

Section 5.—Interprovincial Freight Movements*

Statistics relating to interprovincial freight movements are difficult to collect since there are no controls over, or barriers to, such trade. Interprovincial freight traffic statistics are available for loadings and unloadings of goods carried by rail, water, motor transport and pipeline.

Details of railway freight movement are confined to tons loaded and unloaded by province and contain a certain amount of import and export of goods shipped by water. The figures given in Table 31, however, do not give a precise measure of total interprovincial freight movement by rail; they indicate only the net interprovincial movement of railway freight, which is but one aspect of that trade. For water-borne traffic, Table 32 shows tonnages of all cargoes unloaded at Canadian ports in both interprovincial and intraprovincial trade, by province of origin. Interprovincial and international traffic carried by Canadian registered trucks is shown in Table 33. Pipeline statistics are given in the Transportation Chapter, p. 818-823.

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31.—Railway Revenue Freight Movement, by Province,¹ 1962 and 1963

Province	Loaded		Received from U.S.A. Rail Connections		Totals Carried	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962 ²	1963
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
Newfoundland.....	1,597,783	1,549,526	—	—	1,597,783	1,549,526
Prince Edward Island.....	334,660	357,975	—	—	334,660	357,975
Nova Scotia.....	10,464,247	11,354,802	—	—	10,464,247	11,354,802
New Brunswick.....	3,878,569	3,966,593	208,735	206,593	4,087,304	4,173,186
Quebec.....	36,396,140	41,688,845	2,641,332	2,618,629	39,037,472	44,307,474
Ontario.....	38,926,399	39,387,294	17,512,399	17,848,527	56,438,798	57,235,821
Manitoba.....	6,136,537	7,290,910	330,095	347,887	6,466,632	7,638,797
Saskatchewan.....	12,314,017	16,173,480	181,080	190,299	12,495,077	16,363,779
Alberta.....	12,213,938	12,427,165	225,722	190,035	12,439,660	12,617,200
British Columbia.....	12,765,976	13,563,991	1,092,681	1,177,333	13,858,657	14,741,324
Totals.....	135,028,266	147,760,581	22,192,024	22,579,303	157,220,290	170,339,884
	Unloaded		Delivered to U.S.A. Rail Connections		Totals Terminated	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962 ²	1963
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
Newfoundland.....	1,958,133	1,776,597	—	—	1,958,133	1,776,597
Prince Edward Island.....	417,552	454,476	—	—	417,552	454,476
Nova Scotia.....	9,833,757	9,972,934	—	—	9,833,757	9,972,934
New Brunswick.....	3,988,803	4,134,076	354,674	392,424	4,343,477	4,526,500
Quebec.....	35,722,789	40,945,030	5,105,468	5,099,131	40,829,257	46,044,161
Ontario.....	44,907,195	48,515,141	20,174,831	20,817,798	65,082,026	69,332,939
Manitoba.....	6,177,982	6,220,394	741,299	881,284	6,919,281	7,101,678
Saskatchewan.....	3,785,966	4,370,127	1,732,571	1,846,773	5,518,537	6,216,900
Alberta.....	6,827,154	6,510,785	36,692	37,623	6,863,846	6,548,408
British Columbia.....	13,558,252	15,654,097	1,976,923	2,096,300	15,535,175	17,750,397
Totals.....	127,177,583	138,553,657	30,123,458	31,171,333	157,301,041	169,724,990

¹ Class I and II railways operating in Canada. ² Freight terminated exceeds totals carried due to tonnages originated by non-reporting industrial railways which are delivered to common carrier lines for further haul and unloading.