

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

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PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 17 : WOOL TEXTILE INDUSTRY

WOOL WEAVING

MAY 1967

The figures for 1963-64 and 1964-65 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 for the first time seasonally adjusted statistics of Woven Wool Cloth (excluding blanketing), in Table 3 below. Details of the methods used in seasonally adjusting this and other series are given in "Seasonally Adjusted Indicators 1967" issued on 18 July 1967.

TABLE 1. - WOVEN FABRIC (OVER 12" WIDE) PRODUCED - MAY 1967
(sq yd)

State	Wool-worsted or predominantly Wool-worsted	Woollen or Predominantly Woollen		Total
		Blanketing and Rug Material	Other	
New South Wales	444,984	225,691	139,409	810,084
Victoria	360,659	506,641	604,592	1,471,892
Other States	28,995	350,311	412,452	791,758
TOTAL	834,638	1,082,643	1,156,453	3,073,734

TABLE 2. - WOVEN BLANKETS AND RUGS PRODUCED - APRIL 1967
(Number)

Item	Pure	Mixture (a)	Total
Blankets - Double	(b)	(b)	67,320
Threequarters	(b)	(b)	19,499
Single	90,394	9,824	100,218
Cot	9,051	..	9,051
TOTAL	178,132	17,956	196,088
Rugs	13,840	7,240	21,080

(a) Includes small quantities produced from non-wool fibres.

(b) Not available for separate publication.

TABLE 3. - WOVEN WOOL CLOTH (EXCLUDING BLANKETING) -
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED STATISTICS (SEE NOTE ABOVE)
('000 sq yd)

Months : 1966-67	Original	Seas. Adj.
July	1,635	1,789
August	1,787	1,758
September	1,869	1,839
October	1,883	1,725
November	2,204	1,772
December	1,582	1,764
January	1,001	1,546
February	1,938	1,759
March	1,999	1,785
April	1,812	1,903
May	1,991	1,856



TABLE 4. - PRODUCTION OF WOVEN FABRIC, BLANKETS AND RUGS

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Period	Code No.	Woven Fabric (a) Produced						Total	Blankets	Rugs
		Wool-worsted		Woollen						
		Pure	Mixture	Blanketing and Rug Material		Other				
				Pure	Mixture	Pure	Mixture			
	372.02,06,18	372.04,08,20	372.38,42	372.40,44	372.22,26, 30,34,48	372.24,28, 32,36,50	(b)	372.70,72, 374.59		
								Number		
				- '000 sq yd -						
1963-64		8,524	2,674	9,679	1,435	9,093	3,423	34,828	2,175,591	193,483
1964-65		8,043	3,125	9,771	1,072	9,381	3,907	35,299	2,078,841	200,543
1965-66		7,164	2,867	8,466	735	9,114	4,202	32,548	1,720,857	173,976
Months :	1966-67									
	July	466	235	767	75	696	237	2,477	157,928	19,681
	August	537	228	765	93	768	254	2,645	154,314	22,368
	September	625	191	637	90	783	270	2,596	128,450	16,536
	October	518	157	679	102	885	324	2,663	133,163	16,059
	November	576	186	718	94	1,130	312	3,016	158,644	17,585
	December	381	130	527	85	852	219	2,194	110,379	9,684
	January	214	83	312	55	572	131	1,367	65,931	6,798
	February	476	169	689	129	1,023	270	2,756	137,621	14,385
	March	520	213	735	128	967	300	2,863	153,224	14,349
	April	483	207	788	117	880	242	2,717	159,247	13,214
	May	552	283	919	164	860	296	3,074	196,688	21,080
11 months ended May 1967		5,348	2,081	7,534	1,131	9,416	2,855	28,368	1,554,989	171,739
11 months ended May 1966		6,627	2,613	7,626	644	8,425	3,927	29,863	1,543,212	155,713
(a) Over 12 inches wide. (b) 372.52,54,56,58,60,62,64,66, 374.51,53,55,57.										
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