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NOTE

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

Supplement XXXIV contains revisions and additions to the farm price series previously published in the confidential report "Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, by Provinces, by months, 1935 to 1946" and Supplements number I to XXXIII thereof. The price series are those which are included in the construction of the Index Numbers of Farm Prices of Agricultural Products published each month by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Supplement XXXIV is divided into Sections A. and B. Section A sets forth monthly revisions which have been made for the years 1962-1963 and Section B presents price data not previously published for the months, May to October 1963.

SECTION A

Revisions in Previously Published Data of Farm
Prices of Agricultural Products
by Provinces, by Months,
1962-1963

Revisions of Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, 1962-63

No.		January	February	March	April
		dollars			
	Ontario:				
1	Hogs (per cwt.): 1963	-	-	-	23.26
	Manitoba:				
2	Wheat (per bu.) 1962	-	-	-	-
3	1963	1.66	1.68	1.68	1.68
	Saskatchewan:				
4	Wheat (per bu.) 1962	-	-	-	-
5	1963	1.66	1.66	1.66	1.66
	Alberta:				
6	Wheat (per bu.) 1962	-	-	-	-
7	1963	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60
	British Columbia:				
8	Wheat, Peace River (per bu.) 1962	-	-	-	-
9	1963	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.50
10	Tomatoes, forced (per ton) 1963	-	-	-	508.96
11	Asparagus (per lb.) 1963	-	-	-	.167
12	Rhubarb, field (per ton) 1963	-	-	-	76.48
13	Rhubarb, forced (per ton) 1963	296.73	296.73	296.73	296.73
14	Cucumber, forced (per ton) 1963	-	-	-	370.00
15	Cauliflower (per lb.) 1963	-	-	-	.052

SECTION B

Farm Prices of Agricultural Products,
by Provinces, by Months,
May to October 1963

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Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1963

Commodity	Province	Page	Commodity	Province	Page
Apples	N.S.	10	Celery	Ont.	11
	N.B.	10		B.C.	13
	Que.	10	Cheese Milk	Que.	11
	Ont.	11		Ont.	11
	B.C.	13			
Asparagus	Ont.	11	Cherries	Ont.	11
	B.C.	13	B.C.	13	
Barley	Ont.	11	Corn, for husking	Ont.	11
	Man.	12		for canning	Que.	11
	Sask.	12	Ont.	11	
	Alta.	12	B.C.	13	
Beans	Que.	11	Cucumbers	B.C.	13
	B.C.	13			
Beets	B.C.	13	Dairy Butter	P.E.I.	10
Butterfat	P.E.I.	10		N.S.	10
	N.S.	10		N.B.	10
	N.B.	10		Que.	11
	Que.	11		Ont.	11
	Ont.	11		Man.	12
	Man.	12		Sask.	12
	Sask.	12		Alta.	12
	Alta.	12		B.C.	13
B.C.	13	Eggs		P.E.I.	10
Cabbage	Ont.		11	N.S.	10
	B.C.		13	N.B.	10
Calves	P.E.I.		10	Que.	11
	N.S.		10	Ont.	11
	N.B.	10	Man.	12	
	Que.	11	Sask.	12	
	Ont.	11	Alta.	12	
	Man.	12	B.C.	13	
	Sask.	12	Flax	Man.	12
	Alta.	12		Sask.	12
	B.C.	13		Alta.	12
	Cantaloupe	B.C.	13	Flue-cured Tobacco	Ont.	11
Carrots	B.C.	13	Fluid Milk	P.E.I.	10
Cattle	P.E.I.	10		N.S.	10
	N.S.	10		N.B.	10
	N.B.	10		Que.	11
	Que.	11		Ont.	11
	Ont.	11		Man.	12
	Man.	12		Sask.	12
	Sask.	12		Alta.	12
	Alta.	12	B.C.	13	
	B.C.	13	Fur Farming	P.E.I.	10
	Cauliflower	B.C.		13	Ont.

