

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 21. - PAPER AND PAPER BOARD

MARCH, 1962.

The information set out below has been compiled from returns received from establishments manufacturing papers and paper boards and indicates current production trends. The figures for 1960-61 and later periods are subject to revision.

(Tons)

Period	Papers			Paper Boards (a)	Paper Felts
	Newsprint	Other	Total		
Year: 1958-59	83,071	173,975	257,046	200,339	4,439
1959-60	88,510	190,966	279,476	221,338	4,145
1960-61	88,039	216,943	304,982	209,016	3,112
9 months ended March, 1961	66,181	169,016	235,197	170,466	2,974
9 months ended March, 1962	66,762	154,407	221,169	150,858	1,718
1961: February	7,107	21,954	29,061	17,418	381
March	6,309	18,149	24,458	19,524	311
April	7,215	15,048	22,263	11,510	NIL
May	7,024	15,800	22,822	13,911	43
June	7,619	17,311	24,930	13,129	95
July	7,831	14,988	22,819	12,941	NIL
August	7,917	13,273	21,190	15,041	102
September	7,708	15,458	23,166	15,721	235
October	7,878	19,561	27,439	19,726	196
November	7,592	17,984	25,576	18,552	208
December	5,655	16,346	22,001	15,898	273
1962: January	7,464	13,650	21,114	10,599	NIL
February	6,887	20,239	27,126	17,268	241
March	7,834	22,908	30,742	22,172	463

(a) Paper which at the size of 20 inches by 30 inches or its equivalent weighs 84 lb. or more per ream of 480 sheets is classified as Board.

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