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TELEGRAPHIC CROP REPORT — PRAIRIE PROVINCES

This is the seventh of the 1974 series of eleven telegraphic reports, issued by Statistics Canada, covering crop conditions in the Prairie Provinces. A selected list of crop correspondents chosen from the Federal and Provincial Departments of Agriculture, private crop observers and grain men supply the information on which these reports are based. The weather data included in this release are furnished by the Atmospheric Environment Service, Department of the Environment.

Advanced Preliminary Estimates of Specified Crop and Summerfallow Acreages, Prairie Provinces, 1974

Preliminary estimates for the Prairie Provinces of acreages seeded to all types of wheat, durum wheat, oats and barley for all purposes, rye, flaxseed, rapeseed and acreages in summerfallow in 1974 appear on page 2 of this report. All of these estimates are subject to change upon the completion of the tabulation of the 1974 acreage survey returns. The 1974 acreage estimates are based on returns from Statistics Canada's annual June survey. Agricultural statisticians in each of the provinces have co-operated in determining the estimates.

The 1974 area for tame hay, mixed grains and most other crops will be published in the regular acreage release (C.R. No. 13) on July 26, 1974.

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Preliminary Estimates of Crop and Summerfallow Acreages
1974 with Comparisons — Prairie Provinces

Crops	Average 1963-72	1972	1973	1974	1974 as % of 1973	1974 as % of 1963-72
	acres				%	
MANITOBA						
Spring wheat(1)	2,789,700	2,440,000	3,000,000	2,900,000	97	104
Durum wheat	107,500	160,000	100,000	100,000	100	93
All wheat	2,897,200	2,600,000	3,100,000	3,000,000	97	104
Oats(2)	1,591,700	1,200,000	1,400,000	1,300,000	93	82
Barley	1,154,900	2,100,000	2,100,000(2)	1,900,000(2)	90	165
Fall rye	120,400	80,000	80,000	90,000	112	75
Spring rye	2,200	1,500	2,000	2,000	100	91
All rye	122,600	81,500	82,000	92,000	112	75
Flaxseed	904,800	500,000	600,000	750,000	125	83
Rapeseed	232,700	470,000	400,000	500,000	125	215
Summerfallow	2,972,400	2,900,000	2,400,000	2,500,000	104	84
SASKATCHEWAN						
Spring wheat(1)	14,758,100	11,200,000	14,000,000	13,100,000	94	89
Durum wheat	1,752,700	2,700,000	2,200,000	2,700,000	123	154
All wheat	16,510,800	13,900,000	16,200,000	15,800,000	98	96
Oats(2)	2,286,400	2,100,000	2,400,000	2,400,000	100	105
Barley	2,836,600	4,600,000	4,300,000(2)	4,200,000(2)	98	148
Fall rye	331,400	260,000	240,000	335,000	140	101
Spring rye	52,000	20,000	20,000	15,000	75	29
All rye	383,400	280,000	260,000	350,000	135	91
Flaxseed	650,100	650,000	650,000	550,000	85	85
Rapeseed	1,034,700	1,500,000	1,450,000	1,500,000	103	145
Summerfallow	17,726,900	18,500,000	16,400,000	16,900,000	103	95
ALBERTA						
Spring wheat(1)	5,108,000	4,000,000	4,650,000	4,100,000	88	80
Durum wheat	238,700	300,000	250,000	400,000	160	168
All wheat	5,346,700	4,300,000	4,900,000	4,500,000	92	84
Oats(2)	2,604,600	2,400,000	2,500,000	2,300,000	92	88
Barley	4,321,700	5,200,000	5,300,000(2)	5,300,000(2)	100	123
Fall rye	162,400	200,000	220,000	325,000	148	200
Spring rye	27,900	20,000	20,000	25,000	125	90
All rye	190,300	220,000	240,000	350,000	146	184
Flaxseed	334,600	170,000	200,000	200,000	100	60
Rapeseed	886,500	1,300,000	1,300,000	1,200,000	92	135
Summerfallow	7,238,000	7,600,000	6,700,000	7,000,000	104	97

(1) Excludes durum, but includes relatively small acreages of winter wheat.
(2) Includes oats and barley for grain and for hay.

