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## COKE STATISTICS FOR CANADA

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Production of coke in Canada during the month of October reached a new high level at 173,592 tons and exceeded by 4 per cent the previous high record of 166,292 tons produced in September of this year. Comparative figures showed 165,665 tons made in August of this year and 161,414 tons in October, 1925.

During the month 89,723 tons of Canadian coal and 172,894 tons of imported coal, a total of 262,617 tons were carbonized to make 173,592 tons of coke showing an average yield of 66.1 per cent or 1,322 pounds of coke for each ton of coal charged to the ovens. Yields varied from an average of 61.65 per cent in the eastern provinces to 68.4 per cent in Ontario, and 67.7 per cent in the western provinces.

Statements on the disposition of coke by the makers, showed that 21,994 tons were used in coking plants, 88,216 delivered to the producing companies' associated metallurgical works, and 73,367 tons were sold, making a total disposition of 183,577 tons. For the first ten months of this year the total disposition of coke was 1,589,567 tons as compared with 1,173,633 tons in the corresponding period of 1925.

In October when coke production totalled 173,592 tons, imports into Canada amounted to 78,687 tons to make an available supply of 252,279 tons, but as 5,322 tons were exported the apparent consumption for the month was 246,957 tons. For the year to date the apparent consumption of coke in Canada totalled 2,371,244 tons as against 1,764,144 tons in the first ten months of a year ago.

Coke charged to iron blast furnaces amounted to 78,684 tons in October, making a total of 703,765 tons for the ten months' period.



COKE PRODUCTION IN CANADA BY MONTHS, 1926

Month	Bituminous coal used for coke making			Coke made	Disposition of coke by makers			
					For use by maker		Sold	Total
	Canadian	Imported	Total		In Coke Plant	In own Smelter		
Jan.	89,230	150,520	239,750	155,700	21,051	67,269	71,660	159,980
Feb.	88,389	163,196	251,585	166,012	17,460	63,141	88,170	168,771
March	86,560	151,005	237,565	152,480	18,919	67,967	65,619	152,505
April	76,260	156,167	232,427	149,357	20,883	83,195	49,028	153,106
May	84,030	157,602	241,632	159,390	22,671	90,582	41,468	154,721
June	81,100	148,411	229,511	151,564	21,479	84,704	38,778	144,961
July	83,694	152,574	236,268	157,960	18,772	82,389	45,156	146,317
Aug.	88,954	160,881	249,835	165,662	19,014	77,231	60,653	156,898
Sept.	87,426	162,640	250,066	166,292	22,122	77,090	69,519	168,731
Oct.	89,723	172,894	262,617	173,592	21,994	88,216	73,367	183,577
Nov.								
Dec.								
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>855,366</b>	<b>1,575,890</b>	<b>2,431,256</b>	<b>1,598,009</b>	<b>204,365</b>	<b>781,784</b>	<b>603,418</b>	<b>1,589,567</b>

Coke used in iron blast furnaces: Month 78,684 tons; Year to date 703,765 tons.

PRODUCTION IN CANADA, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF COKE BY PROVINCES, 1925 & 1926

	Year	Nova Scotia New Brunswick and Quebec		Ontario		Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta and British Columbia		CANADA	
		Month	Year to date	Month	Year to date	Month	Year to date	Month	Year to date
		PRODUCTION	1925	56,714	374,040	85,277	614,707	19,423	174,014
	1926	52,879	515,697	103,143	890,968	17,570	191,344	173,592	1,598,009
IMPORTS	1925	4,937	40,494	84,751	551,827	4,525	47,221	94,213	639,542
	1926	8,445	68,004	69,743	732,551	499	17,269	78,687	817,824
EXPORTS	1925	471	1,577	1,856	16,594	1,822	19,988	4,149	38,159
	1926	151	1,509	3,075	17,909	2,096	25,171	5,322	44,589
APPARENT CONSUMPTION	1925	61,180	412,957	168,172	1,149,940	22,126	201,247	251,478	1,764,144
	1926	61,173	582,192	169,811	1,605,610	15,973	183,442	246,957	2,371,244

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