

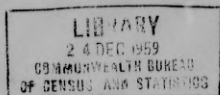
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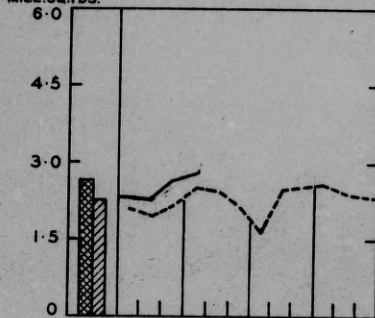
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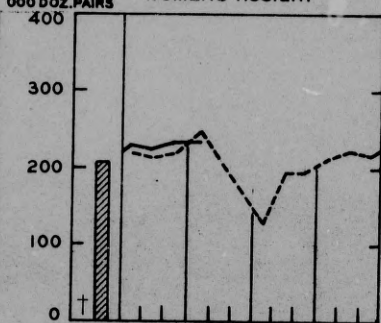
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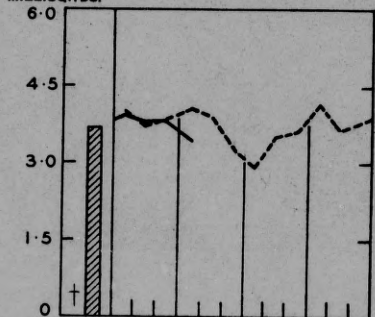
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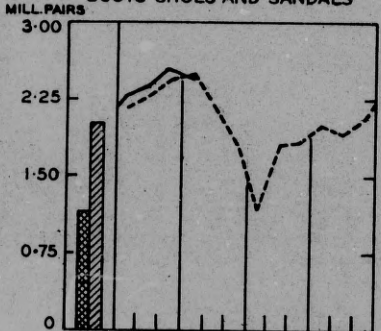
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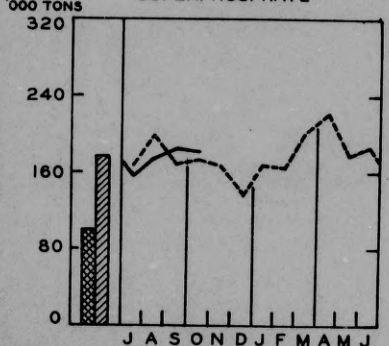
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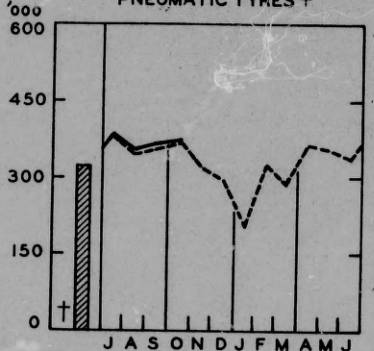
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For the purpose of the accompanying statistics, a "factory" is taken to be a manufacturing establishment in which four or more persons are employed, or in which power other than manual is used, and the production of small establishments not classified for statistical purposes as factories is not included in the figures shown herein. Annual totals for 1938-39, 1948-49 and the last three complete financial years are shown in conjunction with (a) totals for the most recent six month and three month periods, together with comparative figures for the same periods, twelve months earlier, and (b) monthly totals for each of the latest thirteen months (in most cases).

Figures from July, 1958 onwards are preliminary and subject to revision, but the annual totals shown for 1957-58 are final.

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Many of the items included are shown in greater detail in the Secondary Industries Bulletin and the series of Manufacturing Industries Bulletins.

The production of each of the commodities listed is given up to the latest available month. For each commodity other than those collected by, or in conjunction with Government Statisticians, the authority responsible for providing the figures is indicated by a footnote to the item title. Figures up to 1957-58 inclusive represent totals derived, wherever possible, from annual factory returns collected by Deputy Commonwealth Statisticians in each State. It should be noted that in some cases annual returns are accepted from factories for a year other than the normal financial year ending June, 30th.

Production of Food, Clothing and Miscellaneous Industries is illustrated graphically in this and alternate issues of this Bulletin.

PERSONS USING THIS BULLETIN ARE ASKED TO NOTE PARTICULARLY THE FOLLOWING:-

1. This Monthly Bulletin of Production Statistics contains data of monthly output of over 150 individual factory products. As monthly particulars of additional items are collected and become available for publication, they will be included in the Bulletin. The items for which quantity of output is published herein are not, however, selected as representative of all factory output. In practice, it is not possible to make such a selection at present.
2. The tables should be read only as showing monthly trends in output of the individual items or groups of items listed. They have not been summarised into a monthly index of Volume of Factory Output, nor a monthly index of Industrial Production, because they cannot be assumed to be representative of total trends in volume of factory output nor volume of industrial production. It is, in fact, improbable that they are continually representative in this sense.
3. Although the list of items covered in these monthly tables includes only a small proportion of all the items produced in factories, it, nevertheless, relates directly to items accounting for possibly up to 35 per cent. of total value of factory output.
4. Comparable annual data of quantity of output are collected, at present for a longer list of items covering about one-half of factory production, measured in gross value of output, or slightly less (about 45 per cent.) measured in terms of net value of output or "value added" by process of manufacture. Among the factors limiting useful extension in the annual collection of factory output (in quantitative terms) into the field as yet unrecorded in that way are: (i) the fact that a large part of factory production cannot be expressed in quantity terms but only as a gross or net value of output; (ii) the great and growing diversity of factory products; and (iii) the absence of homogeneity in many types of factory products.

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Item Period	BLACK COAL		Brown Coal	IRON AND STEEL (a)			
	Under- ground	Total		Pig Iron (b)	Ingot Steel (b)	Blooms and Billets	Tinplate
	- thousand tons -						
Year : 1938-39	11,010	12,608	3,208	1,105	1,170	1,120	..
1948-49	12,677	14,843	7,027	1,045	1,178	1,101	..
1956-57	17,330	19,711	10,772	2,098	2,774	2,288	..
1957-58	18,223	20,362	10,866	2,284	3,038	2,492	(c)40,781
1958-59	18,588	20,383	12,338	2,289	3,195	2,971	77,140
Latest 6 months, 1959	9,970	10,864	7,101	1,324	1,737	1,568	37,526
Same 6 months, 1958	10,064	11,127	6,271	1,134	1,601	1,479	36,492
Latest 3 months, 1959	5,050	5,524	3,521	677	867	803	19,479
Same 3 months, 1958	5,129	5,633	3,153	566	796	756	18,697
Month, 1958 - October	1,836	1,993	1,032	182	265	254	6,446
November	1,600	1,763	998	189	263	255	6,518
December	1,197	1,349	925	200	270	249	6,445
1959 - January	1,010	1,133	900	199	268	256	7,007
February	1,532	1,660	891	180	244	234	6,494
March	1,556	1,674	1,011	188	274	231	7,135
April	1,565	1,701	1,024	192	265	250	6,514
May	1,541	1,671	1,130	206	287	258	6,280
June	1,640	1,782	1,188	231	292	249	5,741
July	1,739	1,887	1,262	210	291	258	6,026
August	1,631	1,791	1,209	212	285	273	6,292
September	1,727	1,891	1,150	208	277	262	6,144
October	1,692	1,842	1,162	257	305	268	7,043

Item Period	REFINED METAL						
	Gold (d)	Silver (e)	Alum- inium (e)	Copper (e)	Lead (e)(f)	Tin (e)	Zinc (e)(g)
	'000 fine oz.			- tons -			
Year : 1938-39	(h)1,637	9,455	..	17,483	232,988	3,262	69,825
1948-49	881	6,814	..	11,263	204,208	1,956	75,570
1956-57	1,060	8,725	9,999	32,534	239,798	1,776	106,622
1957-58	1,106	8,459	10,712	35,842	256,314	1,991	115,129
1958-59	1,065	8,407	12,271	44,889	240,267	2,257	114,746
Latest 6 months, 1959	569	3,941	6,623	23,730	116,981	1,250	59,292
Same 6 months, 1958	554	4,499	5,610	24,103	121,863	1,124	58,529
Latest 3 months, 1959	262	1,776	3,220	11,894	57,859	696	29,627
Same 3 months, 1958	249	1,981	2,833	12,787	58,083	645	29,413
Month, 1958 - October	89	803	991	4,479	18,284	185	9,862
November	99	685	920	3,898	21,120	202	9,382
December	68	712	949	2,020	21,038	167	9,730
1959 - January	78	699	1,112	2,433	21,300	129	9,412
February	78	689	953	3,636	20,336	154	8,587
March	78	662	1,183	3,800	18,866	219	9,606
April	64	712	1,074	3,687	20,147	165	9,350
May	118	732	1,129	4,207	19,371	148	9,944
June	98	721	1,146	3,942	20,875	295	9,731
July	91	338	1,128	3,928	18,876	111	9,950
August	87	783	1,110	3,889	20,110	221	10,083
September	81	655	1,000	4,077	20,049	269	9,808
October	94		1,110		17,700	206	9,736

(a) Year ended 31st May. (b) Includes recovery from scrap. (c) Production commenced August, 1957. (d) Source: Commonwealth Bank. (e) Source: Bureau of Mineral Resources. (f) Includes Lead Content of Antimonial Lead and Lead Content of Lead-Silver Bullion produced for export. (g) Includes small quantities of metal recovered from Zinc Dust used in works. (h) Year 1940; 1938-39 not available.

