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SPECIFIED CHEMICALS

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TABLE 1. Production of Specified Chemicals

	April		
	1966	1967	
Acetylene, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	20,211	19,399
Acid - Hydrochloric (muriatic), as 100%	lb.	7,249,348	6,936,169
Sulphuric, all grades including oleum, (as 100%)	ton	206,617	244,843
Ammonia, anhydrous, 100%	"	76,171	85,097
Ammonium nitrate (all grades)	"	55,638	52,021
Ammonium sulphate	"	27,941	28,044
Benzol (benzene)	bbl.	133,456 ^x	129,988
Chlorine	ton	53,478	54,853
Ethylene	lb.	42,615,660	44,704,463
Fertilizers, mixed	ton	139,804	154,250
Formaldehyde, 100% solids basis	lb.	8,749,114	9,582,942
Oxygen, gas and liquid, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	186,575	135,679
Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda) (as 100% NaOH)	ton	63,006 ^x	77,531
<u>Synthetic resins (actually made as such) (1)</u>			
Polyethylene type	lb.	17,252,518 ^x	18,227,083
Polystyrene type	"	8,132,433 ^x	7,623,086
Vinyl chloride type	"	6,512,664	7,954,197
Urea, all grades	ton	21,578	25,190

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TABLE 2. Production of Specified Chemicals

	Four months ended April		
	1966	1967(2)	
Acetylene, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	83,342	81,987
Acid - Hydrochloric (muriatic), as 100%	lb.	27,049,445	31,235,557
Sulphuric, all grades including oleum, (as 100%)	ton	849,094	923,658
Ammonia, anhydrous, 100%	"	290,806	344,864
Ammonium nitrate (all grades)	"	210,259	231,482
Ammonium sulphate	"	100,362	100,633
Benzol (benzene)	bb1.	524,809 ^r	500,003
Chlorine	ton	219,539	217,526
Ethylene	lb.	197,941,706	198,928,602
Fertilizers, mixed	ton	492,099	524,947
Formaldehyde, 100% solids basis	lb.	37,141,996	38,659,833
Oxygen, gas and liquid, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	723,630	574,088
Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda) (as 100% NaOH)	ton	253,344 ^r	277,296
<u>Synthetic resins (actually made as such)(1)</u>			
Polyethylene type	lb.	65,135,257 ^r	70,704,064
Polystyrene type	"	33,372,271 ^r	29,288,489
Vinyl chloride type	"	26,012,819	31,296,621
Urea, all grades	ton	69,060	86,172

Notes: 1. Data carried in this report reflect the experience of respondent firms listed on the January report. However, please note the following changes for the month under review:

NIL

2. In the case of the commodity contained herein it is assumed that coverage is approximately 100 per cent.

(1) Factory shipments rather than production for these items. Figures include gross weight of forms derived from raw resin, as well as resin sold as such, reported by primary resin producers.

(2) Includes revisions for the month of March.

^r Revised figures.