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MONTHLY SALES OF MANUFACTURED AND NATURAL GAS - JANUARY, 1948

Sales of manufactured gas by distributing companies in Canada totalled 2,478,692 M cubic feet during January, 1948. Of this amount, 1,329,351 M cubic feet were for domestic use, other than house heating; 297,804 M cubic feet for industrial use; 474,343 M cubic feet for commercial use; 375,721 M cubic feet for house heating, and 1,473 M cubic feet for other uses.

Sales of natural gas during January, 1948, amounted to 5,271,201 M cubic feet, of which 2,863,839 M cubic feet were for domestic use; 1,301,636 M cubic feet for commercial use; 1,091,762 M cubic feet for industrial use; and 13,964 M cubic feet for other uses.

Table 1 - Sales of Manufactured Gas in Canada, January, 1947 and January, 1948

January, 1947

	January, 1947			January, 1948			
	Number		Revenue	Number		Revenue	
	of cus-	quantity	from	of cus-	Quantity	from	
	tomers	sold	sales	tomers	sold	sales	
		M cu.ft.	\$		M cu.ft.	\$	
Eastern Canada							
Domestic	449,351	1,107,244	1,145,385	476,155	1,150,639	1,269,843	
House heating	3,478	276,468	143,164	4,291	319,278	184,719	
Industrial	2,418	294,738	193,046	2,442	265,092	193,910	
Commercial	23,619	325,991	286,156	24,589	356,569	322,629	
Miscellaneous	44	323	293	40	317	391	
Total	478,910	2,004,764	1,768,044	507,517	2,091,895	1,971,492	
Western Canada							
Domestic	67,043	155,662	177,258	68,020	178,712	210,197	
House heating	3,108	63,448	34,327	1,377	56,443	42,152	
Industrial	1,315	95,668	68,814	418	32,712	25,211	
Commercial	5,694	69,046	59,150	6,548	117,774	115,128	
Miscellaneous	84	4,047	3,709	81	1,156	1,065	
Total	77,244	387,871	343,258	76,444	386,797	393,753	
Canada Matal							
Canada - Total Domestic	516,394	1,262,906	1,322,643	544,175	1,329,351	1,480,040	
House heating	6,586	339,916	177,491	5,668	375,721	226,871	
Industrial	3,733	390,406	261,860	2,860	297,804	219,121	
Commercial	29,313	395,037	345,306	31,137	474,343	437,757	
Missellaneous	128	4,370	4,002	121	1,473	1,456	
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Total	556,154	2,392,635	2,111,302	583,961	2,478,692	2,365,245	

Table 2 - Sales of Natural Gas in Canada, January, 1947, and January, 1948.

		January, 194	±7	January, 1948		
	Number of customers	Quantity sold	Revenue from sales	Number of cus- tomers	Quantity sold	Revenue from sales
		M cu.ft.	\$		M cu.ft.	\$
Eastern Canada						
Domestic	151,078	895,615	635,983	136,004	914,595	706,296
Industrial	666	99,340	80,796	928	93,245	62,706
Commercial	5,572	82,123	56,979	5,372	79,455	60,712
Miscellaneous (x)	431	7,451	3,310	423	7,321	3,462
Total	157,747	1,084,529	777,068	142,727	1,094,616	833,176
Western Canada						
Domestic	53,034	1,931,699	495,924	60,174	1,949,244	511,450
Industrial	518	982,172	121,827	574	998,517	128,053
Commercial	7,050	1,175,269	260,369	7,849	1,222,181	275,526
Miscellaneous (x)	27	8,076	469	30	6,643	453
Total	60,629	4,097,216	878,589	68,627	4,176,585	915,482
Canada - Total						
Domestic	204,112	2,827,314	1,131,907	196,178	2,863,839	1,217,746
Industrial	1,184	1,081,512	202,623	1,502	1,091,762	190,759
Commercial	12,622	1,257,392	317,348	13,221	1,301,636	336,238
Miscellanecus (x)	458	15,527	3,779	453	13,964	3,915
Total	218,376	5,181,745	1,655,657	211,354	5,271,201	1,748,658

⁽x) Includes some free customers.

Explanatory Notes

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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