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Period	Item	Coke Metall- urgical	Brown Coal Briquettes	GAS (a)		ELECTRICITY		
				Volume	Thermal Equiv.(b)	Hydro	Thermal	Total
		- '000 tons -		Mill. cu.ft.	Mill. therms.	- Million Kilowatt Hours -		
Year : 1938-39		1,165	400	21,472	113	n.a.	n.a.	4,688
1948-49		1,150	559	36,733	188	1,378	7,675	9,053
1956-57		2,234	618	46,653	237	3,124	15,165	18,289
1957-58		2,296	626	47,655	240	3,428	16,368	19,796
1958-59		2,197	642	48,655	245	3,819	17,316	21,135
Latest 6 months, 1959		1,150	345	28,027	141.0	1,957	9,829	11,786
Same 6 months, 1958		1,158	325	27,332	138.1	2,017	8,931	10,948
Latest 3 months, 1959		584	180	13,625	68.5	1,056	4,725	5,781
Same 3 months, 1958		564	172	13,352	67.3	1,129	4,272	5,401
Month, 1958 -	October	185	56	4,147	20.9	445	1,329	1,774
	November	176	52	3,663	18.4	357	1,303	1,660
	December	180	41	3,596	18.1	293	1,345	1,638
1959 -	January	174	41	3,253	16.4	287	1,304	1,591
	February	164	55	3,190	16.1	285	1,289	1,574
	March	187	62	3,384	17.0	297	1,391	1,688
	April	180	61	3,769	19.0	287	1,444	1,731
	May	189	53	4,453	22.4	297	1,596	1,893
	June	187	52	4,864	24.5	294	1,697	1,991
	July	190	60	5,085	25.6	310	1,811	2,121
	August	196	61	4,896	24.6	329	1,703	2,032
	September	192	58	r4,414	22.2	r356	r1,574	r1,930
	October	196	61	4,315	21.7	371	1,448	1,819

Period	Item	BUILDING MATERIALS						
		Clay Bricks	Cement Building Sheets (c)	Cement	Fibrous Plaster Sheets	Roofing Tiles		Sawn Native Timber (d)
						Terra Cotta	Cement	
		Mill.	Mill. sq.yds.	'000 tons	'000 sq.yds.	- Million -		Mill. su.ft.
Year : 1938-39		721	9.5	868	7,605	39.7	4.5	717
1948-49		617	18.6	1,031	13,234	44.2	28.3	1,184
1956-57		805	25.4	2,173	16,257	57.7	44.6	1,419
1957-58		878	26.0	2,291	17,439	58.9	49.5	1,391
1958-59		959	26.9	2,491	17,859	59.3	52.2	1,480
Latest 6 months, 1959		533	15.9	1,349	9,498	30.9	29.4	782
Same 6 months, 1958		498	14.4	1,276	9,251	31.2	26.6	734
Latest 3 months, 1959		272	8.3	681	4,771	15.1	15.2	411
Same 3 months, 1958		253	7.1	652	4,709	15.7	13.5	382
Month, 1958 -	October	86.1	2.37	224	1,625	5.56	4.79	136.8
	November	79.0	2.45	210	1,544	4.95	4.46	130.6
	December	73.3	1.90	193	1,276	4.22	3.77	115.7
1959 -	January	53.4	1.59	159	1,098	3.57	3.13	90.6
	February	75.9	2.21	190	1,478	4.91	4.38	105.2
	March	81.5	1.88	215	1,448	4.88	4.39	116.8
	April	84.7	2.33	218	1,610	5.47	4.81	120.2
	May	85.6	2.62	232	1,551	5.22	4.72	133.9
	June	85.6	2.38	213	1,542	5.04	4.56	138.8
	July	r89.7	r2.58	223	1,634	5.60	4.86	137.6
	August	r86.3	r2.85	229	1,548	4.84	5.06	135.0
	September	r94.5	r2.65	226	1,598	5.32	5.12	
	October	91.6	2.80	226	1,625	4.89	5.04	

(a) Produced in Gasworks. (b) 1 Therm = 100,000 British Thermal Units. (c) Selling square yards, except 1938-39 shown in standard square yards. (d) Source : Forestry and Timber Bureau.

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Item	BUILDING FITTINGS						
	Bath Heaters			Hot Water Systems			
	Electric	Gas	Solid Fuel	Storage (a)			Non-Storage (b)
Electric				Gas	Solid Fuel	Electric	
Period	- Number -						
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	12,803	32,954	56,084	32,413	7,450	6,352	n.a.
1956-57	14,698	25,243	33,691	55,498	10,492	11,715	7,538
1957-58	12,415	26,234	31,581	56,826	12,931	12,769	11,288
1958-59	12,537	23,249	29,924	60,602	15,664	13,542	16,808
Latest 6 months, 1959	6,853	11,904	16,417	34,504	9,004	7,343	10,312
Same 6 months, 1958	6,418	14,810	18,059	31,263	8,974	7,262	8,286
Latest 3 months, 1959	3,468	6,256	7,843	17,226	4,840	3,805	5,397
Same 3 months, 1958	3,463	6,880	9,356	15,892	4,918	3,837	4,542
Month, 1958 - October	1,073	2,104	2,681	5,396	1,452	1,315	1,479
November	1,091	1,936	2,174	4,736	1,224	1,222	1,533
December	871	1,778	2,145	4,474	1,316	1,099	1,256
1959 - January	620	1,342	1,080	3,274	672	627	803
February	976	1,635	1,550	4,943	1,050	989	1,313
March	1,041	1,700	2,746	4,945	1,156	1,062	1,085
April	1,176	1,623	1,995	5,760	1,248	1,243	1,342
May	1,086	1,700	3,118	5,332	1,057	1,069	1,416
June	1,136	1,665	2,489	5,896	1,514	1,120	1,627
July	1,163	2,283	2,967	6,050	1,593	1,349	1,872
August	1,195	2,230	2,847	5,554	1,528	1,313	1,505
September	1,469	2,055	2,378	5,844	1,818	1,256	1,711
October	804	1,971	2,618	5,828	1,494	1,236	2,181

Item	BUILDING FITTINGS						
	Sink Heaters		Wash Basins		Baths,	Fans	Sinks,
	Electric	Gas	C.I.P.E.	Earthen-ware	C.I.P.E.	(Closets)	Stainless Steel
Period	- Number -						
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	11,459	7,097	n.a.	n.a.	63,829	n.a.	69,594
1956-57	16,333	7,302	112,107	25,891	88,959	156,966	158,087
1957-58	15,054	4,302	116,529	35,249	88,556	179,744	176,875
1958-59	15,243	3,564	118,508	35,089	87,955	206,021	183,550
Latest 6 months, 1959	8,105	1,575	60,754	19,857	45,105	111,911	99,678
Same 6 months, 1958	7,843	n.a.	60,835	18,958	44,338	105,119	98,086
Latest 3 months, 1959	3,714	802	33,676	10,558	21,706	55,972	51,373
Same 3 months, 1958	4,242	n.a.	31,204	9,567	21,504	54,809	50,730
Month, 1958 - October	1,288	519	10,586	3,750	7,977	18,891	17,882
November	1,241	417	9,153	3,020	6,962	18,076	16,145
December	1,173	338	10,959	2,584	7,281	14,082	12,677
1959 - January	785	216	7,458	2,674	5,263	13,603	10,443
February	1,289	349	11,676	2,529	7,932	15,495	15,852
March	1,137	n.a.	10,001	2,777	8,069	16,875	16,025
April	1,186	n.a.	11,160	2,622	8,461	18,220	15,580
May	1,420	372	8,299	3,180	7,680	17,188	13,964
June	1,430	113	8,194	2,899	7,046	18,428	15,247
July	1,541	288	10,585	3,220	8,673	20,323	19,094
August	1,195	276	11,008	3,962	7,699	17,834	17,159
September	1,320	241	10,381	3,285	6,966	17,634	17,117
October	1,199	285	12,287	3,311	7,041	20,504	17,097

(a) Includes Heat Exchange (Coil) Type, Displacement or Falling Level Type and Circulating Systems.

(b) Instantaneous Type.

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Item	BUILDING PLUMBINGS						
	Stoves, Ovens and Ranges - Domestic Cooking (a)						
	Solid Fuel		Gas Ranges	Electric			Oil
	Slow Combustion (b)	Other		Fixed Ranges	Other Ranges	Grill Boilers	
Period	- Number -						
Year : 1938-39	54,461		46,733	8,757	(c)	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	61,434		49,556	41,931	(c)	59,299	n.a.
1956-57	15,276	30,729	54,596	51,874	33,177	14,474	60,954
1957-58	19,019	24,210	55,960	55,055	23,043	14,315	51,020
1958-59	16,425	24,039	66,065	65,275	17,539	18,577	43,712
Latest 6 months, 1959	9,096	11,658	38,262	36,131	9,324	11,225	17,201
Same 6 months, 1958	8,732	14,435	32,953	31,435	8,871	11,306	20,857
Latest 3 months, 1959	4,536	5,762	22,931	18,413	6,007	9,483	9,224
Same 3 months, 1958	5,129	6,927	19,432	16,250	5,336	6,696	12,858
Month, 1958 - October	1,564	2,172	7,212	5,881	2,028	2,394	5,466
November	1,405	1,907	6,268	5,361	1,739	2,457	4,096
December	1,217	1,890	5,798	4,956	1,958	2,566	4,489
1959 - January	857	1,248	3,838	3,340	1,466	2,350	2,498
February	1,413	1,559	6,111	5,620	1,256	2,063	4,298
March	1,056	2,178	5,130	5,826	1,239	489	4,055
April	1,323	1,929	5,653	6,514	1,327	512	3,597
May	1,306	1,755	4,397	5,996	509	402	3,288
June	1,425	1,981	4,091	5,775	1,113	333	1,551
July	1,829	2,160	6,843	5,947	1,695	1,007	3,138
August	1,615	1,878	7,190	5,487	1,869	2,619	2,933
September	1,503	1,895	8,116	6,490	2,253	3,327	2,559
October	1,418	1,989	7,625	6,436	1,885	3,537	3,732

