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PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 28 : FOOTWEAR (a)

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The figures for 1966-67 and 1967-68 are those recorded in the Annual Factory Census. All subsequent figures are derived from the recorded monthly production and are subject to revision. This summary contains seasonally adjusted statistics of boots, shoes and sandals, in Table 4 on page 4. In the seasonal adjustment, account has been taken not only of normal seasonal factors but also of "trading-day" effects (arising from the varying numbers of Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays etc. in the month) and the influence of Easter and Australia Day which may, in successive years, affect figures for different months. Details of the methods used in seasonally adjusting this and other series are given in "Seasonally Adjusted Indicators 1969" (Ref. No. 1.10).

TABLE 1. - MEN'S AND YOUTHS' BOOTS, SHOES AND SANDALS (Size 2 and over)
('000 pairs)

Period	Wetted	Machine sewn, McKay, Blake or fair stitched (incl. Littleways)	Veldts- choens and stitch- downs	Cemented (incl. slip lasted) (b)	Riveted and/or screwed	Vulcanised rubber moulded soled (c)	Injection moulded plastic (d) and other plastic (e)	Other construc- tions	Total
	Code No.	791.01	791.03	791.17	791.09,10	791.15	791.20,23	791.21,22,28	791.29
1966-67	1,202	456	1,079	3,419	548	3,883	290	191	11,070
1967-68	987	407	885	3,676	525	3,880	515	310	11,185
1968-69	853	348	837	3,922	550	3,059	1,600	245	11,415
Months: 1969	January	42.0	18.2	37.6	161	98	75	9.7	470
	February	72.0	35.9	70.1	299	161	158	16.0	869
	March	75.5	36.4	72.9	321	191	172	17.4	941
	April	65.1	31.2	70.5	328	180	157	13.0	897
	May	67.8	26.1	75.9	338	180	234	17.1	991
	June	88.0	24.5	71.3	338	186	224	24.5	996
	July	76.1	46.2	85.0	398	169	321	18.8	1,145
	August	57.2	33.4	71.3	380	141	317	17.4	1,050
	September	58.3	34.3	70.2	436	133	344	15.0	1,131
	October	67.3	36.0	67.0	480	150	336	11.4	1,182
	November	58.1	28.2	62.7	352	13	319	11.3	1,013
	December	50.4	30.7	52.8	330	116	210	11.9	837
1970	January	25.9	15.6	33.0	168	69	159	6.0	498
	February	61.0	34.7	65.0	312	138	283	13.1	958
8 months ended Feb. 1970	454	259	507	2,857	283	1,058	2,290	105	7,813
8 months ended Feb. 1969	556	230	546	2,597	352	2,321	813	173	7,590

(a) Excludes sandshoes, galoshes, gum and wading boots etc. (b) Includes cemented slippers. (c) Construction in which a rubber or plastic sole and heel in one piece or half-sole only, is simultaneously formed and combined to an upper of material other than rubber or plastic in the course of manufacture of the footwear in the establishment producing the footwear. Includes vulcanised rubber slippers. (d) Includes injection moulded plastic slippers. (e) Plastic or predominantly plastic moulded in one piece, or assembled upper and bottom when both are predominantly of plastic.

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TABLE 2. - WOMEN'S AND MAIDS' BOOTS, SHOES AND SANDALS (Sizes 2 and over)

('000 pairs)

