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COAL AND COKE STATISTICS FOR CANADA - NOVEMBER, 1935.

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The Canadian production of coal in November reached a total of 1,601,464 tons as compared with 1,429,128 tons in November, 1934, and the five-year average for the month of 1,366,261 tons. Output during November, 1935, included 885,287 tons of bituminous coal, 80,156 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 636,021 tons of lignite coal.

Alberta operators reported an output of 790,810 tons made up of 220,046 tons of bituminous coal, 80,156 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 490,608 tons of lignite coal. In November, 1934, the production totalled 552,113 tons consisting of 164,162 tons of bituminous coal, 63,350 tons of sub-bituminous coal, and 324,601 tons of lignite coal. A decline of 15.8 per cent was recorded in Nova Scotia's production in November; the month's output was 503,681 tons as against 597,990 tons in the corresponding month of 1934. Saskatchewan's production advanced to 144,603 tons from the November, 1934, total of 115,787 tons. Production in British Columbia during November was at approximately the same level as was reported a year ago and totalled 131,418 tons. New Brunswick mined 30,142 tons as compared with 30,664 tons in November, 1934.

Imports of coal into Canada in November amounted to 1,360,058 tons; during the corresponding month of the previous year 1,668,171 tons were imported. The 1930-1934 average for the month was 1,516,302 tons. Importations of anthracite coal in November consisted of 158,283 tons from Great Britain, 80,511 tons from the United States, 31,773 tons from Germany, 25,407 tons from French Indo-China, and 7,800 tons from Belgium. Receipts of bituminous coal were made up of 1,024,777 tons from the United States, 30,692 tons from Great Britain, 30 tons from Norway and 1 ton from Alaska. Seven hundred and eighty-four tons of lignite coal were imported from the United States during the month.

The November exports of Canadian coal advanced to 45,981 tons from the November, 1934, total of 29,634 tons and the five-year average for the month of 34,642 tons.

Canada's coal supply in November (computed on the basis of production plus imports less exports) totalled 2,915,541 tons as against 3,065,665 tons made available a year ago and 2,817,921 tons, the November 1930-1934 average.

COAL STATISTICS FOR CANADA - NOVEMBER, 1935. (short tons)

	OUTPUT	I M P O R T S			EXPORTS
		U.S.	G.B.	TOTAL	
Prince Edward Island -					
Anthracite .....	...	234	...	234	...
Bituminous .....	...	...	...	...	...
Nova Scotia -					
Anthracite .....	...	141	5,249	5,390	...
Bituminous	503,681	...	5,119	5,119	22,592
New Brunswick -					
Anthracite .....	...	2,668	2,127	4,795	...
Bituminous	30,142	1,932	...	1,932	6,657
Quebec -					
Anthracite .....	...	12,230	150,907	(x)219,391	...
Bituminous .....	...	33,476	25,573	(x)59,079	1
Central Ontario -					
Anthracite .....	...	64,696	...	(x)73,422	...
Bituminous .....	...	933,893	...	933,893	...
Manitoba and Head of Lakes -					
Anthracite .....	...	517	...	517	...
Bituminous .....	...	54,842	...	54,842	29
Lignite	810	78	...	78	176
Saskatchewan -					
Anthracite .....	...	25	...	25	...
Bituminous .....	...	32	...	32	64
Lignite	144,603	65	...	65	582
Alberta -					
Anthracite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Bituminous	220,046	...	...	...	122
Sub-bituminous	80,156	...	...	...	...
Lignite	490,608	5	...	5	169
British Columbia -					
Anthracite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Bituminous	131,418	602	...	(x)603	13,646
Lignite .....	...	636	...	636	1,943
Yukon -					
Bituminous .....	...	...	...	...	...
CANADA -					
(x) NOVEMBER, 1935 -					
Anthracite .....	...	80,511	158,283	(x)303,774	...
Bituminous	885,287	1,024,777	30,692	(x)1,055,500	43,111
Sub-bituminous	80,156	...	...	...	...
Lignite	636,021	784	...	784	2,870
TOTAL	1,601,464	1,106,072	188,975	(x)1,360,058	45,981
NOVEMBER, 1934	1,429,128	1,343,707	285,818	(x)1,666,171	29,634
(b) ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1935 -					
Anthracite .....	...	1,526,470	1,432,042	(x)3,268,907	...
Bituminous	8,910,681	8,569,305	365,827	(x)8,935,516	355,191
Sub-bituminous	498,612	...	...	...	...
Lignite	3,106,629	4,094	...	4,094	8,758
TOTAL	12,515,922	10,099,869	1,797,869	(x)12,208,517	363,949
ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING					
NOVEMBER 30, 1934	12,521,491	10,999,437	1,951,400	(x)13,029,972	260,405
(x) Includes coal imported from other countries.					

