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CEMENT

MAY, 1947



Shipments to customers by Canadian manufacturers of Portland cement totalled 1,290,762 barrels in May, 1947 compared with 1,060,400 barrels in April. In 1946, the May shipments amounted to 1,532,854 barrels as against 1,002,065 barrels in the previous month. Actual production for May, 1947 was 950,086 barrels.

Production, Shipments and Stocks of Portland Cement May, and Year to Date, 1946 and 1947

	May		Five Months Ended May	
	1946	1947	1946	1947
	(Barrels)			
Stocks at plants and warehouses at beginning of period	2,111,016	1,162,696	1,359,482	466,792
Production	857,189	950,086	3,798,836	4,345,396
Shipments to customers	1,532,854	1,290,762	3,722,009	3,981,367
Used at plants	3,121	3,133	4,079	11,934
Stocks at plants and warehouses at end of period	1,432,230	818,887	1,432,230	818,887
Exports	28,420	14,345	54,653	29,839
Imports (*)	14,897	52,146	46,959	189,901

<sup>(\*)</sup> Exclusive of clinker.



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