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### **Mineral wool including fibrous glass insulation**

December 2000

Manufacturers shipped 2 215 863 square metres of R12 factor (RSI 2.1) mineral wool batts in December, down 32.4% from 3 277 928 square metres in November and down 4.4% from 2 317 053 square metres in December 1999.

Year-to-date shipments to the end of December totalled 29 836 557 square metres, an 8.6% decrease from the same period in 1999.

**Available on CANSIM: matrices 40 and 122 (series 32 and 33).**

The December 2000 issue of *Mineral wool including fibrous glass insulation* (44-004-XIB, \$5/\$47) is now available. See *How to order products*.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Yasmin Sheikh (613-951-2518; [sheiyas@statcan.ca](mailto:sheiyas@statcan.ca)), Manufacturing, Construction and Energy Division. ■

### **Financial performance indicators for Canadian business 1999**

Data on the financial performance and balance sheets of Canadian businesses are now available. An analytical document will be released at the end of January.

For more information, or to enquire about the concepts, methods or data quality of this release, contact Jeannine D'Angelo (613-951-2604), Industrial Organization and Finance Division. ■

## NEW PRODUCTS

**Mineral wool including fibrous glass insulation,**  
December 2000  
Catalogue number **44-004-XIB** (\$5/\$47).

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Catalogue number **57-601-XDE** (\$284).

**Energy statistics handbook,** December 2000  
Catalogue number **57-601-UPB** (\$387).

**Wholesale trade,** November 2000  
Catalogue number **63-008-XIB** (\$14/\$140).

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- **Productivity, hourly compensation and unit labour cost, 1996** 4  
Growth in productivity among Canadian businesses was relatively weak again in 1996, accompanied by sluggish gains in employment and slow economic growth during the year.

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