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Shipments of asbestos from Canadian mines during April, 1948 totalled 61,590 tons compared with 62,524 tons in the previous month and with 60,517 tons in April, 1947.

Exports of asbestos during April, 1948 totalled 59,478 tons compared with 57,463 tons in the previous month and with 61,228 tons in April, 1947.

Producers' Shipments of Asbestos for April and Year to Date, 1947 and 1948.

Grade	Shipments (including any for own use)			
	April		Four Months Ended April	
	1947	1948	1947	1948
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
Crude	75	54	317	282
Spinning stocks	2,134	2,510	8,006	9,107
Shingle stocks	9,721	10,377	33,559	36,283
Paper stocks	6,880	7,396	27,521	24,833
Waste, stucco or plaster	11,802	11,712	40,132	37,641
Refuse or shorts	29,905	29,541	94,404	112,728
Total	60,517	61,590	203,939	220,874

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	April		Four Months Ended April	
	1947	1948	1947	1948
	(Tons of 2,000 pounds)			
Crude	50	82	299	325
Milled fibres	20,502	19,214	67,819	67,772
Waste, refuse, shorts	40,676	40,182	124,668	141,212
Total	61,228	59,478	192,786	209,309

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