

**2.—Domestic and Foreign Crude Oil Received at Canadian Refineries,
by Region, 1955, 1960 and 1964**

Region	1955		1960		1964	
	Domestic	Foreign	Domestic	Foreign	Domestic	Foreign
	bbl./day	bbl./day	bbl./day	bbl./day	bbl./day	bbl./day
Atlantic Provinces and Quebec.....	—	210,423	—	337,494	27	391,996
Ontario.....	106,446	27,275	197,555	10,004	281,459	1,300
Prairie Provinces and Northwest Territories.....	133,961	—	145,499	—	181,375	—
British Columbia.....	47,431	—	65,917	—	82,102	—
Canada.....	287,838	237,698	408,971	347,498	544,963	393,296

Natural Gas Processing and Marketing.—Most natural gas found in Canada contains significant quantities of liquid hydrocarbons such as propane, butane, and pentanes-plus or 'natural gasoline'. In addition, a large percentage also contains hydrogen sulphide which is toxic and must be removed but which is easily processed into elemental sulphur. It is worthwhile to recover these valuable accessories to natural gas but it is also important that customers receive a gas that has consistent qualities. Hence a large and intricate gas processing industry has been developed in Canada within the past decade which has involved the outlay of capital totalling in excess of \$325,000,000. Ninety-five plants were operating at the beginning of 1965, 84 of them located in Alberta. Total raw gas capacity of plant was 5,465,000 Mcf. daily. As an indication of the importance of the industry, over 84 p.c. of the marketable gas produced in Alberta, which supplies the bulk of natural gas, came from gas processing plants.

Of the 1,136,000,000 Mcf. of gas supplied by Canada in 1964, 404,000,000 Mcf. was exported to the United States, 505,000,000 Mcf. was sold in Canada and the remaining 227,000,000 Mcf. was used in processing plants, pipelines and the like. In other words, total domestic consumption amounted to 732,000,000 Mcf.

Table 3 shows sales of natural gas in Canada and indicates the significant part that natural gas plays in meeting Canadian energy requirements. During 1964, natural gas supplied roughly 17 p.c. of total energy requirements in Canada.

3.—Sales of Natural Gas in Canada, by Province, 1964 with Totals for 1960-64

Province	Sales			Customers Dec. 31
	Amount	Value	Average Value per Mcf.	
	Mcf.	\$	\$	No.
New Brunswick.....	63,186	205,046	3.25	2,539
Quebec.....	33,166,492	30,416,512	0.92	242,822
Ontario.....	194,253,775	166,886,369	0.86	628,383
Manitoba.....	27,768,074	18,955,343	0.68	78,339
Saskatchewan.....	45,809,157	21,827,794	0.48	98,775
Alberta.....	160,828,728	51,469,385	0.32	243,588
British Columbia.....	42,617,976	38,222,271	0.90	165,173
Canada, 1964.....	504,503,388	327,982,720	0.65	1,459,619
1963.....	451,598,298	287,584,177	0.64	1,397,138
1962.....	412,061,509	257,589,445	0.62	1,368,085
1961.....	370,739,542	226,678,494	0.61	1,227,658
1960.....	324,468,404	194,074,410	0.61	1,149,085