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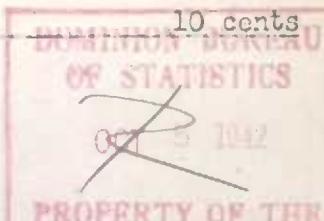
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MONTHLY REPORTCOAL AND COKE STATISTICS FOR CANADA - AUGUST, 1942

Canada's coal production in August totalled 1,457,712 tons compared with 1,474,462 tons in July of this year and with 1,404,335 tons in August, 1941. The August average for 1937-1941 was 1,263,551 tons.

Production during August, 1942 consisted of 1,031,279 tons of bituminous coal, 71,399 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 355,034 tons of lignite coal. Nova Scotia mines produced 537,600 tons of bituminous coal or 2 per cent less than in August, 1941; Alberta produced 355,358 tons, including 284,159 tons of bituminous coal, 71,399 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 299,800 tons of lignite coal, as against a total of 608,716 tons in the corresponding month of 1941, made up of 320,196 tons of bituminous coal, 41,544 tons of sub-bituminous coal and 227,976 tons of lignite coal. In British Columbia, output was up 3 per cent to 167,475 tons from 162,171 tons in August of last year. Saskatchewan produced 55,234 tons which was 34 per cent more than the tonnage mined in August, 1941, and New Brunswick's production of 42,045 tons was 5 per cent less than the output of 44,233 tons in August, 1941.

Imports of coal into Canada in August were recorded at 2,903,743 tons compared with 2,702,485 tons in the corresponding month of 1941 and this month's average during 1937-1941 of 1,970,802 tons. Importations during the current month included 545,192 tons of anthracite coal and 2,354,551 tons of bituminous coal.

Canada exported 102,103 tons of coal in August compared with 42,239 tons in August, 1941 and the 1937-1941 average for the month of 54,076 tons.

Canada's coal supply in August (computed on the basis of output, plus imports, less exports) was 4,365,340 tons compared with 4,064,531 tons in August, 1941.

COAL STATISTICS FOR CANADA, AUGUST, 1942

(Short tons)

Output Imports Exports

Prince Edward Island -

Anthracite .....	...	208	...
Bituminous .....	...	41	...

Nova Scotia -

Anthracite .....	...	14,172	...
Bituminous	557,600	...	63,601

New Brunswick -

Anthracite .....	...	6,003	...
Bituminous	42,045	162	5,701

Quebec -

Anthracite .....	...	238,363	...
Bituminous	575,266	106

Central Ontario -

Anthracite	536,035	...
Bituminous	1,501,380	10

Lignite
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Manitoba and Head of Lakes -

Anthracite	411	...
Bituminous	196,882	...

Lignite
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Saskatchewan -

Anthracite
Bituminous	103	12

Lignite	55,234	...	32
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Alberta -

Anthracite
Bituminous	234,159	40	106
Sub-bituminous	71,399
Lignite	299,300	...	210

British Columbia -

Anthracite
Bituminous	167,475	...	26,996

Lignite	332
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Yukon -

Bituminous
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CANADA - (a) August, 1942 -

Anthracite	545,192	...
Bituminous	1,031,279	2,364,551	101,532
Sub-bituminous	71,399	...	...

Lignite	355,034	...	574
Total	1,457,712	2,909,743	102,106

August, 1941	1,404,335	2,702,485	42,239
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(b) EIGHT MONTHS ending August 31, 1942

Anthracite	2,905,314	...
Bituminous	9,377,653	12,450,824	440,448
Sub-bituminous	465,621	...	...

Lignite	2,553,764	125	4,697
Total	12,397,038	15,446,263	454,145

EIGHT MONTHS ending August 31, 1941	11,080,402	11,370,170	301,151
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COKE - AUGUST - 1942

Production of coke from coal amounted to 273,735 tons in August compared with 275,403 tons in the previous month and 266,421 tons in August of a year ago.

During this month, 127,395 tons of Canadian coal and 253,998 tons of imported coal were carbonized in Canadian coke ovens making a total for the first eight months of this year of 1,077,051 tons of Canadian coal and 1,954,154 tons of imported coal. Coke output for the year to date was 2,183,008 tons against 1,993,273 tons and 1,974,697 tons reported for the first eight months of 1941 and 1940 respectively.

