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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This bulletin contains statistics of production in Australia of mines and factory products. Production statistics for the Australian Capital Territory and the Northern Territory are included. An alphabetical index of these products is given on pages 2, 3, 4 and 5.

2. The following details are shown for each product:

- (a) Annual totals for the latest three complete financial years;
- (b) Monthly details for each of the latest fourteen months;
- (c) Cumulative totals from July 1972 to date;
- (d) Cumulative totals for the corresponding period twelve months earlier.

3. The figures for the year 1969-70 are mostly derived from Annual Factory Census returns collected by the Deputy Commonwealth Statistician in each State. In a small number of cases returns are accepted from factories for a year other than the normal financial year ending on 30 June.

4. The monthly figures are also based for the most part on returns collected by the Deputy Commonwealth Statisticians. Where another authority is the source, this is shown in a footnote. Monthly figures from July 1971 onwards may be revised when the results of the Annual Factory Census for 1971-72 become available.

5. The commodity production data contained in this bulletin were collected from those establishments classified to division C (Manufacturing) as defined in the Australian Standard Industrial Classification, Preliminary Edition 1969, Vol.1. Commodity production data was also collected from those mining, retail and wholesale establishments with sales and transfers out of goods of own manufacture in excess of \$10,000.

6. Further details in respect of many of the items will be found on an annual basis in the bulletin "Manufacturing Commodities - Principal Articles Produced" (Reference No. 12.26) and on a monthly basis, in the Monthly Production Summaries (Reference No. 12.16), issued by this Bureau.

7. The bulletin contains seasonally adjusted statistics of several items. 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. Details of the methods used in seasonally adjusting these and other series are given in "Seasonally Adjusted Indicators 1972" (Reference No. 1.10).

8. Most items are identified by Commodity Codes which are derived from the Commodity Classification used in Australian Factory Statistics. In some cases where data is derived from sources other than Factory Collections, no Commodity Code is shown.

9. Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in tables are due to rounding.

The following symbols are used in this bulletin:

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		Iron ore pellets (c)	Pig iron (d)	Ingot steel (d)		Blooms and slabs	Tin-plate	Copper	Lead (f)	Tin	Zinc	Precious metals	
				Original	Seas. adj. (e)							Gold (g)	Silver
Code No.		442.04, 08	442.10-19		442.28	444.48	452.04	453.04	456.04	457.04	455.04	455.64	
		'000 tons	- '000 tonnes				tons	'000 tons	tons	'000 tons	- '000 fine oz -		
Year 1969-70		5,728	5,769	6,874	..	5,695	290	103,680	186	4,637	258	527	10,581
1970-71		6,613	6,240	6,800	..	5,765	309	113,500	152	5,848	250	464	3,162
1971-72		5,919	6,072	6,585	..	5,551	317	128,759	188	6,290	270	527	3,712
Month - 1972 February		352	444	497	557	433	26.0	10,035	14.8	511	21.7	43.7	650
March		399	498	530	512	358	28.4	11,859	15.0	401	24.1	42.5	722
April		438	478	492	526	434	24.5	9,555	13.9	541	23.0	49.0	698
May		523	532	543	528	503	19.6	12,265	16.6	460	25.1	46.4	848
June		467	497	491	490	440	16.3	11,358	16.3	707	21.9	40.0	742
July		569	542	555	539	513	15.3	11,438	14.6	324	26.2	53.4	952
August		551	553	626	612	529	17.2	12,797	15.3	444	24.5	46.3	631
September		515	576	605	604	523	13.7	9,229	12.1	858	25.5	66.1	597
October		566	626	645	622	521	18.4	12,546	13.7	659	26.2	39.3	648
November		698	629	655	651	555	20.7	11,695	13.7	661	24.7	36.3	550
December		757	646	612	584	488	21.7	11,544	15.3	710	25.9	36.8	713
1973 January		806	611	600	612	504	23.2	10,708	13.8	560	23.8	34.6	795
February		678	542	550	639	494	20.5	11,092	13.6	562	21.1	28.3	502
March		883	646	636	611	547	25.3		14.9	799	25.6	44.2	
9 months ended March 1972		4,492	4,553	4,982	..	4,134	246	95,581	141	4,582	200	392	6,424
9 months ended March 1973		6,023	5,370	5,483	..	4,674	176		127	5,577	223	395	

(a) Year ended 31 May for all items except iron ore pellets. (b) Primary origin only. Except for gold, non-ferrous refined metal production data are collected by the Bureau of Mineral Resources. (c) Gross wet weight. (d) Includes recovery from scrap and continuous cast billets. (e) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes. (f) Includes lead content of lead alloys from primary sources but excludes lead-silver bullion produced for export. (g) Newly-won gold of Australian origin. Source : Reserve Bank.

Period	Metal- lurgical coke	Black coal		Brown coal	Brown coal bri- quettes	Gas (a) Thermal equivalent (d)	Electricity (b)				Electro- des for manual welding
		Original	Season- ally adjusted (c)				Hydro	Thermal	Total		
									Original	Season- ally adjusted (c)	
Code No.	435.22	261.02		261.31	261.41	434.19	499.44	499.46	499.42		523.76-78
		- '000 tons -				- mil. therms -	- mil. kWh -				'000 lb
Year 1969-70	3,969	47,759	..	23,927	1,539	542	n.a.	n.a.	53,887	..	51,301
1970-71	4,470	48,935	..	22,814	1,376	r301	11,854	46,120	57,974	..	53,410
1971-72	4,123	52,886	..	23,257	1,308	1,040	11,793	49,115	60,908	..	51,684
Month - 1972											
February	310	5,013	4,741	1,266	46	70.2	924	3,516	4,440	4,908	3,121
March	337	5,450	5,046	2,018	108	84.4	854	4,091	4,945	5,169	3,922
April	327	3,766	4,816	1,922	100	92.3	724	4,064	4,788	5,217	3,701
May	360	5,850	5,297	2,187	126	107.8	894	4,531	5,425	5,040	5,022
June	373	5,509	5,826	2,177	127	120.8	972	4,734	5,706	5,204	4,461
July	405	5,217	4,695	2,252	126	128.2	1,038	5,023	6,061	5,264	3,895
August	424	4,912	4,937	2,086	126	128.0	1,091	4,755	5,846	5,172	4,273
September	410	4,935	4,798	2,069	104	114.5	1,021	4,221	5,242	5,025	4,228
October	423	5,717	5,189	2,084	99	117.0	1,021	4,387	5,408	5,423	4,337
November	404	5,818	5,019	1,577	88	105.2	1,054	4,061	5,114	5,384	4,379
December	428	3,800	4,975	1,900	67	101.5	740	4,301	5,042	5,569	2,610
1973											
January	427	3,145	4,177	1,719	87	108.6	r793	4,215	5,008	5,559	2,473
February	370	4,640	4,611	1,747	93	r97.5	829	r3,828	r4,657	r5,347	3,542
March	374	5,278	4,868	1,809	93	116.6	1,010	4,348	5,358	5,554	3,789
9 months ended March 1972	3,063	37,760	..	16,971	955	720	9,203	35,786	44,988	..	38,500
9 months ended March 1973	3,666	43,461	..	17,242	882	1,017	8,598	39,138	47,737	..	33,526

(a) Includes natural gas. (b) Estimated total electricity generated by public utilities, factories generating for their own use, and factories supplying electricity for domestic and other consumption. (c) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes. (d) 1 Therm = 100,000 British thermal units.

Period	Code No.	Petroleum refinery input and products (a)							Steel wire and wire products			
		Input (b)	Motor spirit	Aviation turbine fuel	Furnace fuel	Auto- motive dis- tillate	Indus- trial diesel fuel	Bitumen	Coiled steel wire		Barbed wire	Welded wire fabric
									Uncoated	Coated		
									448.04	448.06, 08	448.12	463.08
Year		'000 tons	- mil. gal -			- '000 tons					- tons -	
1969-70		23,031	2,110	235	5,987	2,954	1,080	441	296	135	16,223	154,813
1970-71		22,604	2,230	319	5,700	3,127	1,102	436	275	98	12,464	155,668
1971-72		23,678	2,334	371	4,935	3,372	1,095	444	286	108	14,935	156,900
Month - 1972												
February		1,740	186	36.3	322	275	58.9	37.5	19.1	8.1	1,119	11,633
March		1,874	194	32.1	393	265	68.7	49.9	23.0	9.9	1,530	13,721
April		2,061	207	31.4	380	312	81.6	44.3	20.5	9.0	1,279	12,471
May		2,022	206	28.6	403	313	99.6	39.6	26.2	11.0	1,605	16,279
June		1,587	165	19.5	346	215	65.1	31.1	24.5	9.8	1,412	13,041
July		1,006	101	5.9	218	126	59.5	21.9	25.1	9.3	1,530	13,870
August		2,056	189	25.1	424	291	85.4	34.5	25.3	10.6	1,621	15,601
September		2,239	205	32.2	424	304	109.6	34.1	25.9	9.2	1,332	13,935
October		2,287	232	34.2	479	328	93.9	43.6	24.3	9.5	1,327	13,813
November		2,178	218	34.6	441	322	104.7	49.6	25.7	10.1	1,320	16,514
December		2,305	251	35.6	438	351	109.4	49.3	21.6	6.9	1,095	12,185
1973 January		2,062	204	33.1	488	335	59.1	34.9	24.6	8.1	1,047	12,464
February		1,907	199	31.0	361	279	81.3	37.7	22.3	11.7	1,351	13,622
March		1,888	195	22.5	378	333	65.3	42.9	27.7	10.8	1,605	12,129
9 months ended March 1972		18,008	1,755	292	3,806	2,532	848	329	215	78.6	10,639	115,109
9 months ended March 1973		17,917	1,793	254	3,651	2,670	768	349	224	86.0	12,228	128,133

- (a) Produced by Australian refineries from imported and indigenous petroleum. Source : Department of Minerals and Energy.
 (b) Includes the input of crude, enriched crude and other petroleum based feedstock.

