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GEORGIAN SSR EXCEEDS FIRST-QUARTER 1952 PLAN

The Statistics Administration Georgian SSR reports that industry in the republic fulfilled the first-quarter 1952 gross production plan 100.9 percent, including 102 percent by union industry and 100.1 percent by republic industry.

In the first quarter of 1952, gross production increased 11 percent over the first quarter of 1951, including 16 percent by union industry and 8 percent by republic industry.

In the first quarter of 1952, production of the following goods was considerably above plan: manganese ore, coal, electric power, steel, cement, slate, matches, plywood, lumber, macaroni and bakery products, and other types of industrial products.

Individual ministries and departments of the Georgian SSR fulfilled the first-quarter 1952 gross production plan as follows:

	<u>Percent</u>
Ministry of Food Industry	107
Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry	121
Ministry of Light Industry	98
Ministry of Timber Industry	99.3
Ministry of Construction Materials Industry	77
Ministry of Local Industry	93
Including:	
Republic industry	95
Rayon industry	92
Ministry of Motor Transport	99.8
Georgian Council of Industrial Cooperatives	92
All-Georgian Union of Invalids' Cooperatives	89

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The Ministry of Food Industry and Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry, while fulfilling the first-quarter 1952 gross production plan as a whole, failed to meet the plan for quantitative production of certain important types of products.

The first-quarter 1952 plan for production of most important types of industrial goods was fulfilled as follows:

	<u>Percent</u>
Commercial manganese ore	
Coal	105
Petroleum	104
Steel	103
Electric power	103
Trucks	112
Mine conveyers	109
Cable cars	100
Metal-cutting machines	100
Looms	100.3
Cement	100
Slate	104
Brick	115
Roofing tile	69
Lime	64
Matches	91
Plywood	106
Lumber	117
Hauling of industrial timber	105
Hauling of firewood	81
Paper	100.8
Cotton batting	99
Cotton yarn	99.5
Cotton fabric	95
Woolen fabric	97
Silk fabric	103
Raw silk	85
Hosiery	98
Knit underwear	103
Knit outerwear	89
Footwear	95
Hard leather goods	87
Soft leather goods	100.9
Beds	86
Construction nails	99.9
Upright pianos and grand pianos	71
Fish catch	86
Butter	13
Margarine products	89
Edible vegetable oil	93
Cheese	85
Meat	69
Sausage products	200
Confectionery products	98
Macaroni products	103
Bakery products	106
Alcohol	109
Cognac	111
Grape wine	122
Beer	97
Mineral water	106
Cigarettes	103
Soap	102
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The majority of large industrial enterprises (trusts) fulfilled the first-quarter 1952 plan for gross production, and for quantitative output of most important types of industrial goods.

At the same time, some enterprises (trusts), while fulfilling the plan for gross production, failed to meet the production plan for certain types of products. A number of other enterprises failed to fulfill the plan for gross production and for output in quantity.

The following union enterprises fulfilled the first-quarter gross production plan, but failed to meet the plan for certain types of goods: Transcaucasus Metallurgical Plant, Kutaisi Automobile Plant, "Gornyak" Machine-Building Plant, Gori Cotton Cloth Combine, Tbilisi Spinning and Knitwear Combine, "Grustrikotazh" Factory, and Machine-Building Plant imeni Beriya.

The following union enterprises did not fulfill the first-quarter 1952 plan for gross production and for quantitative output of goods:

	<u>Percent</u>
Ferroalloy plant	97
"Tsentrolit" Plant	96
Ingur Paper Combine	96
"Gruztabaksyr'ye" Trust	95
Margarine plant	93
"Gruzramor" Combine	91
Tkvarcheli GRES	90
Khram GES	90
Kaisinskiy Mine Administration	88
"Gruznefteutyazhelitel" Trust	88
Footwear Factory imeni L. P. Beriya	88
Lithopone plant	81
Locomotive repair plant	77
Akhaltsikhe Mine Administration	69
Georgian Fish Trust	23

The following republic enterprises fulfilled the first-quarter 1952 gross production plan, but failed to meet the plan for certain types of goods: "Sam-trest", Samtredia Silk-Winding Factory, cotton batting factory, Leather Plant No 1, footwear factories No 1, No 2, and No 3, Sukhumi Leather Footwear Combine, Sewing Factory No 5, Mtskheta Match Factory, Batumi Plywood Plant, Tbilisi Furniture Factory, Tsaishskiy Lime and Chalk Plant, "Shrosha" Refractories Plant, Machinery Plant imeni Kalinin, galvanizing plant, and musical instruments and furniture combine.

The following republic enterprises failed to meet the first-quarter 1952 plan for gross production and for quantitative output:

	<u>Percent</u>
"Chay-Gruziya" Trust	99.5
Akhmeta Timber Management	98
"Gruztung" Trust	98
Tbilisi Cotton-Spinning Factory	98
Kutaisi Silk Combine	96
Sewing Factory No 2	96
Tbilisi Silk-Weaving Factory	93
Sewing Factory No 1	92

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	<u>Percent</u>
Sewing Factory No 6	92
Sewing Factory No 7	92
Samtredia Brick Plant	90
Leather Plant No 2	89
Leather Plant No 3	87
Tbilisi Plywood Plant	86
Batumi Footwear Factory	85
"Gruzsyrmashprom" Trust	82
Mtsametskiy Lime Plant	77
Nosirskiy Brick and Roofing Tile Plant	70
Plant imeni "26 Komissarov"	68
Saburtalo Brick Plant	66
Gurdzhaani Brick Plant	66
Metal Structures Plant, Ministry of Local Industry	64

The spring field work is under way in the republic. As of 20 April 1952, the plan for planting sugar beets was completed 99.6 percent and the plan for planting sunflowers was exceeded. However, spring plowing and planting of other summer crops was considerably below that of spring 1951.

MTS fulfilled the plan for autumn and winter repair of tractors by the established date, 10 March 1952.

The spring cultivation of tea plants is being carried out successfully. As of 15 April 1952, kolkhozes and sovkhozes prepared 45 percent more soil for future tea plantations and set up 68 percent more new plantations than at the same time in 1951. The plan for setting up new tea plantations was completed 93 percent on 15 April 1952, and the work is still going on. The plan for redigging soil was fulfilled by 15 March 1952, ahead of schedule; however, there is some delay in applying organic and nitrogen fertilizers.

As of 15 April 1952, 50 percent more soil was prepared for citrus crops plantations than by the same time in 1951; however, fewer plantations were set up in 1952 than by the same time in 1951. In the first quarter of 1952, the redigging of the planted area was 115 percent greater than in the first quarter of 1951; however, the plan for redigging and the plan for applying organic fertilizer were not completed.

As of 15 April 1952, a much larger number of new orchards and vineyards was planted than by the same time in 1951. The plans for redigging soil and for applying organic fertilizers were considerably short of completion.

In the first quarter of 1952, the plan for retail commodity turnover, as a whole, was completed 96 percent, including 95 percent for turnover in the retail trade network and 99.5 percent for turnover in public eating enterprises.

Individual trade organizations fulfilled the plan as follows: Ministry of Trade USSR -- 102 percent; Ministry of Trade Georgian SSR -- 98 percent, and Tsekavshiri (cooperatives) -- 88 percent.

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