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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This bulletin contains statistics of production in Australia of mines and factory products. Production statistics for the Australian Capital Territory and the Northern Territory have been included from July 1968. alphabetical index of these products is given on pages 2, 3 and 4.

2. The following details are shown for each product:

- (a) Annual totals for the last three complete financial years;
- (b) Totals for the most recent six-monthly and three-monthly periods;
- (c) Totals for the corresponding periods, twelve months earlier;
- (d) Monthly details for each of the latest fourteen months, where available.

3. The figures for the years 1965-66 and 1966-67 are mostly derived from Annual Factory Census returns collected by the Deputy Commonwealth Statistician in each State. In a small number of cases returns are accepted from factories for a year other than the normal financial year ending on 30 June.

4. The monthly figures are also based for the most part on returns collected by the Deputy Commonwealth Statisticians. Where another authority is the source, this is shown in a footnote. Monthly figures from July 1967 onwards may be revised when the results of the Annual Factory Census for 1967-68 become available.

5. For the purpose of factory statistics collections, a factory is taken to be a manufacturing establishment in which four or more persons are employed or in which power other than manual is used. Any production in small establishments not classified as factories is not included in the figures shown.

6. Further details in respect of many of the items will be found on an annual basis in Principal Factory Products and in the series of Manufacturing Industries Bulletins published by this Bureau, and on a monthly basis, in the Monthly Production Summaries, also issued by this Bureau.

7. This bulletin contains data of monthly output of over 350 products. The items for which quantity of output is published are not, however, selected as representative of all factory output, and the tables should be read only as showing monthly trends in output of the individual items or groups of items listed.

8. The bulletin contains seasonally adjusted statistics of several items. In the seasonal adjustment, account has been taken not only of normal seasonal factors but also of "trading-day" effects (arising from the varying numbers of Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, etc. in the month) and the influence of Easter and Australia Day which may, in successive years, affect figures for different months. The seasonally adjusted statistics in this issue have been revised following an annual re-analysis. Details of this are provided in "Seasonally Adjusted Indicators - 1969". (Ref.No.1.10)

9. It has not been possible as yet to develop current monthly or quarterly indexes of factory production.

10. Most items are identified by Commodity Codes which are derived from the Commodity Classification used in Australian Factory Statistics. In some cases where data is derived from sources other than Factory Collections, no Commodity Code is shown.

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11. Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in tables are due to rounding.

The following symbols are used in this bulletin:

n.a.	Not available
r	Figures or series revised since previous issue.
..	Nil or less than half of the final digit shown.
—	Break in continuity of series (where drawn across a column).
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Tin	5		
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Toasters, electric	16		
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	24		
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Period	Ferrous metals (a)						Non-ferrous refined metals (b)					
	Iron ore pellets (c)	Pig iron (d)	Ingot steel (d)		Blooms and slabs	Tin-plate	Copper	Lead (f)	Tin	Zinc	Precious metals	
			Original	Seas. adj. (e)							Gold (g)	Silver
Code No.		442.04, 08	442.10-19		442.28	444.48	452.04	453.04	456.04	457.04	455.04	455.64
			- '000 tons -				tons	'000 tons	tons	'000 tons	- '000 fine oz -	
Year 1965-66	..	4,380	5,561	..	4,823	239	91,588	188	3,524	197	774	8,766
1966-67	..	4,893	6,057	..	5,233	257	74,313	192	3,224	197	726	9,749
1967-68	744	5,209	6,298	..	5,483	254	71,952	187	3,955	188	655	9,527
Latest 6 months 1968-69	2,633	2,988	3,394	..	2,908	136	47,172	86.8	1,828	112.3		
Same 6 months 1967-68	(h)	2,559	3,092	..	2,704	128	30,877	94.0	2,055	90.2	328	4,495
Latest 3 months 1968-69	1,397	1,490	1,704	..	1,446	67.4	22,964	40.9	783	54.6		
Same 3 months 1967-68	(h)	1,326	1,547	..	1,342	57.8	13,902	45.7	878	44.5	141	2,226
Month - 1968 February	(h)	420	477	515	416	18.9	4,193	14.1	327	13.9	46.0	640
March	(h)	460	546	551	470	17.2	5,383	16.4	251	14.9	52.8	833
April	(h)	442	528	567	448	16.6	7,091	18.4	280	15.8	52.7	896
May	(h)	466	549	537	479	14.8	8,036	13.1	304	15.0	50.7	882
June	(h)	435	503	516	445	15.9	8,795	12.8	273	15.1	67.3	857
July	297	412	495	480	471	18.1	6,767	12.1	208	19.0	64.0	742
August	346	450	550	521	481	20.0	7,551	13.1	316	19.1	49.9	768
September	328	455	537	522	461	22.2	7,445	14.1	388	19.3	51.4	662
October	440	497	565	548	494	22.1	9,438	17.1	314	18.5	49.9	825
November	428	487	534	538	465	22.0	8,559	14.8	292	18.0	66.9	800
December	368	514	591	566	503	24.3	6,211	14.0	439	21.2	45.6	769
1969 January	479	510	579	572	487	22.6	6,669	15.5	318	17.3	42.2	821
February	r463	449	516	586	442	21.9	8,415	13.4	196	17.2	46.3	650
March	455	531	609	608	517	22.9	7,880	12.0	269			

(a) Year ended 31 May for all items except iron ore pellets. (b) Primary origin only. Except for gold, non-ferrous refined metal production data are collected by the Bureau of Mineral Resources. (c) Gross wet weight. (d) Include recovery from scrap. (e) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes. (f) Includes lead content of lead alloys from primary sources but excludes lead-silver bullion produced for export. (g) Newly-won gold of Australian origin. Source : Reserve Bank. (h) Not available for publication.

Period	Metal- lurgical coke	Black coal		Brown coal	Brown coal bri- quettes	Gas (a)		Electricity (b)			
		Original	Season- ally adjusted (d)			Thermal equivalent (c)		Hydro	Thermal	Total	
						Original	Season- ally adjusted (d)			Original	Season- ally adjusted (d)
Code No.	435.22	261.02		261.31	261.41	434.19		499.44	499.46	499.42	
		- '000 tons -				- mil. therms -		- mil. kWh -			
Year 1965-66	3,179	32,250	..	21,555	1,883	294	..	7,105	31,174	38,279	..
1966-67	3,365	34,226	..	22,510	1,820	302	..	7,802	33,682	41,484	..
1967-68	3,678	36,817	..	23,020	1,745	309	..	7,647	36,715	44,362	..
Latest 6 months 1968-69	2,067	20,477	..		594	137	..	4,137	18,425	22,598	..
Same 6 months 1967-68	1,839	17,744	..	10,506	794	127	..	3,627	16,763	20,389	..
Latest 3 months 1968-69	1,015	9,808	..		275	62.3	..	1,841	9,289	11,166	..
Same 3 months 1967-68	910	8,700	..	4,896	370	58.3	..	1,613	8,447	10,060	..
Month - 1968 February	291	3,367	3,145	1,567	127	18.3	24.1	600	2,680	3,280	3,680
March	310	3,341	3,164	1,767	137	21.2	25.0	550	2,991	3,541	3,722
April	300	2,771	3,372	1,864	125	21.9	24.3	574	2,858	3,433	3,665
May	313	3,802	3,308	1,945	136	31.1	28.0	632	3,510	4,143	3,866
June	300	3,263	3,308	2,247	156	33.8	27.6	638	3,618	4,256	3,956
July	315	4,084	3,414	2,055	153	37.5	27.6	728	3,924	4,651	3,890
August	360	3,402	3,503	2,305	158	34.8	27.6	682	3,805	4,487	3,945
September	343	3,545	3,442	2,058	135	29.9	27.7	656	3,389	4,045	3,980
October	355	3,936	3,451	1,910	119	27.8	27.6	881	3,090	3,971	3,936
November	345	3,968	3,674	1,821	118	24.5	27.3	786	3,037	3,823	3,997
Decer ber	352	2,765	3,437	1,574	82	22.6	27.0	629	3,009	3,638	4,026
1969 January	346	2,529	3,565	1,556	70	19.5	26.1	617	2,989	r3,618	r4,079
February	319	r3,627	r3,555	1,545	79	19.5	26.7	555	2,961	r3,527	r3,972
March	350	3,653	3,427		126	23.3	27.4	669	3,339	4,021	4,219

(a) Total gas available for issue. Includes gas manufactured in gas works and gas purchased from oil refineries. Excludes natural gas. (b) Estimated total electricity generated by public utilities, factories generating for their own use, and factories supplying electricity for domestic and other consumption. (c) 1 Therm = 100,000 British thermal units. (d) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period		Petroleum refinery input and products (a)							Steel wire and wire products			
		Total input (b)	Motor spirit	Aviation turbine fuel	Furnace fuel	Auto-motive dis-tillate	Indus-trial diesel fuel	Bitumen	Coiled steel wire		Barbed wire	Welded wire fabric
									Uncoated	Coated		
Code No.									448.04	448.06, 08	448.12	463.08
		'000 tons	- mil. gal -						- '000 tons -		- tons -	
Year 1965-66		17,008	1,524	122	5,340	1,829	859	394	226	111	17,238	97,317
1966-67		19,161	1,763	160	5,759	2,167	901	400	226	125	20,104	106,686
1967-68		20,758	1,897	212	6,206	2,344	984	395	230	116	17,554	116,844
Latest 6 months 1968-69		10,998	1,020	119	3,143	1,330	490	248	128	54.3	7,236	66,381
Same 6 months 1967-68		10,457	966	110	3,115	1,198	488	235	114	52.3	7,337	56,005
Latest 3 months 1968-69		5,335	501	57.9	1,478	656	220	120	56.7	25.8	3,503	30,932
Same 3 months 1967-68		5,017	487	53.8	1,511	608	199	109	55.9	24.3	3,891	26,251
Month - 1968 February		1,546	154	19.1	440	182	85.2	36.2	19.9	7.1	1,364	9,478
March		1,714	156	18.0	500	219	56.2	39.0	18.9	10.0	1,612	9,436
April		1,816	149	18.2	537	190	77.8	37.1	18.4	9.4	1,453	9,267
May		1,857	169	19.7	555	216	83.1	26.5	20.3	11.7	1,761	11,374
June		1,722	146	18.3	499	200	81.1	32.5	17.8	9.0	1,463	8,882
July		1,814	162	13.5	596	187	93.8	20.9	20.9	10.7	1,735	11,855
August		1,849	171	20.8	575	188	93.0	20.3	21.4	11.5	1,813	10,859
September		1,892	157	17.8	579	210	97.6	31.3	21.5	11.0	1,612	11,281
October		1,915	181	19.8	595	220	103.5	34.6	25.0	11.0	1,573	13,836
November		1,759	155	18.0	527	245	82.6	48.5	25.6	9.7	1,239	12,270
December		1,989	183	22.9	543	209	83.7	44.5	20.9	7.8	921	9,343
1969 January		1,845	165	20.4	530	206	66.3	34.1	18.0	6.9	887	8,898
February		1,505	162	17.5	422	205	68.9	37.0	18.9	9.1	1,267	10,978
March		1,985	174	20.0	526	245	85.1	48.8	19.8	9.8	1,349	11,056

- (a) Produced by Australian refineries from imported and indigenous petroleum. Source : Department of National Development.
(b) Includes the input of crude, enriched crude and other petroleum base feedstock.

Period	Steel wire and wire products - contd			Ferrous pipes and tubes		Non-ferrous rolled, extruded and drawn products					Electrodes for manual welding
	Wire nails	Fence posts and droppers	Steel wool	Seamless and welded (b) steel	Cast iron	Pipes and tubes (a)	Rods, bars, and sections	Sheet, plate, strip, etc. (c)	Wire rod	Single wire and wire strip (d)	
Code No.	465.16, 17	461.08	854.01	447 01-19	447.51, 55	(e)	451.40; 452.16, 46	(f)	451.61; 452.22, 52	451.63; 452.25, 56	523.76, 77, 78
	- tons -			- '000 tons -		- '000 cwt -					'000 lb
Year 1965-66	23,414	45,805	1,217	299	107.0	505	822	1,178	1,531	1,269	43,555
1966-67	23,830	67,793	1,180	323	99.1	510	852	1,340	1,428	1,324	45,656
1967-68	22,780	47,613	1,218	298	95.8	507	924	1,307	1,367	1,227	45,124
Latest 6 months 1968-69	7,708	20,141	551	140	47.1	273	530	(g)	760	642	22,506
Same 6 months 1967-68	9,201	18,361	614	140	41.8	242	446	625	625	571	21,104
Latest 3 months 1968-69	1,988	10,790	262	66.2	21.4	125	253	(g)	370	301	9,951
Same 3 months 1967-68	3,462	10,128	305	70.1	18.9	105	213	280	294	264	8,900
Month - 1968 February	2,059	3,961	110	22.5	7.49	36.3	73.4	99	100	100	3,334
March	2,147	3,643	114	25.0	7.95	44.3	85.6	106	144	118	3,862
April	1,884	3,793	105	24.7	7.58	34.3	81.1	112	100	88	3,610
May	2,004	5,628	101	28.5	9.56	44.9	90.5	120	114	108	3,965
June	1,738	5,805	78	23.4	7.50	48.0	80.7	113	139	119	4,010
July	2,134	6,413	100	27.5	6.70	43.9	95.7	128	118	111	4,094
August	2,022	6,211	101	28.2	8.91	44.8	94.1	154	125	113	4,232
September	1,890	4,603	109	26.9	8.63	54.9	96.8	150	149	137	4,645
October	2,133	3,758	106	26.9	9.32	51.8	96.4	149	126	119	4,575
November	2,001	3,268	99	25.4	9.42	52.7	96.9	138	135	118	4,329
December	1,586	2,325	84	21.7	6.92	43.5	83.5	101	129	104	3,651
1969 January	(g)	2,286	83	21.1	4.24	23.9	64.7	(g)	64	45	1,921
February	(g)	3,256	84	22.4	8.29	45.1	92.0	(g)	133	116	3,606
March	1,988	5,248	95	22.7	8.88	55.9	96.0	(g)	173	140	4,424

(a) Excludes hollow rods and bar (b) Diameter 3" and under. (c) Circles, slugs, calots etc. stamped from purchased or imported sheet or strip are not included. Where stamped from sheet or strip produced in own works, the weight of metal included in the statistics is that of the circles, etc. and not the weight of the sheet or strip from which they were stamped. (d) Drawn from rod (excl. re-drawn). (e) Code Nos. 451.21,29; 452.12,42; 453.20. (f) Code Nos. 451.50; 452.20,50; 453.50. (g) Not available for publication.