Preliminary Estimates of Crop and Summerfallow Acreages
1974 with Comparisons — Prairie Provinces

Crops	Average 1963-72	1972	1973	1974	1974 as % of 1973	1974 as % of 1963-72
	acres				%	
PRAIRIE PROVINCES						
Spring wheat(1) .	22,655,800	17,640,000	21,650,000	20,100,000	93	89
Durum wheat	2,098,900	3,160,000	2,550,000	3,200,000	125	152
All wheat	24,754,700	20,800,000	24,200,000	23,300,000	96	94
Oats(2)	6,482,700	5,700,000	6,300,000	6,000,000	95	93
Barley	8,313,200	11,900,000	11,700,000(2)	11,400,000(2)	97	137
Fall rye	614,200	540,000	540,000	750,000	139	122
Spring rye	82,200	41,500	42,000	42,000	100	51
All rye	696,400	581,500	582,000	792,000	136	114
Flaxseed	1,889,500	1,320,000	1,450,000	1,500,000	103	79
Rapeseed	2,153,900	3,270,000	3,150,000	3,200,000	102	149
Summerfallow	27,937,300	29,000,000	25,500,000	26,400,000	104	94

SUMMARY

Prairie Provinces. — Surface soils have become dry in the Prairies, and although there has been some precipitation in Manitoba and Alberta, rain is needed in most districts for continued crop growth. Early-sown cereals are in the shotblade stage and early-seeded oilseeds are in bloom. Except where delayed by rain, haying is under way.

Manitoba. — Scattered showers relieved the very dry surface soil conditions but more rain is still needed in the province. Plant growth is slow and uneven and some late-seeded crops have been worked under. Early-seeded crops are generally in fair to good condition. Early rapeseed, mustard seed, peas and potatoes are in bloom while the early cereals are in the shotblade stage in the southwest region. Sugar beet hoeing is under way. Weed spraying is almost complete and insect damage has been light.

Saskatchewan. — Rain is needed in practically all districts of Saskatchewan, except around Rosetown and Scott, to ensure continued crop development. However, cereals and oilseeds are not showing signs of deterioration due to a lack of surface moisture. Crop progress is variable as a result of the seeding patterns of last spring with early-sown cereals in the shotblade stage in many districts and some rapeseed in bloom. Farmers are spraying for weed control. Haying has started and good yields are reported.

Alberta — Field crops are continuing to make good progress as a result of recent rainfall. However, additional precipitation would be beneficial in the southeastern part of the province and the Peace River District. Average wheat height ranges from 10 to 12 inches in the southern regions to five to seven inches in the north. Moderate to heavy grasshopper infestations are evident in southern Alberta although extensive spraying has resulted in minimal crop losses. Red Turnip Beetles are present in the north-central regions and many areas in the Peace River District.

RUST REPORT

In the north-central United States there is a moderate infection of wheat leaf rust and the wheat stem rust infection is light although wide-spread. Leaf and stem rusts of oats are very light in Manitoba. Wheat leaf rust has been observed in experimental plots but not in farm fields. The other cereal rusts have not been observed because rust development has apparently been delayed by the recent dry weather.

GRASSHOPPER REPORT

Grasshopper control measures are still in progress. Most of the spraying that has been carried out has been along roadsides and margins of crops in the Red River Valley. Damage has generally been confined to the margins.

MANITOBA

At Vita crop conditions and prospects are good at the present time. Although there was some rainfall on the eighth of July more moisture is needed in the area. Spraying is in progress for both weed and insect control. Hay and pasture growth is good with above average yields for hay expected. Corn is doing well, rapeseed has been sprayed for flea beetles and sugar beet hoeing is in progress. There was some hail in isolated areas last week but the damage was not serious. Heavy thunder showers on the seventh of July alleviated the drought which to date has slowed plant growth and caused sugar beet fields to be worked down at Altona. Some rapeseed fields are in flower at a height of six inches. The rain however terminated hay making which was in full swing. At Morden moisture is required for the later seeded crops. Early-seeded grain is headed and rapeseed and mustard seed are flowering. Sugar beet hoeing and cultivation of potatoes are general. There has been some spraying of grasshoppers north of Winkler. Haying operations are general and pastures although adequate are becoming dry.

