



COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS.

Production Summary No. 19A.

KNITTED UNDERWEAR

(Made in Knitting Mills only)

JULY, AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER, 1952

The information set out below has been compiled from returns of establishments engaged in your industry, who were classified in the 1949-50 Census of Manufacturing Production as "Knitting Mills", and indicates current levels of the production of the commodities listed.

These figures are subject to revision.

Australian Production Statistics.

Type of Garment	Quantity produced during the month of		
	July	August	September
	Doz.	Doz.	Doz.
<u>MEN'S AND YOUTHS' KNITTED UNDERWEAR</u>			
Singlets	34,336	38,011	44,616
Underpants - Long	(a)	(a)	(a)
Short	26,704	21,312	23,488
Combinations	(a)	(a)	(a)
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>64,374</u>	<u>62,358</u>	<u>70,116</u>
<u>BOYS' KNITTED UNDERWEAR</u>			
Singlets	3,972	6,034	6,718
Underpants	5,045	5,973	4,654
Combinations	-	-	-
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>9,017</u>	<u>12,007</u>	<u>11,372</u>
<u>WOMEN'S AND MAIDS' KNITTED UNDERWEAR</u>			
Vests and Spencers	(a)	21,854	25,018
Slips	27,677	20,628	27,411
Combinations	(a)	21	9
Bloomers, Panties, etc.	74,070	69,548	81,606
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>126,654</u>	<u>112,051</u>	<u>134,044</u>
<u>WOMEN'S AND MAIDS' KNITTED NIGHTWEAR</u>			
Nightdresses	13,419	13,040	13,861
Pyjamas	5,016	4,614	4,203
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>18,435</u>	<u>17,654</u>	<u>18,064</u>
<u>GIRLS' KNITTED UNDERWEAR</u>			
Vests and Spencers	11,368	8,042	9,493
Slips	2,398	2,592	3,276
Combinations	-	-	-
Bloomers, Panties, etc.	13,390	13,959	12,406
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>27,156</u>	<u>24,593</u>	<u>25,175</u>
<u>GIRLS' KNITTED NIGHTWEAR</u>			
Nightdresses	63	(a)	96
Pyjamas	1,355	(a)	1,158
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>1,418</u>	<u>1,596</u>	<u>1,254</u>
<u>INFANTS' AND BABYWEAR</u>			
Underwear	1,126	1,583	1,491
Nightwear	-	-	-

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NOTE: Details for individual fibre types are not now collected.

S.R. CLARKE
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