



AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 16 : WOOL TEXTILE INDUSTRY
WOOLLEN AND WORSTED CARDING, COMBING AND SPINNING

SEPTEMBER, 1964

The figures for 1961-62 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.

('000 lb.)

Period	WOOL-WORSTED CARDING AND COMBING			WOOLLEN CARDING AND SPINNING					
	Pure Woll Tops (a)		Noils (Pure Wool including Dyed)	Weaving (excl. Carpet)		Woollen Yarn		Total	
	Noble Combed	French Combed				Pure	Mixture		
				Code No.	242.33	242.35	242.43	363.	
1961-62	39,768	6,385	4,498	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	19,265	5,071
1962-63	40,150	8,257	4,638	15,162	3,872	4,936	3,360	20,098	7,232
1963-64	41,621	9,257	4,784	15,773	3,244	4,589	4,684	20,362	7,927
Month : 1964-65									
July	3,357	662	311	1,534	291	337	550	1,871	841
August	3,129	711	327	1,274	288	334	485	1,608	773
September	3,272	695	352	1,546	285	379	551	1,925	836
3 Months ended Sept., 1964	9,758	2,068	990	4,354	864	1,050	1,586	5,404	2,450
3 Months ended Sept., 1963	10,871	2,384	1,247	3,807	803	1,065	1,208	4,872	2,011

(a) "Top" is sliver for worsted drawing in any of the forms of ball-top, bump-top or sliver taken direct into drawing without balling or bumping.
 (b) Not available separately.

See Table 2 for details of Wool-Worsted Yarn Production.

TABLE 2

Period	WOOL-WORSTED DRAWING AND SPINNING (CC. No. 363)							
	Weaving		Machine Knitting		Fingering (a)		Total	
	Pure	Mixtures Predom. Wool-worsted	Pure	Mixtures Predom. Wool-worsted	Pure	Mixtures Predom. Wool-worsted	Pure	Mixtures Predom. Wool-worsted
1961-62	5,566	1,287	9,386	1,280	4,031	1,407	18,973	3,974
1962-63	6,414	1,736	10,370	1,247	3,340	1,403	20,124	4,386
1963-64	4,991	(b)	10,341	1,377	3,973	(b)	19,305	4,546
Month : 1964-65								
July	495	(b)	675	102	391	(b)	1,561	360
August	537	(b)	699	89	308	(b)	1,544	323
September	559	(b)	865	121	316	(b)	1,740	380
3 Months ended Sept., 1964	1,591	(b)	2,239	312	1,015	(b)	4,845	1,063
3 Months ended Sept., 1963	1,338	(b)	2,120	330	1,027	(b)	4,485	1,187

(a) Includes "Other" wool-worsted yarn.

(b) Not available for publication.

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