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

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

Shipped to	March		Three months ended March	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
square feet - 1/2 inch basis				
<u>Building board (panels)</u>				
<u>natural or coated</u>				
Atlantic Provinces .....	267,470	128,244	585,760	688,832
Quebec .....	2,440,839	1,246,174	5,882,081	4,252,371
Ontario .....	921,667	687,095	2,271,815	2,044,894
Manitoba .....	83,616	110,378	201,896	216,823
Saskatchewan .....	117,528	70,752	312,494	257,712
Alberta .....	248,136	100,560	706,448	580,992
British Columbia .....	198,064	262,460	776,726	716,231
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>4,277,320</b>	<b>2,605,663</b>	<b>10,737,220</b>	<b>8,757,855</b>
<u>Asphalted sheathing board</u>				
Atlantic Provinces .....	236,667	233,368	543,853	697,747
Quebec .....	2,495,314	1,241,627	6,460,340	5,952,513
Ontario .....	1,842,865	1,398,517	4,874,623	6,180,891
Manitoba .....	739,693	543,183	1,520,255	1,148,353
Saskatchewan .....	97,192	103,108	270,635	177,140
Alberta .....	448,108	544,319	1,227,255	1,026,231
British Columbia .....	270,694	271,361	731,050	701,225
<b>Totals .....</b>	<b>6,130,533</b>	<b>4,335,483</b>	<b>15,628,011</b>	<b>15,884,100</b>

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

Shipped to	March		Three months ended March	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
square feet - 1/2 inch basis				
<u>Roof insulation board</u>				
Atlantic Provinces .....	496,492	460,224	1,728,836	1,391,509
Quebec .....	5,539,182 <sup>r</sup>	2,896,951	11,284,822 <sup>r</sup>	8,540,924
Ontario .....	5,458,588	5,467,765	16,314,858	16,995,686
Manitoba .....	1,119,529	332,352	1,979,631	1,525,144
Saskatchewan .....	636,348	518,976	1,534,092	1,120,128
Alberta .....	2,288,832	271,072	3,656,832	1,767,643
British Columbia .....	944,640	459,648	1,734,864	1,386,288
Totals .....	16,483,611 <sup>r</sup>	10,406,988	38,233,935 <sup>r</sup>	32,727,322
<u>Acoustical tile</u>				
Atlantic Provinces .....	150,272	61,135	369,760	229,257
Quebec .....	1,018,630	582,063	2,632,417	1,717,055
Ontario .....	1,567,789	941,994	3,513,416	2,615,833
Manitoba .....	165,660	84,794	403,172	300,712
Saskatchewan .....	175,286	69,018	442,734	321,096
Alberta .....	174,854	160,520	481,209	398,447
British Columbia .....	307,660	267,237	629,683	653,319
Totals .....	3,560,151	2,166,761	8,472,391	6,235,719
<u>Other decorative board</u>				
Atlantic Provinces .....	531,437	378,256	1,487,817	1,578,308
Quebec .....	1,121,236	1,614,642	2,231,112	3,889,396
Ontario .....	2,450,532	2,350,106	5,228,713	6,858,900
Manitoba .....	443,838	696,834	924,806	1,284,673
Saskatchewan .....	407,410	528,364	1,095,272	1,376,994
Alberta .....	336,430	487,904	1,129,516	1,442,930
British Columbia .....	805,580	925,072	1,955,030	2,458,974
Totals .....	6,096,463	6,981,178	14,052,266	18,890,175

<sup>r</sup> Revised figures.

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

Shipped to	March		Three months ended March	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
square feet - 1/2 inch basis				
<u>Other board</u>				
Atlantic Provinces .....	30,065	-	42,339	8,708
Quebec .....	876,821 <sup>r</sup>	913,695	2,350,697 <sup>r</sup>	2,273,115
Ontario .....	703,827	962,167	1,714,618	2,149,202
Manitoba .....	8,149	4,074	21,347	25,669
Saskatchewan .....	8,149	-	8,149	7,578
Alberta .....	62,250	-	138,718	22,825
British Columbia .....	-	-	22,572	-
Totals .....	1,689,261 <sup>r</sup>	1,879,936	4,298,440 <sup>r</sup>	4,487,097

<sup>r</sup> Revised figures.

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

	March		Three months ended March	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
square feet - 1/2 inch basis				
<u>Rigid insulating board</u> (Wood fibre) all types				
Production .....	46,429,969 <sup>r</sup>	42,221,819	123,863,689 <sup>r</sup>	122,655,510
Shipped to:				
Atlantic Provinces .....	1,712,403	1,261,227	4,758,365	4,594,361
Quebec .....	13,492,022	8,495,152	30,841,469	26,625,374
Ontario .....	12,945,268	11,807,644	33,918,043	36,845,406
Manitoba .....	2,560,485	1,771,615	5,051,107	4,501,374
Saskatchewan .....	1,441,913	1,290,218	3,663,376	3,260,648
Alberta .....	3,558,610	1,564,375	7,339,978	5,239,068
British Columbia .....	2,526,638	2,185,778	5,849,925	5,916,037
Total domestic .....	38,237,339	28,376,009	91,422,263	86,982,268
Export .....	2,868,131	3,073,970	7,230,996	8,449,242
Total shipped .....	41,105,470	31,449,979	98,653,259	95,431,510

<sup>r</sup> Revised figures.





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TABLE 3. Production(1) and Shipments(2) of Mineral Products

	March		Three months ended March	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
	surface - square feet			
<u>Production</u>				
Acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels .....	2,327,153	2,205,844	5,420,654 <sup>r</sup>	5,973,217
Non-acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels .....	113,216	-	135,040	5,376
Totals .....	2,440,369	2,205,844	5,555,694 <sup>r</sup>	5,978,593
<u>Shipments</u>				
Acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels .....	1,899,969	2,277,500	4,617,136	6,392,975
Non-acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels .....	826,576	-	945,508	70,353
Totals .....	2,726,545	2,277,500	5,562,644	6,463,328

(1) 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".

(2) Includes exports.

<sup>r</sup> Revised figures.

TABLE 4. Imports of Building Board, n.e.s.(1)

	1965		1966	
	cwt.	\$'000	cwt.	\$'000
December .....	5,668	58	6,887	62
Twelve months ended December ....	83,942	820	79,516	714

(1) Covers mostly insulating board, excluding acoustical tiles and panels.

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.

Source: Trade of Canada.