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## SILVER, LEAD AND ZINC PRODUCTION

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TABLE 1. Production of Silver(1), 1965-67

	1965	1966	1967
	troy ounces		
January .....	2,577,343	2,273,449	2,965,885
February .....	2,299,286	2,423,810	2,503,916
March .....	2,357,743	2,960,309	3,353,221
April .....	2,378,793	2,583,957	
May .....	2,632,335	2,793,124	
June .....	2,884,174	2,694,455	
July .....	2,549,326	2,929,447	
August .....	2,507,368	2,744,329	
September .....	3,043,079	2,772,677	
October .....	3,020,129	2,661,722	
November .....	2,800,655	3,018,943	
December .....	2,867,012	2,968,292	
Totals .....	31,917,243	32,824,514	
Year to date .....	7,234,372	7,657,568	8,823,022

(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, 1967

	Refined		In ores and concentrates	
	troy ounces	\$'000	troy ounces	\$'000
January .....	1,198,767	1,678	1,431,885	1,537
February .....	..	..	..	..
March .....	..	..	..	..
April .....				
May .....				
June .....				
July .....				
August .....				
September .....				
October .....				
November .....				
December .....				
Year to date .....	1,198,767	1,678	1,431,885	1,537

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

TABLE 3. Production of Lead, 1966 and 1967

	Mine output (ores or concentrates, lead content)		Smelter production plus exported ores (1)		Refined production (primary) (2)	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
	net tons of 2000 pounds					
January .....	25,885	24,528	20,588	24,333	16,114	16,696
February .....	20,583	23,674	18,559	18,755	15,063	14,631
March .....	28,816	28,578	26,833	38,410	16,146	16,907
April .....	28,833		24,837		15,088	
May .....	24,742		28,588		16,857	
June .....	32,098		28,203		15,871	
July .....	27,751		30,482		15,779	
August .....	29,508		29,196		9,574	
September .....	24,768		23,340		15,604	
October .....	25,487		26,163		15,906	
November .....	29,738		24,022		15,915	
December .....	26,281		23,020		16,954	
Totals .....	324,490		303,831		184,871	
Year to date .....	75,284	76,780	65,980	81,498	47,323	48,234

- (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.

TABLE 4. Exports of Refined Lead and Lead in Ores, by Months, 1967

	Lead in ores, concentrates		Lead in pigs, blocks(1) and shot	
	tons	\$'000	tons	\$'000
January .....	11,353	1,694	14,639	3,172
February .....	..	..	..	..
March .....	..	..	..	..
April .....				
May .....				
June .....				
July .....				
August .....				
September .....				
October .....				
November .....				
December .....				
Year to date .....	11,353	1,694	14,639	3,172

Source: Trade of Canada.

(1) Excludes antimonial lead and type metal. .. Figures not available.

TABLE 5. Production of Zinc, 1966 and 1967

	Mine output (ores or concentrates, zinc content)		Refinery production plus exported ores(1)		Refined production (primary)(2)	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
	net tons of 2000 pounds					
January .....	78,417	98,053	66,393	87,229	32,474	33,255
February .....	70,821	85,964	71,240	80,710	29,609	32,059
March .....	88,398	106,259	80,267	100,987	33,451	32,812
April .....	88,726		85,170		32,589	
May .....	86,940		79,753		33,131	
June .....	94,979		80,679		33,180	
July .....	86,118		87,960		31,997	
August .....	91,909		86,767		31,032	
September .....	87,930		73,311		29,427	
October .....	87,600		82,025		33,292	
November .....	88,902		79,629		31,116	
December .....	91,022		87,894		31,314	
Totals .....	1,041,762		961,088		382,612	
Year to date .....	237,636	290,276	217,900	268,926	95,534	98,126

(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.



TABLE 6. Exports of Refined Zinc and Zinc in Ores, by Months, 1967

	Zinc in ores, concentrates		Zinc blocks, pigs and slabs	
	tons	\$'000	tons	\$'000
January .....	48,583	5,916	32,028	7,810
February .....	..	..	..	..
March .....	..	..	..	..
April .....				
May .....				
June .....				
July .....				
August .....				
September .....				
October .....				
November .....				
December .....				
Year to date .....	48,583	5,916	32,028	7,810

Source: Trade of Canada.

.. Figures not available.

TABLE 7. Consumption(1) of Refined Zinc, 1966 and 1967

	Refined zinc	
	1966	1967
	net tons of 2000 pounds	
January .....	9,582	7,965 <sup>r</sup>
February .....	8,990	8,372 <sup>r</sup>
March .....	10,551	7,590
April .....	8,696	
May .....	8,762	
June .....	12,248	
July .....	9,214	
August .....	8,608	
September .....	8,017	
October .....	7,190	
November .....	8,634	
December .....	7,141	
Totals .....	107,633	
Year to date .....	29,123	23,927

(1) Producers' shipments to domestic consumers.

<sup>r</sup> Revised figures.