4,953,535	864,978
Fruit juice, concentrated, frozen..... gal.	1,048,325	3,104,775	1,532,426	4,025,382
Orange juice..... "	4,979,718	3,798,269	4,446,448	3,275,046
Blended fruit juices..... "	2,778,923	1,805,478	2,481,616	1,468,757
Grapefruit juice..... "	3,557,402	2,009,329	2,916,296	1,387,518
Pineapple juice..... "	2,043,549	1,385,088	1,782,383	1,245,692
Other juices..... "	538,854	778,238	526,858	754,338
Total..... -	-	13,693,592	-	13,021,711

TABLE 11. Exports of Canned Fruits, Vegetables, Juices, etc., Calendar Years 1953 and 1954

	1953		1954	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		\$		\$
Canned vegetables:				
Corn..... lb.	431,095	47,018	1,189,217	116,070
Peas..... "	362,045	38,222	533,603	58,610
Beans (green, wax, baked)..... "	415,008	46,606	383,435	46,975
Tomatoes..... "	152,891	12,736	309,663	26,114
Vegetables, canned or preserved, n.o.p..... "	452,835	60,073	1,666,406	182,251
Total..... "	1,813,874	204,635	4,082,324	430,020
Canned fruits:				
Pears..... "	52,589	6,641	1,053,647	132,604
Apples..... "	530,068	51,297	343,561	41,202
Peaches..... "	48,909	6,366	972,556	117,810
Fruits, canned or preserved, n.o.p..... "	234,731	56,356	503,949	113,373
Total..... "	866,297	120,660	2,873,713	404,989
Other products:				
Tomato paste, pulp, and puree..... "	5,354	1,641	5,338	1,394
Tomato juice..... "	1,733,529	141,375	1,800,754	168,469
Tomato soup..... "	4,591,418	516,830	3,851,980	435,445
Soups, n.o.p..... "	1,142,110	217,913	1,588,425	288,911
Jams, jellies, and preserves..... "	2,607,045	480,967	2,585,452	476,626
Apple juice..... gal.	112,549	151,620	128,058	231,059
Infants foods..... lb.	54,344	13,844	137,876	37,059
Macaroni, spaghetti and vermicelli, canned..... "	186,893	20,851	249,293	29,154

Meat Canning

The total value of canned meats shipped from packing plants in Canada during 1954 was \$33,720,611, the most important items being ham and spiced pork. There were 29,311,619 pounds of this commodity shipped from the plant at a selling value of \$19,259,672. Meat canning is carried on most extensively in the Prairie Provinces where abundant grazing land affords feed for large herds of cattle, and the large grain crops provide feed for hogs. Large meat-packing plants have been built in Alberta and Manitoba, and the canning of meat is becoming an increasingly important sideline to the main packing industry.

In 1952 there was a tremendous increase in canned meat production owing to the outbreak early in the year of the foot-

and-mouth disease. Since the United States immediately imposed restrictions on the importation of Canadian livestock and meat products, a surplus was built up which threatened the economic stability of the industry. The Federal Government adopted emergency control measures in an effort to offset this surplus. Under these measures meat packers canned the surplus and this was held under Government control to be released for domestic consumption or export as the opportunity arose.

At the end of 1952 slaughtering of hogs for the government canning programme was terminated and the production of canned meats soon returned to normal. See Tables 1 and 2.

Concentrated Milk Products

The concentrated milk products industry in Canada dates from 1883 when the first factory was established in Truro, Nova Scotia, by the Reindeer Condensed Milk Company. As the demand for prepared milk grew, other plants were established and other kinds of products added to the output. There are now in Canada thirty-three plants, the list of principal products including condensed milk, evaporated milk, skim milk powder, buttermilk powder and casein.

The value of concentrated milk products in Canadian factories as first reported in the decennial census of 1891 was \$83,000. In 1901 the value had increased to \$269,520 in 1906 to \$855,409 and 1910 to \$1,814,871. The value of production for the years 1917-1954 is given in the following table.

