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PREFACE

This Bulletin is published in two parts;
Part 1 : Exports and Part 2 : Imports.

Figures for 1967-68 are preliminary and are
subject to revision.

EXPLANATORY NOTESBASIC DOCUMENTS

The Overseas Trade Statistics published in this bulletin have been derived from documents obtained under the Customs Act by the Department of Customs and Excise and compiled by the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics. They do not include certain items for which customs entries are not required. (See paragraph (11) of this note). These documents are duplicate copies of export and import entries submitted by exporters and importers or their agents to the Department of Customs and Excise.

2. Export entries show date and port of shipment, country of consignment and the description, quantity (where required) and value of the goods. The statistical item number is inserted by the exporter or his agent and verified by officers of the Department of Customs and Excise.

3. Import entries show date and port of entry, country of origin, description of goods, quantity (where required), value of the goods and amount of duty paid thereon. The tariff item number under which the goods are admitted and the statistical key code are inserted by the importer or his agent, and these are verified by statistical officers of the Department of Customs and Excise in the local offices of the Collectors of Customs.

PERIOD COVERED BY STATISTICSExports

4. These are recorded statistically in the month in which the export entries are passed by the Department of Customs and Excise. Normally this is within a few days of shipment. Shipment of some major items is at times delayed by abnormal factors affecting sales, deliveries for export and the loading of ships. When such delays occur, exports during the affected period are diminished and when the delays are overtaken shipments include substantial quantities of accumulated stocks as well as current disposals.

5. Wool shipments in any trade year may be materially affected by the time spread of wool auctions which normally end in July. The carry-over for shipments varies from year to year. New season's wheat normally becomes available for shipment from December onwards, and the quantity shipped in any trade year (ending June) depends on the size of the crop, the time spread of sales for export, and physical factors affecting the scheduling of deliveries.

Imports

6. Imports are recorded statistically in the month in which import entries are passed by the Department of Customs and Excise. Normally this is within a few days of discharge of cargoes.

VALUATION

7. Exports sold to overseas buyers before export are valued at the Australian f.o.b. port of shipment equivalent of the actual price paid to the exporter. Exports shipped on consignment are valued at the Australian f.o.b. port of shipment equivalent of the price paid for similar goods of Australian origin in the principal markets of the country to which they are dispatched for sale.

8. The recorded value of imports is the "value for duty" as laid down for customs purposes, i.e. the f.o.b. port of shipment equivalent of the actual price paid by the importer plus any special deduction, or of the current domestic value in the exporting country, whichever is the higher. (See paragraph (11) of this note.) All values are recorded in Australian currency.

STATISTICAL CONCEPTS OF TRADE

Trade system

9. The statistics of exports and imports presented in this bulletin are recorded on a "General trade" basis, i.e. export figures include both Australian produce and re-exports, while imports comprise goods entered directly for domestic consumption together with goods imported into Customs warehouses. However, Table 3, Part 2 shows statistics of imports on a "Special trade" basis i.e. cleared for home consumption. Export figures exclude exports of ships' stores and aircraft stores, separate details for which are shown in Table 9 of Part 1 of this bulletin. Import figures include defence equipment imported by the Australian Services. These imports are normally classified according to the commodity imported, e.g. warships are classified under "ships and boats", and are included in the month in which the import entry is lodged with the Department of Customs and Excise.

Merchandise and non-merchandise trade

10. Total trade is divided into merchandise and non-merchandise in accordance with international standards recommended by the United Nations. Merchandise trade is the equivalent of total exports or imports less certain items specified as non-merchandise. These non-merchandise items include commodities such as gold, legal tender, decorations, trophies, samples, passengers' personal effects, military equipment and stores for Australian Forces abroad, goods for the use of diplomatic and consular representatives, goods imported with the intention of being re-exported, goods exported with the intention of being re-imported, etc. A complete description of these commodities is contained in the Australian Export and Import Commodity Classifications published by the Bureau.

Balance of payments basis

11. Statistics of exports and imports for balance of payments purposes are derived by making certain adjustments, relating both to scope and valuation, to statistics of merchandise exports and imports. Statistics on the adjusted basis are published in statistical bulletins relating to the balance of payments. The adjustments include the following: Imports are adjusted for the overall excess of recorded value for duty over the actual selling price to the importer. Exports and imports of goods for repair and return and the value of repairs are deducted from merchandise trade; exports and imports of ships and aircraft for use on overseas routes, certain imports of defence equipment, and other trade items for which customs entries are not required are added. Adjustments are also made for timing differences between the change of ownership and the lodgment of import entries, in the case of certain large items of equipment (e.g. warships).

EXCESS OF EXPORTS OR IMPORTS

12. In this bulletin the excess of the value of exports or imports is shown for merchandise plus non-merchandise trade in Table 1 and for merchandise trade only in Table 2. The excess of exports or imports does not, on either of these bases, represent the balance of trade. The balance of trade is derived by comparing statistics of exports on a balance of payments basis with statistics of imports on that basis. (See paragraph (11)).

TERMS USED IN THIS BULLETIN

13. "Exports" and "Imports" refer to exports and imports on a general trade basis.

"Merchandise" and Non-merchandise see paragraph 10.

"Australian Produce" is defined as goods, materials, or articles which have been produced, manufactured or partly manufactured in Australia, except goods which were originally imported and have undergone only repair or minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged.

"Re-exports" are defined as goods, materials or articles originally imported which are exported in the same condition in which they were imported, and goods, materials or articles originally imported which are exported after undergoing repair or minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged.

NOTE. Minor operations include blending, packaging, bottling, cleaning, sorting, husking and shelling.

"Imports cleared for home consumption" differ from imports in scope in that they include withdrawals from bonded warehouses but exclude imports into bonded warehouses.

COUNTRY OF CONSIGNMENT OR ORIGIN

14. "Country of consignment" referred to in export tables means the country to which goods were consigned at the time of export. Where the country of consignment is not determined at the time of export the goods are recorded as exported "For orders".

15. "Country of origin" referred to in import tables means the country of production of goods imported.

COMMODITY CLASSIFICATIONS

16. From July 1965 imports have been classified according to the new Australian Import Commodity Classification (A.I.C.C.) which is based on the Standard International Trade Classification, Revised (S.I.T.C.) and from July 1966 exports have been classified according to the new Australian Export Commodity Classification (A.E.C.C.), also based on the S.I.T.C. Copies of these classifications or extracts from them, can be obtained from offices of the Bureau. There is a difference in treatment between the two classifications with respect to outside packages. In the A.E.C.C. the value of outside packages is classified with the goods contained in them, but in the A.I.C.C. the value of outside packages is included under a separate item in Section 9(A).

TREATMENT OF AMENDMENTS

17. Where revisions have been made to the previously published figures for earlier months of the current financial year, appropriate adjustments are made to the year-to-date figures shown in this Bulletin. For this reason, monthly figures published in all issues for the current financial year to date will not necessarily add to the year-to-date figures shown in this issue.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

18. Estimates of the balance of trade do not measure Australia's total balance of payments which include other transactions such as freight and insurance charges on imports, shipping expenditure in Australian ports, overseas travel, payments

of profits and interest, and private and government borrowing overseas. Estimates of these transactions will be found in Statistical Bulletins on the "Balance of Payments".

ROUNDING

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

SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT

20. Original and seasonally adjusted statistics of exports and imports are shown in Table 1, page 7. Details of the methods used in seasonally adjusting these and other series are given in "Seasonally Adjusted Indicators 1967" issued on 18 July 1967. In the seasonal adjustment, account has been taken not only of normal seasonal factors but additionally of "trading-day" effects (arising from the varying numbers of Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays etc. in the month) and the influence of Easter which may, in successive years, affect figures for different months.

I. SUMMARY OF OVERSEAS TRADE

TABLE 1. - MONTHLY SUMMARY OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

(MERCHANDISE PLUS NON-MERCHANDISE)

(\$ million f.o.b. port of shipment)

Period	1966-67			1967-68 (a)		
	Exports	Imports	Excess of exports (+) or imports (-)	Exports	Imports	Excess of exports (+) or imports (-)
ORIGINAL						
July	226.3	205.8	+ 20.5	247.2	236.5	+ 10.7
August	245.2	288.5	- 43.3	247.6	314.7	- 67.1
September	246.4	286.9	- 40.5	246.5	276.0	- 29.5
October	244.4	227.6	+ 16.8	267.0	266.8	+ 0.2
November	259.0	249.1	+ 9.9	285.1	270.4	+ 14.7
December	228.1	226.2	+ 1.9	243.8	207.3	+ 36.5
January	256.3	279.3	- 23.0			
February	260.1	233.2	+ 26.9			
March	239.2	250.2	- 11.0			
April	270.0	265.2	+ 4.8			
May	284.5	264.0	+ 20.5			
June	264.4	269.3	- 4.9			
Twelve Months Total	3,023.9	3,045.3	- 21.4			
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (b)						
			(c)			(c)
July	243.3	210.4	+ 32.9	265.2	238.4	+ 26.8
August	270.9	269.5	+ 1.4	272.7	285.3	- 12.6
September	252.5	276.7	- 24.2	263.9	279.1	- 15.2
October	248.4	240.1	+ 8.3	259.0	275.6	- 16.6
November	232.3	244.5	- 12.2	256.6	258.5	- 1.9
December	230.4	238.1	- 7.7	258.5	232.7	+ 25.8
January	252.0	260.8	- 8.8			
February	265.7	261.4	+ 4.3			
March	249.9	265.0	- 15.1			
April	273.8	261.0	+ 12.8			
May	254.2	258.6	- 4.4			
June	254.5	262.7	- 8.2			

(a) Preliminary, subject to revision. (b) See paragraph 20 of explanatory notes.

(c) The figures below are the differences between seasonally adjusted exports and imports.

TABLE 2. - MONTHLY SUMMARY OF MERCHANDISE EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Period	1966-67			1967-68 (a)		
	Exports	Imports	Excess of exports (+) or imports (-)	Exports	Imports	Excess of exports (+) or imports (-)
July	219,578	203,360	+ 16,218	239,092	232,847	+ 6,245
August	240,133	284,457	- 44,324	235,842	310,445	- 74,603
September	238,601	284,080	- 45,479	238,510	272,254	- 33,744
October	237,388	224,341	+ 13,047	257,215	263,200	- 5,985
November	250,752	244,258	+ 6,494	278,157	264,698	+ 13,459
December	219,648	223,466	- 3,818			
January	250,925	274,450	- 23,525			
February	254,459	229,905	+ 24,554			
March	233,844	246,715	- 12,871			
April	257,352	262,147	- 4,795			
May	276,678	260,764	+ 15,914			
June	255,242	266,030	- 10,788			
<u>Twelve Months Total</u>	2,934,600	3,003,973	- 69,373			

(a) Preliminary, subject to revision.

II. IMPORTS

TABLE 3. - IMPORTS CLEARED FOR HOME CONSUMPTION (a)

(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Particulars	November		Five months ended November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
Commonwealth Government (b)	16,675	34,972	120,596	122,518
Other	226,967	238,151	1,128,680	1,250,397
<u>Total</u>	243,642	273,123	1,249,276	1,372,915

NOTE. A dissection of imports showing the value of imports of goods owned by the Commonwealth Government is not available. However, the conceptual difference between imports and imports cleared for home consumption is mainly of practical importance in the case of imports not owned by the Commonwealth Government.

(a) See paragraph 13 of explanatory notes. (b) Imports cleared for home consumption under items 1 and 2 of the Second Schedule to the Customs Tariff. Item 1 refers to "goods that at the time they are entered for home consumption (a) are owned by the Commonwealth; and (b) are not intended for purpose of trade". Item 2 refers to "goods (a) that, at the time they are entered for home consumption, are owned by the Commonwealth; and (b) exemption from duty of which is, in the opinion of the Minister, in the national interest".

TABLE 4. - IMPORTS ACCORDING TO IMPORTING STATE
(£'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Importing State	November		Five months ended November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
New South Wales	110,208	125,078	535,963	589,977
Victoria	88,752	89,498	434,688	476,745
Queensland	15,855	24,234	77,748	108,737
South Australia	14,960	13,162	85,873	81,566
Western Australia	14,074	14,243	65,873	79,401
Tasmania	4,665	3,296	55,363	17,261
Northern Territory	448	638	1,671	4,720
Australian Capital Territory	92	219	717	5,973
<u>Total</u>	249,054	270,368	1,257,896	1,364,380

TABLE 5. - IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COUNTRIES
(£'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Country of origin	November		Five months ended November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
Austria	439	734	3,282	3,089
Bahrain	63	391	512	1,562
Belgium-Luxembourg ..	1,131	1,711	7,191	8,698
Brazil	487	450	1,995	1,985
Brunei	405	1,573	3,634	5,331
Canada	9,874	12,918	47,751	52,966
Ceylon	959	1,387	6,735	7,487
China, Republic of (Formosa) ..	408	693	1,639	3,207
China (mainland) ..	2,052	2,490	8,266	10,220
Christmas Island ..	808	775	3,366	3,557
Czechoslovakia	552	496	2,691	2,566
Denmark	657	763	3,079	3,011
Fiji	347	321	1,902	1,878
Finland	1,516	586	6,102	6,245
France	8,145	6,060	36,498	36,490
Germany (East)	299	169	1,595	1,192
Germany, Federal Republic of ..	12,105	17,172	68,131	81,884
Ghana	172	250	2,096	1,399
Gilbert and Ellice Islands ..	269	340	769	1,200
Greece	28	375	587	1,455
Hong Kong	2,373	3,808	11,203	17,125
Hungary	126	139	599	599
India	4,000	2,700	12,959	15,775
Indonesia	5,010	6,317	23,939	23,516
Iran	3,215	1,973	14,237	8,171
Iraq	1,828	882	6,232	3,380
Ireland	143	113	573	643
Israel	54	113	599	946
Italy	4,624	6,018	22,374	30,946
Japan	27,286	27,300	119,523	145,385
Kenya	210	449	778	933

TABLE 5. - IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COUNTRIES - continued

