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of the

RAILWAYS OF CANADA

For

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COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

TOTAL FREIGHT LOADED AND RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS

<u>PROVINCES</u>	November 1929 <u>Tons</u>	November 1928 <u>Tons</u>	October 1929 <u>Tons</u>
Prince Edward Island	45,712	57,181	40,003
Nova Scotia	656,459	624,165	820,993
New Brunswick	233,474	203,937	330,946
Quebec	1,521,548	1,484,011	1,935,941
Ontario	4,229,203	5,088,212	5,004,239
Manitoba	396,097	875,092	558,243
Saskatchewan	596,736	2,181,076	1,009,539
Alberta	870,616	1,787,384	1,292,863
British Columbia	677,236	628,880	772,960
Total for Canada	9,227,081	12,929,938	11,765,727
<u>PRODUCTS</u>			
Agricultural	1,739,805	5,315,846	2,623,850
Animal	286,893	289,219	309,613
Mine	3,843,443	3,797,466	4,750,145
Forest	980,309	1,069,946	1,249,162
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	2,376,631	2,457,461	2,832,957
GRAND TOTAL	9,227,081	12,929,938	11,765,727

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 NATIONAL PRODUCT ACCOUNTS  
 GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT  
 BY INDUSTRY  
 1958

Industry	1957	1958	% Change
Total	1,000,000	1,000,000	0.0
Manufacturing	400,000	400,000	0.0
Construction	100,000	100,000	0.0
Transportation	50,000	50,000	0.0
Wholesale Trade	100,000	100,000	0.0
Retail Trade	100,000	100,000	0.0
Government	100,000	100,000	0.0
Services	150,000	150,000	0.0
Finance	50,000	50,000	0.0
Insurance	50,000	50,000	0.0
Real Estate	50,000	50,000	0.0
Professional	50,000	50,000	0.0
Public Administration	50,000	50,000	0.0
Education	50,000	50,000	0.0
Health	50,000	50,000	0.0
Leisure	50,000	50,000	0.0
Food	50,000	50,000	0.0
Alcohol	50,000	50,000	0.0
Tobacco	50,000	50,000	0.0
Energy	50,000	50,000	0.0
Chemicals	50,000	50,000	0.0
Metals	50,000	50,000	0.0
Textiles	50,000	50,000	0.0
Other	50,000	50,000	0.0

REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED  
DURING THE MONTH

NO.	COMMODITIES	ORIGINATED		
		Loaded at : Stations : in : Canada :	Received from : Foreign Connections : Destined to : Canadian : Points :	Foreign : Points : Points : Tons
		Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS</u>				
1.	Wheat	689,798	1,275	17,717
2.	Corn	11,238	15,121	40,680
3.	Oats	63,361	3,597	17,325
4.	Barley	70,785	305	3,243
5.	Rye	15,639	204	933
6.	Flax	8,409	2,415	-
7.	Other grain	6,057	521	1,023
8.	Flour	136,408	2,284	31,911
9.	Other Mill Products	98,797	4,209	52,521
10.	Hay and Straw	58,545	242	2,904
11.	Cotton	287	14,147	10,306
12.	Apples (fresh)	58,106	1,658	8,764
13.	Other Fruit (fresh)	1,900	17,917	24,500
14.	Potatoes	71,359	453	20,074
15.	Other Fresh Vegetables	17,551	5,645	5,062
16.	Other Agricultural Products	77,413	17,631	29,565
	Total	1,385,653	87,624	266,528
<u>ANIMAL PRODUCTS</u>				
17.	Horses	13,441	66	33
18.	Cattle and Calves	78,134	291	2,024
19.	Sheep	11,453	8	3,727
20.	Hogs	26,947	-	3,893
21.	Dressed Meats (fresh)	9,257	616	24,126
22.	Dressed Meats (cured or salted)	4,973	6,953	13,001
23.	Other Packing House Products	5,117	5,064	18,375
24.	Poultry	963	505	14,901
25.	Eggs	972	10	4,839
26.	Butter and Cheese	3,363	535	9,794
27.	Wool	706	536	1,153
28.	Hides and Leather	4,990	2,325	5,927
29.	Other Animal Products	3,727	786	3,362
	Total	164,043	17,695	105,155
<u>MINE PRODUCTS</u>				
30.	Anthracite Coal	21,378	325,296	144,471
31.	Bituminous Coal	688,060	535,474	10,419
32.	Lignite Coal	436,463	-	-
33.	Coke	54,865	106,680	804
34.	Iron Ores	703	57,988	2,328
35.	Other Ores and Concentrates	399,766	10,681	8,954
36.	Base Bullion and Matte	13,230	-	11
37.	Clay, Gravel, Sand, Stone (crushed)	718,643	41,281	16,496
38.	Slate-Dimension or Block Stone	18,324	6,546	8,945
39.	Crude Petroleum	4,798	73,693	886
40.	Asphaltum	15,273	4,283	3,122
41.	Salt	11,518	7,240	10,066
42.	Other Mine Products	51,806	15,777	21,175
	Total	2,434,827	1,180,939	227,677



BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS  
 OF NOVEMBER, 1929

NO. :	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED	
	Total	Increase Over November 1928 (Decrease -)	Cumulative Total To Date	Increase Over 1928 (Decrease -)	Unloaded at: Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
1.	708,790	- 2,981,306	10,261,173	- 7,062,288	139,758	759,978
2.	67,039	- 7,659	766,491	- 28,302	21,320	42,434
3.	84,283	- 121,164	1,271,378	- 313,271	56,776	26,358
4.	74,333	- 288,886	979,190	- 451,910	54,632	31,190
5.	16,776	- 52,932	276,580	- 176,468	21,112	1,379
6.	10,824	- 17,622	74,323	- 55,003	7,643	6,046
7.	7,601	- 9,709	106,685	- 7,723	8,198	3,026
8.	170,603	- 58,027	2,068,785	- 94,087	95,549	80,755
9.	155,527	- 36,230	1,818,247	- 55,763	77,926	70,738
10.	61,691	- 6,737	470,051	- 37,350	56,410	8,547
11.	24,740	- 3,704	151,855	- 35,318	9,573	12,376
12.	68,528	- 6,794	264,234	- 6,281	31,232	39,382
13.	44,317	- 2,121	498,338	- 7,556	18,431	24,866
14.	91,886	- 3,795	689,321	- 32,648	55,272	39,037
15.	28,258	- 326	319,543	- 4,239	15,334	13,542
16.	124,609	- 13,499	698,835	- 10,729	70,222	69,277
	1,739,805	- 3,576,041	20,715,029	- 8,097,458	739,388	1,228,931
17.	13,540	- 4,511	108,972	- 16,019	14,324	140
18.	80,449	- 127	617,540	- 53,186	70,159	10,401
19.	15,188	- 2,429	70,575	- 9,276	10,863	3,802
20.	30,840	- 252	265,644	- 41,443	26,201	3,958
21.	33,999	- 6,907	419,259	- 8,153	9,798	25,458
22.	24,927	- 1,289	250,072	- 8,211	2,790	19,894
23.	28,556	- 3,302	258,608	- 3,204	4,034	23,981
24.	16,369	- 55	87,460	- 6,615	890	15,168
25.	5,821	- 2,046	141,129	- 3,162	953	5,072
26.	13,692	- 2,685	231,769	- 15,531	3,117	10,233
27.	2,395	- 1,349	57,076	- 70	718	1,623
28.	13,242	- 668	140,895	- 5,290	4,491	7,749
29.	7,875	- 1,608	100,344	- 5,229	2,099	5,341
	286,893	- 2,326	2,749,343	- 78,397	150,437	132,820
30.	491,145	- 17,361	4,558,732	- 233,408	297,866	142,936
31.	1,233,953	- 10,715	13,298,604	- 1,325,347	1,116,885	51,102
32.	436,463	- 31,522	2,743,040	- 64,158	424,299	4,878
33.	162,349	- 16,377	1,529,970	- 203,721	165,767	5,176
34.	57,019	- 118,515	692,600	- 150,940	54,685	2,419
35.	419,401	- 70,328	4,403,775	- 879,760	384,829	26,515
36.	13,241	- 3,093	153,081	- 37,479	5,584	4,371
37.	776,420	- 61,931	8,664,514	- 1,351,414	755,986	24,455
38.	33,815	- 3,568	378,580	- 41,991	32,376	9,420
39.	79,377	- 2,122	860,821	- 131,182	82,018	1,450
40.	22,678	- 1,249	472,775	- 111,518	19,347	3,148
41.	28,824	- 585	327,048	- 14,485	20,089	10,426
42.	88,758	- 11,853	889,708	- 109,397	46,028	59,545
	3,843,443	- 45,977	38,973,248	- 4,497,514	3,405,759	345,841





REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED  
DURING THE MONTH

NO.	COMMODITIES	ORIGINATED		
		Loaded at Stations in Canada	Received from Foreign Connections Destined to Canadian Points	Foreign Points
		Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>FOREST PRODUCTS</u>				
43.	Logs, Posts, Poles, Cordwood	302,409	3,768	8,741
44.	Ties	4,588	163	2,427
45.	Pulpwood	136,640	26	3,402
46.	Lumber, Timber, Box Shooks, Staves, Heading	386,524	28,453	58,706
47.	Other Forest Products	29,901	5,879	8,682
	Total	860,062	38,289	81,958
<u>MANUFACTURES &amp; MISCELLANEOUS</u>				
48.	Refined Petroleum & its Products	161,611	71,189	19,372
49.	Sugar	15,407	4,332	16,087
50.	Iron, pig and bloom	25,367	2,372	2,652
51.	Rails and Fastenings	3,285	227	399
52.	(Bar and Sheet Iron - Structural Iron and Iron Pipe	53,443	66,107	28,140
53.	Castings, Machinery and Boilers	22,568	10,974	22,889
54.	Cement	109,823	575	16,417
55.	Brick & Artificial Stone	56,030	17,875	6,164
56.	Lime and Plaster	35,037	2,090	1,084
57.	Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	6,665	663	1,090
58.	(Agricultural Implements & Vehicles other than Autos.	12,720	2,510	11,132
59.	Automobiles and Auto Trucks	15,347	5,916	73,986
60.	Household Goods	5,022	206	910
61.	Furniture	4,627	401	6,215
62.	Liquor Beverages	26,528	2,118	649
63.	Fertilizers, all kinds	30,351	5,441	728
64.	Paper, Printed Matter, Books	190,680	1,900	47,484
65.	Wood Pulp	87,996	1,645	17,245
66.	Fish (fresh, frozen, cured, etc.)	10,923	255	1,594
67.	Canned Meats	388	242	238
68.	(Canned Goods (all Canned Food Products other than Meat)	19,987	3,340	21,715
69.	Other Manufactures & Miscellaneous	313,285	99,765	222,437
70.	Merchandise	221,240	35,383	94,148
	Total	1,428,330	335,526	612,775
	GRAND TOTAL	6,272,915	1,560,073	1,294,093

RATIOS OF COMMODITY GROUP TOTALS  
Per

Commodity Group	Total Freight Carried	Loaded at Stations in Canada
Agricultural	13.86	15.02
Animal	3.11	1.78
Mine	41.65	26.39
Forest	10.62	9.32
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	25.76	15.48
Total	100.00	67.99

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OF NOVEMBER, 1929

NO. :	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED	
	Total	Increase Over November 1928 (Decrease -)	Cumulative Total To Date	Increase Over 1928 (Decrease -)	Unloaded at Stations in Canada	Delivered to Foreign Connections
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
43.	314,918	43,034	3,849,928	206,933	287,468	34,726
44.	7,178	3,127	155,229	22,279	3,443	3,530
45.	140,068	85,861	3,642,924	-1,134,920	96,769	50,661
46.	473,683	32,839	6,027,576	100,844	295,336	187,918
47.	44,462	10,844	520,386	55,455	21,526	14,748
	980,309	89,637	14,196,043	-1,106,565	704,542	291,583
48.	252,172	21,949	2,894,562	450,149	215,289	22,119
49.	35,826	4,728	504,066	1,794	17,353	18,428
50.	30,391	13,562	465,853	62,048	34,859	2,654
51.	3,911	2,584	249,018	971	5,312	367
52.	147,690	17,165	2,269,952	508,769	105,585	33,203
53.	56,431	1,182	672,528	72,400	32,204	24,902
54.	126,815	27,999	1,659,018	228,446	99,611	7,145
55.	80,069	10,673	992,931	51,238	69,750	5,754
56.	38,211	4,518	462,997	24,837	41,611	2,508
57.	8,418	1,674	120,683	1,420	10,770	1,145
58.	26,362	2,148	461,459	61,505	7,058	23,003
59.	95,249	63,423	2,508,317	247,204	8,646	88,376
60.	6,138	477	59,086	11,213	5,438	300
61.	11,243	391	118,768	15,707	5,259	6,759
62.	29,295	3,725	314,345	5,636	26,814	3,012
63.	36,520	861	536,823	6,448	19,862	16,153
64.	240,064	29,862	2,515,590	323,769	44,829	228,087
65.	106,886	6,378	1,125,795	51,256	30,699	93,072
66.	12,772	2,485	94,497	834	4,888	7,273
67.	868	365	8,527	721	690	664
68.	45,042	6,999	422,254	29,250	22,525	24,707
69.	635,487	3,667	7,479,783	693,808	359,189	299,555
70.	350,771	30,201	4,120,059	72,084	263,835	97,398
	2,376,631	80,830	30,056,911	2,503,781	1,432,076	1,006,584
	9,227,081	3,702,857	106,690,574	-2,281,125	6,432,202	3,005,759