Period	Steel wire and wire products - contd			Ferrous pipes and tubes		Non-ferrous rolled, extruded and drawn products					Electric and telephone cable, wire and strip	
	Wire nails	Fence posts and drop-pers	Steel wool	Seamless and welded (a) steel	Cast iron	Pipes and tubes (b)	Rods, bars, and sections	Sheet, plate, strip, etc. (c)	Wire rod	Single wire and wire strip (d)	Uninsulated	
											Stranded	Copper-Braided or other-wise combined
Code No.	465.16, 17	461.09	854.01	447.01-19	447.50, 51,55	(e)	451.40; 452.16, 46	451.50 453.50	451.61; 452.22, 52	451.63; 452.25, 56	464.12-17	464.24
Year	- tons -			- '000 tons -		- '000 cwt -					'000 cwt	cwt
1969-70	24,186	60,947	1,422	321	114	508	1,190	1,135	1,546	1,355	457	1,683
1970-71	23,920	36,634	1,528	317	105	532	1,159	1,245	1,657	1,354	538	2,213
1971-72	23,908	40,992	1,641	262	98	484	1,160	1,314	1,569	1,301	458	2,608
Month	- 1972 -			- 1972 -		- 1972 -					- 1972 -	- 1972 -
February	1,862	2,751	121	18.7	8.26	36.9	73	86	124	93	35.3	216
March	2,219	4,576	152	20.5	8.19	45.2	107	120	135	126	43.4	310
April	2,074	4,014	123	19.7	6.65	35.5	88	86	118	106	34.1	157
May	2,394	4,909	164	25.8	8.95	32.8	101	116	131	107	33.8	296
June	2,070	4,299	152	26.5	8.27	36.2	97	110	153	123	36.3	227
July	2,105	4,333	125	23.5	8.49	43.1	100	115	140	r106	34.5	189
August	2,266	4,555	132	29.9	9.20	46.1	114	120	135	r101	33.9	300
September	2,295	2,954	108	28.5	8.25	56.8	104	108	136	r109	33.0	259
October	2,268	3,452	124	26.0	8.56	r52.9	106	127	138	r117	28.9	225
November	2,239	3,309	153	30.6	8.39	51.2	118	150	131	r108	30.3	294
December	1,685	3,306	115	23.6	6.60	60.6	96	127	141	r114	40.7	216
1973 January	1,319	3,976	112	20.8	4.19	17.0	70	108	45	r33	10.2	84
February	2,167	4,307	135	33.5	6.80	51.3	120	145	173	r113	42.7	214
March	2,350	6,124	161	30.1	8.82	59.0	132	135	160	130	39.5	266
9 months ended	March 1972			March 1972		March 1972					March 1972	March 1972
March 1972	17,370	27,770	1,201	190	74.4	380	875	1,003	1,166	965	354	1,928
March 1973	18,694	36,316	1,165	246	69.3	438	960	1,136	1,199	930	294	2,047

(a) Diameter 3" and under. (b) Excludes hollow rods and bars. (c) Includes aluminium alloys and lead alloys and tin coated lead. Circles, slugs, calots etc., stamped from purchased or imported sheet or strip are not included. Where stamped from sheet or strip produced in own works, the weight of metal included in the statistics is that of the circles, etc., and not weight of the sheet or strip from which they are stamped. (d) Drawn from rod (excl. re-drawn). (e) Code Nos 451.21, 29; 452.12, 42; 453.20.

Period	Electric and telephone cable, wire and strip - contd						Electrical power frequencies transformers, chokes and ballasts (a)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
	Insulated						For transmission and distribution of power	For fluores- cent and neon lighting and signs - Not cathode	For radio and T.V.	For other purposes (incl. for elec- trical welding equip- ment)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
	Copper		Aluminium (all types) (c)	Auto- motive and similar low voltage	Magnet winding wire and strip (d)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
	Power trans- mission and dis- tribu- tion (b)	Communi- cation elec- tronics and appli- ances (b)			Con- ductor diameter 0.010" or less	Other																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					
											Code No.	464.31- 38	464.41- 43	464.39	464.51	464.61	464.62, 63	683.03- 11	683.53- 61	683.13, 16,18	649.51, 55	683.31,41, 42,45																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					

(a) Includes those made and incorporated by manufacturers in their own products. Excludes audio, input R.F., and higher frequencies types and automotive coils. (b) Weight of copper content only. (c) Weight of aluminium content only. (d) Total weight.

Period		Chemicals							Plastic and synthetic resins (a)				
		Acids (in terms of 100% acid)				Chlorine	Sodium hydroxide (caustic soda)	Sulphate of ammonia	Superphosphate (b)	For moulding, extrusion, etc.	For protective coating, paints, etc.	For bonding and adhesive	For other purposes (c)
		Hydrochloric	Nitric	Sulphuric	Seas. adj. (d)								
	Code No.	401.29	401.37	401.57	405.82	407.88	405.36	415.07 405.25	403.02 18-96	(e)	404.34, 76.90, 96	404.36, 64, 78.84, 98	
		- tons -		'000 tons	- tons			'000 tons	- '000 cwt -				
Year	1969-70	37,439	123,617	1,734	..	90,139	110,659	106,339	3,522	3,064	725	500	120
	1970-71	42,524	117,976	1,586	..	91,928	117,753	174,206	3,066	3,519	809	612	100
	1971-72	47,896	143,918	1,722	..	101,206	130,102	187,777	3,638	4,186	879	558	103
Month - 1972	February	4,203	5,759	131	121	9,524	12,414	11,956	243	369	66.8	38.1	6.86
	March	4,021	8,065	128	117	7,915	9,905	14,585	380	357	77.2	49.9	8.19
	April	4,131	17,151	182	170	9,054	11,539	20,259	423	346	71.3	48.2	5.65
	May	4,240	19,788	182	176	7,935	10,197	21,638	471	401	87.1	48.7	10.33
	June	3,439	9,034	175	216	8,135	10,148	15,954	347	388	68.1	53.6	8.92
	July	3,323	8,399	123	182	8,068	9,821	17,884	194	284	67.6	48.7	7.38
	August	4,357	14,451	145	156	7,694	9,906	18,820	309	310	74.8	50.0	9.29
	September	4,001	11,784	161	142	9,822	11,744	19,420	333	418	76.9	53.8	7.29
	October	5,151	15,261	192	183	8,749	9,953	21,931	345	427	83.3	48.2	9.76
	November	3,563	13,178	170	166	8,443	10,110	20,779	359	399	98.9	45.3	11.41
	December	3,138	14,449	199	189	8,244	10,268	19,366	406	428	68.9	41.4	8.66
	1973 January	4,089	8,655	211	195	9,411	11,878	19,212	416	455	40.9	35.0	5.56
	February	2,550	12,710	196	189	5,553	6,713	15,592	443	397	85.7	42.3	12.32
	March	972	12,525	193	175	4,275	4,860	15,081	449	370	88.7	92.2	10.06
9 months ended March 1972		36,086	97,945	1,183	..	76,082	98,218	129,926	2,397	3,050	652	408	77.7
9 months ended March 1973		31,144	111,412	1,590	..	70,259	85,253	168,085	3,252	3,488	686	457	81.7

(a) Liquid resins or emulsion forms are shown in terms of dry weight of resin content. (b) Includes double and triple superphosphate and ammonium phosphate expressed in terms of single superphosphate i.e. 22% P₂O₅ equivalent. (c) e.g. textile impregnation, paper treatment, etc. (d) See para. 6, page 1, Explanatory Notes. (e) Code Nos 404.01, 02, 32, 40, 48, 62, 74, 88, 94.

Period		Code No.	Plasti- cisers	Plastics film, sheeting and coated materials			Building materials					
			All types	Unsup- ported plastics film, foil and sheeting	Plastics coated materials		Bricks (a)	Concrete blocks(in terms of 16"x8"x8" blocks)	Roofing tiles	Portland cement		Plaster of Paris
					Poly- ethylene (b)	Other (c)			(Terracotta and concrete)	Original	Season- ally adj.(d)	
			407.02, 04.08	423.02- 65	424.42, 43.45	(e)	(f)	475.27	472.12 : 475.30	474.02	479.22	
			'000 cwt	'000 lb	- '000 sq yd -		- million -			- '000 tons -		
Year	1969-70		375	106,604	39,393	36,501	1,801	66.2	182	4,428	298	
	1970-71		352	119,341	59,865	33,106	1,786	68.3	177	4,611	304	
	1971-72		400	138,918	56,347	34,290	1,895	66.6	195	4,728	312	
Month -	1972											
	February		28.8	19,621	3,850	2,484	160	5.40	14.9	343	22.8	
	March		34.9	12,658	5,392	3,616	168	6.03	18.6	423	31.9	
	April		38.7	12,643	4,382	2,623	152	5.25	16.6	411	2.17	
	May		42.5	13,918	3,870	2,828	182	6.42	20.6	428	30.9	
	June		35.5	13,993	3,080	3,315	171	6.08	17.6	422	27.9	
	July		36.6	12,859	4,990	2,655	162	6.19	17.0	427	26.0	
	August		37.8	13,999	6,718	2,975	176	6.63	20.0	435	31.2	
	September		36.5	14,189	3,273	3,203	182	6.51	18.5	421	31.1	
	October		40.4	14,647	7,290	3,236	181	6.99	19.3	436	29.6	
	November		38.0	13,768	6,876	3,214	184	7.14	20.2	454	32.7	
	December		28.3	11,705	2,432	3,034	154	5.59	13.8	371	25.4	
	1973											
	January		29.2	10,660	4,246	1,763	145	5.21	12.1	308	18.0	
	February		26.6	13,660	5,171	3,082	165	6.48	18.0	369	30.1	
	March		34.8	15,455	4,716	3,681	185	7.11	20.4	453	29.8	
9 months ended March 1972			283	98,364	45,015	25,524	1,390	50.9	140	3,466	231	
9 months ended March 1973			308	120,944	45,713	26,843	1,533	57.8	159	3,673	254	

(a) Clay, concrete and silica lime. (b) On regenerated cellulose film, aluminium foil and paper or paperboard.

