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TABLE 1. Producers' Shipments(1) of Asbestos

Con Depart	October		Ten months ended October	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
		tons of 2	2,000 pounds	
Quebec plants				
Crude - No. 1, No. 2, Other	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
Milled - Group 3 (Spinning)	2,763	2,328	21,302	20,093
" 4 (Shingle)	25,120	26,460	295,919	249,870
" 5 (Paper)	19,566	17,128	142,784	142,833
" 6 (Stucco)	18,324	21,091	178,857	184,859
" 7 (Refuse)	44, 205	46,942	422,033	395,992
" 8 (Sand)	763	534	7,314	6,623
Total all grades	110,741	114, 483	1,068,209	1,000,270
Newfoundland, Ontario and British				
Columbia plants	10,597	18,803	118,203	129,856
Canada totals	121,338	133,286	1,186,412	1,130,126

Note: All primary producers are canvassed for this survey.

(1) Includes tonnage for own use. (2) Included with group 3.

TABLE 2. Exports of Asbestos

	July 1967	Seven months ended July 1967	
	tons of 2,000 pounds		
Crude	4	101	
Milled fibres - Group 3	1,969	22,531	
4, 5	51,025	322,601	
" 6, 7, 8, 9	58,054	360,824	
Totals	111,052	706,057	

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