Period	Machine sewn, McKay, Blake or fair stitched (incl. Littleways)	Veldtschoens and stitch- downs	Cemented (incl. slip lasted) (a)	Vulcanised rubber moulded soled (b)	Injection moulded plastic (c) and other plastic (d)	Other constructions	Total
	Code No.	791.33	791.47	791.39.40	791.50.53	791.31.45.59	
1966-67		64.1	284	14,431	3,639	(e)	19,236
1967-68		88.5	232	15,303	3,189	469	20,205
1968-69		62.5	116	14,492	2,567	2,555	20,241
Months: 1969	January	1.78	7.2	650	141	168	r983
	February	5.24	12.0	1,139	185	292	r1,657
	March	5.15	11.0	1,140	202	345	r1,740
	April	3.69	11.7	1,052	257	319	r1,678
	May	4.31	14.5	1,097	196	238	r1,579
	June	5.19	14.4	1,031	176	223	r1,479
	July	4.28	7.5	r1,424	205	r 296	r1,961
	August	3.95	7.2	r1,364	157	r 256	r1,805
	September	4.85	7.7	r1,494	194	261	r1,986
	October	4.11	13.3	r1,486	189	307	r2,026
	November	4.81	6.0	r1,232	139	380	r1,777
	December	3.26	11.5	r895	137	302	r1,361
1970	January	1.91	9.4	546	13	359	r935
	February	2.52	13.1	1,068	22	653	1,770
8 months ended February 1970		29.7	75.8	9,510	1,056	2,814	13,621
8 months ended February 1969		44.1	64.2	10,163	1,734	1,429	13,766

(a) Includes cemented slippers. (b) Construction in which a rubber or plastic sole and heel in one piece or half-sole only, is simultaneously formed and combined to an upper of material other than rubber or plastic in the course of manufacture of the footwear in the establishment producing the footwear. Includes vulcanised rubber slippers. (c) Includes injection moulded plastic slippers. (d) Plastic or predominantly plastic moulded in one piece, or assembled upper and bottom when both are predominantly of plastic. (e) Not available for publication.

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TABLE 3. - BOY'S AND GIRLS' BOOTS, SHOES AND SANDALS (Sizes 7-1)
(*000 pairs)

Period		Machine sewn, McKay, Blake or fair stitched (incl. Littleways)	Veldtschoens and stitch- downs	Cemented (incl. slip lasted) (a)	Vulcanised rubber moulded soled (b)	Injection moulded plastic (c) and other plastic (d)	Other constructions	Total
Code No.		791.62	791.71	791.66,69	791.72,75	791.73,74,78	791.61,70,71	
1966-67		57.7	1,007	2,006	1,620	696	158	5,544
1967-68		67.8	914	2,054	1,472	935	144	5,587
1968-69		51.9	789	2,155	1,079	1,549	133	5,757
Months: 1969	January	4.77	37.3	88	37.5	102	3.4	273
	February	5.60	57.9	156	66.7	151	11.9	449
	March	3.92	57.0	166	85.1	129	15.0	456
	April	4.09	59.4	139	121.3	145	12.9	482
	May	4.24	74.1	140	74.5	183	10.3	486
	June	4.21	67.8	163	78.5	154	9.1	477
	July	2.47	72.2	230	64.0	130	7.0	506
	August	3.31	64.3	194	35.0	110	7.0	414
	September	4.51	88.3	301	49.4	148	6.2	598
	October	3.46	90.2	290	68.5	174	4.7	631
	November	5.28	42.1	216	80.0	158	4.9	505
	December	3.64	57.5	140	90.2	137	5.2	434
	1970 January	1.09	33.0	78	r39.4	96	3.3	r252
	February	3.30	62.1	169	76.2	148	5.4	464
8 months ended February 1970		27.0	510	1,619	503	1,103	43.6	3,804
8 months ended February 1969		35.4	531	1,546	720	938	85.4	3,855

(a) Includes cemented slippers. (b) Construction in which a rubber or plastic sole and heel in one piece or half-sole only, is simultaneously formed and combined to an upper of material other than rubber or plastic in the course of manufacture of the footwear in the establishment producing the footwear. Includes vulcanised rubber slippers. (c) Includes injection moulded plastic slippers. (d) Plastic or predominantly plastic moulded in one piece, or assembled upper and bottom when both are predominantly of plastic.

