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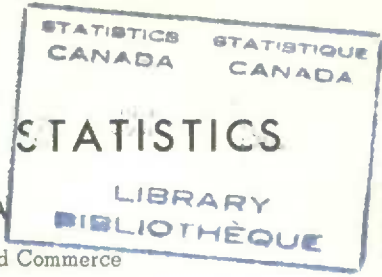
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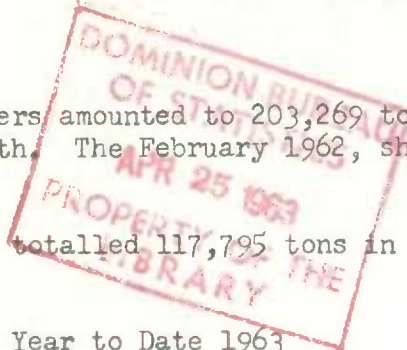
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SALT

Shipments of dry common salt by Canadian producers amounted to 203,269 tons in February 1963, compared with 239,507 tons in the previous month. The February 1962, shipments totalled 275,997 tons.

Producers' usage and shipments of salt in brine totalled 117,795 tons in February 1963, and 104,945 tons for the month of February 1962.

Salt Statistics, February and Year to Date 1963



	Produced		Shipped or used by producers		Producer's stocks at end of February
	February	Year to date	February	Year to date	
Dry Salt:	tons				
Fine vacuum	36,100	71,669	36,528	77,654	18,881
Coarse grainer salt	-	-	-	-	-
Mined rock salt	131,697	320,451	164,329	361,305	66,783
Salt recovered in chemical operations (1)	2,322	3,809	2,412	3,817	53
Total dry salt	170,119	395,929	203,269	442,776	85,717
Salt content of brines used and shipped	117,795	223,308	117,795	223,308	-
Total salt and salt content of brine	287,914	619,237	321,064	666,084	85,717

	Month		Year to date	
	Tons	\$	Tons	\$
Imports, all grades - October	45,124	128,373	195,122	789,249
November	38,555	233,447	233,677	1,022,696

Shipped to Chemical plants and other uses (1)

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