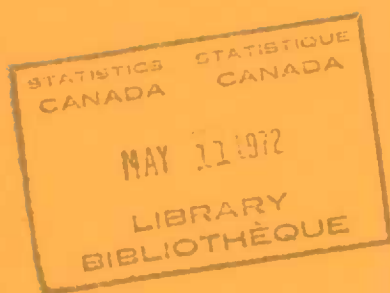


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## INTRODUCTION

**Creamery butter** — Total factory butter production during 1971 amounted to 294 million pounds, about 40 million pounds below the 1970 production. Stocks of creamery butter were below year-earlier levels at all reporting dates in 1971. The net decrease in stocks was about 39 million pounds, from 90.0 million at January 1, 1971 to 51.4 at January 1, 1972. May holdings at 49.2 million pounds were above the five year average (for May) of 40.0 million pounds. Peak holdings amounted to 90.0 million pounds at January 1, compared with 118.4 million pounds as the peak for 1970, which occurred in October. The year-end build-up of creamery butter stocks in 1969 continued in 1970 into January of 1971. Since then the stocks declined and fell into line with the declining trend of butter stocks since the early sixties.

During 1971 the domestic disappearance of creamery butter was up slightly, compared with a year earlier, however the per capita consumption was down slightly.

**Cheddar cheese** — Stocks of cheddar cheese were below year-earlier levels for all months of 1971, except for December. However, there was a net increase of 1.6 million pounds at January 1, 1972, compared with January 1, 1971. The average monthly stocks for 1971 were about 58 million pounds. This level was well below that of the past three years. The average monthly stocks for 1968, 69 and 70 were, 85, 80 and 71 million pounds, respectively. The out-of-storage movement probably reflects the increased per capita consumption of cheddar cheese.

**Concentrated milk products** — Evaporated whole milk constitutes the largest holding amongst the concentrated whole milk products. During the first six months of 1971, the stocks were well below those of the previous year in the corresponding months. During the second six month period stocks increased and were approximately comparable to the year-earlier levels. There was a net increase of 5.5 million pounds at January 1, 1972 compared with January 1, 1971.

Skim milk powder constitutes the major commodity among the concentrated milk by-products. Stocks of skim milk powder were below year-earlier levels for all months during 1971. The net decrease, based on the January stocks amounted to 48 million pounds. On the average, the 1971 stocks were 66 million pounds below the 1970 levels, or less than half of the 1970 average monthly holdings.

**Eggs** — Stocks of frozen eggs were above year-earlier levels for all months of 1971. The net increase, based on January stocks, amounted to 4.5 million pounds, or an increase of 60%. The average monthly holdings during 1971, were about 10 million

pounds compared to 5.4 million pounds a year earlier. The build-up of stocks started during September of 1970 and has continued to increase since that time.

**Meat** — Total frozen poultry meat stocks were above the year-earlier levels for all months except for November and December, 1971. The January stocks of 1971 at 71.7 million pounds, were about 20 million pounds above the previous year level of 51.8 million pounds. The smallest holdings at 57.8 million pounds at July 1 were 15 million pounds higher than the corresponding month a year earlier. The year-end stocks at November and December were below the 1970 levels, but higher than the five year average levels during these peak months.

Total stocks of frozen meat were generally above the 1970 levels, except for December, which was virtually the same as year-earlier stocks. During the past two years the monthly stocks of frozen meats have been up considerably in comparison with the previous five years. Average monthly stocks in 1967, 68 and 69 were 68, 60 and 59 million pounds, respectively; in 1970 and 1971 the average monthly stocks amounted to 87 and 99 million pounds, respectively. However, there was a net decrease of about 7 million pounds based on the January stocks.

Storage holdings of frozen pork were considerably above year-earlier levels for all months during 1971. Also, a net increase of about 3 million pounds, based on the January stocks was noted. The lowest holdings during 1971 amounted to 30 million pounds, compared with 17 million pounds for the previous year. The peak holdings during 1971 amounted to 64 million pounds, compared with a high of 30 million pounds in 1970. In general, the pork stocks were the highest since 1960.

Frozen beef stocks showed a net decrease of 7 million pounds based on the January holdings. The average monthly stocks during 1971 at about 40 million pounds were 5 million pounds below the average 1970 levels. However, the average monthly holdings of the past two years were above the five-year average levels.

Imported meat stocks, including beef, veal, mutton and lamb, constituted a monthly average of 25 million pounds. The 1971 stocks were 6 million pounds below the average monthly holdings of 1970. In general, the stocks of the past few years were higher than the stocks in the mid sixties.

**Apples** — Stocks of apples during November 1971, at 496 million pounds, were 50 million pounds below the 1970 level for the corresponding month and 27 million pounds below the five year average of 523 million pounds.



