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MONTHLY REPORT

SALT

June, 1946.

Primary production of salt or natural sodium chloride in Canada during June, 1946, totalled 59,000 short tons, including 28,078 tons of table, common fine, and other commercial grades, and 30,922 tons for the manufacture of chemicals. The corresponding total output in May of this year was 60,118 tons.

Shipments of commercial grades in June totalled 28,647 tons compared with 31,541 tons in May. Deliveries for chemical purposes totalled 31,097 tons in June compared with 31,599 tons in May.

Imports of salt, including all grades, totalled 12,348 tons at \$88,366 in June and exports amounted to 714 tons valued at \$9,755.

Canadian salt production at the present time comes entirely from the provinces of Nova Scotia, Ontario, Manitoba and Alberta.

SALT PRODUCTION, PRODUCERS' SHIPMENTS AND PRODUCERS' STOCKS, JUNE, 1946, AND YEAR TO DATE

Grade	Prod	uced	Shipped by Prod	Producers' Stocks at				
Grade	June	Year to date	June	Year to date	end of June			
			(tons)					
Table, dairy and pressed blocks Common fine Common coarse Highway and all other grades	10,512 12,273 895 4,598	57,937 75,153 6,535 23,634	9,421 14,899 1,049 3,278	56,020 74,265 5,976 19,993	4,667 2,175 1,032 4,729			
Total Commercial	28,078	161,259	28,647	156,254	12,603			
Salt for use in the manufacture of chemicals	30,922	193,523	31,097	188,123	45().)			
TOTAL	59,000	354,782	59,744	344, 377	18,648			

				June			Year to Date		
			Top	ns	\$	T	ons	W	
			 12,	348	88,366	68	,422	411,508	
Exports,	all	grades		714	9,755	4	,069	77,158	

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