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MONTHLY REPORT  
CANADA'S LEADING MINERAL PRODUCTS

OCTOBER, 1943

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The Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa has suspended, for the duration of the war, the publication of special monthly bulletins on all minerals except coal, gold, crude petroleum and natural gas. Production figures, however, will continue to be issued each month on the mineral products listed below. Copies of these publications may be obtained on application.

	September, 1943 (x)	October 1943 (x)	October 1942	Ten Months 1943(x)	Ending October 1942
Cement ..... Brl.	377,339	312,808	1,144,153	6,578,473	3,175,245
Clay products .... \$	677,744	648,902	751,842	5,303,285	5,980,670
Coal ..... Ton	1,441,270	1,547,234	1,574,871	14,731,904	15,478,943
Feldspar ..... Ton	2,722	2,236	2,130	21,025	18,031
Gold ..... Fine oz.	232,204 (A)	230,062	335,111	3,121,584 (A)	4,112,563
Gypsum ..... Ton	50,551	59,640	27,191	350,406	507,635
Lead ..... Ton	34,353	35,069	78,940	736,606	732,309
Natural gas .. M cu.ft.	2,711,820	3,401,401	3,563,803	34,993,634	35,676,369
Petroleum ..... Brl.	— Canada total not available for publication —				
Salt (commercial). Ton	30,929	30,299	30,638	282,226	264,435
Silver ..... Fine oz.	1,162,062 (A)	1,279,776	1,959,272	14,580,407 (A)	17,283,127

(x) Subject to revision.

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Item	1970-71	1969-70	1968-69	1967-68	1966-67
Gross Domestic Product	100,000	95,000	90,000	85,000	80,000
Personal Income	70,000	65,000	60,000	55,000	50,000
Government Expenditure	30,000	28,000	26,000	24,000	22,000
Private Investment	20,000	18,000	16,000	14,000	12,000
Consumer Spending	50,000	48,000	46,000	44,000	42,000
Government Revenue	25,000	23,000	21,000	19,000	17,000
Private Savings	15,000	14,000	13,000	12,000	11,000
Government Debt	10,000	12,000	14,000	16,000	18,000
Unemployment Rate	7.5%	8.0%	8.5%	9.0%	9.5%
Inflation Rate	4.0%	3.5%	3.0%	2.5%	2.0%
Interest Rate	8.0%	7.5%	7.0%	6.5%	6.0%
Exchange Rate	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00

(1) Data as reported.  
 (2) Estimated.