Item	BUILDING FITTINGS					Wall and Ceiling Board: Hard-board	Floor Coverings (e)
	Wash Boilers		Meters				
	Electric	Gas	Electric (d)	Gas	Water		
Period	- Number -					'000 sq. yds.	
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	44,163	24,974	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	24,517	29,980	204,134	45,386	40,327	n.a.	n.a.
1956-57	21,890	24,170	220,964	50,038	75,800	22,456	11,235
1957-58	20,943	22,072	215,582	51,712	92,046	24,504	11,855
1958-59	20,693	21,756	256,598	58,453	101,497	28,648	13,000
Latest 6 months, 1959	10,976	10,613	125,958	30,609	51,871	15,779	7,798
Same 6 months, 1958	11,037	12,885	125,138	31,926	58,284	14,208	6,781
Latest 3 months, 1959	5,642	5,605	63,326	16,288	26,250	8,121	4,116
Same 3 months, 1958	5,748	6,557	66,175	16,995	27,777	7,339	3,553
Month, 1958 - October	1,843	2,321	22,683	6,466	10,214	2,723	1,227
November	1,204	1,849	23,456	5,573	8,428	2,847	1,172
December	1,598	1,359	21,526	4,809	7,427	2,198	799
1959 - January	1,239	1,196	16,863	3,252	4,660	1,827	675
February	1,838	2,048	20,473	4,169	8,498	2,546	1,039
March	1,569	1,835	23,372	4,445	7,448	2,385	1,117
April	2,043	1,855	21,794	4,543	10,453	2,356	1,144
May	1,823	1,759	20,151	4,950	9,128	2,420	1,209
June	1,780	1,249	21,432	4,716	8,174	2,400	1,198
July	1,731	2,000	21,049	4,655	8,319	2,838	1,275
August	2,095	1,401	20,670	5,600	8,103	2,692	1,307
September	1,682	2,188	20,270	4,549	9,203	2,756	1,411
October	1,865	2,016	22,386	6,139	8,944	2,673	1,398

(a) Includes Commercial in 1938-39. (b) Includes Heat Storage Type. (c) Included in Fixed Ranges. (d) Domestic Type. (e) Pile and Non-Pile Soft Floor Covering, Linoleum (incl. Felt Base Type), Rubber Floor Coverings and Asphaltic and Thermoplastic Floor Tiles.

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Item	CHEMICALS						
	Acids			Chlorine	Super-phosphate (a)	Sulphate of Ammonia (b)	Refined Glycerine
	Sulphuric	Nitric	Hydro-chloric				
Period	'000 tons	tons	tons	tons	- '000 tons -		'000cwt.
Year : 1938-39	489	563	2,737	n.a.	1,199	24.3	44.4
1948-49	585	3,292	3,110	n.a.	1,423	53.2	64.9
1956-57	879	15,520	2,611	19,065	1,975	110.9	94.6
1957-58	992	14,837	3,449	20,802	2,220	118.7	95.5
1958-59	963	15,328	3,720	23,665	2,124	117.8	93.3
Latest 6 months, 1959	484	8,435	1,922	12,897	1,065	54.0	50.1
Same 6 months, 1958	511	7,843	1,940	11,726	1,099	64.2	41.9
Latest 3 months, 1959	250	3,925	1,115	6,752	546	28.2	25.2
Same 3 months, 1958	251	3,955	963	5,904	538	32.6	21.8
Month, 1958 - October	73.8	1,419	360	1,840	172	11.91	9.18
November	78.5	1,158	319	1,815	166	10.85	8.48
December	65.2	1,130	378	2,206	136	10.11	8.55
1959 - January	77.2	912	293	1,835	168	9.38	7.72
February	76.4	1,383	274	1,786	164	9.06	6.02
March	91.0	1,555	309	2,162	201	7.45	7.45
April	87.8	1,520	236	1,917	222	8.00	10.25
May	88.0	1,348	256	1,950	177	8.64	7.90
June	73.2	1,235	293	2,232	185	8.74	7.41
July	73.2	1,927	258	1,963	157	8.46	9.62
August	82.9	912	388	2,373	175	9.94	6.28
September	81.7	1,345	380	2,143	188	9.04	8.52
October	85.0	1,668	347	2,236	183	9.21	10.40

Item	Ready Mixed Paint and Enamels		Water Paint (incl. Kalsomine)		Lacquers, Nitro-Cellulose	Thinners	
	Architect. and Decorative	Industrial	Emulsion Types	Powder (incl. Kalsomine)		For Lacquers	For Enamels
	Period	- thousand gallons -		'000 lb.		- thousand gallons -	
Year : 1938-39	2,690		n.a.		576	671	
1948-49	5,413		n.a.		830	1,250	
1956-57	10,872		n.a.		1,451	1,981	461
1957-58	8,265	2,824	1,801	3,916	1,559	2,160	545
1958-59	8,416	2,985	2,038	3,291	1,597	2,262	537
Latest 6 months, 1959	4,157	1,633	1,244	1,405	892	1,201	299
Same 6 months, 1958	4,259	1,525	999	1,500	825	1,128	276
Latest 3 months, 1959	2,218	844	691	726	466	630	159
Same 3 months, 1958	2,371	776	561	800	420	578	138
Month, 1958 - October	837	282	204	285	152	200	49.2
November	817	264	186	389	138	194	44.1
December	786	236	172	265	122	187	45.9
1959 - January	527	178	119	229	94	156	29.8
February	720	259	159	327	138	202	49.1
March	657	250	159	274	132	185	46.3
April	686	268	185	245	148	217	48.8
May	652	273	175	215	136	192	43.1
June	560	235	170	242	134	169	44.3
July	r727	281	208	222	156	210	52.6
August	r691	256	202	199	144	191	45.5
September	767	285	243	271	155	215	57.9
October	760	303	246	256	167	224	55.9

(a) Source : Department of Primary Industry.

(b) Source : Nitrogen Fertilizers Pty. Ltd. for 1958-59 and later periods.

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Period	Item	SOAP (a)						Total	
		Household			Toilet		Industrial		
		Solid Bar	Flakes & Chips	Soft & Liquid	& Hand (b)	Flakes & Chips	All Other		
- thousand cwt. -									
Year : 1938-39		735			132	n.a.	n.a.	993	
1948-49		651	59	n.a.	283	n.a.	n.a.	1,251	
1956-57		498	56	163	321	30	165	1,233	
1957-58		523	61	183	373	28	145	1,313	
1958-59		462	59	169	r398	28	r126	r1,242	
Latest 6 months, 1959		249	28.0	87.7	167	17.5	61.8	612	
Same 6 months, 1958		240	29.3	83.4	219	13.0	65.7	650	
Latest 3 months, 1959		127	14.2	46.0	88	9.0	30.5	315	
Same 3 months, 1958		115	15.4	40.7	104	6.8	30.9	313	
Month, 1958 - October		37.2	3.98	14.3	r38.2	2.17	r11.1	107	
November		38.0	5.37	15.2	37.9	2.56	r11.2	110	
December		37.2	5.42	14.3	r34.5	2.89	r10.6	r105	
1959 - January		30.8	2.73	12.7	r26.2	2.36	r8.7	84	
February		49.1	4.18	14.6	r33.9	1.50	11.7	115	
March		37.8	4.58	14.9	r36.8	2.03	r11.0	r106	
April		41.6	7.64	15.6	33.4	3.00	10.5	112	
May		40.1	3.40	13.6	r26.3	2.22	10.0	96	
June		35.2	4.21	13.0	r25.5	2.66	10.4	91	
July		46.3	6.22	15.1	27.1	3.58	10.9	110	
August		38.7	3.46	14.9	25.0	2.90	9.6	95	
September		39.6	4.43	15.5	29.0	2.68	11.2	102	
October		48.9	6.27	15.6	33.6	3.41	9.7	118	

Period	Item	Soap Extracts and Powders (a)		Abrasive Cleansers and Scourers (a)		Detergents (d) for :-		
		Household	Industrial	Household (c)	Industrial	Personal use (e)	Household use	Industrial use
		- thousand cwt. -						
Year : 1938-39		191		123		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49		610		124		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1956-57		791	76	69.5	8.7	8.76	265	109
1957-58		788	88	68.5	4.1	9.10	428	114
1958-59		711	91	57.3	5.8	8.45	r540	130
Latest 6 months, 1959		333	45.3	28.6	2.88	4.62	290	65.3
Same 6 months, 1958		358	46.4	31.5	2.71	4.68	256	61.2
Latest 3 months, 1959		162	21.2	14.6	1.39	2.67	132	34.1
Same 3 months, 1958		183	23.3	14.0	1.26	2.48	121	35.7
Month, 1958 - October		61	8.39	4.52	0.34	0.63	52.3	10.7
November		53	6.62	4.97	0.49	0.75	44.4	9.7
December		66	7.42	4.48	0.43	0.76	43.0	9.7
1959 - January		47	4.63	4.29	0.39	0.42	37.2	10.4
February		60	8.85	4.98	0.55	0.96	50.7	12.7
March		57	8.42	4.77	0.46	0.89	39.5	11.0
April		69	8.86	5.31	0.42	0.62	58.8	9.6
May		53	7.15	4.50	0.46	0.73	57.5	9.9
June		53	6.85	4.16	0.57	0.45	45.4	9.6
July		65	10.12	5.39	0.46	0.77	r54.9	11.7
August		58	7.52	r4.89	r0.54	0.81	41.8	12.2
September		54	8.18	r5.27	0.33	0.67	35.6	12.2
October		50	5.49	4.43	0.52	1.19	54.8	9.7

(a) i.e. items with active constituents of Soap or mixtures of Soap and Alkali.

(b) Includes Shaving Soap and Shampoo. (c) Includes Sand Soap. (d) Includes all Synthetic Detergents, Wetting Agents and mixtures of Soap and Synthetic Detergents.

(e) Mainly Shampoo.

