The Mineral Content of Grains. 211 Silage Corn Varieties for Utah. The fastest-growing mineral industry in New Jersey is the manufacture of mineral wool, an insulating material composed of mineral fibers and used to an increasingly large extent in home insulation as well as in industry. An increasing realization of the value of mineral wool for heat or acoustical insulation has led to a rapid increase in productive facilities and a demand for greater information of the sources and varieties of raw materials which can be used in its manufacture. (Extensively used in broadcasting stations, auditoriums, and offices.) Fabricated forms are used in some types of military equipment.