(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Country of origin	November		Five months ended November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
Korea, Republic of ..	93	207	497	692
Kuwait ..	2,805	5,690	13,653	17,698
Malaysia ..	1,783	2,725	11,532	13,023
Mexico ..	127	228	1,908	2,448
Nauru ..	1,301	1,410	5,976	5,913
Netherlands ..	2,965	3,045	17,303	20,673
New Zealand ..	5,359	5,114	20,366	24,008
Nigeria ..	104	3	1,114	218
Norway ..	771	1,129	3,513	4,639
Pakistan ..	1,705	1,041	8,944	6,626
Papua and New Guinea ..	1,505	2,151	8,723	8,936
Philippines ..	196	270	1,086	1,738
Poland ..	194	94	687	814
Portugal ..	202	364	1,061	1,223
Qatar ..	706	993	6,240	3,285
Saudi Arabia ..	5,186	3,411	21,074	19,991
Singapore ..	1,040	325	4,022	2,759
South Africa ..	2,404	1,986	7,490	8,524
South Arabia, Federation of ..	1,186	646	3,413	2,920
Spain ..	428	862	2,641	3,102
Sweden ..	5,265	6,262	21,372	19,879
Switzerland ..	3,516	3,641	16,999	19,640
Tanzania ..	417	279	1,836	1,384
Thailand ..	109	140	577	1,036
Togo ..	67	151	622	642
Trucial States ..	..	1,575	4,016	9,939
Uganda ..	589	640	2,019	3,072
United Kingdom ..	62,014	30,532	294,784	297,459
United States of America ..	53,958	92,311	332,878	356,239
U.S.S.R. ..	183	133	615	748
Zambia ..	22	40	100	93
Other Countries ..	3,229	3,504	19,998	22,178
<u>Total</u>	249,054	270,368	1,257,896	1,364,380

TABLE 6. - IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE ACCORDING TO ECONOMIC CLASSES
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Economic classes and degree of manufacture	November		Five months ended November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
I. PRODUCERS' MATERIALS FOR USE IN -				
Building and construction -				
crude	2,748	3,657	14,256	15,378
simply transformed	124	90	462	490
elaborately transformed	4,662	4,369	21,446	23,896
<u>Total</u>	7,734	8,116	36,164	39,764
Rural industries -				
crude	5,304	5,764	22,276	24,653
simply transformed	319	561	1,374	1,443
elaborately transformed				
<u>Total</u>	5,623	6,325	23,650	26,096
Manufacturing -				
Food, beverages, tobacco -				
crude	2,251	779	7,811	6,449
simply transformed	891	1,112	4,433	4,504
elaborately transformed	319	391	1,705	1,406
<u>Total</u>	3,461	2,282	13,949	12,359
Other -				
crude	23,520	26,204	122,234	123,540
simply transformed	17,214	14,150	80,389	84,132
elaborately transformed	44,822	46,135	213,327	244,114
<u>Total</u>	85,556	86,489	415,950	451,786
Motor vehicle assembly -				
elaborately transformed	12,111	12,159	74,057	86,512
TOTAL PRODUCERS' MATERIALS -				
crude	33,823	38,404	166,577	170,020
simply transformed	18,229	15,352	85,264	89,126
elaborately transformed	62,433	63,615	311,909	327,371
<u>TOTAL</u>	114,485	117,371	563,770	616,517
II. FUELS AND LUBRICANTS -				
Fuels -				
simply transformed	3,026	828	12,805	9,352
Lubricants -				
simply transformed	235	194	1,910	1,257
TOTAL FUELS AND LUBRICANTS -				
simply transformed	3,261	1,022	14,815	10,609

TABLE 6. - IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE ACCORDING TO ECONOMIC CLASSES - continued
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Economic classes and degree of manufacture	November		Five months ended November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
III. AUXILIARY AIDS TO PRODUCTION -				
Advertising matter -				
elaborately transformed	288	218	974	968
Containers -				
simply transformed	3,822	3,688	21,839	21,728
Other				
elaborately transformed	2,896	1,781	18,985	13,356
TOTAL AUXILIARY AIDS TO PRODUCTION -				
simply transformed	3,822	3,688	21,839	21,728
elaborately transformed	3,184	1,999	19,959	14,324
<u>Total</u>	7,006	5,687	41,798	36,052
IV. CAPITAL EQUIPMENT:				
PRODUCERS' EQUIPMENT -				
Farm -				
elaborately transformed	4,740	4,784	22,309	35,595
Non-farm -				
elaborately transformed	48,752	45,832	244,397	256,358
TOTAL PRODUCERS' EQUIPMENT -				
elaborately transformed	53,492	50,616	266,706	291,953
V. CAPITAL EQUIPMENT - TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT -				
Railway equipment -				
elaborately transformed	205	207	1,255	1,485
Complete road vehicles -				
elaborately transformed	6,182	7,344	28,306	38,381
Vessels -				
elaborately transformed	710	7,847	2,502	13,585
Aircraft -				
elaborately transformed	7,650	3,862	41,854	31,322
TOTAL TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT -				
elaborately transformed	14,747	19,260	73,917	84,773
VI. FINISHED CONSUMER GOODS -				
Food, beverages, tobacco -				
crude	2,289	2,393	11,082	11,555
simply transformed	3,694	4,208	17,067	18,406
elaborately transformed	4,407	4,289	16,833	18,555
<u>Total</u>	10,390	10,890	44,982	48,516

TABLE 6. - IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE ACCORDING TO ECONOMIC CLASSES - continued
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Economic classes and degree of manufacture	November		Five months ended November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
VI. FINISHED CONSUMER GOODS - continued				
Clothing and accessories - elaborately transformed	1,386	2,098	8,714	13,079
Other	28	41	118	146
crude	103	71	504	478
simply transformed	33,619	38,687	159,389	184,672
elaborately transformed				
<u>Total</u>	33,750	38,799	160,013	185,296
TOTAL FINISHED CONSUMER GOODS -				
crude	2,317	2,434	11,200	11,701
simply transformed	3,797	4,279	17,571	18,884
elaborately transformed	39,412	45,074	184,936	216,306
<u>TOTAL</u>	45,526	51,787	213,707	246,891
VII. MUNITIONS AND WAR STORES -				
elaborately transformed	5,741	18,955	65,783	56,648
<u>TOTAL MERCHANDISE -</u>				
crude	36,140	40,838	177,777	181,721
simply transformed	29,109	24,342	139,509	140,147
elaborately transformed	179,009	199,518	923,210	1,021,376
<u>TOTAL</u>	244,258	264,698	1,240,496	1,343,444

TABLE 7. - IMPORTS ACCORDING TO DIVISIONS OF THE
AUSTRALIAN IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION
 (\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Division no.	Description	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS -				
00	Live animals	144	84	616	815
01	Meat and meat preparations	78	42	220	276
02	Dairy products and eggs	370	519	1,669	1,788
03	Fish and fish preparations	3,177	2,702	11,272	10,457
04	Cereals and cereal preparations	250	270	1,310	1,578
05	Fruit and vegetables	1,915	1,831	7,332	7,827
06	Sugar and sugar preparations and honey	232	135	928	1,014
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	3,465	4,554	19,537	20,312
08	Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)	708	856	2,891	3,699
09	Miscellaneous preparations chiefly for food	139	185	737	888
	<u>Total Section 0</u>	10,478	11,178	46,512	48,654
1	BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO -				
11	Beverages	1,039	1,130	4,093	5,906
12	Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	2,428	1,078	8,304	7,217
	<u>Total Section 1</u>	3,467	2,208	12,397	13,123
2	CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE, EXCEPT FUELS -				
21	Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed	138	137	971	869
22	Oil-seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels	336	691	2,612	2,668
23	Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	1,773	1,899	13,041	11,715
24	Wood, timber and cork	2,901	3,766	14,866	16,015
25	Pulp and waste paper	2,535	1,514	10,674	10,696
26	Textile fibres and their waste	2,950	2,714	14,179	13,606
27	Crude fertilisers and crude minerals (excl. coal, petroleum and precious stones)	5,065	6,650	26,458	29,841
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	352	214	2,106	1,117
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	1,111	1,291	4,543	5,102
	<u>Total Section 2</u>	17,161	18,876	89,450	91,629
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS -				
32	Coal, coke and briquettes	13	61	193	239
33	Petroleum and petroleum products	21,306	22,184	103,873	101,013
34	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	4	3	5	21
	<u>Total Section 3</u>	21,323	22,248	104,071	101,273

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Division no	Description	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
4	ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS -				
41	Animal oils and fats	195	115	652	514
42	Fixed vegetable oils and fats	1,406	1,204	5,975	4,648
43	Animal and vegetable oils and fats, processed and waxes of animal or vegetable origin	109	94	563	620
	<u>Total Section 4</u>	1,710	1,413	7,190	5,782
5	CHEMICALS -				
51	Chemical elements and compounds	7,979	6,012	40,636	40,166
52	Mineral tar and crude chemicals from coal, petroleum and natural gas	215	18	791	461
53	Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	1,608	1,159	7,998	7,898
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	3,223	3,085	14,611	15,881
55	Essential oils and perfume materials, toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	1,444	854	6,440	5,743
56	Fertilisers, manufactured	1,329	1,382	4,995	5,584
57	Explosives and pyrotechnic products	288	233	2,426	3,092
58	Plastic materials, regenerated cellulose and artificial resins	5,990	4,255	28,481	30,362
59	Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	2,844	2,539	15,922	16,834
	<u>Total Section 5</u>	24,920	19,537	122,300	126,021
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL -				
61	Leather, leather manufactures, n.e.s. and dressed fur skins	552	387	2,511	2,490
62	Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	2,502	2,995	11,007	14,617
63	Wood and cork manufactures (except furniture)	1,008	1,296	4,374	5,490
64	Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	9,260	6,883	36,988	39,248
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	20,373	17,566	98,326	108,083
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	4,724	4,159	23,843	23,456
67	Iron and steel	5,998	7,078	25,185	36,373
68	Non-ferrous metals	1,315	2,102	6,317	7,924
69	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	6,035	5,237	27,610	30,230
	<u>Total Section 6</u>	51,767	47,703	236,161	267,911

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Division no.	Description	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
7	MACHINERY AND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT -				
71	Machinery, other than electric	46,195	39,967	224,833	244,612
72	Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	15,680	16,726	77,490	84,504
73	Transport equipment (including war- ships, and military aircraft)	22,450	49,070	169,442	193,439
	<u>Total Section 7</u>	84,325	105,763	471,765	522,555
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES -				
81	Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings	365	262	1,527	1,551
82	Furniture	301	348	1,302	1,675
83	Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	422	486	2,091	2,592
84	Clothing and clothing accessories and articles of knitted or crocheted fabric	1,184	1,753	6,551	9,881
85	Footwear, gaiters, and similar articles and parts therefor	384	554	3,603	4,923
86	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments, photo- graphic and optical goods, watches and clocks	7,610	7,285	35,280	38,290
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	11,241	11,786	53,393	59,491
	<u>Total Section 8</u>	21,507	22,474	103,747	118,403
9A	Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind	7,600	13,298	46,903	48,093
	<u>TOTAL MERCHANDISE</u>	244,258	264,698	1,240,496	1,343,444
9B	Non-merchandise	4,796	5,670	17,400	20,936
	<u>TOTAL</u>	249,054	270,368	1,257,896	1,364,380

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AND SELECTED S.I.T.C. ITEMS OF THE AUSTRALIAN
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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
00	LIVE ANIMALS -				
001	Live animals	144	84	616	815
	<u>Total Division 00</u>	144	84	616	815
01	MEAT AND MEAT PREPARATIONS -				
011	Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen	2	1	24	62
012	Meat, dried, salted or smoked	1	..	3	1
013	Meat, canned or bottled	76	41	194	213
	<u>Total Division 01</u>	78	42	220	276
02	DAIRY PRODUCTS AND EGGS -				
022	Milk and cream	..	..	28	41
023	Butter	..	..	..	..
024	Cheese and curd	370	519	1,641	1,747
025	Eggs	..	..	..	..
	<u>Total Division 02</u>	370	519	1,669	1,788
03	FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS -				
031	Fish, fresh and simply preserved -				
031.10	Fish, fresh, chilled or frozen	821	743	3,817	3,905
031.20	Fish, salted in brine, dried or smoked	117	238	665	815
031.30	Crustaceans and molluscs, fresh, chilled, frozen, salted, or dried	161	59	672	251
032	Fish, canned or bottled, n.e.s., and fish preparations -				
032.01	Prepared or preserved fish	1,797	1,448	5,246	4,091
032.02	Prepared or preserved crust- aceans or molluscs	282	214	871	1,396
	<u>Total Division 03</u>	3,177	2,702	11,272	10,457
04	CEREALS AND CEREAL PREPARATIONS -				
041	Wheat and meslin, unmilled	..	..	..	..
042	Rice	2	22	105	150
043	Barley, unmilled	..	..	..	..
044	Maize, unmilled	20	21	54	31
045	Other cereals, unmilled	..	..	3	2
046	Meal and flour of wheat or meslin	1	6	5	12
047	Meal and flour of other cereals	1	11	5	25
048	Cereal preparations etc.	225	210	1,139	1,358
	<u>Total Division 04</u>	250	270	1,310	1,578

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
05	FRUIT AND VEGETABLES -				
051	Fruit, fresh and nuts	817	589	2,843	2,948
052	Dried fruit	115	67	223	208
053	Fruit, preserved and fruit preparations	219	223	912	1,004
054	Vegetables, fresh, frozen or simply preserved	287	629	1,941	2,325
055	Vegetables, preserved or prepared, n.e.s.	477	324	1,413	1,341
	<u>Total Division 05</u>	1,915	1,831	7,332	7,827
06	SUGAR, SUGAR PREPARATIONS AND HONEY -				
061	Sugar and honey	141	73	537	580
062	Sugar confectionery, etc.	91	62	391	434
	<u>Total Division 06</u>	232	135	928	1,014
07	COFFEE, TEA, COCOA, SPICES AND MANUFACTURES -				
071	Coffee	955	1,389	5,021	5,916
072	Cocoa	549	544	2,771	3,275
073	Chocolate and other cocoa preparations	41	58	182	379
074	Tea and maté	1,740	2,430	9,648	10,011
075	Spices	180	133	715	732
	<u>Total Division 07</u>	3,465	4,554	19,537	20,312
08	FEEDING-STUFF FOR ANIMALS -				
081	Feeding-stuff for animals	708	856	2,891	3,699
	<u>Total Division 08</u>	708	856	2,891	3,699
09	MISCELLANEOUS PREPARATIONS FOR FOOD -				
091	Margarine, lard and other rendered fats	1	18	11	19
099	Food preparations, n.e.s.	138	166	726	869
	<u>Total Division 09</u>	139	185	737	888
11	BEVERAGES -				
111	Non-alcoholic beverages, n.e.s.	4	14	22	23
112	Alcoholic Beverages -				
112.11	Grape must, in fermentation or with fermentation arrested, otherwise than by the addition of alcohol				

