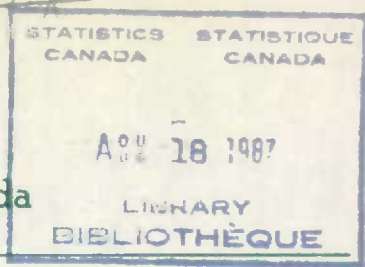




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RIGID INSULATING BOARD INDUSTRY

September, 1952

	Panel Board Sq. ft.	Plaster base board Sq. ft.	Roof Board Sq. ft.	Miscellaneous board Sq. ft.	Total Sq. ft.
<u>PRODUCTION</u>					
September 1952 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,126,562
September 1951 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24,335,707
August 1952 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,952,234
August 1951 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,030,335
Nine months 1952 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	174,634,774
Nine months 1951 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	221,730,860
Twelve months 1951 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	292,396,075
Twelve months 1950 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	227,269,232
Twelve months 1949 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	222,745,924
<u>DOMESTIC SALES</u>					
September 1952	14,689,862	1,951,563	5,231,451	1,518,556	23,391,432
September 1951	13,103,061	2,787,942	4,568,535	1,625,537	22,085,075
August 1952	11,655,416	1,712,886	4,485,718	1,387,862	19,241,882
August 1951	15,100,545	2,370,861	5,848,621	1,722,841	25,042,868
Nine months 1952 ...	106,648,463	10,784,759	32,697,787	16,975,495	167,106,504
Nine months 1951 ...	130,367,455	26,847,039	36,281,471	16,448,501	209,944,466
Twelve months 1951 .	171,003,498	31,962,231	48,176,133	21,934,323	273,076,185
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

Note: 1951 revised from January 1st.

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.

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