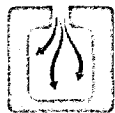
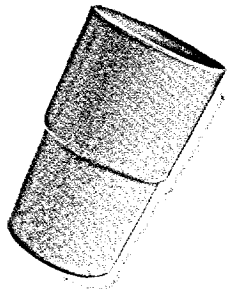


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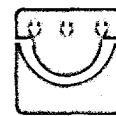
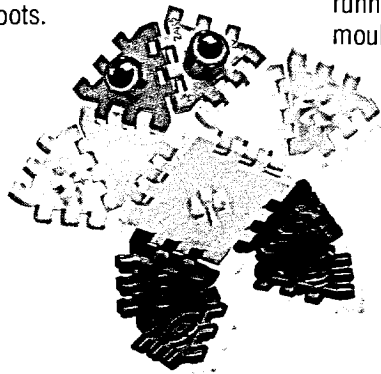
Canadian plastics mould and die makers export more than \$250 million worth of tooling world-wide. They have a depth of experience and expertise unsurpassed by any other nation's industry.



Blow Moulds

Plastics mould and die makers are diverse specialists. They have to be technologically advanced to utilize the latest in computer achievements, such as CAD/CAM, while not losing sight of the art of their craft. They are the modern day sculptors cutting images from steel and aluminum for the mass production of plastic products.

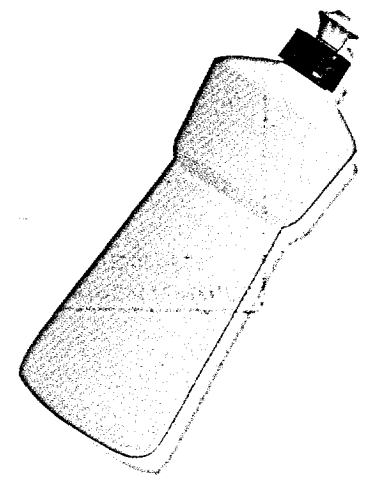
The range of these products is diverse. Everything from thin-wall high volume components such as 3.5 inch diskette jackets to blow moulded pink flamingo lawn ornaments, and from simple extruded plastic pipe to complex skate boots.



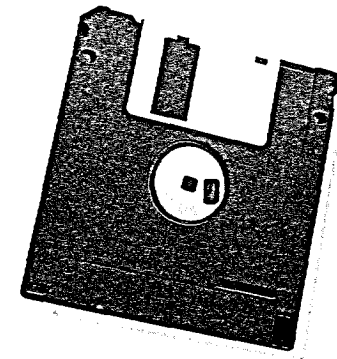
Compression Moulds

While the level of craftsmanship is high, so too is the level of technological skill. Reading the Capabilities listings will indicate the growing number of suppliers who have installed sophisticated CAD/CAM and/or numerical control equipment to speed production and increase quality.

There are 128 mould and die makers for plastics processing equipment, together with Canadian manufacturers of runner and gating systems for moulds, listed in this directory.



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Extrusion Dies