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
11	BEVERAGES - continued				
112.12	Wine of fresh grapes; grape must, n.e.i.	83	147	291	506
112.13	Vermouths and other like wines of fresh grapes	12	30	37	52
112.20	Other fermented beverages, n.e.s.	3	5	15	35
112.30	Beer (including ale, stout and porter)	8	10	20	31
112.40	Distilled alcoholic beverages	929	926	3,707	5,259
	<u>Total Division 11</u>	1,039	1,130	4,093	5,906
12	TOBACCO AND TOBACCO MANUFACTURES -				
121	Tobacco, unmanufactured	1,910	581	5,438	4,383
122	Tobacco, manufactures -				
122.10	Cigars and cheroots	114	107	825	614
122.20	Cigarettes and cigarillos	246	296	1,229	1,318
122.30	Tobacco, manufactured (including snuff)	159	93	811	902
	<u>Total Division 12</u>	2,428	1,078	8,304	7,217
21	HIDES, SKINS AND FUR SKINS UNDRESSED -				
211	Hides and skins, undressed	84	104	731	419
212	Fur skins, undressed	54	33	240	450
	<u>Total Division 21</u>	138	137	971	869
22	OIL-SEEDS, OIL NUTS AND OIL KERNELS -				
221	Oil-seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels -				
221.10	Groundnuts (peanuts), not roasted	44	50	240	194
221.20	Copra	257	602	2,077	2,207
221.30	Palm nuts and kernels	..	..	..	..
221.40	Soya beans	6	5	13	15
221.50	Linseed	..	..	..	..
221.60	Cotton seed	..	..	..	..
221.70	Castor oil seed	..	..	..	..
221.80	Oil-seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels, n.e.s.	23	22	136	132
221.90	Flour and meal, of oil-seeds and kernels, non-defatted (excl. mustard flour)	6	12	145	120
	<u>Total Division 22</u>	336	691	2,612	2,668

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
23	CRUDE RUBBER -				
231	Crude rubber (incl. synthetic and reclaimed) -				
231.10	Natural rubber and similar natural gums	1,131	1,269	7,712	6,675
231.20	Synthetic rubber and rubber substitutes	642	625	5,289	4,955
231.30	Reclaimed rubber	..	5	40	85
231.40	Waste and scrap of unhardened rubber	..	..	1	..
	<u>Total Division 23</u>	1,773	1,899	13,041	11,715
24	WOOD, TIMBER AND CORK -				
241	Wood waste and charcoal	2	..	4	4
242	Wood in the rough or roughly squared	321	310	1,311	1,519
243	Wood, shaped or simply worked -				
243.10	Railway or tramway sleepers	..	..	..	..
243.21	Timber, sawn lengthwise, etc. - conifer	1,947	2,333	10,165	9,362
243.22	Timber, planed, grooved, etc. - conifer	84	20	325	292
243.31	Timber, sawn lengthwise, etc. - non-conifer	488	1,050	2,810	4,593
243.32	Timber, planed, grooved, etc. - non-conifer	17	36	65	118
244	Cork, raw and waste	41	17	186	127
	<u>Total Division 24</u>	2,901	3,766	14,866	16,015
25	PULP AND WASTE PAPER -				
251	Pulp and waste paper -				
251.10	Paper waste and old paper	..	6	41	76
251.20	Mechanical wood pulp	64	57	334	416
251.50	Pulp other than wood pulp	4	..	203	..
251.60	Chemical wood pulp, dissolving grades	83	12	410	579
251.71	Soda and sulphate wood pulp, unbleached	1,394	630	4,083	4,299
251.72	Soda and sulphate wood pulp, bleached	514	395	2,990	2,550
251.81	Sulphite wood pulp, unbleached	245	141	979	894
251.82	Sulphite wood pulp, bleached	232	274	1,634	1,881
251.90	Semi-chemical wood pulp	..	..	..	..
	<u>Total Division 25</u>	2,535	1,514	10,674	10,696

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
26	TEXTILE FIBRES AND THEIR WASTE -				
261	Silk	..	..	1	1
262	Wool and other animal hair -				
262.10	Sheep's and lambs' wool, greasy etc., not carded or combed	138	47	915	496
262.20	Sheep's and lambs' wool, de- greased, not carded or combed	273	216	1,194	1,156
262.30	Other fine animal hair, not carded or combed	20	23	50	70
262.51	Horsehair, not carded or combed	..	3	3	16
262.59	Other coarse hair, not carded or combed	144	144	319	306
262.60	Waste, pulled or garnetted	1	..	3	..
262.70	Wool or other animal hair, carded or combed (except tops)	..	..	1	1
262.80	Tops	21	11	224	161
262.90	Waste not pulled or garnetted	3	4	22	22
263	Cotton -				
263.10	Raw cotton, other than linters, not carded or combed	345	587	2,018	2,852
263.20	Cotton linters	52	..	117	47
263.30	Cotton waste, not carded or combed	51	67	251	299
263.40	Cotton, carded or combed	..	..	..	..
264	Jute	100	165	570	456
265	Vegetable fibres, except cotton and jute -				
265.10	Flax, not spun; tow and waste	73	97	431	601
265.20	True hemp, not spun; tow and waste	..	..	..	3
265.30	Ramie, not spun; noils and waste	..	..	..	..
265.40	Sisal, etc., waste	423	280	2,030	1,318
265.50	Manila hemp, not spun; tow and waste	19	..	72	60
265.80	Other vegetable textile fibres, not spun; waste	29	38	190	164
266	Synthetic and regenerated fibres -				
266.21	Discontinuous synthetic fibres, not carded, combed	540	257	1,961	1,256
266.22	Continuous filament tow, for the manufacture of discon- tinuous synthetic fibres	214	288	1,427	1,743
266.23	Discontinuous or waste synthetic fibres, carded, combed	..	..	4	4

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
26	TEXTILE FIBRES AND THEIR WASTE - continued				
266.31	Discontinuous regenerated fibres, not carded, combed	370	296	1,399	1,557
266.32	Continuous filament tow, for the manufacture of discontin- uous regenerated fibres	101	166	795	913
266.33	Discontinuous or waste regener- ated fibres, carded, combed	10	5	35	25
266.40	Waste, not carded, combed, etc.	11	16	71	32
267	Waste materials from textile fabrics	13	6	78	47
	<u>Total Division 26</u>	2,950	2,714	14,179	13,606
27	CRUDE FERTILISERS AND CRUDE MINERALS -				
271	Fertilisers, crude -				
271.10	Natural fertilisers, not chemi- cally treated	..	..	..	8
271.20	Natural sodium nitrate	..	28	124	194
271.30	Natural phosphates, whether or not ground	3,071	3,262	13,592	14,400
271.40	Natural potassic salts, crude	..	..	..	..
273	Stone, sand and gravel	108	79	408	410
274	Sulphur and unroasted iron pyrites -				
274.10	Sulphur, other than sublimed, precipitated or colloidal	576	1,542	6,090	7,921
274.20	Iron pyrites, unroasted	..	..	..	..
275	Natural abrasives (incl. indus- trial diamonds)	220	195	985	1,058
276	Other crude minerals -				
276.10	Asphalt, bitumen and pitch, natural	2	3	11	22
276.21	Clay and other refractory materials, n.e.s.	181	305	926	1,149
276.22	Natural graphite	7	5	61	57
276.23	Dolomite	2	2	3	5
276.24	Magnesite	132	282	511	578
276.30	Salt, etc., sodium chloride	10	4	54	63
276.40	Asbestos, crude, washed or ground (including waste)	593	875	2,954	3,147
276.51	Natural quartz and quartzite	5	1	19	15
276.52	Mica (including splittings and waste)	20	9	94	120
276.53	Cryolite and chiolite, natural	9	15	18	33

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
27	CRUDE FERTILISERS AND CRUDE MINERALS - continued				
276.54	Felspar, fluorspar, etc.	66	5	243	275
276.61	Slag, dross, scalings and similar waste from the manufacture of iron and steel	..	..	..	..
276.62	Slag and ash, n.e.s. (including kelp)	..	..	1	2
276.91	Chalk	17	12	83	64
276.92	Earth colours, etc.	6	5	44	35
276.93	Natural barium sulphate and carbonate	7	2	27	39
276.94	Meerschaut, amber, jet	..	..	14	..
276.95	Natural steatite; talc	2	10	24	31
276.96	Natural arsenic sulphides	..	..	..	..
276.97	Crude natural borates and concentrates thereof	17	2	69	89
276.99	Crude minerals, n.e.s.	15	7	105	124
	<u>Total Division 27</u>	5,065	6,650	26,458	29,841
28	METALLIFEROUS ORES AND METAL SCRAP-				
281	Iron ore and concentrates	65	26	167	92
282	Iron and steel waste and scrap	..	..	1	..
283	Ores and concentrates of non-ferrous base metals	137	65	1,495	377
284	Non-ferrous metal waste and scrap, n.e.s.	140	113	412	587
285	Silver and platinum ores	10	10	31	61
286	Ores and concentrates of uranium and thorium	..	..	1	..
	<u>Total Division 28</u>	352	214	2,106	1,117
29	CRUDE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE MATERIALS N.E.S. -				
291	Crude animal materials, n.e.s.	317	386	1,717	1,827
292	Crude vegetable materials, n.e.s. -				
292.10	Plants and parts for dyeing and tanning	2	7	16	16
292.20	Natural gums, resins, balsam and lacs	159	115	653	705
292.30	Vegetable materials for plaiting	26	23	127	138
292.40	Plants, seeds, flowers for perfumery, pharmacy, insecticidal or fungicidal purposes	14	28	67	109

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
29	CRUDE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE MATERIALS N.E.S. - continued				
292.50	Seeds, fruit and spores for planting	270	314	837	1,020
292.61	Bulbs, tubers, corms and rhizomes	4	4	13	12
292.69	Live plants, n.e.s.	7	8	21	19
292.71	Cut flowers and buds for or- namental purposes	2	8	30	40
292.72	Foliage, branches, etc., for ornamental purposes	4	7	8	20
292.91	Saps, pectic substances, etc., derived from vegetable products	248	352	777	959
292.92	Vegetable materials for stuff- ing or padding	15	6	90	53
292.93	Vegetable materials for brushes and brooms	28	23	135	145
292.94	Hard seeds, nuts, etc., for carving	..	..	..	..
292.99	Other materials of vegetable origin, n.e.s.	13	11	50	39
	<u>Total Division 29</u>	1,111	1,291	4,543	5,102
32	COAL, COKE AND BRIQUETTES -				
321	Coal, coke and briquettes	13	61	193	239
	<u>Total Division 32</u>	13	61	193	239
33	PETROLEUM AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS -				
331	Petroleum, crude and partly refined -				
331.01	Crude petroleum	13,166	18,165	68,942	72,663
331.02	Petroleum, partly refined (including topped crudes)	4,857	2,683	18,776	15,998
332	Petroleum products -				
332.10	Motor spirit, gasoline, etc.	2,180	474	7,662	5,853
332.20	Kerosene, jet fuel, mineral turpentine, etc.	345	154	1,699	1,474
332.30	Distillate fuels	278	145	2,149	1,068
332.40	Residual fuel oils	32	1	168	424
332.51	Lubricating preparations containing at least 70% by weight of petroleum products	222	180	1,694	1,152

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
33	PETROLEUM AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS - continued				
332.52	Lubricating preparations con- taining less than 70% by weight of petroleum products	52	61	291	349
332.61	Petroleum jelly	11	10	64	73
332.62	Mineral waxes	113	174	606	838
332.91	Non-lubricating oils, n.e.s.	38	111	604	442
332.92	Pitch obtained from mineral tars	2	20	192	219
332.93	Pitch coke	..	..	..	..
332.94	Petroleum coke	..	..	991	420
332.95	Petroleum and shale oil residues	3	..	11	6
332.96	Bituminous mixtures based on asphalt, petroleum, etc.	6	6	24	35
	<u>Total Division 33</u>	21,306	22,184	103,873	101,013
34	PETROLEUM GASES AND OTHER GASEOUS HYDROCARBONS -				
341	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	4	3	5	21
	<u>Total Division 34</u>	4	3	5	21
41	ANIMAL OILS AND FATS -				
411	Animal oils and fats	195	115	652	514
	<u>Total Division 41</u>	195	115	652	514
42	FIXED VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS -				
421	Fixed vegetable oils and fats, soft -				
421.20	Soya bean oil	54	141	658	773
421.30	Cotton seed oil	8	..	17	1
421.40	Peanut oil	466	225	1,228	617
421.50	Olive oil	176	427	1,167	1,172
421.60	Sunflower seed oil	2	16	5	27
421.70	Rape, colza and mustard oils	228	134	512	344
422	Fixed vegetable oils and fats, other than soft	473	261	2,388	1,714
	<u>Total Division 42</u>	1,406	1,204	5,975	4,648

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		1966	1967	1966	1967
43	ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS, FATS AND WAXES -				
431	Animal and vegetable oils, boiled, oxidised, etc.	109	94	563	620
	<u>Total Division 43</u>	109	94	563	620
51	CHEMICAL ELEMENTS AND COMPOUNDS -				
512	Organic chemicals -				
512.11	Styrene	..	..	..	..
512.12	Other hydrocarbons	86	19	911	389
512.13	Halogenated derivatives of hydrocarbons	149	152	996	1,050
512.14	Other derivatives of hydro- carbons	24	7	86	63
512.21	Methyl alcohol (methanol)	29	2	193	222
512.22	Other acyclic alcohols and derivatives	372	78	2,030	947
512.23	Cyclic alcohols and derivatives	32	15	125	134
512.24	Ethyl alcohol, etc., undena- tured, of at least 80 degrees strength and denatured spirits	1	1	6	6
512.25	Fatty alcohols (crude)	9	23	98	120
512.26	Glycerol and glycerol lyes	2	..	16	1
512.27	Phenols and phenol-alcohols	207	57	716	774
512.28	Derivatives of phenols or phenol-alcohols	17	57	154	136
512.31	Ethers, ether-alcohols, ether- penols, etc., and derivatives	42	26	176	216
512.32	Epoxides, epoxyalcohols, etc., and derivatives	162	157	583	594
512.33	Acetals, hemiacetals and der- ivatives	2	3	4	8
512.41	Oxygen-function aldehydes	58	24	278	252
512.42	Derivatives of oxygen-function aldehydes	..	..	..	..
512.43	Ketones, quinones and deriva- tives	94	45	953	631
512.51	Monoacids and derivatives	344	187	2,223	2,305
512.52	Polyacids and derivatives	180	183	508	897
512.53	Oxygen-function acids and derivatives	130	77	626	680
512.61	Sulphuric esters, their salts and derivatives	1	..	1	..
512.62	Nitrous and nitric esters and derivatives	3	1	11	8

