

39.—Summary Statistics of Co-operative Marketing and Purchasing Associations, by Province, Crop Years Ended July 31, 1956 and 1957—concluded

Province and Year	Associations	Shareholders or Members	Sales of Products	Sales of Merchandise	Total Business ¹	
	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$	
Saskatchewan.....	1956	478	429,080	236,240,744	56,277,653	295,002,845
	1957	480	559,330	224,422,096	61,073,621	289,583,433
Alberta.....	1956	176	221,277	134,987,496	20,027,535	155,652,880
	1957	159	215,318	143,851,696	21,371,263	168,059,810
British Columbia.....	1956	113	51,281	55,269,730	18,629,330	75,428,928
	1957	122	55,582	57,857,741	21,164,257	81,358,741
Interprovincial.....	1956	6	164,997	65,467,359	7,703,890	73,269,961
	1957	6	131,090	86,784,562	8,027,285	97,901,810
Totals.....	1956	2,041	1,255,788	823,389,051	258,751,870	1,092,516,230
	1957	2,022	1,363,470	825,007,743	283,730,446	1,126,209,836

¹ Includes other revenue.

40.—Products Handled by Marketing and Purchasing Co-operatives, Crop Years Ended July 31, 1956 and 1957

Product	1956		1957	
	Associations ¹	Value of Sales	Associations ¹	Value of Sales
	No.	\$	No.	\$
Marketing.....	1,010	823,389,051	997	825,007,743
Dairy products.....	505	153,966,741	472	166,729,939
Fruit and vegetables.....	133	31,632,954	144	29,746,187
Grain and seed.....	119	362,094,917	109	377,017,336
Livestock.....	308	186,039,127	147	199,848,542
Eggs and poultry.....	199	28,857,040	182	38,710,527
Lumber and wood.....	43	1,438,579	34	1,184,327
Honey.....	8	2,028,142	11	2,304,151
Wool.....	16	1,636,756	40	3,827,646
Fur.....	12	575,332	8	484,557
Tobacco.....	4	50,111,481	3	1,679,180
Maple products.....	3	4,136,629	1	3,043,927
Miscellaneous.....	58	871,353	79	431,394
Merchandising.....	1,602	258,751,870	1,551	283,730,446
Food products.....	798	68,172,755	792	74,967,041
Clothing and home furnishings.....	592	9,888,878	530	9,397,480
Petroleum products and auto accessories.....	608	43,777,255	591	47,414,402
Feed, fertilizer and spray material.....	864	88,986,254	861	100,272,439
Machinery and equipment.....	421	10,615,777	302	10,431,976
Coal, wood and building material.....	605	17,122,552	611	22,430,626
Miscellaneous.....	1,003	20,188,399	978	18,816,482
Totals.....	2,612	1,082,140,921	2,548	1,108,738,189

¹ Duplication exists in this column as some associations market produce as well as handle supplies, some associations market more than one product and some handle many of the supplies listed.

Section 5.—Interprovincial Freight Movements*

Statistics relating to interprovincial freight movements are difficult to collect owing to the absence of controls or customs barriers. Provincial freight traffic statistics are available for loadings and unloadings of goods carried by rail, water, pipeline and motor transport.

Details of railway freight movement are confined to tons loaded and unloaded by province and contain a certain amount of import and export of goods shipped by water.

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