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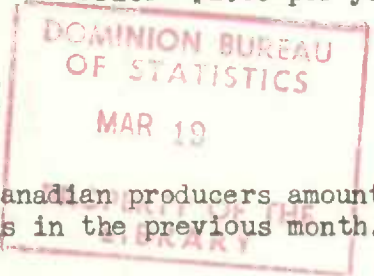
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Shipments of dry common salt by Canadian producers amounted to 182,907 tons in January, 1959, compared with 167,597 tons in the previous month. The January 1958 shipments totalled 106,030 tons.

Producers' usage and shipments of salt in brine totalled 54,951 tons in January, 1959, and 56,597 tons for the month of January, 1958.

Salt Statistics, January, 1959 and Year 1958

	<u>P r o d u c e d</u>		<u>Shipped or used by producers</u>		<u>Producers' stocks at end of January</u>
	<u>January 1959</u>	<u>Year 1958</u>	<u>January 1959</u>	<u>Year 1958</u>	
	(Tons)				
Dry salt:					
Fine vacuum	37,315	432,857	40,035	438,251	10,158
Coarse grainer salt	-	-	-	-	-
Mined rock salt	139,398	781,235	141,523	787,037	4,228
Salt recovered in chemical operations (*)	1,426	15,384	1,349	17,733	165
Total dry salt	178,139	1,229,476	182,907	1,243,021	14,551
Salt content of brines used and shipped	54,951	643,484	54,951	643,484	-
Total salt and salt content of brine	233,090	1,872,960	237,858	1,886,505	14,551
	<u>M o n t h</u>		<u>Year to date</u>		
	<u>Tons</u>		<u>Tons</u>		
Imports, all grades - November, 1958 ..	32,007	150,074	319,920	1,398,403	

(*) Shipped to chemical plants and other users.

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