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PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 9 : ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES (a) - 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. This summary contains seasonally adjusted statistics of refrigerators (electric and gas) on page 3. In the seasonal adjustment, account has been taken not only of normal seasonal factors but also of "trading-day" effects (arising from the varying numbers of Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, etc. in the month) and the influence of Easter and Australia Day which may, in successive years, affect figures for different months. The seasonally adjusted figures have been revised following annual reanalysis. Details of the methods used in seasonally adjusting this and other series are given in "Seasonally Adjusted Indicators, 1971" (Ref.No. 1.10) issued on 2 July 1971.

(Number)

Period	Code No.	Vacuum cleaners		Hand irons		Dry shavers	Toasters		Hot water jugs	Coffee makers	Kettles
		692.02.04	693.51	Steam type	Dry type		693.61.63	699.01.03			
				693.78.86	86.715	209.943			661.21	661.23	699.22.23
1967-68		163,613	378,786	86,715	209,943	68,554	263,163	227,721	43,493	105,118	
1968-69		151,532	470,123	80,793	209,346	96,793	295,528	281,876	42,788	116,921	
1969-70		156,213	499,176	82,571	238,879	103,082	271,684	300,629	44,402	100,549	
Months : 1970											
April		15,457	41,682	10,613	17,280	10,466	26,099	36,867	4,619	11,699	
May		12,472	46,873	2,118	22,617	8,371	21,075	25,344	3,327	12,020	
June		11,750	40,634	4,936	27,816	7,655	26,878	23,380	3,368	9,210	
July		16,134	48,610	5,498	19,399	9,098	21,983	26,083	4,926	10,153	
August		12,289	32,044	11,389	18,003	8,369	24,719	21,689	2,884	7,083	
September		14,078	42,078	8,298	19,289	9,940	31,628	31,057	5,314	12,005	
October		16,016	44,443	9,880	12,509	9,439	26,973	31,749	3,554	7,225	
November		16,524	43,823	8,379	18,336	7,834	25,437	35,631	3,175	9,519	
December		13,725	35,195	3,920	19,172	7,981	20,680	24,055	2,734	8,594	
1971				18,394	4,693	4,082	14,238	13,993	(b)	4,577	
January		4,261									
February		15,490	45,123		13,888	6,578	20,702	27,150	(b)	7,951	
March		17,663	40,301	8,705	16,382	10,900	28,247	27,492	2,786	11,337	
April		15,867	43,102	6,494	14,581	12,049	25,681	24,765	3,769	7,802	
May		14,541	44,738	4,713	13,560	6,436	24,053	21,207	3,094	12,492	
11 months ended May 1971		156,588	427,549	77,576	169,812	92,706	264,341	284,871	36,262	98,738	
11 months ended May 1970		144,463	458,542	77,635	211,063	95,427	244,806	277,249	41,034	91,339	

(a) Domestic unless otherwise stated. Excludes stoves and hot water systems which are included in Production Summary No.13.
(b) Not available for publication. Ref. No. 12.16.9

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES - continued

(Number)

Period	Code No.	Frypans (a)	Mixers - beater and pulveriser type	Blankets (incl. mattress overlays) (b) - Low and mains voltage	Floor polishers (c)	Propeller type fans (complete) (d)	Radiators, electric fires and room heaters	
							With vis- ible heat- ing units	Other types
		661,33	691,01,02	699,81,85	692,22	696,01-05	651,11	651,13-17
1967-68		184,163	113,444	777,917	72,657	360,346	559,254	64,696
1968-69		248,113	136,669	807,817	52,963	415,669	737,208	66,257
1969-70		297,580	154,409	1,055,613	53,875	426,583	629,958	78,089
Months:								
1970 April		24,230	14,562	130,780	4,421	23,958	64,127	14,837
May		27,008	15,797	136,175	5,246	21,438	65,175	11,955
June		27,439	14,646	105,804	4,621	23,288	47,694	14,693
July		30,801	17,748	80,654	4,945	25,111	49,249	5,101
August		20,527	14,713	52,752	4,703	31,093	44,424	2,366
September		32,061	16,643	67,965	4,531	47,954	34,665	2,315
October		30,902	14,315	68,878	4,098	53,871	56,086	3,040
November		27,044	11,634	69,151	3,988	63,395	38,337	1,688
December		20,037	8,668	61,801	4,645	46,052	40,642	7,992
1971 January		11,881	5,342	38,435	2,127	15,375	16,451	
February		22,954	12,680	90,747	4,327	22,493	54,052	
March		24,106	11,892	105,332	4,607	16,294	73,175	14,510
April		27,236	15,606	106,129	3,486	17,717	64,082	16,190
May		25,214	15,036	87,810	3,170	22,412	57,726	19,195
11 months ended May 1971		272,763	144,277	829,654	44,627	361,767	521,111	80,175
11 months ended May 1970		270,141	139,763	949,809	49,254	403,295	582,264	63,396

