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COAL AND COKE STATISTICS FOR CANADA, AUGUST, 1934.

C O A L

Canada's coal production in August advanced to 1,094,340 tons from the preceding month's total of 991,023 tons. The August output during the past five years averaged 972,660 tons. Bituminous coal output during August amounted to 947,137 tons, sub-bituminous coal, 15,185 tons and lignite coal, 132,018 tons.

Nova Scotia mines produced 605,327 tons or an increase of 40.9 per cent over the August, 1933, total of 429,711 tons. Alberta operators mined 296,966 tons, made up of 179,263 tons of bituminous coal, 15,185 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 102,518 tons of lignite coal. In August, 1933, Alberta's output included 163,111 tons of bituminous coal, 30,990 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 96,707 tons of lignite coal. British Columbia produced 138,538 tons as compared with 126,280 tons a year ago. An 11.9 per cent advance was recorded in Saskatchewan's production; in August, 29,500 tons were produced as against 26,363 tons in the corresponding month of 1933. The output from New Brunswick mines rose 12.1 per cent to 24,009 tons from the August, 1933, total of 21,412 tons.

Imports of coal into Canada totalled 1,462,469 tons as compared with 1,299,750 tons in August, 1933, and the five-year average for the month of 1,536,076 tons. Anthracite coal importations were recorded at 305,968 tons, consisting of 195,218 tons from Great Britain, 104,813 tons from the United States, and 5,937 tons from Belgium. Canada's anthracite supply during the first eight months of 1934 has been obtained from the following countries: the United States, 53.4 per cent; Great Britain, 46.3 per cent, and minor tonnages from Belgium and Newfoundland. Bituminous coal receipts in August included 1,126,836 tons from the United States, 29,268 tons from Great Britain and 300 tons from Japan. Ninety-seven tons of lignite coal were received from the United States during August.

Canadian coal exported in August amounted to 26,213 tons; a year ago, 21,635 tons were exported while the August, 1929-1933, average was 45,376 tons. Exports through eastern Canada ports totalled 18,130 tons and through Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia ports, 8,083 tons.

Coal made available for use in Canada during August amounted to 2,530,596 tons, a 2.7 per cent increase over the five-year average for the month of 2,463,360 tons.

COAL STATISTICS FOR CANADA, AUGUST, 1934. (Short tons)

	OUTPUT	I M P O R T S			EXPORTS
		U.S.	G.B.	TOTAL	
Prince Edward Island -					
Anthracite .....	...	...	2,236	2,236	...
Bituminous .....	...	...	...	...	...
Nova Scotia -					
Anthracite .....	...	2,338	2,892	5,230	...
Bituminous	605,327	...	3,752	3,752	15,970
New Brunswick -					
Anthracite .....	...	14	1,897	1,911	...
Bituminous	24,009	1,970	...	1,970	2,160
Quebec -					
Anthracite .....	...	18,966	186,335	(x) 211,238	...
Bituminous .....	...	95,002	25,155	120,157	...
Central Ontario -					
Anthracite .....	...	83,161	1,858	85,019	...
Bituminous .....	...	879,731	...	879,731	...
Manitoba and Head of Lakes -					
Anthracite .....	...	334	...	334	...
Bituminous .....	...	149,374	207	149,581	...
Lignite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Saskatchewan -					
Anthracite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Bituminous .....	...	125	112	237	...
Lignite	29,500	...	...	...	67
Alberta -					
Anthracite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Bituminous	179,263	131	...	131	3
Sub-bituminous	15,185	...	...	...	...
Lignite	102,518	...	...	...	25
British Columbia -					
Anthracite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Bituminous	138,538	503	42	(x) 845	7,895
Lignite .....	...	97	...	97	93
Yukon -					
Bituminous .....	...	...	...	...	...
CANADA -					
(a) AUGUST, 1934 -					
Anthracite .....	...	104,813	195,218	(x) 305,968	...
Bituminous	947,137	1,126,836	29,268	(x) 1,156,404	26,028
Sub-bituminous	15,185	...	...	...	...
Lignite	132,018	97	...	97	185
TOTAL	1,094,340	1,231,746	224,486	(x) 1,462,469	26,213
AUGUST, 1933	894,837	1,098,101	201,649	1,299,750	21,635
(b) EIGHT MONTHS ENDING AUGUST 31, 1934 -					
Anthracite .....	...	1,132,850	982,095	(x) 2,120,888	...
Bituminous	6,486,919	5,923,893	162,824	(x) 6,087,067	161,425
Sub-bituminous	299,234	...	...	...	...
Lignite	1,429,109	1,224	...	1,224	3,307
TOTAL	8,215,262	7,057,967	1,144,919	(x) 8,209,179	164,732
EIGHT MONTHS ENDING					
AUGUST 31, 1933	6,531,307	5,355,691	1,114,897	(x) 6,470,738	158,970

(x) Includes coal imported from other countries.

