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GOLD PRODUCTION(1)
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TABLE 1. Gold Production, by Provinces, 1963

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| October | troy ounces |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |
| Atlantic provinces | 1,625 | 2,370 |
| Quebec ... | 76,298 | 81,141 |
| Ontario. | 204,541 | 171,501 |
| Prairie provinces | 8,341 | 10,665 |
| Beitish Columbia . | 10,741 | 10,199 |
| rukon .... | 10,159 | 14,259 |
| Northwest Territories | 35,459(2) | 37,423 |
| Canada total ................ | 347,164(3) | 327,558 |

## Ten months ended October

Atlantic provinces

11,605
775,203
1,943,368
97,047
131,432
42,398
330,583

3,331,636
3,163,985
(1) The value of gold production in the current month, calculated at the average price paid by the Royal Canadian Mint, was $\$ 12,345,661$.
(2) Figure of 31,362 published in September should have read 31,262.
(3) Figure of 327,947 published in September should have read 327,847.

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TABLE 2. Production of Gold from Auriferous Quartz and Base Metal Mines, 1963 and 1964

|  | Auriferous quartz mines and placer deposits |  | Base metal mines |  | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1963 | 1964 | 1963 | 1964 | 1963 | 1964 |
|  | troy ounces |  |  |  |  |  |
| January . . . . . . | 285,217 | 267,102 | 54,652 | 54,692 | 339,869 | 321,794 |
| February ...... | 268,096 | 247,137 | 46,916 | 49,264 | 315,012 | 296,401 |
| March ......... | 279,302 | 261,276 | 52,367 | 54,255 | 331,669 | 315,531 |
| April ......... | 288,484 | 275,467 | 49,195 | 56,244 | 337,679 | 331,711 |
| May . . . . ...... | 300,549 | 260,628 | 53,502 | 46,467 | 354,051 | 307,095 |
| June ......... | 280,077 | 254,185 | 51,066 | 54,678 | 331,143 | 308,863 |
| July ......... | 264,463 | 269,859 | 47,413 | 52,584 | 311,876 | 322,443 |
| August ........ | 285,213 | 263,763 | 50,113 | 58,652 | 335,326 | 322,415 |
| September ..... | 277,190 | 255,167 | 50,657 | 55,007 | 327,847 | 310,174 |
| October ....... | 296,455 | 268,232 | 50,709 | 59,326 | 347,164 | 327,558 |
| November . . | 282,884 |  | 50,031 |  | 332,915 |  |
| December . | 261,359 |  | 46,137 |  | 307,496 |  |
| Totals ...... | 3,369,289 |  | 602,758 |  | 3,972,047 |  |
| Year to date.. | 2,825,046 | 2,622,816 | 506,590 | 541,169 | 6,331,636 | 3,163,985 |

IABLE 3. Employment in Lode Gold Mines (1), by Provinces, 1963 and 1904

|  | Quebec |  | Ontario |  | British Columbia |  | Other districts and provinces |  | Canada |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1963 | 1964 | 1963 | 1964 | 1963 | 1964 | 1963 | 1964 | 1963 | 1964 |
|  | number |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January .... | 2,980 | 2,832 | 10,731 | 10,224 | 492 | 500 | 1,009 | 1,065 | 15,212 | 14,612 |
| February ... | 2,963 | 2,845 | 10,686 | 10,161 | 496 | 503 | 1,022 | 1,079 | 15,167 | 14,588 |
| March ...... | 2,887 | 2,806 | 10,699 | 10,088 | 514 | 511 | 1,035 | 982 | 15,135 | 14,387 |
| April ...... | 2,898 | 2,795 | 10,600 | 9,986 | 694 | 668 | 1,025 | 1,002 | 15,217 | 14,451 |
| May ....... | 2,887 | 2,788 | 10,494 | 9,901 | 773 | 716 | 1,056 | 1,046 | 15,210 | 14,451 |
| June ....... | 2,903 | 2,881 | 10,639 | 10,121 | 773 | 734 | 1,078 | 1,142 | 15,393 | 14,878 |
| July ....... | 2,901 | 2,863 | 10,608 | 10,062 | 743 | 710 | 1,083 | 1,177 | 15,335 | 14,812 |
| August.... | 2,888 | 2,912 | 10,428 | 9,643 | 723 | 694 | 1,096 | 1,136 | 15,135 | 14,385 |
| September . . | 2,829 | 2,850 | 10,131 | 9,236 | 704 | 656 | 1,026 | 1,141 | 14,690 | 13,883 |
| October.... | 2,828 | . | 10,238 | - | 704 | - | 1,076 | - | 14,846 | . |
| November . . . | 2,837 |  | 10,208 |  | 656 |  | 1,062 |  | 14,763 |  |
| December ... | 2,820 |  | 10,216 |  | 501 |  | 1,092 |  | 14,629 |  |

(1) Mines with 15 or more employees.
. Figures not available.

