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C E M E N T

Canadian manufacturers of Portland cement shipped or used 196,823 tons of cement in January, 1962, compared with 294,629 tons in the previous month. In 1961 the January shipments amounted to 188,078 tons. Actual production for January, 1962, was 283,594 tons compared with 255,614 tons in the corresponding month of 1961.

Production, Shipments and Stocks of Portland Cement

	<u>January</u>		<u>Year to date</u>	
	1961	1962	1961	1962
	short tons			
Stocks at plants and warehouses at beginning of period	700,914	615,051	700,914	615,051
Production	255,614	283,594	255,614	283,594
Shipments to customers and used at plants	188,078	196,823	188,078	196,823
Stocks at plants and warehouses at end of period	768,450	701,822	768,450	701,822

Exports and Imports of Cement

	<u>Months</u>		<u>Year to date</u>	
	1960	1961	1960	1961
	short tons			
Exports, December	15,624	..	181,117	..
November	2,628	25,026	165,493	209,128
October	32,494	28,134	162,865	184,101
January, 1962 not available				
Imports, December	2,847	..	22,478	..
November	3,772	..	19,631	..
October	1,199	46	15,859	1,438
January, 1962 not available				

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