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Commodity	Province	Page	Commodity	Province	Page
Green Peas	Que.	11	Peaches	Ont.	11
	Ont.	11		B.C.	13
	B.C.	13	Pears	B.C.	13
Hens & Chickens	P.E.I.	10	Peppers	B.C.	13
	N.S.	10	Plums	B.C.	13
	N.B.	10	Potatoes	P.E.I.	10
	Que.	11		N.S.	10
	Ont.	11		N.B.	10
	Man.	12		Que.	10
	Sask.	12		Ont.	11
	Alta.	12		B.C.	13
	B.C.	13	Raspberries	Ont.	11
Hogs	P.E.I.	10		B.C.	13
	N.S.	10	Rhubarb	B.C.	13
	N.B.	10	Sheep	P.E.I.	10
	Que.	11		N.S.	10
	Ont.	11		N.B.	10
	Man.	12		Que.	11
	Sask.	12		Ont.	11
	Alta.	12		Man.	12
	B.C.	13		Sask.	12
Lambs	P.E.I.	10		Alta.	12
	N.S.	10		B.C.	13
	N.B.	10	Spinach	B.C.	13
	Que.	11	Squash, etc.	B.C.	13
	Ont.	11	Strawberries	N.B.	10
	Man.	12		Que.	10
	Sask.	12		Ont.	11
	Alta.	12		B.C.	13
	B.C.	13	Sugar Beets	Alta.	12
Lettuce	B.C.	13	Tomatoes	Que.	11
Maple Syrup	Que.	11		Ont.	11
Mushrooms	B.C.	13		B.C.	13
Oats	Que.	10	Turnips	Ont.	11
	Ont.	11		B.C.	13
	Man.	12	Wheat	Ont.	11
	Sask.	12		Man.	12
	Alta.	12		Sask.	12
	B.C.	13		Alta.	12
Peace River, Southern,	B.C.	13		B.C.	13
	B.C.	13		B.C.	13
Onions	Ont.	11		Peace River, Southern,	11
	B.C.	13			12
Parsnips	B.C.	13		Sask.	12
				Alta.	12
				B.C.	13
				B.C.	13

Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1963

		May	June	July	August	September	October
		dollars					
Prince Edward Island:							
Potatoes	cwt.	1.62	2.11	1.80	1.53	1.24	.770
Cattle	"	18.68	18.81	19.02	18.79	18.97	18.32
Calves	"	19.78	19.91	20.38	19.35	21.01	20.10
Hogs	"	24.52	27.02	27.26	27.16	26.60	25.63
Sheep	"	7.00	8.14	7.12	7.00	5.88	6.08
Lambs	"	16.58	17.24	18.15	18.47	15.89	17.78
Hens & Chickens	lb.	.209	.190	.189	.223	.216	.199
Eggs	doz.	.311	.313	.319	.349	.418	.442
Butterfat	lb.	.685	.685	.685	.685	.690	.690
Fluid Milk	cwt.	4.01	4.10	3.97	4.03	4.07	4.08
Dairy Butter	lb.	.554	.548	.540	.541	.541	.550
Fur Farming	pelt	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nova Scotia:							
Potatoes	cwt.	2.07	2.37	2.68	2.27	1.92	1.82
Apples	bu.	1.01	1.01	1.01	1.01	1.00	1.00
Cattle	cwt.	19.25	20.07	19.70	19.61	19.50	19.43
Calves	"	19.87	20.39	19.85	19.81	21.29	21.83
Hogs	"	25.84	28.21	29.15	28.74	27.77	26.57
Sheep	"	8.50	9.00	9.50	7.50	6.75	5.50
Lambs	"	17.00	22.23	22.98	20.62	16.30	18.58
Hens & Chickens	lb.	.247	.253	.242	.247	.270	.278
Eggs	doz.	.415	.418	.421	.436	.488	.503
Butterfat	lb.	.650	.630	.620	.630	.640	.640
Fluid Milk	cwt.	4.73	4.71	4.56	4.68	4.75	4.75
Dairy Butter	lb.	.566	.559	.571	.552	.559	.564
New Brunswick:							
Potatoes	cwt.	1.20	1.43	1.89	1.47	1.10	.876
Apples	bu.	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.15	1.15
Strawberries	qt.	.28	.26	.26	.26	.26	.26
Cattle	cwt.	18.42	18.16	18.23	17.87	18.37	17.98
Calves	"	18.77	19.36	19.53	19.61	20.16	19.49
Hogs	"	26.20	28.40	29.30	29.19	27.86	26.37
Sheep	"	7.70	7.67	7.50	7.14	5.40	6.83
Lambs	"	13.50	18.82	19.60	18.20	15.75	18.12
Hens & Chickens	lb.	.240	.228	.233	.240	.265	.295
Eggs	doz.	.453	.455	.448	.462	.505	.559
Butterfat	lb.	.655	.650	.650	.655	.660	.670
Fluid Milk	cwt.	4.55	4.53	4.47	4.54	4.60	4.65
Dairy Butter	lb.	.591	.583	.587	.584	.589	.589
Quebec:							
Potatoes	cwt.	1.61	1.81	2.36	2.40	1.87	1.65
Oats	bu.	.894	.897	.875	.870	.822	.826
Apples	bu.	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.50	1.50
Strawberries	qt.	.23	.27	.27	.27	.27	.27

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Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1963 - Continued

