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RIGID INSULATING BOARD INDUSTRY

		Building Board (Panels)	Asphalted Sheathing Board	Lath for Plaster Base	Roof Insulation Board	Other Rigid Boards	Total
		Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.
PRODUCTION							
June,	1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,658,814
June,	1955	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,270,911
May,	1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33,162,233
May,	1955	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,002,836
6 months,	1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	192,883,796
6 months,	1955	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150,714,968
12 months,	1955	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	338,731,037
DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS							
June,	1956	9,888,462	8,638,893	591,928	9,188,695	3,714,193	32,022,171
June,	1955	9,327,989	7,970,198	1,025,345	8,729,587	3,125,121	30,178,240
May,	1956	8,879,790	8,211,344	826,390	6,903,023	4,622,099	29,442,646
May,	1955	8,887,897	6,788,035	1,057,766	5,993,455	2,805,327	25,532,480
6 months,	1956	54,945,123	43,589,582	4,214,081	40,693,356	22,264,128	165,706,270
6 months,	1955	45,618,756	29,479,847	5,701,107	32,878,599	15,127,250	128,805,559
12 months,	1955	97,552,187	70,178,551	12,211,787	86,952,548	34,866,291	301,761,364

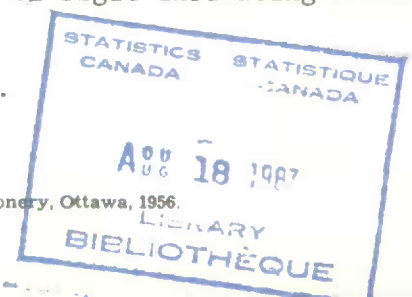
All 1955 figures have been revised by the reporting firms.

The above figures represent square feet in terms of thickness reduced to one-half inch, except one firm reporting on 7/16" basis. These are preliminary figures subject to revision on further examination of individual reports.

Since January 1948 production and domestic shipments of rigid insulating board for further manufacture into insulating siding are excluded.

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