

COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS, CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 30 : STORAGE BATTERIES - WET CELL (a)

JANUARY 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.

(Number)

Period		Automotive starting, lighting and ignition				Number of 2 volt cells for :		
		6 volt		12 volt		Radio, homelighter and fence batteries		Other batteries (b)
		New	Rebuilt	New	Rebuilt	New	Rebuilt	
	Code No.	685.13	685.15	685.17	685.19	685.33	685.35	685.43,45,53,55,63,65
1967-68		449,076	16,086	1,607,197	45,569	102,204	4,321	70,518
1968-69		429,338	14,123	1,667,446	44,244	81,335	3,403	91,882
1969-70		403,772	14,336	1,763,943	51,781	73,610	2,568	135,130
Months : 1969 December		24,629	817	115,881	4,029	4,686	113	11,538
1970 January		14,155	1,080	70,996	4,080	2,975	128	6,416
February		30,694	1,102	135,284	4,117	5,446	232	12,005
March		34,751	1,287	150,905	4,746	6,292	179	11,321
April		35,402	1,417	176,973	4,975	4,647	281	12,137
May		46,038	1,586	200,703	5,554	6,125	312	15,098
June		40,106	1,262	170,192	5,354	5,741	179	11,572
July		42,823	1,276	188,863	5,475	8,621	160	13,893
August		30,131	1,122	148,446	4,617	7,146	133	12,940
September		28,541	1,141	152,173	4,371	6,519	101	14,988
October		28,997	1,181	164,020	4,092	6,514	111	14,310
November		26,295	1,105	139,785	3,774	3,054	91	11,136
December		23,229	996	124,800	3,880	2,716	47	9,980
1971 January		15,444	1,007	76,965	4,228	2,480	23	5,696
7 months ended Jan. 1971		195,460	7,828	995,052	30,437	37,050	666	82,943
7 months ended Jan. 1970		216,781	7,682	929,886	27,035	45,359	1,385	72,997

(a) Includes dry charged batteries, but excludes dry-cell batteries. (b) Includes traction (industrial) and planté (power plant installations).

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