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SPECIFIED CHEMICALS

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TABLE 1. Production of Specified Chemicals

	April		
		1962	1963
Acetylene, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	15,604	17,169
Acid - Hydrochloric (muriatic), as 100% Sulphuric, all grades including	1b.	3,831,930	4,712,155
oleum, (as 100%)	ton	143,323	161,160
Ammonia, anhydrous, 100%	n	50,982	56,751
Ammonium nitrate	11	28,581	36,980
Ammonium sulphate	II .	27,431	25,966
Chlorine	n	30,938	34,189
Fertilizers, mixed	11	98,801	103,918
Formaldehyde, 100% solids basis	1b.	6,311,243	5,768,082
Oxygen, gas and liquid, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	138,818	161,484
Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda) (as 100% NaOH)	ton	36,247	39,676
Synthetic resins (actually made as such)(1): Polyethylene type Polystyrene type(2)	1b.	10,191,794 3,654,768 4,692,681	13,513,642 7,922,017 5,222,460

(1) Factory shipments rather than production for these items.

(2) Starting with March 1963, includes equivalent forms such as foamable pellets etc. reported by primary producers.

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TABLE 2. Production of Specified Chemicals

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		1962	1963	
Acetylene, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline		64,109	68,054	
Acid - Hydrochloric (muriatic), as 100%	1b.	15,552,675	15,641,045	
Sulphuric, all grades including oleum, (as 100%)	ton	563,308	629,300	
Ammonia, anhydrous, 100%	11	198,055	221,055	
Ammonium nitrate	U-	120,635	171,496	
Ammonium sulphate	11	98,824	91,842	
Chlorine	11	122,280	133,576	
Fertilizers, mixed	11	385,724	353,960	
Formaldehyde, 100% solids basis	1b.	26,160,098	25,772,335	
Oxygen, gas and liquid, in cylinders or for delivery by pipeline	M cu. ft.	575,307	646,841	
Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda) (as 100% NaOH)	ton	141,027	154,714	
Synthetic resins (actually made as such)(1):				
Polyethylene type	1b.	44,488,316	48,158,316	
Polystyrene type(2)	11	13,819,814	23,723,496	
Vinyl chloride type	11	18,132,344	14,965,826	

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