ALUMINUM COMPANY OF CANADA, LIMITED

1949 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS



Consolidated Balance Sheet 31st December 1949

ASSETS

	31st December 1949	31st December 1948
Current Assets:		
Cash in banks and on hand	\$ 12,331,446	\$ 7,476,822
Funds set apart for preferred dividend payable 1st March 1950	139,004	141,635
Canadian Government bonds (quoted value \$23,944,000)	23,414,813	20,577,838
Accounts and notes receivable, less reserves	7,760,327	8,889,370
Accounts receivable from affiliated companies	13,175,668	5,589,429
Inventories of aluminum, materials and supplies at cost or under,		
which is not in excess of market, determined from book and physical		
inventories, certified by officers of the companies	39,826,927	41,692,573
	96,648,185	84,367,667
Prepaid expense and deferred charges to operations	4,488,460	4,161,043
Indemnity, surety and other deposits	574,479	547,090
Investment in shares of an affiliated company	16,750	
Lands, plants, riparian rights, and facilities, at cost	350,549,779	345,096,255
	\$452,277,653	\$434,172,055

Consolidated Balance Sheet 31st December 1949

LIABILITIES

	31st December 1949	31st December 1948
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 11,670,809	\$ 13,583,692
Notes payable to Aluminium Limited	5,500,000	
Accounts payable to affiliated companies	387,595	193,125
Preferred dividend payable 1st March 1950	139,004	141,635
Provision for income and other taxes	10,783,954	9,185,590
	28,481,362	23,104,042
Indebtedness not maturing within one year (see note No. 2)	104,651,674	106,898,321
Reserves for amortization, depreciation and depletion of lands, plants		
and facilities	234,477,856	228,555,282
Deferred profit on sales of aluminum for future delivery	3,441,257	
Operating reserves and deferred credits	769,547	787,802
Capital Stock and Surplus:		
4% Cumulative redeemable sinking fund preferred shares—par \$25—		
555,534 shares outstanding (565,504 shares at 31st December, 1948)	13,888,350	14,137,600
Common shares—no par—1,500,000 shares outstanding	15,000,000	15,000,000
Capital surplus	1,111,650	862,400
Earned surplus	50,455,957	44,826,608
	80,455,957	74,826,608
	\$452,277,653	\$434,172,055

Signed on behalf of the Board,
R. E. POWELL, Director
DANA T. BARTHOLOMEW, Director

Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss

For the Year Ending 31st December 1949

	1949	1948
Profit for the year after provision for depreciation and depletion (see footnote) but before taking into account the following items	\$ 44,667,299	\$ 41,903,228
Add:		
Income from investment		83,732
Interest, etc	677,912	645,417
Gain on disposal of surplus equipment	245,661	97,262
	45,590,872	42,729,639
Deduct:		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Interest on indebtedness not maturing within one year	3,172,246	3,204,149
Other interest	99,400	33,637
Executive salaries	276,567	243,829
Legal fees	37,095	23,630
Directors' fees	351	528
Provision for Canadian income taxes	15,372,600	13,146,648
Provision for foreign income taxes	1,731,519	1,294,689
Premium and expense on bonds retired	25,771	22,358
Purchase of past service retirement annuities	85,391	504,585
Adjustment arising from currency revaluations	304,484	
	21,105,424	18,474,053
Profit carried to earned surplus	\$ 24,485,448	\$ 24,255,586

NOTE: Provision for depreciation and depletion for the year amounted to \$7,824,916 of which \$5,980,495 was charged to cost of production.

Consolidated Statement of Surplus For the Year Ending 31st December 1949

EARNED SURPLUS

Earned surplus — 31st December 1948	\$ 44,826,608
Profit for the year	24,485,448
Dividends:	69,312,056
Preferred, including dividend payable 1st March 1950	557,717 18,000,000
Appropriation for the purchase for cancellation of preferred shares	298,382 18,856,099
Earned surplus—31st December 1949	\$ 50,455,957
CAPITAL SURPLUS	
Capital surplus — 31st December 1948. Par value of 9,970 preferred shares purchased in 1949 for cancellation.	\$ 862,400 249,250
Capital surplus — 31st December 1949	\$ 1,111,650

Notes to Financial Statements

1. The accounts of subsidiary companies, other than Canadian companies, included in the consolidated balance sheet are translated into Canadian dollars at official rates of exchange current at 31st December 1949, except that fixed assets and their related reserves are at rates determined at dates of acquisition of such assets. The series "B" first mortage $3\frac{1}{2}\%$ sinking fund bonds, due 1974, payable in U.S. currency, and the second hypothec, securing contractual obligation for annual payments, payable in Canadian currency and in U.S. currency in equal parts, are stated on a dollar for dollar basis.

Indebtedness not maturing within one year comprises the following:	
Aluminum Company of Canada, Ltd.:	
First mortgage $3\frac{1}{2}\%$ sinking fund bonds, due 1974:	
Series "A" — payable in Canadian currency	\$ 12,617,000
Series "B" — payable in U.S. currency	24,087,000
Commutation value of contractual obligation for annual payments secured by second	
hypothec - payable in Canadian currency and in U.S. currency in equal parts	11,178,226
3% Redeemable notes, due 1961 — payable to the British Government — interest and	
\$33,360,000 of principal abatable in certain circumstances as provided in the	
contracts under which they were issued	54,968,185
Indebtedness of subsidiaries (secured on property)	3,586,583
	106,436,994
Less: Provision for sinking funds and other indebtedness payable in 1950 included in	
current liabilities	1,785,320
	\$104,651,674

3. The surpluses of the non-Canadian subsidiaries included in the consolidation are subject to such restrictions as to distribution as may be imposed by regulatory bodies of the countries in which such companies are carrying on operations.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF ALUMINUM COMPANY OF CANADA, LIMITED:

We have examined the consolidated balance sheet of Aluminum Company of Canada, Limited and its subsidiary companies as at 31st December 1949, and the related statements of profit and loss and surplus. Our examination of Aluminum Company of Canada, Limited and its subsidiaries included such tests of the accounting records and other supporting evidence and such other procedures as we deemed appropriate, including a review of the reports of the company's internal auditors and the inspection of audited financial statements submitted by other independent accountants for those subsidiaries whose records were not examined by us. We have received all the information and explanations we have required.

On the above basis, we report that, in our opinion, the accompanying consolidated balance sheet supplemented by the notes appended thereto is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the combined state of affairs of Aluminum Company of Canada, Limited and its subsidiary companies as at 31st December 1949, and that the related statements of profit and loss and surplus present fairly the results of the combined operations of the companies for the year ending on that date, according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the companies examined by us and the audited financial statements submitted by other independent accountants.

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Auditors.

Montreal, 15th March 1950.

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