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Canadian manufacturers of Portland cement shipped or used 669,851 tons of cement in July, 1960, compared with 682,148 tons in the previous month. In 1959 the July shipments amounted to 829,108 tons. Actual production for July, 1960, was 627,523 tons compared with 743,083 tons in the corresponding month of 1959.

Production, Shipments and Stocks of Portland Cement

	<u>July</u>		<u>Year to date</u>	
	<u>1959</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>1959</u>	<u>1960</u>
	(Short Tons)			
Stocks at plants and warehouses at beginning of period .....	690,111	740,854	609,217	597,535
Production .....	743,083	627,523	3,393,802	2,966,827
Shipments to customers and used at plants .....	829,108	669,851	3,397,191	2,865,836
Stocks at plants and warehouses at end of period .....	604,086	698,526	604,086	698,526

Exports and Imports of Cement

	<u>Month</u>		<u>Year to date</u>	
	<u>1959</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>1959</u>	<u>1960</u>
	(Short Tons)			
Exports, July .....	68,828	36,863	147,949	104,357
Imports, July .....	1,952	(..)	15,368	(..)
June .....	2,790	(..)	13,416	(..)
May .....	3,339	3,328	10,626	6,588

(..) Not available.

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