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WEEKLY INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES, 1934 - 1935.  
(1926=100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of wholesale prices on the base 1926=100 remained unchanged at 71.3 for the week ending July 5. Recessions occurred in grains, milled products and livestock while advances were reported for fresh meats, cured meats, cheese and copper.

Vegetable Products declined from 66.0 to 65.5. A sharp drop occurred in grains and toward the end of the week wheat futures descended to pegged July levels on the Winnipeg market. Flour and milled products were easy and vegetable oils were cheaper. Animal Products rose from 68.3 to 68.9. During the past few weeks exports of livestock to the United States have declined greatly and quotations were lower again for this week. Fish, hides and butter were easier also, while better prices were shown for fresh meats, cured meats and cheese. Textiles moved up from 70.3 to 70.5 largely because of a rise in raw wool. Zinc and silver were slightly weaker, but an upturn took place in the price of copper, and the index for Non-Ferrous Metals advanced from 68.2 to 68.3. Inorganic chemicals were firmer and raised the index for Chemical Products from 79.7 to 79.8. Wood, Iron and Non-Metallic Minerals continued unchanged at 64.0, 87.2 and 85.4 respectively.

Canadian Farm Products dropped from 61.3 to 60.7. Lower prices for grains were mainly responsible for reducing the index for Field Products from 54.9 to 54.0 while declines in livestock and hides were sufficient to move the index for Animal Products from 72.0 to 71.9.

	: No. of	: 1934:		: 1935:				
		: Price	: July:	: May	: June:	: June:	: June:	: June:
	: Series	: 6	: 31	: 7	: 14	: 21	: 28	: 5
Total Index 567								
Commodities .....	567	71.9	71.9	71.7	71.6	71.5	71.3	71.3
INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITIES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THEIR CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIALS								
I. Vegetable Products .....	135	67.1	66.8	66.6	65.9	66.3	66.0	65.5
(grains, fruits, etc.)								
II. Animals and Their Products .....	76	66.5	69.7	69.3	69.4	68.6	68.3	68.9
III. Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products .....	85	74.3	70.3	70.3	70.4	70.3	70.3	70.5
IV. Wood, Wood Products and Paper ....	49	66.0	63.9	63.9	63.9	x64.0	x64.0	64.0
V. Iron and Its Products .....	44	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.2	87.2	87.2
VI. Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products .....	18	63.7	71.3	69.9	70.0	69.2	68.2	68.3
VII. Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products .....	83	86.0	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4
VIII. Chemicals and Allied Products ...	77	82.0	79.9	79.9	79.8	79.8	79.7	79.8
CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS .....	70	58.8	62.9	62.5	62.2	61.6	61.3	60.7

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