

## SOAPS AND SYNTHETIC DETERGENTS

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Table 1 - Production and Factory Shipments of Soaps and Synthetic Detergents, November

	1957			1958		
	Production	Factory shipments		Production	Factory shipments	
	Quantity	Quantity	Value*	Quantity	Quantity	Value*
	(Pounds)	(Pounds)	\$	(Pounds)	(Pounds)	\$
<b>HARD SOAPS:</b>						
Bar laundry and household soaps:						
(a) Built .....	42,171	51,292	5,871	47,358	52,767	6,559
(b) Not built .....	1,220,666	1,109,208	190,541	1,314,535	1,319,364	236,994
Soap chips and flakes:						
(a) In household packages (under 25 pounds)	344,675	351,194	97,345	280,331	300,959	87,195
(b) In bulk (25 pounds and over) .....	1,414,507	1,163,215	135,919	1,199,088	1,050,729	126,579
Toilet soaps (except liquid) .....	3,973,492	3,145,076	1,056,874	4,843,437	3,170,672	1,196,170
Soap powders:						
(a) In household packages (under 25 pounds)	3,034,452	2,361,285	576,531	1,349,431	2,027,818	515,540
(b) In bulk (25 pounds and over) .....	720,781	586,748	84,952	788,523	774,549	110,304
<b>SYNTHETIC DETERGENTS:</b>						
Solid:						
(a) In household packages (under 25 pounds)	13,387,433	11,927,105	3,437,337	13,203,997	11,647,971	3,523,848
(b) In bulk (25 pounds and over) .....	1,215,310	947,518	186,466	1,149,442	994,650	187,823
Liquid:						
(a) Packaged (when in individual containers of less than 1 gal.) .....	3,196,637	2,983,056	993,102	3,364,823	3,047,908	1,097,855
(b) Bulk (when in individual containers of 1 gal. or more) .....	163,771	166,686	50,061	250,584	254,829	82,186
Paste:						
Bulk (when in individual containers of 1 gal. or more) .....	107,935	86,400	16,794	137,580	145,622	16,371
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	xxx	xxx	6,831,793	xxx	xxx	7,187,424

\* f.o.b. plant, excluding sales tax and excise duties.

NOTE: The above figures are for firms which normally account for 95 per cent of the total Canadian production.  
These figures have not been expanded.

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Table 2 - Production and Factory Shipments of Soaps and Synthetic Detergents. Eleven Months Ended November

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	Production	Factory shipments		Production	Factory shipments	
		Quantity	Value*		Quantity	Value*
	(Pounds)	(Pounds)	\$	(Pounds)	(Pounds)	\$
<b>HARD SOAPS:</b>						
Bar laundry and household soaps:						
(a) Built .....	702,873	847,604	107,284	651,477	708,691	85,317
(b) Not built .....	11,985,168	12,652,115	2,151,204	13,513,421	12,977,876	2,265,972
Soap chips and flakes:						
(a) In household packages (under 25 pounds) .	4,710,787	4,855,869	1,334,058	4,171,868	4,280,999	1,196,932
(b) In bulk (25 pounds and over) .....	12,823,826	12,575,829	1,488,127	12,582,749	12,668,080	1,542,978
Toilet soaps (except liquid) .....	35,675,863	36,861,810	12,150,539	38,282,961	36,858,919	13,236,116
Soap powders:						
(a) In household packages (under 25 pounds) .	30,515,601	30,236,590	7,026,325	24,870,284	26,326,640	6,461,436
(b) In bulk (25 pounds and over) .....	8,928,115	8,605,941	1,173,337	8,285,091	8,495,805	1,072,183
<b>SYNTHETIC DETERGENTS:</b>						
Solid:						
(a) In household packages (under 25 pounds) .	123,698,766	124,180,700	35,073,231	129,097,847	132,714,299	38,908,997
(b) In bulk (25 pounds and over) .....	10,351,362	10,126,069	1,959,970	13,074,609	11,288,057	2,128,540
Liquid:						
(a) Packaged (when in individual containers of less than 1 gal.) .....	21,155,535	21,298,331	7,768,150	30,202,090	29,937,628	10,578,420
(b) Bulk (when in individual containers of 1 gal. or more) .....	1,803,675	1,919,711	576,441	2,423,644	2,340,634	768,222
Paste:						
Bulk (when in individual containers of 1 gal. or more) .....	943,055	913,217	174,212	945,995	998,696	166,415
TOTAL .....	xxx	xxx	70,982,878	xxx	xxx	78,411,528

\* f.o.b. plant, excluding sales tax and excise duties.

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