

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF THE PROGRESS OF CANADA—continued

Item	1871	1881	1891	1901	1911	1921
Mineral Production—						
1 Gold ¹.....oz. t.	105,187	63,524	45,018	1,167,216	473,159	926,329
\$	2,174,412	1,313,153	930,614	24,128,503	9,781,077	19,148,920
2 Silver.....oz. t.	..	355,083 ²	414,523	5,539,192	32,559,044	13,543,193
\$	..	347,271 ²	409,549	3,265,354	17,355,272	8,485,355
3 Copper.....lb.	..	3,260,424 ²	9,529,401	37,827,019	55,648,011	47,620,820
\$	..	366,798 ²	1,226,703	6,096,581	6,886,998	5,953,555
4 Lead.....lb.	..	204,800 ²	88,665	51,900,958	23,784,969	66,679,592
\$	..	9,216 ²	3,857	2,249,387	827,717	3,828,742
5 Zinc.....lb.	..	..	..	788,000 ³	1,877,479	53,089,356
\$	..	..	..	36,011 ³	108,105	2,471,310
6 Nickel.....lb.	..	830,477 ⁴	4,035,347	9,189,047	34,098,744	19,293,060
\$	..	498,286 ⁴	2,421,208	4,594,523	10,229,623	6,752,571
7 Coal.....short ton	1,063,742 ⁵	1,537,106	3,577,749	6,486,325	11,323,388	15,057,493
\$	1,763,423 ⁵	2,688,621	7,019,425	12,699,243	26,467,646	72,451,656
8 Natural gas.....M cu. ft.	..	..	..	..	..	14,077,601
\$	..	..	150,000 ⁶	339,476	1,917,678	4,594,164
9 Petroleum, crude.....bbl.	..	368,987	755,298	622,392	291,092	187,541
\$	..	..	1,010,211	1,008,275	357,073	641,533
10 Asbestos.....short ton	..	..	9,279	40,217	127,414	92,761
\$	..	..	999,878	1,259,759	2,943,108	4,906,230
11 Cement.....bbl.	..	69,843 ²	93,479	450,394	5,692,915	5,752,885
\$	..	81,909 ²	108,561	660,030	7,644,537	14,195,143
Totals, Mineral Production ⁷. \$	..	10,221,255 ⁸	18,976,616	65,797,911	103,220,994	171,923,342
Water Power—						
12 Turbine installation.....h.p.	..	..	71,219	238,902	1,363,134	2,754,157
Central Electric Stations—						
13 Power houses.....No.	..	..	80	58	266	510
14 Capital invested.....\$	..	..	4,113,771	11,891,025	110,838,746	484,669,451
15 Power generated.....'000 kwh.	..	..	..	..	..	5,614,132
16 Customers.....No.	..	..	..	..	..	973,212
Fisheries—						
17 Marketed value of all products. \$	7,573,199	15,817,162	18,977,874	25,737,153	34,667,872	34,931,935
Furs—						
18 Pelts taken ¹⁰.....No.	..	..	..	..	..	2,936,407
\$	..	..	..	..	..	10,151,594
19 Value of animals on fur farms.. \$	..	..	..	..	..	5,977,545
Manufactures—¹¹						
20 Employees.....No.	187,942	254,935	369,595	339,173	515,203	438,555
21 Capital.....\$	77,964,020	165,302,623	353,213,000	446,916,487	1,247,583,609	2,697,858,073
22 Salaries and wages.....\$	40,851,009	59,429,002	100,415,350	113,249,350	241,008,416	497,399,761
23 Values of materials used in.....\$	124,907,846	179,918,593	250,759,292	266,527,858	601,509,018	1,365,292,885
Products—						
24 Gross.....\$	221,617,773	309,676,068	469,847,886	481,053,375	1,165,975,639	2,488,987,148
25 Net ¹²\$	96,709,927	129,757,475	219,088,594	214,525,517	564,466,621	1,123,694,263
26 Index of Industrial Production ¹⁴.....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Construction—						
27 Values of contracts awarded... \$	..	..	..	..	345,425,000	240,133,300
Labour—						
Gainfully Occupied—^{16,17}						
28 Agricultural occupations.....No.	..	..	735,207 ¹⁸	716,860	933,735	1,035,283
29 Other primary....." " " " " "	..	..	58,211 ²⁰	71,584 ²⁰	139,877 ²²	115,737 ²²
30 Manufacturing....." " " " " "	..	..	237,972	299,535	372,234	406,677
31 Construction....." " " " " "	..	..	80,694	89,165	150,567	162,275
32 Transportation ²³....." " " " " "	..	..	61,310	82,483	158,926	199,568
33 Trade and finance....." " " " " "	..	..	88,064	99,552	221,805	293,334
34 Service....." " " " " "	..	..	203,897	236,205	322,895	420,173
35 Clerical....." " " " " "	..	..	24,121	58,789	106,351	217,937
36 Labourers ²⁵....." " " " " "	..	..	116,598	127,867	317,244	306,215
37 Not stated....." " " " " "	..	..	3,534	792	..	7,149
Totals, Gainfully Occupied ¹⁷.....	..	..	1,615,608	1,782,832	2,723,634	3,164,348
38 Wage-earners ¹⁷.....No.	..	..	..	..	1,628,273	1,972,089

¹ As from 1932 the values include exchange equalization. ² 1887. ³ 1898. ⁴ 1899. ⁵ 1874.
⁶ 1892. ⁷ Includes other items not specified. ⁸ 1886. ⁹ Excludes Newfoundland. ¹⁰ Years
ended Sept. 30. ¹¹ The statistics of manufactures in 1871, 1881 and 1891 include all establishments irrespective
of the number of employees. From 1901, statistics are for establishments with five hands or over. The figures
shown for census years prior to 1921 are for the preceding year. From 1922, statistics are exclusive of construction
hand trades, repair and custom work. Figures for 1931-53 include non-ferrous metal smelting not included in earlier
years. ¹² Value of factory shipments. ¹³ Since 1924 the net value of production is computed by sub-
tracting the cost of fuel and electricity as well as the cost of materials from the gross value of the products.