

reached 844,855,000 bu. and 13 p.c. lower than the ten-year (1948-49 to 1957-58) average of 595,490,000 bu. Combined exports of the same grains (including wheat flour, rolled oats and oatmeal, malt, and pot and pearl barley) amounted to 390,000,000 bu. in 1958-59 and 364,136,000 bu. in 1959-60. Exports during the period showed a decrease from the ten-year average of 404,660,000 bu.

After registering a decrease in 1958-59, supplies of the five principal grains declined again in 1959-60, with reduced carryover more than offsetting a relatively small increase in total production. Reflecting the combined effect of smaller available supplies and expanded disappearance, total carryover stocks at July 31, 1960 were lower than the 1959 level.

The gross value of production of principal field crops on Canadian farms in 1958, based on average prices received by farmers throughout the 1958-59 crop year, was estimated at \$1,520,371,000. This amount was well below the record-breaking year of 1952 when the total reached \$2,345,030,000. An estimate of the value of the 1959 crops, based on average prices received by farmers during the complete crop year, will be published in one of the regularly scheduled DBS crop reports and in the *Quarterly Bulletin of Agricultural Statistics* (Catalogue No. 21-003).

11.—Acreages, Yields and Prices of Principal Field Crops 1953-59, with Average for 1945-49 (Exclusive of Newfoundland)

Crop and Year	Area	Yield per Acre	Production	Average Price	Total Value ¹	Crop and Year	Area	Yield per Acre	Production	Average Price	Total Value ¹
	'000 acres	bu.	'000 bu.	\$ per bu.	\$'000	Mixed Grains—	'000 acres	bu.	'000 bu.	\$ per bu.	\$'000
Wheat—						Mixed Grains—					
Av. 1945-49..	24,558	14.8	362,774	1.62	587,412	Av. 1945-49..	1,226	35.9	44,046	0.84	36,988
1953.....	26,384	24.0	634,040	1.33	844,503	1953.....	1,550	43.7	67,738	0.85	57,267
1954.....	25,539	13.0	331,981	1.24	411,781	1954.....	1,670	38.1	63,649	0.84	53,216
1955.....	22,660	22.9	519,178	1.37	709,461	1955.....	1,701	39.0	66,266	0.84	55,726
1956.....	22,781	25.2	573,040	1.25	714,053	1956.....	1,560	42.7	66,618	0.84	56,008
1957.....	21,117	18.3	385,508	1.28	493,491	1957.....	1,482	43.6	63,292	0.75	47,693
1958*.....	20,899	17.8	371,730	1.32	492,198	1958*.....	1,422	45.5	64,648	0.82	52,995
1959.....	23,065	17.9	413,520	1.11	457,111	1959.....	1,500	42.5	63,790	0.77	49,331
Oats—						Flaxseed—					
Av. 1945-49..	11,513	28.4	326,437	0.67	219,370	Av. 1945-49..	1,164	8.2	9,502	3.91	37,188
1953.....	9,873	41.9	413,971	0.63	259,616	1953.....	956	10.2	9,748	2.44	23,808
1954.....	10,052	30.5	306,401	0.67	206,537	1954.....	1,178	9.3	10,998	2.54	27,963
1955.....	10,958	36.5	399,451	0.67	265,749	1955.....	1,836	10.3	18,990	2.77	52,669
1956.....	11,707	44.8	524,517	0.57	300,234	1956.....	3,041	11.5	34,991	2.56	89,631
1957*.....	11,017	34.5	380,599	0.60	226,811	1957*.....	3,486	5.5	19,179	2.53	48,549
1958*.....	11,039	36.3	400,951	0.63	252,584	1958*.....	2,623	8.7	22,766	2.62	59,702
1959.....	11,391	36.7	417,933	0.56	233,850	1959.....	2,151	8.2	17,719	3.17	56,101
Barley—							cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	\$ per cwt.	
Av. 1945-49..	6,569	21.5	141,171	0.95	133,431	Av. 1945-49..	417	95.3	39,704	1.83	72,522
1953.....	8,908	29.4	262,121	0.86	224,681	1953.....	324	129.2	41,803	1.32	55,004
1954.....	7,842	22.3	175,196	0.89	155,278	1954.....	304	105.7	32,163	2.42	77,951
1955.....	9,887	25.4	251,102	0.87	219,143	1955.....	313	128.3	40,191	1.77	71,032
1956.....	8,390	32.1	269,065	0.79	211,336	1956.....	312	135.4	42,325	1.75	74,274
1957*.....	9,403	23.0	215,993	0.76	165,051	1957*.....	312	141.2	44,077	1.73	76,302
1958*.....	9,548	25.6	244,764	0.77	187,491	1958*.....	311	129.6	40,301	1.73	69,573
1959.....	8,289	27.2	225,550	0.72	163,237	1959.....	294	124.2	36,532	2.29	83,613
Rye—							ton	'000 tons	ton	\$ per ton	
Av. 1945-49..	1,192	11.1	13,182	1.85	24,362	Av. 1945-49..	10,535	1.59	16,729	14.99	250,847
1953.....	1,505	19.2	28,845	0.82	23,609	1953.....	10,564	1.89	20,015	13.75	275,211
1954.....	787	16.3	12,812	0.92	11,734	1954.....	10,737	1.87	20,118	13.98	281,156
1955.....	746	18.6	13,840	0.92	12,775	1955.....	10,842	1.86	20,186	15.05	303,887
1956.....	547	15.4	8,434	1.00	8,421	1956.....	10,922	1.80	19,655	15.40	302,698
1957*.....	551	15.5	8,539	0.88	7,537	1957*.....	11,452	1.68	19,188	15.38	295,177
1958*.....	521	15.3	8,002	0.89	7,125	1958*.....	11,477	1.57	18,029	15.67	282,558
1959.....	517	15.8	8,149	0.91	7,399	1959.....	11,779	1.72	20,246	15.17	307,069

¹ Gross value of farm production; does not represent cash income from sales.