(c) On knitted or woven textile materials, paper or paperboard. Includes plastic coated materials. (d) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes. (e) Code Nos 424.30, 32, 33, 51. (f) Code Nos 472.01, 03; 475.21, 23; 479.45, 47.

Period	Building materials - continued						Paints etc.		
	Sawn Australian grown timber (a)	Mineral wool (bonded, loose and gran- ulated)	Lignocel- lulose boards and sheets Softboard and straw- board (b)	Asbestos cement building sheets (c)	Plastic building materials		Paints, enamels and clears (e)	Lacquers, nitro- cellulose	Thinners for lacquers, paints and enamels
					Decora- tive laminated	Profile sheet (d)			
Code No.	331.01-19	479.01-04	336.11,15	475.04, 06,07,85	425.01,03	425.17, 18	(f)	410.33, 43,45	410.85,87
Year	mil. sup ft	tons	-sq ft-	'000 sq yd	- '000 sq ft -	- '000 gal -			
1969-70	1,435	25,395	27,333	40,868	30,686	15,590	17,930	1,444	4,586
1970-71	1,457	26,928	28,698	40,240	24,281	13,387	19,112	1,124	4,681
1971-72	1,452	28,132	26,250	44,353	27,652	17,222	19,415	1,110	4,873
Month - 1972									
February	97	1,902	1,713	4,147	2,154	1,576	1,470	91	395
March	124	2,341	2,760	4,062	2,521	1,931	1,784	105	461
April	115	1,870	1,414	2,908	2,258	1,425	1,436	84	391
May	135	2,866	2,140	4,278	2,630	1,700	1,850	107	472
June	130	2,593	2,388	3,494	2,771	2,198	1,462	91	383
July	125	2,347	2,090	3,997	2,721	1,419	1,443	96	386
August	145	2,359	2,838	4,108	2,776	1,646	1,650	89	437
September	137	2,232	1,858	3,851	2,532	1,416	1,740	101	438
October	133	2,296	1,840	5,079	3,155	1,461	1,823	118	419
November	128	2,433	2,886	4,631	2,832	1,620	2,133	114	503
December	117	2,050	1,889	3,732	1,729	975	1,524	88	364
1973									
January	r85	1,673	1,646	1,681	1,629	606	1,297	57	278
February	r115	2,458	2,083	4,052	2,483	1,013	1,798	113	485
March	130	2,407	2,243	4,545	2,953	1,174	1,777	117	445
9 months ended March 1975	1,071	20,803	20,307	33,674	20,033	12,798	14,667	828	3,627
9 months ended March 1973	1,117	20,255	19,373	35,677	22,810	11,330	15,183	894	3,755

(a) Source : Commonwealth Forestry and Timber Bureau and Victorian Forests Commission. (b) Original forming of boards and sheets incl. special compositions. Includes board and sheet for subsequent conversion into acoustic board etc., by producing factory as well as for sale. (c) Includes original manufacture of flat, corrugated, moulded and grooved sheets but excludes bullnosed. (d) Corrugated etc. (incl. fibreglass reinforced). (e) Includes primers and undercoats, bituminous paints and marine coatings. Excludes nitrocellulose lacquer, water thinned architectural and decorative paints, and tinting colours and wood stains packed for sale or transfer out. (f) Code Nos 410.01,03,05,07,31,37,41,47,49,59,65.

Period		Paints etc. contd. Water thinned plastic latex or other water based(a)	Chain saws (gear drive and direct drive)	Building fittings								
				Meters			Domestic type stoves, ovens and ranges					
				Electri- city consump- tion	Gas consump- tion	Water consump- tion	Electric			Gas (d)	Solid fuel	Oil, kerosene, spirits, etc. (e)
							Ranges (b)	Grill boilers (c)	Wall ovens			
	Code No.	410.11, 13.15.17	529.01, 03	702.01	703.01	703.11	661.01,03	661.05	661.11	(f)	662.01, 03	662.21, 23
		'000 gal	number	- '000 -			- number -					
Year	1969-70	4,931	16,069	269	64.5	174	173,331	17,354	30,694	84,783	10,627	1,583
	1970-71	5,141	14,085	313	66.3	185	171,641	16,062	32,165	82,486	8,453	1,528
	1971-72	5,516	10,016	277	67.6	158	172,798	14,895	38,539	87,419	7,441	1,484
Month - 1972	February	432	669	10.1	5.42	13.2	11,118	259	2,735	5,887	551	89
	March	493	1,012	20.8	7.32	11.1	15,698	(g)	(g)	9,007	578	143
	April	409	661	17.6	5.84	10.6	13,422	(g)	(g)	5,776	575	128
	May	494	(g)	21.2	6.44	14.5	15,073	2,292	3,215	8,179	793	91
	June	383	(g)	20.2	5.76	13.9	12,196	354	3,072	9,137	757	56
	July	423	1,673	23.7	5.75	12.1	16,133	672	3,949	6,148	801	311
	August	483	(g)	24.9	6.06	14.9	14,324	999	4,222	10,831	706	116
	September	551	(g)	25.6	6.03	15.2	17,786	4,873	3,063	7,982	690	131
	October	571	916	31.1	6.79	14.9	19,376	5,115	4,163	7,055	591	203
	November	632	(g)	33.3	6.47	17.1	18,238	759	4,257	9,472	583	90
	December	459	(g)	22.9	4.26	13.6	14,456	685	3,063	5,138	363	124
	1973 January	404	(g)	17.6	2.83	5.2	10,308	(g)	(g)	4,205	183	97
	February	486	(g)	23.7	5.51	15.9	14,625	(g)	(g)	7,215	386	108
	March	473	1,857	27.2	5.66	13.9	17,054	(g)	(g)	7,607	476	155
9 months ended March 1972		4,230	6,955	218	49.5	119	132,107	(g)	(g)	64,327	5,316	1,209
9 months ended March 1973		4,482	9,629	230	49.4	123	142,300	(g)	(g)	65,653	4,779	1,335

(a) Architectural and decorative. (b) Having at least one hotplate and one oven separately heated. (c) Designed to allow simultaneous grilling below and boiling above the heating unit, but without an oven. (d) Gas stoves and ranges, upright or elevated (with oven) and wall ovens; excludes cooking tops, hotplates, stovettes, etc. (e) Excludes small spirit burners other than gravity fed. (f) Code Nos 662.26, 31, 34, 36, 42, 43. (g) Not available for publication.

Period		Building fittings - continued								
		Space heaters and fires		Hot water systems (up to 200 gal storage capacity)						
		Gas	Solid fuel	Electric			Gas		Solid fuel storage and heat exchange	Solar absorber units
				Instantaneous	Storage	Heat exchange	Instantaneous	Storage and heat exchange		
	Code No.	651.24, 25,26,27	651.01, 03	652.11	652.21,31, 41,51,61	652.71	652.12, 16	(a)	(b)	652.91
- number -										
Year	1969-70	52,206	16,153	9,232	165,262	17,729	18,555	39,686	12,173	4,965
	1970-71	55,988	9,648	9,977	175,831	22,168	17,036	39,185	10,593	4,434
	1971-72	57,998	9,692	9,318	178,005	25,765	(c)	45,337	9,101	3,747
Month -	1972 February	2,868	366	570	14,834	2,014	(c)	3,466	560	108
	March	6,145	1,515	811	14,737	1,978	(c)	3,747	782	159
	April	3,779	1,717	720	12,865	1,805	(c)	3,080	749	326
	May	7,145	1,267	548	15,191	2,155	(c)	3,697	932	637
	June	7,446	813	790	17,425	2,552	(c)	5,024	766	534
	July	5,631	646	837	17,954	2,686	(c)	5,690	777	(d)5,985
	August	7,801	835	625	19,496	3,074	(c)	5,784	1,011	4,898
	September	4,824	686	756	18,038	2,771	(c)	4,715	867	7,113
	October	4,708	713	1,009	17,069	3,035	(c)	4,956	784	5,358
	November	6,381	880	675	17,841	2,625	(c)	5,017	775	6,940
	December	3,825	432	571	12,673	1,706	(c)	3,076	595	7,135
	1973 January	1,691	(c)	423	10,101	1,631	(c)	3,008	549	4,863
	February	3,837	(c)	567	15,574	2,545	(c)	4,419	634	5,949
	March	6,588	247	1,032	16,202	2,653	(c)	4,835	686	7,080
9 months ended	March 1972	39,628	5,895	7,260	132,524	19,253	(c)	33,536	6,654	2,250
9 months ended	March 1973	45,282	5,266	6,495	144,948	22,726	(c)	41,500	6,678	55,321

(a) Code Nos 652.22,26,32,42,46,52,56,62,66,72,76. (b) Code Nos 652.25,35,45,55,65,75. (c) Not available for publication. (d) From July 1972 figures represent effective area in sq. ft.

