

10.—Commodities Hauled as Freight on Steam Railways, 1947-51

NOTE.—In this table duplications are eliminated, i.e., the same freight handled by two or more rail-ways is counted only once. The statistics do not include the United States lines of the Canadian National Railways, but the link of the Canadian Pacific Railway line across Maine, U.S.A., is included, as are the Canadian sections of United States railways. Figures for Newfoundland are included from Apr. 1, 1949.

Commodity Group and Product	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
Agricultural Products					
Wheat.....	12,888,800	11,221,579	12,861,460	10,180,638	15,444,631
Oats.....	2,929,297	2,356,099	2,523,349	1,998,361	2,679,391
Other grain.....	4,836,652	4,514,027	4,195,518	3,430,079	4,703,796
Flour.....	2,929,758	2,302,510	2,012,513	1,996,281	2,222,861
Other mill products.....	3,662,558	2,853,657	2,463,699	2,479,974	2,565,747
Other agricultural products.....	4,833,258	4,408,579	4,235,782	4,290,525	4,122,972
Totals, Agricultural Products.....	32,080,323	27,656,451	28,290,321	24,375,858	31,739,398
Animal Products					
Live stock.....	1,059,086	1,153,196	976,565	907,046	759,169
Meats and other edible packing-house products..	960,855	942,278	894,266	764,040	815,267
Other animal products.....	873,652	793,995	668,644	631,139	621,891
Totals, Animal Products.....	2,893,593	2,889,469	2,539,475	2,302,225	2,196,327
Mine Products					
Coal, anthracite.....	5,001,377	5,675,849	4,099,390	4,481,323	4,110,389
Coal, bituminous.....	14,705,645	16,587,478	13,946,461	15,058,571	14,505,205
Coal, sub-bituminous.....	2,541,982	2,426,229	2,340,378	2,400,271	2,151,652
Coal, lignite.....	1,223,106	1,272,774	1,521,762	1,787,973	1,802,473
Coke.....	1,967,287	2,141,063	1,805,620	1,899,872	2,223,652
Ores and concentrates.....	9,901,768	11,187,732	11,715,952	12,312,946	13,284,529
Base bullion, matte, pig and ingot (non-ferrous metals).....	1,291,728	1,457,668	1,330,464	1,427,581	1,446,910
Sand and gravel.....	3,210,425	3,556,854	3,118,677	3,582,966	3,900,617
Stone (crushed, ground, broken).....	2,942,111	2,989,724	2,629,652	2,788,301	3,486,464
Other mine products.....	8,439,367	9,437,571	9,233,094	10,008,616	9,143,215
Totals, Mine Products.....	51,224,796	56,732,942	51,741,450	55,748,420	56,055,106
Forest Products					
Logs, posts, poles, piling.....	1,639,274	1,582,800	1,439,447	1,350,064	1,832,259
Cordwood and other firewood.....	799,174	623,070	457,848	440,306	355,213
Pulpwood.....	7,860,080	8,995,154	6,555,770	5,521,412	9,970,231
Lumber, timber, box, crate and cooperage material.	7,797,668	7,514,232	6,418,854	7,778,428	7,867,659
Other forest products.....	740,954	727,113	724,479	740,129	810,555
Totals, Forest Products.....	18,837,150	19,442,369	15,596,398	15,830,339	20,835,917
Manufactures and Miscellaneous					
Gasoline and petroleum products.....	5,585,708	5,670,944	5,806,468	6,226,127	6,722,065
Iron and steel (bar, sheet, structural pipe).....	2,808,025	2,989,652	2,720,250	2,633,274	3,501,728
Automobiles, trucks and parts.....	2,210,709	2,162,322	2,102,622	2,517,930	2,456,566
Newsprint.....	3,825,252	3,809,313	3,747,561	3,844,113	4,056,679
Wood-pulp.....	2,217,307	2,311,901	1,791,868	2,311,057	2,750,103
Other manufactures and miscellaneous.....	26,790,201	27,160,763	24,770,961	25,099,776	27,725,675
Merchandise (all L.C.L. freight) ¹	4,382,756	4,106,678	3,612,057	3,329,200	3,220,957
Totals, Manufactures and Miscellaneous.....	47,819,958	48,211,573	44,551,787	45,961,477	50,433,773
Grand Totals.....	152,855,820	154,932,804	142,719,431	144,218,319	161,260,521

¹ Less than carload lots.