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SALT

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Production of common salt in Canada in January, 1951 totalled 71,602 tons, including 38,917 tons of dry salt and 32,685 tons of brine for the manufacture of chemicals. The total output for December, 1950 was 71,323 tons.

Shipments of dry salt in January, 1951 totalled 38,776 tons compared with 39,002 tons in December, 1950. Deliveries of brine for chemical purposes totalled 32,686 tons in January compared with 33,308 tons in December, 1950.

Salt Statistics, January, 1951 and Year Ended December, 1950

	Produced		Shipped or used by producers		Producers' stocks at	
	January	Year	January	Year	end of	
	1951	1950	1951	1950	January	
			(tons)			
Pine vacuum salt	22,907	898,148	23,862	290,110	10,668	
Coarse grainer salt	714	9,368	846	9,814	865	
Mined rock salt	6,007	55,169	5,833	57,068	4,956	
operations	4,091	44,378	4,036	43,386	1,047	
where specified	5,198	52,641	5,199	52,634	6	
Total Salt	38,917	453,698	38,776	453,012	17,542	
Salt content of brines used and shipped	32,685	346,204	32,685	346,204		
Total Salt and Salt Content of Brine	71,602	799,902	71,461	799,216	17,542	
		1 9 5 1			Year ended December, 1950	
		Tons	\$	Tons	\$	
Imports, all grades, Jenuary		10,757	71,303	238,239	1,734,363	
Exports, all grades, January		125	776	4,099	52,974	

NOTE: This report was prepared in the Mining, Metallurgical and Chemical Section.

