



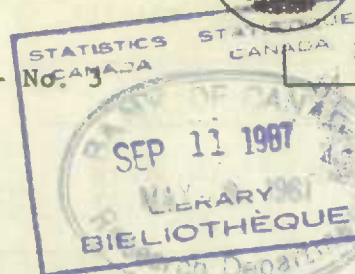
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MINERAL WOOL

MARCH, 1961

TABLE 1. Production and Factory Shipments of Mineral Wool(1)

		Quantity made	Quantity shipped to		Canada total
			Eastern area(2)	Western area(3)	
<u>March, 1961</u>					
Six-inch batts	sq. ft.	63,649	44,480	2,500	46,980
Four-inch batts	"	593,437	236,409	132,780	369,189
Three-inch batts ...	"	3,832,573	2,938,277	441,121	3,379,398
Two-inch batts	"	9,156,721	4,624,385	3,171,850	7,796,235
Granulated wool	cu. ft.	471,525	347,164	59,854	407,018
Bulk or loose wool .	"	47,605	43,603	3,875	47,478
<u>Three months ended</u> <u>March, 1961</u>					
Six-inch batts	sq. ft.	153,551	126,665	9,250	135,915
Four-inch batts	"	1,600,547	972,212	441,630	1,413,842
Three-inch batts ...	"	14,152,318	11,902,684	1,897,968	13,800,652
Two-inch batts	"	32,446,769	18,839,195	13,260,594	32,099,789
Granulated wool	cu. ft.	1,422,261	1,404,395 ^r	175,714 ^r	1,580,109 ^r
Bulk or loose wool .	"	157,632	139,919 ^r	10,465	150,384 ^r

(1) 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.

(2) Eastern area is the region east of the Manitoba-Ontario border.

(3) Western area is the region west of the Manitoba-Ontario border.

^r Revised figures. See page 2, Table 3 for details.

TABLE 2. Imports of Glass Wool and Mineral Wool

	December, 1960(1)		Twelve months ended December, 1960	
	pounds	\$	pounds	\$
Glass wool	248,959	90,555	2,519,082	1,217,061
Mineral wool	191,193	19,590	3,340,946	348,560

(1) Latest available.

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TABLE 3. Revised Factory Shipments of Mineral Wool(1)

	Quantity made	Quantity shipped to		Canada total
		Eastern area(2)	Western area(3)	
<u>January, 1961</u>				
Granulated wool cu. ft.	No change	544,334	53,385	597,719
<u>February, 1961</u>				
Granulated wool cu. ft.	No change	512,897	62,475	575,372
Bulk or loose wool . "	No change	41,325	No change	41,575

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