

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

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PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 3 : PLASTICS AND SYNTHETIC RESINS AND PLASTICISERS

APRIL 1967

The figures for 1963-64 and 1964-65 are those recorded in the Annual Factory Returns. All subsequent figures are derived from the recorded monthly production and are subject to revision.

(Cwt.)

Period	For Moulding, Extrusion Laminating, Calendering, etc.			For Protective Coating, Paints, etc.							Total
	Polyester	All Other (a)	Total	Alkyds (b)	Phenolics (Pure and Modified) (b)	Polyvinyl Acetate (b)	Rosin Esters	Styrenes (b)	Ureas and Melamines (b)	Other (incl. Polyesters) (b)	
1963-64	58,351	1,123,802	1,182,153	375,777	14,395	64,760	25,985	14,517	20,607	61,092	576,540
1964-65	71,289	1,155,622	1,226,911	394,775	16,078	60,053	33,313	15,440	23,150	76,273	619,082
1965-66	75,882	1,389,001	1,464,883	336,401	12,902	68,263	33,029	14,378	19,644	85,626	570,243
Months : 1966-67											
July	5,474	r117,039	r122,513	27,291	(d)	5,989	2,835	(d)	1,441	4,831	44,544
August	7,499	r155,068	r162,567	31,740	(d)	6,331	3,800	(d)	1,223	6,097	51,738
September	7,833	r140,356	r148,189	33,292	(d)	4,875	3,196	(d)	1,711	8,645	54,642
October	7,913	r157,628	r165,541	33,735	(d)	r6,125	2,133	(d)	1,633	7,232	r53,252
November	7,140	r142,212	r149,352	37,408	(d)	6,069	2,357	(d)	2,332	8,500	59,699
December	7,650	r141,670	r149,328	25,954	(d)	5,919	2,804	(d)	1,393	8,883	46,922
January	5,687	r144,428	r150,115	15,719	694	2,422	1,027	550	553	4,817	25,782
February	8,517	r124,538	r133,055	29,968	(d)	7,938	3,116	(d)	1,732	8,373	53,381
March	8,832	r157,231	r166,063	28,242	(d)	4,729	2,629	(d)	1,529	8,331	47,970
April	8,582	158,014	166,596	30,354	1,256	6,202	2,310	1,315	1,331	7,954	50,722
10 months ended April 1967	75,135	1,438,184	1,513,319	253,703	11,525	56,599	26,207	12,072	14,878	73,668	488,652
10 months ended April 1966	61,698	1,131,258	1,192,956	281,724	(d)	57,666	27,025	(d)	16,558	71,793	477,161

(a) Includes Acrylics, Cellulosics, Phenolics, Polyethylene, Polystyrene, Ureas and Melamines, Vinyls and Other. (b) Liquid resins or emulsion forms are shown in terms of dry weight of resins content. (c) Code Nos. 403.02, 18, 20, 52, 65, 73, 82, 90, 92, 96. (d) Not available for publication. r - Revised.

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PLASTICS AND SYNTHETIC RESINS AND PLASTICISERS (continued)

(Cwt.)

Period	Plastics and Synthetic Resins (Continued)							Plasticisers	
	Code No.	For Bonding and Adhesives (a)			Total	For Other Purposes (e.g. Textile Impregnation, Paper treatment, etc.) (a) (b)	Total All Purposes	Phthalate Type	Other (c)
		Phenolics	Polyvinyl Acetate	Other (Ureas and Melamines, etc.)					
		404.34	404.90	404.75,95				407.02	407.04,08
1963-64		21,869	29,116	123,388	174,373	41,040	1,974,106	171,739	5,757
1964-65		29,259	36,598	160,517	226,374	50,998	2,123,365	206,501	8,234
1965-66		34,453	40,690	208,406	283,549	72,788	2,391,463		184,045
Months :	1966-67								
July		3,517	3,983	19,485	26,985	r4,105	r198,543		12,084
August		r3,724	4,938	22,526	r31,188	r5,775	r251,268		19,169
September		3,431	4,424	25,041	32,896	r4,593	r240,320		r17,170
October		2,972	r4,034	23,762	r30,768	r4,735	r254,296		21,588
November		2,857	5,125	21,440	29,430	r6,530	245,011		21,553
December		2,933	4,622	19,604	27,159	r4,284	227,693		16,660
January		1,186	2,076	11,964	15,226	r4,301	195,424		13,045
February		2,836	4,166	20,545	27,547	r4,113	218,096		18,928
March		2,824	4,446	23,662	30,932	r6,368	251,333		21,387
April		2,773	2,638	20,934	26,345	5,801	249,464		21,040
10 months ended April 1967		29,053	40,452	208,971	278,476	51,001	2,331,448		190,230
10 months ended April 1966		27,558	31,909	169,497	228,964	55,960	1,955,041		145,614

(a) Liquid resins or emulsion forms are shown in terms of dry weight of resin content. (b) Includes Phenolics, Styrenes, Ureas and Melamines, Vinyls and Others. (c) Includes Polymeric Type and Esters of Phosphoric Acid, Adipic Acid and Sebacic Acid, etc. (d) Code Nos. 404.36, 64, 78, 84, 98. r - Revised.