



Coal monthly 2004

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Collected under the authority of the
Statistics Act. Revised Statutes of
Canada, 1985, Chapter S19.

**Completion of this questionnaire is a legal
requirement under this Act.**

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veuillez cocher



Month

Correct pre-printed information if necessary.

PURPOSE OF THE SURVEY

The purpose of this survey is to obtain information on the supply of, and demand for, energy in Canada. This information serves as an important indicator of Canadian economic performance and is used by all levels of government in establishing informed policies in the energy area. In the case of public utilities, it is used by governmental agencies to fulfil their regulatory responsibilities. The private sector likewise uses this information in the corporate decision-making process.

CONFIDENTIALITY

Statistics Canada is prohibited by law from publishing any statistics which would divulge information obtained from this survey that relates to any identifiable business without the previous written consent of that business. The data reported will be treated in strict confidence, used for statistical purposes and published in aggregate form only. The confidentiality provisions of the *Statistics Act* are not affected by either the Access to Information Act or any other legislation.

DATA SHARING AGREEMENTS

To reduce response burden and to ensure uniform statistics, Statistics Canada has entered into data sharing agreements with various agencies and government departments for the joint collection and sharing of data from this survey. The information provided in this survey pertaining to individual respondents can not be disclosed by the parties with which Statistics Canada has agreements.

Agreements exist under section 11 of the *Statistics Act* to share information with the statistical agencies of Nova Scotia, Quebec, Saskatchewan and Alberta regarding business establishments located or operating in their respective province. These provincial statistical agencies have been established under provincial legislation authorizing them to collect this information on their own or jointly with Statistics Canada. The provincial legislation in those four provinces also contains the same confidentiality protection and outlines similar penalties for disclosure of confidential information as the federal *Statistics Act*.

Agreements exist under Section 12 of the *Statistics Act* with the Saskatchewan Industry and Resources, the Alberta Energy and Utilities Board, and the British Columbia Ministry of Energy and Mines to share the information collected by this survey for the respective provincial jurisdiction. As well, an agreement exists with Natural Resources Canada and Environment Canada with respect to all activities covered by this survey.

Under Section 12 of the *Statistics Act* you may refuse to share your information by writing the Chief Statistician and returning your letter of objection along with the completed questionnaire in the enclosed return envelope. Note that there is no right of refusal with respect to sharing the data with the Alberta Energy and Utilities Board and Saskatchewan Industry and Resources. The information is collected in Alberta under the *Statistics Act* and on behalf of the Board under the authority of the *Coal Conservation Act* and Regulations or the *Oil and Gas Conservation Act* and Regulations. In Saskatchewan, the information is collected under the *Statistics Act* and on behalf of the Department pursuant to the *Saskatchewan Oil and Gas Conservation Act* and Regulations, 1985 and the *Saskatchewan Mineral Resources Act*.

INSTRUCTIONS

- If you did not produce, use or ship any coal during the month, please check box and return this form.
- Statistics Canada and the provincial agencies listed below participate in the joint collection of these data. Therefore, please complete and return this form to Statistics Canada and a copy to the appropriate agency by the **20th DAY** following the month under review.

Mines Branch,
Geology and Mines Division,
Saskatchewan Industries and Resources
1914 Hamilton Street,
Regina, Saskatchewan, S4P 4V4.

Alberta Energy and Utilities Board
Statistics Branch
640 Fifth Avenue S.W.
Calgary, Alberta
T2P 3G4

Mineral, Oil and Gas Branch,
Ministry of Energy and Mines,
P.O. 9318,
Station Provincial Government,
Victoria, B.C., V8W 9N3

Fax or Other Electronic Transmission Disclosure

Statistics Canada advises you that there could be a risk of disclosure during the facsimile or other electronic transmission. However, upon receipt of your information, Statistics Canada will provide the guaranteed level of protection afforded all information collected under the authority of the *Statistics Act*.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the information contained herein is substantially complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature _____ Date _____

Name of signer (please print)		Official position of signer		E-mail address	
Name of contact for further information		Fax	Telephone	Extension	
E-mail address					

Estimated Export Marketing Expenses	average cost/metric tonne
Transportation to port	_____
Loading and handling at port	_____
Other port (<i>specify</i>)	_____

PROVINCIAL DATA
(please complete the appropriate provincial section)

Section 1. Nova Scotia

Number of pit days worked

Average daily work force – surface

– underground

Shifts worked – surface

– underground

Total monthly payroll (all payments made at anytime during the month that constitute salaries and wages for income tax purposes)

Section 2. Alberta

A. Average daily work force during reporting month (include all employees at site)	B.	run of mine production		
	mine number	metallurgical	thermal	
staff _____	_____	_____	_____	
hourly _____	_____	_____	_____	
total _____	_____	_____	_____	

Section 3. British Columbia

Employees receiving pay on last working day of the month whether paid on monthly, weekly, hourly or piece work basis

EMPLOYMENT	surface #	underground #	preparation plant #	salaries and wages \$000
Mine and related	_____	_____	_____	_____
Administrative and office	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other	_____	_____	_____	_____
Total at this location	_____	_____	_____	_____