

4. Federal and Provincial Government Programs

C.E.E. - Canadian Exploration Expense

IRD - Industrial and Regional Development Program

Federal income tax provisions relating to the mining and processing industries and to environmental control equipment.

5. Major Reports Available

Canada's Nonferrous Metals Industry: Nickel and Copper
The assessment of the international competitive position of Canada's nickel producers and the evaluation of SO₂ abatement options

1984, S.M.R.

Ontario/Canada Task Force on Inco and Falconbridge
The development and evaluation of air pollution abatement options

1982

Economic Effects of Smelter Controls
The assessment of the viability of Canadian nonferrous producers

1981, Centre for Resource Studies

6. Foreign Trade

Imports (%)

U.S.A. EEC ASIA OTHER

1973	61.0	2.9	-	36.1
1981	35.5	17.3	.1	27.1
1982	59.0	9.4	-	31.6
1983	51.4	30.0	.2	18.4
1984	38.0	31.0	-	31.0

Exports (%)

U.S.A. EEC ASIA OTHER

1973	38.3	24.1	8.1	28.5
1981	40.1	26.6	.6	32.7
1982	45.5	22.6	-	32.0
1983	38.9	31.6	-	29.5
1984	34.2	27.5	-	38.3