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Item Period	Domestic Refrigerators (a)	DOMESTIC ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES					Food Mixers (c)
		Clothes Washing Machines		Vacuum Cleaners	Irons (Hand)		
		Automatic (b)	Other		Steam Type	Dry Type	
- thousand -							
Year : 1938-39	29.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	145.6	6.5	65.7	209.0		n.a.	n.a.
1956-57	195.5	144.4	83.9	248.0	106.1	129.2	129.2
1957-58	195.9	164.1	81.3	181.3	138.7	154.4	154.4
1958-59	216.8	22.7	158.7	86.3	180.9	124.1	152.1
Latest 6 months, 1959	123.0	10.5	85.4	47.9	80.0	70.0	73.5
Same 6 months, 1958	114.0	92.1		46.7	108.7	70.4	78.8
Latest 3 months, 1959	76.0	4.9	41.7	24.6	43.4	43.7	37.5
Same 3 months, 1958	69.0	6.7	39.8	22.0	52.0	33.1	41.9
Month, 1958 - October	27.6	2.3	14.3	7.19	16.0	11.0	12.9
November	23.5	1.9	13.1	6.31	18.4	13.8	14.2
December	23.4	1.7	11.7	5.90	14.3	12.6	11.1
1959 - January	13.7	1.1	9.3	4.82	10.5	6.1	7.8
February	16.8	1.6	12.8	7.73	14.5	10.9	12.0
March	12.4	1.5	14.4	8.09	15.7	9.0	11.3
April	12.5	2.6	15.7	7.57	14.8	11.8	16.2
May	12.7	1.7	14.9	7.37	10.9	7.5	12.4
June	14.2	1.7	14.5	7.87	10.7	6.8	10.3
July	20.1	2.2	14.3	7.97	15.0	12.0	13.3
August	19.2	1.7	13.7	7.61	16.4	10.7	12.3
September	25.9	1.4	15.2	9.04	14.2	17.2	14.9
October	30.9	1.8	12.8	7.99	12.8	15.8	10.3

Item Period	DOMESTIC ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES							Room Air Conditioners
	Fans (d)	Toasters	Hot Water Jugs	Dry Shavers (e)	Floor Polish- ers	Radiators and Electric Fires (f)		
- thousand -								
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
1948-49	49.9	148.3	81.2	n.a.	n.a.	94.8	n.a.	
1956-57	139.8	174.5	147.5	188.1	60.0	190.5	3,480	
1957-58	75.2	168.0	159.2	233.5	77.4	198.2	4,678	
1958-59	129.9	190.0	152.0	178.5	70.8	271.4	12,923	
Latest 6 months, 1959	81.8	123.3	73.4	118.7	37.0	165.9	12,985	
Same 6 months, 1958	49.6	83.7	89.2	110.1	38.6	113.9	3,282	
Latest 3 months, 1959	55.0	59.9	43.1	67.9	18.9	38.9	10,613	
Same 3 months, 1958	35.1	46.0	43.9	54.2	18.6	21.5	2,348	
Month, 1958 - October	14.70	16.0	17.2	15.6	5.59	7.1	1,306	
November	15.37	15.6	15.9	14.3	4.38	5.1	2,197	
December	16.22	17.4	15.9	12.3	5.92	5.7	2,156	
1959 - January	11.94	10.2	8.6	5.9	4.56	7.6	1,919	
February	15.72	15.4	12.7	10.6	6.52	20.7	1,247	
March	7.46	16.3	12.5	18.4	6.39	31.8	751	
April	7.21	19.0	9.9	9.8	6.40	51.7	573	
May	8.11	19.3	9.4	17.8	6.06	52.2	807	
June	6.43	20.0	8.9	15.7	5.73	45.3	660	
July	12.23	24.1	12.0	17.3	6.34	29.5	905	
August	12.71	20.3	11.8	20.0	6.41	8.8	r1,118	
September	17.81	20.3	14.4	27.1	6.48	11.7	r3,979	
October	24.47	19.3	16.9	20.8	5.96	18.4	5,516	

(a) All types up to and incl. 12 cubic feet capacity but excl. Freezers for Quick Frozen Foodstuffs. (b) Complete washing cycle with one switch. (c) Includes "Liquidizers". (d) Includes Industrial. (e) Excludes miniature types specifically designed for use by women. (f) Includes those with exposed heating coils and other electric room heaters with or without fan.

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Item	WIRELESS AND TELEVISION						
	Radio Sets					Television Sets	
	Car	Portable	Other (a)	Radio- grams	Total	Screen Size	
17" and under						Over 17"	
Period	- thousand -						
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	163.8
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	294.1
1956-57	62.9	80.3	134.8	88.2	366.2	69.1	52.2
1957-58	85.3	77.4	116.1	109.9	380.7	87.7	194.8
1958-59	89.7	121.5	99.0	73.3	383.5	42.9	276.0
Latest 6 months, 1959	36.9	46.5	34.5	30.2	148.1	30.0	224.7
Same 6 months, 1958	51.8	30.9	63.2	38.0	183.9	38.8	186.4
Latest 3 months, 1959	23.4	28.4	21.7	14.2	87.7	10.2	115.4
Same 3 months, 1958	30.3	17.6	37.8	18.4	104.1	15.7	84.1
Month, 1958 - October	11.12	8.28	12.65	6.15	38.2	4.15	22.0
November	7.69	14.39	12.78	6.11	41.0	3.70	16.1
December	8.88	21.78	7.53	6.90	45.1	2.71	14.1
1959 - January	5.83	11.94	4.41	2.87	25.0	1.42	9.1
February	7.67	17.41	6.37	6.02	37.5	1.93	15.2
March	6.20	12.94	6.74	6.76	32.6	1.50	15.9
April	7.27	10.21	6.72	8.62	32.8	1.74	21.7
May	4.32	6.93	3.11	5.95	20.3	2.59	29.0
June	3.82	5.37	5.05	5.34	19.6	3.69	37.6
July	5.36	5.76	4.60	4.76	20.5	3.57	42.7
August	5.17	6.65	4.72	4.58	21.1	3.31	39.3
September	9.30	7.20	7.17	4.53	28.2	3.68	38.7
October	8.93	14.55	9.85	5.08	38.4	3.16	37.4

Item	Record Changers	Record Players	Phono- graphs	Phonograph Records			Tape and Wire Recorders
				Single Play (b)	Extended Play (c)	331/3 r.p.m.	
Period	- thousand -						number
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1956-57	80.2	23.3	n.a.	6,932		2,393	n.a.
1957-58	123.4	57.6	n.a.	4,861	1,325	2,253	3,120
1958-59	56.0	61.4	26.1	3,735	1,282	2,113	3,070
Latest 6 months, 1959	29.6	23.7	8.48	1,694	613	1,059	2,127
Same 6 months, 1958	46.0	34.2	n.a.	2,253	711	1,094	1,950
Latest 3 months, 1959	15.5	9.4	3.88	899	373	611	1,546
Same 3 months, 1958	18.1	16.7	7.59	1,153	400	617	961
Month, 1958 - October	5.83	5.19	2.35	399	156	258	284
November	4.94	6.30	5.10	328	147	237	257
December	2.83	3.32	3.15	306	98	204	329
1959 - January	3.02	3.75	1.56	246	99	133	106
February	3.21	4.93	2.00	295	127	176	351
March	3.70	3.90	0.90	299	88	154	206
April	3.44	6.27	0.77	241	84	150	214
May	4.36	4.78	1.53	209	63	139	142
June	4.92	5.34	1.25	258	69	131	180
July	4.73	4.18	1.82	328	108	178	259
August	5.06	3.87	1.46	285	109	182	469
September	5.75	2.69	1.34	299	111	210	534
October	4.73	2.86	1.08	315	153	219	543

(a) Mantel Table and Console.

(b) 78 r.p.m. and 45 r.p.m. Single Play.

(c) 45 r.p.m. Extended Play, 331/3 r.p.m. 7" and 162/3 r.p.m. 7" and 10".

November, 1959 : 17" and under 2.55; over 17" 31.6.

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Item	ELECTRIC MOTORS (a) -- HORSEPOWER GROUP					
	Under 1	1 and Under 2½	2½ and Under 5	5 and Under 10	10 and over	Total
Period	-- number --					
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	245,249	26,813	14,421	7,853	4,518	298,854
1956-57	898,490	29,359	10,080	8,221	8,168	954,318
1957-58	1,065,866	33,930	10,623	8,826	8,237	1,127,482
1958-59	1,251,123	36,198	11,185	9,175	9,283	1,316,964
Latest 6 months, 1959	698,445	20,045	6,794	5,942	5,613	736,839
Same 6 months, 1958	633,519	18,506	5,346	4,787	4,172	666,330
Latest 3 months, 1959	377,494	11,360	3,841	2,880	2,816	398,391
Same 3 months, 1958	333,592	9,523	2,868	2,256	2,212	350,451
Month, 1958 - October	120,517	3,538	1,024	919	715	126,713
November	114,488	3,025	861	758	861	119,993
December	103,415	2,410	769	808	759	108,161
1959 - January	73,271	1,866	655	546	557	76,895
February	104,010	3,172	1,030	535	738	109,485
March	92,661	3,414	1,103	729	817	98,724
April	109,291	3,886	1,045	898	945	116,065
May	109,742	2,660	835	1,107	848	115,192
June	102,160	2,879	1,002	673	944	107,658
July	109,049	3,146	1,116	1,282	1,005	115,598
August	111,294	3,196	1,175	740	900	117,305
September	139,292	4,297	987	1,107	1,118	146,801
October	126,908	3,867	1,679	1,033	798	134,285

Item	INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINES (a) (b)					Lawn Mowers, Petrol	Cycles made or assembled	Perambulators (c)
	Petrol and Light Oils			Diesel, Excl. Marine	Marine			
	Marine	Other than Marine						
Period	-- number --							
Year : 1938-39	2,957	2,889			n.a.	n.a.	68,226	
1948-49	3,081	26,194			594	91,514	106,711	
1956-57	1,780	180,509		2,642	161,256	74,734	149,596	
1957-58	3,130	186,325		2,556	147,253	77,040	156,657	
1958-59	3,949	290,774		1,578	248,570	69,440	149,527	
Latest 6 months, 1959	1,434	143,748		1,238	118,804	28,648	66,957	
Same 6 months, 1958	1,794	112,263		912	89,219	35,328	67,624	
Latest 3 months, 1959	943	97,670	6,057	794	89,461	15,500	37,615	
Same 3 months, 1958	1,352	75,939		297	66,394	19,393	37,087	
Month, 1958 - October	689	29,995		125	28,327	7,308	13,728	
November	645	44,951		75	39,990	6,655	15,086	
December	413	31,436		137	27,943	10,483	15,393	
1959 - January	381	28,171		144	24,412	4,592	12,008	
February	239	34,572		129	31,470	5,336	12,873	
March	260	16,518		181	14,327	4,420	15,003	
April	215	16,161		159	14,723	4,737	13,286	
May	142	10,816		173	8,421	4,321	10,285	
June	118	15,361		125	11,510	3,969	9,343	
July	r231	12,454	1,390	146	r9,412	4,858	9,654	
August	r184	20,055	1,952	199	r18,059	4,427	9,805	
September	r296	36,035	1,839	225	33,968	r5,112	12,667	
October	463	41,580	2,266	370	37,434	5,961	15,203	

(a) Includes those made and incorporated by manufacturers in their own products.