	May	June	July	August	September	October
	dollars					
Quebec - Concluded:						
Tomatoes	ton	29.94	29.94	..	..	..
Corn	"	21.25	21.25	21.25	21.25	..
Green Peas	"	86.55	..	..	..	..
Beans	"	81.36	81.36	..	..	..
Maple Syrup	gal.	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	cwt.	17.42	17.73	17.66	17.60	17.54
Calves	"	22.52	22.97	22.09	22.37	24.10
Hogs	"	25.04	27.22	27.66	26.57	26.69
Sheep	"	8.52	8.17	8.03	6.92	6.00
Lambs	"	17.77	21.43	21.40	19.82	17.03
Hens & Chickens	lb.	.242	.245	.247	.230	.227
Eggs	doz.	.434	.430	.440	.454	.502
Butterfat	lb.	.692	.698	.693	.701	.706
Fluid Milk	cwt.	4.21	4.16	4.19	4.20	4.23
Dairy Butter	lb.	.554	.546	.550	.551	.561
Cheese Milk	cwt.	2.76	2.76	2.76	2.76	2.75
Ontario:						
Potatoes	cwt.	2.13	2.23	2.50	2.29	1.94
Wheat	bu.	1.74	1.71	1.68	1.65	1.66
Oats	"	.803	.787	.788	.765	.732
Barley	"	1.12	1.12	1.07	1.04	1.03
Corn	"	1.46	1.55	1.59	1.66	1.62
Apples	"	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.95
Strawberries	qt.	.243	.212	.212	.212	.212
Grapes	lb.	.052	.052	.052	.052	.052
Peaches	bu.	3.06	3.06	3.06	3.17	3.17
Raspberries	qt.	.359	.359	.433	.433	.433
Cherries	bu.	5.77	5.77	7.00	7.00	7.00
Tomatoes for canning	ton	37.08	37.08	37.00	37.00	37.00
Corn for canning	"	26.42	26.42	26.42	26.42	26.40
Green Peas for canning	"	100.42	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Asparagus	cwt.	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00	18.00
Celery	crate	1.92	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Onions	ton	50.22	50.22	54.40	54.40	54.40
Turnips	"	35.14	35.14	35.14	31.65	31.65
Cabbage	"	35.80	38.80	38.80	38.80	38.80
Flue-cured Tobacco	lb.	.483	.483	.483	.483	.483
Cattle	cwt.	21.62	22.53	23.40	23.45	23.17
Calves	"	28.25	28.00	27.09	27.19	26.71
Hogs	"	25.35	28.62	28.63	27.15	27.33
Sheep	"	7.08	7.00	7.10	6.94	6.94
Lambs	"	23.25	25.19	24.33	21.33	20.53
Hens & Chickens	lb.	.204	.196	.195	.190	.206
Eggs	doz.	.360	.366	.381	.386	.453
Butterfat	lb.	.658	.630	.631	.631	.631
Fluid Milk	cwt.	4.39	4.37	4.35	4.36	4.53
Dairy Butter	lb.	.572	.573	.570	.570	.569
Cheese Milk	cwt.	2.70	2.75	2.79	2.81	2.92

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Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1963 - Continued

	May	June	July	August	September	October
	dollars					
Manitoba:						
Wheat	1.68	1.68	1.68	1.24	1.20	1.20
Oats .....	.490	.491	.490	.485	.476	.477
Barley .....	.774	.777	.781	.778	.766	.772
Flax	3.03	3.05	2.97	2.93	2.84	2.91
Cattle	20.41	20.80	21.40	21.68	21.74	20.51
Calves	27.59	28.01	27.23	27.33	27.58	26.10
Hogs	23.22	25.44	25.88	25.71	25.45	24.36
Sheep	4.02	3.90	4.45	4.06	4.05	4.13
Lambs	19.34	21.98	19.65	18.46	17.82	16.18
Hens & Chickens .....	.199	.200	.192	.196	.197	.198
Eggs .....	.255	.248	.259	.276	.313	.317
Butterfat .....	.634	.638	.636	.636	.636	.636
Fluid Milk	4.08	4.08	4.10	4.10	4.14	4.16
Dairy Butter .....	.564	.573	.579	.568	.574	.577
Saskatchewan:						
Wheat	1.66	1.66	1.66	1.24	1.25	1.25
Oats .....	.469	.468	.466	.461	.459	.455
Barley .....	.749	.747	.738	.734	.730	.730
Flax	3.02	3.03	3.00	2.97	2.91	2.95
Cattle	20.01	20.42	21.04	21.28	21.20	20.14
Calves	24.22	24.54	24.84	24.64	24.41	23.26
Hogs	22.92	25.32	25.92	25.78	25.22	24.10
Sheep	4.50	3.54	4.75	4.14	4.22	4.78
Lambs	17.19	20.26	18.65	17.89	16.06	15.40
Hens & Chickens .....	.206	.215	.215	.211	.239	.249
Eggs .....	.226	.225	.233	.252	.272	.285
Butterfat .....	.641	.639	.644	.632	.647	.646
Fluid Milk	4.03	4.00	4.00	4.11	4.15	4.46
Dairy Butter .....	.565	.563	.552	.564	.564	.560
Alberta:						
Wheat	1.62	1.62	1.64	1.20	1.22	1.23
Oats .....	.478	.482	.481	.480	.472	.476
Barley .....	.778	.773	.768	.762	.744	.729
Flax	3.06	3.02	2.98	2.94	2.93	2.98
Sugar Beets .....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	20.87	21.23	21.80	22.14	22.35	20.69
Calves	24.53	24.86	24.98	25.11	24.73	23.22
Hogs	23.75	25.99	26.39	26.98	26.86	24.32
Sheep	4.55	5.18	6.00	4.52	4.14	5.33
Lambs	19.22	20.78	17.61	17.71	16.35	15.53
Hens & Chickens .....	.215	.210	.213	.214	.230	.222
Eggs .....	.261	.264	.276	.300	.315	.330
Butterfat663	.656	.657	.659	.655	.658
Fluid Milk	4.29	4.27	4.30	4.29	4.36	4.35
Dairy Butter552	.557	.558	.554	.558	.558

