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1. The following information was excerpted from statistics on steam locomotives of the Ministry of Traffic in April 1955:
 - a. Hauls by locomotives:
21,038 km travelled
11,141 million ton/km hauled.¹
 - b. Coal consumption by locomotives:
Hard coal 124,789 tons
Brown coal dust 13,801 tons
Brown coal briquettes 405,088 tons
~~Raw brown coal~~ 89,957 tons
~~Coal slurry~~ 924 tons

Total in briquette units (BU) 642,981 tons.²

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2. Target figures for hauls by locomotives in 1955 obtained at the Ministry of Traffic. The tabulation also includes the fulfillment figures for January through April 1955. The figures express million ton/km hauled. The expression Grenzaenderung (change of boundaries) refers to the change of RBD-boundaries which was effective on 1 January 1955.³ The figures of actual hauls between January and April fluctuate only slightly from data on locomotive hauls during that period reported previously.⁴

- 50X1 1. [] Comment. Compared to March 1955, total hauls in April decreased slightly. []
- 50X1 2. [] Comment. In accordance with decreased hauls, also the total coal consumption decreased. [] The consumption of hard coal increased while the consumption of brown coal briquettes decreased. For the calculation of total coal stocks in briquette units, the individual types of coal are multiplied with the following factors: 50X1
Hard coal 1.; raw brown coal 0.4; all other types 1.0.

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