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PIPE LINES (OIL) STATISTICS

AUGUST, 1956.

With all major companies recording increased deliveries, total oil carried by Canadian pipe lines during August reached a new high at 24,769,675 barrels, or an average of 799,022 barrels per day. This was an increase of 111,151 barrels per day, or 16 p.c., over the July average of 687,871 barrels and 152,111 barrels above the daily average of 646,911 in August 1955.

For the eight months ended August 31, 1956, net deliveries amounted to 177,922,271 barrels, compared with 143,415,453 barrels delivered during the same period last year, an increase of 24 p.c. Provincial deliveries for this period were as follows (1955 data in brackets): British Columbia 28,305,809 barrels (18,837,746); Alberta 13,077,540 barrels (11,904,927); Saskatchewan 10,974,565 barrels (10,749,905); Manitoba 46,376,095 barrels (33,267,464); Ontario 28,448,376 barrels (24,468,378); Quebec 50,739,886 barrels (44,187,033). Manitoba deliveries included 39,872,391 barrels (28,453,468) transferred to the Lakehead Pipe Line Company at Gretna. Of this amount 10,983,322 barrels (2,286,046) were for export while the remainder was destined to refineries at Sarnia. Exports via the Trans Mountain Oil Pipe Line are shown in a footnote to-table 4, and include all deliveries at dock for export.

The Imperial Refinery at Edmonton has been accepting deliveries of Pembina crude since June, with the result that a considerable drop occurred in net gathering deliveries offset by a compensating rise in trunk deliveries. Revisions due to this change are shown in table 4.

Net receipts for the month of August amounted to 25,315,644 barrels compared with 22,840,001 in July and 19,953,257 in the corresponding month last year. Included in the month's receipts were 13,010,483 barrels of Alberta crude, 50,008 barrels of Alberta Natural gasoline, 507,735 barrels of Manitoba crude, 1,271,902 barrels of Saskatchewan crude, 6,649,589 barrels of imported crude and 3,825,927 barrels of refinery products.

Both gathering and trunk lines handled more oil than in the previous month. Gathering systems handled an average of 460,743 barrels per day, 14.5 p.c. above the July daily average of 402,402 barrels, and trunk lines rose by 12.8 p.c. to 1,073,805 barrels per day. The corresponding month last year recorded an average of 338,480 barrels handled by gathering systems and 825,255 barrels by trunk. Barrel miles rose 12.9 p.c. to a new high of 10,100 million.

Employment and earnings continued to rise with 1,607 employees earning \$692,385. against the previous high in July of 1,564 employees earning \$670,493.

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Revenue and employee data for the Sarnia Products Pipe Line Division of Imperial Oil, Ltd., are not available for this report as the pipe line operation forms only a part of the company's activities and is not separable. For the same reason revenue and employee data of the pipe line operation of the Anglo American Exploration Company and employee data of the Amurex Oil Development Company, Key Pipe Line Company, Ltd., Mid-Saskatchewan Pipe Lines, Ltd., Mobil Oil of Canada, Ltd., Nisku Products Pipe Line Company, Anglo Canadian Oils, Ltd., and Valley Pipe Line Company, Ltd., have been omitted. Data on the activities of these companies have been included in all other applicable sections of the report.

Net totals given in Table 6 exceed those in Tables 1 and 2 because of duplications resulting from intercompany transfers of oil. These differences are accounted for in the following table.

	Barrels
Total Received into Systems - all companies -	
during first eight months of 1956, per table 6	282,797,331
Received into Trunk Lines from other Canadian Pipe Lines	102,881,663
"Net Received" into Canadian Pipe Line Systems	179,915,668
"Net Received" into Trunk Systems per table 1	83,690,439
"Net Received" into Gathering Systems per table 2	96,225,229
Total Delivered out of Systems - all companies -	
during first eight months of 1956, per table 6	280,915,342
Delivered to other Canadian Pipe Lines	102,993,071
"Net Delivered" from Canadian Pipe Line Systems	177,922,271
"Net Delivered" from Trunk Systems per table 1	172,423,554
"Net Delivered" from Gathering Systems per table 2	5,498,717