**TABLE 1. Dairy Products in Cold Storage, Wholesale Warehouses and in Dairy Factories in Canada as at the First Business Day of Each Month during 1971**

Dairy products	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. 1 1972 <sup>1</sup>
thousands of pounds													
<b>Butter</b>													
Creamery butter .....	89,950	81,904	65,543	50,947	49,229	51,084	60,066	70,555	74,106	73,027	67,415	58,066	51,359
Whey butter .....	276	237	204	192	157	188	236	276	355	421	292	292	217
<b>Totals, all butter .....</b>	<b>90,226</b>	<b>82,141</b>	<b>65,747</b>	<b>51,139</b>	<b>49,386</b>	<b>51,272</b>	<b>60,302</b>	<b>70,831</b>	<b>74,461</b>	<b>73,448</b>	<b>67,707</b>	<b>58,358</b>	<b>51,576</b>
<b>Cheese</b>													
Cheddar cheese .....	60,814	56,445	53,953	51,404	46,770	48,477	53,179	60,127	62,350	68,813	66,282	63,925	62,445
Other varieties (not process) .....	7,163	7,200	5,889	5,954	6,173	6,911	7,150	7,564	8,981	9,773	10,029	10,598	9,633
Process .....	7,838	8,784	8,642	8,188	6,454	7,083	6,705	6,570	9,861	6,864	8,371	10,765	11,404
<b>Totals, all cheese .....</b>	<b>75,815</b>	<b>72,429</b>	<b>68,484</b>	<b>65,546</b>	<b>59,397</b>	<b>62,471</b>	<b>67,034</b>	<b>74,261</b>	<b>81,192</b>	<b>85,450</b>	<b>84,682</b>	<b>85,288</b>	<b>83,482</b>
<b>Concentrated milk products<sup>2</sup></b>													
Whole milk:													
Condensed .....	1,176	1,072	899	741	1,034	1,149	1,274	1,217	1,480	930	1,064	1,196	1,169
Case .....													
Bulk .....	1,176	1,072	899	741	1,034	1,149	1,274	1,217	1,480	930	1,064	1,196	1,169
Evaporated (manufacturers) .....	29,083	25,577	13,133	8,373	15,159	19,937	31,084	41,024	34,594	37,533	43,644	38,233	34,557
Whole milk powder .....	180	273	286	413	290	392	175	302	213	220	198	183	409
Spray process .....	180	273	286	413	290	392	175	302	213	220	198	171	356
Roller process .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	53
Partly skimmed evaporated or concentrated milk .....	730	726	651	724	893	965	831	667	698	637	609	678	604
Milk by-products:													
Skim milk .....	87	163	120	152	106	185	118	236	145	77	123	141	172
Evaporated .....	35	80	46	81	44	91	65	126	112	24	81	63	100
Condensed .....	52	83	74	71	62	94	33	110	33	53	42	78	72
Skim milk powder .....	85,878	73,658	58,135	30,668	38,216	49,354	66,002	80,918	89,302	69,707	67,813	47,266	37,709
Spray process .....	84,600	72,598	57,061	29,883	37,408	48,044	63,534	77,948	86,284	67,253	65,411	45,041	34,954
Roller process .....	1,278	1,060	1,074	785	808	1,310	2,468	2,970	3,018	2,454	2,402	2,225	2,755
Buttermilk powder .....	1,814	1,090	966	1,741	1,071	1,141	1,612	1,954	2,024	1,531	1,487	1,571	1,624
Whey powder .....	9,675	10,168	9,559	9,053	8,689	8,485	7,672	7,143	6,223	5,610	5,552	6,307	6,338

<sup>1</sup> January 1, 1972 subject to revision.

<sup>2</sup> Held by or for manufacturers.

<sup>3</sup> Excluded to avoid disclosing individual company operations but included in the totals for "bulk".

**TABLE 2. Frozen Poultry Products in Cold Storage and Wholesale Warehouses in Canada as at the First Business Day of Each Month during 1971**

