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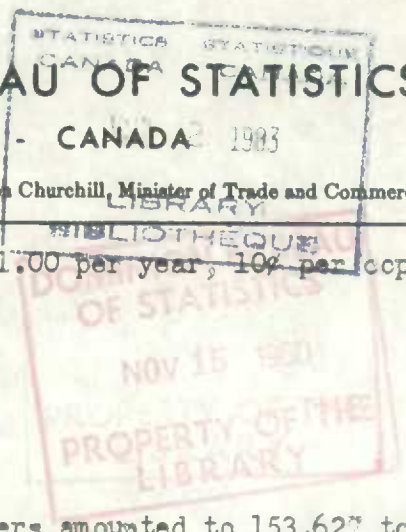
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Shipments of dry common salt by Canadian producers amounted to 153,627 tons in September, 1960, compared with 136,338 tons in the previous month. The September 1959 shipments totalled 146,036 tons.

Producers' usage and shipments of salt in brine totalled 126,659 tons in September, 1960, and 130,074 tons for the month of September, 1959.

Salt Statistics, September and Year to date 1960

	<u>P r o d u c e d</u>		<u>Shipped or used by producers</u>		Producer's stocks at end of September
	September	Year to date	September	Year to date	
	(Tons)				
Dry salt:					
Fine vacuum .....	35,733	321,844	36,748	320,225	18,908
Coarse grainer salt .....	-	-	-	-	-
Mined rock salt .....	102,147	860,875	115,572	853,564	36,534
Salt recovered in chemical operations (*) .....	1,257	10,724	1,307	10,574	200
<b>Total dry salt .....</b>	<b>139,137</b>	<b>1,193,443</b>	<b>153,627</b>	<b>1,184,363</b>	<b>55,642</b>
Salt content of brines used and shipped .....	126,659	1,174,499	126,659	1,174,499	-
<b>Total salt and salt content of brine .....</b>	<b>265,796</b>	<b>2,367,942</b>	<b>280,286</b>	<b>2,358,862</b>	<b>55,642</b>
	<u>Month</u>		<u>Year to date</u>		
	Tons		Tons		
Imports, all grades -					
June .....	22,183	115,660	75,150	355,956	

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

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