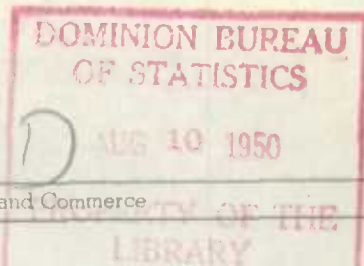


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SALES OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND LACQUERS

Price 10 cents

JUNE - 1950

Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers by manufacturers which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production amounted to \$9,281,580 in June, 1950 compared with \$8,705,487 in May. In June, 1950 the trade sales (exclusive of water paints) accounted for about 56 per cent of the total, industrial sales for 31 per cent, water paints for 5 per cent, and unclassified sales for 8 per cent.

Table 1 - Sales of Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers, June, 1949 and 1950, and Six Months Ended June, 1949 and 1950

	1949	1950
	\$	\$
<u>J U N E</u>		
1. Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under Item 3)	4,506,835	5,172,198
2. Industrial Sales -		
(a) Paints and varnishes (except Item 3) ..	2,343,626	2,431,843
(b) Lacquers	465,440	457,561
3. Sales of all types of water paints -		
(a) Water paints of own manufacture	114,551	466,200
(b) Painters' accessory items, water-mixed, of own manufacture	9,334
4. Unclassified sales	1,291,727	744,444 (*)
Total all sales	8,722,179	9,281,580

SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE

1. Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under Item 3)	22,812,568	23,884,271
2. Industrial Sales -		
(a) Paints and varnishes (except Item 3) ..	11,953,434	11,780,486
(b) Lacquers	2,589,919	2,534,069
3. Sales of all types of water paints -		
(a) Water paints of own manufacture	868,340	2,383,497
(b) Painters' accessory items, water-mixed, of own manufacture	49,509
4. Unclassified sales	5,607,129	2,003,706 (*)
Total all sales	43,831,390	42,635,538

(*) 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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