

Production Summary No. 48

PAINTS

November, 1949.

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

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS.

Period	Paints			Colours		Kalso- mine	Lacquer Nitro- Cellulose		Lacquer Thinners	Enamels	Synthetic Finishes		
	Water	Oil (Ready Mixed)	Other (a)	Dry	Ground in Oil		Clear	Colours			Clear	Colours	Thinners
	'000 lb.	'000 gals.	'000 gals.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 gals.	'000 gals.	'000 gals.	'000 gals.	'000 gals.	'000 gals.	'000 gals.
						<u>Annual Total</u>							
Year : 1947-48 (b)	10,336	3,495	508	8,397	802	8,118	166	715	1,029	622	50	721	111
						<u>Monthly Totals</u>							
Month, 1949.													
July	601	191	60.8	52	87	249	8.8	40.1	65.3	29.0	18.0	53.4	5.6
August	1,412	301	79.0	331	144	481	9.0	51.3	88.0	44.7	20.0	70.2	10.2
September	1,561	382	64.2	553	234	627	15.9	75.6	96.8	54.7	24.1	115.5	12.9
October	1,641	359	52.9	666	140	840	7.6	66.2	99.5	45.7	21.7	110.1	9.4
November	1,669	397	99.1	678	192	1,027	17.1	78.3	120.4	53.4	24.2	120.0	12.5

(a) Including Bituminous. (b) Figures for full year 1948-49 not yet available.