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## MONTHLY REPORT ON STEEL INGOTS

## APRIL - 1949

Production of steel ingots in Canada during April amounted to 260,319 net tons, an average of 8,677 tons a day compared with a daily average of 8,477 tons in April of a year ago.

Table 1-Production of Steel Ingots in Canada, 1932-1947

| Year | Net tons of 2,000 pounds | Year | Net tons of 2,000 pounds |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1932 | 367,774 | 1940 | 2,177,630 |
| 1933 | 441,346 | 1941 | 2,593,512 |
| 1934 | 825,572 | 1942 | 2,958,906 |
| 1935 | 1,018,288 | 1943 | 2,846,736 |
| 1936 | 1,211,334 | 1944 | 2,878,407 |
| 1937 | 1,496,575 | 1945 | 2,747,206 |
| 1938 | 1,235,465 | 1946 | 2,253,437 |
| 1939 | 1,490,057 | 1947 | 2,854,532 |

Table 2 - Production of Steel Ingot: in Canada, bir Months, 1948 and 1949

| Month | 1948 |  | 1949 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Monthly } \\ & \text { total } \end{aligned}$ | Daily average | Monthly total | Daily average |


|  | total | average | total | average |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | (Net tons of 2,000 pounds) |  |  |  |
| January ................ | 247,768 | 7,992 | 275,987 | 8,935 |
| February | 230,183 | 7,937 | 247,009 | 8,893 |
| March .. | 275,349 | 8,882 | 287,885 | 9,286 |
| April | 254,315 | 8,477 | 260,319 | 8,677 |
| Total - Four Months | 1,007,615 | 8,327 | 1,073,200 | 8,943 |
| May | 279,688 | 9,022 |  |  |
| June | 249,710 | 8,324 |  |  |
| July | 238,104 | 7,681 |  |  |
| August | 254,362 | 8,204 |  |  |
| September | 248,622 | 8,288 |  |  |
| October | 272,127 | 8,778 |  |  |
| November | 267,671 | 8,922 |  |  |
| December . ............... | 271,128 | 8,746 |  |  |
| Total. | 3,089,027 | 8,440 |  |  |

Note: The present rated ingot capacity of Canada's Steel Foundries is 3,490,000 net tons per annum.


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