

Amount of acid phosphate used in the manufacturing industries, as reported by the consumers:—

Location	No. of firms reporting consumption	Domestic	Imported
		Tons	Tons
Maritime Provinces.....	3	—	6500
Quebec.....	2	—	3000
Ontario.....	1	—	25
Prairie Provinces.....	1	—	2 $\frac{1}{2}$
British Columbia.....	—	—	—
Canada (Total).....	7	—	9527 $\frac{1}{2}$

The following imports are reported by the Department of Customs:—

	1910-1911		1911-1912		1912-1913	
Phosphate rock....		\$62,512		\$43,342		\$24,137
	lbs.		lbs.		lbs.	
Acid phosphate....	1,178,908	57,626	1,677,625	62,909	1,936,822	79,610

Note: There is at present under preparation a report on Mineral Phosphates, by Mr. H. S. de Schmid of the Mines Branch.