

Mineral production in Canada, 2016

Metals															
Commodity	Units	Newfoundland and Labrador	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon	Northwest Territories	Nunavut	Canada
Antimony	tonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	\$000	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
Bismuth	tonnes	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
	\$000	0	0	0	0	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31
Cadmium	tonnes	0	0	0	0	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60
	\$000	0	0	0	0	113	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	113
Cesium (Cs ₂ O)	tonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
Cobalt	tonnes	x	0	0	0	x	1,459	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,216
	\$000	x	0	0	0	x	51,630	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	149,145
Niobium (Columbium)	tonnes	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
	\$000	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
Copper	tonnes	37,198	0	0	0	41,549	195,430	42,245	0	0	333,080	30,024	0	0	679,524
	\$000	239,738	0	0	0	267,781	1,259,546	272,266	0	0	2,146,699	193,502	0	0	4,379,532
Gold	kilograms	656	0	0	0	51,951	77,457	3,341	2,302	32	12,795	3,445	0	9,518	161,497
	\$000	34,884	0	0	0	2,763,350	4,120,027	177,709	122,422	1,713	680,586	183,225	0	506,263	8,590,179
Ilmenite	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
	\$000	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
Indium	kilograms	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
Iron ore	kilotonnes	19,308	0	0	0	24,702	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,721	46,731
	\$000	1,597,198	0	0	0	1,379,035	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	188,789	3,165,022
Iron remelt	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
	\$000	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x
Lead	tonnes	0	0	0	12,020	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,020
	\$000	0	0	0	29,785	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29,785
Molybdenum	tonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,783	0	0	0	2,783
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53,105	0	0	0	53,105
Nickel	tonnes	55,194	0	0	0	54,015	96,000	25,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	230,210
	\$000	701,627	0	0	0	686,641	1,220,356	317,805	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,926,428
Platinum group	kilograms	x	0	0	0	x	24,587	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	31,471
	\$000	x	0	0	0	x	750,666	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	947,560
Selenium	tonnes	0	0	0	0	x	x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	175
	\$000	0	0	0	0	x	x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,886
Silver	tonnes	3	0	0	29	83	132	37	0	0	84	11	0	7	385
	\$000	1,962	0	0	21,044	60,587	96,951	27,267	83	0	61,903	7,827	0	5,042	282,666
Tellurium	tonnes	0	0	0	0	x	x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
	\$000	0	0	0	0	x	x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	870
Uranium (U)	tonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14,133	0	0	0	0	0	14,133
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,248,600	0	0	0	0	0	1,248,600
Zinc	tonnes	0	0	0	35,389	87,197	75,165	103,460	0	0	0	0	0	0	301,210
	\$000	0	0	0	97,815	241,012	207,757	285,962	0	0	0	0	0	0	832,545
Total	\$000	2,624,308	0	0	148,644	6,304,144	7,712,067	1,113,190	1,371,105	1,713	2,942,293	384,554	0	700,094	23,302,112