C O K E

Production of coke in Canada at 189,206 tons in August was 3 per cent over the 183,487 tons made in the previous month and 26 per cent greater than the 150,283 tons made in the corresponding month of a year ago.

Compared with the figures for July data for August showed gains for all producing areas. In the eastern provinces output advanced to 52,938 tons from 52,052 tons, in Ontario to 120,769 tons from 116,357 tons and in the western provinces to 15,499 tons from 15,078 tons.

Oven charges included 66,977 tons of Canadian coal and 194,150 tons of imported coal, a total of 261,127 tons to make 189,206 tons of coke. This coke included 10,143 tons of breeze of which 3,099 tons were made in the east, 6,188 tons in Ontario and 856 tons in the west. Of the total breeze made, 4,565 tons were sold, the eastern sales amounting to 2,661 tons and Ontario sales to 1,835 tons.

For the eight months ending August the cumulative output of coke in Canada totalled 1,478,573 tons and compares with 1,103,905 tons and 1,089,757 tons in the corresponding periods of 1933 and 1932, respectively.

COKE STATISTICS FOR CANADA, BY MONTHS, 1934.

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Mon- ths	Bituminous coal used in coke making			COKE MADE	Disposition of coke by makers					TOTAL
	Cana- dian	Import- ed	TOTAL		U S E D		S O L D			
					In coke or gas plants	In makers' smelters	For do- mestic use	For other uses		
Jan..	83,033	188,891	271,924	194,957	23,163	44,571	183,295	32,698	283,727	
Feb..	56,277	178,158	234,435	169,134	18,841	27,471	171,618	25,367	243,297	
March	62,155	204,276	266,431	191,848	20,771	30,853	136,472	23,724	211,820	
April	59,483	195,864	255,347	185,465	19,435	42,887	93,837	23,420	179,579	
May..	60,733	193,921	254,654	185,171	19,736	42,331	36,845	33,437	132,349	
June.	60,410	186,733	247,143	179,305	18,312	38,118	38,734	22,999	118,163	
July.	60,082	192,265	252,347	183,487	15,888	33,092	50,288	19,701	118,969	
Aug..	66,977	194,150	261,127	189,206	17,309	35,306	63,420	22,581	138,616	
Sept.										
Oct..										
Nov..										
Dec..										
TOTAL	509,154	1,534,254	2,043,408	1,478,573	153,455	294,629	774,509	203,927	1,426,520	



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PRODUCTION IN CANADA, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF COKE, BY PROVINCES, 1933 and 1934.

	Year	Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Quebec		Ontario		Manitoba, Saskat- chewan, Alberta and British Columbia		C A N A D A	
		Aug- ust	Year to date	Aug- ust	Year to date	Aug- ust	Year to date	Aug- ust	Year to date
PRODUCTION..	1933	40,221	247,268	96,857	750,497	13,205	106,140	150,283	1,103,905
	1934	52,938	406,817	120,769	938,537	15,499	133,219	189,206	1,478,573
IMPORTS	1933	1,356	18,506	71,063	326,437	292	4,178	72,711	349,121
	1934	4,107	26,204	137,589	524,707	645	8,580	142,341	559,491
EXPORTS	1933	238	326	...	...	694	4,624	932	4,950
	1934	361	698	...	54	1,156	1,738	1,517	2,490
APPARENT									
CONSUMPTION	1933	41,339	265,448	167,920	1,076,934	12,803	105,694	222,062	1,448,076
	1934	56,684	432,323	258,358	1,463,190	14,988	140,061	330,030	2,035,574

PRODUCTION OF COKE IN CANADA, BY MONTHS, 1927-1934.

(In 1000's of short tons)

Months	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
January	177	182	221	225	171	151	150	195
February	158	169	202	204	165	144	128	169
March	172	182	228	224	179	156	139	192
April	170	174	220	213	169	143	122	186
May	174	193	231	210	169	143	134	185
June	166	195	221	193	155	119	136	179
July	159	200	225	182	139	127	145	183
August	169	191	227	182	132	121	150	189
September	150	194	220	170	126	127	156	
October	152	210	233	185	140	131	173	
November	157	205	224	185	144	143	174	
December (x)	222	219	226	213	144	147	188	
TOTAL	2,026	2,314	2,678	2,386	1,833	1,638	1,794	1,478
Monthly Average ...	169	193	223	199	153	137	150	185

(x) Monthly errors are compensated in December entries.