

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS  
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 14 : COTTON GOODS

NOVEMBER, 1964

The figures for 1961-62 and 1962-63 are derived from the Annual Factory Census. It should be noted that, in some cases, returns are accepted from factories for a year other than the normal financial year ending on 30th June. Subsequent figures represent the recorded monthly production and are subject to revision.

TABLE 1. - COTTON YARN AND SEWING THREAD  
(Thousand lb.)

|                                                                                                        |          | (Thousand lb.) |                      |          |           |        | COTTON SEWING THREAD |                            |                            |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------------|----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| Period                                                                                                 | Code No. | COTTON YARN    |                      |          |           |        | For Household Use    | For Industrial Use         |                            |             |
|                                                                                                        |          | Weaving        |                      | Knitting | All Other | Total  |                      | 8s - 18s<br>(Heavy Counts) | Over 18s<br>(Light Counts) |             |
|                                                                                                        |          | Condenser      | Other (incl. Carpet) |          |           | Pure   |                      |                            |                            | Mixture (a) |
|                                                                                                        |          | 364            |                      |          |           |        | 368.02,04            | 368.08                     | 368.06                     |             |
| 1961-62                                                                                                |          | 3,726          | 30,523               | 7,569    | 1,527     | 42,473 | 872                  | 103.7                      | 479                        | 1,380       |
| 1962-63                                                                                                |          | 3,885          | 31,416               | 9,137    | 2,246     | 45,640 | 1,044                | 105.8                      | 571                        | 1,595       |
| 1963-64                                                                                                |          | 4,133          | 36,078               | 12,515   | 2,458     | 54,215 | 968                  | 109.3                      | 562                        | 1,493       |
| Months: 1964-65                                                                                        |          |                |                      |          |           |        |                      |                            |                            |             |
| July                                                                                                   |          | 394            | 3,712                | 1,366    | 343       | 5,748  | 67                   | 7.25                       | 56.6                       | 174         |
| August                                                                                                 |          | 359            | 3,365                | 1,331    | 246       | 5,235  | 66                   | 10.31                      | 48.4                       | 198         |
| September                                                                                              |          | 379            | 3,553                | 1,593    | 275       | 5,678  | 122                  | 10.27                      | 39.2                       | 140         |
| October                                                                                                |          | 262            | 3,431                | 1,359    | 374       | 5,330  | 96                   | 14.13                      | 53.1                       | 154         |
| November                                                                                               |          | 284            | 3,166                | 1,185    | 334       | 4,896  | 73                   | 12.90                      | 64.2                       | 136         |
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| 5 months ended November, 1964                                                                          |          | 1,678          | 17,227               | 6,834    | 1,572     | 26,887 | 424                  | 54.9                       | 261                        | 802         |
| 5 months ended November, 1963                                                                          |          | 1,726          | 15,173               | 4,883    | 970       | 22,475 | 277                  | 48.8                       | 244                        | 707         |

(a) Predominantly Cotton

See Table 2 for details of Cotton Woven Fabric Production.

TABLE 2. - COTTON WOVEN FABRIC (excluding Towelling)  
( '000 square yards)