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Nonmetals																
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Barite	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	x	
Carbonatite	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
Cement ¹	kilotonnes	0	0	x	0	2,418	5,418	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	11,820	
	\$000	0	0	x	0	329,248	640,598	0	0	x	x	0	0	0	1,615,674	
Clay products ²	\$000	0	0	x	0	x	124,880	0	45	x	2,593	0	0	0	140,122	
Coal ⁶	kilotonnes	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	x	x	x	0	0	0	61,332	
	\$000	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	x	x	x	0	0	0	4,009,353	
Diamonds	000 carats	0	0	0	0	370	597	0	0	0	0	0	12,348	0	13,315	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	48,558	354,084	0	0	0	0	0	1,486,090	0	1,888,732	
Gemstones	tonnes	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	x	x	0	0	154	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	102	0	0	x	x	x	0	0	5,852	
Graphite	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
Gypsum ³	kilotonnes	0	0	x	x	0	x	x	0	0	x	0	0	0	1,679	
	\$000	0	0	x	x	0	x	x	0	0	x	0	0	0	17,655	
Lime	kilotonnes	0	0	0	x	x	x	x	0	x	x	0	0	0	1,807	
	\$000	0	0	0	x	x	x	x	0	x	x	0	0	0	330,366	
Magnesite	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	x	
Mica	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
Nepheline syenite	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	0	571	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	571	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	81,219	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81,219	
Peat	kilotonnes	x	x	2	596	341	0	212	29	238	x	0	0	0	1,452	
	\$000	x	x	699	121,310	74,611	0	57,952	16,913	53,943	x	0	0	0	330,653	
Potash (K ₂ O) ⁴	kilotonnes	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	10,784	0	0	0	0	0	10,790	
	\$000	0	0	0	3,683	0	0	0	3,731,950	0	0	0	0	0	3,735,632	
Potassium sulphate	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	x	
Pumice	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	273	0	0	0	273	
Quartz (silica) ³	kilotonnes	0	0	14	x	481	353	130	0	1,165	x	0	0	0	2,256	
	\$000	0	0	1,132	x	19,254	5,531	772	0	67,114	x	0	0	0	95,614	
Salt	kilotonnes	0	0	x	325	x	x	x	1,323	142	0	0	0	0	10,252	
	\$000	0	0	x	11,388	x	x	x	92,017	28,659	0	0	0	0	445,891	
Sand and gravel ⁵	kilotonnes	1,716	109	3,458	2,442	18,697	81,508	15,420	10,165	116,927	28,678	1,031	397	0	280,550	
	\$000	7,762	1,443	29,797	13,031	124,089	559,270	139,915	93,205	1,155,155	264,042	5,707	5,216	0	2,398,633	
Soapstone, talc, pyrophyllite	kilotonnes	x	0	0	0	x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	199	
	\$000	x	0	0	0	x	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55,513	
Sodium sulphate	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	x	
Stone ³	kilotonnes	7,472	x	9,020	7,024	42,761	69,779	8,655	0	5,279	8,320	x	1,662	0	160,016	
	\$000	62,748	x	99,057	57,830	504,395	729,267	78,850	0	40,503	75,109	x	16,135	0	1,664,188	
Sulphur, in smelter gas	kilotonnes	x	0	x	29	121	453	x	0	0	1	0	0	0	635	
	\$000	x	0	x	5,046	20,949	78,709	x	0	0	96	0	0	0	110,307	
Sulphur, elemental	kilotonnes	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	163	4,227	349	0	0	0	4,746	
	\$000	447	0	0	0	0	7	0	118	178,920	14,386	0	0	0	193,877	
Titanium dioxide	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
Wollastonite	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	
Zeolite	kilotonnes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	x	
	\$000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	0	0	0	x	
Total	\$000	72,876	5,712	240,893	226,197	1,809,231	2,980,251	304,344	4,165,461	2,652,979	3,761,551	6,570	1,507,441	0	17,733,507	

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Historical data (1986 - 2016), by Province or Territory

