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Export and Investment Promotion Planning System

87/88 Sector/Sub-Sector Highlights Submitted by Posts by Region

Region: UNITED STATES

Mission: 601 BOSTON

Market: 577 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Sector: 015 CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

Subsector: 999 ALL SUB-SECTORS

Statistical Data On Next Year Sector/sub-sector (Projected		1 Year Ago	2 Years Ago
Mkt Size(import) \$ 92.00M	\$ 87.00M	\$ 85.00M	\$ 80.00M
Canadian Exports \$ 72.00M	\$ 70.00M	\$ 68.50M	\$ 65.00M
Canadian Share 78.20%	80. 40%	80. 50%	81.00%
of Import Market			

Major Competing Countries

Market Share

000 % i) 265 JAPAN ii) 577 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 000 %

Cumulative 3 year export potential for CDN products 100 \$M AND UP in this Sector/Subsector:

Current status of Canadian exports: Well established and growing

Products/services for which there are good market prospects

i) PRE-BUILT HOUSING

ii) DOORS AND WINDOWS

Current Total Imports In Canadian \$

16.90 M 3,50 M

The Trade Office reports that the following factors influence Canadian export performance in this market for this sector (sub-sector).

In the Trade Office's opinion, Canadian export performance in this sector (sub-sector) in this market is lower than optimum mainly because of:

- a lack of interest in the market on the part of Canadian exporters
- difficulties of adaptation of marketing techniques to the market by some Canadian companies
- other factor(s) described by the Trade Office as follows: NOT YET APPARENT WHETHER LUMBER DUTIES WILL AFFECT MARKET.