TO TOTAL FREIGHT CARRIED DURING MONTH  
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RECEIVED FROM FOREIGN CONNECTIONS			Unloaded at	Delivered
Destined to		Total	Stations in	to Foreign
Canadian Points	Foreign Points		Canada	Connections
.95	2.89	3.84	8.01	13.32
.19	1.14	1.33	1.63	1.44
12.80	2.47	15.27	36.91	3.75
.41	.89	1.30	7.64	3.16
3.63	6.64	10.27	15.52	10.91
17.98	14.03	32.01	69.71	32.58



REVENUE FREIGHT CARRIED  
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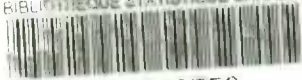
PRODUCTS	ORIGINATED		
	Loaded at	Received from	
	Stations	Foreign Connections	
	in	Destined to	
Canada	Canadian	Foreign	
	Points	Points	
	Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND</u>			
Agricultural	39,712	-	-
Animal	1,507	-	-
Mine	352	-	-
Forest	312	-	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	3,829	-	-
Total	45,712	-	-
<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>			
Agricultural	27,798	2,312	57
Animal	1,717	553	-
Mine	498,481	17	-
Forest	34,319	22	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	88,742	2,383	58
Total	651,057	5,287	115
<u>NEW BRUNSWICK</u>			
Agricultural	22,737	1,963	18,238
Animal	1,126	48	11
Mine	45,396	2,896	601
Forest	76,245	143	2,750
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	44,332	1,438	15,550
Total	189,836	6,488	37,150
<u>QUEBEC</u>			
Agricultural	93,453	16,326	15,916
Animal	16,968	1,575	3,165
Mine	269,544	168,248	63,598
Forest	215,771	2,930	17,270
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	450,131	61,014	125,639
Total	1,045,867	250,093	225,588
<u>ONTARIO</u>			
Agricultural	321,126	56,242	230,445
Animal	57,222	15,239	101,787
Mine	740,208	953,174	163,312
Forest	192,758	32,522	49,791
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	607,928	242,501	464,948
Total	1,919,242	1,299,678	1,010,283
<u>MANITOBA</u>			
Agricultural	140,695	3,546	79
Animal	29,897	62	12
Mine	96,297	5,331	-
Forest	37,326	1,081	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	69,451	12,308	12
Total	373,666	22,328	103
<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>			
Agricultural	434,176	1,399	94
Animal	19,683	-	-
Mine	35,332	34,531	-
Forest	13,718	352	30
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	49,461	6,776	1,184
Total	552,370	43,058	1,308
<u>ALBERTA</u>			
Agricultural	257,755	162	-
Animal	33,360	19	-
Mine	478,401	13,995	-
Forest	19,543	69	-
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	64,296	3,016	-
Total	853,355	17,261	-
<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>			
Agricultural	48,201	5,674	1,699
Animal	2,563	199	180
Mine	270,816	2,747	166
Forest	270,070	1,170	12,117
Manufactures & Miscellaneous	50,160	6,090	5,384
Total	641,810	15,880	19,546



