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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	September		Nine months ended September	
	1967	1968	1967	1968
square feet - 1/2 inch basis				
<u>Building board (panels)</u>				
<u>natural or coated</u>				
Atlantic Provinces	431,311	306,985	2,960,823	2,822,656
Quebec	2,808,990	3,423,631	19,128,541	20,760,857
Ontario	813,345	642,546	6,910,099	6,317,591
Manitoba	130,384	114,304	931,021	739,830
Saskatchewan	155,584	69,600	936,822	1,093,119
Alberta	291,368	291,736	1,997,120	2,685,661
British Columbia	323,544	462,524	2,679,732	3,613,393
Totals	4,954,526	5,311,326	35,544,158	38,033,107
<u>Asphalted sheathing board</u>				
Atlantic Provinces	351,299	726,319	3,172,595	4,377,828
Quebec	4,673,048	5,071,196	35,771,348	32,826,206
Ontario	3,927,971	4,498,651	33,099,796	35,225,121
Manitoba	894,183	834,228	6,410,889	5,563,438
Saskatchewan	64,728	78,000	790,853	947,132
Alberta	313,390	483,641	3,194,936	3,843,722
British Columbia	336,756	499,615	3,261,528	4,022,394
Totals	10,561,375	12,191,650	85,701,945	86,805,841

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

Shipped to	September		Nine months ended September	
	1967	1968	1967	1968

square feet - 1/2 inch basis

Roof insulation board

Atlantic Provinces	1,113,475	698,606	6,267,086	5,598,934
Quebec	3,937,906	4,723,597	31,178,934	31,561,695
Ontario	7,431,934	9,879,864	56,247,115	54,444,225
Manitoba	1,743,380	1,439,788	8,352,794	8,000,844
Saskatchewan	1,633,304	767,102	8,003,909	5,610,782
Alberta	3,135,542	2,761,082	17,625,536	16,197,108
British Columbia	1,106,660	1,196,824	7,267,170	7,497,802
Totals	20,102,201	21,466,863	134,942,544	128,911,390

Acoustical tile

Atlantic Provinces	75,560	108,424	857,768	1,091,994
Quebec	552,093	549,128	5,521,392	5,074,200
Ontario	1,028,349	605,380	7,268,025	7,447,271
Manitoba	70,553	66,722	907,211	1,183,488
Saskatchewan	75,367	72,318	715,514	709,053
Alberta	248,704	181,746	1,366,404	1,402,518
British Columbia	173,515	261,199	1,945,599	1,757,068
Totals	2,224,141	1,844,917	18,581,913	18,665,592

Other decorative board

Atlantic Provinces	518,468	767,296	6,126,672	7,004,580
Quebec	874,810	1,200,330	12,306,890	12,181,850
Ontario	3,385,527	2,297,170	20,330,750	21,453,982
Manitoba	291,660	301,376	3,205,524	2,785,516
Saskatchewan	594,674	236,608	3,222,024	2,608,295
Alberta	609,940	564,830	3,495,259	3,492,549
British Columbia	771,344	858,210	6,741,957	6,562,307
Totals	7,046,423	6,225,820	55,429,076	56,089,079

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

Shipped to	September		Nine months ended September	
	1967	1968	1967	1968
square feet - 1/2 inch basis				
<u>Other board</u>				
Atlantic Provinces	58,915	42,550	339,036	437,894
Quebec	1,700,558	1,333,954	10,895,767	11,563,551
Ontario	1,798,665	1,029,594	10,265,434	10,397,459
Manitoba	30,845	94,090	319,841	429,163
Saskatchewan	-	-	16,436	77,202
Alberta	138,906	80,901	569,015	473,692
British Columbia	34,281	56,215	181,659	447,255
Totals	3,762,170	2,637,304	22,587,188	23,826,216

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

	September		Nine months ended September	
	1967	1968	1967	1968
square feet - 1/2 inch basis				
<u>Rigid insulating board</u> <u>(Wood fibre) all types</u>				
Production	44,009,477	45,578,311	393,863,962	387,054,318
Shipped to:				
Atlantic Provinces	2,549,028	2,650,180	19,723,980	21,333,886
Quebec	14,547,405	16,301,836	114,802,872	113,968,359
Ontario	18,385,791	18,953,205	134,121,219	135,285,649
Manitoba	3,161,005	2,850,508	20,127,280	18,702,279
Saskatchewan	2,523,657	1,223,628	13,685,558	11,045,583
Alberta	4,737,850	4,363,936	28,248,270	28,095,250
British Columbia	2,746,100	3,334,587	22,077,645	23,900,219
Total domestic	48,650,836	49,677,880	352,786,824	352,331,225
Export	4,119,824	5,268,222	27,511,943	38,553,767
Total shipped	52,770,660	54,946,102	380,298,767	390,884,992



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

	September		Nine months ended September	
	1967	1968	1967	1968
	surface - square feet			
<u>Production</u>				
Acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels	2,162,349	3,372,886	22,207,519	26,873,239
Non-acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels	436,018	-	496,622	677,529
Totals	2,598,367	3,372,886	22,704,141	27,550,768
<u>Shipments</u>				
Acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels	3,245,339	3,357,290	24,285,922 ^r	27,055,597
Non-acoustic mineral tiles and ceiling panels	32,340	86,775	341,410	635,442
Totals	3,277,679	3,444,065	24,627,332 ^r	27,691,039

(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.

^r Revised figures.

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

	July		Seven months ended July					
	1967	1968	1967	1968				
	cwt.	\$'000	cwt.	\$'000	cwt.	\$'000	cwt.	\$'000
Building board, n.e.s.	6,450	58	11,081	83	31,829	272	44,098	381

Source: "Imports by Commodities", D.B.S. Catalogue No. 65-007.

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