Period		Building fittings - continued									
		Bath heaters			Sink heaters- electric	Baths (a)		Sinks (standard size) (b)	Laundry tubs	Toilet cisterns (c)	Pans (closet)- earthen- ware
		Electric	Gas	Solid fuel		Pressed steel- enamelled	Other				
Code No.	652.01	652.02, 06	652.05	653.01	671.03	671.01, 04,08	671.11- 18	671.23, 24,28	671.51- 59	671.41	
		- number -				- '000 -					
Year	1969-70	7,831	r5,047	4,603	8,744	115	69.0	257	217	459	385
	1970-71	7,724	2,981	7,716	9,594	110	79.6	238	187	403	403
	1971-72	7,361	2,508	6,466	9,425	125	75.4	235	194	424	402
Month - 1972	February	572	198	539	737	9.0	5.46	19.1	13.4	31.7	35.1
	March	711	(d)	500	758	11.8	6.97	22.0	17.1	34.6	31.2
	April	604	(d)	320	554	10.0	6.47	18.4	16.6	33.2	27.7
	May	634	204	489	948	13.0	8.58	20.5	21.3	42.1	35.6
	June	533	204	626	823	11.6	7.40	22.3	18.4	34.5	29.6
	July	570	212	403	905	12.5	5.66	20.2	19.6	32.9	29.6
	August	641	294	398	985	13.2	5.90	24.5	21.7	38.5	39.4
	September	564	183	384	869	11.7	5.51	22.3	19.7	34.8	36.5
	October	585	281	285	776	13.1	4.88	25.6	20.4	41.0	38.9
	November	798	259	348	1,022	12.9	5.39	24.1	20.2	48.6	40.2
	December	458	208	230	542	10.8	2.45	17.8	12.5	33.8	21.9
	1973 January	308	114	212	548	7.4	1.94	10.3	8.0	23.5	19.4
	February	410	224	220	833	13.8	2.99	21.4	r16.3	40.4	28.1
	March	876	202	322	812	14.9	4.00	24.7	18.9	40.5	30.8
9 months ended March 1972		5,590	(d)	5,031	7,100	90.3	53.0	174	138	314	309
9 months ended March 1973		5,210	1,977	2,802	7,292	110.3	38.7	191	157	334	285

(a) Excludes babies' baths. (b) Includes combination sinks. (c) Excludes storage tanks for use with flusherette valves. (d) Not available for publication.

Period		Building fittings - continued			Domestic electrical appliances						
		Wash basins			Vacuum cleaners	Hand irons	Dry shavers	Toasters	Hot water jugs and kettles	Coffee makers	Beater and pulveriser type mixers
		Earthen-ware	Pressed steel								
			Enamelled	Stainless							
Code No.	671.37	671.33	671.34	692.02, 04	693.51- 63	699.01, 03	661.21, 23	699.22, 23,25	699.27, 29	691.01,02	
- '000 -											
Year 1969-70	230	90.9	7.39	156	592	240	371	404	44.1	147	
1970-71	213	96.0	8.35	176	556	189	381	420	39.8	158	
1971-72	239	91.4	8.26	174	596	205	371	404	42.2	213	
Month - 1972	February	20.4	8.26	0.32	12.3	39.4	(a)	21.9	30.9	(a)	16.9
	March	21.5	9.61	0.35	18.6	55.9	17.3	32.2	33.7	3.72	20.0
	April	20.0	6.49	0.15	13.2	50.8	15.6	29.5	30.7	3.13	20.2
	May	23.8	11.31		17.5	51.9	17.8	33.1	36.9	4.45	17.8
	June	22.7	8.79		15.7	46.6	18.5	26.5	29.4	3.12	15.1
	July	20.9	8.86	0.61	16.6	54.2	20.5	38.1	37.5	2.94	17.0
	August	24.3	9.48	0.30	17.4	52.5	23.4	37.7	45.5	2.51	16.5
	September	22.8	7.11	0.34	13.7	55.8	18.3	38.9	45.2	2.58	19.5
	October	28.2	9.74	0.39	20.0	59.9	20.6	44.5	40.3	6.14	17.9
	November	23.5	10.42	0.43	19.7	65.6	16.0	43.7	52.2	9.08	25.6
	December	20.6	7.19	0.67	15.7	64.6	24.6	43.6	33.8	8.69	27.3
1973	January	16.4	5.91	0.54	8.9	21.2	(a)	17.8	19.5	2.47	7.7
	February	24.4	8.27	0.73	16.1	48.8	(a)	34.3	45.8	6.76	19.6
	March	19.8	7.98	1.02	16.9	63.8	29.1	43.8	46.5	7.34	25.7
9 months ended	March 1972	172	66.2	6.64	127	446	153	282	307	31.5	160
9 months ended	March 1973	201	75.0	5.01	145	487	179	342	366	48.5	177

(a) Not available for publication.

Domestic electrical appliances - continued

Period	Code No.	Blankets (incl. mattress over- lays) (a)	Floor poli- shers (b)	Propeller type fans (complete) (c)	Radiators, electric fires and room heaters	Air conditioners and coolers		Refriger- ators (electric and gas)		Clothes washing machines		Clothes dryers (rotary and cabinet type)
						Room refrig- erated	Package unit	Orig- inal	Seas- onally adj. (d)	Fully auto- matic (e)	Other	
		699.81, 85	692.22	696.01-05	651.11-17	657.03, 05	657.21- 23	657.32,41		693.02	693.06- 18	693.25- 27
- '000 -												
Year 1969-70		1,060	51.8	429	714	39.0	7.50	242	..	107	209	34.4
1970-71		902	49.7	374	659	34.3	7.98	241	..	114	191	34.8
1971-72		668	36.4	417	800	39.2	8.81	258	..	123	188	40.3
Month - 1972												
February		37.0	2.70	22.1	43.6	3.84	0.83	20.7	20.7	10.6	14.7	1.72
March		81.6	2.90	30.2	87.7	2.63	0.56	19.4	19.0	11.0	14.9	4.06
April		82.5	2.65	22.5	98.9	1.90	0.39	14.5	18.3	8.5	11.3	5.02
May		120.8	3.33	28.0	125.8	2.26	0.37	15.8	18.4	9.0	12.9	6.90
June		87.7	3.65	25.8	77.1	1.96	0.33	17.1	18.6	10.2	14.8	5.88
July		81.8	2.93	35.9	71.0	1.90	0.29	16.8	17.9	11.3	15.4	4.11
August		45.9	2.64	47.0	68.6	2.41	0.37	21.0	18.6	12.1	16.4	4.08
September		51.7	2.16	42.7	53.1	2.28	0.51	21.2	18.8	13.2	16.8	2.27
October		60.1	2.06	49.0	61.8	2.64	0.72	22.0	19.6	12.9	17.4	1.65
November		65.2	3.10	49.7	48.2	3.33	1.01	25.7	20.0	14.9	18.4	2.30
December		55.8	2.00	44.8	44.9	1.87	0.91	17.6	19.2	10.3	13.7	1.45
1973												
January		57.2	1.61	20.9	39.5	2.35	0.50	20.2	21.4	8.1	11.6	2.11
February		93.6	2.21	39.7	89.6	2.58	0.61	19.3	19.9	12.2	17.2	4.66
March		109.4	3.35	38.1	79.1	2.91	0.65	23.7	23.2	14.3	19.9	5.39
9 months ended March 1972		377	26.8	341	499	33.1	7.71	211	..	95.4	149	22.5
9 months ended March 1973		621	22.1	368	556	22.3	5.56	187	..	109.3	147	28.0

(a) Excludes heating pads. (b) Includes commercial type. (c) Excludes fans incorporated in other equipment or used with ducting. (d) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes. (e) Complete washing cycle with one setting of controls.

Period		Television sets		T.V. picture tubes (a)	T.V. Antennae		Transistors (excl. power)		Radio-grams (b)	Radios		
		T.V. only	With radio and/or record player		Indoor (incl. "in built" telescopic type)	Outdoor				Portable	Car	Other (incl. mantel)
							Power	Other				
Code No.	643.49-55	643.62-65	645.51-58	649.43	649.45	645.41	645.26	643.01, 03	643.15	643.35, 37	643.27	
- '000 -												
Year	1969-70	305	14.6	411	187	163	884	19,367	89.6	362	229	47.6
	1970-71	323	14.1	490	211	163	1,015	19,756	91.5	386	229	39.3
	1971-72	341	12.1	382	177	155	1,171	21,104	110.2	373	234	42.6
Month-	1972 February	22.3	0.76	25.7	12.1	14.8	94	1,276	9.04	20.7	12.0	3.70
	March	28.5	0.93	36.3	15.5	14.5	93	1,793	11.17	20.9	22.1	3.98
	April	22.4	0.79	30.4	13.5	9.2	81	1,491	8.21	14.8	18.2	3.97
	May	29.6	0.73	32.9	16.6	15.9	112	1,791	11.92	21.7	24.4	4.10
	June	30.6	0.89	31.0	16.6	15.9	121	2,077	10.89	19.6	19.1	2.98
	July	28.3	1.48	28.3	15.8	11.6	95	1,616	10.29	22.2	20.6	3.84
	August	32.8	1.17	29.9	16.7	12.3	120	1,910	9.63	25.8	21.8	5.10
	September	31.9	0.94	31.0	16.1	14.5	151	2,080	9.63	43.2	20.0	4.23
	October	32.6	0.54	33.5	17.9	17.5	176	1,729	11.59	51.0	20.4	3.42
	November	35.7	0.65	33.0	18.6	20.8	128	1,838	12.77	53.3	24.7	4.23
	December	29.2	0.71	22.0	18.8	15.7	114	2,007	10.08	55.9	20.2	3.63
	1973 January	14.1	0.08	18.7	7.2	11.0	73	1,018	5.07	14.1	10.8	2.16
	February	31.2	0.18	30.6	15.4	15.5	106	2,555	10.10	26.8	24.3	3.04
	March	38.1	0.24	38.0	18.0	20.8	185	3,507	13.30	35.8	25.8	3.70
9 months ended March 1972		259	9.72	288	130	114	856	15,745	79.2	317	172	31.6
9 months ended March 1973		274	6.00	265	144	140	1,147	18,261	92.4	328	189	33.3

(a) Incorporating new screens only. (b) Complete with built-in record player or changer.

