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Production of common salt in Canada in March, 1951 totalled 71,918 tons, including 38,585 tons of dry salt and 33,333 tons of brine for the manufacture of chemicals. The total output for February, 1951 was 71,412 tons.

Shipments of dry salt in March, 1951 totalled 35,608 tons compared with 38,594 tons in the previous month. Deliveries of brine for chemical purposes totalled 33,333 tons in March compared with 30,525 tons in February, 1951.

## Salt Statistics - March and Year to Date 1951

	P r o d u c e d		Shipped or used by producers		Producers' stocks at end of March
	March 1951	Year to date	March 1951 (tons)	Year to date	
Fine vacuum salt .....	22,483	67,966	20,666	63,640	15,263
Coarse grainer salt .....	830	2,191	793	2,415	773
Mined rock salt .....	3,954	16,951	2,934	15,800	5,933
Salt recovered in chemical operations .....	3,896	12,261	3,786	12,096	1,157
Salt used or shipped to producers' own chemical works for the manu- facture of chemicals (not else- where specified) .....	7,422	19,020	7,429	19,027	...
<b>Total Salt .....</b>	<b>38,585</b>	<b>118,389</b>	<b>35,608</b>	<b>112,978</b>	<b>23,126</b>
Salt content of brines used and shipped .....	33,333	96,543	33,333	96,543	...
<b>Total Salt and Salt Content of Brine .....</b>	<b>71,918</b>	<b>214,932</b>	<b>68,941</b>	<b>209,521</b>	<b>23,126</b>

	M a r c h		Year to date	
	Tons	\$	Tons	\$
Imports, all grades .....	9,604	71,433	30,926	213,191
Exports, all grades .....	83	1,680	303	2,832

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