| Period                        | WOVEN FABRIC (OVER 12" WIDE) OF, OR PREDOMINANTLY OF COTTON |                    |              |            |                           |           | Total  |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------|
|                               | Duck and Canvas                                             | Drills, Jeans etc. | Cotton Tweed | Denims     | Upholstery and Furnishing | Other (a) |        |
| Code No.                      | 373.10, 12                                                  | 373.14, 16         | 373.18, 20   | 272.22, 24 | 373.46, 48                | (b)       |        |
| 1961-62                       | 9,779                                                       | 16,252             | 1,138        | 924        | 1,491                     | 16,045    | 45,629 |
| 1962-64                       | 11,511                                                      | 16,059             | 1,214        | 1,788      | 831                       | 15,685    | 47,088 |
| 1963-64                       | 12,307                                                      | 17,734             | 951          | 2,176      | 1,108                     | 18,820    | 53,096 |
| Months: 1964-65               |                                                             |                    |              |            |                           |           |        |
| July                          | 1,251                                                       | 1,581              | 98           | 302        | 93                        | 1,753     | 5,078  |
| August                        | 1,209                                                       | 1,561              | 109          | 308        | 73                        | 1,682     | 4,942  |
| September                     | 1,393                                                       | 1,695              | 101          | 387        | 118                       | 1,833     | 5,527  |
| October                       | 1,377                                                       | 1,655              | 117          | 371        | 109                       | 2,019     | 5,648  |
| November                      | 1,170                                                       | 1,375              | 95           | 221        | 101                       | 1,883     | 4,845  |
| 5 months ended November, 1964 | 6,400                                                       | 7,867              | 520          | 1,589      | 494                       | 9,170     | 26,040 |
| 5 months ended November, 1963 | 4,869                                                       | 7,478              | 430          | 860        | 480                       | 7,739     | 21,856 |

(a) Includes Sheeting, Calico, Shirting, Dress Fabric and other close weave Cotton Piece Goods but excludes Cotton Tyre Cord Fabric and open weave cotton piece goods. (b) Code Nos. 373.26, 28, 30, 32, 38, 42, 44, 50, 54.

See table 3 for details of Towelling, Towels and Napkins Production.

TABLE 3. - TOWELLING, TOWELS AND NAPKINS

| Period                        | Code No. | TOWELLING (TURKISH AND/OR TERRY) |                     |                              | TOWELS (WIDTH BASIS)   |                                 |                                 |             | Baby<br>Napkins |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|
|                               |          | Used in Producing Works          |                     | For Other<br>Purposes<br>(a) | Up to and<br>incl. 15" | Over 15" Up to and<br>incl. 22" | Over 22" Up to and<br>incl. 30" | Over<br>30" |                 |
|                               |          | For<br>Towels                    | For Baby<br>Napkins |                              |                        |                                 |                                 |             |                 |
|                               |          | 373.02,03                        | 373.04,05           | 373.06,07                    | 373.58                 | 373.60                          | 373.62                          | 373.64      | 373.68          |
|                               |          | Thousand sq. yards.              |                     |                              | Thousand dozen         |                                 |                                 |             | Thousand dozen  |
| 1961-62                       |          | 7,091                            | 1,127               | 970                          | 109.4                  | 122.4                           | 520.9                           | 9.7         | 194.7           |
| 1962-63                       |          | 6,857                            | 1,026               | 942                          | 135.5                  | 108.9                           | 479.0                           | 6.0         | 174.3           |
| 1963-64                       |          | 8,211                            | 1,048               | 959                          | 128.5                  | 117.2                           | 571.8                           | 6.2         | 208.3           |
| Months : 1964-65              |          |                                  |                     |                              |                        |                                 |                                 |             |                 |
| July                          |          | 791                              | 107                 | 101                          | 13.8                   | 11.9                            | 52.0                            | 1.2         | 15.3            |
| August                        |          | 861                              | 69                  | 101                          | 12.1                   | 10.6                            | 54.5                            | 1.5         | 13.4            |
| September                     |          | 911                              | 89                  | 110                          | 14.4                   | 8.8                             | 52.5                            | 1.4         | 17.5            |
| October                       |          | 750                              | 88                  | 112                          | 13.0                   | 8.7                             | 48.8                            | 1.1         | 16.2            |
| November                      |          | 847                              | 104                 | 111                          | 15.2                   | 10.8                            | 55.4                            | 0.8         | 19.8            |
| 5 months ended November, 1964 |          | 4,160                            | 457                 | 535                          | 68.5                   | 50.8                            | 263                             | 6.0         | 82.2            |
| 5 months ended November, 1963 |          | 3,595                            | 556                 | 464                          | 57.5                   | 48.7                            | 252                             | 3.6         | 105.1           |

(a) In own works or for sale.

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