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CONCRETE BUILDING BLOCKS AND CEMENT PIPE

MAY, 1947

This report on concrete building materials covers production by 57 of the principal manufacturers which normally account for 85 per cent of the total for Canada. Output in May included the following items: brick, 1,118,068 pieces; hollow blocks, 1,470,414 pieces; cinder blocks, 467,631 pieces; and pipe, 10,433 tons.

Production in Canada and Factory Shipments of Specified Concrete Products, May and Year to Date, 1947

Note: Figures given in this table cover the production of 57 firms which normally account for the following percentages of the total cutput 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 dur- ing period | Quantity shi pped during period |
|--------------------------------------|------|--|---|
| May, 1947 | | | |
| Concrete brick | No. | 1,118,068 | 1,052,501 |
| Concrete block: Solid | No. | 875 | 809 |
| Hollow | No. | 1,470,414 | 1,582,083 |
| Cinder | No. | 467,631 | 439,893 |
| Cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water | | | |
| pipe and culvert tile | Tons | 10,433 | 9,776 |
| | | | |
| Five Months Ended May, 1947 | | | |
| Concrete brick | No. | 4,510,167 | 4,360,795 |
| Concrete blocks: Solid | No. | 1,625 | 2,196 |
| Hollow | No. | 4,679,653 | 4,401,938 |
| Cinder | No. | 2,152,635 | 1,809,714 |
| Cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water | | | |
| pipe and culvert tile | Tons | 40,977 | 33,869 |
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