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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						
February, 1957	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,159,554
February, 1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,104,454
January, 1957	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,903,556
January, 1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,659,492
2 months, 1957	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	59,063,110
2 months, 1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61,763,946
12 months, 1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	384,919,108
DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS						
February, 1957	6,433,525	2,829,361	382,674	6,666,618	3,424,625	19,736,803
February, 1956	10,488,277	5,707,318	908,560	6,324,515	3,332,770	26,761,440
January, 1957	5,997,304	2,747,246	445,508	5,772,142	3,631,736	18,593,936
January, 1956	8,177,805	5,352,996	676,058	5,651,962	3,084,747	22,943,568
2 months, 1957	12,430,829	5,576,607	828,182	12,438,760	7,056,361	38,330,739
2 months, 1956	18,666,082	11,060,314	1,584,618	11,976,477	6,417,517	49,705,008
12 months, 1956	111,697,922	83,560,324	7,112,871	100,013,364	43,420,464	345,804,945
EXPORT SHIPMENTS						
February, 1957	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,804,093
February, 1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,310,680
January, 1957	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,361,100
January, 1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,689,145
2 months, 1957	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,165,193
2 months, 1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,999,825
12 months, 1956	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24,292,914

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 shipments of rigid insulating board for further manufacture into insulating siding are excluded.

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