

2.—Quantité et valeur des minéraux produits, 1954-1956

Nomenclature	1954		1955		1956	
	Quantité	Valeur \$	Quantité	Valeur \$	Quantité	Valeur \$
<b>Métalliques</b> .....	...	<b>799,916,306</b>	...	<b>1,007,839,501</b>	...	<b>1,134,354,370</b>
Antimoine..... livres	1,302,233	349,249	2,021,726	563,345	1,820,000	576,300
Bismuth..... "	258,675	572,183	265,896	572,362	273,007	494,157
Cadmium..... "	1,086,780	1,847,526	1,919,081	3,262,439	2,258,184	3,838,913
Cérium..... "	—	—	...	988	—	—
Cobalt..... "	2,252,965	5,912,997	3,318,637	8,563,700	3,685,956	9,372,760
Columbium (Cb <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> )... "	90	2,294	42	1,032	—	—
Cuivre..... "	605,464,042	175,712,693	651,987,423	239,756,455	706,585,547	291,469,615
Or..... onces troy	4,366,440	148,764,611	4,541,962	156,788,528	4,378,862	150,808,010
Indium..... "	477	1,278	104,774	232,598	358,000	805,500
Fer, minéral..... tonnes	7,361,598	49,666,507	16,283,177	110,435,850	22,526,311	156,327,885
Fer, lingots..... "	90,562	2,910,663	115,955	4,831,845	157,000	6,339,000
Plomb..... livres	436,990,488	58,250,831	405,525,038	58,314,500	373,349,541	57,906,514
Magnésium et calcium	...	4,101,642	...	6,585,409	...	5,617,826
Manganèse, minéral..... tonnes	—	—	—	—	...	1,900
Mercure, livres..... "	—	—	75	250	—	—
Molybdénite..... "	752,417	457,912	1,389,177	823,954	1,452,028	967,461
Nickel..... "	322,557,961	180,173,392	349,856,997	215,866,007	355,986,450	223,343,992
Palladium, rhodium, irridium, etc..... onces troy	189,350	7,956,087	214,252	8,321,633	161,600	6,495,005
Platine..... "	154,356	12,950,469	170,494	14,747,732	150,000	15,585,000
Sélénium..... livres	323,529	1,617,645	427,109	3,203,319	508,000	6,858,000
Argent..... onces troy	31,117,949	25,907,870	27,984,204	24,676,472	28,794,573	25,831,612
Tantale (Ta <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> )..... "	77	2,696	390	9,760	—	—
Tellure..... "	8,171	14,300	9,014	15,774	24,000	42,000
Thallium..... "	—	—	275	378	—	—
Étain..... "	333,788	263,359	492,781	408,030	611,000	521,550
Titane, minéral..... tonnes	1,541	9,462	1,464	10,634	4,443	37,100
Tungstène, concentrés..... livres	2,170,633	5,795,781	1,942,770	5,508,437	2,206,662	6,060,992
Uranium, minéraux..... "	...	26,467,574	...	26,031,604	...	39,577,000
Zinc..... livres	752,982,353	90,207,285	866,714,038	118,306,466	847,239,825	125,476,218
<b>Non-métalliques (sauf les combustibles)</b> .....	...	<b>130,523,624</b>	...	<b>144,920,841</b>	...	<b>171,241,069</b>
Oxyde arsénieux..... livres	1,180,350	48,333	1,571,787	69,159	2,624,757	86,617
Amiante..... tonnes	924,116	86,409,212	1,063,802	96,191,317	1,038,975	109,665,924
Barytine..... "	221,472	2,003,796	253,736	2,277,166	30,7808	2,509,199
Diatomite..... "	4	192	16	352	—	—
Feldspath..... "	16,096	301,049	18,152	355,879	17,763	365,370
Fluorine..... "	118,969	2,987,026	128,114	2,708,437	151,738	3,835,565
Graphite..... "	2,463	254,534	—	—	—	—
Pierre meulière..... "	—	—	10	1,500	—	—
Gypse..... "	3,950,422	7,094,671	4,667,901	8,037,153	5,192,805	8,300,585
Oxyde de fer..... "	5,798	183,507	7,702	162,512	7,757	170,135
Lithine..... livres	17,052	6,300	114,376	61,752	4,800,000	2,640,000
Dolomite magnésitique, brucite..... "	...	4,394,280	...	2,151,820	...	2,412,000
Mica..... livres	1,706,770	85,139	1,640,708	77,541	1,184,542	73,622
Eaux minérales..... gall. imp.	284,078	148,057	306,683	160,510	303,500	157,000
Syénite ééolitique..... tonnes	123,669	1,770,528	146,068	2,099,512	179,381	2,489,633
Tourbe..... "	99,272	3,018,622	117,579	3,485,287	125,074	3,708,191
Quartz..... "	1,716,151	1,574,893	1,869,943	2,039,575	2,114,415	2,781,236
Sel..... "	969,887	8,340,163	1,244,761	10,122,299	1,593,131	13,916,532
Brique siliceuse..... M	3,578	465,157	4,763	602,625	5,576	705,077
Saponite et talc..... tonnes	28,143	335,353	27,160	338,967	29,030	358,750
Sulfate de sodium..... "	158,417	2,385,573	178,888	2,799,715	179,438	2,854,223
Soufre <sup>1</sup> ..... "	532,406	4,875,969	628,443	5,984,953	763,736	7,440,410
Bioxyde de titane..... "	88,408	3,841,270	117,042	5,192,810	152,500	6,771,000
<b>Combustibles</b> .....	...	<b>352,959,465</b>	...	<b>414,318,015</b>	...	<b>514,850,071</b>
Houille..... tonnes	14,913,579	96,600,266	14,818,880	93,579,471	14,915,033	95,466,866
Gaz naturel..... M. pi. cu.	120,735,214	12,482,109	150,772,312	15,098,508	173,260,500	17,542,555
Tourbe..... tonnes	6	60	—	—	—	—
Pétrole brut..... barils	96,080,345	243,877,030	129,440,247	305,640,036	170,569,200	401,840,650
<b>Matériaux de construction</b> ...	...	<b>204,982,696</b>	...	<b>228,232,439</b>	...	<b>247,253,586</b>
Argileux—brique, tuile, etc	...	32,360,098	...	35,259,770	...	38,062,112
Ciment..... barils	22,437,477	59,035,644	25,168,464	65,650,025	29,719,377	77,876,046
Chaux..... tonnes	1,214,839	14,742,149	1,331,118	15,810,904	1,303,889	15,328,917
Sable et gravier..... "	110,961,034	58,987,671	127,524,474	67,775,053	128,995,782	72,637,049
Pierre..... "	32,767,925	39,857,134	30,512,920	43,736,687	31,549,706	43,349,462
<b>Total général</b> .....	...	<b>1,488,382,091</b>	...	<b>1,795,310,796</b>	...	<b>2,067,699,096</b>

<sup>1</sup> Soufre contenu dans les pyrites expédiées et teneur approximative en soufre de l'acide sulfurique récupéré des gaz de fonderie.