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SALES OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND LACQUERS, OCTOBER, 1947

Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers by manufacturers, which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production, amounted to \$6,352,437 in October, 1947 compared with \$5,586,300 in September, 1947. In October, 1947 the trade sales (exclusive of water paints) accounted for about 47 per cent of the total, industrial sales for 35 per cent, water paints for 3 per cent, and unclassified sales for 15 per cent.

Table 1 - Sales of Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers, October, 1946 and 1947, and Ten Months Ended October, 1946 and 1947

| | 1 | 1946 | 1947 |
|----|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| | October | \$ | \$ |
| 1. | Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under Item 3). | 2,646,803 | 3,015,556 |
| 2. | Industrial Sales - (a) Paints and varnishes (except Item 3) (b) Lacquers | 1,431,259 390,816 | 1,827,604 394,584 |
| 3. | Sales of all types of water paints | 168,798 | 181,486 |
| 4. | Unclassified sales | 578,890 | 933,207 |
| | Total All Sales | 5;216,566 | 6,352,437 |
| 1. | Ten Months Ended October Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under Item 3). | 25,955,119 | 31,246,134 |
| 2. | Industrial Sales - (a) Paints and varnishes (except Item 3) (b) Lacquers | 14,272,370 3,607,224 | 17,181,749 4,083,528 |
| 3. | Sales of all types of water paints | 1,455,833 | 1,404,149 |
| 4. | Unclassified sales | 5,110,127 | 6,446,708 |
| | Total All Sales | 50,400,673 | 60,362,268 |

The above figures are for firms which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production.



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