TABLE 12. Production of Concentrated Milk Products, 1917 to 1954

Year	Value of products	Year	Value of Products
	\$		\$
1917	7,308,042	1935	6,849,989
1918	11,218,055	1936	7,434,896
1919	13,930,513	1937	10,078,192
1920	17,160,111	1938	11,844,817
1921	11,526,422	1939	11,575,971
1922	6,839,232	1940	14,478,543
1923	10,040,318	1941	19,570,999
1924	9,710,017	1942	27,829,398
1925	9,844,613	1943	29,895,009
1926	9,601,138	1944	32,968,991
1927	10,186,312	1947	40,198,691
1928	10,176,208	1948	54,216,408
1929	10,498,544	1949	44,250,824
1930	10,040,176	1950	47,076,784
1931	7,067,807	1951	61,330,207
1932	5,952,947	1952 ¹	61,755,498
1933	5,536,888	1953 ¹	53,865,900
1934	5,991,759	1954 ¹	54,321,999

1. Beginning in 1952 the basis of collection is "value of factory shipments" instead of "gross value of products."

TABLE 13. Imports and Exports of Concentrated Milk Products Calendar Years 1920 to 1954

Year	Imports	Exports	Year	Imports	Exports
	\$	\$		\$	\$
1920	192,273	8,589,330	1937	115,683	3,174,594
1921	27,649	5,643,244	1938	61,188	3,456,398
1922	113,008	3,135,866	1939	73,601	3,295,009
1923	133,845	5,105,293	1940	180,499	4,298,778
1924	94,035	5,323,658	1941	142,154	7,218,907
1925	53,298	5,110,272	1943	133,780 ¹	5,433,172
1926	75,984	4,538,939	1944	383,349 ¹	5,423,636 ²
1927	90,921	4,256,344	1945	97,864 ¹	12,218,123 ²
1928	72,497	3,497,601	1946	502,242 ¹	9,910,583 ²
1929	101,206	3,650,117	1947	977,522 ²	12,009,484 ²
1930	64,014	2,966,536	1948	175,189 ¹	16,622,196 ²
1931	77,362	2,099,519	1949	98,961 ¹	11,988,078 ²
1932	30,339	2,099,119	1950	117,445 ¹	9,550,595 ²
1933	22,994	2,097,153	1951	885,005 ¹	9,700,894 ²
1934	25,123	2,209,750	1952	148,858 ¹	13,687,946 ²
1935	22,318	2,247,075	1953	132,931 ¹	11,137,468 ²
1936	35,876	1,886,468	1954	83,864 ¹	8,536,135 ²

1. Includes "dried whey".

2. Exclusive of "milk preparations, n.o.p.".

Consumption of Canned Foods in Canada, 1939 to 1954

The following table gives the per capita consumption in Canada of various canned foods. The method of arriving at

consumption figures is shown in detail for 1953 and 1954. All figures given are in pounds.

