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SALES OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND LACQUERSTable 1 - Sales of Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers, February

	1956	1957
	\$	\$
<u>Trade sales</u>		
(a) Paints, varnishes, lacquers, thinners and removers, except (b)	4,440,230	4,689,949
(b) All water-reducible types including latex emulsion, resin emulsion, casein, cement, calcimine, etc., in paste, powder or liquid form	990,671	1,086,072
<u>Industrial sales</u>		
(a) Product finishes, special maintenance finishes and thinners	2,672,522	2,706,555
(b) Cellulose type lacquers and thinners	694,244	716,452
TOTAL	8,797,667	9,199,028

Table 2 - Sales of Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers, Two Months Ended Feb.

	1956	1957
	\$	\$
<u>Trade sales</u>		
(a) Paints, varnishes, lacquers, thinners and removers, except (b)	8,563,535	8,385,568
(b) All water-reducible types including latex emulsion, resin emulsion, casein, cement, calcimine, etc., in paste, powder or liquid form	1,892,543	2,040,918
<u>Industrial sales</u>		
(a) Product finishes, special maintenance finishes and thinners	5,231,708	5,723,198
(b) Cellulose type lacquers and thinners	1,454,358	1,494,406
TOTAL	17,142,144	17,644,090

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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