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
51	CHEMICAL ELEMENTS AND COMPOUNDS - continued				
512.63	Phosphoric esters, their salts and derivatives	102	57	465	426
512.64	Carbonic esters, their salts and derivatives	..	10	29	24
512.69	Other inorganic esters, their salts and derivatives	78	21	281	119
512.71	Amine-function compounds	171	166	936	1,123
512.72	Oxygen-function amino-compounds	620	165	2,750	1,854
512.73	Quaternary ammonium salts and hydroxides	25	19	98	118
512.74	Amide-function compounds	456	550	2,481	3,222
512.75	Imide- and imine-function compounds	120	29	354	314
512.76	Nitrile-function compounds	2	4	15	26
512.77	Diazo-, azo- and azoxy- compounds	20	19	114	92
512.78	Organic derivatives of hydrazine or hydroxylamine	5	1	59	37
512.79	Compounds with other nitrogen- functions	149	170	876	1,046
512.81	Organo-sulphur compounds	241	127	1,583	1,272
512.82	Organo-arsenic compounds	11	7	24	46
512.83	Organo-mercury compounds	1	..	21	31
512.84	Other organo-inorganic compounds	14	33	209	200
512.85	Heterocyclic compounds (incl. nucleic acids)	1,194	1,314	7,533	8,838
512.86	Sulphonamides	30	172	393	538
512.87	Sultones and sultams	..	2	61	8
512.91	Enzymes	9	10	49	70
512.92	Sugars, sugar ethers, esters and their salts, n.e.s.	1	4	11	9
512.99	Other organic compounds	11	2	19	12
513	Inorganic chemicals, etc. -				
513.11	Oxygen	..	..	..	..
513.12	Nitrogen	..	..	1	2
513.13	Hydrogen and rare gases	1	3	29	9
513.21	Chlorine	..	..	..	1
513.22	Other halogens	8	5	25	35
513.23	Sulphur, sublimed or precipi- tated; colloidal sulphur	1	2	15	11
513.24	Metalloids, n.e.s.	80	79	273	411
513.25	Mercury	9	26	303	339
513.26	Alkali, alkaline and rare earth metals	2	1	8	13

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		1966	1967	1966	1967
51	CHEMICAL ELEMENTS AND COMPOUNDS - continued				
513.27	Carbon black, etc.	30	51	224	263
513.28	Retort carbon	1	..	1	..
513.31	Hydrochloric and chlorosul- phonic acids	1	3	5	9
513.32	Sulphur dioxide	7	1	14	14
513.33	Sulphuric acid; oleum	..	2	3	6
513.34	Nitric acid; sulphonitric acid	..	..	1	2
513.35	Phosphorus pentoxide and phosphoric acids	7	4	18	8
513.36	Arsenic trioxide, pentoxide and acids	7	9	47	60
513.37	Boric oxide and boric acid	39	14	128	87
513.39	Other inorganic acids and oxygen compounds of non-metals or metalloids	85	44	342	329
513.41	Halogen compounds of non-metals or metalloids	2	2	13	9
513.42	Sulphides of non-metals or metalloids	10	22	40	53
513.51	Zinc oxide and peroxide	..	1	10	17
513.52	Manganese oxides	23	2	137	39
513.53	Iron oxides and hydroxides	64	46	288	350
513.54	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides	20	10	24	33
513.55	Titanium oxides	30	22	192	143
513.56	Lead oxides	..	2	4	13
513.61	Ammonia, anhydrous or in aqueous solution	196	251	569	485
513.62	Caustic soda (sodium hydroxide)	352	408	456	867
513.63	Caustic potash; peroxides of potassium or sodium	17	25	121	138
513.64	Oxides, hydroxides and peroxides of strontium, barium or magnesium	87	5	159	100
513.65	Aluminium oxide and hydroxide	517	37	1,835	690
513.66	Artificial corundum	35	24	184	247
513.67	Chromium oxides and hydroxides	5	15	46	77
513.68	Tin oxides	..	..	1	1
513.69	Other inorganic bases and metallic oxides, hydroxides and peroxides	54	91	416	850
514	Other inorganic chemicals -				
514.11	Fluorides, fluorosilicates, fluoroborates, etc.	35	31	501	809
514.12	Chlorides and oxychlorides	139	42	584	411

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		1966	1967	1966	1967
51	CHEMICAL ELEMENTS AND COMPOUNDS - continued				
514.13	Chlorites and hypochlorites	26	18	69	75
514.14	Chlorates and perchlorates	2	4	31	34
514.15	Bromides, oxybromides, bromates, etc.	6	5	45	61
514.16	Iodides, oxyiodides, iodates and periodates	1	1	20	24
514.21	Sulphides (including poly- sulphides)	55	31	195	114
514.22	Dithionites; sulphonylates	9	18	74	121
514.23	Sulphites and thiosulphates	36	12	131	103
514.24	Sulphates (including alums) and persulphates	165	113	539	693
514.25	Nitrites and nitrates	8	22	155	57
514.26	Phosphites, hypophosphites and phosphates	122	93	409	729
514.27	Arsenites and arsenates	..	..	3	1
514.28	Neutral sodium carbonate, sodium carbonate decahydrate	2	2	6	8
514.29	Other carbonates and per- carbonates	57	103	290	368
514.31	Cyanides and complex cyanides	39	15	254	294
514.32	Fulminates and cyanates	2	5	16	22
514.33	Silicates	18	10	87	70
514.34	Borates and perborates	23	21	118	177
514.35	Salts of metallic acids	42	24	308	227
514.36	Other salts and peroxy salts of inorganic acids	11	2	30	28
514.37	Colloidal precious metals, etc.	2	1	11	16
514.91	Liquid air	..	..	..	..
514.92	Hydrogen peroxide	1	1	3	7
514.93	Phosphides	23	1	48	29
514.94	Calcium carbide	151	117	1,126	511
514.95	Other carbides	47	47	282	323
514.96	Hydrides nitrides, and azides, silicides and borides	27	41	58	66
514.99	Other inorganic compounds, n.e.s.	..	..	1	1
515	Radioactive and associated materials	35	27	233	220
	<u>Total Division 51</u>	<u>7,979</u>	<u>6,012</u>	<u>40,636</u>	<u>40,166</u>

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
52	MINERAL TAR AND CRUDE CHEMICALS FROM COAL, PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS -				
521	Mineral tar and crude chemicals from coal, petroleum and natural gas	215	18	791	461
	<u>Total Division 52</u>	215	18	791	461
53	DYEING, TANNING AND COLOURING MATERIALS -				
531	Synthetic organic dyestuffs, natural indigo, etc. -				
531.01	Synthetic organic dyestuffs and natural indigo	933	681	4,806	4,838
531.02	Colour lakes	19	4	99	96
532	Dyeing and tanning extracts, synthetic tanning materials	73	100	435	424
533	Pigments, paints and varnishes, etc. -				
533.10	Colouring materials, n.e.s. (including luminophores)	155	92	738	760
533.20	Printing ink	19	7	94	91
533.31	Prepared pigments, opacifiers, enamels, glazes, lustres, etc.	40	25	263	228
533.32	Varnishes, lacquers, distempers, water pigments, paints, etc.	282	194	1,191	1,103
533.33	Artists', students' and sign- board painters' colours, etc.	59	43	245	250
533.34	Prepared driers	..	..	16	1
533.35	Glaziers' putty; grafting putty; painters' fillings, etc.	26	13	111	106
	<u>Total Division 53</u>	1,608	1,159	7,998	7,898
54	MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS -				
541	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products -				
541.10	Vitamins and provitamins	154	233	844	664
541.30	Penicillin, streptomycin and other antibiotics	399	262	1,936	2,353
541.40	Vegetable alkaloids, their salts and derivatives	192	81	768	517
541.50	Hormones	67	123	377	439

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
54	MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS - continued				
541.61	Glycosides and their derivatives	16	4	37	32
541.62	Organo-therapeutic glands, etc.	8	15	33	54
541.63	Bacterial products, sera, vaccines	152	115	605	449
541.70	Medicaments	2,103	2,065	9,067	10,307
541.91	Bandages, etc.	80	98	548	622
541.99	Other pharmaceutical goods	51	89	397	444
	<u>Total Division 54</u>	3,223	3,085	14,611	15,881
55	ESSENTIAL OILS, PERFUME MATERIALS, TOILET AND POLISHING PREPARATIONS				
551	Essential oils, perfume and flavour materials -				
551.10	Essential oils; concretes and absolutes; resinoids	201	183	802	826
551.21	Terpenic by-products	1	2	8	8
551.22	Concentrates of essential oils	..	..	..	..
551.23	Mixtures of odoriferous substances	317	147	1,309	1,204
551.24	Aqueous distillates and solutions of essential oils	..	..	1	3
553	Perfumery and cosmetics, toilet preparations	437	195	2,039	1,897
554	Soaps, cleansing and polishing preparations -				
554.10	Soap, including medicated soap	51	15	341	197
554.20	Surface active agents and preparations; washing pre- parations	412	305	1,845	1,530
554.30	Polishes, pastes, etc., for polishing and preserving leather, wood, metal, etc.	25	7	96	78
	<u>Total Division 55</u>	1,444	854	6,440	5,743
56	FERTILISERS, MANUFACTURED -				
561	Fertilisers, manufactured -				
561.10	Nitrogenous fertilisers, etc., (other than natural) n.e.s.	858	703	2,200	2,398
561.20	Basic slag	..	..	..	..
561.29	Other phosphate fertilisers, etc.	..	..	..	2

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
56	FERTILISERS, MANUFACTURED - continued				
561.30	Potassic fertilisers, etc.	377	552	1,998	1,693
561.90	Fertilisers, n.e.s.	94	127	797	1,491
	<u>Total Division 56</u>	1,329	1,382	4,995	5,584
57	EXPLOSIVES AND PYROTECHNIC PRODUCTS -				
571	Explosives and pyrotechnic products -				
571.11	Propellant powders	9		62	47
571.12	Prepared explosives	153	155	918	1,188
571.21	Mining, blasting and safety fuses	3	12	278	82
571.22	Percussion caps, detonators, etc.	15	26	530	464
571.30	Pyrotechnic articles	25	14	223	114
571.40	Hunting and sporting ammunition	82	26	415	1,196
	<u>Total Division 57</u>	288	233	2,426	3,092
58	PLASTIC MATERIALS, REGENERATED CELLULOSE AND ARTIFICIAL RESINS -				
581	Plastic materials, regenerated cellulose and artificial resins -				
581.10	Condensation, polycondensation and polyaddition products	1,976	1,371	10,700	11,397
581.20	Polymerisation and copolymeri- sation products	2,431	1,811	11,035	11,306
581.31	Vulcanised fibre	38	29	182	214
581.32	Regenerated cellulose, etc.	1,467	972	6,158	7,003
581.91	Hardened protein	8	17	72	68
581.92	Natural resins, modified and ester gums, etc.	19	19	92	81
581.99	Other artificial plastic materials, etc.	51	36	243	293
	<u>Total Division 58</u>	5,990	4,255	28,481	30,362
59	CHEMICAL MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS, N.E.S. -				
599	Chemical materials and products, n.e.s. -				
599.20	Insecticides, disinfectants, etc., put up for retail sale, or as preparations	394	323	2,471	2,442

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
59	CHEMICAL MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS, N.E.S. - continued				
599.51	Starches and inulin	51	32	153	97
599.52	Gluten and gluten flour	..	..	..	17
599.53	Casein, caseinates, etc.	4	1	52	24
599.54	Albumins, albuminates, etc.	1	..	3	5
599.55	Gelatine and gelatine derivatives, etc.	57	43	172	292
599.56	Peptones and other protein substances, etc.	9	5	29	25
599.57	Dextrins; soluble or roasted starches and starch glues	21	46	67	153
599.59	Prepared glues, n.e.s.	11	8	93	85
599.61	Tall oil	11	9	50	44
599.62	Concentrated sulphite lye	12	14	74	45
599.63	Spirits of turpentine, etc.	36	52	186	199
599.64	Rosin and resin acids, etc.	140	165	649	608
599.65	Wood tar, wood tar oils, etc.	2	2	21	16
599.66	Vegetable pitch, etc.	9	5	29	21
599.71	Artificial waxes and prepared waxes, not emulsified or containing solvents	56	48	425	313
599.72	Artificial and colloidal graphite	12	17	61	88
599.73	Animal black, including spent animal black	..	..	..	..
599.74	Prepared glazings, dressings and mordants	24	27	130	128
599.75	Anti-knock preparations, oxidation inhibitors, etc.	757	836	5,506	5,272
599.76	Prepared rubber accelerators	22	10	105	125
599.77	Prepared culture media	12	9	31	36
599.78	Preparations and charges for fire-extinguishers	12	8	50	51
599.91	Modelling pastes; "dental wax", etc.	5	3	19	34
599.92	Activated carbon and activated natural mineral products	69	31	274	836
599.93	Ferro-cerium and other pyrophoric alloys	4	4	13	31
599.94	Pickling preparations for metal surfaces, fluxes, etc.	12	9	80	60
599.95	Composite solvents and thinners for varnishes, etc.	3	33	9	46

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		1966	1967	1966	1967
59	CHEMICAL MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS, N.E.S. - continued				
599.99	Other chemical products and preparations	1,099	799	5,172	5,739
	<u>Total Division 59</u>	2,844	2,539	15,922	16,834
61	LEATHER, LEATHER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. AND DRESSED FUR SKINS -				
611	Leather	448	277	1,923	1,863
612	Manufactures of leather or artificial leather, etc., n.e.s.	84	97	476	520
613	Fur skins, tanned or dressed (incl. dyed)	21	14	112	107
	<u>Total Division 61</u>	552	387	2,511	2,490
62	RUBBER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. -				
621	Materials of rubber	601	389	2,705	2,474
629	Articles of rubber, n.e.s. -				
629.10	Rubber tyres and tubes, etc.	1,377	2,222	6,289	9,741
629.30	Hygienic and pharmaceutical articles	12	6	70	65
629.40	Transmission, conveyor belts etc.	123	112	497	845
629.98	Other articles of unhardened vulcanised rubber	382	263	1,420	1,480
629.99	Articles of hardened rubber (ebonite, vulcanite)	7	4	26	12
	<u>Total Division 62</u>	2,502	2,995	11,007	14,617
63	WOOD AND CORK MANUFACTURES (EXCL. FURNITURE) -				
631	Veneers, plywood boards, "improved" or reconstituted wood, etc.	634	766	2,675	3,159
632	Wood manufactures, n.e.s.	286	344	1,226	1,684
633	Cork manufactures	88	186	474	646
	<u>Total Division 63</u>	1,008	1,296	4,374	5,490
64	PAPER, PAPERBOARD AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF -				
641	Paper and paperboard -				
641.10	Newsprint paper	4,419	2,820	15,862	18,123
641.21	Uncoated printing and writing paper	781	679	3,806	3,871

