

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 17 : WOOL TEXTILE INDUSTRY

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WOOL WEAVING

SEPTEMBER, 1966

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.

TABLE 1. - WOVEN FABRIC (OVER 12" WIDE) PRODUCED - SEPTEMBER, 1966

(Square yard)

State	Wool-Worsted or predominantly Wool-Worsted	Woollen or Predominantly Woollen		Total
		Blanketing and Rug Material	Other	
New South Wales	433,494	147,364	150,834	731,692
Victoria	344,241	326,351	507,235	1,177,827
Other States	37,987	250,729	394,829	683,545
TOTAL	815,722	724,444	1,052,898	2,593,064
Total - Pure	624,708	637,058	783,032	2,044,798
Mixture	191,014	87,386	269,866	548,266

TABLE 2. - WOVEN BLANKETS AND RUGS PRODUCED - SEPTEMBER, 1966

(Number)

Item	Pure	Mixture (a)	Total
Blankets - Double	42,787	4,019	46,806
Threequarters	(b)	(b)	14,075
Single	54,160	8,790	62,950
Cot	(b)	(b)	5,363
TOTAL	114,002	15,192	129,194
Rugs	9,335	7,201	16,536

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

(b) Not available for separate publication.



TABLE 3. - 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	
- Thousand sq. yds. -								Number		
1963-64		8,524	2,674	9,679	1,435	9,093	3,423	34,828	2,175,596	193,483
1964-65		8,043	3,125	9,771	1,072	9,381	3,907	35,299	2,078,890	200,543
1965-66		7,164	2,867	8,412	735	9,114	4,202	32,494	1,720,857	173,976
Months :	1966-67									
	July	466	236	767	75	696	237	2,477	160,941	17,761
	August	537	228	765	93	768	254	2,645	158,786	20,898
	September	624	191	637	88	783	270	2,593	129,194	16,536
3 months ended September, 1966		1,627	655	2,169	256	2,247	761	7,715	448,921	55,195
3 months ended September, 1965		2,065	916	2,206	144	2,189	947	8,467	456,320	42,500
(a) Over 12 inches wide. (b) 372.52,54,56,58,60,62,64,66, 374.51,53,55,57.										
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