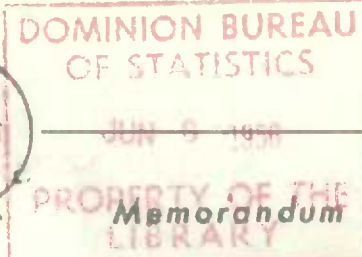


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SALES OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND LACQUERS

Table 1 - Sales of Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers.

	April, 1955	April, 1956
	\$	\$
<u>Trade sales</u>		
(a) Paints, varnishes, lacquers, thinners and removers, except (b)	6,037,684	6,471,035
(b) All water-reducible types including latex emulsion, resin emulsion, casein, cement, calcimine, etc., in paste, powder or liquid form	1,399,766	1,535,888
<u>Industrial sales</u>		
(a) Product finishes, special maintenance finishes and thinners	2,852,745	3,527,057
(b) Cellulose type lacquers and thinners	697,233	836,717
TOTAL	10,987,428	12,370,697

Table 2 - Sales of Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers.

	Four months ended April, 1955	Four months ended April, 1956
	\$	\$
<u>Trade sales</u>		
(a) Paints, varnishes, lacquers, thinners and removers, except (b)	17,891,084	19,922,111
(b) All water-reducible types including latex emulsion, resin emulsion, casein, cement, calcimine, etc., in paste, powder or liquid form	4,166,123	4,552,409
<u>Industrial sales</u>		
(a) Product finishes, special maintenance finishes and thinners	10,024,316	11,853,144
(b) Cellulose type lacquers and thinners	2,854,223	3,075,949
TOTAL	34,935,746	39,403,613

NOTE: This report covers firms which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production. The figures have not been expanded to 100 per cent.

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