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Shipments of asbestos from Canadian mines during November, 1950 totalled 89,678 tons compared with 96,610 tons in the previous month and with 77,354 tons in November, 1949.

Producers' Shipments of Asbestos for November and Year to Date, 1949 and 1950

Grade	Shipments (including any for own use)			
	November		Year to date	
	1949	1950	1949	1950
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)				
Quebec -				
Crude	63	92	563	810
Spinning stocks	4,336	4,090	20,273	31,135
Shingle stocks	16,082	15,833	95,212	142,666
Paper stocks	8,628	10,852	58,527	98,210
Waste, stucco or plaster	14,581	17,696	92,767	160,964
Refuse or shorts	31,729	35,421	236,126	330,630
Sand	1,935	3,590	8,997	26,194
Total	77,354	87,574	512,465	790,609
CANADA	77,354	89,678	512,465	799,183

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	November		Year to date	
	1949	1950	1949	1950
(Tons of 2,000 pounds)				
Crude	25	(*)	543	(*)
Milled fibres	19,923	(*)	156,276	(*)
Waste, refuse, shorts	43,766	(*)	314,113	(*)
Total	63,714	(*)	470,932	(*)

(*) Exports for November not yet available.

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