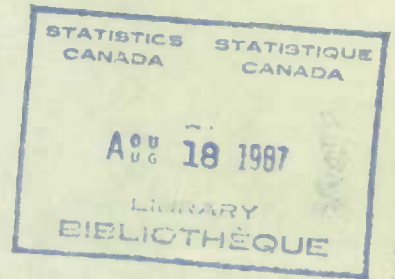


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Monthly Report

CEMENT

JANUARY, 1949

Shipments to customers by Canadian Manufacturers of Portland Cement totalled 621,044 barrels in January, 1949 compared with 741,662 barrels in December, 1948. In 1948 the January shipments amounted to 499,798 barrels as against 632,349 barrels in the previous month. Actual production for January, 1949 was 1,121,659 barrels compared with 1,007,750 barrels in the corresponding month of 1948.

Production, Shipments and Stocks of Portland Cement
January, 1948 and 1949, and Years 1947 and 1948

	January		Year Ended December	
	1948	1949	1947	1948
	(Barrels)			
Stocks at plants and warehouses at beginning of period	731,194	(x) 600,368	466,792	731,194
Production	1,007,750	1,121,659	12,219,363	14,007,449
Shipments to customers	499,798	621,044	11,930,318	14,098,632
Used at plants	694	1,577	24,643	33,582
Stocks at plants and warehouses at end of period	1,238,452	1,099,406	731,194	599,737
Exports	7,059	640	88,030	72,999
Imports	2,104	(x)	1,248,625	1,120,671

(x) Stock adjustment
(x) Not yet available



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