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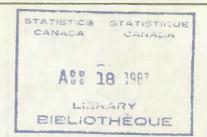


Table 1 - Production and Factory Shipments of Mineral Wool*

	Quantity made during period	Quantity	shipped during	period
		Eastern area	Western area	TOTAL
February, 1959				
Four-inch batts sq. ft. Three-inch batts sq. ft. Two-inch batts sq. ft. Granulated wool cu. ft. Bulk or loose wool cu. ft.	503,943 6,305,529 16,458,075 844,428 85,464	373,058 5,721,266 7,671,128 678,191 70,173	257,810 858,456 6,776,711 109,653 10,234	630,868 6,579,722 14,447,839 787,844 80,407
Two months ended February, 1959				
Four-inch batts sq. ft. Three-inch batts sq. ft. Two-inch batts sq. ft. Granulated wool cu. ft. Bulk or loose wool cu. ft.	813,387 10,628,724 26,862,229 1,678,860 152,599	583,679 9,451,224 13,379,978 1,344,631 136,106	350,315 1,216,173 11,015,197 164,344 15,541	933,994 10,667,397 24,395,175 1,508,975 151,647

^{*}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

	December,	1958*	Twelve months ended December, 1958	
	Pounds	\$	Pounds	\$
Glass wool	323,204	101,662	1,930,696	876,882
Mineral wool	239,821	31,049	2,943,930	318,261

^{*} Latest available.

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