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The production of 205,815 tons of coke in Canada during November marked a slight improvement over the 205,213 tons of the previous month which in turn was the highest output reported for any month since December, 1930. The corresponding total for November of a year ago was 198,861 tons.

Data for the month under review, when compared with the figures for October, show that output in Ontario advanced to 123,136 tons from 121,113 tons and in the western provinces to 16,475 tons from 16,310 tons, while in the eastern provinces it fell off to 66,204 tons from 67,790 tons. The month's output included 12,354 tons of breeze of which 7,271 tons were sold for domestic or other uses. In the east the production of breeze amounted to 6,296 tons and 3,563 tons were sold; in Ontario 5,813 tons were made and 993 tons sold. The balance of the breeze was made in the western provinces.

For the eleven months ending November, 1935, the total production of coke in Canada was 2,066,070 tons as compared with corresponding totals for the same periods of other years of 2,069,952 in 1934, 1,606,360 in 1933 and 1,490,434 in 1932.

COKE STATISTICS FOR CANADA, BY MONTHS, 1935.

COKE DISPOSITION FOR CANADA, BY MONTHS, 1904									
Months	Bituminous coal used			COKE MADE	Disposition of coke by makers				TOTAL
	in coke making		U S E D		S O L D				
	Can- dian	Import- ed	TOTAL		In coke or gas plants	In makers' smelters	For do- mestic uses	For other uses	
Jan..	85,563	183,353	268,916	199,868	21,378	43,802	164,251	26,307	255,738
Feb..	80,237	169,746	249,983	181,049	20,567	48,033	141,992	25,177	235,780
March	87,641	188,966	276,607	198,217	21,978	53,836	99,415	27,666	202,895
April	74,940	175,261	250,201	180,243	21,548	48,975	65,056	23,736	159,315
May..	79,429	177,528	256,957	184,573	21,944	52,477	43,306	19,233	136,960
June.	73,956	177,785	251,741	179,906	19,725	51,565	49,670	20,298	141,258
July.	72,888	171,690	244,578	176,291	16,775	48,965	55,387	20,219	141,346
Aug..	75,499	169,162	244,661	175,279	17,782	49,509	61,185	21,241	149,717
Sept.	81,585	170,413	251,998	179,616	21,053	51,811	87,949	23,452	184,265
Oct..	91,546	192,730	284,276	205,213	19,769	55,948	127,199	28,258	231,174
Nov..	91,169	194,320	285,489	205,815	19,158	57,128	118,785	28,865	223,936

TOTAL 894,453 1,970,954 2,865,407 2,066,070 221,677 562,060 1,014,195 264,452 2,062,384



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PRODUCTION IN CANADA, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF COKE, BY PROVINCES, 1934 and 1935.

Year	Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Quebec		Ontario		Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia		C A N A D A	
	Novem- ber	Year to date	Novem- ber	Year to date	Novem- ber	Year to date	Novem- ber	Year to date
PRODUCTION .. 1934	63,195	591,357	119,410	1,295,082	16,256	183,513	198,861	2,069,952
1935	66,204	659,018	123,136	1,233,223	16,475	173,829	205,815	2,066,070
IMPORTS 1934	243	35,736	88,836	824,598	1,413	11,478	90,492	871,812
1935	4,629	19,749	59,546	454,149	2,493	12,587	66,668	486,485
EXPORTS 1934	23	741	...	54	1,271	5,464	1,294	6,259
1935	60	586	...	...	3,706	18,456	3,766	19,042
APPARENT CON- 1934	63,415	626,352	208,246	2,119,626	16,398	189,527	288,059	2,935,505
SUMPTION 1935	70,773	678,181	182,682	1,687,372	15,262	167,960	268,717	2,533,513

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

(in thousands of short tons)

Month	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	129	134	185
June	166	195	221	193	155	119	136	179
July	159	200	225	182	139	127	145	184
August	169	191	227	182	132	121	150	189
September	150	194	220	170	126	127	156	188
October	152	210	233	185	140	131	173	204
November	157	205	224	185	144	143	174	199
December (x)	222	219	226	213	144	147	165	197
Total	2,026	2,314	2,678	2,386	1,833	1,638	1,772	2,267
Monthly Average	169	193	223	199	153	137	148	189

(x) Monthly errors are compensated in December entries.