The fluctuations which occur in Shippers and Carriers balances monthly are accounted for by each company in a "monthly oil balance" statement. The oil balances have been tabulated for all companies for August and are given herewith:

OIL BALANCE - ALL COMPANIES - AUGUST, 1956

	Barrels		
Total Shippers Balances - January 1, 1956	8,937,210 375,411 96,225,229 237,268,524	9,312,621	
Total oil accountable for period Delivered from Gathering Systems January 1 to August 31, 1956 Delivered from Trunk Systems during January 1 to August 31, 1956 .	96,218,513 235,391,532	342,806,374 331,610,045	
Balance to be accounted for at August 31, 1956	10,240,742 630,425	11,196,329 325,162 10,871,167	

The Interprovincial Pipe Line Company operates over 1,500 miles of line in Canada from Edmonton to the International border near Gretna, Manitoba, along with 7 miles of 30 inch pipe coming into Canada across the St. Clair River at Sarnia. The Sun Pipe Line Company also operates lines across the St. Clair River from the United States to Sarnia. Oil delivered at Sarnia via Interprovincial's line would be a duplication of oil already reported on the western section of the line. For this reason and because of the limited nature of their operations, data for these two short sections are not included in Canadian oil pipe line statistics. A summary of oil delivered by these two lines at Sarnia follows:

	Interprovincial	Sun Pipe Line
Month	Pipe Line Company	Company
	Crude Oil	Crude and Refined 011
	Barrels	Barrels
August, 1955	2,795,720	399,808
July, 1956	3,662,145	611,187
August, 1956	3,691,393	700,723

OIL CARRIED BY PIPE LINES - TRUNK

		AUGUST	JULY	AUGUST	YEAR TO DATE
		1956	1956	1 9 5 5	1956
		Barrels	Barrels	Barrels	Barrels
1.	Total Received * (2+3+4+5)	33,767,402	30,032,772	25,509,331	237,268,524
	Less: Received from other Canadian pipe lines -		part and a second		autorph T
2.	Own Gathering System	8,022,395	6,774,015	4,558,003	50,696,422
3.	Other pipe lines - Gathering	3,708,687	3,096,402	3,168,916	24,302,10
4.	Trunk	11,052,178	9,806,651	8,284,076	78,579,550
5.	Net Received (6+7+8)	10,984,142	10,355,704	9,498,336	83,690,439
6.	Originating on own trunk lines	4,228,191	3,764,851	3,543,722	32,142,601
7.	Received from foreign pipe line connections	6,649,589	6,459,234	5,877,900	50,766,385
8.	Received from other carriers (rail & truck)	106,362	131,619	76,714	781,45
9.	Total Delivered * (10+11)	33,287,955	29,695,299	25,582,922	235,391,532
10.	Less: Delivered to other Canadian trunk lines	8,874,303	x 7,500,241	6,767,449	62,967,978
11.	Net Delivered (12+13+14)	24,413,652	× 22,195,058	18,815,473	172,423,554
12.	Terminated on own trunk lines	16,241,824	x 15,327,289	13,209,648	118,845,315
13.	Delivered to foreign pipe line connections	7,162,757	6,001,270	5,580,642	50,539,921
14.	Delivered to other carriers (truck, rail and water)	1,009,071	866,499	25,183	3,038,318

TABLE 2

OIL CARRIED BY PIPE LINES - GATHERING

		AUGUST	JULY	AUGUST	YEAR TO DATE
		1 9 5 6	1956	1955	1 9 5 6
		Barrels	Barrels	Barrels	Barrels
15.	Total Received (16+17)	14,331,502	12,484,297	10,454,921	96,225,229
16.	Less: Received from other gathering systems	-	*		-
17.	Net Received (18+19)	14,331,502	12,484,297	10,454,921	96,225,229
18.	Originating on own gathering system Received from other carriers (rail & truck)	13,745,907 585,595	12,069,713 414,584	10,108,441	93,657,720 2,567,509
20.	Total Delivered * (21+22+23)	14,283,058	12,474,476	10,492,877	96,218,513
	Less: Delivered to other pipe lines -				
21.	Own Trunk system	8,022,395	6,774,015	4,558,003	50,694,703
22.	Other pipe lines	5,904,640	5,410,997	4,696,102	40,025,093
23.	Net Delivered (24+25)	356,023	289,464	1,238,772	5,498,717
24.	Terminated on gathering systems	75,859	67,546	1,037,275	3,731,573
25.	Delivered to other carriers (rail & truck)	280,164	221,918	201,497	1,767,144

