Foreign Exchange Situation

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Foreign Exchange Earning	1983	first half 1984
Industrial	US\$ 9.2 billion (65%)	US\$ 5.2 billion (68.4%)
Fish and Agriculture	US\$ 3.0 billion (21.5%)	US\$ 1.6 billion (20.8%)

The rate for the Canadian dollar has increased 70 percent since 1980 and badly hinders Canadian exports to Denmark.

Fertilizer Situation

1983 Imports used in Danish Fertilizer Production:

Nitrogen - principally from West Germany and Trinidad Raw Phosphate - principally from Morocco, some from Israel Potash	Tonnes 362,717 286,185 155,052
Total	803,954

1983 exports of Finished Fertilizers: 470,775 tonnes.

4. Canadian Grain Marketing Prospects

A Danish pig farmer, established both in Denmark and in Canada is offering Triticale with considerable success. However, official agricultural consultants are awaiting results of testing under Danish conditions before recommending it.

Processing Facilities

Year: 1984

thousands of tonnes

	Number of Companies	Number of Plants	Annual Capacity	Actual Output
Flour (and durum) Mills Compound Feed Mills	6	8		
Malt Houses Oilseed Crushers*	7 2	7 2	130	

^{*} soya, rape and copra

Malt

II. MALT AND MALTING BARLEY

1. Imports, Calendar year 1983 estimated, previous year in brackets:

Thousand of tonnes 197.5 (1882.8)

Additional Information

Change in malting capacity: Domestic malting capacity is unchanged at 130-150,000 tonnes annually