Poultry products	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. 1 1972 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Frozen eggs:</b>													
Whole .....	5,339	5,253	5,015	5,818	7,518	9,059	8,774	8,530	8,106	8,693	8,352	7,886	8,261
Yolk .....	1,729	1,664	1,491	1,491	1,334	1,490	1,728	1,528	2,056	2,348	2,479	2,543	2,022
Whites .....	473	643	634	833	618	755	892	963	1,306	1,127	1,724	1,569	1,786
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>7,541</b>	<b>7,560</b>	<b>7,140</b>	<b>8,142</b>	<b>9,470</b>	<b>11,304</b>	<b>11,394</b>	<b>11,021</b>	<b>11,468</b>	<b>12,168</b>	<b>12,555</b>	<b>11,998</b>	<b>12,069</b>
<b>Poultry, dressed and eviscerated:</b>													
Chicken:													
Under 4 lb. ....	10,666	10,270	11,035	8,511	9,154	9,286	8,835	7,800	7,311	6,592	5,550	4,664	5,691
4 lb. and over ..	8,031	8,451	8,218	7,927	7,480	6,502	5,183	4,285	3,311	3,050	2,867	4,007	3,379
Further processed ..	11,737	10,570	9,582	8,683	9,012	8,067	7,728	6,201	8,074	8,483	8,198	8,883	10,310
Fowl .....	6,401	5,631	5,730	5,369	5,529	4,587	5,100	6,382	6,366	5,837	5,787	5,850	5,231
Turkey:													
Up to 10 lb. ....	3,211	4,354	4,718	5,723	5,472	5,368	6,804	9,133	10,287	9,110	6,869	6,584	4,252
Over 10 lb. and under 16 ..	8,567	8,193	8,373	8,316	6,677	7,169	7,722	10,046	15,487	20,730	21,809	22,519	5,976
16 lb. and over ..	18,631	18,677	17,428	15,814	14,021	12,245	11,358	13,662	19,722	30,687	35,717	37,192	17,596
Further processed ..	1,821	1,937	1,927	2,094	1,955	1,858	1,932	1,998	1,495	1,898	2,121	2,116	2,462
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>32,230</b>	<b>33,161</b>	<b>32,446</b>	<b>31,947</b>	<b>28,125</b>	<b>26,640</b>	<b>27,816</b>	<b>34,839</b>	<b>46,991</b>	<b>62,425</b>	<b>66,516</b>	<b>68,411</b>	<b>30,286</b>
Duck .....	647	495	574	631	645	981	966	1,115	1,177	1,232	1,439	1,263	586
Goose .....	392	299	271	258	217	208	228	193	178	213	210	1,088	139
Unclassified .....	1,567	1,782	2,174	1,852	1,418	1,829	1,912	1,817	2,225	2,300	2,053	2,885	2,075
<b>Totals, all poultry .....</b>	<b>71,671</b>	<b>70,659</b>	<b>70,030</b>	<b>65,178</b>	<b>61,580</b>	<b>58,100</b>	<b>57,768</b>	<b>64,632</b>	<b>75,633</b>	<b>90,132</b>	<b>92,620</b>	<b>97,051</b>	<b>57,697</b>

<sup>1</sup> January 1, 1972 subject to revision.



**TABLE 3. Frozen Meat Products in Cold Storage, Packers' and Wholesale Warehouses in Canada  
as at the First Business Day of Each Month during 1971**

