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SALES OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND LACQUERS

AUGUST, 1948

Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers by manufacturers, which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production, amounted to \$6,995,520 in August, 1948, compared with \$5,939,132 in August, 1947. In August, 1948 the trade sales (exclusive of water paints) accounted for about 50 per cent of the total, industrial sales for 36 per cent, water paints for 1 per cent, and unclassified sales for 13 per cent.

Sales of Paints, Varmishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers, August, 1947 and 1948 and Eight Months Ended August, 1947 and 1948

| | | 1947 | 1948 |
|------|---|---|---|
| | August | \$ | \$ |
| | Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers | | |
| | (except water paints as given under Item 3). | 3,105,820 | 3,460,320 |
| 3. 3 | Industrial Sales - (a) Paints and varnishes (except Item 3) (b) Lacquers | 1,654,466 423,106 135,276 620,464 | 2,122,751 435,968 75,635 900,846 |
| | TOTAL ALL SAIES | 5,939,132 | 6,995,520 |
| | Eight Months Ended August | | |
| | Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under Item 3). Industrial Sales - | 25,390,239 | 30,713,097 |
| | (a) Paints and varnishes (except Item 3) (b) Lacquers | 13,567,070 3,337,775 1,080,664 5,047,783 | 16,225,824 3,512,918 945,613 8,949,587 |
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Note: The above figures are for firms which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production.

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