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WIRE FENCINGHistorical File CopyMAY - 1948

Production in Canada of steel wire fencing totalled 2,340 tons during May, 1948 and included 2,063 tons of farm fencing, 154 tons of lawn fencing and 123 tons of chain link fabric.

Table 1 - Production of Wire Fencing in Canada, May, 1947 and 1948, and Five Months Ended May, 1947 and 1948

	1947		1948	
	Tonnage made	Tonnage shipped	Tonnage made	Tonnage shipped
<u>MAY</u>				
Woven wire farm fencing .....	2,158	2,572	2,063	2,421
Woven wire lawn fencing .....	...	...	154	184
Woven wire chain link fabric (including tonnage used in industrial fencing)...	209	241	123	142
<u>Five Months Ended May</u>				
Woven wire farm fencing .....	11,069	11,416	10,502	12,172
Woven wire lawn fencing .....	...	...	623	588
Woven wire chain link fabric (including tonnage used in industrial fencing) ..	874	878	391	456

Table 2 - Imports into Canada and Exports of Wire Fencing, May, 1948 and Five Months Ended May, 1948

	May, 1948		Five Months Ended May, 1948	
	Pounds	\$	Pounds	\$
<u>Imports</u>				
Barbed wire fencing .....	13,400	527	58,000	3,280
Woven or welded wire fencing, from wire not more than .144 inch and not less than .080 inch in diameter .....	...	6,769	...	25,012
Woven or welded wire fencing, coated or not, n.o.p. ....	...	6,783	...	73,939
<u>Exports</u>				
Woven wire fencing .....	...	279	...	1,964

Note: "n.o.p." means "not otherwise provided for" in the statistical classification.

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