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STOCKS OF CONDENSED AND EVAPORATED MILK IN THE HANDS OF
WHOLESALE GROCERS IN 38 CITIES

OF THE ORIGINAL 1,106 FIRMS ADDRESSED WHEN THIS REPORT WAS INAUGURATED, 248 DO NOT CARRY STOCKS AND 111 ARE KNOWN TO BE OUT OF BUSINESS. NO REPLIES HAVE EVER BEEN RECEIVED FROM AN ADDITIONAL 210 FIRMS. THE INFORMATION FOR SEPTEMBER 30 WHICH IS SHOWN BELOW IS BASED UPON REPORTS FROM 373 FIRMS.

STOCKS REPORTED ON HAND, SEPTEMBER 30, 1929

GEOGRAPHIC SECTIONS	NO. OF FIRMS REPORTING	CONDENSED MILK (POUNDS)	EVAPORATED MILK (POUNDS)
NEW ENGLAND	44	142,141	3,263,307
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	119	457,755	5,553,057
SOUTH ATLANTIC	49	96,838	2,149,926
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	62	193,101	4,433,322
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	37	166,698	1,771,566
SOUTH CENTRAL	25	97,553	685,500
NORTHWESTERN	9	103,848	472,830
SOUTHWESTERN	28	36,611	2,922,567
TOTAL - 38 CITIES SEPTEMBER 30, 1929	373	1,294,545	21,252,675
		22,547,220 Lbs.	
TOTAL REPORTED IN SAME CITIES JUN 30, 1929	406	1,104,924	21,934,071
		23,038,995 Lbs.	
TOTAL REPORTED IN SAME CITIES SEPTEMBER 30, 1928	410	1,616,096	24,066,459
		25,682,555 Lbs.	
TOTAL REPORTED IN SAME CITIES JUNE 30, 1928	423	1,046,244	15,824,202
		16,870,446 Lbs.	

COMPARISON OF TOTAL STOCKS ON HAND FOR SAME FIRMS

REPORTING
(38 CITIES)

FIRMS	PREVIOUS YEAR (POUNDS)		FIRMS	PREVIOUS QUARTER (POUNDS)	
	SEPT. 30, 1929	SEPT. 30, 1928		SEPT. 30, 1929	JUNE 30, 1929
329	21,079,959	22,295,649	346	21,567,180	21,581,447
*FIRMS 328	SEPT. 30, 1928 19,360,974	SEPT. 30, 1927 14,189,822	FIRMS 360	SEPT. 30, 1928 24,043,247	JUNE 30, 1928 15,879,594

* THESE COMPARISONS ARE THOSE WHICH APPEARED ON THE REPORT ISSUED A YEAR AGO.

CITIES INCLUDED IN EACH GEOGRAPHIC SECTION

NEW ENGLAND: BANGOR, PORTLAND, BOSTON, SPRINGFIELD, PROVIDENCE, HARTFORD, NEW HAVEN.
MIDDLE ATLANTIC: BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, BUFFALO; PHILADELPHIA, PITTSBURGH.
SOUTH ATLANTIC: BALTIMORE, NORFOLK, ATLANTA, SAVANNAH, JACKSONVILLE, MIAMI, TAMPA.
EAST NORTH CENTRAL: CINCINNATI, CLEVELAND, TOLEDO, CHICAGO, DETROIT.
WEST NORTH CENTRAL: MINNEAPOLIS, ST. PAUL, KANSAS CITY, ST. LOUIS, OMAHA.
SOUTH CENTRAL: MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, DALLAS, NEW ORLEANS.
NORTHWESTERN: SEATTLE, PORTLAND.
SOUTHWESTERN: DENVER, LOS ANGELES, SAN FRANCISCO.