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MONTHLY REPORT

FELDSPAR AND SALT PRODUCTION IN CANADA - JANUARY, 1937.

FELDSPAR - The estimated shipments of feldspar in Canada in January were recorded at 1,177 tons in a statement just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. During December 1,500 tons were shipped while in January, 1936, shipments amounted to 901 tons.

Imports of ground feldspar into Canada in January reached a total of 141 tons appraised at \$2,638; in December, 50 tons worth \$773 were imported. Receipts during January, 1936, totalled 45 tons worth \$903.

PRODUCTION OF FELDSPAR IN CANADA

Month	1937(a)	1936(a)	1935
	Tons	Tons	Tons
January .....	1,177	901	819
February .....		937	635
March .....		878	873
April .....		825	552
May .....		1,229	1,136
June .....		2,565	1,907
July .....		2,859	2,660
August .....		1,910	1,923
September .....		2,749	1,169
October .....		2,245	1,701
November .....		1,820	3,165
December .....		1,500	1,202
TOTAL - CALENDAR YEAR .....		(b) 20,416	17,742

(a) Subject to revision.

(b) The 1936 figures include some shipments of nepheline syenite.

SALT - Canadian producers reported shipments of commercial salt amounting to 11,910 tons in January as compared with 14,305 tons shipped in the preceding month and 11,013 tons in January, 1936.

Canada exported 215 tons of salt in January; during the preceding month 592 tons were exported.

Imports of salt into Canada in January declined to 4,203 tons appraised at \$12,290 from the December total of 4,347 tons worth \$14,482. The following countries were the sources of the January importations: the United States, 36.3 per cent; British West Indies, 32.1 per cent; Italy, 26.6 per cent and Great Britain, 5.0 per cent. Approximately 4 tons of table salt were imported in January, 1,288 tons of salt for sea or gulf fisheries, 2,702 tons of salt in bulk, n. o. p., and 209 tons of other salt in bags, barrels and other coverings.





PRODUCTION OF COMMERCIAL SALT IN CANADA

Month	1937(a)	1936(a)	1935
	Tons	Tons	Tons
January .....	11,910	11,013	11,189
February .....		11,662	10,905
March .....		13,411	13,860
April .....		16,064	21,509
May .....		27,016	22,857
June .....		19,257	16,510
July .....		20,962	23,841
August .....		19,726	15,786
September .....		19,404	18,225
October .....		22,496	20,400
November .....		30,205	26,505
December .....		14,305	13,323
TOTAL - CALENDAR YEAR .....		225,521	214,910

(a) Subject to revision.



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Year	Value	Year	Value
1950	100.00	1955	100.00
1951	100.00	1956	100.00
1952	100.00	1957	100.00
1953	100.00	1958	100.00
1954	100.00	1959	100.00
1960	100.00	1960	100.00
1961	100.00	1961	100.00
1962	100.00	1962	100.00
1963	100.00	1963	100.00
1964	100.00	1964	100.00
1965	100.00	1965	100.00
1966	100.00	1966	100.00
1967	100.00	1967	100.00
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2023	100.00	2023	100.00
2024	100.00	2024	100.00
2025	100.00	2025	100.00
2026	100.00	2026	100.00
2027	100.00	2027	100.00
2028	100.00	2028	100.00
2029	100.00	2029	100.00
2030	100.00	2030	100.00