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		1966	1967	1966	1967
64	PAPER, PAPERBOARD AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF - continued				
641.22	Printing and writing paper, coated, etc.	438	647	1,892	2,627
641.30	Kraft paper and kraft paper- board	131	103	543	911
641.40	Cigarette paper, in bulk, rolls or sheets	38	..	90	89
641.50	Paper and paperboard, machine- made simply finished, n.e.s.	695	525	3,385	2,706
641.60	Building board of wood pulp or vegetable fibre	26	15	116	99
641.70	Hand-made paper and paperboard	2	3	9	9
641.91	Parchment or greaseproof paper and paperboard, etc.	110	152	523	559
641.92	Composite paper and paperboard not surface coated, etc.	39	57	288	315
641.93	Paper and paperboard, corru- gated, etc.	123	123	438	516
641.94	Paper and paperboard, ruled, etc., but not otherwise printed	5	2	14	13
641.95	Paper and paperboard, impregnated, coated, etc., other than printing and writing paper	1,465	1,113	5,806	5,545
641.96	Filter blocks, slabs and plates, of paper pulp	4	10	15	32
641.97	Wallpaper and lincrusta; window transparencies of paper	93	70	442	391
642	Articles made of paper pulp, paper or paperboard -				
642.11	Boxes, bags and other packing containers	40	45	236	331
642.12	Box files, letter trays, storage boxes, etc.	1	5	10	11
642.20	Writing blocks, envelopes, letter cards, etc.	24	12	202	210
642.30	Registers, exercise books, note books, etc.	273	113	733	672
642.91	Cigarette paper cut to size	79	53	468	164
642.92	Carbon and other copying papers, etc., cut to size	60	39	302	358
642.93	Other paper and paperboard cut to size	316	180	1,249	974

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
64	PAPER, PAPERBOARD AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF - continued				
642.94	Bobbins, cones, spools, cops and similar supports	6	6	39	51
642.99	Other articles, including those of cellulose wadding	92	111	520	672
	<u>Total Division 64</u>	9,260	6,883	36,988	39,248
65	TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS -				
651	Textile yarn and thread -				
651.11	Silk yarn, other than of noil or waste, not for retail sale	4	..	9	5
651.12	Yarn from silk waste, not for retail sale	..	..	1	4
651.13	Yarn from noil silk, not for retail sale	..	..	1	..
651.14	Silk yarn for retail sale	1	2	9	9
651.15	Silk-worm gut and imitation catgut of silk	2	3	3	7
651.21	Yarn of carded sheep's or lambs' wool, not for retail sale	65	51	152	154
651.22	Yarn of combed sheep's or lambs' wool, not for retail sale	65	65	160	260
651.23	Yarn of fine animal hair, not for retail sale	18	32	249	220
651.24	Yarn of coarse animal hair, not for retail sale	5	..	20	4
651.25	Yarn of wool, or other animal hair, for retail sale	120	6	213	77
651.30	Cotton yarn and thread, grey (unbleached) not mercerised, not for retail sale	122	122	640	602
651.41	Cotton yarn and thread, bleached, dyed, mercerised, not for retail sale	318	229	1,399	1,281
651.42	Cotton yarn and thread, for retail sale	78	79	510	463
651.51	Flax or ramie yarn, not for retail sale	11	3	67	32
651.52	Flax or ramie yarn, for retail sale	4	1	14	14
651.53	Yarn of true hemp	..	..	..	..

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
65	TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS - continued				
651.61	Yarn of continuous synthetic fibres, not for retail sale	698	775	3,842	3,744
651.62	Monofil, strip, etc., of synthetic fibres	79	81	549	475
651.63	Yarn, of continuous synthetic fibres, for retail sale	8	38	26	81
651.64	Yarn, of discontinuous (or waste) synthetic fibres, not for retail sale	421	528	2,513	3,356
651.65	Yarn, of discontinuous (or waste) synthetic fibres, for retail sale	2	11	20	35
651.71	Yarn, of continuous regen- erated fibres, not for retail sale	263	263	1,745	2,040
651.72	Monofil, strip, etc., of regenerated fibres	33	4	111	85
651.73	Yarn of continuous regen- erated fibres, for retail sale	..	2	22	5
651.74	Yarn, of discontinuous (or waste) regenerated fibres, not for retail sale	265	131	1,126	1,044
651.75	Yarn, of discontinuous (or waste) regenerated fibres, for retail sale	8	1	12	2
651.80	Yarn, of fibre glass	65	18	191	185
651.91	Metallised yarn	3	1	21	20
651.92	Yarn, of jute	..	7	.	27
651.93	Yarn, of other vegetable textile fibre	3	9	40	62
651.94	Paper yarn	2	..	7	1
652	Woven cotton fabrics (excl. narrow and special fabrics) -				
652.11	Cotton gauze, unbleached, not mercerised	3	5	8	23
652.12	Terry fabrics of cotton, un- bleached, not mercerised	..	..	..	1
652.13	Other woven cotton fabrics, unbleached, not mercerised	444	512	2,420	3,101
652.21	Cotton gauze, bleached, dyed, etc.	19	2	163	118
652.22	Terry fabrics of cotton, dyed, etc.	2	32	10	160

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
65	TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS - continued				
652.23	Pile and chenille fabrics of cotton	382	307	1,207	904
652.29	Other woven cotton fabrics	4,721	4,620	25,967	29,058
653	Textile fabrics (excl. narrow and special fabrics) other than cotton fabrics -				
653.11	Woven fabrics of silk, other than noil	191	188	1,165	1,670
653.12	Woven fabrics of noil silk	7	4	53	31
653.13	Pile and chenille fabrics of silk	..	..	1	1
653.21	Woven fabrics of wool or of fine animal hair	522	388	1,812	1,961
653.22	Pile and chenille fabrics of wool or of fine animal hair	5	1	11	13
653.31	Woven fabrics of flax or ramie	97	63	656	680
653.32	Woven fabrics of true hemp	..	..	..	..
653.40	Woven fabrics of jute	1,618	901	4,854	5,280
653.51	Woven fabrics of continuous synthetic fibres	371	562	2,594	3,347
653.52	Woven fabrics of discontinuous synthetic fibres	320	345	1,530	2,154
653.53	Pile and chenille fabrics of synthetic fibres	45	78	192	316
653.61	Woven fabrics of continuous regenerated fibres	275	310	1,719	1,883
653.62	Woven fabrics of discontinuous regenerated fibres	457	515	2,144	2,705
653.63	Pile and chenille fabrics of regenerated fibres	33	49	79	117
653.70	Knitted or crocheted fabrics, not elastic nor rubberised	520	484	2,630	3,680
653.80	Textile fabrics of glass fibre	108	78	549	379
653.91	Woven fabrics of metal thread, etc.	..	..	3	2
653.92	Woven fabrics of coarse animal hair	24	4	27	9
653.93	Woven fabrics of horsehair	..	..	3	2
653.94	Woven fabrics of other vegetable textile fibres	9	5	22	21
653.95	Woven fabrics of paper yarn	1	3	10	14
653.96	Pile or chenille fabrics, n.e.s.	18	10	44	35

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
65	TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS - continued				
654	Tulle, lace, etc., and other small wares -				
654.01	Narrow woven fabrics (incl. bolduc)	154	115	659	673
654.02	Woven labels, badges, etc., not embroidered	15	24	80	112
654.03	Chenille yarn, gimped yarn, braids, etc.	77	103	425	576
654.04	Tulle and other net fabrics, plain	35	28	214	238
654.05	Other tulle and net fabrics, figured, lace	191	156	1,204	932
654.06	Embroidery	446	352	2,449	2,310
655	Special textile fabrics and related products -				
655.10	Felt and articles of felt	8	14	31	56
655.41	Fabrics and articles of bonded fibre	85	69	274	594
655.42	Textile fabrics coated with gum, etc.	44	13	238	206
655.43	Textile fabrics impregnated or coated with artificial plastic materials	337	344	1,296	1,659
655.44	Textile fabrics coated or impregnated with oil	12	7	61	54
655.45	Rubberised textile fabrics, other than knitted or crocheted fabrics	90	83	365	482
655.46	Other impregnated or coated textile fabrics, etc.	63	34	221	324
655.50	Elastic fabrics and trimmings excluding knitted or crocheted	131	70	544	436
655.61	Cordage, cable, rope, twine	68	56	400	300
655.62	Nets and netting made of twine, cordage, etc.	32	54	414	495
655.63	Other articles of cordage, rope, etc.	10	16	64	96
655.71	Hat bodies, etc., of felt	8	4	13	6
655.72	Other hat bodies	18	12	143	157
655.81	Wadding and articles of wadding, etc.	33	65	218	247
655.82	Wicks, textile materials, gas- mantle fabrics, etc.	8	1	22	35

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
65	TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS - continued				
655.83	Textile fabrics and articles used in machinery or plant	225	153	1,220	1,124
655.91	Textile hosepiping and similar tubing	43	19	226	232
655.92	Transmission or conveyor belts, etc., of textile material	46	34	139	375
656	Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials, n.e.i. -				
656.10	Sacks and bags for the packing of goods	2,133	888	10,055	8,253
656.20	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings, tents, etc.	39	108	159	217
656.61	Blankets and travelling rugs of wool	14	4	54	40
656.62	Blankets and travelling rugs of cotton	49	58	254	251
656.69	Blankets and travelling rugs of other fibres	22	35	104	166
656.91	Linens, curtains and other textile furnishing articles	724	887	4,022	5,309
656.92	Other made-up textile articles, n.e.s.	190	49	440	321
657	Floor coverings, tapestries, etc. -				
657.41	Floor coverings, on a base of paper or paperboard	250	221	1,211	1,307
657.42	Linoleum, etc., on a textile base	219	106	745	807
657.50	Carpets, carpeting and rugs (knotted)	65	9	213	140
657.60	Other carpets, carpeting, rugs	1,584	1,400	6,378	7,316
657.70	Tapestries except antique	..	..	14	56
657.80	Matting, etc., of plaiting material, straw envelopes for bottles	52	47	214	222
	<u>Total Division 65</u>	20,373	17,566	98,326	108,083
66	NON-METALLIC MINERAL MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. -				
661	Lime, cement and fabricated building materials	157	121	727	639

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
66	NON-METALLIC MINERAL MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. - continued				
662	Clay and refractory construction materials -				
662.31	Heat-insulating bricks, etc., of infusorial or siliceous earths, or kieselguhr	3	..	29	4
662.32	Other refractory bricks, blocks tiles, etc.	87	163	708	632
662.33	Refractory cements or mortars	6	1	17	21
662.41	Non-refractory ceramic building bricks	2	6	39	74
662.42	Non-refractory ceramic roofing tiles, cowl, etc.	..	..	4	2
662.43	Non-refractory ceramic piping, conduits, guttering	..	..	2	..
662.44	Unglazed non-refractory ceramic setts, flags and tiles	175	108	863	544
662.45	Glazed non-refractory ceramic setts, flags and tiles	232	224	982	976
663	Non-metallic mineral manufac- tures, n.e.s.	685	631	3,186	3,443
664	Glass -				
664.11	Glass in the mass, waste glass	..	..	..	..
664.12	Enamel glass in the mass, rods or tubes	..	..	..	1
664.13	Glass, unworked, in balls, rods or tubes	91	86	296	310
664.20	Optical glass, etc.	11	23	71	74
664.30	Drawn or blown glass, unworked, in rectangles	158	159	740	847
664.40	Cast, rolled, drawn or blown glass in rectangles, surface ground or polished	456	367	2,958	2,620
664.50	Cast or rolled glass, unworked in rectangles	58	44	267	215
664.60	Bricks, tiles, etc., of pressed or moulded glass	2	1	24	7
664.70	Safety glass	114	61	400	400
664.80	Glass mirrors, unframed, framed or backed	35	43	219	235
664.91	Cast, rolled, drawn or blown glass cut to shape other than rectangular, bent, etc.	23	53	143	126
664.92	Glass envelopes for electric lamps, etc.	164	158	1,251	742

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
66	NON-METALLIC MINERAL MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. - continued				
664.93	Clock and watch glasses, etc.	5	6	55	47
664.94	Glass fibre and articles made therefrom, n.e.s.	87	57	359	274
665	Glassware -				
665.11	Glass containers and closures	175	121	837	639
665.12	Glass inners for vacuum vessels	36	18	175	121
665.20	Glassware for table, kitchen, etc., use	538	542	2,555	3,023
665.81	Laboratory, hygienic and phar- maceutical glassware	159	94	669	567
665.82	Decorative glass smallwares and ornaments, n.e.s.	38	32	204	171
665.89	Other articles of glass, n.e.s.	9	5	106	132
666	Pottery -				
666.40	Tableware, etc., of porcelain and china	379	332	1,735	1,875
666.50	Tableware, etc., of other kinds of pottery	350	254	1,593	1,772
666.60	Ornaments, furnishing goods of porcelain, china, etc., n.e.s.	81	76	383	462
667	Pearls and precious and semi- precious stones -				
667.10	Pearls not mounted, set or strung	52	52	282	244
667.20	Diamonds (excl. industrial), not mounted, etc.	287	237	1,638	1,702
667.30	Other precious and semi- precious stones, not mounted, etc.	57	63	253	447
667.40	Synthetic precious or semi- precious stones, not mounted, etc.	13	19	72	66
	<u>Total Division 66</u>	<u>4,724</u>	<u>4,159</u>	<u>23,843</u>	<u>23,456</u>
67	IRON AND STEEL -				
671	Pig iron, spiegeleisen, sponge iron, etc. -				
671.10	Spiegeleisen	..	..	..	..
671.20	Pig iron and cast iron	..	..	..	..
671.31	Shot, angular grit and wire pellets of iron or steel	31	20	142	100
671.32	Iron or steel powders	89	68	232	238
671.33	Sponge iron or steel	..	..	..	..
671.40	Ferro-manganese	34	126	452	594

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
67	IRON AND STEEL - continued				
671.50	Other ferro-alloys	513	378	1,690	2,332
672	Ingot and other primary forms of iron or steel	1	277	121	982
673	Iron and steel bars, rods, etc. -				
673.11	Wire rod of other than high carbon or alloy steel	1	47	92	197
673.12	Wire rod of high carbon steel	..	..	..	..
673.13	Wire rod of alloy steel	41	52	155	582
673.21	Bars and rods, hollow mining drill steel, of other than high carbon or alloy steel	115	70	613	465
673.22	Bars and rods, hollow mining drill steel, of high carbon steel	94	29	252	345
673.23	Bars and rods, hollow mining drill steel, of alloy steel	308	292	1,936	1,958
	Angles, shapes and sections (excl. rails) 3.1496 inches or more and sheet piling -				
673.41	- of other than high carbon or alloy steel	163	77	651	738
673.42	- of high carbon steel	..	11	19	19
673.43	- of alloy steel	6	14	29	40
	Angles, shapes and sections (excl. rails) less than 3.1496 inches -				
673.51	- of other than high carbon or alloy steel	33	10	87	116
673.52	- of high carbon steel	..	..	..	1
673.53	- of alloy steel	6	4	16	13
674	Universal plates and sheets of iron or steel -				
	Greater than 0.187 inches thick -				
674.11	- plates and sheets of other than high carbon or alloy steel excl. tinmed	33	59	280	323
674.12	- plates, sheets and universals of high carbon steel	..	..	13	3
674.13	- plates, sheets and universals of alloy steel	120	155	508	677