Meat products	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. 1 1972 <sup>1</sup>
	thousands of pounds												
<b>Pork:</b>													
Hams:													
18/down .....	2,204	2,922	4,114	3,938	6,638	8,259	8,323	7,362	7,995	6,040	6,558	5,135	2,675
18/25 .....	1,024	1,780	1,818	1,740	2,827	4,069	4,470	3,739	2,836	2,004	1,737	1,305	1,057
25/up .....	293	277	438	404	487	490	501	628	686	462	587	890	544
Backs:													
Boneless, skinless .....	2,297	1,988	2,348	3,013	3,333	3,164	3,350	2,571	1,816	1,342	1,768	2,073	2,656
Loins .....	1,245	1,137	1,531	2,036	2,155	1,871	1,718	1,390	1,443	1,094	1,310	1,402	1,678
Bellies:													
12/down .....	4,092	4,013	5,687	6,606	8,765	10,366	10,818	8,634	6,154	4,079	3,925	3,976	3,688
12/up .....	684	616	643	916	666	1,363	945	861	812	907	702	930	619
Shoulders .....	630	700	658	1,084	1,236	1,329	1,343	1,198	973	805	833	949	879
Butts .....	1,095	1,239	1,796	2,353	3,311	4,134	4,138	3,175	2,830	2,138	1,880	1,473	1,667
Picnics .....	1,161	1,223	1,675	2,090	2,972	3,453	4,163	3,986	3,893	3,203	2,468	1,798	1,478
Tenderloins .....	198	186	174	122	176	240	304	297	275	129	160	124	139
Spare ribs .....	1,002	849	1,110	1,463	1,779	1,877	1,993	1,833	1,539	1,084	1,080	780	865
Back ribs .....	734	577	486	510	587	625	616	576	581	425	414	442	419
Trimming:													
80% and up lean .....	2,156	1,962	2,821	4,032	4,682	5,284	5,121	4,258	3,925	2,772	2,338	2,626	2,106
Below 80% .....	1,149	1,137	1,373	1,853	2,161	2,023	1,943	1,879	1,466	1,430	1,550	1,573	1,583
Skinless neck fat .....	889	628	761	1,261	1,168	1,248	996	638	508	669	746	803	744
Unclassified .....	6,025	5,736	6,532	7,615	8,586	8,792	8,301	7,739	7,925	7,335	7,447	7,195	6,403
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>26,878</b>	<b>26,970</b>	<b>33,965</b>	<b>41,036</b>	<b>51,529</b>	<b>58,587</b>	<b>59,043</b>	<b>50,764</b>	<b>45,637</b>	<b>36,018</b>	<b>35,503</b>	<b>33,474</b>	<b>29,200</b>
<b>Beef:</b>													
Bone-in .....	7,431	6,725	6,343	6,325	6,451	6,236	6,770	7,091	6,652	7,196	7,737	8,007	7,071
Boneless .....	36,042	33,078	30,770	25,730	23,170	20,272	21,268	22,515	25,594	28,439	28,772	29,729	28,789
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>43,473</b>	<b>39,803</b>	<b>37,113</b>	<b>32,055</b>	<b>29,621</b>	<b>26,508</b>	<b>28,038</b>	<b>29,606</b>	<b>32,246</b>	<b>35,635</b>	<b>36,509</b>	<b>37,736</b>	<b>35,860</b>
<b>Veal:</b>													
Bone-in .....	1,496	1,363	1,211	1,196	1,077	1,003	998	1,172	1,051	1,145	1,322	1,362	1,179
Boneless .....	3,820	3,723	3,154	3,324	3,039	2,996	2,901	2,560	2,473	2,400	2,429	2,695	2,270
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>5,316</b>	<b>5,086</b>	<b>4,365</b>	<b>4,520</b>	<b>4,116</b>	<b>3,999</b>	<b>3,899</b>	<b>3,732</b>	<b>3,524</b>	<b>3,545</b>	<b>3,751</b>	<b>4,057</b>	<b>3,449</b>
<b>Mutton and lamb:</b>													
Carcasses and cuts .....	11,260	10,154	7,528	6,591	6,209	6,030	7,055	7,016	8,212	11,387	13,241	12,994	10,582
<b>Fancy meats:</b>													
Pork .....	3,265	3,203	3,335	4,075	3,943	4,875	4,491	4,204	4,044	4,113	3,991	4,388	3,665
Beef .....	4,337	4,581	4,788	5,136	5,578	6,449	6,197	6,399	6,483	5,595	6,209	5,664	5,108
Veal .....	309	280	250	240	226	272	238	178	158	170	173	227	288
Lamb .....	150	40	49	35	28	33	30	32	46	57	57	63	71
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>8,061</b>	<b>8,104</b>	<b>8,422</b>	<b>9,486</b>	<b>9,775</b>	<b>11,629</b>	<b>10,956</b>	<b>10,813</b>	<b>10,731</b>	<b>9,935</b>	<b>10,430</b>	<b>10,342</b>	<b>9,132</b>
<b>Totals, frozen meat<sup>2</sup> .....</b>	<b>94,988</b>	<b>90,117</b>	<b>91,393</b>	<b>93,688</b>	<b>101,250</b>	<b>106,753</b>	<b>108,991</b>	<b>101,931</b>	<b>100,370</b>	<b>96,520</b>	<b>99,434</b>	<b>98,603</b>	<b>88,223</b>
<b>Imported:<sup>3</sup></b>													
Beef:													
Bone-in .....	803	565	487	457	507	347	940	1,033	1,258	1,295	1,269	1,105	743
Boneless .....	23,227	21,086	18,601	13,974	11,682	9,248	9,599	10,888	13,394	15,145	14,896	13,553	12,579
Veal:													
Bone-in .....	273	187	190	216	123	107	106	195	230	166	185	144	123
Boneless .....	1,955	2,033	1,580	1,330	1,177	953	910	826	876	603	415	441	515
Mutton .....	3,348	2,413	1,754	1,391	1,271	1,082	1,041	1,116	2,049	3,573	5,458	5,523	4,088
Lamb .....	6,660	6,433	4,636	4,180	4,017	4,117	5,135	5,091	5,383	6,978	6,620	6,205	5,211
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>36,266</b>	<b>32,717</b>	<b>27,248</b>	<b>21,548</b>	<b>18,777</b>	<b>15,854</b>	<b>17,731</b>	<b>19,149</b>	<b>23,190</b>	<b>27,760</b>	<b>28,843</b>	<b>26,971</b>	<b>23,259</b>

<sup>1</sup> January 1, 1972 subject to revision.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes stocks of canned meat.

<sup>3</sup> Included in totals of frozen meat.

TABLE 4. Fruit in Cold Storage and Wholesale Warehouses in Canada as at the First Business Day of Each Month during 1971

