

Sales & Production of Paints in Japan 2012  
(1 Jan 2012 to 31 Dec 2012)

2013/2/15

Type of Paint		Production Volume		Sales					
		Volume (ton)	2012/2011	Volume (ton)	2012/2011	Value (Million JPY)	2012/2011		
<b>Nitro cellulose lacquers</b>		17,622	97.6	11,410	100.6	6,102	102.0		
<b>Insulating enamel &amp; varnishes</b>		25,807	98.8	24,813	98.1	18,703	105.7		
<b>Synthetic resin base</b>	<b>Organic solvent type</b>	Alkyd resin enamels & varnishes	22,552	99.1	22,509	97.7	10,916	99.7	
		Alkyd resin base paints (Household and maintenance use)	22,075	101.7	20,667	98.5	8,445	103.2	
		Alkyd resin base anticorrosive paints	42,712	103.5	44,100	103.7	11,433	105.7	
		Thermo setting amino-alkyd enamels & varnishes	65,019	103.9	62,382	102.4	31,850	104.2	
		Acrylic resin enamels & varnishes:	Air drying type	48,026	113.2	49,185	113.5	33,733	103.4
			Baking type	38,794	112.5	36,309	108.9	27,869	109.8
		Epoxy resin base paints	122,235	98.6	142,930	99.6	53,704	99.1	
		Urethane base paints	118,875	90.3	132,462	91.1	96,978	105.3	
		Unsaturated polyester enamels & varnishes	10,476	100.2	9,825	90.1	7,551	95.2	
		Ship's bottom paints	15,019	90.5	18,947	90.7	10,846	87.9	
	Others	91,895	98.9	83,218	97.5	60,243	100.0		
	Sub-total		597,678	99.5	622,534	98.8	353,567	102.4	
	<b>Water thinnable type</b>	Emulsion paints	178,444	104.5	167,947	105.6	55,677	108.9	
		With aggregates	24,926	106.7	33,157	100.7	6,107	103.7	
		Water-borne coatings (including ED.)	165,197	106.8	164,058	107.6	60,748	109.1	
		Sub-total	368,567	105.6	365,162	106.0	122,532	108.7	
<b>Non solvent</b>	Powder coatings	32,281	106.0	37,858	104.4	26,082	106.7		
	Road-marking paints	64,903	110.6	69,305	109.9	7,146	113.1		
	Sub-total	97,184	109.0	107,163	107.9	33,228	108.0		
<b>Synthetic resin base Total</b>		1,063,429	102.4	1,094,859	101.9	509,328	104.2		
<b>Miscellaneous</b>		74,502	98.1	132,763	94.4	60,995	97.8		
<b>Thinners</b>		431,853	106.9	472,950	108.0	81,159	105.0		
<b>Grand Total</b>		1,613,213	103.2	1,736,795	102.8	676,286	103.7		

Source: Industrial Statistics, "Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry"