

National Paint and Coatings Association

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- Product shipments by U.S. paint and coatings producers totaled \$22.9 billion in 2005, up by eight percent, or \$1.6 billion, from 2004.
- The value of product shipments by the architectural coatings sector totaled \$9.3 billion in 2005, the highest value within the paint and coatings industry, jumping by \$1.5 billion from 2004.
- The next largest segment was product finishes for original equipment manufacturers at \$6.2 billion in 2005, growing by nearly one billion dollars since 2002.
- The value of product shipments for the special-purpose coatings sector ranked third at \$4.3 billion in 2005, growing by 30 percent since 2002, the fastest growth rate among all paint and coatings industry sectors.
- Paint and coatings product shipments represented four percent of all product shipments from the chemical manufacturing industry in 2005.

Notes about Methodology

Data are based on the following 5 seven-digit North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) product codes:

3255101	Architectural coatings
3255104	Product finishes for original equipment manufacturers (OEM)
3255107	Special-purpose coatings incl. all marine, industrial, etc.
325510B	Miscellaneous allied paint products, incl. paint removers, etc.
325510W	Paint and coating manufacturing, not specified by kind, total

The source is the U.S. Census Bureau's Annual Survey of Manufactures, Value of Product Shipments.

Product shipments cover the total value of all products produced and shipped by all producers. These product shipments represent the value of receipts, value of production, or value of work done. 2005 data are the most recent available.

Data at this level of detail are only available at the national level. Geographic area data by state are not offered by the U.S. government at the seven-digit NAICS product code level.