

All basic foods have been classified under 13 main commodity groups. Totals for each group have been computed using common denominators for the group, as for example: milk solids (dry weight) in the case of the dairy products group; fat content in the case of fats and oils; and fresh equivalent in the case of fruits. All foods have been included in their basic form, that is, as flour, fat, sugar, etc., rather than in more highly manufactured forms.

34.—Per Capita Supplies of Food Moving into Consumption, 1946 and 1947, with Averages, 1935-39

NOTE.—Many figures in this table have been revised since the publication of the 1947 Year Book, due to the regrouping of component items of certain groups.

Item	Specification	Pounds per Capita per Annum			Percentages of 1935-39 Average	
		1935-39	1946	1947 ¹	1946	1947 ¹
Cereals—						
Flour (including rye flour) ²	Retail wt.	184.8	205.8	155.7	111.4	84.3
Oatmeal and rolled oats.....	"	7.3	9.4	6.4	128.8	87.7
Pot and pearl barley.....	"	0.3	0.7	0.5	233.3	166.7
Corn meal and flour.....	"	1.4	1.1	0.2	78.6	14.3
Buckwheat flour.....	"	0.2	0.1	0.1	50.0	50.0
Rice.....	"	4.3	2.1	3.0	48.8	69.8
Breakfast food.....	"	7.4	8.0	7.8	108.1	105.4
Totals, Cereals.....	Retail wt.	205.7	227.2	173.7	110.4	84.4
Potatoes—						
Potatoes, white.....	Retail wt.	192.3	198.5	161.6	103.2	84.0
Potatoes, sweet.....	"	0.6	0.7	0.7	116.7	116.7
Totals, Potatoes.....	Retail wt.	192.9	199.2	162.3	103.3	84.1
Sugars and Syrups—						
Sugar.....	Refined wt.	94.7	72.2	87.9	76.2	92.8
Maple sugar.....	Retail wt.	1.8	1.3	2.4	72.2	133.3
Other.....	"	11.9	18.1	17.4	152.1	146.2
Totals, Sugar and Syrups.....	Sugar content	104.0	84.8	101.0	81.5	97.1
Pulses and Nuts—						
Dry beans.....	Retail wt.	3.7	4.9	4.6	132.4	124.3
Dry peas.....	"	5.7	4.0	3.6	70.2	63.2
Peanuts.....	Shelled wt.	2.2	2.6	3.2	118.2	145.5
Tree nuts.....	"	1.1	1.4	0.8	127.3	72.7
Soybean flour.....	Retail wt.	3	0.8	0.6	—	—
Cocoa.....	Green beans	3.7	3.8	3.8	102.7	102.7
Totals, Pulses and Nuts.....	Retail wt. incl. shelled wt. of nuts	14.5	15.5	14.6	106.9	100.7
Fruit—						
Tomatoes and Citrus Fruit—						
Tomatoes, fresh.....	Retail wt.	15.4	32.0	30.8	207.8	200.0
Tomato products.....	Net wt. canned	10.0	20.3	12.5	203.0	125.0
Citrus fruit, fresh.....	Retail wt.	25.1	46.8	41.8	186.5	166.5
Citrus fruit, canned.....	Net wt. canned	0.5	6.2	8.3	1,240.0	1,660.0
Other Fruit—						
Fresh.....	Retail wt.	40.5	51.1	61.1	126.2	150.9
Canned.....	Net wt. canned	6.3	6.9	7.1	109.5	112.7
Dried.....	Processed wt.	8.3	11.0	10.0	132.5	120.5
Juice.....	Net wt. canned	3	2.5	2.4	—	—
Frozen.....	Retail wt.	0.2	0.3	0.4	150.0	200.0
Totals, Fruit.....	Fresh equiv.	138.7	230.4	221.3	166.1	159.6
Starch.....	Retail wt.	2.5	2.8	2.1	112.0	84.0

For footnotes, see end of table.