

Le tableau 31 résume la statistique des principales industries minérales en activité au Canada de 1952 à 1956.

31.—Statistique sommaire des principales industries minérales, 1952-1956

Industrie et année	Usines ou mines	Employés	Salaires	Combustible, électricité et fournitures industrielles achetées ¹	Valeur nette des expéditions ²
	nombre				
Métalliques.....					
1952	636	79,946	285,647,255	728,351,641	643,848,728
1953	574	76,826	285,940,984	713,345,667	643,620,543
1954	715	77,647	297,792,840	734,303,351	744,264,529
1955	818	81,970	329,437,928	971,546,007	909,932,534
1956	909	88,352	373,086,515	1,120,058,717	1,020,228,528
Or alluvionnier.....					
1952	39	361	1,638,672	518,778	2,662,952
1953	56	306	1,372,504	259,011	1,878,310
1954	62	351	1,619,460	476,627	2,575,038
1955	64	345	1,480,868	284,511	2,443,595
1956	64	250	1,378,166	567,522	2,026,790
Quartz aurifère.....					
1952	216	20,757	69,004,828	34,912,550	100,083,506
1953	173	18,751	60,920,362	30,973,120	91,408,605
1954	157	18,479	63,578,156	32,017,855	95,627,104
1955	136	18,032	63,961,744	33,094,300	101,382,077
1956	133	17,031	62,701,494	30,972,433	97,011,062
Cuivre-or-argent.....					
1952	98	7,210	26,711,225	34,998,574	80,668,817
1953	84	7,476	27,582,448	31,970,373	68,881,908
1954	118	7,837	29,791,332	35,079,924	70,814,052
1955	186	9,025	36,391,460	45,729,136	99,540,486
1956	314	10,533	43,929,096	50,245,735	96,941,696
Argent-cobalt.....					
1952	19	696	2,161,894	1,213,660	3,556,975
1953	14	739	2,204,274	1,387,416	3,235,991
1954	15	808	2,614,266	1,191,243	4,103,256
1955	14	762	2,598,437	1,184,721	4,350,174
1956	15	694	2,415,545	1,061,309	3,502,093
Argent-plomb-zinc.....					
1952	177	10,331	37,643,614	60,189,782	104,937,002
1953	143	7,144	28,695,473	55,904,834	67,898,350
1954	124	6,386	24,847,011	58,178,798	78,077,960
1955	103	6,529	26,741,770	57,523,638	82,663,039
1956	96	6,338	27,253,247	56,316,672	86,604,019
Nickel-cuivre.....					
1952	22	10,820	42,151,955	12,046,000	59,694,630
1953	32	11,511	47,596,673	16,199,809	64,973,869
1954	37	11,244	48,142,987	19,576,040	74,891,033
1955	38	10,953	48,670,802	20,573,009	75,454,036
1956	55	11,872	55,486,888	20,880,263	82,735,929
Fer³.....					
1955	30	4,892	18,740,274	38,646,915	71,788,935
1956	40	6,469	29,249,650	60,755,398	99,606,720
Métaux divers.....					
1952	47	5,163	18,370,772	14,119,614	25,523,464
1953	54	5,784	23,023,639	15,940,190	35,136,282
1954	180	6,494	24,603,658	17,241,822	66,138,130
1955	223	2,826	12,663,195	6,798,377	28,305,111
1956	169	4,377	20,532,485	13,712,560	40,781,866
Fusion et affinage.....					
1952	18	24,608	87,964,295	570,352,683	266,721,382
1953	18	25,115	94,545,611	560,710,914	310,207,228
1954	22	26,048	102,595,970	570,541,042	352,037,956
1955	24	28,606	118,189,378	767,711,400	444,005,081
1956	23	30,788	130,139,944	885,546,825	511,018,353
Non-métalliques.....					
(sauf les combustibles)					
1952	196	11,247	36,002,097	22,922,666	98,919,971
1953	210	11,099	36,891,616	23,208,288	96,771,684
1954	207	10,892	37,878,138	23,474,927	98,626,771
1955	243	11,722	42,390,871	27,496,572	112,871,320
1956	209	12,548	47,128,001	30,158,675	123,514,648