

4.—Distribution of Canadian Grain Crops, Crop Year Ended July 31, 1944

(Millions of Bushels)

Item	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed
Carryover Aug. 1, 1943.....	594.5	149.3	69.3	15.3	3.7
Production in 1943.....	284.5	482.0	215.6	7.1	17.9
Imports.....	0.4	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Totals, Supply	879.4	631.3	284.9	22.4	21.6
Exports in terms of grain.....	343.8	74.7	36.1	8.1	10.0
Domestic Use—					
Human consumption.....	53.5	5.0	0.3	0.2	Nil
Animal feed.....	90.6	410.6	174.3	7.5	2.3
Seed requirements ¹	30.0	32.6	12.5	1.0	1.0
Industrial use.....	5.6	Nil	15.8	Nil	4.7
Totals, Disposition	523.5	522.9	239.0	16.8	18.0
Carryover July 31, 1944.....	355.9	108.4	45.9	5.6	3.6

¹ Includes dockage in flaxseed.

Licensed Grain Elevator Capacity in Canada, Dec. 1, 1944.—In the early months of the War the total licensed capacity of grain elevators in Canada was approximately 423,000,000 bu., but on Dec. 1, 1940, the addition of almost 86,000,000 bu. in the form of annexes had raised the storage capacity to 508,700,000 bu. The erection of new storage buildings continued in 1941 and included the building of a number of large annexes at Fort William-Port Arthur, with a combined capacity of nearly 53,000,000 bu. Some new storage was put up also in Eastern Canada, and a summary of licensed elevators made at Dec. 1, 1944, indicated that total storage in Canada had risen to 596,000,000 bu., an increase of 173,000,000 bu. or approximately 40 p.c. in the storage capacity over 1939.

5.—Licensed Grain Elevator Capacity in Canada as at Dec. 1, 1944

Division and Elevator	Elevators and Permanent Annexes	Temporary and Special Annexes	Total	Division and Elevator	Elevators and Permanent Annexes	Temporary and Special Annexes	Total
	'000 bu.	'000 bu.	'000 bu.		'000 bu.	'000 bu.	'000 bu.
Western Division				Eastern Division			
Western country elevators	193,643	111,070	304,713	Eastern Elevators—			
Private and mill elevators	15,826	225	16,051	Bay Ports—			
Inter-public and semi-public terminals.....	18,100	Nil	18,100	Collingwood.....	2,000	Nil	2,000
Vancouver-New Westminster.....	19,467	"	19,467	Lakefield.....	1,500	"	1,500
Victoria.....	1,008	"	1,008	Midland.....	4,000	"	4,000
Prince Rupert.....	1,250	"	1,250	Midland Simcoe.....	4,250	"	4,250
Churchill.....	2,500	"	2,500	Midland Tiffin.....	4,500	"	4,500
Fort William-Port Arthur.....	90,467	53,263	143,730	Midland Aberdeen.....	900	"	900
				Owen Sound.....	4,000	"	4,000
Totals, Western Division	342,261	164,558	506,819	Port McNicoll.....	6,500	"	6,500
				Goderich Elevator and Transit.....	3,000	"	3,000
				Goderich-Western Canada.....	600	"	600
				Sarnia.....	3,000	3,072	6,072
				Totals, Bay Ports....	34,250	3,072	37,322