

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 25

FOUNDATION GARMENTS.

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The information set out below has been compiled from returns of establishments engaged in your industry, and indicates current trends in the production of the commodities listed. These figures are subject to revision.

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

Period	Corsets		Corselets	Brassieres
	Roll-on Girdles (a)	Other (b)		
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Year : 1950-51	144,955		7,293	369,583
1951-52	122,834		8,471	377,989
1952-53	37,541	80,140	4,581	329,745
1953-54	49,082	98,243	6,976	412,811
Nine Months ended March, 1954	36,504	71,776	5,082	308,847
March, 1955	33,833	67,534	5,404	297,562
Month, 1954 : March	4,124	10,618	582	40,762
April	4,387	9,332	506	33,748
May	4,297	8,616	633	35,885
June	3,894	9,519	755	34,331
July	4,147	8,244	675	29,935
August	4,465	7,620	814	30,877
September	3,836	8,575	728	34,914
October	3,788	7,657	519	34,766
November	3,871	8,627	690	35,685
December	3,223	7,617	535	31,089
1955 : January	2,657	4,806	380	23,932
February	3,959	6,424	523	26,472
March	3,837	7,964	540	40,692

(a) Includes Elasticised Panties and Panty Girdles.

(b) Includes "Surgical Corsets".

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