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SPECIFIED CHEMICALS

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TABLE 1. Production of Specified Chemicals

Item	September		
	1960	1961	
Acetylene, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	15,477	15,001
Acid-Hydrochloric (muriatic), as 100% ...	lb.	3,653,927	4,433,950
Sulphuric, all grades including oleum, (as 100%)	ton	129,273 ^F	133,502
Ammonia, anhydrous, 100%	"	38,921	45,241
Ammonium sulphate	"	27,156	24,904
Chlorine	"	25,519	28,366
Fertilizers, mixed	"	63,683	67,642
Formaldehyde, 100% solid basis	lb.	5,454,682	5,854,724
Polystyrene(1)	"	3,906,873	2,936,955
Oxygen - in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	136,506	143,012
Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda) (as 100% NaOH)	ton	29,827	35,196

(1) Factory shipments rather than production for this item.

^F Revised figures.

Note: Separate monthly reports are published on Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers and Soaps and Synthetic Detergents.

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TABLE 2. Production of Specified Chemicals

Item	Nine months ended September		
	1960	1961	
Acetylene, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	138,143	135,147
Acid - Hydrochloric (muriatic), as 100% ..	lb.	35,396,021	27,731,492
Sulphuric, all grades including oleum, (as 100%)	ton	1,271,772	1,212,187
Ammonia, anhydrous, 100%	"	344,020	372,961
Ammonium sulphate	"	237,413	229,088
Chlorine	"	234,610	251,982
Fertilizers, mixed	"	597,353	637,182
Formaldehyde, 100% solid basis	lb.	44,457,596	50,784,421
Polystyrene(1)	"	42,984,732	39,727,500
Oxygen - in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	1,302,083	1,450,416
Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda) (as 100% NaOH)	ton	274,837	305,481

(1) Factory shipments rather than production for this item.