Products	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. 1 1972 <sup>1</sup>
thousands of pounds													
<b>Fresh</b>													
Apples: <sup>2</sup>													
Cold .....	366,403	294,687	212,978	134,835	78,265	42,942	—	—	—	—	456,625	418,854	338,964
Common .....	11,616	7,839	6,029	4,443	4,498	5,067	—	—	—	—	39,279	28,526	11,499
Totals .....	378,019	302,526	219,007	139,278	82,763	48,009	—	—	—	—	495,904	447,380	350,463
Pears <sup>2</sup> .....	5,044	1,969	1,123	1,084	2,404	6,639	—	—	—	—	19,107	12,331	4,410
<b>Frozen</b>													
Containers 1 lb. and under:													
Apples .....	12	14	11	9	1	3	2	1	3	3	3	3	3
Blueberries .....	78	62	68	61	58	43	44	38	32	39	38	41	66
Cherries .....	3	3	1	—	3	3	—	3	33	33	28	28	3
Citrus fruit .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plums .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Raspberries .....	906	855	806	715	620	523	490	872	894	943	1,015	965	918
Strawberries .....	2,880	2,573	2,283	1,740	1,322	918	1,740	4,641	4,011	4,026	4,404	4,101	3,790
Other fruit .....	712	799	775	712	693	660	472	491	481	300	373	332	273
Totals .....	4,588	4,303	3,944	3,237	2,694	2,144	2,748	6,043	5,451	5,341	5,858	5,467	5,047
Containers over 1 lb. up to and including 30 lb.:													
Apples .....	3,611	4,337	5,160	5,080	5,302	4,508	4,135	3,518	2,857	2,298	1,741	2,703	3,692
Blueberries .....	4,667	4,108	3,568	3,091	2,611	2,190	1,801	1,331	4,309	4,720	4,617	4,569	4,178
Cherries .....	4,054	3,510	3,070	2,272	2,095	1,426	994	4,610	10,161	9,254	7,914	7,555	6,118
Citrus fruit .....	41	26	37	26	48	75	59	72	59	65	35	19	31
Plums .....	521	528	450	406	404	363	351	297	233	326	440	417	360
Raspberries .....	3,291	2,966	2,587	2,178	1,682	1,325	1,144	2,532	2,811	2,801	2,995	2,343	2,174
Strawberries .....	7,375	7,382	6,346	5,816	5,459	4,657	5,077	8,171	7,725	6,480	5,723	6,907	5,343
Other fruit .....	1,492	1,659	1,413	1,272	1,065	1,038	1,053	1,220	1,223	1,228	1,496	1,410	2,119
Totals .....	25,052	24,516	22,631	20,141	18,666	15,602	14,614	21,751	29,378	27,172	24,961	25,923	24,015
Containers over 30 lb.:													
Apples .....	339	621	601	638	582	599	505	400	360	240	198	166	400
Blueberries .....	2,345	1,959	1,723	1,182	725	288	213	162	2,635	2,724	2,479	3,150	2,012
Cherries .....	632	434	324	226	200	139	123	708	1,383	972	852	980	1,129
Citrus fruit .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plums .....	440	388	361	338	293	357	233	227	192	314	878	873	544
Raspberries .....	2,520	2,394	1,148	1,042	1,164	744	507	3,823	3,736	3,389	3,025	2,783	1,024
Strawberries .....	5,525	5,917	5,066	5,009	3,657	3,294	3,817	4,456	4,458	3,746	4,187	3,290	2,261
Other fruit .....	660	595	593	569	433	847	812	620	963	986	1,644	2,359	2,927
Totals .....	12,461	12,308	9,816	9,004	7,054	6,268	6,210	10,396	13,727	12,432	13,263	13,660	10,297
Frozen fruit (all containers):													
Apples .....	3,962	4,972	5,772	5,727	5,885	5,107	4,642	3,919	3,218	2,538	1,939	2,869	4,092
Blueberries .....	7,090	6,129	5,359	4,334	3,394	2,521	2,058	1,531	6,976	7,483	7,134	7,760	6,256
Cherries .....	4,686	3,944	3,395	2,498	2,295	1,565	1,117	5,318	11,544	10,226	8,766	8,535	7,247
Citrus fruit .....	41	26	37	26	48	75	59	72	92	159	63	106	31
Plums .....	961	916	811	744	697	740	584	524	425	640	1,318	1,290	904
Raspberries .....	6,717	6,215	4,541	3,935	3,466	2,592	2,141	7,227	7,441	7,133	7,035	6,091	4,116
Strawberries .....	15,780	15,872	13,695	12,565	10,438	8,869	10,634	17,268	16,194	14,252	14,314	14,298	11,394
Other fruit .....	2,864	3,053	2,781	2,553	2,191	2,545	2,337	2,331	2,666	2,514	3,513	4,101	5,319
Totals .....	42,101	41,127	36,391	32,382	28,414	24,014	23,572	38,190	48,556	44,945	44,082	45,050	39,359
<b>In preservatives</b> (Sulphur dioxide, etc.)													
Apples .....	785	1,113	1,200	1,453	947	791	787	728	634	571	540	554	720
Blueberries .....	2,633	2,428	2,161	1,762	1,836	1,280	1,098	2,905	2,118	1,961	2,009	1,734	1,664
Cherries .....	1,057	842	1,049	1,360	1,310	1,067	1,085	1,036	864	705	500	440	428
Citrus fruit .....	455	360	321	303	263	208	188	172	160	261	372	452	398
Plums .....	937	884	753	694	547	414	374	329	282	207	355	1,097	1,188
Raspberries .....	1,995	1,917	1,761	1,638	1,504	1,402	1,320	1,544	1,027	879	755	1,791	2,291
Strawberries .....	1,592	1,728	1,478	1,529	1,519	1,567	1,331	1,429	869	2,050	1,815	1,623	1,673
Totals .....	9,454	9,272	8,723	8,739	7,926	6,729	6,183	8,143	5,954	6,634	6,346	7,691	8,362
Totals, frozen and in preservatives ....	51,555	50,399	45,114	41,121	36,340	30,743	29,755	46,333	54,510	51,579	50,428	52,741	47,721

<sup>1</sup> January 1, 1972 subject to revision.