Some wheat is in head and early-seeded flaxseed is in bloom at Pilot Mound. Haying is under way and spraying is nearly completed for wild oats and broadleaf weeds. There has been some spraying to control the flea beetles and sunflower beetles The area received some scattered showers but a general rain is needed to replenish the surface moisture. Precipitation during the weekend varied from one quarter inch to two inches at Melita. Those areas not receiving sufficient rain require more precipitation within a week. The tame hay crop varies from average to above average while the wild hay crop is average to below average. Pastures are drying rapidly and grasshoppers are numerous in some areas.

Haying operations are now well under way with above average yields and quality reported at Beausejour. Crop and weed growth is late and moisture is urgently required as the top soil is very dry. There have been no reports of serious insect infestations. Pastures are drying out and corn in the Whitemouth and River Hills areas although in good condition require more moisture. Summerfallow operations are in full swing. Soil conditions in the Selkirk area are very dry. Crop growth is very poor and weed growth is being controlled fairly easily because of ideal weather for spraying. The first cut of hay is under way and yields are about average. Pasture growth is also normal and special crops are growing as well as can be expected with the hot weather and late seeding. The strawberry harvest is in full swing with fair yields. The crops need more rain at Stonewall. Weed growth is heavy especially green fox - tail, wild oats and Canada thistle, but control measures are being taken. Haying operations are general with prospects for a fair to good yield.

Light rains in the Brandon area have provided some relief. Haying is nearing completion and the quality of the crop is good. Cereals are approaching the shotblade stage and weed spraying is under way.

Rains on Sunday night at Minnedosa should improve crop prospects which had deteriorated badly. It is expected that many of the late-seeded crops will be unproductive. Haying is now under way but there has been some losses through shrinkage and leaf loss due to high temperatures and dry conditions. Fall rye yields appear to be fair to good. At Shoal Lake the late-seeded crops and especially pastures will benefit from the weekend rain. Haying operations were in full swing last week with average yields reported.

At Dauphin the early-seeded crops are progressing favourably but there has been uneven germination in the late-seeded crops because of the hot, dry weather. A heavy infestation of green foxtail and wild oats has been reported. The flea beetle damage is extensive on rapeseed. Haying is general with an above average stand and more rain is needed to maintain growth.

The unweighted average precipitation since April 1 has been 15 per cent above normal compared with 20 per cent above normal a week ago, 36 per cent above normal two weeks ago and 19 per cent above normal a year ago. Mean temperature for the week ending July 8 was 2.3 degrees F. above normal compared with 4.8 degrees above normal a week ago, 1.7 degrees above normal two weeks ago and in contrast to 1.0 degree below normal for the week ending July 9, 1973.

SASKATCHEWAN

In the Indian Head district crops are not yet suffering from drought, but rain will be needed soon to maintain present growth. Cereals are four to seven inches in height and oilseeds three to five inches. Heavier than usual weed infestation is reported in early-sown crops and farmers are now spraying for weed control. The second cultivation of summerfallow has been carried out and this land is relatively free from weeds and in good condition. Insects have not been a problem this season with little or no control measures required.

In the southwest of the province at Val Marie more rain is needed to achieve better than average yields. Some 0.45 inch of rain has fallen since July 7, bringing the total since May 1 to 5.17 inches. Wheat on the average is now 12 inches high and barley and oats 10 inches. Haying has started on irrigated land with an average crop reported. Prairie vegetation is starting to turn yellow due to the high winds and lack of moisture. Very few grasshoppers and gophers are reported. Early-seeded crops are in head on quite short straw near Eastend. Much of the late-seeded crops and stubble crops are generally good although the range of maturity is extremely variable. Fall rye is in good condition as are pastures. Continuing isolated showers have been helpful and prospects are generally good although the grasshopper situation is severe.

Crops are growing well in the Swift Current district with early-sown fields in the shotblade stage. Moisture conditions vary, depending on local rain showers, it is dry in the extreme southwest of the district but elsewhere moisture supplies are sufficient. Grasshopper damage is serious in many areas but extensive spraying has kept losses down. Reports from Leader indicate that crops are making rapid growth with early wheat 12 inches high and in the shotblade. Some acreage, has been lost due to grasshoppers and flooding.

In the east-central part of the province at Melville early-sown crops are in the shotblade. Late-sown crops are also progressing well but a good general rain would be very helpful as plant growth has so far developed mainly surface roots. District farmers have completed about 80 per cent of their spraying and haying has started with good yields reported. Rainfall since May 1 this year has totalled 6.48 inches compared with 9.34 for the same period in 1973.