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TABLE 4. - INFANTS' AND TOTAL BOOTS, SHOES AND SANDALS; THONGS

('000 pairs)

Period		Infants' (sizes 0-6)			Total boots, shoes and sandals		Thongs		
		Veldtschoens and stitchdowns	Cemented (incl. slip lasted) (a)	Other constructions	Total	Original	Seasonally adjusted (b)	Men's and youths', women's and maids'	Boys' and girls'
Code No.		791.93	791.88,91	791.81,82,87,89,92-96				791.26	791.77
1966-67		150	807	204	1,160	37,011	..	2,083	847
1967-68		113	723	263	1,099	36,076	..	2,296	900
1968-69		65	770	204	1,038	33,451	..	2,356	909
Months: 1969	January	1.5	26.5	8.01	36.0	r1,762	r3,269	171	72.8
	February	5.3	53.5	16.55	75.4	r3,051	r3,267	116	51.2
	March	2.5	61.8	12.51	76.8	r3,214	r3,185	111	43.1
	April	3.9	64.6	21.39	89.9	r3,147	r3,134	126	43.5
	May	3.0	67.2	11.77	81.9	r3,138	r3,023	112	46.1
	June	2.6	74.0	7.11	83.7	r3,035	r3,246	172	41.7
	July	2.3	81.4	12.25	96.0	r3,707	r3,263	186	71.5
	August	8.6	56.7	8.50	73.7	r3,343	r3,061	219	102.8
	September	6.7	72.7	13.14	92.6	r3,807	r3,237	271	119.2
	October	8.0	86.5	7.60	102.2	r3,941	r3,194	236	100.0
	November	7.8	81.0	6.84	99.7	r3,390	r3,103	231	56.9
	December	1.0	60.5	10.43	71.9	r2,704	r3,200	167	77.3
1970	January	1.0	34.2	3.20	38.4	r1,723	r3,575	130	66.8
	February	2.9	78.6	7.28	88.8	3,281	3,517	131	68.6
8 months ended February 1970		38.4	552	69.3	659	25,898	..	1,571	663
8 months ended February 1969		52.7	502	151	706	25,917	..	1,835	732

(a) Includes cemented slippers. (b) See note on top of page 1.

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TABLE 5. - TURNSHOE, COSY AND SIMILAR SLIPPERS (a)
('000 pairs)

Period	Code No.	Men's and youths' (sizes 2 and over) turnshoe and cosy	Women's and maids' (sizes 2 and over)		Boys' and girls' (sizes 7 to 1)		Infants' (sizes 0-6) turnshoe, cosy and soft soled nursery	Total
			Turnshoe	Cosy	Turnshoe	Cosy		
		791.05, 07	791.35	791.37	791.63	791.64	791.83, 85, 86	
1966-67		143	1,205	1,535	414	(b)	(b)	4,454
1967-68		182	1,450	1,126	453	166	920	4,298
1968-69		106	1,306	1,159	337	191	804	3,903
Months: 1969	January	4.5	52	69.0	15.1	9.7	65.3	215
	February	4.4	132	122.3	36.7	21.2	62.2	379
	March	4.5	150	123.0	35.6	15.4	87.2	415
	April	5.0	162	134.1	36.7	23.1	71.1	432
	May	5.8	131	119.6	37.8	22.6	80.8	398
	June	7.8	110	102.7	33.5	17.6	74.6	346
	July	11.4	97	90.3	25.2	17.2	76.2	317
	August	15.4	98	71.7	20.9	17.9	59.2	283
	September	13.4	98	116.8	23.1	13.6	68.2	333
	October	10.0	96	105.3	19.2	11.8	52.7	295
	November	8.2	89	80.5	18.1	23.3	40.5	260
	December	9.6	95	68.7	16.8	5.8	47.8	244
1970	January	5.1	79	52.8	13.1	5.1	36.0	191
	February	6.2	138	118.9	27.8	10.6	105.2	406
8 months ended February 1970		79.2	790	704	164	105	484	3,128
8 months ended February 1969		83.2	753	680	194	112	490	2,312

(a) Excludes cemented, vulcanised rubber and injection moulded plastic slippers which are included with boots, shoes and sandals in Tables 1 to 4. (b) Not available for publication.

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