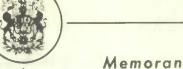
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PRODUCTION OF PIG IRON AND STEEL

Production of pig iron in Canada amounted to 166,580 net tons in August, 1954, compared with 267,249 tons in the corresponding month of last year. Production of steel ingots and steel castings during August totalled 241,504 net tons compared with 338,703 tons in August of last year.

	August 1953	August 1954
	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)	
Pig iron -		
Basic	212,926	133,908
Foundry	8,943	12,324
Malleable	45,380	20,348
Total pig iron	267, 249	166,580

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Table 2 - Production of Steel Ingots and Steel Castings			
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	(Net tons of 2,000 pounds)		
Steel ingots			
Open hearth - basic	292,393 39,285	206,147 29,837	
Total steel ingots	331,678	235, 984	
Alloy steel ingots included in above	14,475	10,532	
Steel castings			
Open hearth - basic	2,057	1,525	
Converter	-	8	
Electric	4,968	3,987	
Total steel castings	7,025	5,520	
Alloy steel castings included in above:			
(i) High alloy, except manganese and			
abrasion resistant	143	134	
(11) High alloy, manganese and abrasion resistant	1,158	863	
(iii) All other alloys	625	521	
Total alloy steel castings	1,927	1,518	

Note: High alloy castings include all castings with any alloy content of eight per cent and over.

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Table 3 - Production of Pig Iron		- THE
	Eight months ended	August
	1953	1954
	(Net tons of 2,000	pounds)
Pig iron -		
Basic	1,632,117	1,168,297
Foundry	102,970	111,259
Malleable	292,704	199,499
Total pig iron	2,027,791	1,479,055
Table 4 - Production of Steel Ingots and Steel Castings		
	Eight months ended August	
	1953	1954
	(Net tons of 2,000	pounds)
Steel ingots		
Open hearth - basic	2,381,796	1,796,624
Electric	331,363	249,785
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Total steel ingots	2,713,159	2,046,409
Alloy steel ingots included in above	135,326	82,466
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Steel castings		
Open hearth - basic	20,191	16,180
Converter	289	66
	51,855	42,544
Electric	02,000	
Total steel castings	72,335	58,790
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Alloy steel castings included in above:		
(i) High alloy, except manganese and	1,064	2,314
abrasion resistant	1,004	M 9 O L X
(ii) High alloy, manganese and abrasion	0.604	C 403
resistant	9,624	6,481
(iii) All other alloys	7,547	5,974
Total alloy steel castings	18,235	14,769

Note: High alloy castings include all castings with any alloy content of eight per cent and over.

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