Year	Units	Newfoundland and Labrador	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon	Northwest Territories	Nunavut	Canada
Grand total, 2016	\$000	2,697,184	5,712	240,893	374,841	8,113,375	10,692,318	1,417,533	5,536,566	2,654,693	6,703,844	391,124	1,507,441	700,094	41,035,618
Grand total, 2015	\$000	2,783,181	4,638	230,707	444,468	7,556,061	10,979,014	1,347,484	8,071,878	2,464,547	6,185,840	246,225	1,816,905	644,165	42,775,114
Grand total, 2014	\$000	3,210,270	4,187	197,637	439,074	8,489,710	10,994,882	1,428,366	6,779,350	2,614,751	6,815,371	408,001	1,882,373	636,424	43,900,395
Grand total, 2013	\$000	4,078,547	3,627	220,783	597,580	8,061,574	10,205,284	1,306,192	6,858,339	2,662,414	7,111,670	466,905	1,658,958	629,041	43,860,914
Grand total, 2012	\$000	4,296,715	4,192	238,068	1,155,839	8,023,919	9,538,630	1,491,577	7,789,631	2,720,418	7,826,270	485,576	1,725,392	614,441	45,910,667
Grand total, 2011	\$000	4,634,162	2,747	238,347	1,334,924	8,465,486	10,685,247	1,793,888	9,100,784	2,696,459	8,981,532	367,419	2,138,340	427,322	50,866,656
Grand total, 2010	\$000	4,583,117	2,933	240,509	1,210,536	7,140,137	8,128,101	1,694,797	6,488,024	2,305,158	7,165,905	298,848	2,044,797	317,140	41,620,002
Grand total, 2009	\$000	2,409,490	3,565	271,341	1,100,415	5,628,495	6,324,648	1,341,397	5,059,128	1,926,000	5,622,036	240,257	1,506,569		31,433,340
Grand total, 2008	\$000	5,315,760	3,230	357,314	1,536,973	6,191,978	9,561,159	1,686,975	8,603,948	3,952,089	7,402,675	207,644	2,123,469	12,654	46,955,870
Grand total, 2007	\$000	4,949,381	4,115	327,705	1,540,180	5,540,091	10,855,586	2,479,553	5,511,105	1,812,043	5,611,423	73,963	1,830,902	34,821	40,570,868
Grand total, 2006	\$000	3,029,847	5,040	322,850	1,538,565	4,559,856	9,524,218	2,089,006	3,876,777	1,580,258	5,990,584	46,339	1,638,172	31,595	34,233,107
Grand total, 2005	\$000	1,744,549	4,149	304,519	906,568	3,914,212	7,438,261	1,249,291	3,793,526	1,463,552	5,384,165	38,954	1,790,371	3,773	28,035,889
Grand total, 2004	\$000	770,445	3,136	285,636	778,578	4,012,242	7,122,629	1,210,337	3,037,917	1,210,800	3,739,966	61,970	2,112,471	35,458	24,381,586
Grand total, 2003	\$000	845,161	3,974	263,194	702,496	3,563,171	5,690,433	892,234	2,276,573	1,218,098	2,887,311	33,589	1,666,722	34,649	20,077,602
Grand total, 2002	\$000	872,806	5,285	x	653,479	3,742,025	5,937,321	850,459	x	1,094,405	2,863,558	43,109	874,174	271,629	19,959,836
Grand total, 2001	\$000	2,901,399	3,983	x	807,203	3,603,927	5,772,583	1,023,259	x	49,375,263	8,623,308	139,218	1,323,427	320,910	83,038,640
Grand total, 2000	\$000	3,170,447	5,482	1,193,011	772,546	3,653,206	5,867,446	1,234,065	8,414,541	49,967,120	7,901,035	118,050	1,165,354	384,597	83,846,901
Grand total, 1999	\$000	1,817,792	7,119	380,819	850,797	3,657,469	5,221,729	907,132	5,996,814	29,229,537	4,535,903	89,443	892,891	349,046	53,936,491
Grand total, 1998	\$000	1,539,496	6,499	453,027	862,992	3,559,965	5,044,271	967,070	4,796,247	21,886,355	4,466,237	150,336	585,233		44,317,729
Grand total, 1997	\$000	1,038,173	3,410	480,717	953,071	3,437,046	5,614,963	1,125,710	5,508,422	26,671,286	4,681,322	225,392	798,793		50,538,306
Grand total, 1996	\$000	905,901	3,604	592,653	954,683	3,414,784	5,718,296	1,001,946	5,330,854	26,218,031	4,339,930	425,627	780,585		49,686,893
Grand total, 1995	\$000	878,299	3,887	559,761	1,020,674	3,338,006	5,825,126	1,022,003	4,580,392	20,675,732	4,501,289	196,009	766,293		43,367,470
Grand total, 1994	\$000	837,449	2,706	608,269	862,044	2,956,265	4,921,352	820,445	4,225,199	21,118,987	4,066,161	85,764	680,270		41,184,910
Grand total, 1993	\$000	699,383	4,270	554,420	771,849	2,691,815	4,533,769	862,131	3,238,262	18,925,423	3,538,275	140,513	584,866		36,544,975
Grand total, 1992	\$000	705,673	1,699	523,033	910,138	2,694,407	4,776,317	1,081,882	3,157,751	17,055,714	3,500,079	496,230	681,144		35,584,066
Grand total, 1991	\$000	772,184	3,261	459,535	671,397	2,930,011	5,101,464	1,124,748	2,862,986	16,372,931	3,839,913	348,651	703,178		35,190,259
Grand total, 1990	\$000	865,987	3,271	459,488	877,926	3,037,007	6,445,825	1,311,466	3,182,501	19,110,856	3,954,393	541,814	987,900		40,778,434
Grand total, 1989	\$000	897,338	2,214	441,502	859,375	2,877,630	7,307,702	1,668,354	3,016,947	16,455,830	4,123,281	533,910	1,149,286		39,333,368
Grand total, 1988	\$000	864,766	2,233	445,957	910,764	2,712,011	6,895,272	1,626,594	3,042,776	15,062,056	3,943,090	492,199	957,005		36,954,725
Grand total, 1987	\$000	742,818	2,541	406,639	623,611	2,780,144	5,652,001	1,000,046	3,150,831	17,079,970	3,614,729	437,199	870,494		36,361,024
Grand total, 1986	\$000	817,338	1,754	366,719	501,574	2,190,541	4,824,739	763,892	2,524,553	16,330,583	3,159,871	176,101	788,287		32,445,952

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