Period		Record players (in case or cabinet) (a)	Phonograph records			Floor coverings			Bed bases		
			Single play	Extended play	Long play	Textile	Smooth surfaced and embossed	Timber parquetry	Felts (b)	Box spring	Woven wire, link mesh and spring
	Code No.	646.11, 14	646.32, 35,62,65	646.37,41, 67,71,81	646.43, 45,73,75	841.01- 07	841.31- 61,69	841.67,68	841.85	(c)	(d)
		- '000 -			- '000 sq yd -			- '000 -			
Year	1969-70	106	6,913	1,623	11,262	18,312	14,533	557	20,272	170	666
	1970-71	129	6,366	1,298	14,207	20,836	15,631	386	21,218	192	651
	1971-72	105	6,000	845	14,676	25,521	15,444	280	20,861	206	600
Month -	1972 February	7.27	430	101	1,069	1,504	923	26.5	1,543	14.8	46.2
	March	7.61	472	91	1,256	2,241	1,422	28.0	1,765	18.7	55.3
	April	6.95	380	35	1,093	2,057	1,089	22.0	1,185	15.5	42.3
	May	6.23	514	39	1,239	2,607	1,461	26.1	1,799	18.2	48.5
	June	6.61	434	73	1,202	2,409	1,254	26.7	1,792	16.9	45.8
	July	7.47	345	50	1,135	2,543	1,067	21.4	1,715	17.6	45.2
	August	6.99	447	91	1,492	2,660	1,316	24.8	1,886	20.2	49.5
	September	9.13	405	147	1,623	2,628	1,535	24.5	1,786	21.0	47.7
	October	11.17	400	141	1,596	2,757	1,374	22.5	1,813	22.5	61.5
	November	13.73	485	128	1,723	2,686	1,397	23.7	2,019	25.5	71.9
	December	11.64	562	59	1,512	2,038	1,332	15.0	1,614	21.1	49.8
	1973 January	3.87	400	40	1,163	1,238	599	10.3	1,017	12.7	26.6
	February	8.95	424	54	1,142	2,623	1,462	24.1	1,569	20.2	49.9
	March	9.49	537	93	1,581	2,941	1,495	25.5	1,721	23.4	53.2
9 months ended March 1972		84.7	4,672	698	11,143	18,448	11,639	205	16,084	155	463
9 months ended March 1973		83.2	4,006	803	12,966	22,114	11,577	192	15,141	184	455

(a) Complete with built-in amplifier, speaker(s) and record player in case or cabinet. (b) Needled (or bonded) felts of jute or jute/hair mixtures for all purposes. (c) Code Nos 844.02, 05, 07. (d) Code Nos 844.12, 15, 17.

Period		Mattresses			Perambulators, pushers and strollers	Cycles (made or assembled)	Soap and soap based products				Detergents	
		Inner spring	Rubber	Other (incl. plastic foam, kapok fibre etc.)			For personal toilet use	For other purposes			Synthetic	Other
								Non-abrasive		Abrasive cleansers and scourers		
								Powder and granule	Other			
	Code No.	(a)	(b)	(c)	957.04, 09.11	611.01	805.01-13	805.26, 50	(d)	805.36-40, 60	806.02-36	806.25, 40-45
		- '000 -				number	- '000 cwt -					
Year 1969-70		720	48.2	310	158	126,091	533	191	551	49.7	2,452	443
1970-71		721	45.4	312	172	124,491	557	248	591	50.7	2,626	443
1971-72		693	32.7	312	179	128,790	548	267	598	46.0	2,846	502
Month - 1972												
February		53.2	3.37	21.5	13.8	6,979	33.1	9.4	47.2	2.77	208	39.0
March		64.1	2.65	31.9	17.4	8,003	49.4	29.6	56.6	5.44	270	48.4
April		51.2	2.12	25.6	13.7	7,905	50.2	29.3	47.9	3.54	245	39.5
May		59.9	2.38	27.1	16.6	9,221	44.9	21.8	54.3	4.77	249	43.1
June		55.9	2.10	24.4	16.1	8,859	51.2	23.8	45.9	3.83	267	43.8
July		57.7	1.82	22.3	14.7	11,427	37.8	20.1	43.1	3.26	r228	40.3
August		62.9	2.50	27.9	15.6	13,077	40.2	22.3	39.1	4.15	r221	40.4
September		59.8	2.18	33.4	16.7	14,563	48.6	25.8	51.0	3.79	r252	40.6
October		65.3	2.64	41.5	19.7	18,092	r51.9	26.2	56.2	3.75	r267	46.6
November		73.6	2.48	36.8	25.0	24,106	53.1	33.4	66.8	r5.35	r269	46.6
December		60.0	2.00	41.6	15.7	21,917	49.1	23.2	42.9	2.89	r224	41.6
1973												
January		42.3	1.41	17.7	10.0	6,322	30.1	13.8	36.3	2.73	r142	39.0
February		61.0	2.65	31.1	16.9	10,555	50.9	20.0	45.0	3.82	r216	43.1
March		68.7	3.36	38.6	15.9	11,550	44.6	20.8	50.4	4.41	220	48.7
9 months ended												
March 1972		526	26.1	235	133	102,805	402	192	449	33.8	2,086	375
9 months ended												
March 1973		551	21.0	291	150	131,609	406	206	431	34.2	2,039	387

(a) Code Nos 844.22,25,27. (b) Code Nos 844.42,45,47. (c) Code Nos 844.52,55,57,62,65,67.
(d) Code Nos 805.22,24,30,32,34,46,48,52-56.

Period	Crude glycerine	Fatty acids	Electric motors (a)			Internal combustion engines (a)(b)			Petrol lawn mowers - Rotary (undercut) type		Spark plugs	Shock absorbers
			Under 1 hp		1 hp and over	Petrol, etc.		Diesel and semi diesel	2 stroke	4 stroke		
			Original	Seasonally adjusted (c)		2 stroke	4 stroke					
Code No.	406.20	401.41, 51.77.79	503.13-26		503.27-32	502.22, 26	502.32, 36	502.30-35, 37.39	699.52	699.53	689.01	589.51
		- '000 cwt -						- '000 -				
Year 1969-70	100.0	210	3,152	..	205	302	58.4	3.65	232	38.3	19,110	2,193
1970-71	99.1	209	3,025	..	224	312	37.9	3.52	253	37.0	21,337	2,316
1971-72	94.9	232	3,219	..	249	313	39.3	2.53	257	31.7	21,043	2,366
Month - 1972												
February	8.14	17.9	257	260	22.1	21.7	2.34	0.20	16.7	2.60	1,460	167
March	5.41	18.9	283	279	22.7		23.9	0.19	18.6	2.55	1,900	208
April	9.43	23.0	226	257	18.1		18.4	0.17	11.3	0.98	1,763	205
May	9.72	22.7	263	245	23.1		10.4	0.23	3.1	0.60	2,128	217
June	8.41	17.9	247	247	18.9		18.0	0.23	6.5	2.15	1,894	210
July	11.06	23.0	270	262	19.2	23.7	3.10	0.22	12.0	1.13	2,032	228
August	3.88	19.7	301	255	19.2	34.6	3.78	0.19	25.7	2.97	1,910	243
September	6.58	21.3	275	262	21.7	35.3	2.91	0.29	32.2	3.58	1,934	203
October	10.13	27.3	310	278	24.9	41.7	3.23	0.21	35.1	5.97	1,862	221
November	13.17	25.3	350	279	26.0	42.7	5.51	0.27	36.6	6.26	1,808	200
December	5.28	16.9	276	315	21.1	43.3	3.40	0.19	33.9	2.74	1,320	159
1973												
January	11.63	12.8	151	253	10.8	30.0		0.04	23.3	3.18	842	108
February	7.87	21.3	281	297	19.6	39.9		0.11	26.1	4.02	1,926	235
March	6.83	14.0	356	352	25.0	43.4		0.10	33.7	4.71	1,785	243
9 months ended												
March 1972	67.3	169	2,483	..	188	305		1.90	236	28.0	15,258	1,733
9 months ended												
March 1973	76.4	182	2,570	..	187	356		1.62	258	34.5	15,418	1,840