(b) Excludes Motor Car, Motor Cycle, Truck, Tractor and Aero.

(c) Includes Pushers and Strollers.

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Item	MOTOR VEHICLES CHASSIS					
	CAR (a)			COMMERCIAL		
	Chassis Assembled	Cost of Components (b)		Chassis Assembled	Payload 1 ton and over	
		Imported	Aust.		Imported	Aust.
Period	Number	- £'000 -		Number	- £'000 -	
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1956-57	179,401	35,121	37,024	15,546	11,397	5,971
1957-58	224,074	42,467	45,723	15,470	11,480	5,515
1958-59	225,498	38,324	52,080	15,758	12,233	6,233
Latest 6 months, 1959	130,535	22,514	30,712	9,221	7,584	3,544
Same 6 months, 1958	117,504	20,076	25,551	8,461	6,851	3,012
Latest 3 months, 1959	67,386	11,482	15,777	4,563	3,620	1,698
Same 3 months, 1958	56,708	9,342	12,815	4,220	3,052	1,630
Month, 1958 - October	20,395	3,363	4,619	1,559	1,100	591
November	18,297	3,082	3,985	1,408	1,020	557
December	15,769	2,835	3,378	1,030	840	400
1959 - January	13,523	2,160	3,270	849	614	332
February	19,097	3,309	4,573	1,151	919	521
March	19,593	3,371	4,507	1,174	958	494
April	21,599	3,800	5,226	1,438	1,073	622
May	20,559	3,561	4,926	1,703	1,329	707
June	20,133	3,567	4,755	1,524	1,443	568
July	22,457	3,904	5,254	1,431	1,192	571
August	21,395	3,700	4,975	1,517	1,150	574
September	23,526	4,118	5,471	1,492	1,200	549
October	22,465	3,664	5,330	1,554	1,270	575

Item	MOTOR BODIES				Tyres, (Pneumatic) Motor (e)	Tubes Motor (c)
	Made, built or assembled wholly or mainly from Aust. made panels, etc.		Built or assembled wholly or mainly from Imported panels			
	Cars (d)	Utilities	Cars (d)	Utilities		
Period	- Number -		- '000 -			
Year : 1938-39	50,907	8,578	n.a.	n.a.	(e)2,198	(c)1,834
1948-49	31,416	9,413	n.a.	n.a.	2,721	1,535
1956-57	74,762	21,650	60,019	7,212	3,438	2,022
1957-58	97,548	28,439	58,046	6,274	3,802	2,380
1958-59	118,064	28,122	60,015	5,908	3,916	2,616
Latest 6 months, 1959	70,644	15,900	37,494	1,796	2,175	1,417
Same 6 months, 1958	59,882	15,142	27,914	3,225	2,115	1,395
Latest 3 months, 1959	38,430	7,842	18,863	785	1,099	708
Same 3 months, 1958	31,154	7,052	13,229	1,672	1,064	719
Month, 1958 - October	10,719	2,413	4,996	681	367	251
November	9,723	2,134	4,624	771	318	213
December	8,613	1,856	4,106	514	294	190
1959 - January	7,095	1,403	3,118	463	203	142
February	10,231	2,165	4,678	626	322	231
March	9,170	2,304	6,301	380	285	196
April	10,682	2,930	6,949	354	361	239
May	10,036	3,042	6,375	317	351	233
June	10,148	2,467	5,858	365	339	223
July	12,030	2,549	6,398	329	386	253
August	11,597	2,414	6,375	248	352	223
September	13,585	2,705	6,640	269	369	245
October	13,248	2,723	5,848	268	378	240

(a) Includes Station Wagons, Estate Cars, Utilities, Panel Vans and similar commercial vehicles with a payload of under 1 ton. (b) Excludes costs of assembly (such as labour, power, etc.). (c) Source : Department of Supply. (d) Includes Station Wagons, Estate Cars and similar vehicles from July, 1958. (e) Includes Cycle.

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Period	Item	YARN OF, OR PREDOMINANTLY OF COTTON				COTTON SEWING THREAD		
		Weaving (incl. Condenser and Carpet)	Knitting (Machine and Hand)	All Other	Total	For Household Use	For Industrial Use	
							8's-18's	Over 18's
- thousand lb. -								
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	11,692	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	26,146	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
1956-57	33,378	6,615	2,714	42,707	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
1957-58	34,560	7,201	2,884	44,645	38.4	539	1,127	
1958-59	32,602	7,495	2,568	42,665	39.0	539	1,233	
Latest 6 months, 1959	17,291	4,240	1,426	22,957	17.2	306	745	
Same 6 months, 1958	16,967	3,873	1,303	22,143	20.9	267	665	
Latest 3 months, 1959	8,646	2,191	562	11,399	9.9	161	388	
Same 3 months, 1958	8,423	1,900	617	10,940	11.7	137	350	
Month, 1958 - October	2,995	692	202	3,889	3.66	51.9	126.6	
November	2,652	647	185	3,484	2.61	46.6	101.0	
December	2,265	545	151	2,961	4.74	38.0	67.3	
1959 - January	1,970	468	170	2,608	2.12	30.2	72.5	
February	2,764	555	234	3,553	3.00	52.2	114.0	
March	2,767	605	184	3,556	3.54	47.7	98.3	
April	3,231	750	210	4,191	3.88	51.5	108.1	
May	2,728	657	267	3,652	2.08	44.6	107.1	
June	2,826	628	309	3,763	2.17	49.6	114.5	
July	3,091	764	288	4,143	3.02	50.6	135.6	
August	2,768	720	188	3,676	2.99	55.6	119.9	
September	3,068	843	193	4,104	3.36	48.5	119.4	
October	2,810	628	181	3,619	3.56	56.6	148.6	

Period	Item	WOVEN CLOTH (over 12" wide) OF, OR PREDOMINANTLY OF COTTON						
		Towell- ing (a)	Duck, Canvas, etc. (b)	Drills, Jeans, etc.	Cotton Tweeds	Denims	Other (c)	Total (b)
- thousand square yards -								
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	3,560	n.a.	1,699	5,998	
1948-49	465	7,419	5,172	1,756	90	10,503	25,405	
1956-57	1,948	11,167	14,913	2,686	2,304	15,207	48,225	
1957-58	1,457	9,649	16,339	2,051	2,213	14,088	45,797	
1958-59	2,027	10,143	14,585	2,036	1,756	13,697	44,244	
Latest 6 months, 1959	979	5,273	7,601	955	515	7,005	22,328	
Same 6 months, 1958	934	4,660	8,837	1,083	873	7,078	23,465	
Latest 3 months, 1959	473	2,395	4,174	436	193	3,368	11,039	
Same 3 months, 1958	508	2,282	4,373	511	457	3,516	11,647	
Month, 1958 - October	184	845	1,493	174	163	1,231	4,090	
November	181	826	1,324	166	127	1,150	3,784	
December	152	816	988	125	146	972	3,199	
1959 - January	115	691	976	134	105	887	2,908	
February	199	839	1,020	162	187	1,111	3,508	
March	187	842	1,023	169	158	1,225	3,604	
April	200	1,090	1,157	214	182	1,322	4,165	
May	173	923	1,010	169	122	1,206	3,603	
June	161	982	1,163	179	116	1,198	3,729	
July	172	973	1,254	171	84	1,233	3,887	
August	176	944	1,291	135	67	1,134	3,747	
September	169	807	1,405	134	70	1,219	3,804	
October	128	644	1,478	167	56	1,015	3,488	

(a) Includes Baby Napkins. (b) Includes Flax Canvas up to June, 1959. (c) 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.

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Period	Item	TOWELS		Scoured and Carbonized Wool (a)	Wool Tops (a)	Yarn (a), Wholly or predominantly		Rugs
		Up to and incl. 22" wide	Over 22" wide			Worsted	Woolen	
Year : 1938-39		- '000 dozen -			- million lb. -			- '000 -
1948-49		476		105	25.2	18.1	14.4	107
1956-57		389		162	36.0	28.3	22.4	121
1957-58		228	513	166	42.7	24.8	22.9	163
1958-59		288	519	154	39.3	21.5	24.2	177
		261	505	155	41.2	19.2	21.9	134
Latest 6 months, 1959		173	280	90.0	25.3	11.7	13.1	86.2
Same 6 months, 1958		126	254	71.7	20.5	9.0	11.3	95.8
Latest 3 months, 1959		88	145	42.4	12.6	5.9	6.8	44.1
Same 3 months, 1958		65	135	34.1	10.4	4.3	5.6	38.3
Month, 1958 -	October	24.6	47.5	12.4	3.44	1.59	1.92	11.5
	November	22.0	44.2	13.5	3.33	1.56	1.85	8.8
	December	17.9	33.5	12.1	2.69	1.41	1.47	7.2
1959 -	January	11.4	23.7	10.0	2.52	1.15	1.24	6.3
	February	18.4	39.2	13.4	3.41	1.75	1.82	8.9
	March	24.2	47.0	13.9	3.47	1.82	1.85	7.2
	April	28.7	51.4	14.5	3.76	1.98	2.05	12.0
	May	28.4	43.4	15.3	4.15	1.88	2.02	14.2
	June	26.0	44.3	16.1	4.16	1.90	2.11	14.6
	July	31.2	47.1	16.2	4.48	2.01	2.18	13.3
	August	28.7	46.6	13.4	4.01	1.77	2.02	14.3
	September	29.8	51.5	14.7	4.30	2.12	2.38	17.0
	October	29.0	47.0	14.3	4.24	2.03	2.41	12.8

