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TABLE 1. Production and Shipments of Hardboard, by Class

	February		Two months ended February	
	1967	1968	1967	1968
square feet - 1/8 inch basis				
<u>Hardboard, not tempered</u>				
<u>or treated</u>				
Production	14,531,041	22,869,169	34,661,262	45,443,264
Shipments:				
Domestic	12,099,856	14,545,038	23,188,508	27,473,809
Export	1,761,356	10,299,140	3,981,900	19,088,113
Total shipments ...	13,861,212	24,844,178	27,170,408	46,561,922
<u>Hardboard, oil tempered</u>				
Production	2,356,845	1,578,259	4,240,582	4,061,187
Shipments:				
Domestic	1,661,426	1,622,620	3,117,502	3,615,639
Export	693,180	243,808	1,107,004	687,936
Total shipments ...	2,354,606	1,866,428	4,224,506	4,303,575
<u>Hardboard, prefinished</u>				
<u>wall or ceiling panels</u>				
Production	13,999,468	12,764,266	21,585,409	25,627,457
Shipments:				
Domestic	12,069,092	15,115,368	19,276,782	26,202,892
Export	989,436	687,072	3,183,780	1,777,200
Total shipments ...	13,058,528	15,802,440	22,460,562	27,980,092

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

	February		Two months ended February	
	1967	1968	1967	1968
square feet - 1/8 inch basis				
Total (all boards)				
Production	30,887,354	37,211,694	60,487,253	75,131,908
Shipments:				
Domestic	25,830,374	31,283,026	45,582,792	57,292,340
Export	3,443,972	11,230,020	8,272,684	21,553,249
Total shipments ...	29,274,346	42,513,046	53,855,476	78,845,589

TABLE 2. Imports of Hardboard into Canada

	October				Ten months ended October			
	1966		1967		1966		1967	
	cwt.	\$'000	cwt.	\$'000	cwt.	\$'000	cwt.	\$'000
Hardboard ..	29,703	145	38,777	176	265,816	1,475	316,770	1,668

Source: "Imports by Commodities", DBS Catalogue No. 65-007.