(a) Includes those made and incorporated by manufacturers in their own products. (b) Excludes motor car, motor cycle, truck, tractor, aero and marine inboard engines, but includes engines for outboard motors. (c) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Code No.	Storage batteries (a)			Tyres (motor) (b)				Tubes (motor) (b)				Caravans (c) (private or domestic use)	
		Automotive		Other (number of 2 volt cells)	Motor- car and motor- cycle	Truck and bus	Tractor, grader and earth moving equipment	Aero	Motorcar and motor- cycle	Truck and bus	Tractor, grader and earth moving equipment	Aero		
		6 volt	12 volt											
		685.13, 15	685.17, 19	685.33- 65	621.01, 21	621.03, 23	621.05, 25	621.07, 27	622.01	622.03	622.05	622.07	584.20-25	
- '000 -														number
Year 1969-70		419	1,822	213	7,209	612	211	8.72	3,644	741	184	1.46	20,450	
1970-71		378	1,894	207	7,389	564	153	9.17	3,848	698	141	1.26	20,652	
1971-72		372	2,081	199	7,323	511	214	6.91	3,752	656	172	0.55	23,518	
Month - 1972	February	25.7	136	16.9	517	39.7	14.9	0.39	279	49.0	10.3	0.02	1,642	
	March	36.0	192	20.1	669	43.7	21.9	0.68	344	59.6	17.0	0.07	2,086	
	April	29.1	161	16.0	574	38.3	18.1	0.53	284	46.3	14.3	0.01	1,807	
	May	37.1	215	14.0	703	48.2	24.4	0.73	374	61.3	19.8	..	2,229	
	June	32.0	185	13.2	680	44.5	21.6	0.69	345	58.0	16.1	..	2,200	
	July	32.5	205	17.4	687	50.1	22.7	0.51	363	55.6	19.5	..	1,948	
	August	36.2	204	19.0	722	52.3	21.0	0.72	394	64.0	22.1	0.01	2,304	
	September	32.9	182	16.8	677	50.5	20.2	1.02	355	53.9	17.8	0.04	2,349	
	October	28.5	173	16.4	690	52.1	19.6	1.12	375	51.6	16.1	0.06	2,615	
	November	28.9	158	21.8	676	51.1	21.3	1.04	359	57.4	15.2	0.17	2,541	
	December	20.5	126	11.9	561	42.5	16.8	0.99	291	49.9	11.3	0.13	2,006	
1973	January	12.9	83	10.0	320	19.8	7.3	0.22	160	27.1	7.9	..	1,157	
	February	25.6	165	15.9	584	47.9	18.2	0.84	336	56.0	15.8	0.03	2,477	
	March	33.2	208	21.3									2,676	
9 month ended	March 1972	274	1,519	155	5,356	380	150	4.97	2,750	491	122	0.53	17,282	
9 months ended	March 1973	251	1,504	150									20,073	

(a) Includes rebuilt batteries and dry charge batteries, but excludes dry cell batteries. (b) Source : Australian Rubber Manufacturers Association Limited. (c) Includes shells and pre-cut kits.

Period		Trailers		Finished motor vehicles						Partly finished motor vehicles		Total finished and partly finished vehicles	
		Two wheel	Four wheel	Cars	Station wagons	Util-ities (a)	Panel vans (a)	Truck and truck type vehicles (b)	Omnibuses, ambulances and hearses	Cars, station wagons, utilities and panel vans (a)	Trucks and truck type vehicles (b)	Original	Seas. adj. (c)
Code No.	584.32-39	584.41-49	581.02-08	581.10-16	582.04	582.06	582.08-18,20-24	582.26,28	581.22,28; 582.31,32	582.33-46			
- number -												300	
Year	1969-70	18,578	2,529	334,802	55,734	37,753	18,013	1,052	1,278	2,183	26,678	477	..
	1970-71	17,646	2,096	320,510	54,023	33,156	18,059	799	1,482	1,509	22,985	453	..
	1971-72	20,383	2,383	335,697	51,824	34,186	21,654	2,954	1,609	1,963	17,090	467	..
Month-	1972 February	1,529	202	18,382	1,820	2,447	1,154	205	113	138	798	25.1	24.1
	March	1,703	194	29,700	3,983	3,203	2,346	301	166	86	1,092	40.9	36.8
	April	1,375	227	26,322	4,331	3,162	1,970	369	200	96	1,390	37.8	38.9
	May	1,507	254	31,811	5,477	3,886	2,293	454	214	69	1,485	45.7	39.4
	June	1,304	201	31,184	4,920	3,074	1,963	432	133	122	1,228	43.1	40.8
	July	1,330	169	27,925	4,926	3,370	1,857	429	118	172	1,070	39.9	38.7
	August	2,035	218	32,462	4,683	3,548	1,724	544	161	207	1,243	44.6	38.3
	September	2,314	218	28,050	4,006	3,837	2,106	566		146	1,249	40.0	39.5
	October	2,483	246	30,336	4,781	3,171	2,215	589		76	1,114	42.3	39.9
	November	2,945	242	28,914	4,832	2,676	2,470	606	87	123	1,260	41.0	35.2
	December	2,555	239	22,470	4,076	2,360	2,213	519	101	118	996	32.9	42.6
	1973 January	1,951	195	11,492	2,085	1,273	1,019	460		44	605	17.0	34.1
	February	2,006	285	27,986	4,269	3,015	2,532	753		131	1,100	39.8	39.6
	March	2,187	338	32,181	5,065	3,840	2,839	511	171	133	1,461	46.2	42.4
9 months ended	March 1972	16,200	1,701	246,380	37,096	24,064	15,428	1,699	1,062	1,676	12,987	340	..
9 months ended	March 1973	19,806	2,150	241,816	38,273	27,090	18,975	4,668	987	1,150	10,098	344	..

(a) Vehicles up to and including 115" wheelbase. (b) Vehicles over 115" wheelbase. (c) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Code No.	Newsprint	Other paper	Paper boards (a)	Wood pulp (b)	Pressure sensitive adhesive tapes (c)	Tobacco and cigarettes (d)		Sewing thread			
							Orig-inal	Seas.-adj. (e)	Cotton		Other than cotton	
									For house-hold use	For indus-trial use	Heavy counts (8s to 18s)	Light counts (over 18s)
		351.11	351.17-79	352.11-33	341.31-45	769.51-54.59	183.02, 11, 21-28		368.02, 04	368.06, 08	368.18	368.16
			- '000 tons -			'000 sq yd	- '000 tonnes		- '000 lb -			
Year 1969-70		171	486	371	465	24,452	29.9	..	125	2,625	204	492
1970-71		176	498	379	546	24,801	30.3	..	141	2,559	514	528
1971-72		179	520	376	589	23,098	30.0	..	159	2,659	862	640
Month - 1972												
February		14.1	34.7	33.2	49.1	1,635	2.21	2.07	12.7	158	49.8	42.1
March		17.0	47.6	35.8	52.6	2,371	2.71	2.56	15.9	236	63.2	65.0
April		16.5	44.7	28.3	48.5	2,023	2.42	2.49	14.0	220	52.4	62.7
May		16.9	38.8	31.2	54.8	2,160	2.26	2.30	13.8	276	86.6	66.9
June		16.0	51.8	32.8	52.9	2,099	2.44	2.26	14.5	225	86.7	55.8
July		17.0	44.7	29.4	48.9	2,324	2.72	2.43	18.5	211	83.0	68.8
August		17.0	43.0	33.3	58.2	2,266	2.26	2.07	18.3	254	89.4	65.7
September		16.7	48.1	39.9	45.7	2,420	2.39	2.53	20.2	242	84.2	55.6
October		16.2	46.9	35.7	52.7	2,737	2.82	2.51	15.3	282	96.5	75.9
November		16.9	47.5	35.2	55.3	2,504	2.52	2.35	16.0	230	88.0	126.1
December		12.6	51.1	37.3	40.4	2,410	2.21	2.72	15.4	212	66.9	62.1
1973												
January		15.3	35.2	28.6	41.0	1,238	1.78	2.53	9.2	113	34.3	30.2
February		15.4	24.2	17.5	31.6	1,973	2.60	2.56	19.0	252	81.2	77.8
March		17.8	52.2	40.6	54.8	2,783	2.79	2.60	20.7	244	73.7	74.4
9 months ended March 1972		129	385	284	433	16,816	22.9	..	117	1,938	636	455
9 months ended March 1973		145	363	297	430	20,654	22.1	..	153	2,040	697	637

