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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
986 NATIONAL CENTER
RESTON, VIRGINIA 20192

EXPANDED PERLITE

**INDIVIDUAL COMPANY
DATA - PROPRIETARY**

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(Please correct if name or address has changed.)

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INSTRUCTIONS

Collection of nonfuel minerals information is authorized by Public Law 96-479 and the Defense Production Act. This information is used to support executive policy decisions pertaining to emergency preparedness, national defense, and analyses for minerals legislation and industrial trends. The USGS relies on your voluntary and timely response to assure that its information is complete and accurate. Please complete and return a separate form for each mineral establishment that was active during the calendar year in the enclosed envelope or fax to the above toll-free number. Use zero (0) when appropriate. Please do not make entries in shaded areas. Additional forms are available upon request.

A mineral establishment is defined as a single physical location where mineral operations are conducted; for example, a mine only, a mine and preparation plant, or a preparation plant only. If you have nothing to report, please complete SECTION 1, sign, and return the form. In completing the form, reasonable estimates should be used wherever exact data are not available. Do not report decimals or fractions. Please use the space for "Remarks" to provide any specific information that will help us in the use or interpretation of the data. Any statement on the effect of changes in economic conditions upon the reporting establishment will be useful.

If you have any questions concerning completion of this form, please contact the Mineral Commodities Data Unit, U.S. Geological Survey, 985 National Center, Reston, VA 20192, Telephone (703) 648-7960.

In COLUMN 5 of SECTION 2, report the net selling value, f.o.b. your establishment, for the quantities in COLUMNS 2 or 3. Report the total value received after discounts and allowances and excluding container cost, where applicable. If you consume material in your establishment or ship it to another establishment of your company, please estimate the value for this material. Use your net selling price as a basis for this estimate; if you did not sell the same type of material, base your estimate on the direct costs of production plus a reasonable proportion of company overhead and profits.

1. Establishment covered by this report.

1.1 Name and location of plant.

Name _____ Nearest city or town _____
County _____ State _____
Section _____ Township _____ Range _____
If operation plant is a subsidiary, please name controlling company _____

1.2 Status during year. (Check and complete one or more)

(1) Active From _____ To _____ (2) Shipping from stockpile only
 (3) Idle (4) Abandoned (5) Purchased (6) Sold

If ownership changed during year, give date of change _____
and name and address of other party in transfer _____

2. Production and disposition of expanded perlite during the year.

REPORT QUANTITY IN SHORT TONS OR CUBIC FEET.

Include sales of expanded perlite and also perlite used by you in the manufacture of other products, such as premixed plaster. Include perlite expanded by you from crude material purchased from others, but EXCLUDE purchased expanded perlite. For "Value," COLUMN 5, see instruction.

Item (1)	Code	QUANTITY		Average weight per cubic foot if reported in that unit (pounds) (4)	Value (5)
		Short tons (2)	Cubic feet (3)		
Produced.....	101				\$
Sold or used:					
Roof insulation board.....	201				
Plaster aggregate (including premixed plaster).....	202				
Filter aid.....	203				
Concrete aggregate (cement and asphalt binders).....	204				
Formed products (pipe insulation, acoustic tile, etc.).....	205				
Low temperature insulation.....	206				
Masonry and cavity fill insulation.....	207				
Horticultural aggregates.....	208				
Fillers.....	209				
Laundries (stone washing).....	218				
Others (please specify)					

TOTAL.....					

3. Crude perlite purchased from other producers during the year.

If you purchased crude perlite during the year, please give names and addresses of those from whom you purchased and quantity purchased. This information is needed to avoid duplication of figures.

QUANTITY		Name and address of producer (1)	Location of mine or quarry (nearest town) (2)	Unit of weight Mark one (X)		Quantity (4)
ID No.	Code			Short tons	Cubic feet	

Remarks:

Name of person to be contacted regarding this report			Tel. area code	No.	Ext.
Address	No.	Street	City	State	ZIP Code

May tabulations be published which could indirectly reveal the data reported above?
 Value data (1) Yes (2) No Other (including quantity) data (1) Yes (2) No

Signature	Title	Date
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