Period		Electric and telephone cable, wire and strip						Electrical power frequencies transformers, chokes and ballasts (c)				
		Un-insulated		Insulated				For transmission and distribution of power		For fluo-res-cent and neon lights - Hot cathode	For radio and T.V.	For other purposes (incl. for elec-trical welding equip-ment)
		Stranded	Copper - Braided or other wise combined	Copper		Auto-motive and similar low voltage	Magnet winding wire and strip (b)					
				Power trans-mission and dis-tribution (a)	Communi-cation elec-tronics and appli-ances (a)							
Code No.	464.12-17	464.24	464.31-38	464.41-43	464.51	464.61-63	683.03-11	683.53-61	683.13, 15,17	649.51, 55	683.31, 41,43,45	
	'000 cwt	cwt	- '000	cwt -	'000 yd	cwt	number	'000 kVA	- '000 -			
Year 1965-66	584	1,762	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	19,361	4,397	2,649	1,271	468	
1966-67	487	1,524	348	247	18,454	98,404	16,823	5,095	2,703	879	482	
1967-68	411	1,285	349	282	24,864	95,862	15,815	5,699	2,713	809	563	
Latest 6 months 1968-69	245	729	191	128	13,802	46,099	7,842	2,446	1,211	360	246	
Same 6 months 1967-68	181	595	170	130	11,938	44,345	7,771	2,870	1,325	383	254	
Latest 3 months 1968-69	114.2	365	88.4	57.8	6,706	22,201	3,731	1,326	554	171	101	
Same 3 months 1967-68	80.0	265	79.1	59.4	6,212	21,012	3,345	1,401	559	186	123	
Month - 1968 February	30.0	98	29.6	27.0	2,168	9,003	1,308	449	220	75.8	48.9	
March	38.9	116	31.7	22.4	2,835	9,257	1,429	654	210	76.4	50.7	
April	33.2	115	25.6	22.1	2,326	9,978	1,431	249	190	65.3	58.8	
May	43.2	137	28.4	29.3	2,024	9,028	1,435	368	261	84.4	60.2	
June	42.7	124	25.6	26.6	2,519	8,938	1,221	553	275	71.6	43.5	
July	35.4	163	30.5	28.7	2,876	9,974	1,361	380	268	75.9	47.1	
August	37.0	117	31.3	27.9	3,388	10,024	1,486	434	247	65.3	56.8	
September	48.5	124	33.1	25.8	2,472	10,690	1,367	508	228	66.4	59.6	
October	41.1	104	38.7	28.3	2,451	9,822	1,502	343	221	65.8	59.7	
November	43.8	103	36.8	22.7	2,472	8,852	1,297	352	211	79.3	55.7	
December	45.8	157	27.1	19.0	2,173	5,224	1,312	425	225	43.6	29.9	
1969 January	15.8	68	17.4	9.9	885	3,277	838	284	129	42.1	20.5	
February	42.9	129	34.9	23.9	2,959	9,448	1,471	422	186	61.9	39.8	
March	55.5	168	36.1	24.0	2,862	9,476	1,422	620	239	67.3	40.7	

(a) Weight of copper content only. (b) Total weight. (c) Includes those made and incorporated by manufacturers in their own products. Excludes audio, input, R.F., and higher frequencies types and automotive coils.

Period		Chemicals							Plastic and synthetic resins (a)				
		Acids (in terms of 100% acid)				Chlor- ine	Sodium hyd- roxide (caustic soda)	Sulphate of ammonia (b)	Super- phos- phate (c)	For mould- ing, extru- sion, etc.	For pro- tec- tive coating, paints, etc.	For bonding and adhesive	For other purposes (d)
		Hydro- chlor- ic	Nitric	Sulphuric									
				Ori- ginal	Seas. Adj. (f)								
Code No.		401.29	401.37	401.57	405.82	407.88	405.36	415.07	403.02, 18-96	(e)	404.34, 76,90,96	404.36,64, 78,84,98	
		- tons -		'000 tons		- tons -		'000 tons		- '000 cwt -			
Year 1965-66		5,447	25,522	1,752	..	53,002	75,229	118,387	4,265	1,526	571	284	53.9
1966-67		6,765	31,009	1,991	..	67,587	91,009	110,246	4,430	1,849	615	325	64.1
1967-68		7,851	35,029	1,893	..	75,763	98,190	70,364	4,296	2,226	626	403	82.8
Latest 6 months 1968-69		5,150	26,060	970	..	41,348	53,491	53,402	2,042	1,349	336	203	37.2
Same 6 months 1967-68		4,077	17,077	962	..	37,451	47,190	33,432	2,275	1,066	318	187	40.1
Latest 3 months 1968-69		2,400	15,170	501	..	20,830	26,829	24,113	1,055	695	163	97.2	16.4
Same 3 months 1967-68		1,848	8,336	485	..	18,734	22,944	18,456	1,200	542	142	94.3	18.1
Month - 1968 February		581	2,741	165	160	5,726	7,290	4,167	415	170	57.3	34.4	6.11
March		618	3,018	156	144	6,088	6,613	9,763	348	182	50.8	38.2	5.88
April		582	2,736	171	156	7,087	8,666	4,549	384	207	48.9	31.7	6.37
May		461	2,439	165	153	5,909	7,967	4,970	390	190	56.6	44.1	8.62
June		650	3,030	126	133	6,144	8,496	5,979	256	194	42.8	37.7	7.29
July		591	3,518	119	131	7,222	9,589	5,298	244	223	51.1	33.8	7.07
August		783	3,483	150	157	6,511	8,737	9,041	345	227	49.5	40.4	8.50
September		838	3,289	174	180	7,129	9,452	9,130	368	194	60.2	39.0	6.89
October		959	3,070	165	160	6,499	8,671	8,360	351	198	57.4	36.7	6.69
November		933	4,089	140	151	6,500	8,554	9,324	298	201	65.1	38.9	6.72
December		858	3,731	164	166	7,519	9,437	11,605	338	255	50.7	30.2	7.36
1969 January		794	2,815	157	155	6,551	8,436	9,809	310	220	46.6	20.9	5.64
February		878	4,729	166	166	6,407	8,296	6,648	374	216	56.2	35.8	4.82
March		728	7,626	178	166	7,872	10,097	7,656	371	259	59.7	40.5	5.94

(a) Liquid resins or emulsion forms are shown in terms of dry weight or resin content. (b) Source - Nitrogen Fertilisers Pty Ltd from July 1967 to June 1968. (c) Source - Dept of Primary Industry. Includes double and triple superphosphate and ammonium phosphate expressed in terms of single superphosphate i.e. 22% P₂O₅ equivalent. (d) e.g. textile impregnation, paper treatment, etc. (e) Code Nos 404.02, 32, 40, 48, 62, 74, 88, 94. (f) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period		Code No.	Plastic-cisers	Plastic film, sheeting and coated materials		Building materials							
			All types	Unsup-ported plastic film and sheeting	Plastic coated materials		Bricks (a)	Concrete blocks (in terms of 16"x8"x8" blocks)	Roofing tiles		Portland cement		Plaster of Paris
					Poly-ethylene (c)	Other (d)			Terra-cotta	Concrete	Original	Season-ally adj. (b)	
		407.02, 04.08	423.01-65	424.41, 43.45	424.31, 33.51	(e)	475.27	472.12	475.30	474.02		479.22	
		'000 cwt	'000 lb	- '000 sq yd -			- millions -			- '000 tons -			
Year 1965-66		185	47,988	36,643	15,186	1,409	43.9	51.3	82.9	3,688	..	266	
1966-67		228	62,973	31,324	21,475	1,406	44.5	47.3	88.5	3,661	..	261	
1967-68		266	71,208	40,652	26,328	1,484	45.3	47.6	96.7	3,803	..	272	
Latest 6 months 1968-69		161	38,930	20,060	15,174	833	25.9	23.4	55.6	1,933	..	137	
Same 6 months 1967-68		113	34,838	18,055	12,461	720	22.7	21.9	45.5	1,836	..	132	
Latest 3 months 1968-69		75.4	18,893	8,583	7,327	403	12.4	10.7	27.6	933	..	62.2	
Same 3 months 1967-68		59.1	16,459	7,992	5,609	352	10.5	10.4	22.0	881	..	61.4	
Month - 1968 February		19.2	5,807	2,329	2,190	126	3.91	3.92	7.89	312	321	23.9	
March		22.0	6,386	3,147	2,118	132	3.80	4.15	8.88	329	313	22.9	
April		28.0	6,111	4,054	1,832	126	3.52	3.89	8.29	296	295	21.5	
May		21.7	6,816	4,761	2,863	143	4.05	4.88	9.33	347	317	26.8	
June		22.7	5,628	3,066	2,128	127	3.32	4.38	8.01	314	318	21.0	
July		28.0	6,653	3,676	2,710	144	4.16	4.77	9.84	341	323	25.3	
August		29.0	6,420	2,943	2,259	140	4.26	4.36	9.61	344	326	24.1	
September		26.4	7,289	3,796	2,219	138	4.29	4.18	9.36	345	333	23.5	
October		29.1	7,146	3,482	2,953	151	4.62	5.08	10.19	366	335	27.6	
November		30.4	7,327	4,313	2,442	151	4.88	4.18	10.18	349	339	26.2	
December		26.0	5,564	3,682	2,452	128	4.01	3.39	7.66	285	319	21.3	
1969 January		26.8	4,356	2,086	1,623	r111	r3.44	2.59	r6.65	253	339	14.9	
February		24.3	6,881	3,215	2,849	r143	r4.37	4.28	r10.08	320	340	23.8	
March		24.3	7,656	3,282	2,855	149	4.54	3.87	10.84	360	343	23.5	

(a) Clay, concrete and silica lime. (b) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes. (c) On cellulose film, aluminium foil, paper or paperboard. (d) On knitted or woven textile material, paper or paperboard. (e) Code Nos 472.01,03; 475.21,23; 479.45,47.

Period		Building materials - continued							Paints etc.		
		Sawn Australian grown timber (a)	Mineral wool (bonded, loose and gran- ulated)	Lignocellulose boards (b)		Asbestos cement building sheets (d)	Plastic boards and sheets		Ready mixed non- water paints and enamels	Lacquers, nitro- cellulose	Thinners for lacquers paints & enamels
				Total manufactured (c)			Decora- tive laminated	Building and roofing (rigid)(e)			
				Particle board	Softboard and straw- board						
	Code No.	331.02- 18,28-44	479.91,93	336.13,14	336.11,15	475.04, 06,07,85	425.02	425.12-16	412.02- 20	412.22,24	412.64,66
		mil. sup ft	tons	- '000 sq ft -		'000 sq yd	- '000 sq ft -		- '000 gal -		
Year 1965-66		1,518	22,476	(f) (f)		32,364	19,737	6,885	15,188	1,437	4,018
1966-67		1,469	23,666	92,135	25,768	32,609	23,589	9,126	16,037	1,427	4,031
1967-68		1,448	26,571	111,248	25,089	36,565	26,437	10,661	16,483	1,420	4,169
Latest 6 months 1968-69		689	13,291	61,294	12,379	18,139	12,967	6,818	8,532	755	2,136
Same 6 months 1967-68		694	13,258	53,068	12,114	18,334	13,107	5,286	8,294	702	2,074
Latest 3 months 1968-69		313	5,491	28,840	5,540	8,321	6,119	2,571	3,885	350	1,021
Same 3 months 1967-68		310	6,337	24,307	6,044	8,520	6,445	2,857	3,783	332	1,006
Month - 1968 February		104	2,390	9,235	2,352	3,316	2,463	1,190	1,345	125	361
March		124	2,443	9,681	1,891	3,307	2,799	1,008	1,443	136	396
April		117	2,070	8,848	2,168	2,916	1,924	886	1,320	120	355
May		135	2,544	10,915	2,063	3,562	2,422	856	1,521	136	409
June		126	2,282	9,295	1,965	3,449	2,377	881	1,197	120	309
July		139	2,697	11,847	2,369	3,410	2,670	1,071	1,401	125	r369
August		129	2,676	10,516	2,413	3,353	2,400	1,109	r1,360	121	r362
September		127	2,412	10,587	2,199	3,253	2,566	1,337	1,388	120	r333
October		135	2,806	12,346	2,315	3,512	2,470	1,273	r1,630	145	r385
November		137	2,810	11,037	2,554	3,514	2,165	1,614	r1,648	148	r413
December		104	2,184	9,071	1,970	2,792	2,213	1,360	r1,369	112	r317
1969 January		83	1,449	6,378	1,343	1,398	1,217	990	r1,006	79	r252
February		113	1,945	10,864	2,069	3,344	2,208	790	r1,389	130	388
March		117	2,097	11,598	2,128	3,579	2,694	791	1,490	141	381

(a) Source : Commonwealth Forestry and Timber Bureau and Victorian Forests Commission. (b) Excludes hardboard.

(c) Original forming of boards and sheets incl. special compositions. Includes board and sheet for subsequent conversion into acoustic board etc., by producing factory as well as for sale. (d) Includes original manufacture of flat, corrugated, moulded and grooved sheets but excludes bullnosed. (e) Both flat and corrugated (incl. fibreglass reinforced). (f) Not available.

Period	Code No.	Paints etc.- continued.		Building fittings								
		Water paints		Meters			Domestic type stoves, ovens and ranges					
		Emulsion type	In powder form (incl. kalsomine)	Electri- city consump- tion	Gas consump- tion	Water consump- tion	Electric			Gas (a)	Solid fuel	Oil, kerosene, spirits, etc. (b)
							Ranges (c)	Grill boilers (d)	Wall ovens			
		412.42- 46	412.48,50	702.01	703.01	703.11	661.04,03	661.05	661.11	662.31,33, 42,44	662.01, 03	662.21, 23
		'000 gal	'000 lb	- '000 -			- number -					
Year 1965-66		4,321	1,945	303	41.4	141	152,298	20,092	15,742	71,265	20,859	5,121
1966-67		4,194	1,935	297	37.9	147	157,590	17,896	17,169	75,482	18,785	3,077
1967-68		4,344	1,467	307	37.8	149	156,109	16,073	21,444	73,108	14,883	2,122
Latest 6 months	1968-69	2,323	929	150	28.9	68.5	82,159	8,254	13,944	43,041	5,679	956
Same 6 months	1967-68	2,262	761	153	16.3	69.7	74,598	9,683	8,444	35,065	6,224	994
Latest 3 months	1968-69	1,043	340	67.5	13.17	30.3	34,388	1,760	6,544	19,129	2,543	360
Same 3 months	1967-68	983	349	66.5	6.98	32.2	35,022	925	3,974	15,692	2,467	449
Month - 1968	February	344	114	24.1	2.40	12.7	12,501	407	1,716	6,284	885	125
	March	350	148	26.0	3.24	14.9	15,324	249	1,662	5,905	1,028	246
	April	320	104	23.8	2.98	12.6	11,351	437	2,469	5,236	919	159
	May	394	102	25.7	3.76	16.3	13,565	395	2,756	6,081	1,454	148
	June	303	101	22.7	5.68	12.5	13,140	363	2,291	5,824	1,225	308
	July	345	101	25.6	5.26	11.3	15,391	283	2,594	6,276	1,647	307
	August	356	93	25.2	5.31	9.0	14,920	769	2,294	8,012	1,368	121
	September	376	138	23.1	5.52	9.8	14,438	4,924	2,300	8,225	1,094	63
	October	452	250	27.2	6.32	11.8	16,642	5,096	2,560	8,973	1,142	315
	November	447	203	30.9	6.07	13.2	19,083	798	2,549	8,245	1,165	155
	December	381	136	24.7	3.30	13.2	12,046	600	2,291	6,694	829	r126
1969	January	303	109	17.6	2.65	3.7	7,915	481	1,114	3,801	553	88
	February	361	121	24.6	4.47	13.4	13,220	690	2,612	7,153	1,000	162
	March	379	110	25.3	6.05	13.2	13,253	589	2,818	8,175	990	110

- (a) Gas stoves and ranges, upright or elevated (with oven) and wall ovens; excludes cooking tops, hotplates, stovettes, etc.
 (b) Excludes small spirit burners other than gravity fed. (c) Having at least one hotplate and one oven separately heated.
 (d) Designed to allow simultaneous grilling below and boiling above the heating unit, but without an oven.