At Drake the last general rain fell on June 9. Since then hot, windy weather has been depleting surface moisture and advancing crop development. Rain is required soon. There are reports of light grasshopper infestations and beetles in rapeseed. Haying operations are beginning and good progress with summerfallowing is reported. Weed spraying is nearing completion in the district. Cattle are good but pastures need rain. In the Craik district there has been a trace of rain. Some crops are in the shotblade but are short and weedy. Grasshoppers are plentiful but not too much damage has occurred. Weed spraying has been finished. Rye crops are in head in the district. Pastures are dry and rain is needed.

Crops are growing well and not suffering for lack of moisture at Saskatoon. However, the surface soil is quite dry. Early wheat and coarse grains are in the shotblade stage and rapeseed is starting to flower. Some of the late-sown rapeseed is very poor and patchy. Weed spraying is almost finished and some crops are badly infested with wild oats. Haying has started and high yields are in prospect.

In the west central part of the province at Rosetown some farmers are still spraying for grasshoppers but most of the activity is now concentrated on weed spraying and summerfallow operations. Some 2.15 inches of rain fell since June 26. Haying has started and should be in full swing later this week weather permitting. Now that moisture supplies are good, warm weather should advance the crop. At Scott cooler weather and 1.45 inches of rain during the past two weeks have kept crops growing rapidly with some rapeseed in bloom and some wheat in the shotblade. Haying is in progress with better than average yields reported, pastures are good and livestock doing well.

At Melfort hot, dry weather continues and spraying for broadleafed weeds is progressing. First-seeded crops are in the shotblade stage with some Polish rape and mustard in flower. Rain is needed for these crops and for a good crop of fall rye that is now fully headed. Haying is under way with good yields being obtained.

The Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Association reports the following storms: June 24 - Consul, Vidora, Marengo, Smiley, Kindersley, Kinley and Saskatoon; June 25 - Ogema, Vibank, Odessa, Lemberg, Grayson, Waldron, Lucky Lake, Gorlitz, Verigin and Pelly; June 26 - Vidora, Shaunavon, Maple Creek, Golden Prairie, Horsham, Fox Valley, Prelate, Sceptre, Eston, Tyner, Rosetown, Bradwell, Vonda, Allan, Colonsay, Peterson and Bruno; June 28 - Maidstone, Paynton, North Battleford, Waldheim, Crystal Springs and Quill Lake; July 2 - Success and Pambrun.

The unweighted average precipitation for the province since April 1 was 8 per cent above normal compared with 10 per cent above normal a week ago, 15 per cent above normal two weeks ago and 31 per cent above normal a year ago. Mean temperature for the week ending July 8, 1974 was 1.4 degrees F. below normal in contrast to 4.2 degrees above normal a week ago, 6.8 degrees above normal two weeks ago and compared with 1.3 degrees below normal for the week ending July 9, 1973.

ALBERTA

At Medicine Hat in the southeast moisture conditions range from fair to good. Most of the crop is in the shotblade stage or just breaking out. Hail damage was extensive in several areas of this district. Grasshopper infestations are still a problem in some areas. More moisture will be required shortly if the hot windy days continue.

In the Lethbridge district crops are progressing favourably following the recent rains with early-sown spring wheat and barley heading. Winter wheat is filling and fall rye is beginning to mature with prospects of good yields. Sugar beet thinning is complete but about 3,000 acres were damaged by hail on July 1. First cut haying is now complete with good yields reported. At Cardston all crops appear good. Some light hail damage was reported on July 6. Fall wheat is filling while spring grain is in the shotblade and heading stages. Oilseed crops are in bloom with some early-seeded fields setting pod. Haying is in progress with above average yields and pastures are holding up well. In the Claresholm district the weather has been cooler with showers reported in most of the area. Winter wheat and rye crops look good and are assured because of the recent rains. Most spring sown crops are two weeks behind normal. Some grasshopper infestations were reported but are now under control. There has been some spraying for beetles in rapeseed. Haying has been hampered because of the recent damp weather.

In the northeast-central area at Vermilion crops are developing very well with many heavy stands. Most rapeseed is now in bloom. Showers have delayed haying operations. However the hay crop is very heavy.

