

Stocks of Grain in Canada.—Table 9 shows the quantities of grain on farms at July 31, 1941, as compared with July 31, 1940 and 1939. Table 10 shows the total quantities of grain on farms at the end of the crop years 1932-41. The distribution of these crops will be found in the section of the chapter on internal trade that deals with the grain trade of Canada.

9.—Stocks of Grain on Farms in Canada, as at July 31, 1939-41, with Totals of Production of the Previous Year

Kind of Grain	Total Production in 1938	On Farms, July 31, 1939		Total Production in 1939	On Farms, July 31, 1940		Total Production in 1940	On Farms, July 31, 1941	
	'000 bu.	p.c.	bu.	'000 bu.	p.c.	bu.	'000 bu.	p.c.	bu.
Wheat.....	360,010	1.3	4,682,000	520,623	3.3	17,286,000	540,190	2.6	13,954,000
Oats.....	371,382	10.7	39,654,000	384,407	10.3	39,781,000	380,526	9.8	37,102,000
Barley.....	102,242	7.2	7,346,700	103,147	6.9	7,075,000	104,256	6.2	6,505,000
Rye.....	10,988	3.5	380,000	15,307	4.0	619,000	13,994	3.3	460,000
Flaxseed.....	1,259	0.4	4,900	2,044	1.3 ¹	26,800	3,049	0.5	15,000

¹ Revised since the publication of the 1941 Year Book.

10.—Stocks of Grain on Farms in Canada, as at July 31, 1932-41

Year	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed
	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.
1932.....	7,495,800	22,823,000	3,477,000	146,000	7,100
1933.....	12,340,000	27,701,000	3,102,000	156,600	17,700
1934.....	8,733,000	19,333,000	1,839,000	37,000	3,400
1935.....	7,861,200	20,071,000	2,022,000	77,900	4,200
1936.....	5,520,000	31,186,000	4,199,200	270,600	7,600
1937.....	3,999,300	15,231,000	1,470,400	78,400	9,800
1938.....	5,061,000	16,120,000	3,177,500	78,000	1,800
1939.....	4,682,000	39,654,000	7,346,700	380,000	4,900
1940.....	17,286,000	39,781,000	7,075,000	619,000	26,800
1941.....	13,954,000	37,102,000	6,505,000	460,000	15,000

Subsection 3.—Farm Live Stock and Poultry

The growth of the live-stock and poultry industries in Canada from decade to decade is indicated in summary form in Table 11.

11.—Live Stock and Poultry on Farms in Canada, Censuses of 1871-1931

Item	1871	1881	1891	1901	1911	1921 ¹	1931
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Horses.....	836,743	1,059,358	1,470,572	1,577,493	2,598,958	3,610,494	3,113,909
Cattle.....	2,624,290	3,433,989	4,120,586	5,576,451	6,526,083	8,519,484	7,973,031
Milk cows ²	1,251,209	1,595,800	1,857,112	2,408,677	2,595,255	3,324,653	3,371,923
Other cattle....	1,373,081	1,838,189	2,263,474	3,167,774	3,930,828	5,194,831	4,601,108
Sheep.....	3,155,509	3,048,678	2,563,781	2,510,239	2,174,300	3,203,966	3,627,116
Swine.....	1,366,083	1,207,619	1,733,850	2,353,828	3,634,778	3,040,730	4,699,831
Poultry.....	*	*	14,105,102 ³	17,922,658	31,793,261	50,325,248	65,184,689 ⁴
Hens and chickens....	-	-	12,696,701	16,651,337	29,773,457	48,021,647	61,277,229
Turkeys.....	-	-	458,306	584,669	863,132	1,096,721	2,223,197
Ducks.....	-	-	320,169	290,755	527,098	603,152	749,950
Geese.....	-	-	537,932	395,997	629,521	603,728	902,251
Hives of bees....	144,791	³	199,288	189,986	180,372	185,530	215,349

¹ Includes live stock elsewhere than on farms as follows: horses, 158,742; cattle, 149,995; sheep, 3,499; swine, 80,439; poultry, 6,978,054; hives, 37,425. ² From 1921, "Cows in milk or in calf". ³ Not reported for this census. ⁴ Includes 91,994 unspecified in 1891 and 32,082 unspecified in 1931.