BY CANADIAN RAILWAYS  
OF NOVEMBER, 1929

	TOTAL FREIGHT ORIGINATED				TERMINATED	
	: Increase		: Cumulative Total		: Unloaded at	: Delivered
	: Over		: Increase		: Stations	: to
	: For	: November	: To	: Over	: in	: Foreign
: Month	: 1928	: Date	: 1928	: Canada	: Connections	
	: (Decrease-)		: (Decrease -)			
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
<u>P.E. ISLAND</u>						
	39,712	+ 10,003	159,035	16,665	18,188	-
	1,507	- 72	10,797	- 126	869	-
	352	- 1,436	15,890	5,816	12,476	-
	312	3	6,155	- 5	2,073	-
	3,829	39	53,331	- 5,283	6,058	-
	45,712	- 11,469	245,208	17,067	39,664	-
<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>						
	30,167	7,256	156,770	11,622	25,616	23,928
	2,270	927	23,426	8,112	2,886	211
	498,498	- 3,320	6,228,922	710,101	417,097	192
	34,341	- 1,530	467,928	- 23,171	26,943	3,383
	91,183	28,961	874,697	171,039	91,830	3,469
	656,459	32,294	7,751,743	877,703	564,372	31,183
<u>NEW BRUNSWICK</u>						
	42,938	1,901	448,694	60,718	16,921	33,068
	1,185	- 694	13,248	- 2,749	2,448	268
	48,893	30,046	384,807	144,983	75,679	2,994
	79,138	- 7,453	1,186,085	- 19,477	38,966	20,090
	61,320	5,737	831,017	87,786	54,590	5,568
	233,474	29,537	2,863,851	271,261	188,604	61,988
<u>QUEBEC</u>						
	125,695	4,729	1,231,825	- 67,109	159,612	166,235
	21,708	- 910	188,146	- 32,242	25,913	33,174
	501,390	86,217	4,971,754	1,116,019	445,088	73,897
	235,971	- 61,068	3,612,023	- 473,412	181,189	86,716
	636,784	8,569	6,931,358	421,874	350,291	218,858
	1,521,548	37,537	16,935,106	965,130	1,162,093	578,880
<u>ONTARIO</u>						
	607,813	- 623,080	7,305,523	- 1,198,820	260,751	798,220
	174,248	- 13,634	1,839,885	- 46,602	55,963	92,819
	1,856,694	- 69,778	19,028,269	2,426,080	1,547,086	198,312
	275,071	- 62,886	4,405,136	- 622,243	192,038	125,849
	1,315,377	- 89,631	17,585,613	1,816,687	601,929	755,251
	4,229,203	- 859,009	50,164,426	2,375,102	2,657,767	1,970,451
<u>MANITOBA</u>						
	144,320	- 466,310	2,015,863	- 1,224,595	73,741	6,882
	29,971	5,164	227,160	- 12,508	29,344	3,528
	161,628	8,639	1,198,404	93,482	256,953	555
	38,407	- 13,354	661,009	- 118,941	41,720	2,666
	81,771	- 13,134	1,198,276	29,307	92,701	12,516
	396,097	- 478,995	5,300,712	- 1,233,255	494,459	26,147
<u>SASKATCHEWAN</u>						
	435,669	- 1,572,640	4,698,635	- 3,749,876	64,688	1,058
	19,683	2,995	145,498	6,572	9,092	1,970
	69,863	853	770,079	80,386	249,596	1,648
	14,100	- 3,747	191,050	- 31,617	26,876	38,473
	57,421	- 11,801	902,291	10,463	89,352	1,521
	596,736	- 1,584,340	6,707,553	- 3,684,072	439,604	44,670
<u>ALBERTA</u>						
	257,917	- 925,517	4,358,750	- 1,955,613	87,685	-
	33,379	4,758	262,814	2,912	18,093	27
	492,396	14,050	3,450,347	11,140	170,463	-
	19,612	790	341,783	- 17,257	30,897	-
	67,312	- 10,849	980,054	- 73,259	95,158	61
	870,616	- 916,768	9,393,748	- 2,032,077	402,296	88
<u>BRITISH COLUMBIA</u>						
	55,574	7,623	339,934	9,550	32,186	199,540
	2,942	- 860	38,369	- 1,766	5,829	823
	273,729	- 19,294	2,924,776	- 90,493	231,321	68,243
	283,357	59,608	3,324,874	199,558	163,840	14,406
	61,634	1,279	700,274	45,167	50,167	9,340
	677,236	48,356	7,328,227	162,016	483,343	292,352

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