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CEMENT

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TABLE 1. Production, Shipments(1) and Stocks(2) of Portland and Masonry Cement

| | Portland cement | | Masonry and other cement | | Total cement | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|--------------------------|---------|--------------|-----------|
| | 1967 | 1968 | 1967 | 1968 | 1967 | 1968 |
| tons of 2,000 pounds | | | | | | |
| <u>June</u> | | | | | | |
| Stocks at beginning of period | 997,423 | 851,036 | 42,343 | 37,565 | 1,039,766 | 888,601 |
| Production | 826,405 | 838,749 | 29,768 | 31,956 | 856,173 | 870,705 |
| Shipments | 848,037 | 817,528 | 29,645 | 29,809 | 877,682 | 847,337 |
| Stocks at end of period | 974,007 | 869,102 | 42,455 | 39,712 | 1,016,462 | 908,814 |
| <u>Six months ended June</u> | | | | | | |
| Production | 3,309,627 | 3,218,097 | 126,875 | 128,413 | 3,436,502 | 3,346,510 |
| Shipments | 3,180,382 | 3,314,030 | 113,262 | 123,655 | 3,293,644 | 3,437,685 |

Notes: 1. Data contained in this report reflect the experience of the respondent firms listed in the January report. However, please note the following changes for the month under review:

NIL

2. In the case of the data contained herein it is assumed that coverage is approximately 100%.

3. May not necessarily balance due to physical inventory adjustments.

(1) To customers and used at plants.

(2) At plants and warehouses.

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TABLE 2. Exports and Imports of Cement

| | Exports | | Imports | |
|------------|---------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| | May | Five months ended May | May | Five months ended May |
| | | | tons of 2,000 pounds | |
| 1967 | 27,847 | 66,556 | 5,310 | 12,816 |
| 1968 | 31,010 | 73,525 | 4,094 | 12,173 |

Source: "Exports by Commodities," D.B.S. Catalogue No. 65-004.
"Imports by Commodities," D.B.S. Catalogue No. 65-007.