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World's Cereal Production.—Table 37, reproduced from the Bulletin of Agricultural and Commercial Statistics of the International Agricultural Institute, but with the metric weights and measures converted into Canadian equivalents, shows the areas and yields of wheat, rye, barley and oats in the principal countries of the world for the year 1914 (northern hemisphere) and 1914-15 (southern hemisphere), compared with the previous years 1913 and 1913-14. The table includes only those countries adhering to the Institute. As compared with the similar table given in the Year Book of 1913 (pp. 180-182), the figures now given for 1913-14 include later revisions. Owing to the dislocation caused by the war the figures of 1914 for some of the belligerent countries are incomplete, and it is not possible to give the comparative figures for all countries for the year 1914-15. For this year, therefore, the totals and averages are printed in italics.

37.—The World's Cereal Production, 1913-14 and 1914-15.

Countries.	1913-14.	1914-15.	P.c. of 1913-14.	1913-14.	1914-15.	P.c. of 1913-14.	1913-14.	1914-15.
	000 acres.	000 acres.	p.c.	000 bush.	000 bush.	p.c.	bush. per acre.	bush. per acre.
Wheat—								
Germany.....	4,878	4,990	102.3	171,077	91,924 ¹	85.0 ¹	35.09	32.12 ¹
Austria.....	2,997	—	—	59,626	—	—	19.93	—
Hungary.....	7,700	8,623	112.0	151,348	125,440	82.9	19.63	14.57
Belgium.....	394	400	101.5	14,769	13,973	94.6	37.47	34.94
Bulgaria.....	2,545	—	—	60,627	45,930	75.8	23.97	—
Denmark.....	134	134	100.0	6,695	5,788	86.5	50.11	43.27
Spain.....	9,644	9,681	100.4	112,402	116,090	103.3	11.60	12.04
France.....	16,177	16,049	99.2	319,373	—	—	19.78	—
Great Britain and Ireland	1,790	1,905	106.4	56,696	62,521	110.3	31.67	32.86
Italy.....	11,842	11,783	99.5	214,407	169,444	79.0	18.14	14.42
Luxemburg....	27	28	100.2	644	613	95.2	23.94	22.30
Norway.....	12	12	100.0	324	269	83.0	26.17	21.71
Netherlands..	141	145	102.5	5,081	5,380	105.9	35.98	37.17
Rumania.....	4,011	5,218	130.1	84,192	46,536	55.3	20.97	8.92
Russia-in-Eu- rope.....	60,756	—	—	813,784	572,386	70.3	13.38	—
Russia-in- Asia.....	13,103	—	—	121,143	179,962	148.6	9.22	—
Sweden.....	259	259	100.0	9,330	7,619	81.7	35.98	29.44
Switzerland..	105	103	98.2	3,509	3,278	93.4	33.46	31.82
Canada.....	11,015	10,294	93.5	231,721	161,283	69.6	20.97	15.61
United States	50,185	53,542	106.7	763,392	891,032	116.7	15.17	16.65
Mexico.....	1,478	—	—	4,389	—	—	2.97	—
India.....	28,449	32,148	113.0	312,416	384,272	123.0	11.00	11.90
Japan.....	1,274	1,174	92.2	25,207	21,642	85.9	19.78	18.44
Algeria.....	1,608	1,662	103.4	14,697	11,023	75.0	9.07	6.69
Egypt.....	1,355	—	—	38,427	33,042	86.0	28.40	—
Tunis.....	1,236	1,058	85.6	5,512	2,205	40.0	4.46	2.08
Argentina.....	16,243	15,471	95.2	113,905	178,222	156.5	6.99	11.45
Chili.....	1,152	—	—	11,986	22,792	190.2	10.41	—
Australia....	9,296	—	—	103,874	29,559	28.5	11.15	—
New Zealand	190	190	99.8	5,960	5,000	83.9	31.38	26.32
Totals and averages	259,996	174,869	—	3,836,513	3,187,225	—	14.76	14.50

¹Prussia only.