In 1962 an estimated 167,328,000 tons of sand and gravel were produced, valued at \$118,228,000. This represented a decrease of 2 p.c. in quantity and an increase of 13 p.c. in value compared with 1961. Quebec and Ontario together contributed 66 p.c. of the quantity.

28.—Producers' Shipments of Sand and Gravel, by Province, and Total Value, 1953-62

Year	Newfoundland	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
1953. 1954. 1955. 1956. 1957.	2,105,522 3,142,226	 	1,523,083 1,330,979 1,156,710 1,675,458 1,933,070	2,648,235 3,528,318 5,731,835 6,140,029 7,342,928	26,694,125 30,052,887 36,722,008 37,175,708 40,913,961	43,658,099 46,433,191 51,488,067 61,436,363 66,129,158
1958		5,244,968 474,184 544,497 697,070	2,333,792 8,032,122 8,717,693 5,574,377 3,291,741	4,015,976 5,093,496 6,184,924 5,014,234 5,909,835	40,507,787 42,449,734 46,255,963 44,126,199 44,060,533	67,469,064 73,981,703 77,660,833 70,208,199 66,319,707
Man	M. H.	Saskatch-	Alberta	British Columbia	Canada	
	Manitoba	ewan			Quantity	Value
	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	\$
1953 1954 1955 1956 1957 1958	4,831,716 5,272,676 6,883,026 6,647,280 9,997,546 9,261,553	4,770,368 5,211,429 5,039,682 6,466,810 6,565,563 5,380,151 5,893,136	7,651,261 7,313,380 7,819,933 10,522,441 11,801,422 13,226,668 13,271,695	7,494,268 10,153,612 11,151,337 16,010,853 15,699,857 13,216,976 17,064,615	101,033,949 110,961,034 127,524,474 148,801,268 159,829,512 160,210,945 185,123,746	53, 485, 401 58, 987, 671 67, 775, 053 81, 957, 352 91, 939, 354 96, 282, 363 104, 651, 461
1960	7,402,385	8,952,539 7,626,197 6,518,262	13,385,970 12,591,944 12,076,845	15,669,293 14,279,191 15,613,703	192,074,498 170,750,947 167,328,097	111,163,886 104,654,132 118,228,032

Cement.—The production of cement in Canada reached an all-time high in 1962, output in that year being 8 p.c. above the previous peak reached in 1959. Consumption, continuing the almost steadily upward trend in evidence throughout the postwar period, also attained a record in 1962. Of the Canadian total of 6,786,000 tons produced in that year, Ontario contributed 36 p.c. and Quebec 33 p.c.; all other provinces except Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia contributed to the remainder, and all producing provinces except British Columbia showed increased production.

29.—Quantity and Value of Production, Imports, Exports and Apparent Consumption of Cement, 1953-62

Note.—Figures from 1910 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1939 edition.

Year	Shipments (sold or used)		Imports	Exports	Apparent Consumption ¹
	tons	\$	tons	tons	tons
1953 1954 1955 1956 1957 1958 1959 1960	3,891,708 3,926,553 4,404,480 5,021,683 6,049,098 6,153,421 6,284,486 5,787,225 6,205,948 6,786,229	58,842,022 59,035,644 65,650,025 75,233,321 93,167,477 96,414,142 95,147,798 93,261,473 103,923,644 113,864,118	434, 487 401, 135 517, 890 677, 616 ² 92, 380 41, 550 29, 256 22, 478 29, 217 26, 525	2,577 21,638 168,907 124,561 338,316 141,250 303,126 181,117 249,377 219,164	4,323,618 4,306,050 4,753,463 5,574,738 5,803,162 6,053,721 6,010,616 5,628,586 5,985,788 6,593,590

¹ Shipments plus imports less exports.

² Includes imported clinker, other than white.