[/] Includes natural gasoline and products.
* Includes duplications.
// Includes natural gasoline.

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OIL CARRIED BY PIPE LINES, BY PROVINCE IN WHICH SHIPMENT ORIGINATED

		AUGUST	JULY	AUGUST	YEAR TO DATE	
Province		1956	1956	1 9 5 5	1956	
		Barrels	Barrels	Barrels	Barrels	
Alberta (1)	- Gathering	12,590,706	11,107,536	9,424,313	86,114,32	
	- Trunk	547,833	556,238	557,411	4,376,06	
Saskatchewan	- Gathering	1,233,061	862,609	623,497	6,406,66	
10	- Trunk	38,841	35,899	624	107,02	
Manitoba.	- Gathering	507,735	514,152	407,111	3,704,24	
	- Trunk					
Ontario (2)	- Trimk	2,354,594	1,780,079	1,813,687	16,732,98	
Quebec (3)	- Trunk	8,042,874	7,983,488	7,126,614	62,474,37	
Net Received	- Gathering	14,331,502	12,484,297	10,454,921	96,225,22	
	- Trunk	10,984,142	10,355,704	9,498,336	83,690,43	
	- Total	25,315,644	22,840,001	19,953,257	179,915,66	

TABLE A

OIL DELIVERED BY PIPE LINES, BY PROVINCES IN WHICH SHIPMENTS TERMINATED OR WERE TRANSFERRED TO OTHER CARRIERS

Province		AUGUST 1 9 5 6	JULY 1 9 5 6	AUGUST 1 9 5 5	YEAR TO DATE 1 9 5 6
		Barrels	Barrels	Barrels	Barrels
British Columbi Alberta (1)	ta / Trunk - Gathering	4,756,889 207,455	3,646,958 174,200	2,836,918 1,183,367	28,305,809 4,549,560
Saskatchewan	- Trunk - Cathering	1,644,056	x 1,691,319 115,264	628,345 55,405	8,527,980 949,157
Manitoba #	- Trunk	1,294,906 6,299,523	1,063,845	1,443,679 4,988,643	10,025,408
Ontario (2) Quebec	- Trunk - Trunk	3,728,582 6,689,696	3,302,868 6,416,265	3,061,459 3,856,429	28,448,37 50,739,88
Net Delivered	- Gathering - Trunk - Total	356,023 24,413,652 24,769,675	289,464 x 22,195,058 x 22,484,522	1,238,772 18,815,473 20,054,245	5,498,71 172,423,556 177,922,27
	oports to U.S.A.	2,758,234 5,394,496	1,591,627 5,259,894	1,132,404	13,532;41 39,872,39

TABLE 5

OPERATING STATISTICS

		AUGUST	July	AUGUST	YEAR TO DATE
		1956	1956	1955	1 9 5 6
Barrels Handled - Daily Average					
Gathering Systems	Barrels	460,743	402,402	338,480	394,338
Trunk Lines		1,073,805	951,912	825,255	964,719
Total Barrel Miles (Trunk Lines)	Millions	10,100	8,946	7,605	70,50
Average Miles Per Barrel (Trunk Lines)	Miles	303.4	301.3	297.3	299.
Employees and Earnings (6)					
Average Number (4)	No.	1,607	1,564	1,336	1,44
Total Salaries and Wages		692,385	670,493	534,746	4,984,93
Man-Hours Worked by Wage Earners (5) (6)	Hours	74,307	74,120	60,751	522,92

- Includes natural gasoline.
 Products of refineries.

