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Production in Canada of iron and steel nails and staples, and of tacks of all kinds, was as follows during November, 1947: wire nails, 6,682 tons; cut nails, 83 tons; wire staples, 168 tons; and tacks, 240 tons.

NOVELBER, 1947

Table 1 - Production in Canada of Iron and Steel Nails, Staples and Tacks, November 1946 and 1947, and Eleven Months Ended November 1946 and 1947

	1946		1947	
	Tonnage	Tonnage	Tonnage	Tonnage
	made	shipped	made	shipped
		(Tons of 2	,000 pounds)	
November				
Wire nails, iron and steel	6,002	5,259	6,682	6,499
Cut nails, iron and steel	92	101	83	85
Wire staples, steel	193	152	168	110
Tacks of steel, brass and copper	199	209	240	198
Eleven Months Ended November				
Wire hails, iron and steel	53,144	54,878	70,784	71,606
Cut nails, iron and steel	886	889	860	832
Wire staples, steel	1,618	1,672	1,955	1,920
Tacks of steel, brass and copper	2,125	2,198	2,187	2,028

Table 2 - Imports into Canada and Exports of Nails, Staples and Tacks, November 1947 and Eleven Months Ended November, 1947

	November, 1947		Eleven Months Ended November 1947	
	Pounds	\$	Pounds	\$
Imports				
Cut nails	23,800	1,927	304,300	27,151
Tacks of all kinds	1,359	681	9,386	3,700
Wire nails ever 1" and wire				
roofing nails of all sizes	569,800	54,139	7,623,200	670,292
Nails and brads, other	13,859	2,888	229,523	38,678
Exports	5 000	100	CT 000	3 000
Wire nails	5,200	408	63,900	3,808
Tacks	227,500	50,461	1,679,800	369,778
Nails and brads, other	19,400	2,045	446,400	40,902

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