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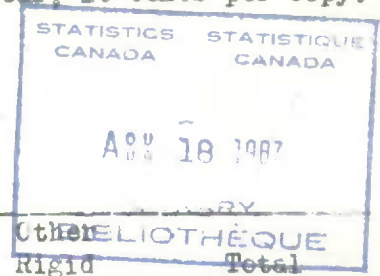
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## RIGID INSULATING BOARD INDUSTRY

June, 1953



	Building Board (Panels)	Asphalted Sheathing Board	Lath for Plaster Base	Roof Insulation Board	Other Rigid Boards	Total
	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.	Sq. ft.
<b>PRODUCTION</b>						
June, 1953	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,202,967
June, 1952	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,056,960
May, 1953	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,529,368
May, 1952	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,913,964
6 months, 1953	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	130,074,132
6 months, 1952	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	122,490,933
12 months, 1952	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	241,439,869
<b>DOMESTIC SHIPMENTS</b>						
June, 1953	9,527,909	5,292,940	1,378,956	4,438,360	2,536,173	23,174,338
June, 1952	9,727,291	3,801,736	990,233	4,312,587	2,331,593	21,163,440
May, 1953	9,129,685	5,072,307	1,197,869	3,458,522	2,960,671	21,819,054
May, 1952	8,834,030	3,185,865	1,038,686	2,899,991	2,422,206	18,380,778
6 months, 1953	52,821,312	22,652,388	9,065,009	22,144,990	14,954,805	121,638,504
6 months, 1952	51,266,551	14,599,082	5,602,345	18,650,656	12,749,361	102,867,995
12 months, 1952	106,900,768	36,421,085	16,283,679	47,684,705	27,755,188	235,045,425

All 1952 figures have been revised by the reporting firms.

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 shipments of rigid insulating board for further manufacture into insulating siding are excluded.

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