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ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES - continued

(Number)

Period	Refrigerators (electric and gas)		Domestic freezers -upright type	Air conditioners			Total
	Original	Seasonally adjusted (a)		Room- refrigerated	Package unit		
			Up to 5 ton capacity		Over 5 ton capacity		
Code No.	657.32,41		657.53	657.03 05	657.21	657.22,23	
1967-68	245,138	..	(b)	30,509	3,447	1,207	35,163
1968-69	270,945	..	15,895	49,858	6,608	1,719	58,185
1969-70	247,158	..	14,728	39,266	5,940	1,262	46,468
Months : 1970							
April	19,449	r22,296	1,095	2,488	343	74	2,905
May	15,732	r18,687	1,085	2,136	387	122	2,645
June	18,523	r19,795	1,636	2,260	337	127	2,724
July	21,569	r19,427	1,359	2,893	303	188	3,384
August	20,275	r18,890	1,207	3,246	519	172	3,937
September	21,528	r18,397	1,694	3,646	623	197	4,466
October	22,046	r17,870	1,348	4,069	678	130	4,877
November	24,020	r20,069	1,314	4,587	889	173	5,649
December	19,636	r20,044	1,198	3,984	654	154	4,792
1971							
January	13,278	r19,720	886	1,876	332	50	2,258
February	18,431	r19,931	1,353	2,434	358	136	2,928
March	22,953	r21,582	1,339	1,898	398	101	2,397
April	18,480	r23,484	1,725	1,863	369	159	2,391
May	18,828	22,485	1,346	1,671	408	117	2,196
11 months ended							
May 1971	221,044	..	14,769	32,167	5,531	1,577	39,275
11 months ended							
May 1970	228,635	..	13,092	37,006	5,603	1,135	43,744

(a) See note at top of page 1. (b) Not collected prior to July 1968.

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ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES - continued

(Number)

Period	Dish-washing machines	Clothes washing machines					Rotary clothes dryers	Clothes drying cabinets (complete with heating units)
		Fully automatic (a)	Semi automatic (b)	Wringer drying	Spin drying - twin tub	Total		
Code No.	699.31	693.02	693.06	693.12	693.18		693.25	693.26, 27
1967-68	4,690	91,487	25,455	74,544	86,862	278,348	7,129	28,531
1968-69	(c)	102,320	32,103	76,051	92,103	302,577	9,260	32,907
1969-70	3,777	107,728	29,877	73,362	105,246	316,213	8,616	26,739
Months : 1970 April	343	10,479	2,690	7,097	10,008	30,274	1,240	5,736
May	307	10,397	2,299	6,206	10,528	29,430	1,252	5,865
June	274	9,311	3,423	5,829	10,323	28,886	1,794	5,377
July	387	10,359	2,369	5,106	9,662	27,496	1,951	3,320
August	397	8,872	2,120	5,003	6,291	22,286	640	2,096
September	427	9,932	2,069	4,928	9,812	26,741	570	1,119
October	555	9,435	1,943	5,659	11,293	28,330	331	208
November	393	8,694	1,691	5,329	10,307	26,021	371	173
December	373	7,678	1,294	4,394	7,226	20,592	416	181
1971 January	(d)	5,361	1,211	3,763	5,246	15,581	389	273
February	(d)	8,227	1,636	3,977	8,698	22,538	522	963
March	(d)	11,385	1,644	7,226	11,408	31,663	1,029	2,229
April	(d)	10,330	1,516	4,598	9,689	26,133	1,198	3,230
May	(d)	12,239	1,959	5,199	9,136	28,533	2,451	4,159
11 months ended May 1971	(d)	102,512	19,452	55,182	98,768	275,914	9,868	17,951
11 months ended May 1970	3,503	98,417	26,454	67,533	94,923	287,327	6,822	21,362

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