



COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS.

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WOOL TEXTILE INDUSTRY - WOOL WEAVING

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

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

PART A : WOVEN CLOTH PRODUCED ('000 sq.yds)

State	Worsted	Woollen	Worsted and Woollen	Other	Total
New South Wales	802	(a)	(a)	72	1,139
Victoria	541	731	(a)	(a)	1,501
Other States	111	(a)	-	(a)	347
TOTAL	1,454	1,226	104	203	2,987
Total made up as follows:-					
Cloth for Civilian Use -					
Suitings	851	(a)	(a)	-	868
Overcoating	(a)	142	(a)	(a)	176
Trouserings	80	(a)	(a)	(a)	127
Melanges	124	-	(a)	(a)	133
Serges	59	-	(a)	(a)	77
Mantles	99	327	(a)	(a)	455
Frockings	108	240	(a)	(a)	364
Tweeds	-	241	(a)	(a)	294
Flannel - Babywear	-	(a)	-	(a)	(a)
- Underwear	-	(a)	-	(a)	39
- Outerwear	(a)	142	(a)	(a)	169
Furnishing Fabrics	-	-	-	-	-
Upholstery Cloth	-	-	-	(a)	(a)
Other	58	56	(a)	(a)	180
Cloth for Govt. or Semi-Govt. Contracts	56	(a)	(a)	(a)	89
TOTAL (as above)	1,454	1,226	104	203	2,987

PART B : BLANKETS AND RUGS PRODUCED (Number)

Item	New South Wales	Victoria	All Other States	Total
Blankets:				
Double - Wool	(a)	17,368	(a)	33,895
Mixtures	-	(a)	-	(a)
Three-quarter - Wool	(a)	6,635	(a)	10,763
Mixtures	-	(a)	-	(a)
Single - Wool	(a)	13,888	(a)	26,148
Mixtures	-	1,481	-	1,481
Cot - Wool	-	3,955	2,557	6,512
Mixtures	-	-	-	-
TOTAL - Wool	8,937	41,846	26,535	77,318
Mixtures	-	2,600	-	2,600
All Blankets	8,937	44,446	26,535	79,918
Rugs-Wool and Mixtures	(a)	3,686	(a)	6,447

(a) Confidential. Not available for publication.
Comparative details for 1950-51, 1951-52 and series of months are shown overleaf.