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## NAILS, TACKS AND STAPLES

MAY, 1946.

Production in Canada of iron and steel nails and staples, and of tacks of all kinds was as follows during the month of May, 1946; wire nails 6,730 tons; cut nails 77 tons; wire staples 224 tons, and tacks 234 tons.

Table 1 - PRODUCTION IN CANADA IRON AND STEEL NAILS, STAPLES AND TACKS, MAY, 1946, and

FIVE MONTHS ended MAY, 1946. Total Tonnage tonnage made shipped (tons of 2,000 pounds) MAY 1946 -Wire nails, iron and steel ...... 6,730 8,406 Cut nails, iron and steel ...... 77 84 273 Wire staples, steel ...... 224 Tacks of steel, brass and copper ...... 234 222 FIVE MONTHS ended MAY, 1946 -30,545 30,280 Wire nails, iron and steel ...... 410 Cut nails, iron and steel ...... 421 Wire staples, steel ...... 889 956 Tacks of steel, brass and copper ..... 1,073 866

Table 2 - IMPORTS INTO CANADA AND EXPORTS OF NAILS, STAPLES AND TACKS, MAY, 1946 and FIVE MONTHS ended MAY, 1946.

	May, 1946		Five Months ended May, 1946.	
	Pounds	\$	Pounds	\$
(a) Imports				
Cut nails	100 713 14,900 2,257	15 466 2,016 1,743	8,300 3,908 120,500 44,121	782 2,167 11,160 10,632
(b) Exports	cost		cust	
Wire nails	4,608 1,098 1,745	23,577 17,888 9,870	13,755 5,212 5,494	69,579 84,416 48,977



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