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CEMENT

Canadian manufacturers of Portland cement shipped or used 237,488 tons of cement in December, 1960, compared with 482,430 tons in the previous month. In 1959 the December shipments amounted to 284,720 tons. Actual production for December, 1960, was 368,540 tons compared with 338,606 tons in the corresponding month of 1959.

Production, Shipments and Stocks of Portland Cement

	December		Year to date	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
	short tons			
Stocks at plants and warehouses at beginning of period	543,649	569,862	609,217	597,535
Production	338,606	368,540	6,273,399	5,884,983
Shipments to customers and used at plants	284,720	237,488	6,285,389	5,786,509
Stocks at plants and warehouses at end of period	597,535	700,914	597,535	700,914

Exports and Imports of Cement

	Month		Year to date	
	1959	1960	1959	1960
	short tons			
Exports, December	20,757	15,624	303,125	181,117
Imports, December	2,143	..	29,256	..
November	3,081	..	27,113	..
October	2,371	1,199	24,032	15,859

.. Not available.

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