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MINERAL WOOL
May, 1960

Table 1 Production and Factory Shipments of Mineral Wool*
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Five months ended May, 1960

| Four-inch batts..........sq. ft . | 2,331,075 | 1,519,463 | 892,411 | 2,411,874 |
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| Ttiree-inch batts..........sq. ft. | 20,754,430 | 15,943,105 | 3,611,317 | 19,554,422 |
| Two-inch batts...........sq. $\mathrm{fl}^{\text {. }}$. | 52,548,713 | 26,444, 309 | 23,417,891 | 49,862,200 |
| Granulated wool..........cu. ft. | 2,488,733 | 1,999,248 | 284, 306 | 2,283,554 |
| Bulk or loose wool......cu. ft. | 272,184 | 284,789 | 11,400 | 296,189 |

* 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
February, 1960**

Two months ended February, 1960

|  | Pounds | \$ | Pounds | \$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Glass wool | 232,934 | 123,178 | 484,527 | 253,473 |
| Mineral wool. | 298, 231 | 39,874 | 411,820 | 63,157 |

** Latest available.
NOTE: Some six-inch batts included with four-inch batts.

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