At Lacombe over an inch and a half of rain has fallen since July 4. A hail storm on July 5 in a path one to three miles wide from Gull Lake to Mirror caused up to one hundred per cent damage. Early cereals will be heading by this weekend. Spraying is about 85 per cent completed. Haying had just commenced before the rains started. In the Eckville area two inches of rain during the past two weeks have made moisture conditions ideal. However, cool weather is slowing crop development. Haying is just starting with yields from one to one and one half tons per acre expected. Weed spraying is completed. Early-seeded barley is starting to head and early-seeded rapeseed is in full bloom.

In the Peace River District at Fairview general crop conditions range from good to poor. Some scattered showers have helped throughout the area but a general rain is still needed. Many rapeseed fields are in full bloom with stands ranging from average to poor. Wheat is approaching 12 to 18 inches in height but no heading has started. The barley fields are variable with some only six inches in height while others are heading. Hay crops vary from light to average and haying operations are about to get under way. Pastures are grazed down and will need a good rain to recover. Insect problems have been minimal to date.

The Alberta Hail and Crop Insurance Corporation reports the following storms: June 26 - evening storm moving from southwest to northeast caused severe damage to winter wheat and fall rye between Nemiskam and Orion; June 27 - storm beginning at 7 p.m. west of Strome travelled northeast in a path four miles wide and eight miles long, light to moderate damage; July 1 - first a storm two miles wide and 20 miles long began ten miles northwest of Vulcan and travelled in a southeasterly direction causing severe damage to fall rye. A second storm beginning near Cardston at 6:30 p.m. moved in a northeasterly direction between Taber and Foremost to Burdett, Grassy Lake and Bow Island causing severe damage to winter wheat, fall rye and irrigated specialty

crops; July 5 - an evening storm beginning north of Bentley moved due east through Lacombe, Alix, Erskine and Botha causing severe damage in a strip four miles wide; July 6 - a late afternoon storm inflicted spotty damage on an area five miles by ten miles at Cardston.

The unweighted average precipitation for the province since April 1 was 17 per cent above normal compared with 10 per cent above normal a week ago, 5 per cent above normal two weeks ago and 17 per cent above normal a year ago. Mean temperature for the week ending July 8, 1974 was 4.9 degrees F. below normal compared with 0.1 degree below normal a week ago, in contrast to 7.5 degrees above normal two weeks ago and compared with 3.1 degrees below normal for the week ending July 9, 1973.

Precipitation and Temperature Data, Prairie Provinces(1)

Données sur les précipitations et la température Provinces des Prairies(1)

Province and crop district — Province et district agricole	Station	Precipitation — Précipitations: Week ending 8 a.m. July 8 1974 — Semaine se terminant 8 a.m. le 8 juillet 1974	Precipitation — Précipitations: Total since April 1 — Total depuis le 1er avril	Precipitation — Précipitations: Normal since April 1 — Normales depuis le 1er avril	Mean temperature week ending 8 a.m. July 8 — Température moyenne semaine se terminant 8 a.m. le 8 juillet: 1974	Mean temperature week ending 8 a.m. July 8 — Température moyenne semaine se terminant 8 a.m. le 8 juillet: Normal — Normale
		inches — pouces			degrees — degrés F.	
MANITOBA						
1	Boissevain	1.29	7.81	7.55	69	67
	Pierson	.59	5.80	7.00	70	67
2	Baldur	.04	8.07	7.42	70	68
	Pilot Mound	.18	9.02	7.21	71	66
3	Altona	.25	9.43	6.54	74	69
	Deerwood	..	12.39(2)	7.12	..	70
	Graysville	.61	10.17	6.76	70	69
	Morden	.56	11.93	7.20	74	70
	Morris	.68	9.74	6.75	73	70
	Portage la Prairie	.87	8.89	8.38	71	70
	Roland	..	8.32(2)	7.00	..	69
4	Stonewall	.89	8.93	7.44	72	67
5	Emerson	.14	8.99	6.79	77	68
	Steinbach	.84	9.21	7.01	69	68
	Winnipeg	.21	9.37	7.07	72	68
	Starbuck	.33	9.42	7.01	72	68
6	Pinawa	.05	9.68	4.25	70	65
	Great Falls	..	6.55(2)	5.33	..	68
	Sprague	.64	9.18	7.36	70	65
7	Virden	.74	5.52	6.99	69	67
8	Brandon	.49	6.01	7.45	69	67
	Cypress River	1.44	8.84	7.23	69	68
9	Gladstone	.33	6.41	7.50	..	67
10	Birtle	.21	5.46(2)	7.16	66	65
	Rossburn	.39	7.78	6.70	67	65
	Russell	.57	5.73	6.07	66	65
11	Dauphin	.14	6.87	7.49	67	68
12	Arborg	.57	6.83	7.14	68	66
	Gimli	.12	7.06	7.10	68	68
13	Swan River	.15	6.27	6.52	65	65
	The Pas	.11	3.75	5.67	63	66
14	Grass River	.11	6.05	7.54	68	66
MANITOBA AVERAGE — MOYENNE		.47	7.96	6.93	69.6	67.3
SASKATCHEWAN						
1A	Carlyle	.67	5.93	6.40	64	66
	Estevan	.93	6.56	6.77	69	68
	Oxbow	1.23	5.17(2)	6.35	66	65
	Willmar	..	4.09(2)	6.88	..	65
1B	Broadview	.40	5.98	7.37	65	65
	Moosomin	.61	6.63	7.26	66	66

