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Shipments to customers by Canadian manufacturers of Portland cement totalled 1,277,226 barrels in November, 1951, compared with 1,649,355 barrels in the previous month. In 1950, the November shipments amounted to 1,433,793 barrels as against 1,556,601 barrels in the previous month. Actual production for November, 1951, was 1,440,618 barrels, compared with 1,412,661 barrels in the corresponding month of 1950.

Table 1 - Production, Shipments and Stocks of Portland Cement

	N o v e m b e r		Year to date	
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	(barrels)			
Stocks at plants and warehouses at beginning of period	204,890	230,767	812,408	744,422
Production	1,412,661	1,440,618	15,319,995	15,854,836
Shipments to customers	1,433,793	1,277,226	15,939,785	16,081,890
Used at plants	1,561	10,822	10,421	83,179
Stocks at plants and warehouses at end of period	182,197	383,337	182,197	383,337
Exports, November	646	935	23,865	2,500
Imports, November	186,117	(*)	1,295,326	(*)
October	260,128	169,649	1,109,209	2,160,230

(*) Not available.

The November output of concrete building materials included the following items: brick, 2,165,525 pieces; gravel blocks, 3,779,957 pieces; cinder blocks, 668,598 pieces; other aggregates, 259,409 pieces; chimney blocks, 69,989 pieces; and pipe, 19,114 tons. These figures represent production by 119 of the principal manufacturers, which normally account for 85 per cent of the total Canadian output of concrete products.



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Table 2 - Production and Factory Shipments of Specified Concrete Products

	1950		1951	
	Quantity made during period	Quantity shipped during period	Quantity made during period	Quantity shipped during period
<u>November</u>				
Concrete brick No.	5,243,990	4,912,819	2,165,525	2,027,872
Concrete blocks (except chimney blocks) -				
Cinder No.	995,176	930,730	668,598	526,159
Gravel No.)			3,779,957	3,317,239
Other aggregates, (Haydite, slag, etc.) No.)	4,719,367	4,494,743	259,409	266,513
Concrete chimney blocks No.	82,367	65,880	69,989	52,867
Cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water pipe and culvert tile. Ton	10,701	13,271	19,114	20,168
<u>Eleven Months Ended November</u>				
Concrete brick No.	43,562,013	43,958,026	40,239,588	39,470,809
Concrete blocks (except chimney blocks) -				
Cinder No.	11,832,953	10,630,080	10,879,494	10,179,415
Gravel No.)			48,890,443	47,893,523
Other aggregates, (Haydite, slag, etc.) No.)	46,144,398	46,545,706	2,663,518	2,284,596
Concrete chimney blocks No.	477,460	493,483	634,065	634,296
Cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water pipe and culvert tile. Ton	122,653	125,976	221,305	205,815