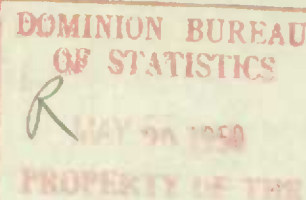




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PRELIMINARY REPORT ON COAL PRODUCTION IN CANADA

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Coal production in Canada during April amounted to 1,308,500 tons making a total production of 6,747,500 tons for the first four months of the year. In comparison with the corresponding month of last year, production showed an increase of 6.5 per cent.

Imports of coal into Canada during the month amounted to 2,247,941 tons, making a total of 4,286,509 tons imported during the first four months of this year. This was an increase of 11.4 per cent compared with the tonnage imported in the corresponding month of last year.

Coal exported during April amounted to 42,114 tons.

Table 1 - Production of Coal in Canada and Imports of Coal into Canada, by Provinces,
April, 1949 and 1950

| Province | April, 1949 | | April, 1950 | |
|----------------------|------------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| | Production | Imports | Production | Imports |
| | (Tons of 2,000 pounds) | | | |
| Newfoundland(x) | ... | ... | ... | 6,145 |
| Nova Scotia | 463,960 | 3,603 | 499,500 | 11,835 |
| New Brunswick | 28,846 | ... | 36,000 | 930 |
| Quebec | ... | 233,788 | ... | 400,422 |
| Ontario | ... | 1,766,625 | ... | 1,825,506 |
| Manitoba | ... | 482 | ... | 1,254 |
| Saskatchewan | 71,632 | 40 | 115,000 | 53 |
| Alberta | 503,695 | ... | 515,500 | ... |
| British Columbia ... | 160,188 | 3,967 | 142,500 | 1,796 |
| Yukon | 461 | ... | ... | ... |
| TOTAL | 1,228,782 | 2,008,505 | 1,308,500 | 2,247,941 |

Table 2 - Production of Coal in Canada and Imports of Coal into Canada for the Four
Months Ended April, 1949 and 1950

| Province | Four Months Ended April 1949 | | Four Months Ended April 1950 | |
|----------------------|------------------------------|-----------|------------------------------|-----------|
| | Production | Imports | Production | Imports |
| | (Tons of 2,000 pounds) | | | |
| Newfoundland(x) | ... | ... | ... | 10,400 |
| Nova Scotia | 2,032,815 | 24,243 | 2,285,200 | 23,790 |
| New Brunswick | 147,142 | 7,282 | 178,000 | 19,791 |
| Quebec | ... | 928,243 | ... | 953,272 |
| Ontario | ... | 3,377,819 | ... | 3,254,928 |
| Manitoba | ... | 25,803 | ... | 18,183 |
| Saskatchewan | 681,869 | 137 | 818,000 | 270 |
| Alberta | 2,933,678 | ... | 2,862,800 | ... |
| British Columbia ... | 662,521 | 14,333 | 603,500 | 5,875 |
| Yukon | 461 | ... | ... | ... |
| TOTAL | 6,458,486 | 4,377,860 | 6,747,500 | 4,286,509 |

Note - Imports represent amounts which entered the country during the month. They differ from the official "entered for consumption" figures, which cover tonnages withdrawn from customs' warehouses. (x) Newfoundland imports date from April 1, 1949.



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Table 1

Table 1 shows the number of persons in the labour force, by sex and age group, for the years 1960, 1965, 1970, 1975, 1980, 1985, 1990, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2010, 2015, 2020, and 2025. The data is presented in thousands of persons.

| Year | Male | Female | Total |
|------|--------|--------|--------|
| 1960 | 10,000 | 8,000 | 18,000 |
| 1965 | 10,500 | 8,500 | 19,000 |
| 1970 | 11,000 | 9,000 | 20,000 |
| 1975 | 11,500 | 9,500 | 21,000 |
| 1980 | 12,000 | 10,000 | 22,000 |
| 1985 | 12,500 | 10,500 | 23,000 |
| 1990 | 13,000 | 11,000 | 24,000 |
| 1995 | 13,500 | 11,500 | 25,000 |
| 2000 | 14,000 | 12,000 | 26,000 |
| 2005 | 14,500 | 12,500 | 27,000 |
| 2010 | 15,000 | 13,000 | 28,000 |
| 2015 | 15,500 | 13,500 | 29,000 |
| 2020 | 16,000 | 14,000 | 30,000 |
| 2025 | 16,500 | 14,500 | 31,000 |

Table 2 shows the number of persons in the labour force, by sex and age group, for the years 1960, 1965, 1970, 1975, 1980, 1985, 1990, 1995, 2000, 2005, 2010, 2015, 2020, and 2025. The data is presented in thousands of persons.