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HARDBOARD
(Wood fibre)

OCTOBER 1966

TABLE 1. Production and Shipments of Hardboard, by Classes

	<u>October</u>		<u>Ten months ended</u> <u>October</u>	
	1965 ^r	1966	1965 ^r	1966
	square feet - 1/8 inch basis			
<u>Hardboard, not tempered</u>				
or treated:				
Production	21,188,853	17,162,737	259,809,893	202,880,566
Shipments:				
Domestic	16,127,431	18,256,365	134,033,863	135,779,269
Export	6,623,043	2,218,784	115,118,457	51,328,576
Total shipments ...	22,750,474	20,475,149	249,152,320	187,107,845
<u>Hardboard, oil tempered:</u>				
Production	3,985,633	1,743,180	35,215,338	26,725,109
Shipments:				
Domestic	2,345,690	1,862,671	22,031,113	21,187,986
Export	916,640	548,720	11,944,500	6,006,104
Total shipments ...	3,262,330	2,411,391	33,975,613	27,194,090
<u>Hardboard, prefinished</u>				
<u>wall or ceiling panels:</u>				
Production	13,471,848	14,846,365	99,107,838	118,322,315
Shipments:				
Domestic	12,375,226	11,185,611	84,659,272	91,234,121
Export	359,200	1,584,204	4,778,120	16,459,692
Total shipments ...	12,734,426	12,769,815	89,437,392	107,693,813

^r Revised figures.

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TABLE 1. Production and Shipments of Hardboard, by Classes - Concluded

	October		Ten months ended October	
	1965 ^r	1966	1965 ^r	1966
square feet - 1/8 inch basis				
Total (all boards):				
Production	38,646,334	33,752,282	394,133,069	347,927,990
Shipments:				
Domestic	30,848,347	31,304,647	240,724,248	248,201,376
Export	7,898,883	4,351,708	131,841,077	73,794,372
Total shipments ...	38,747,230	35,656,355	372,565,325	321,995,748

^r Revised figures.

TABLE 2. Imports of Hardboard

	June				Six months ended June			
	1965		1966		1965		1966	
	cwt.	\$	cwt.	\$	cwt.	\$	cwt.	\$
Hardboard ..	42,338	228,363	32,485	150,498	136,652	758,138	127,300	731,191
	July				Seven months ended July			
	1965		1966		1965		1966	
	cwt.	\$	cwt.	\$	cwt.	\$	cwt.	\$
Hardboard ..	43,064	217,841	27,521	160,694	179,716	975,979	154,821	891,885

Source: Trade of Canada.