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SALT

INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT

Shipments of dry common salt by Canadian producers amounted to 1/5,036 tons in September, 1959, compared with 128,884 tons in the previous month. The September 1958 shipments totalled 119,147 tons.

Producers usage and shipments of salt in brine totalled 130,074 tons in September, 1959, and 54,493 tons for the month of September, 1958.

Selt Statistics September and Year to date 1959

	Septembe	luced er Year to date			
Dry salts	(Tons)				
Fine vacuum	38,943	345,613	39,627	340,683	17,812
Mined rock salt	97,471	833,895	105,070	764,540	74,907
operations (*)	1,339	12,964	1,339	12,802	250
Total dry salt	137,753	1,192,472	146,036	1,118,025	92,969
Salt content of brines used and shipped	130,074	1,164,046	130.074	1,164,046	
Total salt and salt content of brine	267,827	2,356,518	276,110	2,282,071	92,969
	Tons	fonth .		Year to	date
Imports, all grades - June	15,625	93,041		157,026	686,192

^(*) Shipped to chemical plants and other users.

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