

Table 991. Inorganic Chemicals and Fertilizers—Production: 2000 to 2005

[15,809 represents 15,809,000]

Product description	Product code	Unit	2000	2003	2004	2005
INORGANIC FERTILIZERS						
Ammonia, synthetic anhydrous	3253111120 . . .	1,000 short tons . . .	15,809	11,130	12,058	11,181
Ammonium nitrate, original solution	3253111201 . . .	1,000 short tons . . .	7,979	6,328	7,229	7,212
Ammonium sulfate.	3253111240 . . .	1,000 short tons . . .	2,808	2,871	3,005	2,906
Urea (100%).	3253114100 . . .	1,000 short tons . . .	7,682	6,375	6,344	5,807
Nitric acid (100%)	3253111111 . . .	1,000 short tons . . .	8,708	7,189	7,129	7,398
Phosphoric acid (100% P2O5).	3253121100 . . .	1,000 short tons . . .	12,492	12,537	12,693	12,609
Sulfuric acid, gross (100%)	3251881100 . . .	1,000 short tons . . .	43,643	41,144	41,934	40,956
Superphosphates and other fertilizer materials (100% P2O5).	3253124100 . . .	1,000 short tons . . .	8,899	8,837	8,737	8,141
INORGANIC CHEMICALS						
Chlorine gas.	3251811111 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	14,000	10,361	12,329	10,277
Sodium hydroxide, total liquid	3251814111 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	11,523	8,796	9,620	8,520
Potassium hydroxide liquid	3251817111 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	539	471	525	527
Finished sodium bicarbonate	3251817131 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	536	540	579	581
Hydrochloric acid.	3251884131 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	4,717	(S)	5,302	4,619
Aluminum oxide	3313110100 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Aluminum sulfate (commercial)	3251887151 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	1,076	965	972	967
Sodium chlorate	325188A141 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	940	669	556	523
Sodium phosphate tripoly	325188A174 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sodium silicates ¹	325188A181 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	1,136	1,074	1,112	1,031
Sodium metasilicates	325188A187 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	72	61	58	59
Sodium sulfate	325188A1A7 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	509	89	86	93
Carbon activated ²	325998H1E7 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	166	112	(D)	(D)
Hydrogen peroxide	325188G181 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	1,083	340	357	365
Phosphorous, oxychloride, and trichlorde.	325188G1F1 . . .	1,000 metric tons. . .	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

D Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual companies. S Does not meet publication standards. ¹ Other than metasilicates. ² Granular and pulverized.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, *Current Industrial Reports, Inorganic Chemicals*, Series MQ325A and *Fertilizers and Related Chemicals*, Series MQ325B. See <<http://www.census.gov/cir/www/index.html>>.