<sup>2</sup> Including stocks in the hands of commercial growers. No reports collected July to October inclusive.

<sup>3</sup> Excluded to avoid disclosing individual company operations but included in the totals for "Other fruit".

TABLE 5. Vegetables in Cold Storage and Wholesale Warehouses in Canada as at the First Business Day of Each Month during 1971

Products	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. 1 1972 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Fresh<sup>2</sup></b>													
Potatoes ..... '000 cwt.	27,365	22,607	18,710	14,798	10,258	5,249	—	—	—	—	31,982 <sup>3</sup>	30,073 <sup>3</sup>	25,618
Onions ..... '000 lb.	87,118	76,307	60,042	38,003	19,710	10,224	—	—	—	—	114,200	103,810	89,188
Carrots ..... "	89,057	50,233	30,343	10,875	5,677	3,606	—	—	—	—	116,374	96,598	71,445
Cabbage ..... "	7,140	3,885	2,375	1,699	1,362	1,413	—	—	—	—	22,342	10,650	5,859
<b>Frozen</b>													
Asparagus ..... '000 lb.	286	243	187	141	155	730	720	649	625	571	570	476	436
Beans:													
Green ..... "	14,303	12,400	10,822	8,824	7,569	6,457	5,578	5,122	12,219	14,777	13,379	12,007	10,581
Wax ..... "	2,541	2,401	2,229	1,976	1,775	1,565	1,389	1,346	1,790	1,914	2,306	1,970	2,186
Lima ..... "	2,901	2,666	2,442	2,269	2,123	1,835	1,520	1,404	1,227	2,615	2,785	2,609	2,211
Broccoli ..... "	3,153	2,978	2,550	2,105	1,845	1,654	1,256	988	1,382	2,586	3,221	3,003	3,070
Brussel sprouts ..... "	3,840	3,545	3,148	2,768	2,462	2,430	2,079	1,626	1,487	1,644	2,023	2,245	3,172
Carrots ..... "	10,310	10,005	9,137	8,306	7,197	6,122	5,693	4,953	4,123	4,003	8,024	10,643	10,890
Cauliflower ..... "	2,218	2,089	1,925	1,632	1,397	1,149	997	782	699	959	1,324	1,327	1,276
Corn ..... "	16,481	14,085	12,170	10,426	8,727	6,123	5,574	5,068	8,371	19,415	24,027	21,014	17,466
Peas ..... "	36,466	32,437	27,839	24,616	21,156	17,551	18,554	31,108	42,074	41,696	40,152	32,607	28,497
Spinach ..... "	855	752	574	538	622	562	608	588	543	748	800	980	867
Squash ..... "	1,664	1,542	1,557	1,373	1,197	848	969	843	941	783	1,428	1,868	2,275
Other vegetables ..... "	4,567	4,364	4,241	3,965	3,982	3,998	4,483	4,034	3,919	4,428	5,075	5,389	4,810
<b>Totals</b> ..... "	<b>99,585</b>	<b>89,507</b>	<b>78,821</b>	<b>68,939</b>	<b>60,207</b>	<b>51,024</b>	<b>49,420</b>	<b>58,511</b>	<b>79,400</b>	<b>96,139</b>	<b>105,112</b>	<b>96,138</b>	<b>87,737</b>
<b>In brine</b>													
Asparagus ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beans:													
Green ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wax ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lima ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Broccoli ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Brussel sprouts ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carrots ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cauliflower ..... '000 lb.	1,045	1,020	956	929	867	779	709	648	643	1,076	1,285	1,210	1,109
Corn ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peas ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Spinach ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Squash ..... "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other vegetables ..... '000 lb.	10,068	9,756	9,050	8,379	7,321	6,232	5,252	4,324	9,747	10,137	9,237	8,475	6,939
<b>Totals</b> ..... "	<b>11,113</b>	<b>10,776</b>	<b>10,006</b>	<b>9,308</b>	<b>8,188</b>	<b>7,011</b>	<b>5,961</b>	<b>4,972</b>	<b>10,390</b>	<b>11,213</b>	<b>10,522</b>	<b>9,685</b>	<b>8,048</b>
<b>Totals, frozen and in brine</b> ..... "	<b>110,698</b>	<b>100,283</b>	<b>88,827</b>	<b>78,247</b>	<b>68,395</b>	<b>58,035</b>	<b>55,381</b>	<b>63,483</b>	<b>89,790</b>	<b>107,352</b>	<b>115,634</b>	<b>105,823</b>	<b>95,785</b>

<sup>1</sup> January 1, 1972 subject to revision.

<sup>2</sup> Including stocks in the hands of commercial growers. No reports collected July to October inclusive.

<sup>3</sup> Final data for 1970 should read as follows: November, 34,120,000 cwt. and December, 30,722,000 cwt.



