

Production Summary No. 48.

SPORTS GOODS

AUGUST, 1953.

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

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS.

Period	Racquet Frames	Golf Clubs	Cricket Bats	Balls		
				Cricket, Leather	Golf	Tennis
	'000 doz.	Doz.	Doz.	Doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.
			<u>Annual Totals</u>			
Year : 1949-50	19.6	15,378	2,338	14,209	147	288
1950-51	22.7	14,041	1,906	9,964	172	281
1951-52	14.9	11,371	1,968	10,122	140	205
1952-53	17.4	8,916	1,505	7,546	107	235
			<u>Monthly Totals</u>			
Month, 1952 : August	0.98	599	215	900	6.8	15.8
September	1.16	466	283	1,070	7.1	23.4
October	1.47	444	(a)	929	7.5	23.1
November	1.39	655	(a)	870	7.6	20.3
December	1.46	520	202	801	6.9	22.6
1953 : January	0.91	377	(a)	228	6.2	12.8
February	1.58	777	(a)	450	7.6	24.4
March	1.76	1,023	(a)	369	10.1	29.7
April	1.93	1,115	(a)	273	11.6	19.0
May	1.93	1,150	(a)	677	13.3	15.8
June	1.93	1,180	(a)		15.9	15.5
July	2.39	1,357	(a)		15.4	19.9
August	1.96	1,282	(a)		15.7	28.8

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