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MONTHLY REPORT

COAL AND COKE STATISTICS FOR CANADA - JULY, 1940

The production of coal in Canada during July totalled 1,227,967 short tons, as compared with 1,093,542 tons during July, 1939 and 1,147,803 tons for June of the present year. Bituminous coal output during the month under review amounted to 1,103,274 tons, sub-bituminous coal, 37,719 tons and lignite coal 86,974 tons.

Nova Scotia mines produced 636,961 tons compared with 638,005 tons a year ago. Alberta operators reported an output of 372,262 tons consisting of 277,261 tons of bituminous coal, 37,719 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 57,282 tons of lignite coal. Mines in British Columbia produced 152,267 tons as against 133,895 tons in July 1939. New Brunswick output totalled 36,785 tons, an increase of 4 per cent over July, 1939. Saskatchewan mined 29,692 tons, a gain of 15 per cent over the July, 1939 output.

Canada imported 2,398,461 tons of coal during the month under review; imports, a year ago, totalled 1,590,973 tons, while the 1935-1939 average for July was 1,559,435 tons. Anthracite imports amounted to 594,362 tons, bituminous 1,804,052 tons and lignite 47 tons.

Exports of Canadian coal in July rose to 73,702 tons from the July, 1939 total of 18,627 tons. Exports during the first seven months of 1940 aggregated 292,811 tons as against 195,301 tons, a year ago.

COAL STATISTICS FOR CANADA, JULY, 1940.

(Short tons)

	OUTPUT	I M P O R T S			EXPORTS
		U.S.	G.B.	TOTAL	
Prince Edward Island --					
Anthracite .....	...	...	2,249	2,249	...
Bituminous .....	...	...	...	...	...
Nova Scotia --					
Anthracite .....	...	2,845	8,965	11,810	...
Bituminous .....	636,961	2,238	666	2,904	55,419
New Brunswick --					
Anthracite .....	...	3,480	7,847	11,327	...
Bituminous .....	36,785	42	...	42	8,501
Quebec --					
Anthracite .....	...	125,228	161,607	286,835	...
Bituminous .....	...	249,923	...	249,923	112
Central Ontario --					
Anthracite .....	...	266,683	15,173	281,856	...
Bituminous .....	...	1,476,535	...	1,476,535	...
Lignite .....	...	47	...	47	...
Manitoba and Head of Lakes --					
Anthracite .....	...	285	...	285	...
Bituminous .....	...	74,371	...	74,371	...
Lignite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Saskatchewan --					
Anthracite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Bituminous .....	...	124	...	124	4
Lignite .....	29,692	...	...	...	13
Alberta --					
Anthracite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Bituminous .....	277,261	113	...	113	...
Sub-bituminous .....	37,719	...	...	...	...
Lignite .....	57,282	...	...	...	...
British Columbia --					
Anthracite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Bituminous .....	152,267	40	...	40	9,653
Lignite .....	...	...	...	...	...
Yukon --					
Bituminous .....	...	...	...	...	...
CANADA --					
(a) July, 1940 --					
Anthracite .....	...	398,521	195,841	594,362	...
Bituminous .....	1,103,274	1,803,386	666	1,804,052	73,689
Sub-bituminous .....	37,719	...	...	...	...
Lignite .....	86,974	47	...	47	13
TOTAL .....	1,227,967	2,201,954	196,507	2,398,461	73,702
July, 1939 .....	1,093,542	1,313,254	199,924	1,590,973	18,627
(b) SEVEN MONTHS ending JULY 31, 1940.					
Anthracite .....	...	1,598,366	525,104	2,123,470	...
Bituminous .....	7,679,987	6,993,420	7,721	7,001,141	290,489
Sub-bituminous .....	287,100	...	...	...	...
Lignite .....	1,488,281	981	...	981	2,322
TOTAL .....	9,455,368	8,592,767	532,825	9,125,592	292,811
SEVEN MONTHS ENDING					
JULY 31, 1939 .....	7,909,811	4,632,776	646,570	5,456,919	195,301

x Includes coal imported from other countries.



COKE - JULY - 1940.

Production of coke from coal in Canada amounted to 258,411 tons in July against 249,232 tons in June and 189,254 tons in July of a year ago. Compared with the figures for the previous month data for July showed that daily output advanced 22 tons a day in the west to 631 and 14 tons in Ontario to 4,818 while the rate in the east dropped 6 tons to 2,888.