Period	Item	Blankets (incl. Cot)		Woven Cloth (over 2" wide) of Wool				Total
			'000 sq.yds.	Worsted		Woolen		
				Pure	Mixtures (b)	Pure	Mixtures (c)	
Year : 1938-39		- thousand square yards -						
1948-49		1,147	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	31,768 (d)
1956-57		1,378	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	41,976 (d)
1957-58		1,678	n.a.	13,751	1,927	11,572	5,712	32,782
1958-59		1,855	8,624	11,871	2,125	11,777	5,946	31,719
		1,684	7,907	10,913	1,745	9,942	4,649	27,249
Latest 6 months, 1959		956	4,560	6,192	1,189	4,805	2,533	14,719
Same 6 months, 1958		891	4,159	5,222	1,096	4,758	1,921	12,997
Latest 3 months, 1959		444	2,148	3,112	627	2,542	1,377	7,658
Same 3 months, 1958		405	1,890	2,596	495	2,532	1,035	6,658
Month, 1958 -	October	140	663	997	154	987	384	2,522
	November	112	539	901	147	953	450	2,451
	December	102	494	824	104	803	389	2,120
1959 -	January	85	420	624	73	606	315	1,618
	February	135	646	962	110	925	474	2,471
	March	158	728	1,000	128	962	469	2,559
	April	174	814	1,024	166	910	480	2,580
	May	172	791	1,008	174	801	406	2,389
	June	172	807	1,050	185	745	354	2,334
	July	168	814	1,022	203	717	396	2,338
	August	146	704	949	180	735	383	2,247
	September	161	788	1,103	227	855	460	2,645
	October	137	656	1,060	220	952	534	2,766

(a) Includes that further processed in the producing mills. (b) Predominantly worsted.
(c) Predominantly woollen. (d) Excludes wool and rayon mixtures.

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Item	Rayon Woven Fabric (a)		Synthetic Fibre Woven Fabric (a)		Hats-Fur and	Footwear (e)	
	Pure	Mixtures (b)	Pure	Mixtures (c)	Wool Felt (d)	Boots, Shoes and Sandals	Slippers (f)
Period	- thousand square yards -				'000 doz.	- '000 pairs -	
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	360	13,967	7,704
1948-49	5,706	961	n.a.	n.a.	335	17,220	8,832
1956-57	22,736	1,565	2,944	123	106	20,938	8,214
1957-58	21,211	1,878	2,162	1,591	93	r21,395	9,153
1958-59	16,379	1,143	2,813	2,999	90	r24,024	8,481
Latest 6 months, 1959	8,605	514	1,969	1,747	45.2	13,584	4,830
Same 6 months, 1958	9,380	846	1,285	1,272	46.6	12,877	4,759
Latest 3 months, 1959	4,243	221	1,003	835	22.6	7,363	2,402
Same 3 months, 1958	4,450	341	581	758	23.5	7,182	2,182
Month, 1958 - October	1,484	75	167	267	8.8	2,486	692
November	1,277	90	220	223	7.8	2,136	638
December	1,096	77	191	185	6.0	1,807	517
1959 - January	896	50	134	155	6.7	1,166	351
February	1,303	66	223	245	7.4	1,811	706
March	1,342	71	291	257	7.7	1,820	771
April	1,508	101	344	280	9.1	1,988	894
May	1,357	98	273	282	8.3	1,902	855
June	1,588	106	319	370	7.4	r2,056	843
July	1,417	89	374	260	6.9	r2,263	r730
August	1,315	70	312	331	7.8	r2,335	r790
September	1,555	54	347	280	7.7	r2,547	r836
October	1,373	97	344	224	7.1	2,481	776

Item	HOSIERY						Total
	Women's			Men's	Child- ren's (Sizes 3-10)	Infants' (Sizes 0-3)	
	Full Fashioned and Circular		Anklets				
Period	Synthetic Fibre	Other					
	- thousand dozen pairs -						
Year : 1938-39		2,136		1,102	611		3,849
1948-49	219	1,318		1,275	705		3,517
1956-57	2,467	103	274	1,454	805	111	5,214
1957-58	2,136	82	299	1,472	724	101	4,814
1958-59	2,409	52	223	1,308	743	86	4,821
Latest 6 months, 1959	1,339	25.4	117	837	405	62.8	2,786
Same 6 months, 1958	1,276	37.1	136	723	416	47.7	2,636
Latest 3 months, 1959	677	11.4	65	452	213	36.7	1,455
Same 3 months, 1958	665	17.3	69	357	214	23.7	1,346
Month, 1958 - October	242	3.9	22.5	124	70.0	7.3	470
November	207	3.0	18.7	115	59.8	6.1	410
December	167	3.4	14.3	89	57.7	6.4	338
1959 - January	125	1.9	10.9	64	37.3	4.2	243
February	192	3.1	15.3	104	59.5	8.7	383
March	191	3.8	17.2	104	57.1	6.8	380
April	210	4.4	17.6	119	59.4	6.8	417
May	219	5.0	17.3	116	61.1	6.9	425
June	216	4.3	17.1	123	66.4	7.4	434
July	227	4.7	17.4	146	64.7	r11.8	r472
August	221	4.2	21.2	130	63.3	r11.6	r452
September	227	4.2	21.9	159	76.2	13.2	501
October	229	3.0	21.9	163	73.1	11.9	502

(a) Over 12" wide. (b) Rayon mixed with any other fibre up to 1955-56 - thereafter mixtures predominantly Rayon. (c) Predominantly synthetic fibre. (d) Includes Hoods and Capelinas. (e) Other than Sandshoes, Goloshes, Gum and Wading etc., Boots of Rubber. (f) Includes all Infants' Soft Soled Nursery Footwear.

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Item	MEN'S, YOUTHS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING (CIVILIAN DAY WEAR)						
	Suits			Trousers		Sports Coats (a)(b)	Blazers
	Men's and Youths'		Boys'	Men's and Youths'			
	3 Piece (a)	2 Piece (a)	2 Piece	Sports (a)	Work (c)	Men's and Youths'	Boys'
Period	- Thousand -						
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1949-50	403	625	169	2,836	1,495	803	(d)123
1956-57	46	672	92	2,561	2,074	619	78
1957-58	31	679	68	2,545	2,045	582	76
1958-59	21	707	56	2,699	2,132	523	60
Latest 6 months, 1959	11.1	388.3	26.5	1,585	1,210	279.0	31.2
Same 6 months, 1958	13.5	372.2	27.6	1,363	1,099	291.2	29.0
Latest 3 months, 1959	5.3	206.1	14.3	860	630	162.2	12.9
Same 3 months, 1958	6.7	198.4	14.8	721	566	158.7	10.6
Month, 1958 - October	2.3	71.4	5.8	256	209	51.8	3.7
November	2.1	67.9	7.5	248	189	52.8	4.3
December	2.0	60.1	7.6	214	138	45.3	6.0
1959 - January	0.7	33.4	4.3	128	106	19.9	4.0
February	1.2	55.6	3.7	222	197	40.5	6.0
March	1.4	57.0	2.7	228	185	40.9	6.1
April	1.5	62.8	4.8	253	204	42.4	6.2
May	1.6	60.1	4.1	235	180	38.1	5.8
June	1.8	54.7	2.8	217	188	35.4	5.6
July	2.4	67.4	5.3	273	212	43.3	6.9
August	1.8	63.4	6.5	257	193	49.4	6.1
September	1.8	69.6	4.3	304	206	58.0	3.5
October	1.7	73.1	3.5	299	231	54.8	3.3
Item	DustandWork Coats		Overalls		Raincoats and Overcoats (e)		Jodhpurs and Riding Breeches
	Men's and Youths'		Men's and Youths'	Boys'	Men's and Youths'	Boys'	
	Short	Full					
Period	- Thousand -						
Year : 1938-39	n.a.		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1949-50	126		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1956-57	81	176	1,275	338	212	192	168
1957-58	90	187	1,440	280	157	127	207
1958-59	92	238	1,309	279	137	105	167
Latest 6 months, 1959	44.1	134.4	834	129.4	67.7	43.8	79.5
Same 6 months, 1958	50.6	107.5	725	106.4	66.6	47.5	74.3
Latest 3 months, 1959	21.7	62.3	422	53.8	19.1	15.2	15.9
Same 3 months, 1958	23.1	60.9	354	43.2	19.0	16.0	11.4
Month, 1958 - October	6.8	20.5	110	10.6	7.6	3.9	2.7
November	10.1	20.8	102	22.8	8.4	5.0	3.0
December	5.0	13.4	78	24.7	4.1	5.5	4.9
1959 - January	4.8	10.2	55	18.3	5.0	6.2	7.0
February	7.8	19.7	109	31.1	13.9	10.9	23.3
March	7.8	21.5	104	34.8	18.2	17.5	25.0
April	9.3	23.2	115	33.8	19.2	14.2	30.4
May	6.6	19.7	123	26.6	20.2	14.4	27.3
June	8.1	31.3	139	27.0	18.4	8.5	23.3
July	7.7	21.1	150	22.0	10.0	5.7	13.0
August	6.9	20.5	139	5.6	8.7	3.9	6.0
September	9.1	22.3	145	23.2	5.4	4.9	6.7
October	5.7	19.5	138	25.0	5.0	6.4	3.2

(a) Since June, 1956, the production of smaller establishments has been estimated from the returns of a representative sample. (b) Includes Blazers. (c) Includes Jeans. (d) Includes Boys' Sports Coats. (e) Excludes Leather and Plastic.