Period		Building fittings - continued									
		Space heaters and fires			Hot water systems (up to 200 gallons storage capacity)						
		Oil burning (flued)- non- portable	Gas	Solid fuel	Electric			Gas		Solid fuel storage and heat exchange	Solar absorber units
					Instant- aneous	Storage	Heat exchange	Instant- aneous	Storage and heat exchange		
Code No.	651.35	651.21, 22,26,27	651.01, 03	652.11	652.21 31,41, 51.61	652.71	652.13, 14	(a)	(b)	652.91	
- number -											
Year 1965-66	52,008	31,185	37,967	12,132	114,874	15,455	11,305	23,905	15,541	2,864	
1966-67	56,819	38,764	31,606	10,302	127,162	17,109	13,166	27,229	14,942	3,564	
1967-68	67,682	37,775	24,557	10,558	139,540	18,291	9,262	27,489	14,470	3,226	
Latest 6 months 1968-69	33,548	20,911	10,079	3,935	69,728	8,181	6,627	15,374	5,871	2,492	
Same 6 months 1967-68	29,237	12,106	9,089	4,788	65,464	8,858	3,972	11,900	6,453	1,628	
Latest 3 months 1968-69	24,522	10,675	5,152	1,825	32,077	4,321	2,860	7,029	2,673	1,377	
Same 3 months 1967-68	20,622	7,392	4,496	2,362	28,125	4,288	1,620	4,709	2,945	846	
Month - 1968 February	7,524	3,495	1,850	895	10,007	1,726	539	1,411	1,349	272	
March	9,236	2,959	2,016	886	12,447	1,685	768	2,354	1,079	414	
April	9,695	5,155	3,277	919	11,508	1,442	787	2,272	1,036	277	
May	9,522	6,691	4,159	920	13,616	1,628	945	2,715	1,250	238	
June	6,984	6,239	2,925	927	11,732	1,459	1,051	2,561	1,216	345	
July	6,156	6,239	2,626	921	r13,874	1,718	939	3,102	1,256	r273	
August	4,815	5,136	1,885	809	r13,353	1,575	1,431	3,538	1,314	r610	
September	3,617	3,515	1,543	644	r13,856	1,305	1,368	2,813	1,177	r602	
October	2,774	4,159	1,821	841	13,847	1,480	1,450	3,072	1,267	r501	
November	3,391	3,470	1,890	825	13,111	1,441	1,310	3,097	1,160	r321	
December	2,861	2,607	1,216	444	10,693	939	1,007	2,176	771	r293	
1969 January	3,314	2,045	877	569	6,820	955	504	1,269	625	r348	
February	10,905	3,085	1,891	633	12,685	1,645	1,287	2,787	985	377	
March	10,303	5,545	2,384	623	12,572	1,721	1,069	2,973	1,063	652	

(a) Code Nos 652.23,24,33,34,43,44,53,54,63,64,73,74. (b) Code Nos 652.25,35,45,55,65,75

Period		Building fittings - continued									
		Bath heaters			Wash boilers (coppers), complete		Sink heaters - electric	Baths (a)		Sinks (standard size) (b)	Laundry tubs
		Electric	Gas	Solid fuel	Electric	Gas		C.I.P.E.	Other		
Code No.	652.01	652.03, 04	652.05	653.31	653.33, 34	653.01	671.01	671.03- 08	671.11- 18	671.23- 28	
- number -							'000				
Year 1965-66	13,524	9,971	13,963	9,113	5,740	10,646	85.4	67.1	(a)	138	
1966-67	11,701	9,026	12,446	8,011	4,949	10,174	74.5	80.0	234	148	
1967-68	11,783	8,448	11,451	9,286	6,433	9,789	74.5	91.1	222	162	
Latest 6 months 1968-69	4,539	2,584	4,260	3,703	2,797	4,250	37.4	50.2	109	85.1	
Same 6 months 1967-68	5,794	3,743	5,177	4,463	2,970	4,838	35.5	44.9	100	76.2	
Latest 3 months 1968-69	1,996	1,005	1,555	1,554	1,188	1,920	17.8	23.5	50.5	42.1	
Same 3 months 1967-68	2,826	1,409	2,220	1,991	1,338	1,758	16.6	21.9	49.0	36.1	
Month - 1968 February	1,072	526	848	799	854	718	5.95	9.52	19.0	13.2	
March	1,154	600	1,101	854	315	600	6.94	8.89	21.6	16.2	
April	786	498	1,111	764	561	427	6.51	8.37	18.9	15.5	
May	1,079	579	1,075	1,281	761	926	6.85	9.17	24.3	16.4	
June	916	612	1,102	609	229	637	6.47	5.96	18.4	14.6	
July	1,259	826	1,188	614	858	908	6.95	8.98	20.4	16.3	
August	1,097	794	1,021	636	224	1,016	7.15	7.71	19.2	15.6	
September	963	708	946	766	200	826	6.83	8.03	19.8	14.5	
October	986	574	850	749	286	894	7.20	10.10	19.2	16.8	
November	866	533	793	820	1,102	926	7.06	10.28	22.9	14.1	
December	691	472	1,062	580	221	510	5.39	6.31	16.0	12.1	
1969 January	640	232	218	355	127	556	4.15	4.43	8.7	8.0	
February	686	334	614	608	229	711	6.82	9.18	19.3	17.3	
March	670	439	723	591	832	653	6.82	9.92	22.5	16.8	

(a) Excludes babies' baths. (b) Includes combination sinks.

Period	Building fittings - continued					Domestic electrical appliances					
	Wash basins			Toilet cisterns (a)	Pans (closet) earthen- ware	Vacuum cleaners	Hand irons	Dry shavers	Toasters	Hot water jugs & kettles	Coffee makers
	C.I.P.E.	Earthen- ware	Other								
Code No.	671.31	671.37	671.33- 35.38	671.51- 59	671.41	692.02 04	693.51- 63	699.01, 03	661.21, 23	699.22, 23.25	699.27, 29
- '000 -											
Year 1965-66	64.1	141	67.0	341	321	182	450	218	330	275	32.2
1966-67	58.0	147	83.0	353	329	156	508	222	367	309	39.8
1967-68	52.9	156	96.3	362	371	164	466	210	331	334	43.5
Latest 6 months 1968-69	20.1	90.0	48.0	187	198	73.6	260	96.5	182	189	20.2
Same 6 months 1967-68	21.7	70.6	45.6	173	176	80.6	216	93.8	151	160	21.1
Latest 3 months 1968-69	8.54	43.2	22.8	88.4	92.3	31.4	115.0	42.4	69.2	83.8	9.34
Same 3 months 1967-68	9.52	33.6	22.1	80.5	81.0	38.9	96.0	35.6	54.5	68.2	8.27
Month - 1968 February	3.67	12.9	8.97	32.8	32.1	15.2	40.7	15.2	24.7	25.7	4.14
March	3.95	15.1	9.73	34.3	33.8	14.8	41.3	15.7	18.8	29.3	2.70
April	4.06	14.0	9.91	31.0	31.8	13.8	43.0	12.6	20.8	30.0	3.41
May	8.77	17.2	8.78	33.5	37.0	16.5	50.4	20.2	28.2	29.1	4.53
June	5.06	15.1	7.77	25.8	29.8	12.6	45.0	14.3	20.9	26.8	3.27
July	4.86	17.9	7.82	39.1	33.9	11.8	46.6	21.9	36.9	31.2	r3.07
August	4.98	15.1	8.16	33.5	33.4	13.2	41.2	23.2	40.8	35.6	3.10
September	4.62	14.3	8.50	33.9	31.9	14.2	46.8	16.3	39.6	39.8	3.59
October	4.32	16.5	9.18	36.1	39.7	17.0	55.8	21.9	47.6	38.2	r3.51
November	4.41	15.8	9.36	33.1	36.1	15.1	50.8	18.3	39.4	36.7	4.01
December	2.84	14.5	6.67	r29.2	30.1	10.1	38.7	13.9	25.5	30.2	3.34
1969 January	1.05	12.2	3.81	18.5	21.3	7.4	21.6	7.8	15.3	17.9	1.55
February	3.52	13.9	8.70	35.2	33.2	11.7	42.5	17.1	26.8	30.8	4.00
March	3.97	17.1	10.28	34.7	37.8	12.3	50.9	17.5	27.1	35.1	3.79

(a) Excludes storage tanks for use with flusherette valves.

Period		Domestic electrical appliances - continued											
		Beater & pulveriser type mixers	Blankets (incl. mattress overlays) (a)	Floor polishers (b)	Propeller type fans (complete) (c)	Radiators & electric fires	Air conditioners and coolers		Refriger- ators (electric & gas)		Clothes washing machines		Clothes dryers (rotary & cabinet type) (e)
							Room - refrig- ated and evapor- ative	Package unit	Ori- ginal	Seas. Adj. (g)	Fully auto- matic (d)	Other	
Code No.	691.01,02	699.81,85	692.22	696.01-05	651.11-17	657.03-15	657.21- 23	657.31- 36.41	693 .02	693. 06-18	693.25-28		
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Year 1965-66	155	305	89.2	223	707	24.2	2.05	214	..	83.1	157	27.3	
1966-67	137	626	88.2	322	600	32.6	3.49	343	..	74.2	157	26.9	
1967-68	113	782	72.2	360	624	50.3	4.62	246	..	90.9	186	33.3	
Latest 6 months 1968-69	67.6	285	28.6	235	342	39.7	4.59	136	..	43.7	91.3	7.50	
Same 6 months 1967-68	55.8	363	35.3	204	232	27.0	2.84	120	..	41.8	86.6	6.65	
Latest 3 months 1968-69	29.1	141	17.2	82.8	186	10.39	1.81	58.8	..	20.3	45.5	5.92	
Same 3 months 1967-68	25.7	184	14.8	59.1	120	8.79	1.44	52.2	..	19.7	41.5	4.71	
Month - 1968 February	12.3	77.3	5.90	24.7	44.8	3.17	0.59	18.5	17.9	7.48	16.6	0.91	
March	10.8	76.1	5.70	19.1	61.7	2.73	0.49	20.3	20.5	9.10	16.6	3.31	
April	8.5	69.2	6.33	15.1	64.2	2.85	0.48	15.8	21.9	7.39	14.4	4.09	
May	11.9	84.7	6.25	21.7	98.0	3.57	0.37	20.1	21.3	9.78	19.3	6.94	
June	8.6	73.0	3.19	22.8	83.8	4.07	0.27	20.4	22.8	8.23	18.6	6.80	
July	11.1	73.4	4.45	29.6	64.7	6.51	0.49	25.6	25.2	9.78	19.9	7.49	
August	10.1	50.8	3.82	38.9	54.1	6.83	0.83	27.1	24.0	10.38	19.8	3.90	
September	8.6	34.0	4.21	47.6	44.9	7.03	1.00	26.6	23.7	9.58	17.6	1.33	
October	12.2	54.2	3.67	52.0	55.6	9.76	1.18	30.1	22.5	9.85	16.8	0.91	
November	15.7	61.3	3.93	54.6	54.7	10.86	0.91	27.4	22.5	7.78	16.1	0.38	
December	10.6	27.6	3.82	45.1	46.2	8.72	0.69	19.8	21.3	5.81	12.9	0.29	
1969 January	5.6	22.1	3.65	24.8	24.5	4.20	0.30	15.6	22.5	3.85	9.6	0.07	
February	12.1	50.5	6.56	35.7	64.9	3.65(f)	0.67	21.5	21.9	7.31	16.9	2.30	
March	11.4	68.8	6.96	22.3	96.1	2.54(f)	0.84	21.7	22.3	9.09	19.0	3.55	

(a) Excludes heating pads. (b) Includes commercial type. (c) Excludes fans incorporated in other equipment or used with ducting. (d) Complete washing cycle with one setting of controls. (e) Includes gas. (f) Excludes evaporative. (g) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Television sets		T.V. picture tubes (a)	T.V. antennae		Transistors (excl. power)	Radio-grams (b)	Radios		
	T.V. only	With radio and/or record player		Indoor (incl. "in built" telescopic type)	Outdoor			Portable	Car	Other (incl. mantel)
Code No.	643.51-55	643.62-65	648.52, 54 56, 62, 64, 66	649.43	649.45	645.21, 31	643.01, 03	643.15	643.35, 37	643.27
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Year 1965-66	262	15.1	362	135	196	4,842	62.1	182	120	28.6
1966-67	238	16.3	369	137	166	9,221	86.4	189	139	31.4
1967-68	236	18.7	343	155	151	8,553	90.4	198	162	46.0
Latest 6 months 1968-69	115	7.25	189	77.0	80.8	6,185	45.8	221	85.4	20.4
Same 6 months 1967-68	103	8.80	147	66.3	74.3	4,084	44.3	107	73.4	19.8
Latest 3 months 1968-69	50.2	3.20	92.0	27.6	33.9	2,780	22.0	74.2	38.9	7.52
Same 3 months 1967-68	49.6	3.54	69.7	28.2	34.4	1,983	18.4	27.9	34.9	8.73
Month - 1968 February	19.9	1.35	26.3	12.3	11.8	764	7.05	9.9	12.8	2.90
March	21.2	1.48	30.6	11.1	14.6	864	8.09	11.3	16.5	3.74
April	19.8	1.52	26.7	14.5	9.5	733	6.55	14.9	14.7	2.57
May	26.0	2.00	34.4	12.6	12.6	986	8.12	15.3	16.0	6.82
June	20.7	1.60	29.8	14.1	10.3	985	5.82	14.0	14.6	8.74
July	26.1	1.72	36.2	14.7	12.5	857	6.90	16.9	17.2	3.34
August	24.8	1.65	38.4	17.9	12.4	938	8.75	24.2	17.0	2.67
September	24.8	1.38	33.3	12.7	16.1	875	7.82	27.6	14.9	3.23
October	25.5	1.65	35.2	17.9	16.6	1,210	8.07	44.1	17.0	4.05
November	23.4	1.27	38.3	18.5	17.6	1,430	9.00	57.9	17.5	4.02
December	15.4	1.13	23.0	13.0	12.7	765	6.82	44.5	12.0	4.80
1969 January	10.7	0.72	28.2	6.9	7.8	635	4.01	20.2	8.1	1.93
February	18.9	1.15	30.4	10.4	12.3	984	8.13	26.2	14.4	3.21
March	20.6	1.33	33.4	10.3	13.8	1,161	9.81	27.8	16.4	2.38

(a) Includes those incorporating used screens. (b) Complete with built-in record player or changer.

Period	Record players (in case or cabinet) (a)	Cabinets for radios, radiograms & T.V.'s	Phonograph records			Floor coverings				Bed bases	
			Single play	Extended play	Long play	Textile	Smooth surfaced and embossed	Timber parquetry	Felts (b)	Box spring	Woven wire, link mesh and spring
Code No.	646.11,14	649.03, .5,27	646.32,35	646.37, 41,67,71	646.43,45 72,75	841.01-07	841.31-61,69	841.67,68	841.85	844.01	844.11
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Year 1965-66	43.2	368	4,295	1,486	5,087	11,692	14,041	n.a.	n.a.	80.3	535
1966-67	80.1	363	4,727	2,183	6,714	12,624	11,651	499	14,802	100.4	605
1967-68	75.9	404	5,296	3,081	6,697	12,732	14,040	445	15,926	116.6	639
Latest 6 months 1968-69	57.2	251	3,609	926	4,884	7,680	6,296	252	8,803	71.3	366
Same 6 months 1967-68	45.7	187	2,887	2,075	3,416	6,044	7,003	205	7,602	57.9	321
Latest 3 months 1968-69	18.9	105.4	1,775	381	2,532	3,584	2,619	123	3,771	34.5	168
Same 3 months 1967-68	11.0	94.3	1,503	440	1,582	2,749	3,107	105	3,295	27.8	145
Month - 1968											
February	4.28	27.6	513	118	519	1,100	1,212	38.9	1,295	10.0	54.3
March	4.27	35.0	568	194	626	1,092	1,182	49.5	1,304	10.6	57.9
April	3.70	31.7	416	112	381	1,078	1,320	48.8	1,244	10.0	48.4
May	4.15	34.3	515	127	567	1,265	1,330	54.3	1,578	10.7	58.7
June	2.42	28.3	426	131	440	1,085	1,033	47.3	1,223	9.2	47.0
July	3.68	37.4	428	119	563	1,391	1,257	52.6	1,606	12.3	53.7
August	5.24	39.3	511	187	657	1,368	1,165	44.5	1,635	11.9	55.3
September	7.35	36.6	524	127	700	1,437	1,158	45.7	1,660	12.0	52.7
October	11.86	54.1	504	208	655	1,589	1,432	45.0	1,769	12.7	61.2
November	14.25	54.8	606	201	953	1,457	1,090	49.5	1,685	12.4	72.0
December	12.14	36.3	724	136	744	1,050	1,155	34.6	1,578	11.7	64.9
1969											
January	5.02	20.5	698	137	762	815	498	33.4	953	8.4	39.6
February	5.93	39.3	527	128	827	1,314	1,105	43.0	1,409	12.3	60.8
March	7.97	45.6	550	116	943	1,455	1,016	46.5	1,409	13.8	67.7

(a) Complete with built-in amplifier, speaker(s) and record player in case or cabinet. (b) Needled (or bonded) felts of jute or jute/hair mixtures for all purposes.

Period	Mattresses			Perambulators, pushers and strollers	Cycles (made or assembled)	Soap and soap based products				Detergents	
	Inner spring	Rubber	Other (incl. plastic foam, kapok fibre etc.)			For personal toilet use	For other purposes		Synthetic	Other	
							Non-abrasive	Abrasive			
							Powder and granule	Other cleansers and scourers			
Code No.	844.21	844.41	844.51,61	975.02,11	611.01	805.01-13	805.26, 50	(a)	805.36-40, 60	806.02- 36	806. 40-44
			- '000 -		Number			- '000 cwt -			
Year 1965-66	706	87.8	185	132	63,641	478	485	696	49.6	1,421	234
1966-67	683	85.9	217	133	69,365	483	479	644	48.8	1,706	261
1967-68	649	76.8	222	139	88,834	500	294	628	47.2	2,038	333
Latest 6 months 1968-69	326	30.2	121	70.6	62,254	233	123	277	22.9	1,158	166
Same 6 months 1967-68	323	36.9	119	68.6	48,980	228	160	296	21.4	995	137
Latest 3 months 1968-69	149	13.5	56.2	30.8	20,753	103	65.2	133	11.82	574	81.5
Same 3 months 1967-68	152	17.0	56.1	31.0	16,952	108	75.4	147	9.78	493	78.0
Month - 1968 February	55.5	6.21	20.8	12.3	6,352	35.4	21.9	45.8	3.67	167	25.8
March	56.1	6.71	21.8	12.0	6,269	42.8	23.2	62.3	3.21	197	28.6
April	50.0	6.60	18.8	12.3	6,098	41.3	18.4	57.2	4.35	175	27.8
May	57.1	8.37	21.5	13.8	7,966	46.3	23.8	59.4	5.07	223	30.8
June	46.4	5.59	15.1	11.4	6,902	44.5	25.9	54.7	4.23	196	24.2
July	56.7	7.73	15.2	14.5	9,277	55.4	18.8	52.6	4.26	202	29.9
August	56.5	7.50	20.5	12.9	10,073	39.0	18.6	50.2	4.98	170	28.7
September	54.5	7.76	18.7	12.0	10,028	47.0	19.0	52.3	4.06	191	28.7
October	62.1	6.91	21.0	16.1	12,631	46.1	19.8	54.3	3.88	199	29.8
November	56.3	4.90	24.8	14.0	14,684	45.9	19.8	51.8	3.94	211	27.4
December	58.3	4.88	19.0	9.7	14,186	33.3	17.7	38.0	3.24	174	27.1
1969 January	40.6	3.01	14.6	7.2	5,390	24.4	19.1	35.3	3.19	150	24.1
February	53.0	5.09	19.1	11.2	7,442	40.3	21.2	47.6	4.16	194	28.1
March	55.7	5.37	22.5	12.4	7,921	42.8	24.9	49.8	4.47	230	29.3

(a) Code Nos 805.22, 24, 30, 32, 34, 46, 52-58.

Period	Crude glycerine	Fatty acids	Electric motors (a)			Internal combustion engines (a) (b)			Petrol lawn mowers - Rotary (undercut) type	
			Under 1 hp		1 hp and over	Petrol, etc.		Diesel & semi diesel	2 stroke	4 stroke
			Original	Season- ally adjusted (c)		2 stroke	4 stroke			
Code No.	406.20	401.41, 53.77.79	503.21-26		503.27-32	502.22,26	502.32,36	502.31-39	699.52	699.53
- '000 cwt -			- '000 -							
Year 1965-66	95	198	2,384	..	126	131	89.2	3.80	109	67.9
1966-67	103	187	2,627	..	140	186	81.0	3.66	161	59.1
1967-68	92	200	2,770	..	140	r198	r57.6	3.11	149	35.8
Latest 6 months 1968-69	41.8	94.0	1,454	..	96.0	120.1	29.1	1.23	95.1	22.8
Same 6 months 1967-68	42.9	94.4	1,322	..	62.7	98.8	24.9	1.67	82.6	16.6
Latest 3 months 1968-69	17.2	40.8	638	..	44.4	49.5	10.11	0.57	40.7	6.52
Same 3 months 1967-68	18.4	43.6	582	..	28.0	32.4	7.57	0.90	29.4	4.03
Month - 1968 February	5.26	17.3	224	221	9.7	r15.8	r2.73	0.32	14.49	1.54
March	7.20	17.7	227	229	12.4	9.8	2.65	0.34	7.97	1.62
April	8.31	19.8	204	227	13.0	r9.2	2.69	0.22	5.60	1.93
May	8.72	18.6	261	243	15.2	r7.9	2.18	0.28	4.89	0.59
June	8.53	15.0	223	231	12.5	r7.0	2.77	0.27	1.50	0.46
July	8.79	19.9	280	250	17.5	9.3	4.22	0.29	3.28	3.35
August	8.74	17.7	276	250	15.6	26.8	5.41	0.34	23.59	3.52
September	8.03	14.1	267	256	16.3	29.1	7.21	0.23	26.27	5.70
October	8.07	18.6	304	257	18.6	30.0	7.49	0.27	24.85	7.82
November	9.87	22.0	284	247	18.9	24.0	6.79	0.23	17.72	5.11
December	6.63	12.6	228	255	14.1	16.6	4.72	0.16	11.86	3.33
1969 January	5.23	8.1	152	258	10.2	15.9	2.62	0.17	13.22	1.92
February	5.68	15.8	241	249	16.1	16.3	3.11	0.21	13.65	2.66
March	6.30	16.9	245	251	18.1	17.3	4.38	0.19	13.78	1.94

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Period	Crude glycerine	Fatty acids	Electric motors (a)			Internal combustion engines (a) (b)			Petrol lawn mowers - Rotary (undercut) type	
			Under 1 hp		1 hp and over	Petrol, etc.		Diesel & semi diesel	2 stroke	4 stroke
			Original	Season- ally adjusted (c)		2 stroke	4 stroke			
Code No.	406.20	401.41, 53.77.79	503.21-26		503.27-32	502.22,26	502.32,36	502.31-39	699.52	699.53
	- '000 cwt -		- '000 -							
Year 1965-66	95	198	2,384	..	126	131	89.2	3.80	109	67.9
1966-67	103	187	2,627	..	140	186	81.0	3.66	161	59.1
1967-68	92	200	2,770	..	140	r198	r57.6	3.11	149	35.8
Latest 6 months 1968-69	41.8	94.0	1,454	..	96.0	120.1	29.1	1.23	95.1	22.8
Same 6 months 1967-68	42.9	94.4	1,322	..	62.7	98.8	24.9	1.67	82.6	16.6
Latest 3 months 1968-69	17.2	40.8	638	..	44.4	49.5	10.11	0.57	40.7	6.52
Same 3 months 1967-68	18.4	43.6	582	..	28.0	32.4	7.57	0.90	29.4	4.03
Month - 1968 February	5.26	17.3	224	221	9.7	r15.8	r2.73	0.32	14.49	1.54
March	7.20	17.7	227	229	12.4	9.8	2.65	0.34	7.97	1.62
April	8.31	19.8	204	227	13.0	r9.2	2.69	0.22	5.60	1.93
May	8.72	18.6	261	243	15.2	r7.9	2.18	0.28	4.89	0.59
June	8.53	15.0	223	231	12.5	r7.0	2.77	0.27	1.50	0.46
July	8.79	19.9	280	250	17.5	9.3	4.22	0.29	3.28	3.35
August	8.74	17.7	276	250	15.6	26.8	5.41	0.34	23.59	3.52
September	8.03	14.1	267	256	16.3	29.1	7.21	0.23	26.27	5.70
October	8.07	18.6	304	257	18.6	30.0	7.49	0.27	24.85	7.82
November	9.87	22.0	284	247	18.9	24.0	6.79	0.23	17.72	5.11
December	6.63	12.6	228	255	14.1	16.6	4.72	0.16	11.86	3.33
1969 January	5.23	8.1	152	258	10.2	15.9	2.62	0.17	13.22	1.92
February	5.68	15.8	241	249	16.1	16.3	3.11	0.21	13.65	2.66
March	6.30	16.9	245	251	18.1	17.3	4.38	0.19	13.78	1.94

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Period	Spark plugs	Shock absorbers	Storage batteries (a)			Tyres (motor) (b)	Tubes (motor) (b)	Caravans (c) (private or domestic use)	Trailers	
			Automotive		Other (number of 2 volt cells)				Two wheel	Four wheel
			6 volt	12 volt						
Code No.	689.01	589.51	685.13, 15	685.17, 19	685.33-65	621.01- 07,21-27	622.01, 03,05,07	584.01, 03,07	584.32-39	584.41-49
			- '000 -						- number -	
Year 1965-66	13,697	1,600	470	1,312	214	5,613	3,823	12,149	14,579	1,808
1966-67	15,838	1,753	481	1,488	217	5,806	4,051	14,655	14,633	1,735
1967-68	16,466	1,855	463	1,616	183	6,780	4,347	16,627	13,789	1,622
Latest 6 months 1968-69	8,094	881	198	754	77.2	3,444	2,012	8,775	7,375	632
Same 6 months 1967-68	7,605	864	218	735	80.7	3,172	2,059	8,888	7,977	820
Latest 3 months 1968-69	3,747	413	101.9	380	37.1	1,608	887	3,625	3,216	297
Same 3 months 1967-68	3,521	408	99.0	358	39.1	1,424	889	3,495	3,350	432
Month - 1968 February	1,484	160	36.4	137	16.6	575	372	1,395	1,115	148
March	1,357	178	38.2	147	13.2	609	377	1,343	1,043	199
April	1,319	172	37.5	133	12.6	561	334	1,235	875	133
May	1,629	180	41.1	166	17.1	710	431	1,391	880	140
June	1,355	143	42.1	163	14.7	600	362	1,188	844	140
July	1,796	165	41.0	166	15.3	683	435	1,283	875	167
August	1,474	158	50.6	162	18.6	660	441	1,548	1,200	130
September	1,573	165	32.8	135	14.0	679	423	1,622	1,071	110
October	1,747	164	32.3	133	14.3	675	433	1,763	1,264	104
November	1,584	179	40.6	146	16.7	645	397	1,780	1,347	113
December	1,016	125	22.8	95	9.1	516	295	1,607	1,548	118
1969 January	734	85	24.0	80	7.8	355	173	823	1,181	85
February	1,430	157	40.6	143	13.8	636	336	1,341	1,073	110
March	1,583	171	37.3	157	15.5	617	378	1,461	962	102

(a) Includes rebuilt batteries and dry charge batteries, but excludes dry cell batteries. (b) Source : Department of Supply from July 1967. (c) Includes shells and pre-cut kits.

