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### REFINERY PRODUCTION OF PRECIOUS METALS

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#### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please return this form in the enclosed envelope or fax to the above toll-free number as soon as possible. Complete a separate form for each mineral establishment that was active during the reporting period. A mineral establishment is defined as a single physical location where mineral operations are conducted; for example, a mine only, a mine and preparation plant, or a preparation plant only. If you do not have exact data, please enter your best estimates and mark with an /e. Use zero (0) when appropriate. Do not report decimals or fractions. Round to the nearest whole number. If you have nothing to report, please sign, and return the form. Please use the space for "Remarks" to provide any specific information that will help us in the use or interpretation of the data. Any statement on the effect of changes in economic conditions upon the reporting establishment will be useful. Additional forms are available upon request.

If you have any questions concerning completion of this form, please contact the Mineral Commodities Data Unit, U.S. Geological Survey, 985 National Center, Reston, VA 20192, Telephone (703) 648-7960.

# SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

This survey is intended to account for the stocks and production of precious metals that have been refined to at least commercial grade and are in unwrought refinery forms -- bar, powder, shot, grain, etc. Limiting the survey specifically to such unwrought products ensures that a given unit of precious metal is not counted more than once as it moves from ore or scrap to refined metal. Do NOT report the upgrading of commercial-grade metal.

## 1. Stocks and production of precious metals. (Report weights in troy ounces.)

				TROY OUNCES		
Precious metal (1)	Commercial grade (2)	Code	Production primary <sup>1</sup> (3)	Production secondary <sup>2</sup> (4)	Year-end stocks <sup>3</sup> (5)	Notes (Continue on back of page, if necessary.) (6)
Gold	99.5%	101				
Silver	99.9%	102				
Platinum	99.95%	103				
Palladium	99.9%	104				
Rhodium	99.9%	105				
Iridium	99.9%	106				
Ruthenium	99.9%	107				
Osmium	99.9%	108				

From ores, concentrates, and dore of foreign and domestic origin.

From scrap, waste, sweepings, residues, etc. of foreign and domestic origin.

Stocks consist of metal in refined forms only (bar, powder, shot, grain, etc.) stored at your refinery(ies) at the end of the calendar year, regardless of ownership.

2. Precious-metals bearing	materia	ls assigned t	o this refine	ry, by type.	(troy ounces, m	netal content)			
Type	Code	Gold	Silver	Platinum	Palladium	Rhodium	Iridium	Ruthenium	Osmium
Dore and concentrates	201								
Waste and scrap	202								
3. Shipments of precious m	netals to on the ba	o consuming asis of the indu	industries in	the United S	states, by end	use. (troy ou	nces)		
End use	Code	Gold	Silver	Platinum	Palladium	Rhodium	Iridium	Ruthenium	Osmium
Banking	309								
Catalyst: Automotive	301								
Chemical	302								
Petroleum	303								
Dental and medical	308								
Electrical and electronics	305								
Glass	304								
Jewelry and decorative	306								
Photography	307								
Silverware	310								
Other (please specify)									
TOTAL	315								
Remarks:									
						No.			
Name of person to be contacted re		Tel. area code			Ext.	Ext.			
Address No. Street Cit					•	State	9	ZIP Code	
May tabulations be publishe	d which	n could indire	ctly reveal t	he data repor	ted above?	(1) Yes	(2) N	lo	

Title

Date

Signature