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TRADE AND INVESTMENT PROMOTION PLANNING SYSTEM

90/91 SECTOR/SUB-SECTOR HIGHLIGHTS

Mission: BOSTON Market: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Sector: CONSUMER PRODUCTS & SERVICES

Sub-Sector: FURNITURE & APPLIANCES

Market Data	2 Years Ago	1 Year Ago	Current Year (Estimated)	Next Year (Projected)
Market Size	2880.00 \$M	3110.00 \$M	3200.00 \$M	3000.00 \$M
Canadian Exports Canadian Share	144.00 \$M 5.00 %	155.50 \$M 5.00 %	160.00 \$M 5.00 %	150.00 \$M 5.00 %
of Market				

Cumulative 3 year export potential for CDN products in this sector/subsector: 100+

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Major Competing Countries Market Share

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	80.00 %
WEST EUROPE	5.00 %
TAIWAN	2.00 %
JAPAN	2.00 %
KOREA	2.00 %
OTHER COUNTRIES	4.00 %

Current Status of Canadian exports in this sector/subsector: Well established and growing

Products/services for which there are good market prospects:

1. Contract

Factors contributing to current successful Canadian exports:

- Import restrictions are not a significant impediment in this sector
- Aggressive marketing
- Trade Fair activity
- Competitive pricing
- Bilateral economic trade agreement

Factors for Canadian exports not reaching market pot	centi:	i a	a	١,	1	
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