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The five firms operating in this industry reported a total capital investment of \$654,635. Employment was furnished 9 salaried employees and 77 wage-earners; their combined earnings were \$74,300. Fuel and electricity used during the year cost \$21,395.

	Quantity tons	Value \$
<u>PRODUCTION</u> -		
Soapstone.....	...	47,986
Talc.....	15,509	181,212
TOTAL.....	...	229,198
<u>IMPORTS</u> -		
Talc or soapstone, ground or unground.....	5,516	109,675
<u>EXPORTS</u> -		
Talc.....	11,399	139,096

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Number of firms.....	5	5
Capital employed.....	732,608	654,635
Number of employees:- On salary.....	9	9
On wages.....	82	77
Total.....	91	86
Salaries and wages:- Salaries.....	17,410	13,705
Wages.....	67,781	60,895
Total.....	85,191	74,600
Cost of fuel and electricity.....	21,850	21,895
Selling value of products.....	219,358	229,198

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