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Period	Item	FOUNDATION GARMENTS				UNDERWEAR (b)		
		Corsets		Corselets	Brassieres	Men's and Boys'	Women's and Girls'	Infants' and Baby Wear
		Roll-on Girdles	Other (a)					
		- thousand dozen -						
Year : 1938-39		153.5		19.0	222.2		2,750	
1948-49		125.7		8.3	264.8		3,168	
1956-57		49.0	88.9	7.5	423.4	1,678	2,932	78
1957-58		56.2	113.1	8.3	500.8	1,818	2,895	66
1958-59		46.7	119.0	8.8	529.9	1,856	3,019	87
Latest 6 months, 1959		37.0	67.2	3.94	260.3	957	1,564	51.4
Same 6 months, 1958		26.8	63.0	5.18	258.9	981	1,544	51.4
Latest 3 months, 1959		20.6	36.9	1.58	123.1	480	816	24.8
Same 3 months, 1958		13.4	33.2	2.60	121.0	510	815	24.8
Month, 1958 - October		4.50	12.16	1.06	45.4	182	299	9.03
November		3.69	10.92	0.64	40.3	162	295	6.04
December		3.44	8.72	0.55	34.3	147	246	7.14
1959 - January		2.46	5.96	0.29	26.8	92	160	5.28
February		3.06	10.52	0.65	46.4	152	267	7.39
March		2.59	9.84	0.91	48.9	155	250	7.80
April		3.56	10.25	0.82	58.8	162	238	8.82
May		4.62	9.72	0.79	50.1	146	238	8.31
June		5.47	9.57	0.81	45.8	151	237	7.59
July		6.24	10.98	0.76	41.3	180	273	10.70
August		5.36	11.21	0.53	40.3	147	249	8.19
September		7.30	12.69	0.54	r45.2	179	287	8.74
October		7.96	13.00	0.51	37.6	154	280	7.88

Period	Item	NIGHTWEAR (b)			CARDIGANS, PULLOVERS AND SIMILAR GARMENTS (c)			
		Men's & Boys' Pyjama Suits	Women's and Girls'		Infants' and Baby Wear	Men's and Boys'	Women's and Girls'	Infants' and Baby Wear
			Pyjamas	Night-dresses				
		- thousand dozen -						
Year : 1938-39		200	155		n.a.		342	
1948-49		219	270		n.a.		569	
1956-57		283	184	216	28	340	720	89
1957-58		328	243	218	31	350	817	91
1958-59		364	269	221	31	320	760	89
Latest 6 months, 1959		177	115	114	19.2	168	427	56.7
Same 6 months, 1958		198	114	105	14.8	147	390	38.1
Latest 3 months, 1959		90	58	63	9.2	71	205	28.2
Same 3 months, 1958		96	56	52	6.3	66	189	19.9
Month, 1958 - October		35.2	19.8	18.5	2.51	23.7	63.5	7.18
November		28.5	20.1	17.0	2.03	23.5	61.4	7.08
December		25.4	20.8	13.4	1.62	22.5	45.7	5.25
1959 - January		18.7	17.4	11.2	1.54	21.5	40.1	4.81
February		30.2	30.8	23.9	3.06	31.5	66.5	8.16
March		33.9	29.2	26.3	3.29	35.0	66.5	8.31
April		40.7	32.3	23.9	4.51	34.8	72.2	10.76
May		33.5	22.3	17.2	3.51	33.3	75.6	9.98
June		27.9	17.1	16.4	3.07	30.9	76.9	9.09
July		25.1	18.3	17.6	3.37	32.4	69.8	r9.46
August		28.9	22.5	19.4	2.92	21.9	66.5	r8.16
September		32.7	16.4	22.1	3.22	23.6	71.9	10.32
October		28.7	18.7	21.4	3.07	25.7	66.3	9.70

(a) Includes Surgical Corsets and Belts. (b) Knitted or made from knitted or woven fabric. (c) Knitted only.

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Item	BATHING SUITS AND TRUNKS (a)			SHORTS (b)		GLOVES (d)		
	Men's and Boys'	Women's and Girls'	Men's and Boys'	Men's and Youths'	Boys' (c)	Dress	Work	
Period								
	- thousand dozen -						- dozen pairs -	
Year : 1938-39	(a) 67	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	61,539	
1948-49	(e) 856	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	65,845	157,230	
1956-57	1,425	78	47	167	235	74,765	276,707	
1957-58	1,530	76	55	180	289	80,124	290,384	
1958-59	1,611	67	42	212	306	54,499	304,907	
Latest 6 months, 1959	1,002	58.0	38.7	116.9	184.4	32,165	184,468	
Same 6 months, 1958	925	48.1	28.7	109.7	173.4	32,257	157,654	
Latest 3 months, 1959	554	35.3	23.5	67.2	115.7	16,707	95,858	
Same 3 months, 1958	506	24.3	15.3	64.9	105.6	17,378	78,919	
Month, 1958 - October	174	8.0	4.6	21.6	37.7	5,735	28,686	
November	153	8.1	4.0	21.9	35.9	4,338	25,300	
December	120	5.3	2.4	18.1	29.2	2,850	20,455	
1959 - January	60	1.1	1.2	8.3	16.8	2,077	16,758	
February	110	2.5	1.6	18.1	19.5	3,976	24,600	
March	111	2.6	1.8	16.9	13.6	4,040	25,424	
April	120	3.9	1.8	17.3	16.3	5,210	29,105	
May	129	4.3	3.0	13.8	17.1	4,973	28,283	
June	134	6.8	4.7	15.9	20.6	4,755	27,369	
July	185	11.6	r7.5	20.0	31.0	5,730	32,958	
August	169	10.7	r7.7	19.5	33.4	5,363	29,389	
September	192	12.3	8.0	24.3	38.6	5,824	33,818	
October	193	12.3	7.8	23.4	43.7	5,520	32,651	
Item	HIDES AND SKINS USED FOR TANNING			MATTRESSES				
	Cattle Hides	Calf Skins	Sheep Skins (f)	Woven Wire, Link Mesh and Spring (g)	Inner Spring	Rubber	Soft Filled and Other	
Period								
	- thousand -							
Year : 1938-39	1,600	1,208	4,301	230	27	n.a.		
1948-49	2,485	1,306	4,060	202	155	456		
1956-57	2,556	1,097	2,939	328	508	56	281	
1957-58	2,673	1,187	2,650	349	569	54	244	
1958-59	2,493	880	2,818	357	582	69	219	
Latest 6 months, 1959	1,317	421	1,541	188	295	42.0	98	
Same 6 months, 1958	1,454	604	1,623	179	292	32.5	109	
Latest 3 months, 1959	662	220	773	99	151	21.5	51	
Same 3 months, 1958	695	276	758	89	148	16.5	57	
Month, 1958 - October	222	102	260	34.5	49.6	5.7	19.6	
November	196	70	238	31.8	48.4	5.4	21.3	
December	136	24	157	33.1	52.6	5.3	24.6	
1959 - January	168	51	165	21.6	35.3	3.7	14.2	
February	219	75	244	30.5	49.0	6.0	19.0	
March	202	68	227	29.3	50.2	5.6	17.6	
April	208	63	253	30.8	50.6	6.9	16.5	
May	201	83	235	33.0	47.5	6.5	16.0	
June	201	53	262	25.4	45.5	6.5	14.2	
July	253	65	271	29.8	50.9	7.5	17.1	
August	221	56	245	29.6	49.8	6.9	16.1	
September	228	75	270	37.6	49.4	7.6	16.2	
October	213	89	258	32.1	51.7	7.0	18.4	

(a) Knitted or made from Knitted or Woven Fabric. (b) Swim shorts and Leisure, Walk and Work Shorts. (c) Includes Knickers. (d) Other than Rubber. (e) Excludes Knitted. (f) Includes Felts. (g) Includes Mattresses made and incorporated in Folding Beds and Stretchers.

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Item	MEAT (Bone-in weight)				Bacon and Ham (a)	Canned Meat (b)	Canned Fish (c)
	Beef and Veal	Mutton and Lamb	Pigmeat	Total Meat			
Period	- thousand tons -				tons	tons	'000 lb.
Year : 1938-39	559	320	87	996	33,238	14,389	603
1948-49	577	320	94	r991	41,584	44,976	10,886
1956-57	815	367	88	1,270	35,330	69,076	8,268
1957-58	791	r422	102	r1,315	36,667	83,566	7,848
1958-59	r909	r491	103	r1,503	38,780	70,177	7,687
Latest 6 months, 1959	465	251	49	765	19,635	35,329	2,408
Same 6 months, 1958	487	216	52	755	19,130	41,065	2,677
Latest 3 months, 1959	203	138	25	366	10,700	18,440	678
Same 3 months, 1958	231	119	27	377	9,841	19,979	748
Month, 1958 - October	r79.8	r50.5	9.6	r140	3,528	6,104	322
November	r74.2	r52.4	8.8	r135	3,612	7,095	335
December	r71.0	r50.9	8.9	131	4,776	6,693	293
1959 - January	r60.7	r41.7	7.7	r110	2,524	4,555	383
February	r67.2	r41.9	8.5	r118	2,763	4,740	438
March	r70.3	r39.3	9.0	r119	2,942	4,381	2,216
April	r77.6	r36.8	9.2	r124	3,168	4,003	1,511
May	r83.7	r36.5	8.2	r128	2,951	5,562	670
June	r85.4	r37.2	7.3	r130	3,003	5,524	630
July	r93.0	39.7	8.0	r141	2,981	5,803	430
August	r72.0	r35.5	7.6	r115	2,848	5,815	249
September	r67.9	45.6	8.3	r122	3,751	6,440	307
October	62.8	56.9	9.3	129	4,101	6,185	122
Item	CEREAL PRODUCTS						Refined Sugar (g)
	Wheat Products			Oatmeal	Starch, Edible (f)	Malt (all types)	
Period	Flour (d)	Bran	Pollard	Rolled Oats(e)			
	- thousand short tons -			'000 tons	'000 cwt.	'000 bush	'000 tons
Year : 1938-39	1,373	289	284	15.2	n.a.	3,733	339
1948-49	1,679	319	355	23.1	280	5,150	428
1956-57	1,632	282	352	20.1	468	8,062	480
1957-58	1,376	233	290	13.8	444	8,373	493
1958-59	1,359	219	281	14.4	412	8,262	521
Latest 6 months, 1959	772	126	163	8.7	257	4,503	271
Same 6 months, 1958	645	102	132	8.6	216	4,211	262
Latest 3 months, 1959	390	64	81	2.6	138	2,246	142
Same 3 months, 1958	339	54	69	2.4	112	2,079	135
Month, 1958 - October	112	18.1	22.6	0.69	37.5	717	45.1
November	117	19.3	23.7	0.46	37.7	704	47.3
December	105	16.8	21.5	0.39	31.0	679	40.5
1959 - January	112	18.4	22.7	0.49	24.4	617	42.6
February	108	17.6	22.6	0.73	32.8	572	43.0
March	107	17.4	22.2	1.36	28.7	690	42.5
April	112	18.1	23.6	2.51	34.9	712	41.2
May	120	19.4	25.6	2.08	37.7	750	49.0
June	130	21.0	28.0	2.19	36.0	747	37.7
July	132	21.1	28.3	1.84	45.7	760	42.0
August	130	21.1	27.2	1.19	42.4	742	r45.4
September	126	20.8	25.8	0.72	47.3	744	40.9
October	134	22.2	28.0	0.67	48.2	760	55.8

(a) Cured weight. (b) Source : Australian Meat Board - excludes Canned Rabbit and Poultry. (c) Includes Fish Loaf, Fish Cakes, etc., but excludes Fish Paste, Canned Oysters and Shellfish. (d) Includes Wheatmeal for Baking and Sharps. (e) Excludes that for Stock Food. (f) Cornflour and Edible Starch from Wheat. (g) Source : Department of Customs and Excise.

