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MINERAL WOOL

Table 1 - Production and Factory Shipments of Mineral Wool*, 1955

		Quantity made during period	Quantity shipped during period		
			Eastern area	Western area	TOTAL
<u>November</u>					
Four-inch batts	sq.ft.	306,630	210,140	81,030	291,170
Three-inch batts	sq.ft.	5,227,633	4,625,988	534,632	5,160,620
Two-inch batts	sq.ft.	15,516,758	9,077,260	5,767,783	14,845,043
Granulated wool	cu.ft.	1,366,020	1,113,745	212,130	1,325,875
Bulk or loose wool	cu.ft.	123,132	103,239	14,444	117,683
<u>Eleven months ended November</u>					
Four-inch batts	sq.ft.	3,496,226	2,268,228	1,236,632	3,504,860
Three-inch batts	sq.ft.	48,633,199**	42,130,234**	5,636,808	47,767,042**
Two-inch batts	sq.ft.	141,928,404	86,471,095	56,939,183	143,410,278
Granulated wool	cu.ft.	10,159,201	8,863,555	1,250,227	10,113,782
Bulk or loose wool	cu.ft.	1,510,237	1,298,168	106,142	1,404,310

* 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.

** Revised. - Revision due to adjustment in October data - corrected figures for which are as follows:

Made	4,522,351 sq.ft.
Shipped - Eastern area	4,057,208 sq.ft.
Total	4,553,235 sq.ft.

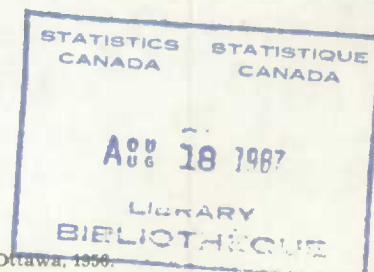
NOTE: 1. Eastern area is the region east of the Manitoba-Ontario border.
2. Western area is the region west of the Manitoba-Ontario border.

OCTOBER IMPORTS OF MINERAL WOOL AND GLASS WOOL ARE NOT YET AVAILABLE.

For a list of the Canadian producers of mineral wool, see the monthly statement for September, 1955.

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