



Gypsum in the second quarter of 2026

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TRADE DATA

Trade data are sourced from the U.S. Census Bureau (<https://usatrade.census.gov/>). "HTS" refers to the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, and "Schedule B" refers to the Schedule B export classification system used by the United States.

"Imports" refers to "imports for consumption." The import valuation is the U.S. customs value, as appraised by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection, and is generally defined as the price actually paid or payable for merchandise when sold for exportation to the United States, excluding U.S. import duties, freight, insurance, and other charges incurred in bringing the merchandise to the United States.

"Exports" refers to "domestic exports." Export valuation is on a free-alongside-ship basis.

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Table 1. Gypsum supply.

[Includes data from the gypsum association. Data are in metric tons.]

Gypsum supply	2025				2026		
	2d quarter	3d quarter	4th quarter	1st quarter– 4th quarter	1st quarter	2d quarter	1st quarter– 2d quarter
Crude							
Mined ¹	4,970,000	5,010,000	4,700,000	19,500,000	4,780,000	5,050,000	9,830,000
Imported ²	1,610,000	1,670,000	1,670,000	6,650,000	1,250,000	1,790,000	3,040,000
Synthetic gypsum ³	4,130,000	4,130,000	4,130,000	16,500,000	4,600,000	4,600,000	9,200,000
Total supply	10,700,000	10,800,000	10,500,000	42,700,000	10,600,000	11,400,000	22,100,000
Crude, exported ²	14,400	9,010	11,600	47,800	17,500	10,800	28,300
Consumption	10,700,000	10,800,000	10,500,000	42,600,000	10,600,000	11,400,000	22,000,000
Calcined							
Produced	4,540,000	4,540,000	3,830,000	17,200,000	4,020,000	4,600,000	8,630,000
Imported ⁴	9,400	8,920	6,920	36,000	36,300	12,200	48,500
Total supply	4,550,000	4,550,000	3,830,000	17,300,000	4,060,000	4,620,000	8,680,000
Exported ⁴	22,700	24,600	24,100	92,700	21,300	26,000	47,300
Consumption	4,520,000	4,530,000	3,810,000	17,200,000	4,040,000	4,590,000	8,630,000

¹Includes estimated data.²Import and export data are for “Gypsum; anhydrite,” Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTS) code 2520.10.0000.³Estimated, based on American Coal Ash Association data for FGD gypsum used.⁴Import and export data are for “Plaster,” HTS code 2520.20.0000.

Table 2. Gypsum sold or used by producers, by use.

[Includes data from the gypsum association. Data are in metric tons, unless otherwise specified.]

Sold or used by producers, by use	2025				2026		
	2d quarter	3d quarter	4th quarter	1st quarter– 4th quarter	1st quarter	2d quarter	1st quarter– 2d quarter
Uncalcined^e							
Portland and masonry cement	1,280,000	1,280,000	1,280,000	5,100,000	1,280,000	1,280,000	2,550,000
Agriculture and other ¹	3,600,000	3,600,000	3,600,000	14,400,000	3,600,000	3,600,000	7,200,000
Total	4,880,000	4,880,000	4,880,000	19,500,000	4,880,000	4,880,000	9,750,000
Calcined							
Board products ²	3,810,000	3,670,000	3,480,000	14,500,000	3,410,000	3,900,000	7,310,000
Plaster	17,300	16,200	16,100	66,000	15,500	17,300	32,800
Total	3,830,000	3,680,000	3,500,000	14,600,000	3,430,000	3,920,000	7,350,000
Board products (thousand square feet)³							
Regular board	3,770,000	3,600,000	3,300,000	14,100,000	3,220,000	3,660,000	6,880,000
Type X board	2,010,000	1,930,000	1,880,000	7,710,000	1,850,000	2,110,000	3,950,000
Other	909,000	893,000	873,000	3,540,000	868,000	1,000,000	1,870,000
Total supply	6,690,000	6,430,000	6,060,000	25,400,000	5,930,000	6,770,000	12,700,000

¹Includes gypsum used for infrastructure purposes, unspecified uses, and estimated under-reported amount.²Includes weight of paper and other materials.³One square meter equals 10.78 square feet.

Table 3. Crude gypsum imported for consumption.
[Data are in metric tons.]

Country or locality	2025				2026		
	2d quarter	3d quarter	4th quarter	1st quarter– 4th quarter	1st quarter	2d quarter	1st quarter– 2d quarter
Canada	486,000	397,000	619,000	2,030,000	398,000	522,000	920,000
Egypt	0	440	0	7,970	0	1,510	1,510
Mexico	480,000	405,000	305,000	1,620,000	428,000	489,000	917,000
Morocco	29,800	31,600	29,800	93,900	33,300	61,300	94,700
Spain	608,000	833,000	710,000	2,840,000	389,000	655,000	1,040,000
Turkey	5,000	4,000	4,000	63,000	4,000	60,900	64,900
Other	217	417	255	973	922	524	1,450
Total	1,610,000	1,670,000	1,670,000	6,650,000	1,250,000	1,790,000	3,040,000

Table 4. Crude gypsum in the United States.

[Excludes synthetic gypsum. Data are in metric tons.]

Period	Consumption¹	Production²	Imports³	Exports³
2025				
2d quarter	6,560,000	4,970,000	1,610,000	14,400
3d quarter	6,670,000	5,010,000	1,670,000	9,010
4th quarter	6,360,000	4,700,000	1,670,000	11,600
1st quarter–4th quarter	26,100,000	19,500,000	6,650,000	47,800
2026				
1st quarter	6,010,000	4,780,000	1,250,000	17,500
2d quarter	6,830,000	5,050,000	1,790,000	10,800
1st quarter–2d quarter	12,800,000	9,830,000	3,040,000	28,300

¹Consumption calculated by adding production and imports and subtracting exports. Quarterly inventory changes are not included.

²Production data derived from semiannual gypsum canvasses of non-wallboard producers, annual canvass of all producers, and quarterly data provided by the Gypsum Association.

³Data from U.S. Census Bureau.

Table 5. Sales of gypsum board products in 2026.

[Data are in thousand square feet, one square meter equals 10.78 square feet. Source: Gypsum Association.]

Gypsum board products	
2nd quarter	
Veneer base	63,900
Sheathing	132,000
Regular gypsum board	3,660,000
Type X gypsum board	2,110,000
Liner panel	88,300
Predecorated board	14,200
5/16 Mobile home board	11,700
Water/moisture resistant board	692,000
Total	6,770,000
1st quarter–2d quarter	
Veneer base	118,000
Sheathing	242,000
Regular gypsum board	6,880,000
Type X gypsum board	3,950,000
Liner panel	158,000
Predecorated board	28,100
5/16 Mobile home board	23,000
Water/moisture resistant board	1,300,000
Total	12,700,000