PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 16

WOOL TEXTILE INDUSTRY

WOOLLEN AND WORSTED CARDING, COMBING AND SPINNING

JUNE, 1958.

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. The figures for 1956-57 and later periods are subject to revision.

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

Period	Worsted Carding and Combing				Worsted Drawing and Spinning					Woollen Carding and Spinning			
	Wool Tops		Noils	Waste	Worsted Yarn (a)				Waste	Woollen Yarn (b)			Waste
	Noble	French			Weaving	Machine Knitting	Fingering	Total		Weaving	Other	Total	
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
Year : 1954-55	26,145	4,741	3,117	2,087	9,494	11,028	2,375	22,897	1,489	18,334	1,456	19,790	1,404
1955-56	30,859	4,781	3,385	1,957	9,627	10,488	3,065	23,180	1,281	18,544	1,489	20,033	1,387
1956-57	36,895	5,311	3,975	2,298	9,364	12,284	3,832	25,480	1,388	20,053	2,708	22,761	1,550
1957-58	35,035	4,368	3,721	2,280	8,025	10,658	3,342	22,025	1,259	20,646	3,303	23,949	1,620
Month, 1957 : June	3,209	495	336	195	770	890	318	1,978	117	1,772	233	2,005	142
July	3,363	*521	*350	207	*874	924	342	*2,140	121	*1,968	*247	*2,215	*145
August	3,182	423	319	223	*774	*821	363	*1,958	109	1,808	310	2,118	142
September	3,297	408	339	216	*741	*855	285	*1,881	113	1,867	306	2,173	145
October	3,100	367	313	206	*825	1,061	278	*2,164	118	2,025	294	2,319	158
November	2,951	343	309	190	*693	999	307	*1,999	113	1,868	275	2,143	153
December	2,432	226	227	123	*534	750	239	*1,523	102	1,374	236	1,610	114
1958 : January	2,191	248	239	146	*449	796	232	*1,477	78	1,422	178	1,600	110
February	2,836	384	306	180	*626	1,011	293	*1,930	110	1,758	300	2,058	139
March	2,998	364	340	197	655	1,019	267	1,941	108	1,721	268	1,989	132
April	2,578	334	291	172	661	874	256	1,791	100	1,649	257	1,906	125
May	2,931	396	345	211	609	863	249	1,721	96	1,703	307	2,010	138
June	3,176	354	343	209	584	685	231	1,500	91	1,483	325	1,808	119

(a) Includes mixtures predominantly worsted. (b) Includes mixtures predominantly woollen. * Revised.

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