

21.—Consumption of Canadian and Imported Coal in Canada, by Quantities and Percentages, 1936-47

NOTE.—Figures for the years 1886-1910, inclusive, will be found at p. 354 of the 1921 Year Book; for the years 1911-28 at p. 350 of the 1939 edition; and for 1929-35 at p. 349 of the 1946 edition.

Year	Canadian Coal ¹		Imported Coal "Entered for Consumption"				Grand Total	Per Capita ³
			From U.S.A.	From United Kingdom	Total ²			
	short tons	p.c.	short tons	short tons	short tons	p.c.	short tons	short tons
1936.....	14,508,652	53.3	10,801,643	1,498,656	12,719,515	46.7	27,228,167	2.487
1937.....	15,172,729	51.5	12,574,574	1,211,052	14,268,585	48.5	29,441,314	2.666
1938.....	13,800,094	53.5	10,754,747	1,257,887	12,012,634	46.5	25,812,728	2.315
1939.....	14,902,915	50.6	12,923,708	1,099,419	14,564,679	49.4	29,467,594	2.615
1940.....	16,666,234	49.5	15,509,779	1,514,458	17,036,090	50.5	33,702,324	2.961
1941.....	17,227,151	46.2	19,332,479	693,902	20,026,082	53.8	37,253,233	3.237
1942.....	17,725,761	42.0	24,140,841	388,948	24,529,361	58.0	42,255,122	3.626
1943.....	16,321,006	37.1	27,303,776	391,475	27,695,098	62.9	44,016,104	3.727
1944.....	15,660,808	35.7	27,943,008	218,511	28,166,201	64.3	43,827,009	3.650
1945.....	15,227,819	38.3	24,505,241	28,388	24,521,528	61.7	39,749,347	3.279
1946.....	16,502,508	39.0	25,639,541	101,580	25,740,704	61.0	42,243,212	3.432
1947 ⁴	14,666,276	34.0	28,410,149	52,777	28,462,242	66.0	43,128,518	3.428

¹ The sum of Canadian coal mines' sales, colliery consumption, coal supplied to employees and coal used in making coke, etc., less the tonnage of coal exported.

² Includes small tonnages from countries other than the United Kingdom and the United States. Deductions have been made from this column to take account of foreign coal re-exported from Canada and bituminous coal ex-warehoused for ships' stores.

³ Figures based on estimates of population given at p. 139.

⁴ Subject to revision.

22.—Coal Output, Exports, Imports, and Coal Made Available for Consumption in Canada, 1947

NOTE.—For details by provinces, see the Annual Report on Coal Statistics for Canada.

Grade	Canadian Coal		Imported Coal ¹	Coal Made Available for Consumption
	Output	Exported		
	short tons	short tons	short tons	short tons
Anthracite.....	Nil	Nil	4,464,007	4,464,007
Bituminous.....	11,060,486	706,408	25,841,440	36,195,518
Sub-bituminous.....	3,231,673	Nil	Nil	3,231,673
Lignite.....	1,570,620	8,141	203	1,562,682
Totals.....	15,862,779	714,549	30,305,650	45,453,880

¹ Coal reaching Canadian ports whether or not it is cleared from customs.

Petroleum.—A brief account of the development of the petroleum industry in Canada is given at pp. 266-267 of the 1941 Year Book. The development of oil production in the Northwest Territories is covered in the 1943-44 edition, pp. 316-317.

Demands for home production of oil in Canada in 1946, exceeded 60,000,000 bbl. and of this amount Canada produced over 7,000,000 bbl. Over 94 p.c. of this production was supplied by wells in the Province of Alberta, the remainder from the Provinces of Ontario, Saskatchewan and New Brunswick.

The remaining source of supply so far discovered in Canada is in the Northwest Territories where, during the War, 45 wells were pouring oil from that area through a 500-mile pipeline to Whitehorse from Norman Wells. This was an emergency venture and, with the end of hostilities, was abandoned as entirely uneconomic.