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AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 14 : COTTON GOODS

JANUARY 1968

The figures for 1964-56 and 1965-66 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 figures of Cotton Woven Fabric, in Table 2 on page 2. Details of the methods used in seasonally adjusting this 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 and Australia Day which may, in successive years, affect figures for different months.

TABLE 1. - COTTON YARN AND SEWING THREAD - ('000 lb)

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Period		COTTON YARN						COTTON SEWING THREAD		
		Weaving		Knitting	All Other	Total		For Household Use	For Industrial Use	
		Condenser	Other (incl. Carpet)			Pure	Mixture (c)		8s - 18s	Over 18s
									(Heavy Counts)	(Light Counts)
Code No.	364.19, 21	364.11, 13 15, 17	(a)	(b)			368.02, 04	368.08	368.06	
1964-65		3,843	38,418	14,670	2,161	58,162	930	133	591	1,882
1965-66		3,700	38,472	14,756	2,093	57,931	1,089	196	602	1,938
1966-67		3,917	39,843	15,515	1,906	59,759	1,422	226	727	2,212
Months : 1967-68										
July		313	3,233	1,249	157	4,827	125	17.9	59.1	
August		409	3,801	1,509	187	5,671	236	19.7	58.3	
September		328	3,983	1,355	172	5,666	172	13.6	64.2	
October		311	3,671	1,425	208	5,413	202	17.2	58.0	
November		349	3,317	1,438	268	5,245	127	20.4	62.4	
December		260	2,737	1,010	207	4,120	94	9.8	39.0	
January		161	1,518	632	124	2,369	67	8.9	33.8	
7 months ended January 1968										
		2,131	22,261	8,618	1,324	33,311	1,023	107.5	374.9	1,170
7 months ended January 1967										
		1,997	22,111	8,289	1,031	32,664	763	126.9	394.1	1,221

(a) Code Nos. 364.43, 44, 45, 46, 39, 41. (b) Code Nos. 364.27, 29, 31, 33, 48, 50. (c) Predominantly cotton.



TABLE 2. - COTTON WOVEN FABRIC (excluding Towelling)
('000 sq yd)

Period	WOVEN FABRIC (OVER 12" WIDE) OF OR PREDOMINANTLY OF COTTON							Total	
	Code No.	Duck and Canvas	Drills, Jeans etc.	Cotton Tweed	Denims	Upholstery and Furnishing	Other (a)	Original	Seasonally Adjusted (c)
		373.10,12	373.14,16	373.18,20	373.22,24	373.46,48	(b)		
1964-65		13,033	17,592	945	2,690	1,075	21,336	56,671	..
1965-66		12,518	17,601	625	2,837	886	21,233	55,701	..
1966-67		12,280	18,968	665	3,411	488	21,499	57,311	..
Months : 1967-68									
July		1,045	1,535	251		35	1,951	4,816	4,600
August		1,292	1,758	325		35	2,123	5,533	4,871
September		1,282	1,932	267		41	2,287	5,809	5,329
October		1,330	1,641	279		55	2,004	5,310	4,481
November		1,243	1,533	240		47	2,165	5,227	4,853
December		973	1,379	228		33	1,618	4,232	5,056
January		497	694	110		12	850	2,163	4,451
7 months ended January 1968		7,661	10,473	1,700		258	12,998	33,090	..
7 months ended January 1967		6,622	10,317	423	2,431	323	11,794	31,909	..

(a) Includes Sheetting, Calico, Shirting, Dress Fabric and Other Close Weave Cotton Piece Goods but excludes Cotton Tyre Cord Fabric and Open Weave Cotton Piece Goods. (b) Code Nos. 373.26,28,30,36,38,40,42,44,50,52. (c) See note at top of page 1.

TABLE 3. - TOWELLING, TOWELS AND NAPKINS

Period	TOWELLING (TURKISH AND/OR TERRY)				TOWELS (WIDTH BASIS)				Baby Napkins
	Used in Producing Works		For Other Purposes (a)	Up to and incl. 15"	Over 15" up to and incl. 22"	Over 22" up to and incl. 30"	Over 30"		
	For Towels	For Baby Napkins							
	Code No.	373.02,03	373.04,05	373.06,07	373.58	373.60	373.62	373.64	373.68
		'000 sq yd			'000 dozen				'000 dozen
1964-65		9,641	1,232	1,098	152	133	620	11.1	223
1965-66		9,643	1,355	1,333	167	123	659	12.3	252
1966-67		9,172	1,448	1,563	148	141	691	8.1	247
Months : 1967-68									
July		831	135	161	13.1	14.4	60.4	0.6	22.4
August		944	141	162	13.8	14.7	67.3	0.8	22.4
September		846	130	177	16.3	12.3	58.1	2.4	19.2
October		842	140	151	16.6	11.2	58.7	0.6	20.7
November		813	154	157	14.7	11.2	58.8	0.6	23.5
December		617	110	116	10.6	9.7	45.6	0.4	17.0
January		402	87	96	6.2	6.7	19.6	0.1	13.6
7 months ended January 1968		5,294	897	1,021	91.3	80.2	368.5	5.6	138.3
7 months ended January 1967		5,007	748	871	85.5	73.6	378.0	5.4	129.3

(a) Includes quantities used in own works.

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