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		Week ending 8 a.m. July 8 1974 — Semaine se terminant 8 a.m. le 8 juillet 1974	Total since April 1 — Total depuis le 1er avril	Normal since April 1 — Normales depuis le 1er avril	1974	Normal — Normale
		inches — pouces			degrees — degrés F.	
SASKATCHEWAN — Continued — suite						
2A	Yellow Grass	.89	5.96	6.33	67	66
	Weyburn	.63	5.86	6.36	66	65
	Midale	.85	5.91	6.33	68	67
	Amulet	1.26	7.47	..	64	65
2B	Moose Jaw	.25	6.59	6.13	66	67
	Regina	.23	5.54	6.39	66	65
	Francis	..	3.48(2)	5.94	..	65
	Indian Head	.18	6.41	6.27	65	65
3AS	Ormiston	1.65	6.63	6.74	66	66
	Cardross	.91	5.85	6.59	64	67
	Rock Glen	2.05	9.01	6.64	64	64
3AN	Grevelbourg	..	4.77(2)	5.62	..	66
	Coderre	.15	3.85(2)	6.37	63	66
	Chaplin	.35	6.42	5.49	66	66
3BS	Shaunavon	.16	9.41	5.77	62	65
	Aneroid	.36	6.08	5.48	65	66
	Instow	..	6.42(2)	6.01	..	66
3BN	Swift Current	.13	6.05	6.31	62	66
	Pennant	..	5.52(2)	6.00	..	67
	Elrose	..	5.14(2)	5.11	..	66
4A	Maple Creek	..	7.86(2)	5.45	..	67
	Consul	.40	7.28	4.51	61	65
4B	Leader	..	6.94(2)	5.14	..	67
5A	Cupar	.11	6.89	6.16	65	67
	Balcarres	..	5.30(2)	6.62	..	65
	Lipton	.08	5.64	5.57	64	65
	Yorkton	.17	6.04	6.22	65	65
	Bangor	..	5.87(2)	6.92	..	65
5B	Wynyard	.21	6.18	5.27	64	64
	Foam Lake	.05	4.96(2)	6.18	61	64
	Kuroki	.02	5.54	6.44	63	64
	Kamsack, Cote	.88	4.97	5.86	61	64
6A	Davidson	.77	5.52	6.17	64	65
	Strasbourg	.29	6.78	6.69	66	65
	Watrous	.09	6.81	5.70	64	66
	Liberty	..	2.59(2)	6.17	..	66
6B	Harris	..	6.33(2)	5.25	..	67
	Outlook	.19	5.44	5.02	61	68
	Saskatoon	.38	7.39	4.85	62	67
	Elbow	.31	2.89	6.02	69	66
	Tugaske	.99	6.39	6.46	74	66
	Dundurn	.10	7.01	5.18	63	67

