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PRINCIPAL STATISTICS OF THE MINERAL INDUSTRY - 1957

	Number of mines, wells, quarries, pits, etc.	Number of em- ployees	Salaries and wages	Cost of process supplies, fuel, electricity, freight and smelter charges	Net value added by processing
			\$	\$	\$
<u>(a) By Industries</u>					
<u>Metal mining -</u>					
Placer gold	57	243	1,180,225	457,137	2,116,716
Gold quartz	147	16,911	63,708,680	31,064,661	95,991,241
Copper-gold-silver	261	10,359	46,694,352	50,319,084	68,694,057
Silver cobalt	12	598	2,209,805	1,208,400	3,105,688
Silver-lead-zinc	83	5,844	26,256,837	56,476,096	59,485,349
Nickel-copper	85	12,124	59,807,695	26,279,245	84,148,711
Iron	60	7,770	36,288,939	64,519,888	102,701,537
Miscellaneous metal	139	8,705	42,386,402	28,901,585	115,788,076
Smelting and refining ...	23	29,613	134,775,206	829,479,487	450,666,165
Total metal mining	867	92,167	413,308,141	1,088,705,583	982,697,540
<u>Non-metal mining -</u>					
Asbestos	22	7,357	32,283,287	20,566,634	87,447,407
Feldspar, quartz and nepheline syenite	28	450	1,737,907	1,185,023	5,310,235
Gypsum	13	816	2,653,320	1,908,543	5,836,562
Iron oxides (ochre)	3	26	64,011	51,100	141,288
Mica	25	45	66,283	12,996	100,462
Peat	35	1,168	2,542,210	1,466,080	4,432,616
Salt	12	800	3,118,482	3,643,214	12,198,835
Talc and soapstone	4	77	222,287	142,725	369,999
Miscellaneous non-metal .	50	1,571	5,673,243	3,554,550	10,723,739
Total non-metal mining.	192	12,310	48,361,030	32,530,865	126,561,143
<u>Fuels -</u>					
Coal	170	14,569	47,222,273	16,312,034	73,908,636
Natural gas	3,939	1,951	7,033,566	533,602	9,929,154
Petroleum	14,946	5,465	27,698,044	16,128,829	438,733,344
Total fuels	19,055	21,985	81,953,883	32,974,465	522,571,134

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Principal Statistics of the Mineral Industry - 1957 (Concluded)

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			\$	\$	\$
<u>Structural materials -</u>					
Clay products	111	4,067	13,963,399	6,979,907	28,942,251
Cement	17	3,465	15,317,388	35,886,600	61,192,441
Lime	39	1,152	3,982,533	5,432,083	12,096,699
Sand and gravel	8,589	5,987	18,162,499	4,432,490	87,506,864
Stone	583	4,331	14,552,950	7,151,327	52,046,335
Total structural materials	9,339	19,002	65,978,769	59,882,407	241,784,590
TOTAL OF MINERAL INDUSTRIES ..	29,453	145,464	609,601,823	1,214,093,320	1,873,614,407

(b) By Provinces

Newfoundland	861	4,694	18,474,608	31,060,828	46,471,402
Nova Scotia	637	10,827	34,924,921	13,903,992	54,799,518
New Brunswick	551	2,222	7,136,701	7,474,764	15,501,549
Quebec	4,646	37,540	150,599,715	431,461,243	412,047,336
Ontario	6,904	53,847	235,751,851	485,750,908	597,907,855
Manitoba	1,217	3,143	13,320,716	15,460,568	38,484,038
Saskatchewan	3,774	5,765	28,233,058	30,896,254	144,563,138
Alberta	9,648	9,124	38,552,275	23,504,372	397,962,407
British Columbia	1,103	16,252	70,948,719	165,798,173	140,863,635
Northwest Territories	80	1,255	7,239,682	3,495,718	18,311,041
Yukon	33	795	4,419,577	5,286,500	6,702,488
CANADA	29,453	145,464	609,601,823	1,214,093,320	1,873,614,407

Gross value = column 5 plus column 6.

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