

value per dozen was 31·8 cents as compared with 29·0 cents. The total value of poultry was approximately \$106,000,000, while eggs were valued at \$100,000,000. Sales income from poultry and eggs amounted to \$124,000,000 in 1943 as against \$98,000,000 in 1942. The domestic disappearance of poultry meat (based on both farm and urban production) was 268,000,000 lb. Due principally to the decline in turkeys, this represented a reduction of 6,000,000 lb. from the previous year. The domestic disappearance of eggs reached the high point of 280,000,000 doz. in 1943, an advance of 23,000,000 doz. over that of the previous year. The 1943 figures represent a per capita disappearance of approximately 23 lb. of poultry meat and 24 doz. eggs, as compared with 23·5 lb. and 22 doz. in 1942.

15.—Production, Utilization and Total Value of Farm Eggs in Canada, 1934-43, and by Provinces, 1942 and 1943

Year	Laying Hens	Production per Hen	Total Egg Production ¹	Sold Off Farms	Farm-Home Consumed	Price per Dozen	Total Value
	No.	No.	doz.	doz.	doz.	cts.	\$
Totals—							
1934.....	24,688,000	108	223,272,000	140,661,000	75,912,000	15·0	34,454,000
1935.....	24,594,000	109	223,540,000	140,830,000	76,004,000	17·0	37,763,000
1936.....	23,798,000	111	219,494,000	138,281,000	74,628,000	18·5	40,776,000
1937.....	23,861,000	110	219,443,000	138,249,000	74,611,000	17·5	38,480,000
1938.....	23,089,000	111	213,399,000	135,116,000	71,034,000	19·0	40,653,000
1939.....	24,024,000	111	221,737,000	139,836,000	74,306,000	18·5	41,037,000
1940.....	25,420,000	111	235,322,000	137,360,000	89,828,000	19·5	45,934,000
1941.....	25,874,000	113	244,157,000	154,349,000	81,726,000	21·3	52,083,000
1942.....	29,236,000	115	280,253,000	195,279,000	75,548,000	29·0	81,305,000
1943.....	32,725,000	116	315,027,000	219,585,000	84,525,000	31·8	100,306,000
P.E.I.—							
1942.....	530,000	100	4,417,000	3,216,000	1,055,000	30·0	1,325,000
1943.....	574,000	102	4,879,000	3,620,000	1,090,000	33·0	1,610,000
N.S.—							
1942.....	763,000	101	6,422,000	3,301,000	2,922,000	35·0	2,248,000
1943.....	897,000	103	7,698,000	3,949,000	3,503,000	37·0	2,848,000
N.B.—							
1942.....	656,000	99	5,412,000	3,469,000	1,764,000	32·0	1,732,000
1943.....	790,000	101	6,650,000	4,256,000	2,168,000	35·0	2,328,000
Que.—							
1942.....	4,011,000	118	39,442,000	22,640,000	15,540,000	32·3	12,740,000
1943.....	4,248,000	117	41,418,000	23,733,000	16,318,000	35·0	14,496,000
Ont.—							
1942.....	8,864,000	122	90,117,000	71,192,000	15,951,000	33·0	29,739,000
1943.....	10,161,000	121	102,457,000	80,838,000	18,135,000	36·0	36,885,000
Man.—							
1942.....	3,113,000	109	28,277,000	21,038,000	6,278,000	24·5	6,928,000
1943.....	3,623,000	111	35,513,000	24,900,000	7,440,000	27·0	9,049,000
Sask.—							
1942.....	5,513,000	108	49,617,000	31,556,000	16,324,000	23·5	11,660,000
1943.....	6,247,000	110	57,264,000	36,362,000	18,840,000	25·5	14,602,000
Alta.—							
1942.....	3,797,000	108	34,173,000	20,026,000	12,917,000	23·4	7,996,000
1943.....	4,048,000	110	37,107,000	21,708,000	14,026,000	26·5	9,833,000
B.C.—							
1942.....	1,989,000	135	22,376,000	18,841,000	2,797,000	31·0	6,937,000
1943.....	2,137,000	135	24,041,000	20,219,000	3,005,000	36·0	8,655,000

¹ Includes eggs sold off farms, farm-home consumed and used for hatching purposes on farms.