- Includes salaried employees.
- (2) Products of refineries.
 (3) Includes some products.
 (4) Includes salaried employ
 (5) Includes overtime.
 (6) Excludes imprex Oil Dev Includes overtime.

 Excludes Amurex Oil Development Company, Anglo American Exploration Company, Ltd.,

 Anglo-Canadian Oils, Ltd., Sarnia Products Line and Nisku Products Pipe Line Company, Limited.

PIPE LINE STATISTICS, BY COMPANIES

AUGUST, 1956

Traffic and Operating Statistics	Imperial Pipe Line Co. Ltd.	Inter- provincial Pipe Line Co.	Montreal Pipe Line Co. Ltd.	Trans Mountain Oil Pipe Line Company	Other Pipe lines (1)	Total
TRAITIC		HIHE	Barrels			
Total Received into System					a Lateral of	
This month (August 1956)	4,969,763	8,749,267	6,649,589	4,725,011	(2) 14, 982, 879	40,076,509
This year (8 months)	36,291,768	63,934,642	50,766,385	28,841,089	102,963,447	282,797,331
Total Delivered out of System						
This month (August, 1956)	4,939,150	8,256,646	6,689,696	4,756,889	(4) 14,906,237	39,548,618
This year (8 months)	36,291,979	63,034,854	50,739,886	28,305,809	102,542,814	280,915,342
OPERATING STATISTICS						
Barrels Handled - Daily Average						
Gathering Lines						
This month (August, 1956)	159,327			_	301,407	460,743
This year (8 months)	148,737		_		245,601	394,338
Trunk Lines					100	
		266,343	215,796	153,448	438,218	1,073,805
(100840-1)	_	258,340	207,950	116,007	382,422	964,719
This year (8 months) Total Barrel Miles			Miles			
			14 200			
(Trunk Lines - in millions) This month (August, 1956)		4,801	493	3,318	1,488	10,100
					10,804	70,503
This year (8 months) Average Miles Per Barrel	-	36,240	3,738	19,721	10,804	70,503
(Trunk Lines)		581.0	73.7	6598.0	109.5	303.4
This month (August, 1956)	-	575.0	73.7	697.0	115.8	299.5
This year (8 months)	-	3/3.0		097.0	115,6	2,7,00
Three Months ending March 31, 1956	965,948	5,986,021	Dollars 624,367	5,252,344	(7) 5,543,545	18,372,225
Six Months ending June 30, 1956.	1,871,676	11,660,890	1,277,408	9,397,247	(7) 10,807,672	35,014,893
Nine Months ending Sept. 30, 1956						
Twelve Months ending Dec. 31, 1956						
EMPLOYEES AND EARNINGS			Number			
Number of Employees	171	429	57	226	(6) 724	1,607
Salaries and Wages			Dollars			
This month (August, 1956)	68,759	190,455	24,273	110,427	(6) 298,471	692,385
This year (8 months)	632,987	1,445,964	177,397	752,733	(6) 1,975,855	4,984,930
Man-Hours Worked by Wage Earners			Hours			1 0 1
This month (August, 1956)	20,677	959	2,079	3,490	(6) 47,102	74,307
This year (8 months)	176,661	4,745	8,605	14,195	(6) 318,720	522,926

^{*} Totals include duplication between companies.

(7) Excludes Amurex 0il Development Company; Anglo American Exploration Company; Green River Exploration Company; Mobil 0il of Canada Ltd. and Sarnia Products Line.