Period		Finished motor vehicles						Partly finished motor vehicles		Total finished and partly finished vehicles		
		Cars	Station wagons	Utilities (a)	Panel vans (a)	Truck & truck type vehicles (b)	Omnibuses and ambulances	Cars, station wagons, utilities (a), and panel vans (b)	Trucks & truck type vehicles (b)	Orig. final	Seas. Adj. (c)	
Code No.	581.02-08	581.10-16	582.04	582.06	582.08-18,20-24	582.26,28	581.22-32	582.33-46				
- number -												'000
Year 1965-66	235,326	58,334	33,038	14,427	766	413	1,666	20,856	365	..		
1966-67	238,720	57,534	33,909	14,013	768	440	1,381	21,746	369	..		
1967-68	271,082	59,047	31,191	14,603	659	322	1,435	21,522	400	..		
Latest 6 months 1968-69	131,717	24,370	15,828	7,165	753	544	848	11,198	192	..		
Same 6 months 1967-68	133,597	28,721	11,382	6,592	262	173	714	10,614	192	..		
Latest 3 months 1968-69	61,822	11,446	7,067	3,383	382	314	191	5,533	90.1	..		
Same 3 months 1967-68	67,516	14,621	3,371	2,175	175	86	165	4,821	92.9	..		
Month - 1968 February	27,252	5,983	1,043	874	35	30	47	1,982	37.2	35.2		
March	28,922	6,539	1,535	915	57	21	62	1,916	40.0	37.4		
April	25,158	5,156	3,162	1,310	83	9	78	1,626	36.6	34.9		
May	26,619	5,587	4,062	1,446	34	7	55	1,960	39.8	32.4		
June	21,024	4,945	3,515	1,114	75	25	114	1,964	32.8	32.9		
July	26,300	4,862	3,928	1,627	66	43	189	2,021	39.0	34.1		
August	25,857	4,586	3,082	1,913	71	62	58	2,101	37.7	35.4		
September	25,150	4,750	3,670	1,363	78	80	90	2,129	37.3	36.8		
October	27,450	4,940	3,421	1,551	151	89	202	2,026	39.8	36.9		
November	24,452	4,822	3,177	1,260	115	51	212	1,975	36.1	35.4		
December	17,993	3,162	2,163	971	105	90	243	1,664	26.4	34.1		
1969 January	12,721	2,273	1,614	699	84	50	24	1,112	18.6	35.5		
February	22,828	4,389	2,954	1,379	135	135	65	2,063	33.9	34.2		
March	26,273	4,784	2,499	1,305	163	129	102	2,358	37.6	34.0		

(a) Vehicles up to and including 115" wheelbase. (b) Vehicles over 115" wheelbase. (c) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Code No.	Newsprint 351.11	Other paper 351.17- 79	Paper boards (a) 352.11- 33	Wood pulp (b) 341.31- 45	Pressure sensitive adhesive tapes (c) 769.51- 54.59	Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes (d)		Cotton sewing thread	
							Original	Seas. Adj. (e)	For household use	For industrial use
							183.02, 11, 21-28		368.02, 04	368.06, 08
			- '000 tons -			'000 sq yd	- mil lb -		- '000 lb -	
Year 1965-66		93.2	351	318	331	16,170	56.0	..	196	2,540
1966-67		97.3	389	329	358	16,651	58.1	..	226	2,939
1967-68		92.6	384	334	350	18,778	59.0	..	181	2,758
Latest 6 months 1968-69		57.3	213	176	191	9,309	30.2	..	119.3	1,266
Same 6 months 1967-68		44.9	187	169	170	9,055	28.5	..	82.9	1,265
Latest 3 months 1968-69		35.5	105.3	83.4	99.7	4,547	14.6	..	55.9	570
Same 3 months 1967-68		22.7	90.9	86.2	82.3	3,927	13.8	..	35.5	589
Month - 1968 February		7.66	35.9	35.1	26.6	1,435	4.98	4.86	14.2	228
March		8.23	34.0	28.4	29.3	1,655	5.36	5.23	12.4	241
April		7.99	29.8	26.5	26.6	1,542	5.25	5.59	11.0	237
May		7.97	32.4	27.9	32.4	1,662	4.98	5.01	20.4	263
June		7.69	34.8	28.8	29.7	1,541	5.15	5.12	15.2	244
July		7.67	33.2	24.5	29.2	1,794	6.03	5.11	18.4	254
August		8.18	36.6	27.2	33.8	1,613	5.52	5.15	18.0	230
September		8.01	30.9	26.2	28.9	2,118	4.80	4.79	18.0	209
October		8.39	34.3	29.6	36.1	1,669	6.13	5.16	24.4	262
November		7.53	36.3	29.9	30.7	1,625	5.60	5.38	21.4	226
December		5.87	37.1	32.9	24.8	1,468	3.87	4.53	17.6	208
1969 January		10.49	28.2	24.4	30.6	880	4.23	6.08	15.7	111
February		11.35	39.0	29.4	33.3	1,552	5.24	5.37	21.5	269
March		13.73	38.1	29.6	35.8	2,115	5.17	5.05	18.7	190

(a) Paper which, at the size of 20" x 30" or its equivalent, weighs 84 lb or more per ream of 480 sheets is classified as board. (b) Quantities shown represent tons air dried. (c) Excludes those produced by converting purchased rolls, and all reinforced types. (d) Source : Department of Customs and Excise from July 1967. (e) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period		Yarn of, or predominantly of, cotton				Towell- ing (a) (b)	Towels (a)	Baby napkins (a)	Woven cloth (over 12" wide) of or predominantly cotton			
		Weaving (incl. conden- ser and carpet)	Knitting	All other	Total				Duck, canvas, etc.	Drills, jeans, etc.	Cotton tweeds and denims	
					Pure							Mixtures
Code No.	364.11- 21	364.39, 41,43-46	364.27, 29,31, 33,48,50			373.02- 07	373.58 60,62,64	373.68	373.10, 12	373.14, 16	373.18, 24	
		- '000 lb -					'000 sq yd	- '000 dozen -		- '000 sq yd -		
Year 1965-66		42,172	14,756	2,093	57,931	1,089	12,331	960	252	12,518	17,601	3,462
1966-67		43,871	15,015	1,906	59,177	1,615	12,187	991	261	12,310	18,901	4,074
1967-68		42,170	15,443	2,896	58,673	1,836	12,151	888	265	12,643	19,437	3,025
Latest 6 months 1968-69		19,763	7,232	711	26,721	982	5,484	379	142	6,038	8,664	1,183
Same 6 months 1967-68		19,516	7,019	1,427	27,227	736	5,535	405	122	5,891	8,974	1,393
Latest 3 months 1968-69		9,072	3,243	325	12,104	535	2,538	178	69.1	2,631	3,980	557
Same 3 months 1967-68		8,871	3,146	744	12,449	313	2,470	166	63.0	2,345	4,421	646
Month - 1968 February		3,457	1,196	303	4,821	135	863	60.9	24.0	912	1,687	262
March		3,734	1,318	317	5,259	111	992	71.8	25.4	936	2,040	274
April		3,161	1,273	293	4,590	138	941	63.3	26.4	937	1,579	258
May		3,918	1,581	289	5,563	225	1,159	76.7	30.2	1,039	2,021	294
June		3,507	1,457	369	5,129	203	997	68.2	23.1	1,157	1,638	238
July		3,676	1,576	229	5,299	182	1,122	74.5	26.8	1,052	1,762	239
August		4,004	1,366	216	5,415	170	988	66.5	25.6	1,252	2,207	244
September		4,003	1,277	244	5,291	233	1,036	68.8	25.0	1,146	1,641	230
October		4,093	1,431	149	5,488	184	1,117	72.4	26.2	1,233	1,609	254
November		3,971	1,403	133	5,339	168	1,062	72.7	27.8	1,227	1,741	200
December		2,627	1,155	104	3,790	95	767	56.0	19.2	947	1,334	172
1969 January		2,139	670	91	2,768	132	532	38.8	13.0	547	875	106
February		3,196	1,272	96	4,344	219	925	61.4	27.5	1,041	1,452	189
March		3,737	1,301	138	4,992	184	1,081	77.5	28.6	1,043	1,653	262

(a) Wholly or predominantly cotton. (b) For all purposes.

Period		Woven cloth (over 12" wide) of, or predominantly of, cotton - continued					Sheep skins used in fellmon- geries	Slipi wool & dried pie wool (b)	Scoured and carbon- ised wool	Tops		
		Other (a)	Total		Total cotton cloth (excl. towelling)					Pure wool (c)	Mixtures	
			Pure	Mixture	Original	Season- ally adjusted (e)					Contain- ing wool (d)	Not contain- ing wool
Code No.	373.26- 52					201.55	242.05	242.07-11	242.33,35	242.70-76	246.46,47	
		- 000 sq yd -					'000	'000 lb	- mil.lb -	- '000 lb -		
Year 1965-66	22,119	51,407	4,293	55,701	..	3,738	4,388	156	46.2	4,762	6,729	
1966-67	22,288	52,388	5,185	57,573	..	3,697	4,294	154	44.5	3,620	7,251	
1967-68	23,752	51,961	6,896	58,857	..	3,829	8,323	161	42.5	3,771	7,671	
Latest 6 months 1968-69	10,423	22,917	3,392	26,308	..	2,059	4,313	77.9	21.4	1,712	3,473	
Same 6 months 1967-68	11,116	24,260	3,115	27,375	..	1,993	3,888	79.7	20.4	1,843	3,407	
Latest 3 months 1968-69	4,923	10,419	1,672	12,090	..	1,083	2,199	39.2	10.20	869	1,771	
Same 3 months 1967-68	5,131	11,065	1,478	12,543	..	1,027	1,863	40.5	9.64	872	1,584	
Month - 1968 February	2,075	4,280	656	4,936	4,966	330	604	14.4	3.61	389	643	
March	2,184	4,810	624	5,434	4,885	395	694	14.8	3.63	340	600	
April	1,837	3,946	665	4,611	4,775	287	583	13.2	3.08	291	540	
May	2,197	4,914	637	5,551	4,899	290	724	15.3	3.74	317	754	
June	2,068	4,324	777	5,101	4,714	351	981	16.9	3.44	280	664	
July	2,172	4,628	597	5,225	5,141	295	856	14.1	3.89	303	771	
August	2,351	5,272	782	6,054	4,987	321	856	12.4	3.86	279	570	
September	2,057	4,474	600	5,074	4,745	342	789	12.2	3.85	335	611	
October	2,062	4,561	596	5,158	4,784	319	816	14.2	4.35	269	651	
November	2,097	4,588	678	5,266	4,645	345	733	13.3	3.83	320	631	
December	1,341	3,349	446	3,794	4,799	312	565	11.2	3.05	254	420	
1969 January	964	2,217	275	2,492	5,490	284	461	10.6	2.47	171	343	
February	2,012	4,056	638	4,693	4,864	371	811	13.6	3.91	361	709	
March	1,947	4,146	759	4,905	4,631	428	927	15.0	3.82	337	719	

(a) Includes sheeting, calico, shirting, dress fabrics, upholstery and furnishing fabrics and other close weave piece goods but excludes open weave fabrics e.g. tyre cord fabric. (b) Intended for sale or produced as such on commission.

(c) At first combing (incl. tops to be dyed and/or mixed). (d) Includes that mixed in the gilling stage of drawing.

(e) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Code No.	Wool yarn				Wool woven cloth (over 12" wide)					
		Woollen		Wool-worsted		Wool-worsted		Woollen - Other than blanketing and rug material		Total - Excluding blanketing and rug material	
		Pure	Mixture (a)	Pure	Mixture (a)	Pure	Mixture (a)	Pure	Mixture (a)	Original	Seasonally adjusted (b)
		363.47, 51,55,58,73	363.49, 53,57,61,75	363.17, 21,25,29	363.19, 23,27,31	372.02, 06,18	372.04, 08,20	372.22, 26,30,34,48	372.24, 28,32,36,50	372.02-36,48,50	
		- '000 lb -				- '000 sq yd -					
Year 1965-66		20,384	10,150	17,740	3,779	7,194	2,855	9,134	4,203	23,386	..
1966-67		20,938	11,703	15,058	3,772	5,901	1,727	9,423	4,095	21,145	..
1967-68		22,390	12,524	15,341	3,595	6,345	1,955	10,709	4,091	23,100	..
Latest 6 months 1968-69		10,160	6,402	8,051	1,483	3,656	782	5,805	2,119	12,360	..
Same 6 months 1967-68		10,390	5,945	8,076	1,700	3,197	813	5,838	2,183	12,031	..
Latest 3 months 1968-69		4,849	3,041	3,655	732	1,697	354	2,734	976	5,760	..
Same 3 months 1967-68		4,729	2,623	3,629	842	1,524	369	2,765	1,013	5,671	..
Month - 1968 February		1,831	969	1,445	339	602	141	1,132	366	2,240	1,972
March		1,849	1,067	1,216	310	594	164	975	414	2,147	1,921
April		1,859	1,160	1,067	307	474	174	850	340	1,837	1,942
May		2,059	1,286	1,104	301	582	237	888	325	2,033	1,933
June		1,853	1,121	971	285	489	226	703	298	1,716	1,984
July		2,015	1,229	1,301	273	632	212	777	337	1,957	1,995
August		1,863	1,253	1,186	231	626	174	707	310	1,817	1,942
September		1,810	1,140	1,304	277	618	154	835	354	1,961	1,961
October		2,101	1,312	1,594	301	756	204	1,048	440	2,448	1,992
November		1,849	1,121	1,549	255	689	126	1,036	391	2,241	1,944
December		1,361	928	1,253	195	514	98	987	312	1,911	2,058
1969 January		1,077	668	944	160	347	74	759	270	1,449	2,181
February		1,956	1,200	1,416	266	689	127	984	424	2,223	2,028
March		1,816	1,173	1,295	306	661	153	991	282	2,088	1,874

(a) Predominantly of fibre named. (b) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Woollen cloth		Woollen blankets		Rugs (b)	Spun yarns		Cellulosic fibre (rayon & acetate) cloth		
	Blanketing and rug material		Pure	Mixtures (a)		Cellu- losic fibre (incl. mix- tures)	Synthetic fibre		Pure	Mixtures (a)
	Pure	Mixture (a)					Pure	Mixtures (a)		
Code No.	372.15, 39,43	372.17, 41,45	372.52, 56,60,64	(c)	372.70,72 374.59	365.38-66	365.90, 366.16, 42,88	(d)	374.02, 06,14	374.04, 08,16
	- '000 sq yd -		- '000 -			- '000 lb -			- '000 sq yd -	
Year 1965-66	8,456	746	1,614	86	175	5,970	5,356	1,364	28,418	4,567
1966-67	8,408	1,082	1,587	137	191	6,771	7,376	1,467	30,126	5,566
1967-68	7,866	1,205	1,537	120	162	8,496	8,017	1,502	30,437	6,280
Latest 6 months 1968-69	3,900		608	65.2	63.3	5,187	4,104	1,038	12,911	3,701
Same 6 months 1967-68	3,442	554	630	53.2	64.4	3,912	3,800	695	13,665	2,778
Latest 3 months 1968-69	1,601	334	286	31.0	22.0	2,390	1,935	494	5,909	1,666
Same 3 months 1967-68	1,643	248	300	22.7	32.5	1,715	1,719	337	6,448	1,221
Month - 1968 February	593	95	111	9.3	10.7	544	635	132	2,360	499
March	711	90	125	9.8	15.3	806	626	132	2,824	527
April	671	80	128	7.8	14.1	822	575	133	2,321	504
May	789	127	164	17.4	20.3	966	804	155	2,966	733
June	675	113	138	12.8	19.1	713	678	132	2,728	760
July	913		150	21.7	22.4	842	694	143	2,536	607
August	748		130	15.9	15.8	919	703	125	2,856	662
September	711		120	17.8	19.1	982	683	r179	2,760	790
October	774		130	16.2	15.2	1,162	683	170	2,524	802
November	605	105	114	10.9	17.1	924	858	221	2,575	709
December	400	81	78	7.1	9.0	711	628	153	1,903	524
1969 January	337	63	63	6.1	3.5	534	465	115	1,366	349
February	612	128	104	10.8	7.9	1,019	671	181	2,193	604
March	652	143	119	14.1	10.6	837	799	198	2,350	713

(a) Predominantly of fibre named. (b) Includes small quantities produced from non-wool fibre. (c) Code Nos 372.54,58,62, 66 and 374.51,53,55,57. (d) Code Nos 366.03,04,29,30,55,5C,96,97.