**TABLE 6. Important Dairy and Frozen Poultry Products in Cold Storage, Wholesale Warehouses and in Dairy Factories in Canada, by Provinces, as at the First Business Day of Each Month during 1971**

Products	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	thousands of pounds											
<b>Butter - Creamery</b>												
Prince Edward Island .....	368	253	173	144	148	232	383	435	432	391	428	352
Nova Scotia .....	268	362	371	320	331	274	331	339	296	334	308	222
New Brunswick .....	350	350	280	257	291	245	296	259	288	326	309	207
Quebec .....	76,205	69,026	54,691	40,760	39,728	40,513	46,845	55,581	57,036	54,993	48,981	40,896
Ontario .....	6,907	6,115	4,781	4,281	4,259	5,035	6,303	7,534	9,133	9,882	10,259	9,636
Manitoba .....	1,207	1,046	746	760	822	873	915	1,011	1,006	1,041	1,158	960
Saskatchewan .....	1,286	1,009	987	989	1,029	1,247	1,786	1,942	2,082	2,194	2,146	1,872
Alberta .....	2,455	2,624	2,327	2,214	1,606	1,485	2,162	2,498	2,467	2,851	2,945	2,402
British Columbia .....	904	1,119	1,187	1,222	1,015	1,180	1,045	956	1,366	1,015	881	1,519
<b>Canada .....</b>	<b>89,950</b>	<b>81,904</b>	<b>65,543</b>	<b>50,947</b>	<b>49,229</b>	<b>51,084</b>	<b>60,066</b>	<b>70,555</b>	<b>74,106</b>	<b>73,027</b>	<b>67,415</b>	<b>58,066</b>
<b>Cheese - Cheddar</b>												
Prince Edward Island .....	324	197	75	69	60	122	308	429	499	589	577	397
Nova Scotia .....	316	318	250	252	234	261	265	260	291	229	229	258
New Brunswick .....	54	47	72	76	55	56	80	54	60	66	87	87
Quebec .....	34,215	30,770	29,389	27,583	26,974	26,924	29,880	35,292	36,894	40,811	40,045	38,911
Ontario .....	23,466	22,795	21,971	21,063	17,205	18,735	20,038	21,527	21,701	24,527	22,535	21,468
Manitoba .....	484	456	478	575	556	600	706	646	717	584	697	639
Saskatchewan .....	140	107	111	87	57	57	57	48	57	116	144	130
Alberta .....	1,103	988	826	738	773	722	806	880	1,039	864	893	986
British Columbia .....	712	767	781	961	856	1,000	1,039	991	1,092	1,027	1,075	1,049
<b>Canada .....</b>	<b>60,814</b>	<b>56,445</b>	<b>53,933</b>	<b>51,404</b>	<b>46,770</b>	<b>48,477</b>	<b>53,179</b>	<b>60,127</b>	<b>62,350</b>	<b>68,813</b>	<b>66,282</b>	<b>63,925</b>
<b>Eggs - Frozen</b>												
Maritimes .....	41	57	40	49	18	29	61	59	78	111	125	79
Quebec .....	3,561	3,707	3,383	4,043	5,677	7,388	6,958	6,350	5,598	6,440	6,447	6,553
Ontario .....	1,496	1,350	1,515	1,755	1,810	1,827	1,983	2,445	2,980	2,477	2,832	2,501
Manitoba .....	1,017	941	716	830	810	736	775	607	987	1,337	1,379	1,406
Saskatchewan .....	50	63	106	52	65	84	149	114	125	105	132	35
Alberta .....	95	68	122	133	116	126	263	212	189	181	146	134
British Columbia .....	1,281	1,374	1,258	1,280	974	1,114	1,205	1,234	1,511	1,517	1,494	1,290
<b>Canada .....</b>	<b>7,541</b>	<b>7,560</b>	<b>7,140</b>	<b>8,142</b>	<b>9,470</b>	<b>11,304</b>	<b>11,394</b>	<b>11,021</b>	<b>11,468</b>	<b>12,168</b>	<b>12,555</b>	<b>11,998</b>
<b>Poultry - Dressed and eviscerated</b>												
Maritimes .....	3,342	2,876	2,335	2,454	2,337	2,298	2,207	1,922	2,248	2,734	2,386	3,978
Quebec .....	22,506	22,916	23,188	20,297	20,837	21,935	21,227	24,172	26,053	31,411	28,278	28,763
Ontario .....	20,015	19,770	20,595	20,499	18,777	16,003	16,525	19,346	24,398	28,059	29,147	32,082
Manitoba .....	8,667	8,076	7,874	7,326	6,516	5,634	5,977	5,837	7,263	10,538	12,913	10,230
Saskatchewan .....	4,436	4,392	4,168	3,694	3,299	3,055	3,123	3,232	3,676	3,811	4,038	4,175
Alberta .....	8,176	7,541	6,702	6,159	5,358	4,511	4,560	5,075	5,727	6,889	8,140	10,526
British Columbia .....	4,529	5,088	5,168	4,749	4,456	4,664	4,149	5,048	6,268	6,690	7,718	7,297
<b>Canada .....</b>	<b>71,671</b>	<b>70,659</b>	<b>70,030</b>	<b>65,178</b>	<b>61,580</b>	<b>58,100</b>	<b>57,768</b>	<b>64,632</b>	<b>75,633</b>	<b>90,132</b>	<b>92,620</b>	<b>97,051</b>

