

1.—Value of Mineral Production in Canada, calendar years 1886-1927.

Calendar Years.	Total Value.	Value per capita.	Calendar Years.	Total Value.	Value per capita.	Calendar Years.	Total Value.	Value per capita.
	\$	\$		\$	\$		\$	\$
1886	10,231,255	2-23	1900	64,420,877	12-04	1914	128,863,075	16-75
1887	10,321,331	2-23	1901	65,797,911	12-16	1915	137,109,171	17-44
1888	12,518,894	2-67	1902	63,231,836	11-36	1916	177,201,534	22-05
1889	14,013,113	2-96	1903	61,740,513	10-83	1917	189,646,321	23-18
1890	16,763,353	3-50	1904	60,082,771	10-27	1918	211,301,897	25-36
1891	18,976,616	3-92	1905	69,078,999	11-49	1919	176,686,390	20-84
1892	16,623,415	3-39	1906	79,286,697	12-81	1920	227,859,665	26-40
1893	20,035,082	4-04	1907	86,965,202	13-75	1921	171,923,342	19-56
1894	19,931,158	3-98	1908	85,557,101	13-16	1922	184,297,242	20-61
1895	20,505,917	4-05	1909	91,831,441	13-70	1923	214,079,331	23-57
1896	22,474,256	4-38	1910	106,823,623	15-44	1924	209,583,406	22-72
1897	28,485,023	5-49	1911	103,220,994	14-32	1925	226,583,333	24-30
1898	38,412,431	7-32	1912	135,048,296	18-32	1926	240,437,123	25-61
1899	49,234,005	9-27	1913	145,634,812	19-35	1927	244,520,093 ¹	25-70 ¹

¹ Subject to revision.

2.—Mineral Production of Canada, calendar years 1925 and 1926.

Items.	1925.		1926.		P.c. increase (+) or decrease (-).	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		\$		\$		
METALLIC.						
Antimony..... lb.	1,751	206	1,596	281	- 8-9	+ 36-4
Arsenic (As ₂ O ₃)..... "	3,434,137	130,302	5,074,677	146,811	+ 47-7	+ 12-6
Bismuth..... "	19,667	18,566	6,440	6,440	- 67-3	+ 65-4
Cobalt..... "	1,116,492	2,328,517	664,778	1,136,014	- 40-5	- 51-2
Copper..... "	111,450,519	15,648,882	133,094,942	17,490,300	+ 19-4	+ 11-7
Gold..... fine oz.	1,735,735	35,890,826	1,754,228	36,263,110	+ 1-0	+ 1-0
Iron ore for export..... tons	3,978	11,934	200	600	- 94-8	- 94-9
Lead..... lb.	253,590,878	23,127,460	283,801,265	19,240,661	+ 11-9	- 16-8
Molybdenite..... "	22,350	11,176	20,943	10,472	- 6-3	- 6-3
Nickel..... "	73,957,114	15,946,672	66,714,294	14,374,163	- 11-1	- 7-3
Palladium, Rhodium, Iridium, etc..... fine oz.	8,288	648,969	10,024	640,178	+ 20-9	- 1-4
Platinum..... "	8,698	1,028,192	9,521	923,607	+ 9-4	- 10-2
Silver..... "	20,228,988	13,971,150	22,371,924	13,894,531	+ 10-6	- 0-6
Zinc..... lb.	109,268,511	8,328,446	149,933,105	11,110,413	+ 37-2	+ 33-4
Total.....	-	117,862,298	-	115,237,581	-	- 1-6
NON-METALLIC.						
Fuels.						
Coal..... tons	13,134,908	49,261,951	16,478,131	59,875,094	+ 25-4	+ 21-5
Natural gas..... M cu. ft.	16,902,897	6,833,005	19,208,209	7,557,174	+ 13-6	+ 10-5
Peat..... tons	1,370	8,394	-	-	-	-
Petroleum, crude..... bbl.	332,001	1,250,705	364,444	1,311,665	+ 9-7	+ 4-8
Total.....	-	57,354,055	-	68,742,933	-	+ 19-8
Other non-metallic minerals.						
Actinolite..... tons	40	500	80	1,000	+ 100-0	+ 100-0
Asbestos..... "	290,389	8,988,360	279,403	10,099,423	- 3-7	+ 12-3
Barytes..... "	95	2,259	100	2,307	+ 5-2	+ 2-1
Bituminous sands..... "	1,148	4,594	528	2,112	- 54-1	- 54-1
Feldspar..... "	28,681	235,789	35,951	310,238	+ 25-3	+ 31-5
Fluorapatite..... "	3,886	19,234	-	-	-	-
Graphite..... "	2,569	158,763	2,727	194,860	+ 6-1	+ 22-7
Grinding pebbles..... "	105	945	64	576	- 39-1	- 39-1
Grindstones..... "	2,562	124,165	2,695	151,227	+ 5-2	+ 21-7
Gypsum..... "	740,323	2,389,891	893,728	2,770,813	+ 19-3	+ 15-9
Iron oxides..... "	7,116	91,913	6,626	101,843	- 7-0	+ 11-0
Magnetite..... "	5,576	122,325	4,571	137,431	- 18-1	+ 12-3
Mica..... "	4,020	261,463	2,545	229,204	- 36-7	- 12-3
Mineral water..... gal.	190,134	28,413	215,356	29,721	+ 13-2	+ 4-6

¹ The 1926 values for copper and lead are not comparable with those for 1925. The system of copper evaluation was changed in 1926 and the average London price of lead was used instead of the Montreal price. For further explanation see the Bureau of Statistics Report on the Mineral Production of Canada, 1926.