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RIGID INSULATING BOARD INDUSTRY

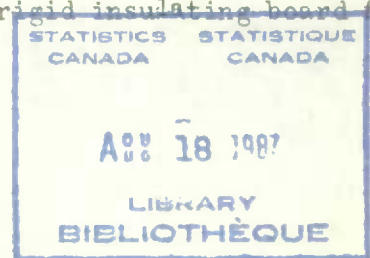
January, 1951

	Panel Board	Plaster base board	Roof board	Miscellaneous board	Total
	Sq. Ft.	Sq. Ft.	Sq. Ft.	Sq. Ft.	Sq. Ft.
<u>PRODUCTION</u>					
January, 1951					23,350,202
January, 1950					14,064,251
December, 1950					24,098,985
December, 1949					17,175,475
Twelve months, 1950					227,269,232
Twelve months, 1949					227,745,924
Twelve months, 1948					220,684,241
<u>DOMESTIC SALES</u>					
January, 1951	15,525,570.	3,023,748	3,014,846	1,376,476	22,940,640
January, 1950	9,753,182	1,175,174	1,342,850	740,065	13,011,271
December, 1950	14,762,880	3,080,845	3,657,846	2,025,735	23,527,306
December, 1949	12,425,033	1,241,630	1,911,106	1,145,599	16,723,368
Twelve months, 1950	144,913,276	31,564,351	33,221,346	17,497,259	227,196,232
Twelve months, 1949	158,173,071	18,248,329	25,278,047	15,590,604	217,290,051
Twelve months, 1948	133,229,194	18,770,055	25,447,757	12,367,911	189,814,917

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 domestic sales of rigid insulating board for further manufacture into insulated siding are excluded.

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