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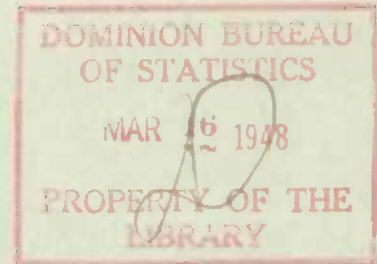
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Monthly Report

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Production of common salt in Canada, in January, 1948 totalled 54,603 tons, including 24,238 tons of dry salt and 30,365 tons in brine for the manufacture of chemicals. The total output for December, 1947 was 61,122 tons.

Shipments of dry salt in January, 1948 totalled 25,610 tons compared with 24,047 tons in December, 1947. Deliveries of brine for chemical purposes totalled 30,365 tons in January compared with 29,639 tons in the previous month.

Imports of salt, including all grades, in January totalled 7,402 tons valued at \$47,462 and exports amounted to 105 tons valued at \$1,526.

Salt Production, Producers' Shipments and Producers' Stocks, January, 1948

	Produced	Shipped or Used by Producers	Producers' stocks at end of
	January	January (Tons)	January
Table, dairy and pressed blocks ..	6,512	6,351	7,108
Common fine	7,361	9,870	8,689
Common Coarse	775	834	1,167
Highway and all other grades	9,590	8,555	6,934
Total Dry Salt	24,238	25,610	23,898
Salt in brine for use in the manufacture of chemicals	30,365	30,365	-
Total	54,603	55,975	23,898
	January, 1948	Twelve Months Ended December, 1947	
	Tons	\$	Tons
Imports, all grades	7,402	47,462	219,878
Exports, all grades	105	1,526	1,246,551
			243,663

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