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GYPSUM PRODUCTION IN CANADA, SEPTEMBER, 1934.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa reports that gypsum production in Canada during September amounted to 43,988 tons. During August, 58,889 tons were produced and in September, 1933, the output was 34,458 tons. Production during the nine months ending September totalled 325,059 tons or 27.7 per cent above the tonnage produced in the corresponding months of 1933.

Canada exported 34,094 tons of crude gypsum as compared with 47,336 tons in the previous month. Experts of plaster of Paris declined to 38 tons from the August total of 90 tons.

Ground gypsum imports into Canada amounted to 3 tons worth \$103; in August 23 tons at \$671 were imported. Receipts of calcined gypsum in September were recorded at 23 tons with a valuation of \$598 as against 101 tons valued at \$2,181 imported in August.

PRODUCTION OF GYPSUM IN CANADA

Month	1934(a)	1933	1932	1931	1930	1929
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
January	3,303	2,427 2,104	6,395 6,076	10,159	10,957	30,745 31,155
March	4,888 25,483	3,591 3,701	5,827 15,344	11,317	15,132 50,464	41,515
April	53,353	31,914 48,504	32,022 70,719	97,493 128,529	109,173	108,574
July	64,737 58,889	60,248	80,273 69,734	133,349	144,720	175,668 149,617
August	43,988	34,458 28,437	52,398 52,533	115,050 82,487	95,234 101,874	161,583 141,666
November		68,634	27,657 19,651	51,414	78,424 82,415	91,110
December		20,000	15,001	01,111	05,410	50,070
TOTAL - Calendar Year	3	380,234	438,629	863,752	1,070,968	1,211,689
TOTAL -, Nine Months ending SEPTEMBER	325,059	254,630	338 ,78 8	675,440	808, 255	940,043

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