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
67	IRON AND STEEL - continued				
674.14	Universals of other than high carbon or alloy steel	..	16	2	40
	Plates and sheets 0.118 inches to 0.187 inches thick -				
674.21	- of other than high carbon or alloy steel excl. tinned	13	23	93	176
674.22	- of high carbon steel	1	..	3	..
674.23	- of alloy steel	49	42	187	414
	Uncoated plates and sheets less than 0.118 inches thick -				
674.31	- of other than high carbon or alloy steel	519	988	2,061	3,818
674.32	- of high carbon steel	20	..	28	9
674.33	- of alloy steel	364	638	1,571	2,319
674.70	Tinned plates and sheets other than of high carbon or alloy steel	46	488	215	732
	Other coated plates and sheets less than 0.118 inches thick -				
674.81	- of other than high carbon or alloy steel	124	77	459	1,040
674.82	- of high carbon steel	..	..	..	274
674.83	- of alloy steel	216	128	1,260	980
675	Hoop and strip of iron or steel -				
675.01	Hoop and strip, other than of high carbon or alloy steel	325	386	1,826	1,746
675.02	Hoop and strip of high carbon steel	53	85	136	466
675.03	Hoop and strip of alloy steel	310	225	1,868	1,898
676	Railway and tramway track construction material	..	..	38	1,343
677	Iron and steel wire (excl. wire rod)	306	334	1,416	1,479
678	Tubes, pipes and fittings of iron or steel -				
678.10	Tubes and pipes of cast iron	1	2	10	10
678.20	Seamless tubes and pipes (excl. high pressure hydro-electric conduit), other than of cast iron	961	782	3,730	6,288
678.30	Welded, clinched, riveted, etc., tubes and pipes (excluding high pressure hydro-electric conduit), other than cast iron	765	947	1,808	2,625

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
67	IRON AND STEEL - continued				
678.40	High pressure hydro-electric conduits of steel, whether or not reinforced	..	..	..	1
678.50	Tube and pipe fittings	300	165	1,121	888
679	Iron and steel castings and forgings, unworked, n.e.s.	37	62	64	104
	<u>Total Division 67</u>	5,998	7,078	25,185	36,373
68	NON-FERROUS METALS -				
681	Silver and alloys and platinum and platinum group metals	70	87	347	375
682	Copper and copper-base alloys -				
682.11	Unrefined copper (including blister copper)	..	..	..	..
682.12	Refined copper, etc., unworked	22	2	40	43
682.13	Master alloys, n.e.s., of copper	..	1	5	5
682.21	Bars, rods, etc., and wire of solid section	56	105	268	267
682.22	Plates, sheets and strip	7	6	148	176
682.23	Foil of a thickness not exceed- ing 0.15 mm	37	24	150	234
682.24	Powders and flakes	63	48	296	317
682.25	Pipes, tubes, hollow bars, etc.	45	56	141	426
682.26	Tube and pipe fittings	15	12	65	58
683	Nickel and alloys, n.e.s. -				
683.10	Unworked nickel and nickel-base alloys	130	216	721	1,199
683.21	Bars, rods, angles, shapes and sections; wire of solid section	66	91	287	395
683.22	Plates, sheets, strip, foil, powders and flakes	59	999	426	1,373
683.23	Tubes and pipes, hollow bars, tube and pipe fittings	11	10	63	67
683.24	Electroplating anodes of nickel	38	13	154	366
684	Aluminium and aluminium-base alloys -				
684.10	Unworked aluminium and aluminium-base alloys	49	12	201	102
684.21	Bars, rods, etc., and wire of solid section	83	55	454	219
684.22	Plates, sheets and strip	154	55	413	285
684.23	Foil of a thickness not exceeding 0.20 mm	180	140	869	793

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
68	NON-FERROUS METALS - continued				
684.24	Powders and flakes	6	21	67	117
684.25	Tubes, hollow bars, etc.	3	1	22	16
684.26	Tube and pipe fittings	2	3	21	13
685	Lead and lead-base alloys	4	4	16	15
686	Zinc and zinc-base alloys	13	3	52	29
687	Tin and tin-base alloys	14	31	162	194
688	Uranium and thorium and their alloys	..	..	2	..
689	Miscellaneous non-ferrous base metals and their alloys	186	105	927	841
	<u>Total Division 68</u>	1,315	2,102	6,317	7,924
69	MANUFACTURES OF METAL, N.E.S. -				
691	Finished structural parts and structures, n.e.i.	51	61	974	415
692	Metal containers for storage and transport	454	124	1,312	605
693	Wire products (excl. insulated electric cable) and fencing grills	258	314	1,375	1,689
694	Nails, screws, nuts, etc., of iron, steel or copper	447	435	2,061	2,522
695	Tools for use in the hand or machines -				
695.10	Hand tools used in agriculture or forestry	96	76	416	490
695.21	Hand saws and saw blades	197	125	842	840
695.22	Pliers, spanners, files, etc.	341	266	1,382	1,648
695.23	Hand tools, etc., n.e.s.	447	247	1,625	1,554
695.24	Interchangeable tools for hand, or machine tools	684	588	3,237	3,154
695.25	Knives and cutting blades for machines	82	94	550	605
695.26	Tool-tips, etc., unmounted, of sintered metal carbides	48	64	219	212
696	Cutlery	699	737	2,912	4,235
697	Household equipment of base metals -				
697.11	Non-electric domestic cooking and heating appliances of iron or steel	78	60	338	379
697.12	Non-electric domestic cooking and heating apparatus of copper or copper alloy	4	2	16	20

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
69	MANUFACTURES OF METAL, N.E.S. - continued				
697.21	Non-electric domestic kitchen utensils, etc., of iron or steel, n.e.s.	256	200	1,003	1,295
697.22	Non-electric domestic kitchen utensils of copper or copper alloy, n.e.s.	44	34	167	216
697.23	Non-electric domestic articles, etc., of aluminium	121	53	472	423
697.91	Iron or steel wool, pot scourers, etc., of iron or steel	9	3	12	23
697.92	Indoor ornaments of base metals, n.e.s.	8	16	51	89
697.93	Picture frames and mirrors of base metal	11	6	33	28
698	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s. -				
698.11	Locks and padlocks	153	103	700	746
698.12	Base metal fittings and mountings for furniture, doors, etc.	172	182	892	1,012
698.20	Safes, strong-rooms, etc., and fittings of base metals	3	11	15	27
698.30	Chain and parts, of iron or steel	175	350	1,143	1,548
698.40	Anchors, grapnels and parts of iron or steel	7	70	64	116
698.51	Needles, sewing, knitting, carpet, etc. of iron or steel	31	18	84	83
698.52	Pins, hair pins, etc., of iron or steel	26	15	137	164
698.53	Clasps, buckles, etc., of iron or steel	191	139	962	811
698.61	Springs and leaves for springs, of iron or steel	86	132	384	498
698.62	Springs and leaves for springs, of copper	..	1	2	2
698.81	Chains and parts, of copper	8	4	28	21
698.82	Flexible tubing and piping of base metal	32	17	178	295
698.83	Beads and spangles, of base metal	..	..	1	..
698.84	Bells and gongs (non-electric), of base metal	6	7	28	33
698.85	Stoppers, crown corks, bottle caps, etc. of base metal	33	32	190	128

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
69	MANUFACTURES OF METAL, N.E.S. - continued				
698.86	Sign plates, name-plates, numbers, etc., of base metal	13	11	36	46
698.87	Wire, rods, tubes, etc., for soldering, welding, metal spraying, etc.	101	152	360	497
698.91	Articles of iron or steel, n.e.s.	457	291	2,439	2,757
698.92	Articles of copper, n.e.s.	86	34	409	339
698.93	Articles of nickel, n.e.s.	18	8	102	62
698.94	Articles of aluminium, n.e.s.	79	148	385	558
698.95	Articles of magnesium, n.e.s.	13	1	34	5
698.96	Articles of lead, n.e.s.	3	1	9	8
698.97	Articles of zinc, n.e.s.	1	..	6	4
698.98	Articles of tin, n.e.s.	6	5	26	29
	<u>Total Division 69</u>	6,035	5,237	27,610	30,230
71	MACHINERY, OTHER THAN ELECTRIC -				
711	Power generating machinery, not electric -				
711.10	Steam and other vapour generating boilers	256	81	1,374	734
711.20	Auxiliary plant for vapour generating boilers	332	61	1,098	747
711.31	Steam engines with self- contained boilers	..	..	4	..
711.32	Steam and other vapour power units, not incorporating boilers	598	836	5,767	9,554
711.41	Internal combustion piston engines for aircraft	678	280	1,642	2,564
711.42	Other engines for aircraft	5,040	2,097	13,835	11,568
711.50	Internal combustion piston engines other than for aircraft	3,209	4,362	24,197	29,171
711.60	Gas turbines, other than for aircraft	5	4	10	562
711.70	Nuclear reactors	..	..	..	10
711.81	Water turbines and other water engines	223	87	523	662
711.89	Other engines and motors	90	59	413	1,363
712	Agricultural machinery, implements and parts -				
712.10	Machinery for soil preparation or cultivation, etc., and parts	74	118	429	537

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
71	MACHINERY, OTHER THAN ELECTRIC - continued				
712.20	Harvesting and threshing machinery, etc.	378	479	3,916	9,595
712.31	Cream separators and milk clarifiers	40	19	143	256
712.39	Other dairy machinery	74	25	338	351
712.50	Tractors, other than road tractors for tractor-trailer combinations	4,635	4,734	19,882	28,406
712.91	Presses, for wine making, etc.	2	..	53	33
712.99	Other agricultural machinery	12	5	68	68
714	Office machines -				
714.10	Typewriters and cheque-writing machines	650	644	2,593	3,236
714.20	Calculating machines, accounting machines, etc.	2,834	1,065	17,158	6,793
714.30	Statistical punched card machines, etc.	507	411	4,519	4,279
714.91	Other office machines, n.e.s.	224	270	907	1,126
714.92	Parts and accessories for office machines, n.e.s.	691	523	3,060	2,723
715	Metalworking machinery -				
715.10	Machine tools for working metal or metallic carbides	1,941	2,175	13,199	14,540
715.21	Converters, ladles, ingot moulds, etc.	8	75	144	447
715.22	Rolling mills and rolls therefor	330	347	2,967	2,543
715.23	Gas operated welding, brazing, etc., appliances	13	28	152	134
717	Textile and leather machinery -				
717.11	Machines for extruding, spinning, etc., textiles	182	650	1,741	2,408
717.12	Weaving, knitting, etc., machines	487	253	2,089	2,462
717.13	Auxiliary machinery, and parts and accessories, for weaving, knitting, etc., machines	434	422	1,961	1,917
717.14	Machinery for manufacture or finishing of felt	4	2	14	41
717.15	Textile bleaching, washing, printing, etc. machinery (excl. domestic washing machines)	246	447	1,156	1,441

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
71	MACHINERY, OTHER THAN ELECTRIC - continued				
717.20	Machinery (other than sewing machines) for preparing, tanning or working hides, skins or leather	99	75	486	442
717.30	Sewing machines	753	811	3,291	3,633
718	Machines for special industries -				
718.11	Machinery for making or finishing cellulosic pulp, paper or paperboard	390	134	2,644	4,354
718.12	Paper cutting machines and other machinery for the manufacture of articles of paper, etc.	294	344	1,593	1,713
718.21	Book-sewing and book-binding machinery	25	29	277	228
718.22	Machinery for type-founding or setting, etc.	409	600	1,634	1,929
718.29	Other printing machinery, n.e.s.	1,420	429	4,429	3,629
718.31	Machinery for milling grain, etc.	22	53	120	133
718.39	Other food-processing machines (excl. domestic)	499	321	1,801	1,866
718.41	Road rollers, mechanically propelled	42	3	138	54
718.42	Excavating, levelling, boring machinery, etc.	3,551	4,478	17,126	17,886
718.51	Mineral crushing, sorting, etc., machinery	695	414	1,814	3,189
718.52	Glass-working machines	20	9	654	131
719	Machinery and appliances, non- electrical and parts, n.e.s. -				
719.11	Gas generators	..	..	90	26
719.12	Air conditioning machines	45	121	247	346
719.13	Furnace burners, mechanical stokers, etc.	64	44	365	229
719.14	Industrial etc., furnaces and ovens	360	15	907	1,454
719.15	Refrigerators and equipment, other than domestic	61	46	615	287
719.19	Machinery, plant, etc., for treating materials with heat or cold (non-domestic)	360	244	2,872	2,083
719.21	Pumps for liquids	944	673	3,847	4,955

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
71	MACHINERY, OTHER THAN ELECTRIC - continued				
719.22	Air pumps, vacuum pumps and air or gas compressors	1,119	1,258	5,684	5,029
719.23	Centrifuges (excl. cream separators), filtering and purifying machinery, etc., for liquids or gases	367	375	2,219	2,093
719.31	Lifting, loading, etc., machinery	1,160	824	5,148	4,687
719.32	Work trucks, mechanically propelled used in factories, warehouses, etc.	326	633	1,596	2,942
719.41	Domestic food or drink preparing appliances, under 10 kg weight	142	280	334	481
719.42	Domestic refrigerators	127	58	296	489
719.43	Domestic water heaters	34	43	177	205
719.51	Machine-tools for working minerals	5	12	48	111
719.52	Machine-tools for working wood, plastic, etc.	226	182	934	817
719.53	Hand-tools, pneumatic or motorised	515	465	2,187	2,321
719.54	Machine-tool parts and accessories	463	250	2,706	2,086
719.61	Calendering and similar rolling machines, n.e.s., etc.	23	10	242	78
719.62	Machinery for cleaning, filling, bottles, cans, etc.	1,037	468	3,595	3,787
719.63	Weighing machinery, weighing machine weights	199	73	1,187	787
719.64	Spraying machinery	211	297	1,075	1,189
719.65	Automatic vending machines	21	15	79	90
719.66	Railway and tramway track fixtures and fittings, etc.	..	67	44	80
719.70	Ball, roller or needle-roller bearings	1,201	1,346	5,480	7,153
719.80	Machinery and mechanical appliances, n.e.s.	1,984	1,664	8,459	7,874
719.91	Moulding boxes for metal foundry and moulds other than ingot moulds	124	72	450	488
719.92	Taps, cocks, valves and similar appliances, etc.	1,031	704	4,951	4,236

