

6.—Summary of the Principal Statistics of the Mineral Industries in Canada, by Groups, 1921-31, and by Provinces, 1931.

Group and Year.	Firms.	Capital Employed.	Employees.	Salaries and Wages.	Fuel and Electricity.	Net Sales. ¹
	No.	\$	No.	\$	\$	\$
METALLIC MINERALS.						
1921.....	378	200,007,449	12,133	16,232,998	3,914,615 ²	48,133,974
1922.....	409	165,975,343	13,138	18,361,667	1,649,856 ²	60,347,043
1923.....	339	240,889,284	16,472	25,794,032	7,904,820	68,612,936
1924.....	296	281,828,285	19,809	29,692,896	7,788,506	86,825,610
1925.....	323	290,584,965	20,664	32,732,782	8,721,063	105,700,838
1926.....	396	320,248,840	23,742	36,033,799	10,023,885	115,939,119
1927.....	479	335,708,206	26,343	40,284,887	10,411,397	121,062,811
1928.....	508	435,327,646	28,582	44,687,131	9,756,573	140,770,772
1929.....	485	427,498,173	31,125	50,279,511	11,221,987	163,050,366
1930.....	325	427,439,265	30,633	48,851,303	11,323,313	136,994,693
1931.....	312	390,908,034	25,434	41,829,288	10,340,523	132,382,514
NON-METALLIC MINERALS.						
1921.....	713	265,701,593	37,713	52,292,357	4,881,440 ²	87,842,682
1922.....	742	232,883,769	37,858	45,235,900	4,028,784 ²	82,976,794
1923.....	925	243,106,227	39,600	53,428,264	6,422,352	91,936,732
1924.....	935	259,860,944	83,331	41,938,916	5,738,085	71,796,009
1925.....	959	253,023,646	31,560	40,032,918	5,685,294	71,851,801
1926.....	967	274,109,129	36,166	44,379,854	6,535,609	85,240,144
1927.....	922	279,737,591	37,949	48,273,491	5,402,897	85,205,431
1928.....	862	295,725,531	39,086	54,089,011	5,824,098	89,312,961
1929.....	873	317,302,493	40,080	55,602,313	6,033,773	93,596,188
1930.....	901	328,776,596	38,355	47,852,675	5,785,483	80,063,355
1931.....	843	325,168,359	34,075	36,031,233	4,870,674	61,629,210
CLAY PRODUCTS AND OTHER STRUCTURAL MATERIALS.						
1921.....	657	93,835,112	10,958	10,636,285	5,489,127 ²	34,737,428
1922.....	794	94,830,711	11,153	11,438,934	5,417,924 ²	39,534,741
1923.....	1,031	94,842,501	11,420	12,112,581	6,930,164	37,751,381
1924.....	983	91,254,717	10,988	11,160,609	6,010,861	35,380,869
1925.....	1,072	89,516,554	12,866	12,337,417	6,159,443	37,649,234
1926.....	1,064	94,392,039	18,023	13,803,161	6,953,810	39,959,393
1927.....	949	98,627,203	20,382	15,662,514	7,145,990	44,809,419
1928.....	975	110,914,805	21,790	17,177,880	7,851,230	49,737,181
1929.....	1,028	122,220,364	23,897	18,608,687	9,495,825	58,534,834
1930.....	1,262	131,204,998	20,222	17,271,354	7,967,397	53,727,465
1931.....	1,242	125,983,637	13,300	14,108,778	6,298,151	44,158,295
Grand Totals, Mineral Industries—						
1921.....	1,741	559,514,154	69,664	79,161,640	14,285,182 ²	179,714,064
1922.....	1,944	493,694,823	62,249	75,024,591	11,096,564 ²	182,558,578
1923.....	2,295	478,337,612	66,952	91,334,877	21,257,336	196,341,949
1924.....	2,214	632,443,946	61,338	82,787,421	19,587,452	194,092,498
1925.....	2,254	632,675,145	65,090	85,143,118	20,545,900	215,201,573
1926.....	2,427	688,769,068	77,931	94,216,813	23,518,763	241,135,661
1927.....	2,350	714,073,000	84,674	104,328,892	22,960,264	251,477,661
1928.....	2,315	841,967,832	89,448	115,354,022	23,432,061	279,820,914
1929.....	2,336	867,621,633	95,162	121,490,511	26,751,565	315,181,388
1930.....	2,478	887,439,859	89,200	113,275,332	25,066,193	276,785,313
1931.....	2,397	842,069,029	72,569	91,969,299	21,589,348	238,176,619
Canada.....	69	63,853,580	14,871	15,302,444	2,020,666	19,258,296
Nova Scotia.....	52	3,543,570	1,197	1,048,860	163,893	2,137,332
New Brunswick.....	452	146,067,130	11,141	12,666,586	5,607,812	44,064,907
Quebec.....	1,014	305,883,585	20,277	30,470,475	7,508,844	98,509,571
Manitoba.....	51	39,113,921	2,059	3,096,332	796,076	15,122,432
Saskatchewan.....	76	7,136,859	1,092	896,131	222,526	1,876,284
Alberta.....	401	141,629,189	10,579	11,357,122	1,198,890	23,021,495
British Columbia.....	276	127,009,722	11,297	16,845,837	3,874,529	31,925,780
Yukon.....	6	5,822,464	296	784,862	116,112	2,253,422

¹ Gross value less freight and treatment charges and less value of ores charged in the case of smelters.² Electricity was not included in 1921 and 1922.