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Farm Prices of Agricultural Products, May to October 1963 - Concluded

	May	June	July	August	September	October	
dollars							
British Columbia:							
Potatoes	cwt.	2.60	2.77	3.18	2.69	2.25	2.20
Wheat, Peace River	bu.	1.46	1.45	1.46	1.27	1.30	1.36
Wheat, Southern B.C.	"	1.67	1.71	1.75	1.76	1.70	1.72
Oats, Peace River	"	.631	.576	.676	.572	.567	.546
Oats, Southern, B.C.	"	.877	.766	.818	.821	.797	.767
Apples	"	2.81	2.81	2.81	2.81	2.71	2.71
Strawberries	qt.	.27	.28	.28	.28	.28	.28
Peaches	bu.	3.07	3.07	3.07	3.58	3.58	3.58
Raspberries	qt.	.26	.26	.29	.29	.29	.29
Cherries	bu.	9.54	9.54	10.35	10.35	10.35	10.35
Plums	"	3.40	3.40	3.42	3.42	3.42	3.42
Pears	"	3.54	3.54	3.54	3.80	3.80	3.80
Tomatoes, field	ton	30.54	30.54	34.32	34.32	34.32	34.32
Tomatoes, forced	"	508.96	508.96	508.96	508.96	508.96	508.96
Corn	lb.	.019	.019	.019	.019	.019	.019
Peas, green	"	.046	.046	.046	.046	.046	.046
Beans, green & wax	"	.056	.056	.056	.056	.056	.056
Asparagus	"	.167	.167	.167	.167	.167	.167
Celery	"	.041	.040	.040	.040	.040	.040
Onions	"	.035	.035	.044	.044	.044	.044
Turnips	"	.030	.030	.030	.036	.036	.036
Cabbage	"	.035	.035	.035	.035	.035	.035
Rhubarb, field	ton	76.48	76.48	76.48	76.48	76.48	76.48
Rhubarb, forced	"	296.73	296.73	296.73	296.73	296.73	296.73
Cucumber, field	"	129.82	129.82	129.82	141.43	141.43	141.43
Cucumber, forced	"	370.00	370.00	370.00	370.00	370.00	370.00
Beets	lb.	.038	.039	.039	.039	.039	.039
Cantaloupe	"	.050	.050	.050	.050	.050	.050
Carrots	"	.038	.038	.042	.042	.042	.042
Cauliflowers	"	.052	.052	.052	.052	.052	.052
Lettuce	"	.052	.052	.052	.052	.052	.052
Mushrooms	"	.430	.430	.430	.430	.430	.430
Parsnips	"	.049	.049	.049	.049	.049	.050
Peppers	"	.154	.154	.154	.154	.154	.154
Spinach	"	.050	.050	.050	.050	.050	.050
Squash, etc.	"	.030	.030	.035	.035	.035	.035
Cattle	cwt.	19.55	20.48	20.16	20.16	19.78	19.39
Calves	"	24.13	24.72	24.02	23.73	23.24	22.42
Hogs	"	25.42	27.72	27.41	28.14	28.18	25.52
Sheep	"	4.67	4.67	6.56	5.20	5.12	6.56
Lambs	"	18.91	19.65	18.02	17.79	17.17	15.91
Hens & Chickens	lb.	.167	.167	.172	.211	.192	.186
Eggs	doz.	.389	.390	.386	.401	.408	.417
Butterfat	lb.	.672	.665	.665	.665	.665	.665
Fluid Milk	cwt.	5.48	5.46	5.47	5.48	5.50	5.58
Dairy Butter	lb.	.524	.526	.533	.530	.529	.548

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