

COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS, CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 21 - PAPER, WOOD PULP AND ADHESIVE TAPES

MAY 1971

The figures for 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.

TABLE 1. - PAPER

(Tons)

Period	Newsprint	Printings (a)	Blotting	Duplicating	Writings (incl. cartridge)	Wrapping (kraft and other)	Tissue and sanitary	Other papers	Total	
	Code No.	351.11	351.18	351.21	351.25	351.29	351.41-49	351.51		351.79
1967-68		92,648	46,838	569	10,212	65,942	183,591	51,242	27,173	478,215
1968-69		123,935	44,499	521	10,898	76,514	230,444	55,426	21,851	564,088
1969-70		170,576	51,408	494	9,564	72,863	252,303	63,377	18,656	639,241
Months : 1970 April		14,738	6,347	46	982	6,455	24,968	5,030	1,232	59,798
May		14,776	4,259	44	633	6,712	18,001	5,511	2,122	52,058
June		14,115	4,856	82	699	7,620	23,415	5,508	1,380	57,675
July		14,899	4,768	66	907	8,095	22,078	5,781	2,263	58,857
August		15,013	3,932	26	599	6,675	15,160	5,326	1,506	48,237
September		14,260	4,231	12	686	6,850	12,766	4,679	1,722	45,206
October		15,358	4,449	77	894	5,943	25,920	6,173	1,917	60,731
November		14,446	3,415	2	1,148	6,491	25,496	5,634	1,796	58,428
December		11,697	3,593	69	887	5,815	23,651	6,929	1,867	54,508
1971 January		13,864	3,444	..	1,115	6,461	22,557	6,225	2,051	55,717
February		14,200	3,617	72	981	6,447	24,072	5,917	2,355	57,661
March		15,813	4,376	46	994	6,753	22,490	4,742	1,557	56,771
April		15,589	4,308	26	1,199	6,147	24,966	6,765	1,622	60,622
May		15,856	4,080	79	1,532	6,568	21,713	4,663	1,920	56,411
11 months ended May 1971		160,995	44,213	475	10,942	72,245	240,869	62,834	20,576	613,149
11 months ended May 1970		156,461	46,552	412	8,865	65,243	228,888	57,869	17,276	581,566

(a) Excludes production from paper produced in other mills.

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TABLE 2. - PULP, PAPER BOARDS AND PAPER FELTS
(Tons)

Period	Wood pulp (a)	Paper boards (b)			Paper felts
		Container	Box and carton	Other	
Code No.	341.31-45	352.11,13	352.21,23	352.31,33	353.01
1967-68	351,268	163,031	138,695	32,934	1,164
1968-69	410,933	146,822	160,182	35,401	1,356
1969-70	513,039	182,891	167,327	38,178	1,533
Months : 1970 April	50,114	10,802	16,321	3,718	239
May	43,656	12,430	13,294	2,972	124
June	48,724	17,707	13,344	4,233	..
July	41,748	17,020	15,847	3,500	12
August	45,857	9,037	11,597	2,593	297
September	47,624	9,289	11,381	2,574	..
October	45,360	12,461	15,843	4,910	176
November	44,372	16,139	15,634	2,827	..
December	47,187	14,693	13,859	3,808	171
1971 January	37,294	16,066	14,422	1,645	..
February	44,980	17,328	15,705	3,529	408
March	48,320	13,916	15,131	3,892	..
April	46,429	12,571	14,222	3,175	280
May	46,700	11,170	14,888	2,759	..
11 months ended May 1971	495,871	149,690	158,529	35,212	1,344
11 months ended May 1970	464,315	165,184	153,983	33,945	1,533

(a) Quantities shown represent tons air-dried. (b) Paper which at the size of 20" x 30" or its equivalent weighs 84 lb or more per ream of 480 sheets is classified as board.

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TABLE 3. - ADHESIVE TAPES

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Period		Gummed (liquid activated)		Pressure sensitive (other than reinforced)					
		Reinforced	Other	Original manufacture				Converted from rolls purchased or transferred in 769.15-19	
				Paper	Cellulose	Plastic	Other (a)		
	Code No.	769.21	769.31,39	769.51	769.53	769.54	769.52,59		
1967-68		6,851	15,564	7,735	8,180	2,566	386	1,151	
1968-69		6,860	17,888	9,204	7,514	2,374	520	905	
1969-70		7,740	19,985	10,667	9,416	2,778	434	1,160	
Months : 1970 April		516	1,917	887	897	300	28.2	66.0	
	May	660	2,051	1,028	900	303	31.8	90.3	
	June	712	1,518	1,177	774	278	34.7	62.2	
	July	719	1,710	1,077	974	305	42.2	80.9	
	August	564	1,515	932	857	282	31.3	79.7	
	September	528	1,818	1,262	954	299	56.0	64.3	
	October	624	1,591	725	772	286	26.0	86.0	
	November	668	1,445	1,036	682	231	35.5	81.3	
	December	658	1,548	1,042	844	264	38.4	81.1	
	1971 January	367	993	607	552	139	22.0	54.2	
		February	427	988	776	858	246	25.2	51.9
		March	646	1,983	941	927	318	69.0	72.0
		April	620	1,305	1,013	783	287	36.0	62.5
		May	607	1,741	1,103	825	276	46.4	83.7
	11 months ended May 1971		6,428	16,637	10,514	9,028	2,931	428	798
	11 months ended May 1970		7,028	13,466	9,490	8,642	2,500	400	1,098

(a) Includes cloth.

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