Producers' stocks of coke on August 31st, 1942 amounted to 212,425 tons, distributed across Canada as follows: 44,580 tons in the East, 150,330 tons in Ontario and 17,513 tons in the West.

COKE PRODUCED AND COAL USED, BY MONTHS, 1942
(Exclusive of Petroleum Coke)

Month	Bituminous coal used in coke making			Coke made
	Canadian	Imported	TOTAL	
January	141,736	247,272	389,008	278,197
February	128,590	223,579	352,169	252,663
March	143,883	243,792	387,675	236,518
April	137,643	239,584	377,227	270,342
May	132,303	251,139	383,342	276,576
June	132,644	242,108	374,752	262,569
July	132,357	252,682	385,039	275,403
August	127,395	253,998	381,993	273,735
TOTAL - EIGHT MONTHS	1,077,051	1,954,154	3,031,805	2,183,008

DISPOSITION OF COKE BY THE PRODUCERS, 1942
(Exclusive of Petroleum Coke)

	Used		Sold					Total disposed of	
	In coke or gas plants	In makers' smelters	Direct to consumers			To dealers for resale	For export		
			For domestic use	For other uses	To				
			(tons of 2,000 pounds)						
January	24,474	143,324	25,669	55,969	71,542	4,750		325,728	
February	23,032	128,901	22,948	51,295	56,770	5,302		286,248	
March	24,752	136,500	17,111	59,060	54,452	3,626		294,310	
April	23,028	137,636	10,970	60,835	38,712	3,764		283,045	
May	23,397	146,027	8,395	66,447	31,440	2,983		278,609	
June	22,029	137,720	8,079	78,792	33,600	3,537		284,565	
July	19,628	151,030	9,343	83,301	25,904	3,522		237,818	
August	20,334	142,132	9,251	85,587	32,368	4,307		294,029	
TOTAL - EIGHT MONTHS	180,724	1,123,098	112,666	554,376	344,837	29,501		2,345,342	



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PRODUCTION IN CANADA, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF COKE, BY PROVINCES,
FOR AUGUST, 1941 and 1942 (Exclusive of Petroleum Coke)

Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba, Saskat- chewan, Alberta and British Columbia		C A N A D A	
		Year : August to date:	Year : August to date:	Year : August to date:	Year : August to date
(tons of 2,000 pounds)					
PRODUCTION -					
1941	86,007	658,564	156,426	1,219,545	23,088
1942	92,550	748,710	158,576	1,228,817	24,609
181,929					
206,421					
2,060,038					
1942	92,550	748,710	158,576	1,228,817	24,609
205,481					
273,725					
5,183,008					

IMPORTS -

1941	3,671	33,339	48,362	378,367	585	6,975	52,618	418,681
1942	5,857	26,859	68,617	407,191	3,762	17,108	78,256	451,158

EXPORTS -

1941	10	554	121	958	2,205	23,055	2,426	24,547
1942	20	247	10	2,113	3,362	23,413	3,932	30,778

AVAILABLE FOR
CONSUMPTION --

1941	39,668	691,349	204,667	1,596,274	22,278	165,842	316,613	2,454,172
1942	98,337	775,322	225,183	1,633,800	24,400	194,176	347,979	2,603,388

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, 1936 - 1942
(Exclusive of Petroleum Coke)

	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942
(000's of tons of 2,000 pounds)							
January	212	218	224	203	257	268	273
February	198	198	199	177	225	240	253
March	202	201	213	191	230	266	287
April	190	214	208	184	237	253	270
May	200	218	203	196	252	260	277
June	199	210	192	189	249	248	270
July	195	212	183	190	250	253	275
August	191	214	182	193	257	266	274
TOTAL - 8 MONTHS	1,585	1,706	1,614	1,525	1,975	2,060	2,184
September	160	203	184	188	252	265	
October	212	213	184	227	263	276	
November	208	217	180	229	258	270	
December	218	222	190	243	267	282	
TOTAL	2,412	2,570	2,352	2,410	3,015	3,151	