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MONTHLY SALES OF MANUFACTURED AND NATURAL GAS - JANUARY, 1947

Sales of manufactured gas by distributing companies in Canada totalled 2,409,090 M cubic feet during January, 1947. Of this amount, 1,262,906 M cubic feet were for domestic use, other than house heating; 390,406 M cubic feet for industrial use: 395,037 M cubic feet for commercial use; 359,916 M cubic feet for house heating; and 20.825 M cubic feet for other uses.

Sales of natural gas during January, 1947, amounted to 5,181,745 M cubic feet, of which 2.827,314 M cubic feet were for domestic use; 1,257,392 M cubic feet for commercial use: 1,081,512 M cubic feet for industrial use, and 15,527 M cubic feet for other uses.

Table 1 - Sales of Manufactured Gas in Canada, January, 1946, and January, 1947 January, 1947 January, 1946 Number Number Revenue Revenue Quantity Quantity of cusof cusfrom from sold sold sales tomers sales tomers M cu.ft. M cu.ft. Eastern Canada 449,351 1,107,244 1,145,385 Domestic 497,712 1,082,195 1,113,555 3,478 276,468 143,164 3,097 258,837 128,138 House heating . 2,520 179,585 2,418 294,738 193,046 308,320 Industrial 22,881 305,686 261,658 23,619 325,991 286,156 Commercial 19,778 242 262 4.868 13,119 Miscellaneous . 1,683,198 483,734 2,024,219 1,780,870 Total 526,236 1,955,280 Western Canada Domestic 155,834 67,043 155,662 66,046 132,433 177,258 28,396 3,108 House heating . 3,175 51,121 63,448 34,327 1,111 85,648 59,296 1,315 95,668 68,814 Industrial Commercial 5,367 55,657 48,857 5,694 69,046 59,150 87 3,967 83 1,047 3,709 3,942 Miscellaneous . Total 296,350 384,871 343,258 75,786 328,801 77,243 Canada - Total 516,394 1,262,906 1,322,643 563,758 1,214,628 1,269,389 Domestic 309,958 156,534 6,586 339,916 177,491 House heating . 6,272 3,631 3,733 390,406 393,968 238,881 261,860 Industrial 310,515 29,313 395,037 28,248 361,343 345,306 Commercial 4,229 4,951 Miscellaneous . 113 4,184 20,825 16,828

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Table 2 - Sales of I	able 2 - Sales of Natural Gas in Canada, January, 1946						
	Number of cus- tomers	January, 194 Quantity sold	Revenue from sales	Number of cus- tomers	January, 194 Quantity sold	Revenue from sales	
		M cu.ft.	\$		M cu.ft.	*	
Eastern Canada							
Domestic	152,834	854,043	605,380	151,078	395,615	635,983	
Industrial	695	99,423	79,037	666	99,340	80,796	
Commercial	5,556	82,036	55,733	5,572	82,123	56,979	
Miscellaneous(x)	458	7,871	3,645	431	7,451	3,310	
Total	159,543	1,043,373	743,795	157,747	1,084,529	777,068	
Western Canada							
Domestic	47,247	1,701,605	464,739	55,034	1,931,699	495,924	
Industrial	511	698,341	93,759	518	982,172	121,827	
Commercial	6,310	1,113,568	253,552	7,050	1,175,269	260,369	
Miscellaneous(x)	27	4,463	354	27	8,076	469	
Total	54,095	3,517,977	812,404	60,629	4,097,216	878,589	
Canada - Total							
Domestic	200,081	2,555,648	1,070,119	204,112	2,827,314	1,131,907	
Industrial	1,206	797,764	172,796	1,184	1,081,512	202,623	
Commercial	11,866	1,195,604	309,285	12,622	1,257,392	317,348	

(x) Includes some free customers.

Miscellaneous(x)

Total

Explanatory Notes

3,999

1,556,199

458

218,376

15,527

5,181,745

3,779

12,334

4,561,350

485

213,638

Some customers are served with mixed manufactured and natural gas. The numbers of such customers are recorded only under the heading of natural gas, but the sales figures include the estimated quantities and values of each kind of gas under the proper headings.

Industrial customers include manufacturers, foundries, machine shops, wholesale bakeries, commercial laundries, etc.

Commercial customers include hotels, restaurants, retail bakers, delicatessens, tailor shops, department stores, wholesale dealers, professional and business offices, etc.

Sales figures represent sales by distributing companies to customers. Amounts used by producers are not included.

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