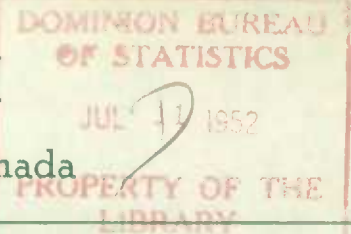


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Shipments of dry common salt by Canadian producers amounted to 40,924 tons in May compared with 36,635 tons in the previous month. The May 1951 shipments totalled 41,444 tons.

Producers' usage and shipments of salt in brine totalled 36,239 tons in May, 1952 and 38,839 tons for the month of May, 1951.

Salt Statistics - May, 1952 and Year to Date 1952

	<u>P r o d u c e d</u>		<u>Shipped or used by producers</u>		<u>Producers' stocks at end of May</u>
	<u>M a y 1952</u>	<u>Year to date</u>	<u>M a y 1952</u>	<u>Year to date</u>	
			(tons)		
Dry salt:-					
Fine vacuum salt	27,205	128,834	26,983	124,067	16,647
Coarse grainer salt	648	3,038	724	3,112	830
Mined rock salt	5,562	33,724	5,692	32,457	1,628
Salt recovered in chemical operations (*)	5,029	22,051	4,555	20,171	2,128
Salt used or shipped to producers' own chemical works for the manufacture of chemicals (not elsewhere specified)	2,970	16,970	2,970	16,970	...
Total dry salt	41,414	204,617	40,924	196,777	21,233
Salt content of brines used and shipped	36,239	190,599	36,239	190,599	...
Total salt and salt content of brine	77,653	395,216	77,163	387,376	21,233

	<u>M o n t h</u>		<u>Year to date</u>	
	<u>Tons</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>Tons</u>	<u>\$</u>
Imports, all grades - May	(**)	(**)	(**)	(**)
April	11,465	103,151	48,735	380,912
Exports, all grades - May	86	1,920	458	6,671

(*) Shipped to chemical plants and other users.

(**) Not available.

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