

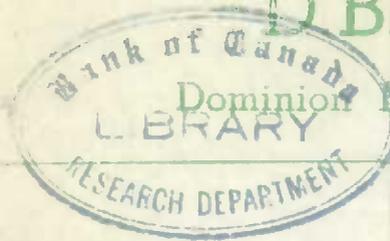
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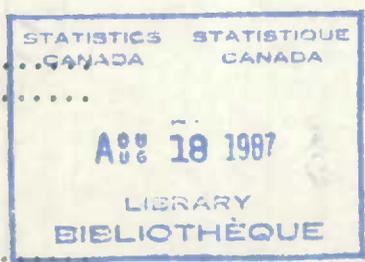
MINERAL WOOL - DECEMBER, 1949

Table 1 - Production, Factory Shipments and Factory Stocks of Mineral Wool, December 1949

		Stocks on hand at beginning of month	Made during month	Shipped during month	Stocks on hand at end of month
<u>December - 1949</u>					
Four-inch batts	sq.ft.	36,425	254,550	275,903	15,072
Three-inch batts	sq.ft.	755,402	2,755,537	2,906,496	604,443
Two-inch batts	sq.ft.	1,055,871	8,819,226	8,450,054	1,425,043
One-inch batts	sq.ft.
Granulated wool	cu.ft.	316,904	920,042	890,836	346,110
Bulk or loose wool	cu.ft.	114,016	370,678	332,359	152,335
Industrial wool (both loose and granulated together)	cu.ft.	105,549	348,229	316,420	137,358
<u>Year Ended December - 1949</u>					
Four-inch batts	sq.ft.		2,612,659	2,648,644	
Three-inch batts	sq.ft.		33,436,957	33,270,982	
Two-inch batts	sq.ft.		95,045,857	94,693,694	
One-inch batts	sq.ft.		22,450	22,450	
Granulated wool	cu.ft.		10,324,356	10,206,298	
Bulk or loose wool	cu.ft.		3,668,424	3,544,023	
Industrial wool (both loose and granulated together)	cu.ft.		3,862,372	3,771,409	

Table 2 - Imports of Mineral Wool and Glass Wool, December and Year Ended December, 1949

	Pounds	\$
<u>Mineral Wool</u>		
December 1949	65	36
Year ended December, 1949	168,818	10,472
<u>Glass Wool</u>		
December 1949	50,429	12,021
Year ended December, 1949	1,659,936	307,854



Note: For a list of the Canadian producers of mineral wool see the monthly statement for March, 1949

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