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## OUTPUT OF CENTRAL ELECTRIC STATIONS IN CANADA

OCTOBER, 1938

Central electric stations produced $2,329,428,000$ kilowatt hours in October and $2,163,645,000 \mathrm{kilowatt}$ hours in September. The increase was sightly less than the usual seasonal increase and the index number dropped from 223.61 to 220.89. The output a year ago was $2,365,052,000$ kilowatt hours. The decrease of $35,624,000$ kilowatt hours was mainly in secondary power delivered to electric boilers which declined from $566,436,000$ kilowatt hours in 1937 to $539,236,000$ kilowatt hours, or by 27,200,000 kilowatt hours.

Exports to the United States increased from $142,736,000$ kilowatt hours in October, 1937, to $165,455,000 \mathrm{kilowatt}$ hours, exports of surplus or off-peak power increasing from $24,739,000 \mathrm{kilowatt}$ hours to $45,074,500$ kilowatt hours.

The consumption of firm power increased from $1,530,546,000$ kilowatt hours in September to $1,624,738,000$ kilowatt hours, which also was less than the usual seasonal increase, and the index number dropped from 198.95 to 194.08 , or by 2.4 per cent.

Decrease in power taken by the pulp and paper mills was undoubtedly the chief factor in the decreased output. The production of newsprint paper was down by 19 per cent in October, compared with last year's production. These mills take around 70 to 80 per cent of the secondary power and around 25 per cent of the firm power delivered in Canada.

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Price 50 cents per Year

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(Thousands of Kilowatt Hours)


1/ Production plus provincial imports less provincial exports.
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| Month | 1934 | 1935 | 1936 | 1937 | 1938 |
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| January | $1,725,264$ | $2,012,742$ | $2,091,497$ | $2,317,906$ | $\times 2,281,299$ |
| Jebruary | $1,614,425$ | $1,803,447$ | $1,938,978$ | $2,146,578$ | $2,057,598$ |
| March | $1,797,334$ | $1,943,555$ | $2,135,640$ | $2,412,259$ | $2,258,197$ |
| April | $1,697,909$ | $1,881,029$ | $2,164,628$ | $2,322,884$ | $2,063,801$ |
| May | $1,830,820$ | $1,923,071$ | $2,083,363$ | $2,301,167$ | $2,081,935$ |
| June | $1,708,632$ | $1,816,250$ | $2,028,980$ | $2,255,338$ | $1,973,155$ |
| July | $1,621,314$ | $1,791,544$ | $2,021,147$ | $2,188,055$ | $1,987,774$ |
| Aagust | $1,676,865$ | $1,851,153$ | $2,020,416$ | $2,197,725$ | $2,071,901$ |
| September | $1,627,289$ | $1,919,213$ | $2,041,423$ | $2,204,291$ | $2,163,545$ |
| October | $1,853,226$ | $\underline{2,162,569}$ | $2,280,508$ | $2,365,052$ | $2,329,428$ |
| Sub Total | $17,153,078$ | $19,104,573$ | $20,806,580$ | $22,71,255$ | $21,268,733$ |
| Yovember | $1,953,512$ | $2,143,314$ | $2,261,979$ | $2,414,676$ |  |
| December | $2,052,940$ | $2,156,525$ | $2,325,733$ | $2,457,996$ |  |
| roTAL | $21,159,530$ | $23,404,412$ | $25,394,292$ | $27,583,927$ |  |

HXPORTS TO THE UNITED STATES

| Jamary | 100,485 | 113,878 | 118,050 | 134,931 | 157,532 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Tebruary | 102,151 | 109,524 | 110,684 | 138,041 | 123,094 |
| March | 112,115 | 103,957 | 125,921 | 172,695 | 144,091 |
| Apri1 | 63,105 | 97,475 | 125,496 | 164,250 | 135,616 |
| May | 111,000 | 94,256 | 130,530 | 161,033 | 155,292 |
| June | 113,640 | 107,994 | 157,871 | 158,657 | 158,313 |
| July | 105,856 | 93,348 | 157,543 | 164,057 | 159,349 |
| hugust | $\underline{115,988}$ | 130,305 | 143,342 | 162,617 | 149,493 |
| Soptember | 107,114 | 142,177 | 125,127 | 143,441 | 151,691 |
| october | 107,122 | 146,530 | 129,323 | 142,736 | 165,455 |
| Sub Total | $1,038,576$ | $1,139,444$ | $1,323,885$ | $1,542,458$ | $1,499,926$ |
| Movember | 99,714 | 112,305 | 126,152 | 145,549 |  |
| December | 110,508 | 112,838 | 128,070 | 152,093 |  |
| TOTAL | $1,248,798$ | $1,364,587$ | $1,578,109$ | $1,847,100$ |  |

OUTPUT LESS EXPORTS AND DELIVERIES TO EUECTRIC BOILERS

| Jamary | $1,216,922$ | $1,344,646$ | $1,413,216$ | $1,474,787$ | $x 1,554,892$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tebruary | $1,117,047$ | $1,193,820$ | $1,298,872$ | $1,344,387$ | $1,432,541$ |
| March | $1,239,377$ | $1,321,545$ | $1,387,512$ | $1,532,912$ | $1,569,139$ |
| Apri1 | $1,141,203$ | $1,267,776$ | $1,353,605$ | $1,510,508$ | $1,477,217$ |
| Yay | $1,244,982$ | $1,304,893$ | $1,371,404$ | $1,519,545$ | $1,502,741$ |
| June | $1,158,889$ | $1,245,659$ | $1,353,080$ | $1,496,283$ | $1,457,978$ |
| July | $1,159,301$ | $1,270,867$ | $1,359,445$ | $1,520,365$ | $1,467,938$ |
| August | $1,191,218$ | $1,306,710$ | $1,386,797$ | $1,543,699$ | $1,512,244$ |
| September | $1,173,190$ | $1,317,312$ | $1,417,821$ | $1,573,502$ | $1,530,546$ |
| October | $1,290,580$ | $1,415,896$ | $1,533,075$ | $1,655,879$ | $1,624,738$ |
| Sub Iotal | $11,932,709$ | $12,989,124$ | $13,874,829$ | $15,161,867$ | $15,129,974$ |
| Movember | $1,292,686$ | $1,394,955$ | $1,481,813$ | $1,632,494$ |  |
| December | $1,348,205$ | $1,411,097$ | $1,516,702$ | $1,629,452$ |  |
| TOTAL | $14,573,600$ | $15,795,176$ | $16,873,342$ | $18,423,813$ |  |

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