(a) Paper which, at the size of 20" x 30" or its equivalent, weights 84 lb or more per ream of 480 sheets is classified as board. (b) Quantities shown represent tons air dried. (c) Excludes those produced by converting purchased rolls, and all reinforced types. (d) Source : Department of Customs and Excise. Prior to July 1971 included cigars. (e) See para.7, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Code No.	Yarn of, or predominantly of, cotton				Towell- ing (a) (b)	Towels (a)	Baby napkins (a)		Woven cloth (over 12" wide) of, or predominantly of, cotton	
		Weaving (incl. conden- ser and carpet)	Knitting	All other	Total			Turkish and/or terry	Other	Duck, canvas, etc.	Drills, jeans, etc.
					Pure Mixtures						
		364.11- 21	364.39, 41,43-46	364.27, 29,31, 33,48,50		373.02- 07	373.58, 60,62,64	373.65	373.66	373.10,12	373.14,16
		- '000 lb -				'000 sq yd	- '000 dozen -		- '000 sq yd -		
Year 1969-70		48,275	18,473	1,378	62,312	2,214	12,997	913	(c) 209	12,485	15,099
1970-71		44,047	17,775	1,723	61,549	1,896	12,834	898	(c) 434	11,277	15,189
1971-72		42,002	14,709	1,882	57,093	1,489	12,773	923	371 185	9,321	14,267
Month - 1972											
February		2,907	937	133	3,909	67	940	69.0	30.2 16.2	489	958
March		4,022	1,408	175	5,540	65	1,246	92.1	38.9 23.2	860	1,239
April		2,963	1,047	159	4,027	142	1,008	71.6	25.4 17.3	760	933
May		3,624	1,303	204	4,932	198	1,215	89.1	36.4 19.8	859	1,031
June		3,827	1,394	240	5,246	216	1,197	85.3	33.4 20.9	901	1,286
July		3,338	1,282	117	4,593	144	1,117	81.0	32.4 7.0	816	1,232
August		3,662	1,254	160	4,943	133	1,237	86.9	41.1 6.6	910	1,238
September		4,163	1,500	150	5,700	113	1,088	75.6	39.0 5.6	1,098	1,642
October		3,533	1,364	127	4,896	129	1,099	71.6	35.4 4.8	839	1,327
November		3,524	1,533	148	5,068	136	1,140	78.1	20.1 7.9	831	1,324
December		2,849	1,021	77	3,824	123	772	52.0	25.7 13.5	801	1,177
1973 January		1,755	626	121	2,366	136	497	33.9	15.7 9.2	839	1,571
February		3,577	1,264	260	4,816	284	931	67.3	33.5 13.5	837	1,092
March		4,577	1,541	272	6,017	373	1,122	80.9	35.7 18.1	1,105	1,418
9 months ended March 1972		31,587	10,964	1,279	42,888	943	9,354	677	275 126.7	6,800	10,997
9 months ended March 1973		30,978	11,384	1,432	42,222	1,572	9,004	627	279 86.2	7,632	11,022

(a) Wholly or predominantly cotton. (b) For all purposes. (c) Not collected separately prior to July 1971.

Period		Woven cloth (over 12" wide) of, or predominantly of, cotton - continued					Sheep skins used in fellmongeries	Slipewool & dried pie wool (b)	Scoured and carbonised wool	Tops		
		Other (a)	Total		Total cotton cloth (excl. towelling)					Pure wool (c)	Mixtures	
			Pure	Mixture	Original	Seasonally adjusted (e)					Containing wool (d)	Not containing wool
Code No.	373.18-52					201.55	242.05	242.07-11	242.33,35	242.70-76	246.46,47	
		- '000 sq yd -					'000	- '000 kilograms-	-mil lb-	- '000 lb -		
Year	1969-70	29,402	50,125	6,861	56,986	..	3,396	3,616	72,576	42.1	4,651	7,515
	1970-71	30,028	51,213	5,282	56,495	..	2,974	3,557	62,804	41.2	5,619	7,215
	1971-72	32,771	51,325	5,246	56,358	..	2,897	4,292	67,375	39.1	6,301	6,548
Month -	1972 February	2,551	3,763	275	4,038	4,018	266	416	5,353	2.84	452	406
	March	3,132	4,783	447	5,231	4,782	283	326	7,620	3.98	685	615
	April	2,331	3,595	449	4,045	4,272	168	207	6,219	3.24	548	413
	May	2,950	4,172	668	4,840	4,468	243	412	6,889	3.68	576	510
	June	3,172	4,482	877	5,359	4,689	299	748	6,670	4.21	616	541
	July	2,606	4,196	457	4,653	4,439	265	487	6,366	3.91	615	488
	August	2,731	4,410	469	4,880	4,565	220	436	6,100	4.15	629	682
	September	2,489	4,690	540	5,230	4,553	247	314	4,356	4.71	580	515
	October	2,298	4,039	424	4,463	4,124	274	269	4,274	4.05	680	555
	November	2,383	4,132	406	4,538	4,202	288	287	4,823	3.86	651	626
	December	2,064	3,654	388	4,042	4,522	277	327	4,864	2.90	430	414
	1973 January	2,125	3,933	157	4,090	4,754	209	206	3,783	3.04	303	322
	February	2,354	3,960	324	4,283	4,439	246	351	4,710	3.36	586	590
	March	2,975	5,093	406	5,499	4,837	321	383	4,958	3.81	579	635
9 months ended	March 1972	24,317	39,076	3,251	42,115	..	2,186	2,926	47,597	28.0	4,560	5,085
9 months ended	March 1973	21,025	36,107	3,571	39,679	..	2,346	3,060	44,233	33.8	5,140	4,829

(a) Includes cotton tweeds and denims, sheeting, calico, shirting, dress fabrics, upholstery and furnishing fabrics and other close weave piece goods but excludes open weave fabrics, e.g. tyre cord fabric. (b) Intended for sale or produced as such on commission. (c) At first combing (incl. tops to be dyed and/or mixed). (d) Includes that mixed in the gilling stage of drawing. (e) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Code No.	Wool yarn				Wool woven cloth (over 12" wide)				Total - Excluding	
		Woollen		Wool-worsted		Wool-worsted		Woollen - Other than blanketing and rug material		blanketing and rug material	
		Pure	Mixture (a)	Pure	Mixture (a)	Pure	Mixture (a)	Pure	Mixture (a)	Original	Seasonally adjusted (b)
		363.47, 51, 55, 59, 73	363.49, 53, 57, 61, 75	363.17, 21, 25, 29	363.19, 23, 27, 31	372.02, 06, 18	372.04, 08, 20	372.22, 26, 30, 34, 48	372.24, 28, 32, 36, 50	372.02-36, 48, 50	
		- '000 lb -				- '000 sq yd -					
Year 1969-70		23,591	16,216	15,365	3,205	5,855	744	10,269	4,440	22,309	..
1970-71		25,178	16,980	16,228	3,316	4,943	12	8,009	4,019	18,881	..
1971-72		24,824	17,297	16,909	2,769	3,761	150	6,831	3,671	16,313	..
Month - 1972											
February		1,975	940	1,253	159	288	78	696	276	1,339	1,136
March		2,299	1,583	1,662	267	391	41	752	436	1,720	1,426
April		1,757	1,457	1,287	238	277	163	593	323	1,357	1,436
May		2,401	1,964	1,699	304	395	196	626	354	1,570	1,562
June		2,182	1,615	1,429	266	300	189	448	288	1,226	1,382
July		2,197	2,165	1,537	286	277	247	312	471	1,307	1,553
August		2,220	1,964	1,485	238	337	226	445	531	1,539	1,552
September		2,262	1,631	1,666	232	388	269	375	467	1,499	1,522
October		2,477	1,573	1,731	256	428	180	409	467	1,482	1,323
November		2,186	1,366	1,668	229	426	242	633	570	1,871	1,451
December		1,311	1,063	1,282	166	280	123	379	533	1,314	1,420
1973											
January		1,200	797	907	113	246	100	223	433	1,002	1,439
February		1,545	1,418	1,340	186	362	253	593	410	1,618	1,462
March		1,885	1,594	1,295	263	448	181	456	572	1,657	1,408
9 months ended March 1972		18,484	12,261	12,455	1,961	2,790	1,301	5,163	2,906	12,160	..
9 months ended March 1973		17,284	13,570	12,911	1,968	3,193	1,819	3,824	4,453	13,289	..

(a) Predominantly of fibre named. (b) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period		Woollen cloth		Woollen blankets		Rugs (a)	Spun yarns		Cellulosic fibre (rayon and acetate) cloth		
		Blanketing and rug material					Cellu- losic fibre (incl. mix- ture)	Synthetic fibre		Pure	Mixture (b)
		Pure	Mixture (b)	Pure	Mixture (b)						
Code No.		372.15, 39,43	372.17, 41,45	372.52, 56,60,64	(c)	372.70,72 374.59	365.38-65	365.90; 366.16, 42,88	(d)	374.02, 06,14	374.04, 08,16
		- '000 sq yd -		- '000 -			- '000 lb -			- '000 sq yd -	
Year	1969-70	8,893	2,001	1,516	167	215	12,145	9,333	2,438	27,738	7,177
	1970-71	8,930	1,887	1,687	204	280	11,803	11,686	3,183	25,776	6,117
	1971-72	7,929	1,534	1,531	133	178	11,572	11,687	3,310	18,757	6,465
Month - 1972	February	626	88	115	5.8	14.1	668	597	276	1,287	600
	March	712	149	142	7.6	12.2	1,041	1,093	356	1,568	516
	April	601	160	118	8.7	11.8	832	871	201	1,477	539
	May	939	236	179	19.8	13.4	1,145	1,136	317	1,587	647
	June	722	169	141	15.9	17.8	983	895	305	2,214	716
	July	782	136	162	18.1	13.9	880	1,207	281	1,649	449
	August	844	132	185	20.6	11.7	1,167	1,140	273	1,868	458
	September	688	132	146	11.5	10.1	972	1,122	398	2,036	593
	October	687	108	139	13.1	9.3	897	1,166	298	1,893	581
	November	603	127	118	7.3	7.5	769	1,691	368	1,837	636
	December	361	114	73	7.4	4.2	548	1,523	315	1,646	525
	1973 January	275	79	52	3.4	4.2	465	1,326	158	r810	r220
	February	631	r158	126	8.2	11.0	575	1,891	278	1,849	434
	March	584	216	117	16.8	8.5	837	1,815	454	2,017	591
9 months ended	March 1972	5,666	969	1,093	88.3	135.1	8,613	8,785	2,487	13,478	4,563
9 months ended	March 1973	5,455	1,201	1,118	106.4	80.4	7,112	12,882	2,823	15,604	4,487

(a) Includes quantities produced from non-wool fibre. (b) Predominantly of fibre named. (c) Code Nos 372.54,58,62,66; 374.51,53,55,57. (d) Code Nos 366.03,04,29,30,55,56,96,97.