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
71	MACHINERY, OTHER THAN ELECTRIC - continued				
719.93	Transmission shafts, bearing housings, etc.	982	1,073	4,554	6,264
719.94	Gaskets and similar joints of metal sheeting combined with other material, etc.	145	188	670	956
719.99	Machinery parts, n.e.s.	501	209	2,418	1,530
	<u>Total Division 71</u>	46,195	39,967	224,833	244,612
72	ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES -				
722	Electric power machinery and switchgear -				
722.10	Generators, motors, etc.	2,971	2,862	14,615	15,008
722.20	Apparatus for making, breaking or protecting electrical circuits, switchboards, etc.	2,217	1,836	12,035	11,291
723	Equipment for distributing electricity -				
723.10	Insulated electric wire, cable, etc.	597	413	2,367	2,397
723.21	Electrical insulators of any material	140	155	994	744
723.22	Insulating fittings, for electrical equipment, etc.	65	47	167	192
723.23	Electrical conduit tubing and joints therefor of base metal, lined with insulating material	..	..	3	4
724	Telecommunications apparatus -				
724.10	Television broadcast receivers	71	44	194	270
724.20	Radio broadcast receivers	229	862	1,051	2,323
724.91	Electrical line telephone and telegraph equipment	1,051	1,825	6,180	6,276
724.92	Microphones, loudspeakers, and electric amplifiers	187	208	908	923
724.99	Other telecommunications equipment	1,104	2,075	7,590	10,957
725	Domestic electrical equipment -				
725.01	Refrigerators	284	556	968	1,366
725.02	Washing machines	172	56	546	268
725.03	Electro-mechanical appliances, n.e.s.	523	419	1,547	1,687
725.04	Shavers and hair clippers	41	8	415	394
725.05	Space heating apparatus, etc.	149	151	662	728

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
72	ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES - continued				
726	Electrical apparatus for medical purposes, etc.	333	161	1,088	1,092
729	Other electrical machinery and apparatus -				
729.11	Primary cells and batteries	186	154	979	682
729.12	Accumulators (storage batteries)	90	171	460	365
729.20	Lamps	529	570	2,536	3,037
729.30	Thermionic, etc., valves and tubes, photo cells, trans- istors, etc.	784	771	4,068	4,619
729.41	Starting and ignition equipment for internal combustion engines	299	234	1,382	1,364
729.42	Lighting etc., equipment for vehicles	222	234	972	1,307
729.51	Electricity supply meters	39	17	131	218
729.52	Measuring and controlling instruments and apparatus, etc.	1,912	1,414	8,603	9,847
729.60	Hand tools with self-contained electric motor	258	259	820	1,246
729.70	Electron and proton accelerators	..	..	..	2
729.91	Electro-magnets, permanent magnets and electro-magnetic appliances	57	51	238	232
729.92	Furnaces, electric welding and cutting apparatus, etc.	331	193	1,714	862
729.93	Traffic control equipment	4	113	80	174
729.94	Sound or visual signalling apparatus, n.e.s.	64	32	263	264
729.95	Condensers (capacitors)	153	236	761	1,170
729.96	Carbons	176	101	715	786
729.98	Parts of machinery and appliances, n.e.s.	201	57	890	291
729.99	Goods and apparatus, n.e.s.	241	443	1,150	2,117
	<u>Total Division 72</u>	15,680	16,726	77,490	84,504
73	TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT -				
731	Railway and tramway vehicles	197	197	1,182	1,305
732	Road motor vehicles -				
732.10	Passenger motor cars (other than buses or special vehicles)	4,519	4,870	25,102	34,078

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
73	TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT - continued				
732.20	Public service type passenger vehicles	95	19	329	657
732.30	Lorries and trucks (including ambulances, etc.)	4,340	2,484	16,699	20,478
732.40	Special purpose motor lorries, trucks and vans	44	150	1,398	832
732.50	Road tractors for tractor-trailer combinations	16	260	707	923
732.60	Chassis fitted with engines for passenger motor cars	..	83	356	406
732.70	Chassis fitted with engines for other motor vehicles	1,213	1,051	4,792	5,712
732.81	Bodies (including cabs), for motor vehicles	129	111	710	586
732.89	Parts and accessories, n.e.i., for motor vehicles	5,641	6,154	32,402	37,439
732.91	Motor cycles, auto-cycles, etc., side-cars	254	423	974	1,799
732.92	Parts and accessories n.e.i. solely for use of motor cycles, auto-cycles, etc.	10	28	81	116
733	Road vehicles other than motor vehicles	267	540	1,291	1,864
734	Aircraft and parts n.e.s. -				
734.10	Aeroplanes, helicopters, etc.	565	14,314	23,882	35,231
734.91	Airships and balloons	3	3	87	38
734.92	Parts, aircraft, n.e.s.	4,492	4,643	22,602	21,281
735	Ships, boats and floating structures	664	13,740	36,850	30,694
	<u>Total Division 73</u>	22,450	49,070	169,442	193,439
81	SANITARY, PLUMBING, HEATING AND LIGHTING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS -				
812	Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings	365	262	1,527	1,551
	<u>Total Division 81</u>	365	262	1,527	1,551
82	FURNITURE -				
821	Furniture	301	348	1,302	1,675
	<u>Total Division 82</u>	301	348	1,302	1,675

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
83	TRAVEL GOODS, HANDBAGS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES -				
831	Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	422	486	2,091	2,592
	<u>Total Division 83</u>	422	486	2,091	2,592
84	CLOTHING, ACCESSORIES AND ARTICLES OF KNITTED OR CROCHETED FABRIC -				
841	Clothing and accessories, (excluding of fur), etc. -				
841.11	Men's and boys' outer garments of textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted	102	77	401	813
841.12	Women's, girls' and infants' outer garments of textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted	104	101	524	771
841.13	Men's and boys' undergarments of textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted	39	199	251	539
841.14	Women's, girls' and infants' undergarments of textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted	5	24	175	239
841.21	Handkerchiefs of textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted	58	38	530	426
841.22	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, veils, etc., textile fabrics, not knitted or crocheted	44	47	162	256
841.23	Ties, cravats, etc., of textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted	9	9	63	65
841.24	Collars, jabots, cuffs, etc., for women's and girls' garments of textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted	6	8	36	42
841.25	Corsets, suspender-belts, brassieres, etc.	49	89	229	474
841.26	Gloves, stockings, socks, etc., not knitted or crocheted	31	35	249	225
841.29	Made up clothing accessories of textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted, n.e.s.	12	32	68	134
841.30	Apparel and clothing accessories of leather	57	67	307	427

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
84	CLOTHING, ACCESSORIES AND ARTICLES OF KNITTED OR CROCHETED FABRIC - continued				
841.41	Gloves, etc., knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberised	51	40	362	408
841.42	Stockings, etc., knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberised	31	29	172	285
841.43	Undergarments, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberised	73	75	567	697
841.44	Outer garments and other articles, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberised	365	707	1,506	2,929
841.45	Knitted or crocheted fabric and articles thereof, elastic or rubberised	27	39	210	221
841.51	Felt headwear made from felt hoods and plateaux	3	6	23	26
841.52	Headwear, plaited, etc.	8	14	129	107
841.53	Headwear, knitted or crocheted, or of textile fabric in the piece	54	29	240	287
841.54	Head-bands, linings, covers, etc., for headwear	2	4	22	24
841.59	Other headwear	30	47	241	327
841.60	Apparel and clothing accessories of rubber	20	26	67	129
842	Fur clothing (excl. headgear), etc.	3	9	17	30
	<u>Total Division 84</u>	1,184	1,753	6,551	9,881
85	FOOTWEAR, GAITERS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES -				
851	Footwear, gaiters and similar articles	384	554	3,603	4,923
	<u>Total Division 85</u>	384	554	3,603	4,923

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
86	PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CONTROLLING INSTRUMENTS; PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS, WATCHES AND CLOCKS -				
861	Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instruments and apparatus -				
861.11	Optical elements, unmounted	83	99	498	577
861.12	Optical elements, mounted	101	84	402	484
861.21	Frames and mountings for spectacles, etc.		84	477	344
861.22	Spectacles, pince-nez, etc.	54	75	499	610
861.31	Refracting telescopes (monocular and binocular)	45	61	220	274
861.32	Astronomical instruments, etc.	5	5	32	48
861.33	Microscopes and diffraction apparatus, electron and proton	8	9	63	78
861.34	Compound optical microscopes	79	97	406	496
861.39	Optical appliances and instruments, n.e.s.	48	42	214	208
861.40	Photographic cameras (other than cinematographic) and flashlight apparatus	479	640	1,961	2,442
861.50	Cinematographic cameras, projectors, sound recorders and sound reproducers	246	312	778	1,420
861.61	Image projectors, photo- graphic enlargers, etc. (except cinematographic)	69	134	345	548
861.69	Photographic equipment, n.e.s.	932	737	4,017	3,864
861.71	Medical instruments and appliances, etc., (excl. electro-medical)	297	342	1,567	1,809
861.72	Mechano-therapy appliances	54	22	242	232
861.81	Gas or liquid supply meters, etc.	24	92	239	293
861.82	Revolution counters, production counters, etc.	64	59	338	433
861.91	Surveying instruments, etc.	205	110	1,116	961
861.92	Balances of a sensitivity of five centigrams or better	31	8	138	120
861.93	Drawing, marking-out and mathematical calculating instruments, etc.	389	309	1,667	1,985

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AND SELECTED S.I.T.C. ITEMS OF THE AUSTRALIAN
IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION - continued
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
86	PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CONTROLLING INSTRUMENTS; PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS, WATCHES AND CLOCKS - continued				
861.94	Instruments, apparatus or models, for demonstrational purposes	64	31	314	303
861.95	Machines and appliances for testing the physical properties of industrial materials	99	64	527	439
861.96	Hydrometer, thermometers, etc.	90	82	494	508
861.97	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or controlling the flow, depth, pressure, etc. of liquids or gases	380	322	1,833	1,663
861.98	Instruments other than mechanical, for physical or chemical analysis, etc.	124	166	700	923
861.99	Parts and accessories for articles falling within headings 729.51 and 729.52; 861.81 and 861.82; 861.96 and 861.97	897	447	4,627	3,405
862	Photographic and cinematographic supplies -				
862.30	Chemical products and flash- light materials of a kind used in photography, put up in measured portions or for retail sale	81	53	438	701
862.41	Photographic plates and film in the flat (other than of paper, paperboard or cloth) sensitised, unexposed	331	207	1,135	1,219
862.42	Film in rolls, sensitised, unexposed	596	641	2,389	2,721
862.43	Sensitised paper, paperboard, and cloth, not developed	151	186	878	937
862.44	Sensitised plates and film, exposed but not developed	1	2	11	10
862.45	Plates, films, other than cinematographic, exposed and developed	23	34	128	133
863	Cinematographic film, exposed and developed	393	266	1,857	1,772

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
86	PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CONTROLLING INSTRUMENTS; PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS, WATCHES AND CLOCKS - continued				
864	Watches, clocks and parts thereof -				
864.11	Pocket watches, wrist watches, etc.	388	589	1,632	2,096
864.12	Clocks with watch movements	5	15	46	133
864.13	Watch movements, assembled	178	248	540	875
864.14	Watch cases and parts of watch cases	34	37	132	138
864.21	Instrument panel clocks, etc.	4	4	24	17
864.22	Clocks, n.e.s.	263	328	1,237	1,674
864.23	Time of day recording apparatus, etc.	33	41	181	258
864.24	Time switches with clock or watch movement or with synchronous motor	93	115	570	617
864.25	Clock movements, assembled	46	40	224	291
864.26	Clock cases and parts thereof	1	..	2	3
864.29	Clock and watch parts, n.e.s.	35	44	142	229
	<u>Total Division 86</u>	<u>7,610</u>	<u>7,285</u>	<u>35,280</u>	<u>38,290</u>
89	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES, N.E.S. -				
891	Musical instruments, recorders and reproducers, etc. -				
891.11	Gramophones, sound recorders, etc.	605	1,244	2,599	4,219
891.12	Accessories and parts of gramophones, sound recorders and reproducers, etc.	284	140	929	1,330
891.20	Gramophone records, prepared tapes and other media for sound recording, etc.	439	345	1,701	1,845
891.41	Pianos, harpsichords, etc.	40	57	144	212
891.42	Other string musical instruments	43	31	235	222
891.43	Musical instrument strings	6	16	44	60
891.81	Pipe and reed organs, including harmoniums, etc.	2	..	19	11
891.82	Accordions, concertinas and mouth organs	44	31	146	184
891.83	Other wind musical instruments	28	26	140	189
891.84	Percussion musical instruments	26	18	133	103

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IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION - continued
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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
89	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES, N.E.S. - continued				
891.85	Electrical musical instruments	162	143	620	615
891.89	Other musical instruments, n.e.s.	52	70	236	338
891.90	Parts and accessories of musical instruments (other than strings)	34	31	191	167
892	Printed matter -				
892.11	Printed books, pamphlets, etc.	3,041	2,473	13,675	13,743
892.12	Childrens' picture and painting books	64	70	391	354
892.13	Maps and hydrographic charts, etc.	78	28	190	278
892.20	Newspapers, journals and periodicals	589	428	2,801	2,862
892.30	Music, printed or in manuscript	32	32	145	182
892.41	Transfers (decalcomanias)	28	24	116	127
892.42	Picture postcards, picture greeting cards, etc.	29	17	182	202
892.91	Paper or paperboard labels	29	27	136	151
892.92	Plans and drawings, for industrial, or commercial purposes, etc.	6	17	40	256
892.93	Unused postage and similar stamps, banknotes, and similar documents of title, etc.	226	56	1,312	351
892.94	Calendars of paper or paper- board	72	61	138	120
892.99	Other printed matter	325	268	1,336	1,411
893	Articles of artificial resins, plastics, etc.	571	531	3,159	3,158
894	Perambulators, toys, games and sporting goods -				
894.10	Baby and invalid carriages (not motorised or mechanically propelled) and parts	6	2	22	19
894.21	Wheeled toys designed to be ridden, dolls' prams, etc.	11	21	90	161
894.22	Dolls of any material	140	141	982	959
894.23	Toys, n.e.i.	883	601	5,690	5,382
894.24	Equipment for indoor games	91	115	483	768
894.25	Carnival articles, Christmas decorations, etc.	69	86	678	736
894.31	Sporting guns, rifles, pistols, etc.	144	123	427	562

