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MINERAL WOOL

October, 1959

Table 1 - Production and Factory Shipments of Mineral Wool*

			Quantity made during period	Quantity shipped during period		
				Eastern area	Western area	TOTAL
<u>October, 1959</u>						
Four-inch batts.....	sq. ft.	738,542	555,338	167,375	722,713	
Three-inch batts.....	sq. ft.	9,427,171	7,824,058	1,121,114	8,945,172	
Two-inch batts.....	sq. ft.	20,781,702	12,570,786	8,083,399	20,654,185	
Granulated wool.....	cu. ft.	1,119,416	1,092,874	131,104	1,223,978	
Bulk or loose wool...	cu. ft.	105,888	104,949	6,925	111,874	
<u>Ten months ended October, 1959</u>						
Four-inch batts.....	sq. ft.	6,180,912	4,123,630	2,038,086	6,161,716	
Three-inch batts.....	sq. ft.	66,005,384	57,480,148	8,795,783	66,275,931	
Two-inch batts.....	sq. ft.	170,287,436	90,124,731	68,437,842	158,562,573	
Granulated wool.....	cu. ft.	8,327,208	6,832,507	1,020,394	7,852,901	
Bulk or loose wool...	cu. ft.	728,017	638,594	60,231	698,825	

* Mineral wool for building insulation only; does not include other forms, such as pipe covering, refrigerator car insulation, stove refrigerator and other appliance insulation, etc.

Note: 1. Eastern area is the region east of the Manitoba-Ontario border.
2. Western area is the region west of the Manitoba-Ontario border.

Table 2 - Imports of Glass Wool and Mineral Wool

July, 1959*			Seven months ended July, 1959	
	Pounds	\$	Pounds	\$
Glass wool	286,101	147,365	2,333,630	888,812
Mineral wool	322,410	59,744	1,756,663	239,835

* Latest available.

Note: Some six inch batts included with four inch batts.

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