

28.—Quantity and Value of Commercial Fruit Produced, by Province, 1958-60

Province	Quantity			Value ¹		
	1958	1959	1960	1958	1959	1960
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Newfoundland.....	1,644	1,500	2,813	115	105	197
Prince Edward Island.....	1,868	1,412	2,293	303	221	394
Nova Scotia.....	72,565	110,455	111,192	1,816	2,404	2,913
New Brunswick.....	19,575	26,812	23,492	1,026	1,124	1,370
Quebec.....	217,310	198,986	156,374	6,475	6,924	6,930
Ontario.....	553,994	483,976	457,992	21,111	19,189	24,016
British Columbia.....	380,046	288,442	357,494	13,288	13,553	17,203
Totals.....	1,247,002	1,111,583	1,111,650	44,134	43,520	53,023

¹ Farm value (to pickers in the case of blueberries) for unpacked fruit.

Vegetables.—Estimates of acreage and production of commercial vegetables in Canada are prepared for all provinces except Newfoundland, Prince Edward Island and Saskatchewan. The Province of Ontario is the largest producer, followed by Quebec and British Columbia. A wide variety of crops is grown in these three provinces and a somewhat smaller range in the Maritimes and in the Prairie Provinces.

Canning, freezing and processing of vegetables are carried on in the important producing areas. The estimates in the following tables cover output of commercial growers only and do not include any acreages or production of vegetables grown for home use on farms or elsewhere.

29.—Estimated Commercial Acreage of Vegetables, by Province, 1959-61

Province	1959	1960	1961
	acres	acres	acres
Nova Scotia ¹	5,430	3,210	3,620
New Brunswick ¹	1,420	5,500	5,060
Quebec.....	66,410	69,560	74,360
Ontario.....	99,160	101,910	99,490
Manitoba ²	3,870	3,670	3,700
Alberta ²	13,840	15,090	13,870
British Columbia.....	15,300	15,860	17,070
Totals.....	205,430	214,800	217,170

¹ Acreages of peas in Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick are included with Nova Scotia in 1959; in 1960 and 1961, Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia acreages of peas are included with New Brunswick. ² Acreages of beans, corn and peas in Manitoba are included with Alberta.