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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
89	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES, N.E.S. - continued				
894.32	Other non-military arms	20	20	75	148
894.33	Parts for arms falling within items 894.31 and 894.32	23	44	154	223
894.41	Fishing and hunting equipment	132	108	536	552
894.42	Appliances, apparatus, etc., for sports and outdoor games, n.e.s.	181	159	892	1,110
894.50	Fair-ground amusements, etc.	..	..	..	5
895	Office and stationery supplies, n.e.s.	574	499	2,230	2,468
896	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	274	96	1,061	2,168
897	Jewellery and gold and silver- smiths' wares	471	489	2,260	2,554
899	Manufactured articles, n.e.s. -				
899.11	Worked tortoise-shell and articles thereof	..	..	..	..
899.12	Worked mother of pearl and articles thereof	6	3	15	14
899.13	Worked ivory and articles thereof	2	..	4	2
899.14	Worked bone and articles thereof (excl. whalebone)	..	..	..	1
899.15	Other worked animal carving material and articles thereof	3	6	22	26
899.16	Worked vegetable carving material and articles thereof	..	1	2	3
899.17	Worked jet, amber, meerschaum and articles thereof	..	..	..	1
899.18	Moulded or carved articles of wax, natural gums, etc.	45	36	273	173
899.21	Plaits and similar products	12	10	71	63
899.22	Basketwork, wickerware, etc. n.e.s.	109	187	826	1,136
899.23	Brooms and brushes of vegetable materials, not mounted in a head	..	..	..	..
899.24	Other brooms and brushes, mops, paint rollers, etc.	138	116	615	753
899.25	Prepared knots and tufts for broom and brush making	..	..	..	..
899.26	Feather dusters	1	2	7	8
899.27	Hand sieves and hand riddles	3	..	13	8
899.31	Candles, tapers, etc.	36	52	115	298

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IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION - continued
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Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
89	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED				
	ARTICLES, N.E.S. - continued				
899.32	Matches (excluding bengal matches)	2	14	20	47
899.33	Combustible preparations and products, n.e.i.	4	4	19	21
899.34	Mechanical and similar lighters	93	109	477	541
899.35	Smoking pipes, pipe-bowls, stems, etc.	27	48	138	166
899.41	Umbrellas and sunshades	4	22	45	89
899.42	Walking-sticks, canes, riding-crops, etc.	4	1	15	10
899.43	Parts, fittings, etc. of umbrellas, whips, riding-crops, etc.	42	36	242	303
899.51	Powder-puffs and pads for applying cosmetics, etc.	1	1	21	8
899.52	Buttons and button moulds, studs, etc.	124	99	454	535
899.53	Slide fasteners and parts thereof	48	48	179	271
899.54	Combs, hair slides, etc.	26	25	112	120
899.55	Corset busks and similar supports	4	2	20	22
899.56	Scent and similar sprays for toilet purposes, etc.	16	24	146	122
899.57	Tailors' dummies, etc.	15	5	42	50
899.61	Hearing aids	77	61	353	280
899.62	Orthopaedic appliances, artificial parts of the body and fracture appliances	140	102	613	453
899.91	Articles made from gut, etc.	..	..	..	3
899.92	Prepared feathers and down and articles thereof	3	5	21	33
899.93	Artificial flowers, etc.	88	64	420	408
899.94	Human hair, dressed, or otherwise worked	5	3	16	27
899.95	Wigs, false beards, switches, etc.	78	174	388	843
899.96	Fans and hand screens, non-mechanical, etc.	1	1	12	10
899.97	Vacuum flasks and vessels (incl. parts)	31	57	155	206
899.98	Parachutes; parts and accessories	181	68	568	176

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IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION - continued
(\$'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Division, group or S.I.T.C. item no.	Description (a)	November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
89	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED				
899.99	ARTICLES, N.E.S. - continued Catapults and similar aircraft launching gear, etc.	..	1,713	614	1,754
	<u>Total Division 89</u>	11,241	11,786	53,393	59,491
9A	COMMODITIES AND TRANSACTIONS NOT CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO KIND -				
911	Postal packages not classified according to kind	227	261	1,118	1,188
931	Special transactions not classified according to kind (b)	7,283	7,727	40,630	37,374
941	Animals n.e.s. (incl. zoo animals)	7	4	15	14
951	Firearms of war and ammunition therefor	82	5,303	5,128	9,509
961	Coin (other than gold) not being legal tender	2	3	12	7
	<u>Total Division 9A</u>	7,600	13,298	46,903	48,093
	<u>TOTAL MERCHANDISE</u>	244,258	264,698	1,240,496	1,343,444
9B	<u>NON-MERCHANDISE</u>	4,796	5,670	17,400	20,936
	<u>TOTAL</u>	249,054	270,368	1,257,896	1,364,380

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TABLE 9. - IMPORTS OF ASSEMBLED NEW PASSENGER MOTOR CARS (a) (OTHER THAN BUSES OR SPECIAL VEHICLES)
(Statistical Item No. 732.10.05 (b))

Period	Germany, Federal Republic of		Italy		Japan		United Kingdom		United States of America		Other Countries		Total all Countries	
	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000
1963-64	1,112	1,602	2,535	3,332	7,709	7,034	1,890	4,884	268	723	1,601	2,912	15,115	20,487
1964-65	939	2,281	2,226	2,672	22,559	19,043	2,033	5,333	415	1,102	758	1,241	28,930	31,672
1965-66	1,353	4,227	1,716	2,195	16,386	14,977	1,835	5,036	456	1,212	458	720	22,204	28,367
1966-67	1,793	6,026	1,867	2,548	17,836	15,979	1,346	4,025	289	871	447	733	23,578	30,182
1966-67														
July	71	252	73	107	1,248	1,337	21	48	19	57	25	22	1,457	1,823
August	94	337	137	235	1,579	1,631	77	213	6	19	28	38	1,921	2,473
Sept.	128	452	70	138	1,372	1,472	45	132	7	19	53	98	1,675	2,311
Oct.	167	571	76	142	929	964	65	218	1	2	9	17	1,247	1,914
Nov.	102	341	132	192	1,235	1,181	112	319	16	49	57	74	1,654	2,156
Dec.	140	480	142	218	1,090	913	86	244	17	48	55	88	1,530	1,991
Jan.	137	501	136	217	1,585	1,443	185	530	46	141	21	28	2,110	2,860
Feb.	114	396	86	117	1,467	1,175	175	578	51	150	30	70	1,923	2,486
March	170	591	156	196	1,626	1,316	179	545	27	88	9	21	2,167	2,757
April	224	781	380	436	1,031	813	115	393	24	75	81	128	1,855	2,626
May	216	701	177	179	2,107	1,702	141	424	38	111	55	100	2,734	3,217
June	230	623	302	371	2,567	2,032	145	381	37	112	24	49	3,305	3,568
1967-68														
July (c)	192	492	228	278	2,348	1,813	97	282	16	51	19	35	2,900	2,951
August (c)	365	1,033	366	456	2,771	2,324	120	333	12	40	71	98	3,705	4,284
Sept. (c)	197	560	450	475	2,376	1,951	77	262	3	14	43	65	3,146	3,327
Oct. (c)	r216	r632	323	347	2,294	1,865	69	222	19	64	13	r20	r2,934	r3,150
Nov. (c)	185	607	384	509	2,059	1,669	21	59	11	43	43	67	2,703	2,954

(a) Includes station wagons. (b) Prior to July 1965 the Statistical Item No. was 49011. (c) Preliminary figures subject to revision.

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III. - CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

TABLE 10. - CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE COLLECTED,

ACCORDING TO CUSTOMS TARIFF DIVISIONS, ETC.

(\$'000)

Customs tariff division and Excise tariff item	November		Five months ended November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
GROSS CUSTOMS -				
I. Live animals; animal products ..	91	108	428	409
II. Vegetable products ..	249	156	1,055	993
III. Animal and vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal and vegetable waxes ..	416	159	1,414	944
IV. Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco ..	4,877	5,069	20,979	22,697
V. Mineral products (a) ..	1,285	305	4,839	2,079
VI. Products of the chemical and allied industries ..	1,353	1,066	6,090	6,179
VII. Artificial resins and plastic materials, cellulose esters and ethers, and articles thereof; rubber, synthetic rubbers, factice, and articles thereof ..	1,298	1,261	5,633	6,770
VIII. Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of gut (other than silk- worm gut) ..	236	250	1,155	1,342
IX. Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto and of other plaiting materials; basketware and wicker- work ..	629	747	3,154	3,603
X. Paper-making material; paper and paperboard and articles thereof ..	759	730	3,402	3,715
XI. Textiles and textile articles ..	3,129	3,593	15,080	19,786
XII. Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun- shades, whips, riding-crops and parts therefor; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair; fans ..	286	426	2,240	3,199
XIII. Articles of stone, of plaster, of cement, of asbestos, of mica and of similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware ..	680	731	3,299	3,731
XIV. Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones, precious metals, rolled precious metals, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coin	129	133	636	734
XV. Base metals and articles of base metal ..	1,937	1,919	7,961	9,777

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TABLE 10. - CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE COLLECTED,
ACCORDING TO CUSTOMS TARIFF DIVISIONS, ETC. - continued
 (\$'000)

Customs tariff division and Excise tariff item		November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
GROSS CUSTOMS - continued					
XVI.	Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts therefor	5,039	5,505	23,421	26,279
XVII.	Vehicles, aircraft, and parts therefor; vessels and certain associated transport equipment ..	2,234	2,842	11,393	16,302
XVIII.	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical and surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches, musical instruments; sound recorders and reproducers; television image and sound recorders and reproducers, magnetic; parts therefor ..	1,062	1,288	4,512	5,576
XIX.	Arms and ammunition; parts therefor	47	46	172	163
XX.	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	856	782	4,738	4,995
XI.	Works of art, collectors' pieces, and antiques and Miscellaneous (including revenue collected on goods for which a Customs entry is not required and revenue collected on goods in terms of a concessional item in the Second Schedule for which a nominal Tariff Item is provided) and Additional Duty collected on post entries which amend an original entry passed in a previous month	308	441	2,040	1,846
<u>TOTAL GROSS CUSTOMS DUTIES (a)</u>		26,900	27,557	123,641	141,119
Primage		559	608	2,677	3,109
<u>TOTAL GROSS CUSTOMS AND PRIMAGE DUTIES (a)</u>		27,459	28,165	126,318	144,228
GROSS EXCISE -					
	Beer	31,969	32,058	128,508	134,922
	Spirits, including liqueurs, etc.	2,422	2,674	11,275	12,069
	Tobacco (manufactured), snuff ..	1,469	1,444	7,157	7,237
	Cigars and cigarettes ..	18,631	18,687	81,444	89,368
	Aviation gasoline (By-law) (a) ..	101	58	371	349
	Gasoline, n.e.i. (a) ..	17,729	19,695	87,199	95,369
	Mineral turpentine	..	..	1	..

(a) Duty is included in the price of petroleum products purchased by Commonwealth Government departments and is subsequently credited by Commonwealth Treasury to the departments concerned.

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TABLE 10. - CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE COLLECTED,
ACCORDING TO CUSTOMS TARIFF DIVISIONS, ETC. - continued

(\$'000)

Customs tariff division and Excise tariff item	November		Five months ended November	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
GROSS EXCISE - continued				
Coal tar and coke oven distillates, etc.	..	..	..	..
Aviation turbine kerosene (a) ..	692	774	3,462	3,807
Kerosene, n.e.i. (a) ..	..	..	..	32
Diesel fuel (as defined by By-law)	1,315	1,707	6,251	7,601
Playing cards	13	11	49	56
Cigarette tubes, paper and papers	73	73	340	359
Matches	201	194	925	926
Coal	51	59	276	283
Canned fruit	119	147	403	585
Other and undistributed excise revenue	67	168	348	453
<u>TOTAL GROSS EXCISE DUTIES (a)</u>	<u>74,852</u>	<u>77,749</u>	<u>328,009</u>	<u>353,416</u>
TOTAL GROSS CUSTOMS, PRIMEAGE AND EXCISE DUTIES (a)	102,311	105,914	454,327	497,644
<u>Less:</u> Total Customs and Excise Refunds and Drawbacks paid	2,491	2,740	11,426	12,865
Credits to Commonwealth Government departments for duty paid (a)	502	410	2,038	2,023
<u>TOTAL NET CUSTOMS, PRIMEAGE AND EXCISE REVENUE</u>	<u>99,318</u>	<u>102,764</u>	<u>440,863</u>	<u>482,756</u>

- (a) Duty is included in the price of petroleum products purchased by Commonwealth Government departments and is subsequently credited by Commonwealth Treasury to the departments concerned.

TABLE 11. - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL ITEMS ON WHICH EXCISE DUTY WAS PAID

Item	Unit of Quantity	Quantity			
		November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
Beer	'000 gal	28,104	28,183	112,974	118,613
Spirits (potable) -					
Brandy	pf gal	90,617	107,282	430,629	480,218
Gin	"	35,872	39,717	132,969	131,759
Whisky	"	33,528	38,507	152,813	155,305
Rum	"	32,380	36,568	212,811	231,053
Liqueurs	"	9,979	11,615	29,923	34,741
Vodka	"	14,837	14,456	55,979	62,532
Flavoured - Liquors	"	1,026	955	5,384	7,296
Other	"	2	30	7	30
<u>TOTAL SPIRITS (POTABLE)</u>	pf gal	218,241	249,130	1,020,515	1,102,934
Spirits (non-potable) for -					
Fortifying wine	pf gal	332,382	271,720	1,382,845	1,508,102
Industrial purposes	"	38,035	33,398	196,284	190,302
Making vinegar	"	26,395	24,488	110,938	102,734
Manufacture of -					
Essences	"	13,514	14,775	59,194	64,454
Scents and toilet preparations	"	12,610	7,517	54,753	48,416
Tobacco - manufactured	lb	657,261	646,403	3,204,170	3,238,687
Cigars -					
Hand-made	lb	5	4	15	28
Machine-made	"	17,000	24,001	57,004	86,023
<u>TOTAL CIGARS</u>	lb	17,005	24,005	57,019	86,051

TABLE 11. - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL ITEMS ON WHICH EXCISE DUTY WAS PAID - continued

Item	Unit of Quantity	Quantity			
		November		Five months ended November	
		1966	1967	1966	1967
Cigarettes - Machine-made ..	lb	4,422,503	4,430,227	19,338,314	21,188,821
Snuff	"	.	.	..	.
Aviation gasoline (By-law) (a)	'000 gal	1,055	604	3,878	3,650
Gasoline, n.e.i. (a) ..	"	144,133	158,873	708,931	774,011
Mineral turpentine ..	"	.	.	5	1
Aviation turbine kerosene (a)	"	8,763	9,800	43,825	48,181
Kerosene n.e.i. (a) ..	"				
Diesel fuel (as defined by By-law)	"	10,516	13,655	49,912	60,688
Playing cards	doz packs	13,056	11,000	48,406	55,600
Cigarette papers and tubes ..	60 papers or tubes	5,031,800	5,030,200	23,464,000	24,745,776
Matches	8,640 matches	309,180	299,085	1,423,800	1,424,632
Coal	tons	1,542,373	1,761,861	8,273,951	8,493,652
Canned fruit	dozen containers	711,270	583,552	2,419,654	2,342,042

(a) Includes supplies to Commonwealth Government on which excise was paid. During November 1967 refunds were made on 3,592,000 gallons. See note (a) to table 10.

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