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Item Period	Aerated Waters	Biscuits (a)	CONFECTIONERY		MARGARINE		Coconut Oil (Unref.)
			Chocolate Base	Other	Table	Other	
	'000 gal.	- million lb. -			- tons -		
Year 1938-39	20,988	73.7	43.5	58.1	3,325	13,938	12,107
1948-49	44,339	107.1	67.6	69.9	8,529	20,789	17,081
1956-57	61,242	162.5	68.8	87.4	17,247	19,900	21,308
1957-58	69,165	165.6	63.8	88.9	16,086	20,990	22,354
1958-59	r65,957	172.1	66.7	92.1	16,098	r24,121	22,714
Latest 6 months, 1959	25,100	90.8	40.7	50.4	8,494	13,578	9,620
Same 6 months, 1958	22,419	90.1	36.1	48.1	8,694	14,022	11,959
Latest 3 months, 1959	15,121	45.0	17.8	26.2	4,201	6,997	4,142
Same 3 months, 1958	13,448	46.1	16.9	25.5	4,557	7,082	5,899
Month, 1958 - October	r5,499	16.1	5.37	8.86	1,592	2,372	1,717
November	r7,079	14.1	4.57	7.76	1,327	1,976	2,462
December	r9,145	13.6	3.95	7.09	1,195	1,857	1,654
1959 - January	r8,709	11.4	2.63	5.12	800	r1,051	1,873
February	7,396	14.0	4.76	7.43	1,156	r1,735	2,015
March	5,873	13.9	5.02	7.66	1,248	r1,985	1,273
April	4,966	14.8	6.87	7.87	1,491	r1,996	2,170
May	r3,578	15.0	7.54	7.60	1,188	r2,063	n.a.
June	r3,081	14.0	7.65	7.74	1,706	1,874	n.a.
July	r3,320	16.8	7.70	8.89	1,399	2,644	2,198
August	4,086	14.7	6.06	8.30	1,466	2,206	1,282
September	5,472	14.9	5.99	8.80	1,214	2,590	1,494
October	5,563	15.4	5.74	9.12	1,521	2,201	1,366

Item Period	Jam	Preserved Fruit	Preserved Vege- tables	Quick Frozen Vege- tables	Canned Spag- hetti	Tomato Sauce	Tomato Soup
Year : 1938-39	84,916	150,732	10,255	n.a.	n.a.	15,358	5,116
1948-49	132,951	165,918	51,279	n.a.	n.a.	25,817	34,367
1956-57	92,208	289,510	98,418	n.a.	16,964	25,563	29,523
1957-58	107,773	349,411	87,044	(b)13,846	13,674	21,681	18,571
1958-59	75,040	r317,055	r66,600	(c)13,293	18,371	22,634	21,898
Latest 6 months, 1959	34,997	41,350	28,381	1,509	11,725	7,459	4,795
Same 6 months, 1958	37,829	59,745	24,681	n.a.	n.a.	8,634	4,090
Latest 3 months, 1959	17,375	19,322	14,920	386	5,407	4,108	1,937
Same 3 months, 1958	17,012	27,952	12,411	379	4,933	4,656	2,011
Month, 1958 - October	4,219	4,559	5,443	34	1,550	1,299	535
November	2,603	1,333	10,367	1,270	1,244	1,293	n.a.
December	3,817	5,399	12,328	4,032	1,033	1,246	n.a.
1959 - January	9,303	30,842	7,130	3,673	1,011	1,608	1,212
February	9,117	68,773	3,814	1,230	1,465	3,994	5,348
March	8,813	108,098	3,769	1,281	1,355	2,898	5,742
April	6,492	48,420	4,229	566	1,703	3,176	4,213
May	6,391	r9,181	r4,286	357	1,960	1,180	923
June	4,913	r7,454	4,419	257	1,935	844	1,053
July	6,318	5,393	4,756	509	r2,423	1,327	882
August	7,000	5,847	4,335	212	1,789	r1,270	988
September	5,106	10,071	3,708	64	2,369	1,449	237
October	5,269	3,404	6,877	110	1,249	1,389	712

(a) Excludes Ice Cream Cones and Wafers and Dog Biscuits.

(b) Peas, 10,131,193 lb.; Beans, 2,539,758 lb.; Other Vegetables, 1,174,590 lb.

(c) Peas, 9,745,034 lb.; Beans, 1,896,755 lb.; Other Vegetables, 1,651,685 lb.

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Item Period	Whole Milk (a)	Butter (b)	Cheese (b)	Processed Whole Milk Products	Ice Cream (c)	Bear (d)	Tobacco, Cigars and Cigarettes (e)
	Mill. gallons	- '000 tons -			'000 gallons	Mill. gallons	Mill. lb.
Year : 1938-39	1,190	195	29.0	n.a.	4,262	89	23.3
1948-49	1,209	161	43.2	91.0	14,524	144	29.1
1956-57	1,358	190	45.2	99.8	15,647	221	49.5
1957-58	1,264	173	35.9	97.4	16,519	226	51.1
1958-59	1,370	191	43.1	r94.8	16,061	228	51.7
Latest 6 months, 1959	610	80	20.3	41.9	6,070	108	26.2
Same 6 months, 1958	578	75	18.9	41.6	5,981	107	25.5
Latest 3 months, 1959	394	56	14.1	29.8	3,760	60	13.4
Same 3 months, 1958	373	52	13.4	28.0	3,690	57	13.0
Month, 1958 - October	156.5	23.3	5.69	r12.56	1,452	21.7	4.44
November	154.4	22.8	5.52	r12.46	1,641	22.2	4.33
December	160.4	24.5	5.01	r12.28	1,993	25.0	5.04
1959 - January	148.2	22.5	4.50	r9.08	2,285	19.8	3.96
February	117.4	17.0	3.26	7.11	1,615	18.6	4.21
March	111.3	15.6	2.92	r7.37	1,410	19.2	3.90
April	91.2	12.0	2.34	6.02	1,240	18.8	4.63
May	75.2	8.8	2.00	r4.25	868	15.8	4.21
June	67.1	7.4	1.92	r3.68	665	15.2	4.15
July	73.8	8.3	2.30	r4.18	777	17.1	4.48
August	97.6	12.5	3.37	r6.69	1,003	17.2	4.30
September	r131.4	18.6	4.75	9.72	r1,433	20.8	4.35
October	164.9	24.7	6.00	13.41	1,324	21.5	4.70

Item Period	SPORTS GOODS					News-print	Batteries - (Starting, Lighting, Ignition)
	Racquet Frames	Golf Clubs	Balls				
			Cricket (Leather)	Golf	Tennis		
	- dozen -					'000 tons	'000
Year : 1938-39	20,737	17,843	7,986	117,580	233,648	..	n.a.
1948-49	23,677	16,509	14,094	187,990	285,241	30.3	n.a.
1956-57	16,147	12,443	16,583	207,860	233,697	79.6	1,246
1957-58	17,616	13,365	18,138	199,599	225,080	81.1	1,255
1958-59	15,984	14,542	17,069	196,735	210,845	83.1	1,310
Latest 6 months, 1959	8,985	7,064	9,820	131,303	110,758	45.0	747
Same 6 months, 1958	9,634	8,239	10,883	111,859	112,071	42.7	679
Latest 3 months, 1959	4,727	3,233	5,518	67,511	67,471	23.0	337
Same 3 months, 1958	5,067	4,009	6,471	49,842	67,243	21.5	320
Month, 1958 - October	1,687	1,340	2,125	16,260	23,157	7.39	108
November	1,379	1,272	1,419	13,227	22,057	6.89	102
December	1,171	1,095	1,300	11,474	18,330	5.59	88
1959 : January	658	608	695	8,959	9,803	7.01	67
February	1,039	1,209	1,078	14,880	15,120	6.21	103
March	1,170	1,210	857	15,187	18,782	7.26	114
April	1,230	1,229	927	19,998	16,511	7.09	129
May	1,279	1,234	1,140	20,552	11,964	7.34	132
June	1,300	1,255	1,272	20,406	13,178	7.11	134
July	1,679	1,342	r1,890	22,834	18,145	7.50	r144
August	1,583	1,133	1,531	23,323	23,360	7.57	117
September	1,711	1,052	2,163	23,429	23,740	7.60	108
October	1,433	1,048	1,824	20,759	20,371	7.83	112

(a) For all purposes - estimated. (b) Factory only - Source: Dairy Produce Equalization Committee. (c) Excludes Substitutes and Water Ices. (d) From 1958-59 onwards represents the quantity produced (incl. waste) as recorded by Department of Customs and Excise. (e) From 1958-59 onwards represents the quantity on which Excise Duty was paid. Source - Department of Customs and Excise.

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MONTHLY AVERAGE 1938-39



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