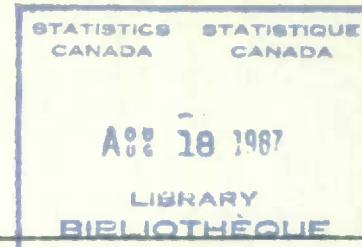


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## RIGID INSULATING BOARD INDUSTRY

October, 1951

	Panel Board	Plaster base board	Roof board	Miscel- laneous board	Total
	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.
<u>PRODUCTION</u>					
October, 1951 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,380,745
October, 1950 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,540,667
September, 1951 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24,335,707
September, 1950 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,426,168
Ten months, 1951 ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	246,079,185
Ten months, 1950 ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	178,873,162
Twelve months, 1950 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	227,269,232
Twelve months, 1949 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	227,745,924
Twelve months, 1948 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	220,684,241
<u>DOMESTIC SALES:</u>					
October, 1951 .....	17,479,950	2,754,769	4,564,945	1,938,343	26,738,007
October, 1950 .....	11,939,815	3,674,342	3,902,027	1,554,207	21,070,391
September, 1951 .....	13,103,061	2,787,942	4,568,535	1,625,537	22,085,075
September, 1950 .....	10,523,386	3,878,756	3,393,272	1,436,127	19,231,541
Ten months, 1951 ....	146,806,416	29,601,808	38,912,781	18,386,844	233,707,849
Ten months, 1950 ....	115,916,974	25,029,726	24,965,610	13,733,467	179,645,777
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 manufacturing into insulated siding are excluded

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