TABLE 7. Frozen Meat in Cold Storage, Packers' and Wholesale Warehouses in Canada by Provinces,  
as at the First Business Day of Each Month during 1971

Products	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	thousands of pounds											
<b>Pork</b>												
Maritimes .....	1,189	1,300	1,657	1,874	1,655	2,004	2,005	1,778	1,697	1,229	1,476	1,215
Quebec .....	9,483	9,897	11,023	14,099	17,072	20,314	21,268	18,653	17,209	14,824	14,702	14,508
Ontario .....	6,360	5,460	6,909	8,135	11,016	12,472	11,151	9,010	8,274	7,421	7,450	7,062
Manitoba .....	6,143	6,989	7,593	9,853	12,527	14,211	14,455	12,283	10,353	7,970	7,516	6,958
Saskatchewan .....	3,319	2,728	3,911	3,884	4,637	4,960	6,473	6,063	5,604	4,062	3,690	3,574
Alberta .....	1,904	2,297	4,010	5,490	6,013	6,471	4,807	4,366	4,182	3,074	3,018	2,951
British Columbia .....	1,745	1,502	2,197	1,776	2,552	3,030	3,375	2,815	2,382	1,551	1,642	1,594
<b>Canada .....</b>	<b>30,143</b>	<b>30,173</b>	<b>37,300</b>	<b>45,111</b>	<b>55,472</b>	<b>63,462</b>	<b>63,534</b>	<b>54,968</b>	<b>49,701</b>	<b>40,131</b>	<b>39,494</b>	<b>37,862</b>
<b>Beef</b>												
Maritimes .....	1,335	1,639	1,821	1,237	1,594	1,268	1,192	1,296	1,220	1,354	1,930	1,549
Quebec .....	21,608	19,617	17,951	14,900	13,882	13,230	15,755	15,274	16,950	18,745	20,177	21,512
Ontario .....	14,669	13,488	13,271	11,475	10,681	9,682	9,434	10,833	10,768	12,624	11,915	11,656
Manitoba .....	3,265	3,128	2,987	3,371	2,955	2,809	2,544	2,575	3,025	2,480	2,518	3,004
Saskatchewan .....	1,446	1,429	1,394	1,436	1,654	1,685	1,455	1,706	1,664	1,573	1,714	1,817
Alberta .....	3,217	2,998	2,642	3,136	2,850	2,911	2,719	2,878	3,450	2,686	2,578	2,389
British Columbia .....	2,270	2,085	1,835	1,634	1,583	1,372	1,136	1,443	1,632	1,568	1,886	1,473
<b>Canada .....</b>	<b>47,810</b>	<b>44,384</b>	<b>41,901</b>	<b>37,191</b>	<b>35,199</b>	<b>32,957</b>	<b>34,235</b>	<b>36,005</b>	<b>38,729</b>	<b>41,230</b>	<b>42,718</b>	<b>43,400</b>
<b>Veal</b>												
Maritimes .....	146	200	143	108	108	104	112	133	123	114	81	64
Quebec .....	3,613	3,515	3,045	3,088	2,977	3,032	2,821	2,485	2,422	2,610	2,774	2,838
Ontario .....	1,421	1,236	1,007	1,129	838	826	877	987	804	671	739	962
Manitoba .....	199	200	199	194	177	121	125	95	111	108	125	189
Saskatchewan .....	75	68	74	78	81	72	56	35	16	30	18	44
Alberta .....	64	55	62	74	53	51	47	52	54	36	50	63
British Columbia .....	107	92	85	89	108	65	99	123	152	146	137	144
<b>Canada .....</b>	<b>5,625</b>	<b>5,366</b>	<b>4,615</b>	<b>4,760</b>	<b>4,342</b>	<b>4,271</b>	<b>4,137</b>	<b>3,910</b>	<b>3,682</b>	<b>3,715</b>	<b>3,924</b>	<b>4,284</b>
<b>Mutton and lamb</b>												
Maritimes .....	550	792	689	567	735	635	586	574	805	1,369	423	1,016
Quebec .....	5,251	4,428	3,508	3,057	2,789	2,875	3,926	3,720	4,206	6,442	7,828	7,657
Ontario .....	4,634	3,976	2,507	2,082	1,762	1,831	1,903	1,931	1,818	2,027	3,213	2,747
Manitoba .....	213	209	178	260	274	166	145	223	618	728	536	420
Saskatchewan .....	66	43	74	85	86	85	70	64	68	93	143	170
Alberta .....	264	390	317	313	321	263	207	263	281	309	310	294
British Columbia .....	432	356	304	262	270	188	248	273	462	476	843	753
<b>Canada .....</b>	<b>11,410</b>	<b>10,194</b>	<b>7,577</b>	<b>6,626</b>	<b>6,237</b>	<b>6,063</b>	<b>7,085</b>	<b>7,048</b>	<b>8,258</b>	<b>11,444</b>	<b>13,298</b>	<b>13,057</b>







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