TABLE 14. Per Capita Consumption of Canned Foods, 1940-1951

	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952
Population—000's omitted: (Decennial census, June 1, 1951) ...	11,507	11,654	11,795	11,946	12,072	12,292	12,551	12,823	13,447	13,712	14,009	14,430
Canned Fruits:	Pounds											
Apple products, except juice	1.8	2.5	2.1	3.1	1.5	2.5	3.5	2.3	2.0	2.7	2.0	2.0
Apricots .....	.4	.3	.1	.1	.1	.2	.4	.3	.3	.3	.5	.4
Peaches	2.6	3.4	1.1	.9	1.5	2.5	3.7	2.7	3.2	3.8	3.4	3.4
Pears	1.3	1.7	1.0	1.4	1.1	.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.4	1.5
Raspberries .....	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.2	.2	.2	.2
Strawberries .....	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.2	.3	.3	.2	.2	.3
All other fruits	4.6	6.8	1.1	.9	1.8	1.5	2.5	2.8	3.8	4.7	5.5	6.5
Total	11.0	14.9	5.6	6.5	6.1	7.6	11.9	10.0	11.3	13.7	13.2	14.3
Canned Vegetables:	Pounds											
Asparagus .....	.4	.4	.2	.4	.2	.2	.4	.2	.3	.3	.3	.3
Beans, baked, including lima	5.2	3.6	.6	3.6	2.6	2.7	5.8	5.6	5.6	6.7	6.6	6.4
Beans, green or wax	1.8	2.0	1.9	3.2	2.9	3.1	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.7	3.0
Corn, including corn-on-cob	3.6	3.9	2.6	4.7	4.0	4.1	4.3	5.0	4.9	5.0	5.3	4.7
Peas	6.4	6.7	5.3	8.6	8.8	8.1	7.3	5.8	7.3	6.8	6.7	6.6
Tomatoes ²	8.8	10.7	6.4	9.2	7.2	7.5	6.2	8.0	5.0	7.2	7.3	6.1
All other vegetables	2.4	1.4	1.3	1.2	2.7	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.1	2.8	3.1	3.3
Total	28.6	28.7	18.3	30.9	28.4	29.0	30.4	30.4	28.6	31.2	32.0	30.4
Concentrated Milk Products:	Pounds											
Whole milk, condensed or evaporated	10.4	13.1	13.9	11.6	14.8	13.2	15.4	16.5	21.3	18.3	18.6	19.1
Whole milk, powder .....	.3	.7	1.2	1.0	.7	.6	.7	.6	.6	.4	.4	.3
Skim milk, powder	2.4	2.2	1.9	2.2	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.8	3.4	3.2	3.1
Other concentrated milk products .....	.6	.6	.6	.6	.6	.7	.8	1.0	1.3	1.9	2.2	2.0
Total	13.7	16.6	17.6	15.4	18.7	17.4	19.8	20.6	26.0	24.0	24.4	24.5
Other Canned Foods:	Pounds											
Apple juice	1.1	1.2	.8	1.5	1.7	2.1	1.7	2.5	2.1	2.3	3.0	2.9
Tomato juice	4.9	7.2	4.3	11.3	9.5	10.0	7.3	8.3	8.7	8.2	8.4	7.8
Jams, jellies and marmalades	6.7	6.3	7.6	8.7	6.6	7.1	8.8	7.7	6.9	7.4	6.7	6.9
Infant foods, except meat .....	.4	.5	.5	.7	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.7	1.6	2.1	2.2	2.5
Soup	7.3	6.9	7.5	8.9	11.1	13.4	10.0	9.7	9.5	12.4	13.8	13.1
Meat	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.1	3.6	4.4	4.2	2.6	3.8	4.0	4.9	6.3

1. Less than .05 but included in total.

2. Includes Domestic Canners.

TABLE 15. Consumption of Canned Foods, 1953 and 1954

		Opening Inventory	+Production	+Imports	-Exports	-Closing Inventory	Total Consumption	Per capita Consumption ¹
Pounds								
Canned Fruits:								
Apple products, except juice	1953	16,388,096	34,412,391	—	530,068	15,515,016	34,753,403	2.3
	1954	15,515,016	43,915,088	—	343,561	24,383,366	34,703,177	2.2
Apricots	1953	4,842,693	4,776,230	1,095,910	—	3,892,328	6,822,505	.5
	1954	3,892,328	7,174,460	4,690,757	—	5,943,414	9,814,131	.6
Peaches	1953	45,650,353	39,199,350	9,863,194	48,909	35,237,008	59,426,980	4.0
	1954	35,237,008	52,339,779	12,139,821	972,556	37,711,572	61,032,480	4.0
Pears	1953	22,365,665	23,064,651	1,380,684	52,589	20,849,407	25,909,004	1.7
	1954	20,849,407	31,147,174	2,454,041	1,053,647	24,976,748	28,420,227	1.9
Raspberries	1953	1,626,749	4,305,824	—	—	2,542,417	3,390,156	.2
	1954	2,542,417	4,494,924	—	—	3,358,836	3,678,505	.2
Strawberries	1953	2,417,879	3,060,570	—	—	1,313,563	4,164,886	.3
	1954	1,313,563	4,884,285	—	—	2,556,252	3,641,596	.3
All other fruits	1953	31,213,922	36,094,211	66,078,635	234,731	30,422,911	102,729,126	7.0
	1954	30,422,911	43,523,791	77,644,263	503,949	39,240,564	111,846,452	7.4
Total	1953	124,503,357	144,913,227	78,418,423	866,297	109,772,650	237,196,060	16.0
	1954	109,772,650	187,479,501	96,928,882	2,873,713	138,170,732	253,136,568	16.6

