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MONTHLY REPORT

GYPSUM PRODUCTION IN CANADA - AFRIL, 1937.

Gypsum production in Canada during April advanced to 65,708 tons from the preceding month's total of 23,352 tons and the April, 1936, output of 40,007 tons, according to a statement just issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa. During the first four months of 1937 Canada produced 102,360 tons of gypsum; in the corresponding period of the preceding year, 53,100 tons were produced.

Exports of plaster of Paris from Canada in April wave recorded at 37 tons worth \$818; in March, 161 tons at \$3,587 were exported.

Imports of ground gypsum into Canada amounted to 8 tons appraised at \$174 as against 2 tons at \$175 imported in March. Plaster of Paris receipts during the month declined to 61 tons worth \$2,765 from the March total of 96 tons at \$2,108.

PRODUCTION OF GYPSUM IN CANADA

Month	1937(a)	1936(a)	1935
	Tons	Tons	Tons
January	8,473	4,887	3,508
February	4,827	2,877	3,297
March	23,352	5,329	4,464
April		40,007	26,582
May		76,634	58,452
Tune		136,537	75,707
Tuly		132,461	91,704
ugust		81,896	81,424
September		87,510	48,174
October		157,490	59,400
November		75,661	67,885
December		59,303	21,267
TOTAL - Calendar Year		860,592	541,864
TOTAL - FOUR MONTHS ending APRIL	102,360	53,100	37,851

⁽a) Subject to revision.



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