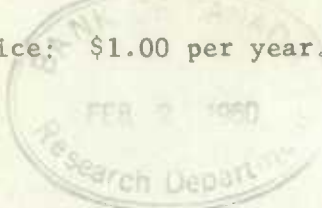




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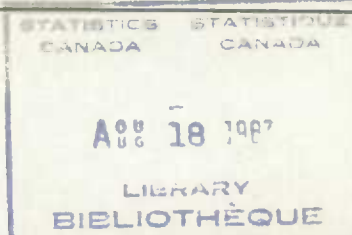


Table 1 - Production and Factory Shipments of Mineral Wool\*

		Quantity made during period	Quantity shipped during period		
			Eastern area	Western area	TOTAL
<u>December, 1959</u>					
Four-inch batts .....	sq. ft.	552,803	495,260	75,420	570,680
Three-inch batts .....	sq. ft.	6,418,328	5,262,453	619,707	5,882,160
Two-inch batts .....	sq. ft.	14,552,699	8,087,990	5,436,505	13,524,495
Granulated wool .....	cu. ft.	966,819	774,524	108,931	883,455
Bulk or loose wool ...	cu. ft.	78,325	93,500	2,462	95,962

Twelve months ended December, 1959

Four-inch batts .....	sq. ft.	7,435,312	5,112,220	2,276,427	7,388,647
Three-inch batts .....	sq. ft.	79,812,784	69,498,578	10,423,838	79,922,416
Two-inch batts .....	sq. ft.	201,370,973	107,843,511	80,974,459	188,817,970
Granulated wool .....	cu. ft.	10,368,126	8,566,719	1,252,745	9,819,464
Bulk or loose wool ...	cu. ft.	922,017	835,686	69,603	905,289

\* 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

	September, 1959*		Nine months ended September, 1959	
	Pounds	\$	Pounds	\$
Glass wool .....	252,862	105,636	3,009,609	1,105,531
Mineral wool .....	561,868	97,243	2,632,767	375,884

\* Latest available.

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

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