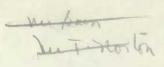


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STEEL INGOTS

AUGUST, 1950

Price 10 cents

Production of steel ingots in Canada during August amounted to 275,099 net tons, an average of 8,874 tons a day compared with a daily average of 7,788 tons in August of a year ago.

Table 1 - Production of Steel Ingots, 1933-1948

Year	Net tons of 2,000 pounds	Year	Net tons of 2,000 pounds	
1933	441,346	1941	2,593,512	
1934	825,572	1942	2,958,906	
1935	1,018,288	1943	2,846,736	
936	1,211,334	1944	2,878,407	
937	1,496,575	1945	2,747,206	
938	1,235,465	1946	2,253,437	
939	1,490,057	1947	2,854,532	
940	2,177,630	1948	3,089,027	

Table 2 - Production of Steel Ingots, by Months, 1949 and 1950

	1949		1950	
Month	Monthly total	Daily average (Net tons of	Monthly total 2,000 pounds)	Daily average
January February March April May June July August	275,987 249,009 287,885 260,319 283,808 261,476 232,499 241,442	8,935 8,893 9,286 8,677 9,155 8,716 7,500 7,788	283,894 251,890 287,719 272,936 283,810 269,816 259,025 275,099	9,158 8,996 9,268 9,098 9,155 8,994 8,356 8,874
Total - Eight Months	2,092,425	8,607	2,184,189	8,988
September October November December TOTAL	232,882 252,965 253,213 257,883 3,089,368	7,763 8,160 8,440 8,319 8,464		

Note: The present rated ingot capacity of Canada's steel furnaces is 3,672,500 net tons per annum.

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