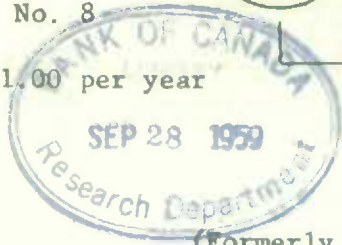




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RIGID INSULATING BOARD

(Formerly Rigid Insulating Board Industry)

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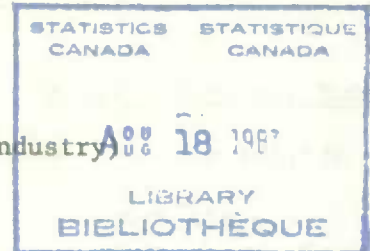


Table 1 - Domestic Shipments of Rigid Insulating Board

	August		Eight months ended August	
	1958	1959	1958	1959
	(square feet, 1/2 inch basis)			
<u>Building board (panels)</u>				
<u>natural or coated</u>				
Shipped to:				
Atlantic Provinces ...	Provincial	680,012	Provincial	5,427,540
Quebec .....		3,258,965		22,868,717
Ontario .....	distribution	1,418,744	distribution	12,568,341
Manitoba .....		220,674		2,347,430
Saskatchewan .....	not	132,261	not	1,468,732
Alberta .....		174,652		1,703,425
British Columbia .....	available	283,913	available	1,950,957
Total .....		9,217,448		57,074,557
		6,169,221		48,335,142

Asphalted sheathing board

Shipped to:

Atlantic Provinces ...	Provincial	383,628	Provincial	2,651,000
Quebec .....		3,752,600		23,550,394
Ontario .....	distribution	2,994,189	distribution	21,554,758
Manitoba .....		905,011		6,298,884
Saskatchewan .....	not	22,233	not	1,688,184
Alberta .....		175,240		1,128,772(3)
British Columbia .....	available	118,051	available	766,725
Total .....		11,778,045		61,172,453
		8,454,952		57,638,717(3)

(3) - Revised.

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Table 1 - Domestic Shipments of Rigid Insulating Board (concluded)

	August		Eight months ended August	
	1958	1959	1958	1959
(square feet, 1/2 inch basis)				
<u>Roof insulation board</u>				
Shipped to:				
Atlantic Provinces ...	Provincial	366,096	Provincial	2,435,218
Quebec .....		4,513,973		23,738,615
Ontario .....	distribution	6,203,090	distribution	32,274,978
Manitoba .....		1,260,679		7,609,175
Saskatchewan .....	not	638,756	not	4,600,026
Alberta .....		2,565,493		10,012,996(3)
British Columbia .....	available	1,323,449	available	6,988,660
Total .....		11,716,213		61,840,331
		16,871,536		87,659,668(3)

Decorative board (1)

Shipped to:

Atlantic Provinces ...	Included	383,114	Included	2,899,447
Quebec .....		1,431,074		8,365,480
Ontario .....	with	1,624,906	with	15,355,706
Manitoba .....		501,694		3,197,024
Saskatchewan .....	other	71,478	other	2,439,824
Alberta .....		412,083		3,592,534
British Columbia .....	board	814,844	board	6,129,982
Total .....		5,239,193		41,979,997

Other board (2)

Shipped to:

Atlantic Provinces ...	Provincial	24,400	Provincial	380,422
Quebec .....		408,638		2,907,244
Ontario .....	distribution	886,448	distribution	5,163,918
Manitoba .....		46,980		259,464
Saskatchewan .....	not	-	not	-
Alberta .....		288		73,002
British Columbia .....	available	8,750	available	262,289
Total .....		7,198,679		54,084,540
		1,375,504		9,046,339

- (1) Tile or plank form, including acoustical tile.  
 (2) Includes "decorative board", previous to 1959.  
 (3) Revised.

Table 2 - Production and Total Shipments of Rigid Insulating Board (all types)

	August		Eight months ended August	
	1958	1959	1958	1959
(Square feet, 1/2 inch basis)				
<u>Rigid insulating board (all types)</u>				
Production	36,941,241	40,802,255	252,909,762	281,955,692(3)
Shipped to:				
Atlantic Provinces ...	Provincial	1,837,250	Provincial	13,793,627
Quebec .....		13,365,250		81,430,450
Ontario .....	distribution	13,127,377	distribution	86,917,701
Manitoba .....		2,935,038		19,711,977
Saskatchewan .....	not	968,728	not	10,196,766
Alberta .....		3,327,756		16,510,729(3)
British Columbia .....	available	2,549,007	available	16,098,613
Total Domestic .....		39,910,385		234,171,881
Export .....		2,023,555		6,620,372
Total shipped .....		41,933,940		44,730,778
				250,146,820
				276,424,426(3)

(3) Revised.

N.B. The 7/16" board may be reported without conversion to 1/2" basis. The Atlantic Provinces include the Maritimes and Newfoundland; Quebec includes Labrador; Ontario excludes points west of Fort William and Port Arthur; Manitoba includes Ontario west of Fort William and Port Arthur; British Columbia includes the Yukon and Northwest Territories.

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