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## SILVER, LEAD AND ZINC PRODUCTION

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TABLE 1. Production of Silver(1), 1964-66

	1964	1965	1966
	troy ounces		
January .....	2,522,880	2,577,343	2,273,122
February .....	1,956,365	2,299,286	2,423,616
March .....	2,194,207	2,357,743	2,959,725
April .....	2,342,059	2,378,793	2,582,889
May .....	2,642,954	2,632,335	
June .....	2,677,990	2,884,174	
July .....	2,403,637	2,549,326	
August .....	2,708,598	2,507,368	
September .....	2,590,752	3,043,079	
October .....	2,345,269	3,020,129	
November .....	2,558,378	2,800,655	
December .....	2,959,522	2,867,012	
Totals .....	29,902,611	31,917,243	
Year to date .....	9,015,511	9,613,165	10,239,352

(1) New silver bullion plus recoverable silver in other smelter products and in ores and concentrates exported.

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TABLE 2. Exports of Refined Silver and Silver in Ores, by Months, 1966

	Refined		In ores and concentrates	
	troy ounces	dollars	troy ounces	dollars
January .....	1,328,995	1,845,497	1,387,287	1,593,276
February .....	..	..	..	..
March .....	..	..	..	..
April .....	..	..	..	..
May .....				
June .....				
July .....				
August .....				
September .....				
October .....				
November .....				
December .....				
Totals .....				
Year to date				

Source: Trade of Canada.  
 .. Figures not available.

TABLE 3. Production of Lead, 1965 and 1966

	Mine output (ores or concentrates, lead content)		Smelter production plus exported ores (1)		Refined production (primary) (2)	
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966
	tons					
January .....	21,062	25,885	21,088	20,588	12,349	16,114
February .....	24,255	20,583	22,473	18,559	14,155	15,063
March .....	29,216	28,816 <sup>r</sup>	19,452	26,833	17,102	16,146
April .....	27,851	28,827	25,036	24,837	16,280	15,088
May .....	25,541		28,043		16,367	
June .....	27,093		29,227		15,944	
July .....	26,204		25,456		15,556	
August .....	26,345		25,589		14,858	
September .....	23,201		27,010		15,794	
October .....	24,256		23,820		16,097	
November .....	23,431		23,824		16,119	
December .....	24,497		24,678		15,863	
Totals .....	302,952		295,696		186,484	
Year to date .....	102,384	104,111	88,049	90,817	59,886	62,411

(1) Lead content of new base bullion produced from domestic primary materials (concentrates, slags, residues, etc.) plus estimated recoverable lead in ores and concentrates shipped for export. (2) Refined pig lead, plus lead content of antimonial lead produced from domestic and foreign ores. <sup>r</sup> Revised figure.

TABLE 4. Exports of Refined Lead and Lead in Ores, by Months, 1966

	Lead in ores, concentrates		Lead in pigs, blocks(1) and shot	
	tons	\$	tons	\$
January .....	11,282	2,209,749	9,188	2,569,278
February .....	..	..	..	..
March .....	..	..	..	..
April .....	..	..	..	..
May .....				
June .....				
July .....				
August .....				
September .....				
October .....				
November .....				
December .....				
Year to date .....				

Source: Trade of Canada.

(1) Excludes antimonial lead and type metal.

.. Figures not available.

TABLE 5. Production of Zinc, 1965 and 1966

	Mine output (ores or concentrates, zinc content)		Refinery production plus exported ores(1)		Refined production (primary)(2)	
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966
	tons					
January .....	66,596	78,417	61,067	66,393	29,429	32,474
February .....	69,587	70,821	59,500	71,240	27,184	29,609
March .....	84,831	88,398 <sup>r</sup>	66,045	80,267	30,596	33,451
April .....	80,036	88,793	68,706	85,170	29,601	32,589
May .....	80,060		78,652		30,513	
June .....	76,879		85,206		29,284	
July .....	76,729		67,864		26,827	
August .....	77,648		68,141		30,231	
September .....	74,192		67,379		31,000	
October .....	74,014		62,724		31,032	
November .....	72,717		61,775		29,701	
December .....	77,640		76,110		33,381	
Totals .....	910,929		823,169		358,779	
Year to date .....	301,050	326,429	255,318	303,070	116,810	128,123

(1) New refined zinc produced from domestic primary materials (concentrates, slags, residues, etc.) plus estimated recoverable zinc in ores and concentrates shipped for export.

(2) Refined zinc produced from domestic and foreign ores.

<sup>r</sup> Revised figure.





TABLE 6. Exports of Refined Zinc and Zinc in Ores, by Months, 1966

	Zinc in ores, concentrates		Zinc in slabs and bars	
	tons	\$	tons	\$
January .....	40,573	5,553,583	23,329	6,221,948
February .....	..	..	..	..
March .....	..	..	..	..
April .....	..	..	..	..
May .....				
June .....				
July .....				
August .....				
September .....				
October .....				
November .....				
December .....				
Year to date .....				

Source: Trade of Canada.  
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TABLE 7. Consumption(1) of Refined Zinc, 1965 and 1966

	Refined zinc	
	1965	1966
	tons	
January .....	6,016	9,582
February .....	8,724	8,990
March .....	8,047	10,551
April .....	10,139	8,696
May .....	9,787	
June .....	9,036	
July .....	7,091	
August .....	9,234	
September .....	7,214	
October .....	9,495	
November .....	10,222	
December .....	9,600	
Totals .....	104,605	
Year to date .....	32,926	37,819

(1) Producers' shipments to domestic consumers.