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## COKE STATISTICS FOR CANADA

## September 1926

Production of coke in Canada during the month of September at 166, 292 tons was the highest output recorded for any month since the Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa commenced collecting monthly figures in January, 1925. In August the output was 165,662 tons, and in September, 1925, production totalled only 102,882 tons.

During the month 250,066 tons of coal were carbonized yielding an average of 1,340 pounds of coke for each short ton of coal charged to the ovens, or 67 per cent. Of the coal used 87,426 tons were of Canadian origin and the balance amounting to 162,640 tons was imported. Disposition of coke by the makers showed that 22,122 tons were used in the coking plants, 77,090 tons were used in the producing companies associated metallurgical works and 69,519 tons were sold; making a total disposition of 168,731 tons.

During September production of coke in Canada totalled 166,292 tons and 74,905 tons were imporied to make an available supply of 241,197 tons but as 3,445 tons were exported the apparent consumption for the month amounted to 237,752 tons. For the first nine months the total Canadian production was $1,424,417$ tons. imports amounted to 739,137 tons, and 39,267 tons were axported, resulting in an apparent consumption of $2,124,287$ tons for the year to date.

Coke charged to iron blast furnaces amounted to 72,568 tons in September, making a total of 625,081 tons for the year to date.

| Muntr. | Bituminous coal used for coke making |  |  | Coke <br> made | Disposition of coke by makers |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | In Coke In own Plant Smelter |  | Sold | Total |
|  | Canadian | Imported | Total |  |  |  |  |
| Jan. | 89,230 | 150, 520 | 239,750 | 155,700 | 21,051 | 67.269 | 71. 660 | 159,980 |
| Feb. | 88,389 | 163,196 | 251,585 | 100,012 | 17,460 | 63,141 | 88,170 | 168,77i |
| March | 86,560 | 151,005 | 237.565 | 152.480 | 18.919 | 67,96? | 65,619 | 152,505 |
| April | 76,260 | 156,167 | 232,427 | 149,357 | 20,883 | 83, 195 | 49,028 | 153,106 |
| Nay | 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 |
| JuIv | 83,694 | 152.574 | 236,268 | 157,960 | 18,772 | 82,389 | 45,156 | 146,317 |
| Atig. | 88.954 | 160,88i | 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. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nov. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dec. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

TOTAL $765,643 \quad 1,402,996 \quad 2,168,639 \quad 1,424,417 \quad 182,371 \quad 693,568 \quad 530,051 \quad 1,405,990$
Coke uaed in iron blast furnaces: Month 72,568 tons; Year to date 625.081 tons
PRODUCTION IN CANADA, IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF COKE BY PROVINCES, 1925 \& 1926

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