1. Population for 1953 was 14,781,000 and for 1954 15,195,000.

TABLE 15. Consumption of Canned Foods, 1953 and 1954 - Concluded

	Opening Inventory	+ Production	+ Imports	- Exports	- Closing Inventory	Total Consumption	Per capita Consumption
Pounds							
Canned Vegetables:							
Asparagus	1953 1,959,074	3,895,794	918,275	-	1,960,020	4,813,123	.3
	1954 1,960,020	4,087,074	880,441	-	2,181,634	4,745,901	.3
Beans, baked, including lima	1953 23,863,583	85,418,372	2,596,321	415,008	17,530,828	93,932,440	6.4
	1954 17,530,828	96,620,004	3,879,733	383,435	24,634,076	93,013,054	6.2
Beans, green or wax	1953 39,366,780	53,291,761	-	-	47,825,240	44,833,301	3.0
	1954 47,825,240	48,315,467	148,218	-	42,725,950	53,562,975	3.5
Corn, including corn-on-cob	1953 86,377,733	59,983,314	304,337	431,095	70,642,496	75,591,793	5.2
	1954 70,642,496	65,249,440	3,527,529	1,189,217	61,190,215	77,040,033	5.2
Peas	1953 63,392,076	98,225,045	2,203,038	362,045	67,254,342	96,203,772	6.5
	1954 67,254,342	100,103,454	2,017,945	533,603	71,682,890	97,159,248	6.3
Tomatoes ¹	1953 85,179,965	91,442,637	8,088,339	152,891	90,177,243	94,380,807	6.4
	1954 90,177,243	45,155,087	7,566,761	309,663	38,292,040	104,297,388	6.8
All other vegetables	1953 42,773,564	48,614,095	2,771,111	452,835	44,118,039	49,587,896	3.3
	1954 44,118,039	40,685,261	4,869,511	1,666,406	42,990,176	45,016,229	2.9
Total	1953 342,912,775	440,871,018	16,881,421	1,813,874	339,508,208	459,343,132	31.1
	1954 339,508,208	400,215,787	22,890,138	4,082,324	283,696,981	474,834,828	31.2
Concentrated Milk Products:							
Whole milk, evaporated	1953 64,661,000	272,009,000	-	13,382,000	48,369,000	274,919,000	18.60
	1954 48,369,000	280,350,000	-	6,284,000	46,480,000	275,955,000	18.16
Whole milk, condensed	1953 1,061,000	18,462,000	22,000	5,200,000	1,510,000	12,835,000	0.87
	1954 1,510,000	13,648,000	35,000	1,768,000	1,077,000	12,348,000	0.81
Whole milk powder	1953 2,301,000	18,744,000	20,000	13,943,000	1,984,000	5,138,000	0.35
	1954 1,984,000	18,819,000	14,000	14,257,000	1,349,000	5,211,000	0.34
Skim milk powder	1953 16,645,000	82,914,000	101,000	23,479,000	10,709,000	65,472,000	4.43
	1954 10,709,000	83,332,000	7,000	10,432,000	11,848,000	71,768,000	4.72
Other concentrated milk products	1953 7,326,000	47,657,000	581,000	4,168,000	8,210,000	43,186,000	2.92
	1954 8,210,000	54,088,000	412,000	4,697,000	4,161,000	53,852,000	3.55
Total	1953 91,994,000	439,786,000	724,000	60,172,000	70,782,000	401,550,000	27.17
	1954 70,782,000	450,237,000	468,000	37,438,000	64,915,000	419,134,000	27.58
Other Canned Foods:							
Apple juice	1953 18,237,733	39,037,973	-	1,125,490	21,204,931	34,945,285	2.4
	1954 21,204,931	71,167,727	-	1,280,580	46,263,824	44,828,254	2.9
Tomato juice	1953 128,697,924	105,678,492	20,740,728	1,733,529	109,539,676	143,843,939	9.7
	1954 109,539,676	95,453,010	20,711,590	1,800,754	74,389,632	149,513,890	9.8
Jams, jellies, and marmalades	1953 14,745,596	103,998,965	4,771,492	2,607,045	15,864,940	105,044,068	7.1
	1954 15,864,940	108,832,700	4,953,535	2,585,452	16,759,144	110,306,579	7.3
Infant food, except meats	1953 20,378,767	44,980,233	-	54,344	24,860,480	40,444,176	2.7
	1954 24,860,480	52,852,632	-	137,876	28,009,266	49,565,970	3.3
Soups	1953 67,747,419	192,816,753	-	5,733,528	75,178,723	179,651,921	12.1
	1954 75,178,723	200,392,112	-	5,440,405	78,153,707	191,976,723	12.6
Meats	1953 75,117,932	56,248,995	11,542,831	22,748,342	36,101,188	84,060,228	5.7
	1954 36,101,188	57,450,465	15,978,259	50,220,089	15,164,820	44,145,003	2.9

1. Includes Domestic Canners.

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