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MINERAL WOOL

Price \$1.00 per year

September - 1953

Table 1 - Production, Factory Shipments and Factory Stocks of Mineral Wool^{*}, 1953

		Stocks on hand at beginning of period	Made during period	Shipped during period	Stocks on hand at end of period
<u>September</u>					
Four-inch batts	sq.ft.	144,307	326,893	336,519	134,681
Three-inch batts	sq.ft.	1,247,924	5,090,109	5,060,083	1,277,950
Two-inch batts	sq.ft.	2,870,855	14,526,097	14,452,953	2,943,999
One-inch batts
Granulated wool	cu.ft.	421,943	1,027,294	1,024,914	424,323
Bulk or loose wool	cu.ft.	72,510	105,333	95,507	82,336
<u>Nine months ended September</u>					
Four-inch batts	sq.ft.		2,347,738	2,370,314	
Three-inch batts	sq.ft.		30,944,790	30,988,781	
Two-inch batts	sq.ft.		98,085,916	97,344,381	
One-inch batts	sq.ft.		8,252	8,252	
Granulated wool	cu.ft.		6,411,964	6,394,577	
Bulk or loose wool	cu.ft.		920,824	898,718	

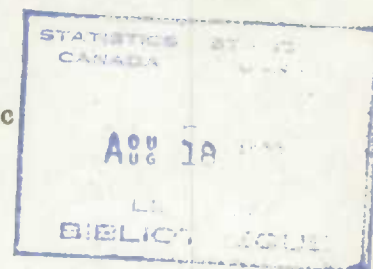
* - Mineral wool for building insulation only; does not include other forms, such as pipe covering, refrigerator car insulation, stove, refrigerator and other appliance insulation, etc.

Table 2 - Imports of Mineral Wool and Glass Wool, 1953

	Pounds	\$
<u>Mineral Wool</u>		
July	177,179	17,167
Seven months ended July	782,790	90,112
<u>Glass Wool</u>		
July	31,482	11,070
Seven months ended July	313,225	160,095

Producers of Mineral Wool in Canada

The Elmac Company Limited, Amherst, Nova Scotia
 Electric Reduction Co. of Canada Ltd., Buckingham, Quebec
 Canadian Johns-Manville Co. Ltd., Port Union, Ontario
 Fiberglas Canada Limited, Sarnia, Ontario
 Spun Rock Wools, Limited, Thorold, Ontario
 Bishop Asphalt Papers, Limited, Toronto, Ontario
 Canadian Gypsum Company Ltd., Weston, Ontario
 Gypsum, Lime and Alabastine, Canada, Ltd., Caledonia, Ontario
 Holmes Foundry Co. Ltd., Sarnia, Ontario
 Glacial Rock Insulation, Limited, Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan
 Rock Wool Products Ltd., Calgary, Alberta
 Western Insulation Company, Limited, Vancouver, British Columbia



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