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SALES OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND LACQUERS

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Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers by manufacturers which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production amounted to \$6,574,705 in December, 1950 compared with \$4,244,365 in 1949. In December, 1950, the trade sales (exclusive of water paints) accounted for about 48 per cent of the total, industrial sales for 38 per cent, water paints for 3 per cent, and unclassified sales for 10 per cent.

Sales of Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers, December, 1949 and 1950 and Twelve Months Ended December, 1949 and 1950

	1949	1950
	\$	\$
December		
1. Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under item 3)	2,080,131	3,177,030
2. Industrial Sales -		
(a) Paints and varnishes (except item 3) (b) Lacquers	1,433,349 318,817	2,108,816 411,964
3. Sales of all types of water paints of own manufacture	152,792	210,138
4. Unclassified sales	259,276	666,757(*)
Total all sales	4,244,365	6,574,705
Twelve months ended December		
1. Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under item 3)	40,500,364	46,521,930
2. <u>Industrial Sales</u> - (a) Paints and varnishes (except item 3)	22,815,804	25,878,543
	4,829,082	5,239,801
(b) Lacquers	1,909,435	
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^(*) Products of own manufacture only in 1950.

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



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