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		inches — pouces			degrees — degrés F.	
SASKATCHEWAN — Concluded — fin						
7A	Alsask	..	5.36(2)	4.59	..	66
	Kindersley	.74	7.65	4.38	61	66
	Rosetown	1.12	8.20	5.28	62	66
7B	Macklin	.54	5.98	4.88	61	65
	Denzil	.75	6.18	5.04	60	64
	Scott	.55	5.10	5.23	59	64
	Biggar	..	2.71(2)	5.27	..	66
8A	Hudson Bay	.07	5.64	6.20	63	64
	Prairie River	.12	3.58(2)	6.61	68	64
	Nipawin	.21	5.47	..	62	..
8B	Humboldt	.09	3.93	5.47	61	64
	Melfort	.03	7.70	5.80	63	64
9A	North Battleford	.86	6.41	4.97	61	66
	Victoire	..	6.89(2)	5.60	..	62
	Prince Albert	.14	7.17	5.42	61	65
9B	Meadow Lake	.46	6.29	5.15	62	62
	Waseca	..	5.61(2)	5.58	..	64
SASKATCHEWAN AVERAGE — MOYENNE		.50	6.33	5.88	64.0	65.4
ALBERTA						
1	Empress	1.18	5.69	5.02	64	67
	Foremost	.34	5.37	3.19	61	67
	Hanna	.44	6.72	..	59	..
	Manyberries	.18	6.46	5.33	63	67
	Medicine Hat	.27	5.92	5.33	64	68
2	Brooks	.39	5.00	5.16	61	67
	Gleichen	1.05	6.35	6.30	58	64
	Vauxhall	.48	5.85	5.00	61	66
	Raymond	.56	8.85(2)	3.88	59	66
	Lethbridge	.62	6.97	6.79	61	66
	Trochu	..	6.83(2)	6.04	..	64
	Queenstown	.67	8.47	3.11	65	65
3	Calgary	.82	6.29	4.29	55	62
	Cardston	.19	5.73(2)	4.68	56	64
	Pincher Creek	.08	10.07	9.55	57	63
	Fort MacLeod	.45	8.99	7.74	59	67
	High River	..	7.43(2)	8.35	..	61
	Olds	.28	7.38	7.70	58	61

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Precipitation and Temperature Data, Prairie Provinces(1)

Données sur les précipitations et la température Provinces des Prairies(1)

Province and crop district — Province et district agricole	Station	Precipitation — Précipitations: Week ending 8 a.m. July 8 1974 — Semaine se terminant 8 a.m. le 8 juillet 1974	Precipitation — Précipitations: Total since April 1 — Total depuis le 1er avril	Precipitation — Précipitations: Normal since April 1 — Normales depuis le 1er avril	Mean temperature week ending 8 a.m. July 8 — Température moyenne semaine se terminant 8 a.m. le 8 juillet: 1974	Mean temperature week ending 8 a.m. July 8 — Température moyenne semaine se terminant 8 a.m. le 8 juillet: Normal — Normale
		inches — pouces			degrees — degrés F.	
ALBERTA — Concluded — fin						
4	Alliance	.89	7.85	5.28	59	64
	Coronation	.48	6.50	4.90	60	64
	Hughenden	.32	6.87	5.35	58	64
	Lloydminster	.79	8.79	5.22	61	64
	Sedgewick	.51	7.69	..	59	..
	Stettler	1.26	6.43	6.13	58	64
	Vegreville	..	6.79(2)	5.48	..	64
	Ranfurly	.23	7.64	5.91	59	63
	Vermilion	.34	7.33	5.17	59	62
5	Edmonton	.75	7.49	6.96	56	64
	Lacombe	1.55	6.37	7.72	56	63
	Red Deer	.93	7.89	8.69	55	62
	Rocky Mountain House	.55	7.43	4.55	54	61
	Wetaskiwin	.60	10.06	7.04	58	63
6	Campsie	.68	5.14(2)	6.87	56	60
	Edson	.74	8.30	7.68	58	58
	Elk Point	.96	8.24	5.94	58	62
	Whitecourt	1.72	7.86	6.91	56	60
7	Beaverlodge	.98	4.02	5.29	53	60
	Chipewyan	.04	5.12	3.66	56	62
	Ft. Vermilion	..	.41(2)	4.28	..	60
	Grande Prairie	.37	3.54	5.39	54	60
	High Prairie	.90	6.03	5.97	55	60
	Peace River	.91	3.81	4.33	54	60
	Rycroft	.54	3.68	5.42	55	60
ALBERTA AVERAGE — MOYENNE		.64	6.79	5.80	58.2	63.1

(1) Source: Atmospheric Environment Service. — Service de l'environnement atmosphérique.
(2) Incomplete; not included in average. — Incomplet, non compris dans la moyenne.
.. Figures not available. — Données indisponibles.