

Apparent Consumption of Plastic Resins (000 tons)

	<u>1981</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>1986</u>	<u>1987</u>	<u>1992(e)</u>
Production	655.2	668.0	833.3	936.0	1027.7	1598.0
+ Imports	312.2	308.1	299.1	261.7	209.6	323.0
- Exports	2.1	78.1	137.8	177.4	204.3	305.0
Total Apparent Consumption	965.2	898.1	994.7	1020.2	1033.0	1616.0

(e)=(Estimated)

1987 Apparent Consumption of Selected Plastic Resins
(000 tons)

<u>Product</u>	<u>Installed Capacity</u>	<u>Prod.</u>	<u>Imp.</u>	<u>Exp.</u>	<u>Apparent Consumption</u>
Low Den. Polyethylene	339,	275,	23,	--	298,
High Den. Polyethylene	100,	75,	56,	--	131,
Polyvinyl Chloride	302,	280,	2,	5,	129,
Polystyrene	164,	128,	.5	31,	97,
Polypropylene Resins	---	---	85,	--	85,
Vinyl Polyacetate	80,	70,	--	.9	69,
Urea Resins	100,	62,	.02	.04	62,
Polyurethane Resins	66,	24,	.3	--	24,
Unsaturated Polyester	37,	18,	.9	--	19,
Alkyd Resins	40,	24,	.1	6,	18,
ABS Resins	26,	13,	2,	.35	14,
Phenolic Resins	61,	13,	.1	.031	13,
Epoxy Resins	14,	4,	1,	--	5,
Cop AC Vinyl Chloride	15,	10,	.1	4,	5,
Melamine Resins	11,	4,	.2	.004	4,
Thermoplastic Polyester	14,	8,	.1	4,	2,
Other	229,	15,	36,	2,	52,
T o t a l	1,600,	1,027.	210,	204,	1,033,