Period		Synthetic fibre cloth		Men's, youths' and boys' clothing							
				Short length coats (b)				Boys'	Waist-coats	Dust-coats - Men's and youths'	Overalls
		Men's and youths'				Men's & youths'	Boys'				
		Pure	Mixtures (a)	Suit coats	Sports coats and blazers						For uniforms
Code No.	374.20, 24,28, 32	374.22, 26,30,34	772.01	772.11, 13	772.21, 23	772.15, 29	772.01, 11,13, 15,29	772.05, 09	772.26, 45	772.77	
		- '000 sq yd -		- '000 -							
Year 1965-66	9,096	11,709	1,006	341	170	468	284	54.5	374	1,884	73
1966-67	9,780	13,750	973	395	166	535	374	83.5	456	1,832	113
1967-68	11,539	16,761	951	402	185	438	291	80.6	420	1,716	120
Latest 6 months 1968-69	5,313	8,965	471	205	88.3	203	144	61.7	225	907	(d)
Same 6 months 1967-68	5,292	7,396	451	194	82.4	204	157	30.2	193	764	82.8
Latest 3 months 1968-69	2,316	4,266	200	103.1	33.9	127	89.9	31.1	97.2	427	(d)
Same 3 months 1967-68	2,459	3,533	192	94.9	40.6	122	97.8	16.6	85.9	347	67.1
Month - 1968 February	868	1,388	75.0	38.5	16.6	44.9	35.7	6.29	36.8	142	22.5
March	1,068	1,521	78.6	42.2	17.3	57.3	40.4	8.16	34.0	131	17.1
April	899	1,408	75.9	36.9	20.1	45.5	34.3	9.66	35.3	135	11.7
May	1,224	1,856	84.8	41.0	19.3	48.4	26.6	12.14	39.6	184	11.0
June	1,133	1,836	78.3	33.8	19.7	45.3	19.6	9.60	36.2	136	9.4
July	1,087	1,852	80.6	37.1	21.4	40.8	12.3	r9.93	45.0	145	4.4
August	1,180	1,796	87.0	36.0	17.7	29.5	11.7	r9.92	49.6	168	2.9
September	1,094	1,772	86.3	r36.9	17.8	25.1	13.2	r11.33	48.0	165	2.1
October	1,099	1,727	93.5	r38.4	20.5	26.3	16.1	11.13	54.1	187	1.6
November	1,075	1,610	97.7	r33.9	18.8	26.8	17.6	10.71	42.6	166	(d)
December	823	1,362	79.6	r29.7	15.1	22.3	20.7	r8.77	31.2	127	(d)
1969 January	519	939	39.3	17.7	9.1	25.8	17.2	4.06	16.1	78	(d)
February	858	1,574	77.3	r38.3	12.8	51.2	31.5	r11.32	39.3	172	(d)
March	939	1,753	83.8	47.1	12.0	50.3	41.2	15.67	41.8	177	23.4

(a) Predominantly of fibre named. (b) Excludes plastic coats. (c) Includes reefer, bermuda, safari, lumber and golf jackets. (d) Not available for publication.

Period		Men's, youths' and boys' clothing - continued										
		Long trousers					Track suits (complete) (d)	Shorts (a)		Swim wear (b)	Full and $\frac{1}{2}$ length coats (c)	
		Men's and youths'				Boys'		Men's and youths'	Boys'		Overcoats and rain-coats	Plastic raincoats
		Suit	Sports	Work, jeans and jodhpurs	For uniforms							
Code No.	772.51	772.53	772.55, 57,59	772.61, 63	772.51, 53,57,59, 69,71	789.21	772.73		779.01, 05,15	771.03, 772.31,33 35,37,39 43	771.25	
		- '000 -								'000 doz	- '000 -	
Year 1965-66	989	4,255	3,003	488	1,793	n.a.	3,585	4,035	140	407	550	
1966-67	954	4,275	3,659	649	1,881	n.a.	4,063	4,196	172	576	679	
1967-68	998	4,027	3,437	832	1,923	150	4,975	4,395	154	577	656	
Latest 6 months 1968-69	501	2,145	1,581	351	962	71.3	2,577	2,440	93.7	185	171	
Same 6 months 1967-68	472	1,903	1,621	396	921	70.9	2,349	2,239	65.2	263	289	
Latest 3 months 1968-69	213	1,052	762	159	663	36.6	796	753	31.0	120	100	
Same 6 months 1967-68	206	925	808	192	622	32.7	773	719	15.2	139	177	
Month - 1968 February	79.0	349	298	74.7	255	14.6	304	250	6.5	56.8	78.3	
March	86.2	395	336	70.0	277	13.6	292	263	6.4	56.2	68.4	
April	84.1	376	322	65.3	254	13.6	260	195	8.2	61.9	59.2	
May	94.6	413	358	97.5	284	18.9	343	306	12.9	68.6	63.8	
June	84.4	313	306	75.3	162	14.9	438	292	15.4	50.2	55.5	
July	82.5	342	342	71.3	160	r21.6	564	485	21.2	47.0	38.6	
August	98.6	348	269	65.5	111	r18.0	574	486	22.4	40.0	33.6	
September	93.7	338	269	68.8	137	r10.6	566	484	18.7	29.9	17.9	
October	101.4	402	319	81.0	114	r11.7	686	627	20.0	19.2	13.7	
November	103.5	375	287	68.3	111	r12.2	638	614	18.7	24.2	21.9	
December	82.3	316	213	43.3	74	r10.8	457	446	24.0	21.9	35.6	
1969 January	40.6	216	168	27.7	105	6.0	197	234	14.0	20.0	16.0	
February	r86.3	410	282	61.3	268	12.4	276	268	8.3	44.9	29.3	
March	86.5	426	312	69.7	290	18.2	323	251	8.7	55.2	54.6	

(a) Other than swim shorts. (b) Includes swim shorts. (c) Excludes leather coats. (d) For both males and females.

Period		Men's, youths' and boys' clothing - continued					Women's, maids' and girls' clothing				
		Cardigans, pullovers, etc. (a)	Shirts		Under- wear	Pyjamas suits	Foundation garments (b)			Cardigans, pullovers etc. (a)	
			Men's and youths'	Boys'			Corsets		Corselets (incl. torso- lettes)		Brass- ieres
							Roll-on girdles	Total			
Code No.	773.51	773.01-31		774.01-13	774.21, 23	777.11	777.15, 21,29	777.01	777.41, 49	773.71	
- '000 doz -											
Year 1965-66	365	1,747	519	2,262	480	84.9	287	8.73	720	937	
1966-67	418	1,739	473	2,258	422	86.5	298	8.65	793	884	
1967-68	383	1,696	479	2,386	407	94.5	315	7.21	819	793	
Latest 6 months 1968-69	204	827	262	1,121	199	38.0	142	2.54	362	389	
Same 6 months 1967-68	186	782	236	1,162	184	46.7	158	3.59	384	378	
Latest 3 months 1968-69	113.0	350	106.1	496	91.2	11.7	57.3	1.03	164	192	
Same 3 months 1967-68	94.9	325	83.7	495	89.2	18.4	65.1	1.49	165	184	
Month - 1968 February	36.3	132	35.1	197	33.3	8.21	25.9	0.62	66.1	67.1	
March	38.0	131	28.3	194	43.3	6.71	26.5	0.69	68.5	71.8	
April	37.3	122	26.8	188	36.0	6.96	24.6	0.60	64.4	67.6	
May	41.4	159	37.2	224	38.8	7.28	24.5	0.62	68.9	67.9	
June	31.9	147	36.0	180	31.5	7.16	25.2	0.53	65.6	61.6	
July	31.4	167	47.0	223	41.9	8.97	25.6	0.37	59.9	67.7	
August	27.4	164	55.6	203	41.2	7.81	24.5	0.46	59.1	65.0	
September	26.5	162	53.1	200	38.7	7.36	25.1	0.52	67.3	64.8	
October	34.2	184	61.2	230	40.9	9.68	30.4	0.52	71.6	71.0	
November	30.6	174	53.8	226	37.0	11.17	30.4	0.48	66.6	74.7	
December	26.4	119	40.9	169	30.2	5.49	24.1	0.51	59.5	51.8	
1969 January	22.7	72	24.8	102	18.6	2.81	11.3	0.19	27.3	44.6	
February	42.3	139	37.3	200	32.6	4.94	21.6	0.33	65.2	71.0	
March	48.0	139	44.0	194	40.0	3.92	24.4	0.51	71.4	76.0	

(a) Includes similar garments with basques. (b) Excludes suspender and dance belts, suspensory & sanitary belts and waist whittlers.

Period	Women's, maids' and girls' clothing - continued						Infants' and babywear			
	Bathing suits	Slips (incl. half slips)	Vests and spencers	Bloomers, pantees, scanties, etc.	Night- dresses	Pyjamas	Under- wear (a)	Shirts (b)	Night wear (a)	Cardigans, pullovers etc. (c)
Code No.	779.31, 35	774.65, 67	774.60, 62	774.45,47	774.51, 53	774.56, 58	774.91- 97	773.85, 87	774.81- 89	773.81
- '000 dozen -										
Year 1965-66	114	765	669	2,391	390	336	219	79.9	67.0	130
1966-67	122	748	637	2,321	394	318	216	80.2	61.5	133
1967-68	144	776	613	2,602	426	332	312	77.4	65.4	123
Latest 6 months 1968-69	58.8	359	276	1,531	197	153	136	28.7	41.7	60.2
Same 6 months 1967-68	61.6	349	296	1,289	194	170	165	29.9	32.4	66.6
Latest 3 months 1968-69	15.0	134	128	703	89.9	73.8	56.5	9.02	21.9	32.2
Same 3 months 1967-68	18.3	135	137	568	90.3	100.6	72.6	10.34	18.8	32.2
Month - 1968 February	6.9	53.0	55.7	218	36.0	38.2	29.5	3.86	6.98	13.56
March	7.2	52.9	52.0	223	36.3	38.7	24.8	4.08	8.51	10.89
April	7.5	58.7	57.9	212	36.6	26.0	22.8	5.18	6.39	9.63
May	12.5	72.5	62.7	241	38.7	25.9	30.7	6.12	7.64	11.06
June	13.6	65.9	49.1	218	33.1	28.7	23.7	6.25	4.83	8.21
July	15.5	74.5	54.1	261	33.5	24.2	26.0	11.94	5.14	9.71
August	15.4	72.9	44.0	241	39.0	19.2	21.7	11.76	5.70	9.89
September	15.5	69.1	52.1	264	43.7	25.8	20.8	8.61	5.53	9.48
October	15.5	82.1	52.4	286	43.1	31.5	29.0	10.00	5.43	10.27
November	16.1	84.0	54.4	307	36.5	26.2	28.8	6.47	6.80	9.74
December	12.2	58.5	41.1	235	27.0	21.5	22.0	3.19	7.58	8.00
1969 January	4.2	26.8	27.3	159	17.2	13.1	12.0	1.40	5.23	5.94
February	5.2	53.4	52.7	277	32.8	30.1	21.4	4.04	8.67	13.94
March	5.6	54.1	48.3	267	39.9	30.6	23.1	3.58	7.98	12.31

(a) Up to and incl. size 2. (b) Includes shirts for ranger suits. (c) Includes similar garments with basques up to and incl. 22" chest.

Period	Work gloves	Slide fasteners Metal and plastic	Hosiery							Total hosiery
			Women's		Men's		Children's (sizes 3-10)	Infants' (sizes 0-3)		
			Full length (a)	Other	Golf hose	Other				
Code No.	781.06-31	974.11,12	775.01-19	775.21-39	775.51-62	775.71-82	775.91-98; 776 01-22	776.31-42		
	'000 doz pr	'000 ft	- '000 doz pairs-							
Year 1965-66	1,691	45,316	4,348	216	99.5	1,590	826	77.1	7,156	
1966-67	1,702	51,269	4,691	280	175.6	1,639	968	77.2	7,832	
1967-68	1,907	57,943	r5,401	205	197.6	1,706	906	87.2	8,264	
Latest 6 months 1968-69	1,318	30,382	2,763	93.6	99.9	773	467	54.3	4,251	
Same 6 months 1967-68	869	27,969	2,570	106.0	97.7	780	413	39.5	3,899	
Latest 3 months 1968-69	679	14,343	1,275	47.5	33.3	346	219	24.5	1,944	
Same 3 months 1967-68	402	12,744	1,239	50.2	36.4	358	189	17.4	1,803	
Month - 1968 February	141	4,745	r467	19.2	14.2	135	70.9	6.15	693	
March	175	5,191	r482	16.9	12.2	142	69.3	6.91	700	
April	131	4,163	r451	14.0	12.1	142	66.5	7.85	663	
May	192	5,106	r524	16.8	15.0	165	84.0	10.98	766	
June	173	5,150	r451	13.0	15.9	145	72.3	10.64	678	
July	184	5,454	r541	19.4	20.2	176	89.8	11.28	r858	
August	226	5,889	522	16.6	r24.5	r167	89.7	9.37	r829	
September	182	5,112	r523	18.0	24.6	164	84.0	9.56	823	
October	232	5,611	r569	18.4	26.5	168	91.5	11.19	r885	
November	263	6,322	r561	16.1	24.7	155	91.9	10.02	r860	
December	144	4,106	358	12.2	r15.4	104	r64.6	8.60	r562	
1969 January	217	3,296	283	10.8	r8.6	70	r48.7	5.45	r426	
February	240	5,170	r521	18.8	11.6	140	88.3	10.13	r790	
March	222	5,877	471	17.9	13.1	136	81.5	8.95	728	

(a) From July 1968 includes "panty" hose.

Period		Footwear (a)							Hides & skins used for tanning			
		Boots, shoes and sandals (c)						Slippers (d)	Rubber thongs	Cattle hides	Calf skins	Sheep and lamb skins
		Men's and youths' sizes 2 & over	Women's and maids' sizes 2 & over	Boys' and girls' sizes 7-1	Infants' sizes 0-6	Total						
						Original	Seasonally adjusted (b)					
	Code No.								791.26, 77	201.13, 15	201.11	201.59, 61.63
		-- '000 pairs -							- '000 -			
Year 1965-66		10,323	18,356	5,141	1,129	34,949	..	4,609	2,527	2,107	286	2,141
1966-67		11,070	19,236	5,544	1,160	37,011	..	4,454	2,930	1,916	240	1,978
1967-68		11,297	19,857	5,484	999	37,637	..	4,300	3,186	1,874	248	1,994
Latest 6 months 1968-69		5,256	9,430	2,707	504	17,898	..	1,946	1,558	947	104	868
Same 6 months 1967-68		5,151	9,526	2,653	505	17,837	..	2,005	1,483	839	120	913
Latest 3 months 1968-69		2,282	4,259	1,178	191	7,911	..	1,009	465	486	46.5	461
Same 3 months 1967-68		2,173	4,312	1,124	193	7,803	..	1,076	591	436	56.7	462
Month- 1968 February		837	1,650	445	79.4	3,012	3,085	393	208	158	25.3	173
March		880	1,708	413	75.2	3,077	3,057	414	185	173	21.4	186
April		856	1,603	410	76.6	2,945	3,019	431	166	153	17.8	153
May		1,048	1,717	494	73.3	3,332	3,025	387	244	188	30.4	197
June		889	1,351	379	60.5	2,680	2,969	301	211	164	26.0	162
July		r1,154	1,794	487	81.3	r3,517	3,096	r302	313	177	32.4	182
August		r1,083	1,872	486	86.0	r3,528	3,119	r231	315	158	35.0	158
September		1,040	1,914	631	114.2	3,699	3,260	r248	348	186	25.5	156
October		r1,146	2,123	643	118.6	r4,030	3,258	r313	410	174	21.9	160
November		1,064	1,781	569	117.9	3,532	3,210	354	439	181	21.4	148
December		764	1,267	317	76.3	2,425	3,053	270	244	106	14.5	99
1969 January		470	954	273	39.0	1,735	3,222	215	144	132	11.9	106
February		869	1,611	449	75.4	3,005	3,217	379	167	180	12.7	169
March		943	1,694	456	76.8	3,171	3,143	415	154	174	21.9	186

(a) Excludes sandshoes, galoshes, gum and wading etc. boots of rubber. (b) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

(c) Includes all footwear of cemented, vulcanised moulded rubber and injection moulded plastic soled construction.

