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MONTHLY REPORT ON STEEL INGOTS

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Production of steel ingots in Canada during August, amounted to 241,442 net tons, an average of 7,788 tons a day compared with a daily average of 8,204 tons in August 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 Ingots in Canada, by Months, 1948 and 1949

Month	1 9 4 8		1 9 4 9	
	Monthly total	Daily average	Monthly total	Daily average
(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)				
January .....	247,768	7,992	275,987	8,935
February .....	230,183	7,937	249,009	8,893
March .....	275,349	8,882	287,885	9,286
April .....	254,315	8,477	260,319	8,677
May .....	279,688	9,022	283,808	9,155
June .....	249,710	8,324	261,476	8,716
July .....	238,104	7,681	232,499	7,500
August .....	254,362	8,204	241,442	7,788
Total - Eight Months ..	2,029,479	8,318	2,092,425	8,611
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 3,536,000 net tons per annum.

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