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GYPSUM PRODUCTION IN CANADA - SEPTEMBER, 1935.

The Canadian production of gypsum in September was recorded at 48,058 tons as compared with 81,228 tons in the preceding month and 44,419 tons in September, 1934, according to a report just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. Production during the nine months ending September totalled 392,367 tons or an increase of 19.6 per cent over the tonnage produced in the corresponding months of 1934.

Customs' records show that Canada exported 63,394 tons of crude gypsum in September; during August 71,207 tons were exported. Exports of plaster of Paris in September declined to 43 tons from the August total of 114 tons.

Twenty-one tons of ground gypsum valued at \$379 were imported into Canada in September as against 47 tons at \$1,948 imported in August. Plaster of Paris importations in September amounted to 69 tons worth \$1,371; in the previous month 467 tons with a value of \$6,749 were imported.

PRODUCTION OF GYPSUM IN CANADA

Month	1935 (a)	1934	1933
	Tons	Tons	Tons
January	3,500	3,232	2,427
February	3,289	3,147	2,104
March	4,453	4,677	3,591
April	26,518	25,508	3,701
May	58,312	53,956	31,914
June	75,525	67,995	48,504
July	91,484	65,567	60,248
August	81,228	59,517	67,683
September	48,058	44,419	34,458
October		37,890	28,437
November		67,411	68,634
December		27,918	31,035
TOTAL - Calendar Year		461,237	382,736
TOTAL - Nine months ending SEPTEMBER	392,367	328,018	254,630

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