(d) Excludes slippers of cemented, vulcanised moulded rubber and injection moulded plastic construction.

Period	Sports goods						Meat (carcass weight) (a)			Bacon and ham (cured weight)
	Balls					Racquet frames	Beef & veal	Mutton & lamb	Pigmeat	
	Baseball and softball	Basketball and soccer	Cricket-Leather	Football-Australian rules and rugby	Golf clubs					
Code No.	832.01	832.11, 13.45	832.21	832.41, 43	832.58, 59	832.65, 85	021.02, 04	021.12, 14	021.22, 23, 25, 26	
			- doz -				- '000 tons -			tons
Year 1965-66	2,283	2,477	23,157	11,943	33,145	15,308	931	599	133	46,220
1966-67	2,228	1,776	24,116	14,113	40,680	16,866	865	587	140	50,300
1967-68	2,702	1,717	25,317	15,800	37,332	15,798	890	654	147	49,046
Latest 6 months 1968-69	1,039	517	12,146	6,381	18,313	8,181	414	351	79.6	26,349
Same 6 months 1967-68	1,313	793	12,095	7,871	17,599	7,752	424	374	73.8	26,131
Latest 3 months 1968-69	616	170	4,661	4,267	8,480	3,342	208	167	38.7	11,221
Same 3 months 1967-68	795	211	5,067	5,062	8,122	3,325	207	177	35.5	11,313
Month - 1968										
February	276	73	2,116	2,186	3,263	1,381	70.0	59.2	11.7	r3,838
March	359	102	1,786	1,908	3,094	1,264	75.4	58.1	12.7	r4,153
April	327	152	1,629	1,614	2,712	1,148	72.1	46.3	12.4	r3,611
May	287	257	1,931	1,729	3,408	1,293	82.0	48.4	13.3	r4,114
June	210	122	1,750	1,444	2,693	1,222	77.6	42.9	12.4	r3,917
July	187	176	2,496	1,426	3,342	1,530	84.5	46.1	13.3	4,182
August	81	237	2,520	1,084	2,842	1,657	77.7	47.4	12.7	3,936
September	105	127	2,915	755	3,246	1,572	77.0	50.6	13.5	4,492
October	174	146	2,902	673	3,364	1,767	77.3	64.6	13.9	4,426
November	122	79	2,573	732	3,843	1,580	69.2	61.8	13.4	4,683
December	127	122	2,010	709	2,626	1,492	60.1	57.1	13.6	6,019
1969										
January	95	50	1,250	774	1,939	933	63.8	56.2	12.5	r3,604
February	250	70	1,500	1,548	3,098	1,342	67.1	54.7	12.4	3,623
March	271	50	1,911	1,945	3,443	1,067	76.9	56.1	13.8	3,994

(a) Includes farm production.

Period	Code No.	Canned meat					Canned fish (c)	Jam	Pre-served fruit	Vegetables	
		Beef and veal	Mutton and lamb	Pork (a)	Meat and vegetables (a)	Other (b)				Canned or bottled (d)	Quick frozen
		027.02-09	027.12-19	023.17; 027.22, 29	027.75	027.72, 73.74, 76	045.11-15, 29, 51	076.60	076.01-50	094.02-17	092.02, 06, 19
		- '000 lb -						- mil. lb -		'000 lb	
Year 1965-66		40,155	7,580	10,237	36,120	18,960	11,853	97.1	580	180	93,885
1966-67		38,506	6,758	11,715	33,990	18,026	13,724	90.8	612	195	118,216
1967-68		35,172	6,726	11,016	34,465	19,036	17,179	81.1	654	174	97,136
Latest 6 months 1968-69		14,763	4,440	4,826	12,906	9,225	9,103	44.3	382	109.5	113,211
Same 6 months 1967-68		20,101	3,638	5,396	8,423	11,266	9,760	39.9	478	96.9	75,017
Latest 3 months 1968-69		7,465	1,901	2,131	4,216	5,076	5,552	27.4	371	49.6	65,398
Same 3 months 1967-68		10,319	2,076	2,911	2,648	4,861	6,738	23.1	455	45.5	42,691
Month - 1968 February		3,831	718	1,063	750	1,559	1,488	7.48	177.1	16.7	11,919
March		4,413	880	1,208	1,230	1,589	3,956	5.28	227.8	13.9	8,750
April		2,511	613	721	2,499	1,728	2,405	5.72	111.1	10.5	6,873
May		2,498	636	1,288	5,113	1,200	1,662	7.53	18.2	12.1	6,188
June		2,568	359	1,262	3,620	694	1,161	5.63	13.3	14.4	5,703
July		2,097	518	1,407	4,451	579	1,002	7.82	13.8	15.8	4,877
August		2,074	492	1,324	3,702	1,305	614	9.34	6.4	12.0	2,432
September		2,699	733	1,388	3,211	1,957	463	8.17	8.2	10.7	1,717
October		2,317	1,356	1,060	4,495	1,233	949	5.47	5.0	19.8	7,549
November		2,477	547	898	2,873	1,297	1,168	5.60	2.2	20.4	16,016
December		2,504	636	737	1,322	1,619	1,434	5.80	3.6	19.7	24,248
1969 January		1,809	628	651	624	1,668	1,176	13.28	141.6	20.0	33,078
February		2,087	579	734	2,353	1,848	1,609	8.47	115.1	14.1	18,188
March		3,569	694	746	1,239	1,560	2,767	5.67	214.7	15.5	14,132

(a) Excludes pork and beans. (b) Excludes canned (meat based) baby foods (infants' and junior types). Includes camp pie, sausages, other mixed meats, and meat and cereal. (c) Includes fishloaf, fish cakes etc., but excludes fish paste, smoked fish, canned oysters and shellfish. (d) Includes pickled vegetables.

Period		Potato crisps	Tomato sauce	Soup		Canned spag- hetti	Un- refined vegetable oils	Single oils & fats, not emul- sified	Blended and/or emulsified edible oils and fats (a)		
				Tomato	Other				Margarine		Other
									Table	Other	
	Code No.	099.01	123.18	122.02	122.09	065.11	(b)	(c)	121.01	121.06, 08	121.41, 43.49
		'000 lb	- '000 pints -			- '000 lb -					
Year 1965-66		16,427	34,068	25,548	46,484	35,223	87,903	(a)	53,698	67,884	58,786
1966-67		21,525	39,917	26,666	52,319	38,418	84,519	35,592	48,356	76,138	61,179
1967-68		n.a.	31,869	23,731	43,102	35,383	95,685	41,930	36,125	88,627	62,932
Latest 6 months 1968-69		12,767	18,320	(e)	9,202	18,607	43,037	24,191	16,804	44,717	31,940
Same 6 months 1967-68		n.a.	23,316	(e)	11,228	16,470	45,271	21,387	16,107	38,597	30,156
Latest 3 months 1968-69		6,116	14,562	(e)	5,564	5,784	22,566	10,607	7,638	19,903	15,144
Same 3 months 1967-68		n.a.	20,637	21,158	3,403	6,526	21,121	9,268	7,441	17,175	14,376
Month - 1968 February	}		7,829	11,824	2,071	2,590	6,701	3,290	3,233	5,933	4,838
March			9,938	9,288	820	2,395	8,114	3,496	2,558	6,969	5,269
April		n.a.	4,686	997	5,038	2,664	9,480	3,404	3,358	8,345	5,602
May			1,106	74	6,525	4,059	9,691	3,517	3,477	8,038	5,847
June			609	109	6,332	2,274	7,611	3,573	2,513	9,513	5,401
July		2,095	882	278	6,089	4,571	7,996	4,030	3,392	10,422	6,304
August		1,865	868	827	3,456	2,972	8,067	3,383	3,300	8,582	5,120
September		2,157	824	222	1,295	3,607	7,955	3,584	2,802	8,209	5,099
October		2,191	1,143	191	1,798	4,404	9,041	4,860	3,668	9,005	5,929
November		2,097	1,422	169	1,157	4,053	5,758	4,918	2,599	9,749	6,051
December		2,363	1,193	111	683	4,366	5,672	3,806	2,899	6,060	4,816
1969 January		2,255	1,112	(e)	1,084	1,678	6,881	2,968	1,902	5,406	4,732
February		1,869	5,646	6,222	2,683	2,879	8,216	4,187	2,976	6,544	5,288
March		1,992	7,804	3,649	1,797	1,227	7,469	3,452	2,760	7,953	5,124

(a) Excludes lard and processed fats (either in solid or liquid form) for sale or transfer to edible fat factories for final processing into margarine. (b) Code Nos 393.14,26,38,50,72,90; 394.06,93. (c) Code Nos 393.33,43,45,86,98; 394.99; 121.32,39. (d) Comparable statistics not available. (e) Not available for publication.

Period	Whole milk (a)	Processed milk products			Casein	Butter (b)	Cheese (c)	Ice cream	Other frozen dairy foods and water ices	Refined sugar (d)
		Con- densed, concentrated & evaporated milk	Powdered milk	Infants' and invalids' food						
Code No.	051.11	051.21-28	051.72-82	051.87-90	403.12,14	051.31	051.36-46	051.61	051.63-67; 139.72	102.11
	mil. gal	- mil. lb -						- '000 gal -		'000 ton
Year 1965-66	1,522	185	183	45.3	50.7	460	131	30,026	8,428	609
1966-67	1,605	178	269	49.5	45.8	489	154	34,974	10,955	613
1967-68	1,503	152	276	48.5	41.5	432	155	37,347	11,075	614
Latest 6 months 1968-69	909	90.2	161	25.8	41.0	280	96.3	24,198	7,501	332
Same 6 months 1967-68	926	100.0	184	24.6	28.4	285	97.3	23,567	7,243	320
Latest 3 months 1968-69	374	40.4	59.7	12.8	14.0	109	35.4	12,606	3,843	161
Same 3 months 1967-68	370	44.3	59.9	10.1	8.6	106	36.9	12,390	3,758	160
Month - 1968 February	119	15.2	19.7	3.57	2.51	33.8	11.7	4,413	1,397	52.1
March	96	12.2	10.6	3.15	1.88	24.1	9.3	3,513	1,099	59.0
April	74	6.8	7.5	4.15	0.99	16.5	6.6	2,946	815	50.9
May	66	5.2	6.7	4.30	0.86	12.6	5.9	2,165	620	50.4
June	65	4.6	7.3	4.19	0.88	11.8	6.6	1,425	318	42.6
July	88	7.8	10.9	4.34	2.69	20.7	10.2	1,769	503	50.6
August	127	13.0	18.2	5.89	6.08	36.0	15.4	2,303	601	55.6
September	161	14.4	26.9	5.40	8.80	49.7	19.3	2,980	866	56.7
October	186	16.8	34.1	5.72	10.09	59.2	21.9	3,713	1,188	57.0
November	179	15.8	34.3	4.67	9.00	57.3	20.3	3,816	1,274	61.3
December	171	17.2	32.4	2.59	7.86	54.0	18.7	4,063	1,196	52.5
1969 January	150	15.1	26.5	3.90	6.24	46.4	15.2	4,951	1,509	51.5
February	113	11.9	17.4	4.04	4.06	32.5	10.1	4,200	1,315	55.3
March	111	13.4	15.8	4.86	3.72	30.3	10.1	3,455	1,019	54.3

(a) For all purposes - estimated. (b) Includes butter equivalent of butter oil production. Source : Commonwealth Dairy Produce Equalisation Committee Ltd and State Depts of Agriculture from July 1967. (c) Source : Commonwealth Dairy Produce Equalisation Committee Ltd and producers not within Equalisation scheme. (d) Source : Dept of Primary Industry from July 1967.

Period	Code No.	Cocoa powder and drinking chocolate	Confectionery		Biscuits (excl. dog biscuits)	Aerated & carbonated waters (b)- Bottled & canned	Cordials and syrups	Concentrated cordial extract (excl. essences)	Beer (c)		Malt
			Chocolate (a)	Other					Original	Seas. adj. (d)	
		111.26	104.06-18	104.21-29	064.21	171.03,05	171.06, 10	171.14	172.02-06		063.11, 21,31
		'000 lb		- mil. lb -			- '000 gal -		- mil gal -		'000 bus
Year 1965-66		8,839	104	108	224	105,381	9,144	375	290	..	13,444
1966-67		9,277	105	112	230	112,937	9,160	317	294	..	14,239
1967-68		9,246	99	112	234	124,624	9,828	340	317	..	13,634
Latest 6 months 1968-69		4,757	43.7	55.9	114	84,583	7,128	195	177	..	6,802
Same 6 months 1967-68		4,410	40.7	56.4	105	80,235	6,704	250	175	..	6,731
Latest 3 months 1968-69		2,057	21.6	24.7	53.9	42,127	3,291	77	84.3	..	3,234
Same 3 months 1967-68		2,069	19.3	24.3	53.3	41,638	3,036	112	86.4	..	3,386
Month - 1968 February		846	7.46	9.28	18.1	14,786	1,105	35.3	28.8	27.9	1,078
March		719	8.03	9.44	19.9	13,000	994	31.2	28.7	28.0	1,227
April		815	8.17	8.03	19.3	9,999	669	9.7	26.2	27.8	1,127
May		1,115	10.96	8.73	23.4	7,801	470	4.6	25.1	26.9	1,203
June		933	10.00	8.17	20.0	5,246	269	0.9	18.9	24.8	1,175
July		1,154	r11.27	r10.72	22.3	6,457	413	r13.9	23.0	26.3	1,217
August		668	r10.55	r10.02	20.2	7,691	r576	r28.0	22.7	24.8	1,285
September		916	r 8.83	r10.46	19.6	10,437	r974	r34.9	25.8	26.4	1,209
October		871	r 8.17	r11.02	21.6	12,018	r1,273	r41.1	31.3	27.4	1,153
November		990	r 7.97	r11.01	21.0	13,738	r1,219	r40.0	30.8	26.5	1,326
December		839	r 5.99	r 9.15	17.3	16,700	r1,345	r37.2	30.7	25.3	1,089
1969 January		353	r 5.07	r 5.80	14.8	r16,562	1,203	r25.4	28.9	27.7	986
February		672	r 7.30	r 8.94	17.5	r13,508	r1,091	32.4	27.6	27.8	1,060
March		1,032	9.24	9.98	21.6	12,057	997	18.7	27.8	26.7	1,188

(a) All chocolate confectionery includes chocolate centred items and chocolate enrobed confectionery bars, but does not include chocolate sold for further manufacturing purposes. (b) Includes soda water and brewed beer (non-intoxicating). (c) All figures for 1967-68 were collected by the Department of Customs and Excise and include waste beer. Other figures collected by this Bureau exclude waste beer. (d) See para. 8, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Code No.	Cereal products						Stock and poultry food			
		Prepared (ready to- eat)cereal breakfast food - All types	Granulated or rolled breakfast foods from oats	Gluten	Starch (incl. cornflour)	Glucose	Flour from wheat (a)	Semolina	Wheat- meal for stockfood	Bran	Pollard
		066.01-31	062.61,63	127.31, 34	127.11-19	127.21	062.01, 10,32	062.04	152.14	152.02	152.06
		- '000 cwt -		- mil. lb -				- 000 short tons -			
Year 1965-66		904	314	41.9	149	60.8	1,414	18.7	284	206	303
1966-67		900	341	42.1	165	60.4	1,392	20.8	229	202	285
1967-68		931	310	45.9	184	63.3	r1,420	24.0	273	199	308
Latest 6 months 1968-69		528	100.5	23.9	93.6	34.7	662	11.5	134	92.1	151
Same 6 months 1967-68		496	94.1	23.4	90.4	31.9	699	10.9	147	99.6	151
Latest 3 months 1968-69		260	65.9	12.1	47.5	16.4	315	6.06	63.2	46.0	75.2
Same 3 months 1967-68		240	65.9	11.9	41.4	14.3	322	5.95	73.2	46.6	71.1
Month - 1968 February		88.1	20.0	3.62	13.3	5.28	101	1.97	24.1	15.4	22.2
March		82.3	36.3	4.03	16.7	5.17	r115	2.34	23.4	15.9	25.6
April		76.5	38.7	3.80	15.1	4.74	114	2.04	23.8	15.6	25.3
May		86.8	43.6	4.26	16.6	4.55	136	2.51	24.6	18.6	30.6
June		58.4	47.1	4.16	16.8	4.69	122	2.49	20.3	16.2	27.7
July		65.2	35.7	3.84	14.9	5.96	133	2.94	26.0	16.8	29.8
August		75.1	23.1	3.76	14.4	5.83	120	1.96	25.1	16.1	26.2
September		88.3	15.3	3.61	14.8	6.26	111	2.31	22.4	14.6	24.5
October		90.2	13.2	3.89	16.4	6.88	123	1.89	24.9	16.5	26.9
November		98.4	9.4	4.09	15.8	6.22	129	2.22	25.8	17.1	27.4
December		79.4	12.0	3.78	13.9	5.21	95	1.30	20.3	12.5	21.2
1969 January		81.7	10.0	3.42	r12.0	4.01	95	1.75	23.1	12.9	21.3
February		90.1	22.3	4.22	17.3	6.40	103	2.32	20.8	15.4	25.2
March		88.6	33.6	4.48	18.2	5.96	117	1.99	19.3	17.7	28.7

(a) Includes sharps, atta flour and wheatmeal for baking.

Stock and poultry food - continued

Period		Stock and poultry food - continued								
		Prepared			Meat meals (a)				Fish meal	Oilseed meals (c)
		Poultry pellets & crumble	Poultry mash	Other	Blood meal (a)	Liver meal	Other meat & bone meals (b)			
							Crude protein content under 50%	Crude protein content 50% and over		
Code No.	159.11	159.15	159.21	156.06	156.11	156.41-43	156.44-46	156.21	(d)	
		- '000 short tons -			- '000 lb -		- mil. lb -		- '000 lb -	
Year 1965-66	673	216	301	9,769	854	228	217	1,778	108,303	
1966-67	738	195	307	8,741	736	231	203	1,805	101,159	
1967-68	801	214	323	12,885	571	236	225	2,220	121,948	
Latest 6 months 1968-69	418	108	149	6,689	(e)	118	108	1,038	54,843	
Same 6 months 1967-68	405	109	160	6,883	236	121	119	1,201	57,489	
Latest 3 months 1968-69	196	51.7	70.3	3,077	(e)	59.0	55.5	631	30,134	
Same 3 months 1967-68	194	52.7	78.4	3,410	117	58.4	57.6	607	29,119½	
Month - 1968 February	60.2	16.8	23.2	1,058	39.6	18.0	19.2	221	8,834	
March	65.9	18.1	31.4	1,213	36.8	21.8	20.3	259	10,984	
April	67.7	17.6	30.8	1,001	62.7	18.2	16.6	304	11,213	
May	73.2	19.3	29.8	1,084	69.1	21.3	19.0	141	12,389	
June	62.2	17.6	23.6	939	59.2	18.2	16.6	268	9,229	
July	69.1	19.5	25.7	1,082	70.4	r21.4	17.7	151	10,370	
August	73.1	18.7	27.6	1,212	38.1	r22.1	15.9	70	9,775	
September	68.8	18.1	23.5	1,110	23.3	r20.0	16.2	49	10,171	
October	77.4	19.4	28.4	1,257	10.0	r20.7	18.6	43	10,258	
November	73.9	18.0	26.6	1,249	(e)	r19.7	18.3	50	6,682	
December	70.8	18.6	24.0	1,106	(e)	r18.8	15.6	314	7,769	
1969 January	69.2	18.2	23.3	1,068	(e)	r17.5	16.4	265	8,915	
February	63.0	16.1	23.0	1,003	(e)	r19.7	18.2	141	10,073	
March	63.3	17.4	24.0	1,006	(e)	21.8	20.9	225	11,146	

(a) Excludes blood meal used to enrich "other meat and bone meals". (b) Includes whale meal and dried solubles.
 (c) Includes cake and meal from coconuts, cottonseed, linseed, peanuts, rapeseed, safflower seed (kardi seed), soya beans and sunflower seed. (d) Code Nos 153,16,21,26,36,41,46,51,56. (e) Not available for publication.

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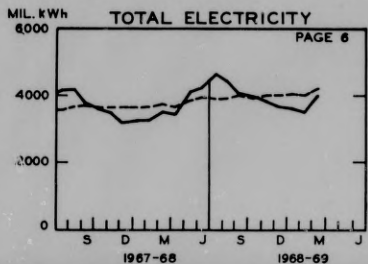
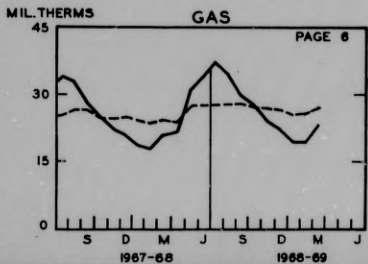
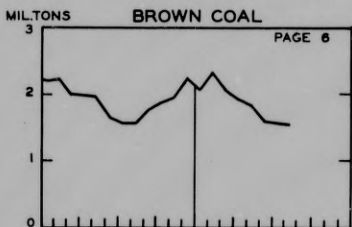
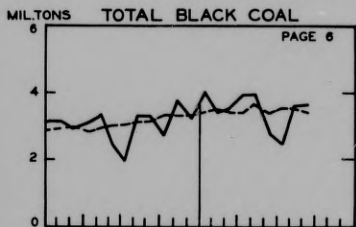
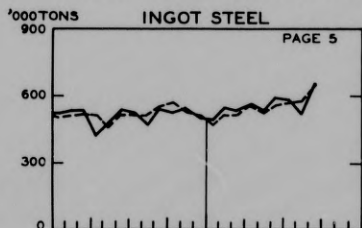
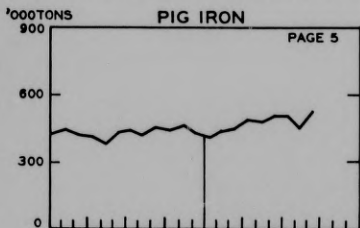
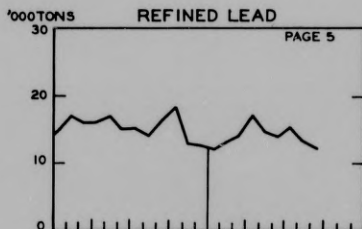
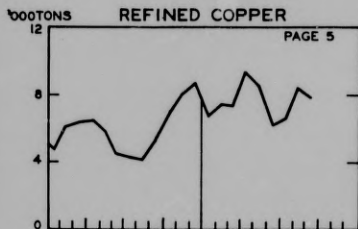
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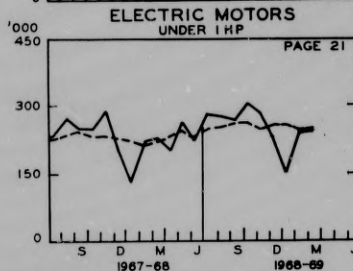
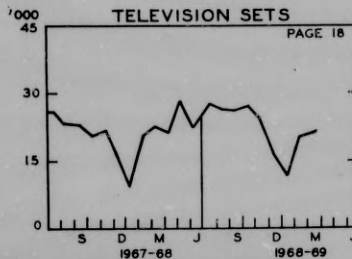
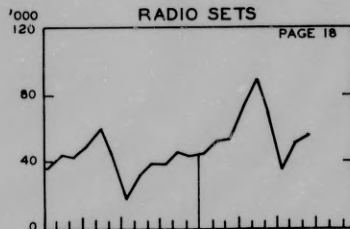
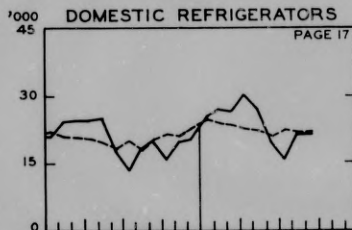
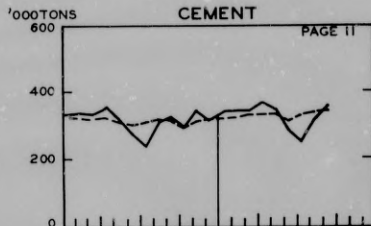
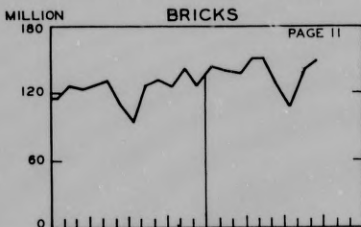
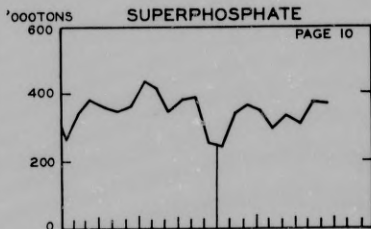
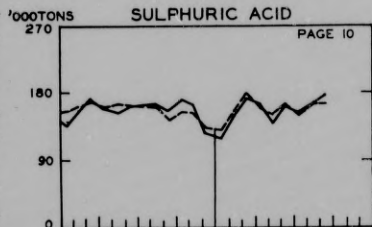


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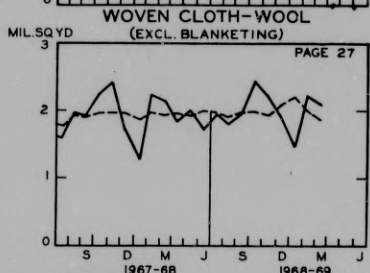
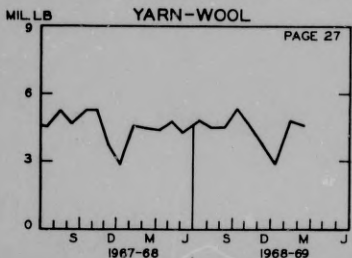
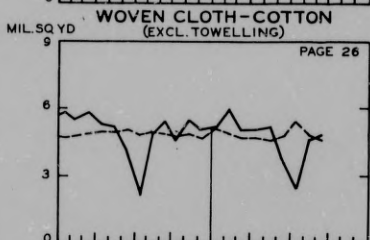
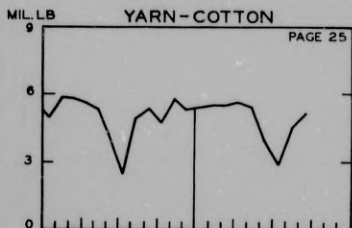
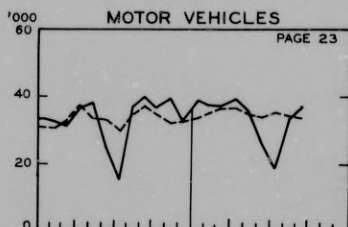
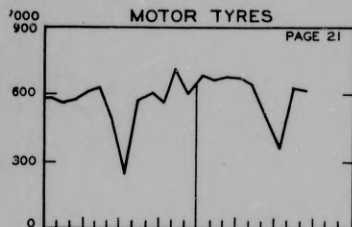
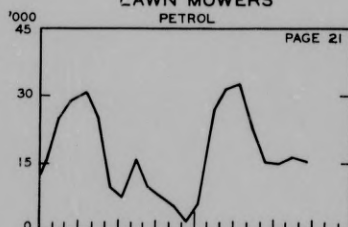
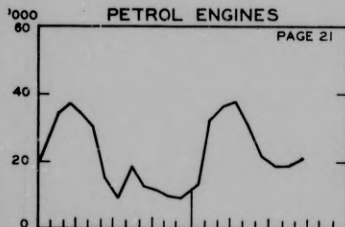
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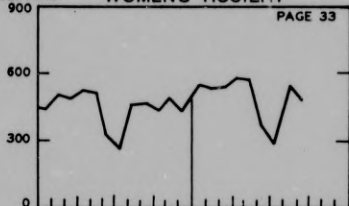
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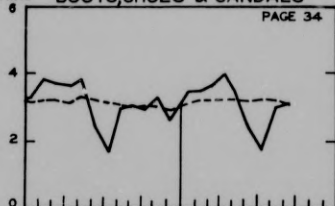
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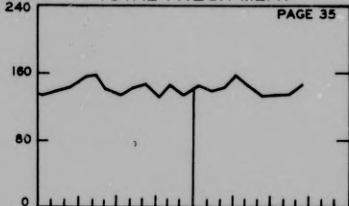
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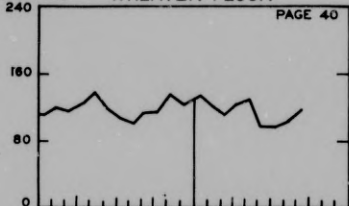
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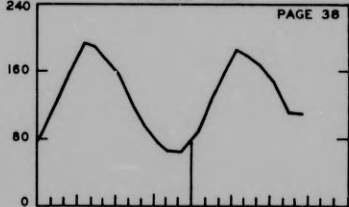
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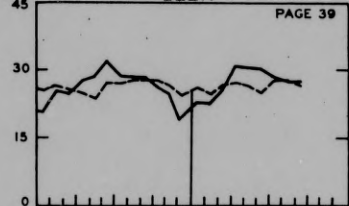
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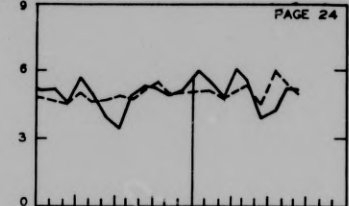
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