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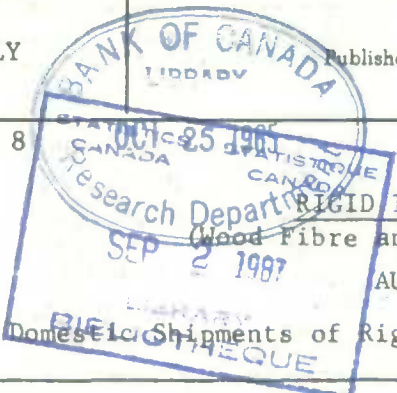
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RIGID INSULATING BOARD (Wood Fibre and Mineral Products) (1)

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TABLE 1. Domestic Shipments of Rigid Insulating Board (Wood Fibre), by Types

Shipped to	August		Eight months ended August	
	1964	1965	1964	1965

square feet -- 1/2 inch basis

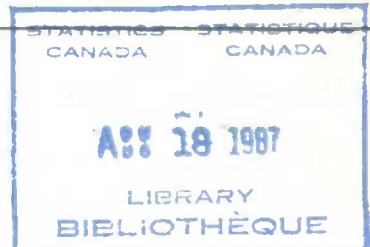
Building board (panels)
natural or coated:

Atlantic Provinces	527,358	535,679	3,487,855	3,112,755
Quebec	2,284,981	3,446,554	22,370,677	19,180,554
Ontario	661,381	970,039	6,916,421	6,442,714
Manitoba	81,744	106,268	1,029,917	738,797
Saskatchewan	120,600	49,370	850,880	635,546
Alberta	72,096	241,308	1,542,840	1,530,638
British Columbia	536,856	467,548	2,549,810	3,256,354
Totals	4,285,016	5,816,766	38,748,400	34,897,358

Asphalted sheathing board:

Atlantic Provinces	506,054	470,991	2,668,372	2,768,596
Quebec	2,968,110	5,220,314	29,018,822	24,996,056
Ontario	2,764,931	3,886,269	24,608,536	20,824,560
Manitoba	579,363	626,472	5,759,878	4,118,911
Saskatchewan	113,423	146,848	1,016,680	920,093
Alberta	276,399	200,566	1,538,732	1,519,121
British Columbia	384,554	313,116	2,946,133	2,671,104
Totals	7,592,834	10,864,576	67,557,153	57,818,441

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TABLE 1. Domestic Shipments of Rigid Insulating Board (Wood Fibre),
by Types - Concluded

Shipped to	August		Eight months ended August	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
square feet -- 1/2 inch basis				
Roof insulation board:				
Atlantic Provinces	633,997	893,414	4,796,011	6,687,331
Quebec	5,163,899	6,520,532	33,416,841	35,292,991
Ontario	7,750,032	9,358,823	49,831,284	50,047,662
Manitoba	959,220	1,908,384	6,453,655	7,138,384
Saskatchewan	504,096	1,562,400	3,357,966	4,289,124
Alberta	1,779,552	2,129,728	9,866,648	11,101,051
British Columbia	868,058	1,745,014	6,908,650	7,263,264
Totals	17,658,854	24,118,295	114,631,055	121,819,807
Acoustical tile:				
Atlantic Provinces	300,792	201,859	1,298,794	1,403,023
Quebec	1,059,418	1,221,419	9,771,288	8,970,967
Ontario	827,313	1,037,159	9,496,258	8,185,249
Manitoba	134,717	69,954	1,352,040	974,844
Saskatchewan	238,379	100,180	1,170,700	859,282
Alberta	229,684	297,116	1,783,989	1,317,961
British Columbia	326,659	211,301	1,843,449	1,636,112
Totals	3,116,962	3,138,988	26,716,518	23,347,438
Other decorative board:				
Atlantic Provinces	438,048	530,182	3,444,991	3,699,760
Quebec	473,242	709,992	5,823,791	5,440,396
Ontario	855,828	1,214,824	10,970,045	10,587,391
Manitoba	116,980	165,310	2,352,021	1,664,869
Saskatchewan	277,728	195,715	2,322,148	2,103,709
Alberta	143,896	197,880	2,011,713	1,874,916
British Columbia	731,500	446,620	5,176,705	4,570,478
Totals	3,037,222	3,460,523	32,101,414	29,941,519
Other board:				
Atlantic Provinces	42,155	90,548	385,075	360,862
Quebec	745,890	1,057,042	5,826,445	5,576,229
Ontario	735,796	1,049,453	6,327,202	7,660,343
Manitoba	36,598	35,447	272,588	162,432
Saskatchewan	16,416	8,149	123,079	131,884
Alberta	132,894	55,169	869,940	508,846
British Columbia	94,272	1,334	753,313	273,919
Totals	1,804,021	2,297,142	14,557,642	14,674,515

TABLE 2. Production and Shipments of Rigid Insulating Board (Wood Fibre),
All Types

	August		Eight months ended August	
	1964	1965	1964	1965
square feet -- 1/2 inch basis				
<u>Rigid insulating board</u>				
<u>(Wood fibre) all types:</u>				
Production	41,300,833	40,971,566	335,270,528	312,140,567
Shipped to:				
Atlantic Provinces	2,448,404	2,722,673	16,081,098	18,032,327
Quebec	12,695,540	18,175,853	106,227,864	99,457,193
Ontario	13,595,281	17,516,567	108,149,746	103,747,919
Manitoba	1,908,622	2,911,835	17,220,099	14,798,237
Saskatchewan	1,270,642	2,062,662	8,841,453	8,939,638
Alberta	2,634,521	3,121,767	17,613,862	17,852,533
British Columbia	2,941,899	3,184,933	20,178,060	19,671,231
Total domestic	37,494,909	49,696,290	294,312,182	282,499,078
Export	5,097,378	3,665,749	35,792,570	28,354,684
Total shipped	42,592,287	53,362,039	330,104,752	310,853,762

TABLE 3. Production and Shipments(2) of Mineral Products, 1965(3)

	Produced		Shipped	
	August 1965	Eight months ended August 1965	August 1965	Eight months ended August 1965
surface - square feet				
Acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels	2,868,724	13,758,706	2,450,577	11,495,055
Non-acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels	76,464	755,640	190,256	289,640
Total	2,945,188	14,514,346	2,640,833	11,784,695

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TABLE 4. Imports(4) of Rigid Insulating Board

	April 1965		Four months ended April 1965	
	cwt.	\$	cwt.	\$
Building board, n.e.s.(5)	9,451	98,807	25,306	273,757

NOTE: 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.

- (1) Mineral products manufactured by the "wet felted process" were added to our survey starting 1965 only - see Table 3. No change in coverage from preceding years for statistics in Tables 1 and 2.
- (2) Includes exports.
- (3) Includes wood fibre products incorporating mineral or chemical ingredients for fire resistance and the incombustible non-metallic minerals tiles and panels manufactured by the "wet felted process". The 1964 data are not available.
- (4) Customs clearance, latest available.
- (5) Covers mostly insulating board, excluding acoustical tiles and panels.