Included in the figures for July were 15,227 tons of breeze of which 8,462 tons were sold. In the east 7,515 tons were made and 3,793 tons sold, Ontario made 6,587 tons and sold 2,612 tons and western ovens produced 1,125 tons and sold 2,057 tons.

Producers stocks of coke from coke and gas ovens totalled 319,156 tons in July 31, 1940, including 179,990 tons in Ontario, 97,707 tons in the east and 41,459 tons in the west.

In addition to the tonnages reported above, Canadian oil refineries produced 7,190 tons of petroleum coke as by-products from their refineries during July. Sales of this coke amounted to 6,217 tons and stocks at the end of July were reported at 2,312 tons.

COKE STATISTICS FOR CANADA, BY MONTHS, 1940  
(Exclusive of Petroleum Coke)

Month	Bituminous coal used in coke making			Coke made
	Canadian	Imported	TOTAL	
January .....	137,743	225,591	363,334	257,269
February .....	98,751	212,131	310,882	224,568
March .....	127,613	206,358	333,971	239,290
April .....	119,623	208,749	328,372	237,110
May .....	125,409	226,357	351,766	251,840
June .....	122,054	223,605	345,659	249,232
July .....	128,190	233,831	362,021	258,411
TOTAL ..	859,383	1,536,622	2,396,005	1,717,720

DISPOSITION OF COKE BY THE PRODUCERS

	U S E D		S O L D			Total disposed of (except exported)
	In coke or gas plants	In makers' smelters	Direct to consumer For domestic use	For other uses	To dealers for resale	
January .....	27,688	106,000	38,815	37,244	107,078	324,514
February .....	25,210	84,573	33,328	40,656	88,655	275,935
March .....	25,301	95,690	30,036	39,253	74,850	267,016
April .....	18,463	91,324	23,507	37,069	44,284	216,598
May .....	24,273	102,347	10,700	38,153	30,659	208,018
June .....	16,553	100,431	12,867	31,726	51,860	215,286
July .....	13,974	106,423	15,440	40,365	63,244	241,341
TOTAL ..	151,462	686,788	164,693	264,466	460,630	1,748,708



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PRODUCTION IN CANADA, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF COKE, BY PROVINCES,  
for JULY, 1939 and 1940 (Exclusive of Petroleum Coke)

	Nova Scotia New Brunswick and Quebec		Ontario		Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia		C A N A D A	
	July	Year to date	July	Year to date	July	Year to date	July	Year to date
PRODUCTION -								
1939 .....	69,349	437,986	103,222	743,642	16,683	130,439	189,254	1,312,067
1940 .....	89,524	596,623	149,346	981,603	19,541	139,494	258,411	1,717,720
IMPORTS -								
1939 .....	1,680	3,918	39,296	180,128	587	6,451	41,563	190,497
1940 .....	5,350	9,703	77,507	319,884	517	4,385	83,374	333,972
EXPORTS -								
1939 .....	...	180	...	...	1,196	15,459	1,196	15,639
1940 .....	215	454	2	3,298	1,985	13,797	2,202	22,549
AVAILABLE FOR CONSUMPTION -								
1939 .....	71,029	441,724	142,518	923,770	16,074	121,431	229,621	1,486,925
1940 .....	94,659	605,872	226,851	1,293,189	18,073	130,082	339,533	2,029,143

NOTE - Re IMPORTS - The imports of coal or coke, as shown in this report, represent the actual tonnages arriving at customs ports, while the report of the Trade of Canada shows clearances from customs for consumption in Canada.

PRODUCTION OF COKE IN CANADA, BY MONTHS, 1934 - 1940  
(In thousands of short tons)

Month	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
January .....	195	200	212	218	224	202	257
February .....	169	181	198	198	199	177	225
March .....	192	198	202	221	218	188	239
April .....	186	180	190	214	208	183	237
May .....	185	185	200	218	208	185	252
June .....	179	180	199	210	192	188	249
July .....	184	176	193	212	183	189	258
TOTAL-7 MONTHS	1,290	1,300	1,394	1,491	1,432	1,312	1,717
August .....	189	175	191	214	182	191	
September .....	188	180	189	208	184	186	
October .....	204	205	212	218	184	227	
November .....	199	206	208	217	180	229	
December .....	173	192	218	222	190	243	
TOTAL FOR YEAR	2,243	2,258	2,412	2,570	2,352	2,388	