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SALES OF PAINTS, VARNISHES AND LACQUERSAPRIL - 1953

Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers by manufacturers, which normally account for 96 per cent of the total Canadian production, amounted to \$10,928,175 in April, 1953, compared with \$10,177,995 in 1952. In April, 1953, the trade sales (exclusive of water paint.) accounted for about 49 per cent of the total, industrial sales for 34 per cent, water paints for 2 per cent, latex emulsion for 9 per cent, and unclassified sales for 6 per cent.

Table 1 - Sales of Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers, April, 1952 and 1953

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	\$	\$
<u>April</u>		
1. Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under item 3)	5,313,804	5,359,075
2. Industrial Sales -		
(a) Paints and varnishes (except item 3)...	2,912,607	3,179,920
(b) Lacquers	476,521	563,508
3. Sales of all types of water paints of own manufacture	892,763*	212,665
4. Latex emulsion paints of own manufacture.....	Not Available	917,398
5. Unclassified sales.....	582,300	695,609
Total all sales.....	10,177,995	10,928,175

Table 2 - Sales of Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers by Canadian Producers, Four Months Ended April, 1952 and 1953

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	\$	\$
<u>Four Months Ended April</u>		
1. Trade Sales of paints, varnishes and lacquers (except water paints as given under item 3)	16,698,296	17,662,780
2. Industrial Sales -		
(a) Paints and varnishes (except item 3)...	10,113,400	11,375,489
(b) Lacquers	1,865,469	2,148,306
3. Sales of all types of water paints of own manufacture	2,549,389*	869,947
4. Latex emulsion paints of own manufacture.....	Not Available	2,554,976
5. Unclassified sales.....	1,414,612	1,978,699
Total all sales.....	32,641,166	36,590,197

* Revised.

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

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