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CONCRETE BUILDING BLOCKS AND CEMENT PIPE

April, 1946

This report on concrete building materials covers production by 50 of the principal manufacturers which normally account for 85 per cent of the totals for Canada. Output in April included the following items: - brick, 1,110,354 pieces; hollow blocks, 774,016 pieces; cinder blocks, 366,838 pieces; and pipe, 6,570 tons.

PRODUCTION IN CANADA AND FACTORY SHIPMENTS OF SPECIFIED CONCRETE PRODUCTS, APRIL AND YEAR UP TO DATE, 1946

Note: Figures given in this table cover the production of 50 firms which normally account for the following percentages of the total output in Canada of these items: concrete bricks and solid blocks 100 per cent; concrete hollow blocks 80 per cent; cinder blocks 100 per cent; cement pipe 92 per cent.

	Quantity made during period	Quantity shipped during period
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April, 1946.

1. Concrete brick	No. 1,110,354	868,975
2. Concrete blocks - Solid	No.	182
3. Hollow	No. 774,016	884,274
4. Cinder	No. 366,858	426,270
5. Cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water pipe and culvert tile	Tons 6,570	6,098

Four Months Ended April, 1946.

1. Concrete brick	No. 4,096,709	2,930,484
2. Concrete blocks - Solid	No. 5,790	3,153
3. Hollow	No. 2,533,732	2,419,181
4. Cinder	No. 1,364,441	1,304,071
5. Cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water pipe and culvert tile	Tons 23,186	19,008