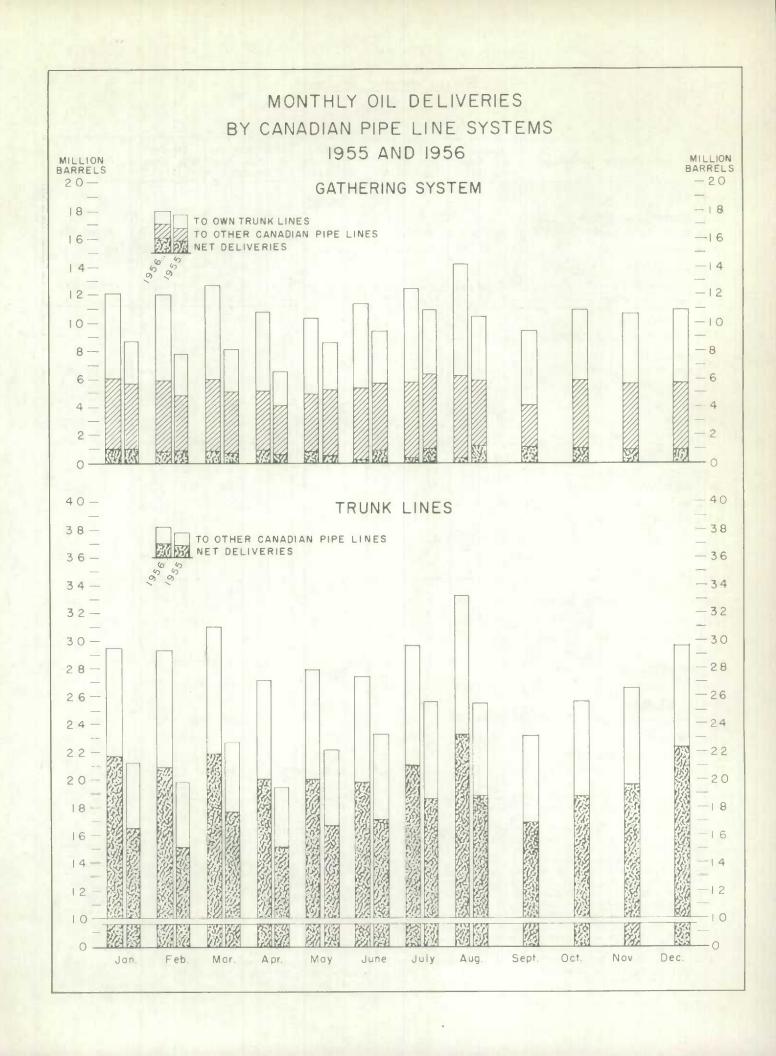
⁽¹⁾ Includes Amurex Oil Development Company; Anglo American Exploration Company; Anglo-Canadian Oils, Limited; B.A. Alberta Pipe Line, Limited; B.A. Saskatchewan Pipe Line, Limited; Canadian Gulf Pipe Line Company; Edmonton Pipe Line Co. Limited; Gibson Crude Oil Purchasing Co. Limited; Green River Exploration Co. Limited; Imperial Oil - Sarnia Products Pipe Line Division; Key Pipe Line Co. Ltd.; Mid Saskatchewan Pipe Lines Ltd.; Mobil Oil of Canada, Ltd; Nisku Products Pipe Line Company, Limited; Peace River Oil Pipe Line Company, Ltd; Pembina Pipe Line, Ltd.; Trans-Prairie Pipe Lines Limited; Saskatoon Pipe Line Company; South Saskatchewan Pipe Line Company; Sun Canadian Pipe Line Company, Limited; Texaco Exploration Company; Trans-Northern Pipe Line Company; Valley Pipe Line Company, Limited; Westspur Pipe Line Company; and Winnipeg Pipe Line Company, Limited.

⁽²⁾ Includes 3,825,927 bbls. products and 50,008 bbls. natural gasoline.

³⁾ Includes 29,031,699 bbls. products and 410,943 bbls. natural gasoline.

⁽⁴⁾ Includes 3,805,819 bbls. products and 48,379 bbls. natural gasoline.

⁽⁵⁾ Includes 29,038,806 bbls. products and 410,081 bbls. natural gasoline.
(6) Excludes Amurex Oil Development Company; Anglo American Exploration Company; Anglo-Canadian Oils, Limited; Imperial Oil-Sarnia Products Pipe Line Division; Key Pipe Line Co. Ltd.; Mid-Saskatchewan Pipe Lines Ltd; Mobil Oil of Canada Ltd; Nisku Products Pipe Line Company, Limited; Peace River Oil Pipe Line Company; and Valley Pipe Line Company, Ltd.



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