Period		Synthetic fibre cloth		Men's, youths' and boys' clothing							Overalls Men's and youths'
				Short length coats (a)				Men's and youths'			
				Men's and youths'				Boys'	Waist-coats	Dust-coats	
		Pure	Mixture (b)	Suit coats	Sports coats and blazers	For uniforms	Other (c)				
Code No.	374.20, 24,28, 32	(d)	772.02	772.10, 14	772.21, 22	772.17, 28	770.03, 12,16, 18,30	772.05, 09	772.25, 45	772.86	
		- '000 sq yd -		- '000 -							
Year 1969-70		15,571	22,190	1,071	383	165	782	296	271	474	2,046
1970-71		19,092	18,860	1,099	376	137	733	242	249	580	1,812
1971-72		43,961	21,921	987	272	132	624	224	158	461	1,994
Month - 1972											
February		3,005	1,463	71.2	23.0	10.4	55.8	18.9	11.7	34.3	127
March		4,427	2,047	89.3	27.7	11.6	72.5	28.4	13.5	47.6	207
April		4,414	1,594	73.1	21.2	10.3	62.1	25.4	10.5	34.3	158
May		5,105	2,512	95.2	24.1	12.9	76.2	26.1	13.3	43.2	188
June		5,509	2,745	82.2	22.9	15.0	67.1	17.6	12.0	39.2	169
July		5,835	2,154	82.4	25.8	18.1	50.2	11.8	10.8	37.4	165
August		6,213	2,645	96.4	25.7	20.1	60.9	9.9	10.1	44.5	176
September		6,882	2,783	90.9	25.2	10.5	52.9	7.3	9.8	50.7	169
October		5,942	2,581	104.4	22.4	9.7	54.2	6.6	10.9	43.3	187
November		6,700	2,525	94.9	25.9	8.2	50.8	6.4	7.3	41.9	172
December		5,509	2,108	68.5	23.0	3.3	42.4	9.6	5.3	32.1	133
1973 January		5,222	1,179	38.7	10.8	2.7	30.9	9.3	2.9	20.5	76
February		6,702	2,438	79.5	25.8	6.7	55.5	16.2	6.2	41.5	152
March		6,870	2,834	90.9	25.5	6.7	68.6	20.7	6.1	41.9	167
9 months ended March 1972		28,933	14,669	736	204	93.5	419	155.1	122.2	344	1,479
9 months ended March 1973		55,876	21,248	747	210	88.0	467	97.9	69.2	354	1,396

(a) Excludes plastic coats. (b) Predominantly of synthetic fibre. (c) Includes reefer, bermuda, safari, lumber and golf jackets. (d) Code Nos 374.21,23,25,27,29,31,33,35.

Period		Men's, youths' and boys' clothing - continued										
		Long trousers					Track suits (complete) (a)	Shorts (b)		Swim wear (c)	Full and 1/2 length coats (d)	
		Men's and youths'				Boys'		Men's and youths'	Boys'		Overcoats and raincoats	Plastic raincoats
		Suit	Sports	Work, jeans and jodhpurs	For uniforms							
Code No.	770.51, 52	770.54, 55	772.55, 58,62	772.61, 66	770.53, 56,60,64, 77.79	789.21	772.84	770.85	779.02, 03,06,07, 16.17	(e)	771.26, 27	
- '000 -												
Year	1969-70	1,138	4,993	5,087	594	2,838	226	5,246	4,784	165	537	549
	1970-71	1,152	5,048	4,927	389	2,716	182	5,102	4,483	198	453	531
	1971-72	1,047	5,087	6,931	270	3,535	182	4,696	4,303	155	357	481
Month - 1972	February	78	431	571	27.9	359	12.8	252	211	7.1	38.5	72.1
	March	98	565	691	36.1	496	22.9	339	214	8.8	49.4	78.1
	April	80	464	606	21.2	357	14.3	244	144	9.3	35.0	50.4
	May	107	526	754	33.8	455	20.6	325	307	11.0	41.3	48.7
	June	87	424	777	31.2	352	19.4	398	301	13.6	26.8	30.0
	July	92	426	619	30.7	275	21.2	478	430	17.4	29.0	16.1
	August	104	485	611	32.0	r 294	20.0	648	511	16.0	29.6	8.0
	September	106	475	706	23.0	281	20.6	559	534	17.5	23.0	10.7
	October	114	440	616	24.5	299	12.4	597	548	20.8	19.5	27.3
	November	103	r490	718	29.6	345	12.3	595	557	16.2	21.3	41.3
	December	74	352	611	20.0	288	12.8	346	359	9.0	13.5	26.9
1973	January	50	258	320	9.4	223	8.2	211	154	4.8	17.1	19.5
	February	92	454	691	23.6	477	12.3	273	243	5.7	41.7	45.7
	March	105	509	756	25.3	503	19.3	405	240	6.2	46.7	66.5
9 months ended	March 1972	772	3,673	4,794	184	2,371	128	3,729	3,552	121	254	352
9 months ended	March 1973	839	3,890	5,647	218	2,984	139	4,112	3,575	114	241	262

(a) For both males and females. (b) Other than swim shorts. (c) Includes swim shorts. (d) Excludes leather coats.

(e) Code Nos 770.38,41,44,47; 771.04,05; 772.31,32,36,40,42,43.

Period		Men's, youths' and boys' clothing - continued					Women's, maids' and girls' clothing				
		Cardigans, pullovers, etc. (a)	Shirts		Under- wear	Pyjamas suits	Foundation garments (b)			Cardigans, pullovers etc. (a)	
			Men's and youths'	Boys'			Corsets		Corselets (incl. torso- lets)		Brass- ieres
							Roll-on girdles	Other			
	Code No.	773.50,52	(c)	(d)	(e)	774.20, 22,27,29	777.11	777.15, 21,29	777.01	777.41, 49	773.74,75
- '000 dozen -											
Year	1969-70	495	1,931	636	2,498	486	50.3	286	8.35	835	934
	1970-71	501	1,808	599	2,733	471	32.8	234	4.90	821	913
	1971-72	549	1,825	631	2,686	447	61.8	190	7.12	872	973
Month -	1972 February	50.5	123	42.6	205	38.3	3.27	17.3	0.60	69.0	71.8
	March	77.7	154	50.2	259	46.8	4.95	15.7	0.64	78.9	100.9
	April	53.1	132	46.8	209	40.0	5.57	12.1	0.53	64.3	85.5
	May	67.3	165	55.6	226	43.7	5.47	16.6	0.95	69.3	90.7
	June	44.8	152	59.7	237	39.3	7.07	14.2	0.64	75.5	77.9
	July	34.2	167	58.7	195	35.3	6.16	15.9	0.83	69.7	81.5
	August	42.5	184	68.6	238	38.4	5.20	14.7	0.75	69.1	91.7
	September	39.1	192	80.1	245	34.7	4.83	17.7	1.10	78.3	89.8
	October	52.4	134	73.9	253	35.2	4.29	16.9	0.82	76.5	90.6
	November	53.1	189	69.8	272	35.3	6.34	18.1	0.85	80.3	95.2
	December	48.6	122	50.6	195	21.1	4.66	16.0	0.67	68.7	73.6
	1973 January	36.0	66	28.9	130	18.8	2.25	7.0	0.27	33.4	60.2
	February	67.2	132	42.0	224	34.2	4.57	14.9	0.59	67.9	99.5
	March	79.1	161	48.0	237	36.7	5.20	15.5	1.07	75.8	107.7
9 months ended	March 1972	384	1,375	469	2,014	324	43.7	147	4.99	663	719
9 months ended	March 1973	452	1,398	520	1,989	290	43.5	137	6.95	620	790

(a) Includes knitted coats, jumpers, sweaters, skivvies and like garments. Excludes "T" and similar shirts. (b) Excludes suspender and dance belts, suspensory and sanitary belts and waist whittlers. (c) Code Nos 773.02,04,05,13,18,21,25,31,32,33. (d) Code Nos 773.03,08,09,14,19,34,35. (e) Code Nos 773.90,94; 774.01,03,06,08,11,13,15,17,36,37,38,39,96,97.

Period	Womens', maids' and girls' clothing - continued						Infants' and babywear			
	Bathing suits	Slips (incl. half slips)	Vests and spencers	Bloomers, panties, scanties, etc.	Night-dresses	Pyjamas	Underwear (a)	Shirts (b)	Nightwear (a)	Cardigans, pullovers, etc. (c)(d)
Code No.	779.32, 33.36.37	774.68, 69.72.73	774.61, 63.70.71	774.44, 46.48.49	774.50, 52.57.59	774.54, 55.64.66	774.91- 97	773.85, 87	774.81- 89	773.81
- '000 dozen -										
Year 1969-70	193	725	589	2,942	475	304	315	83.4	124	153
1970-71	142	589	599	3,089	517	294	360	65.7	101	138
1971-72	171	489	526	2,696	558	291	294	74.6	98	140
Month - 1972										
February	5.8	31.9	37.5	189	37.3	26.4	23.6	3.63	6.24	11.5
March	5.1	40.0	56.4	281	49.7	36.2	31.4	3.44	10.56	14.0
April	5.1	32.2	44.3	218	39.7	28.2	25.1	4.64	8.25	11.2
May	10.6	46.7	56.7	282	43.5	29.7	25.1	7.12	10.21	15.1
June	13.3	40.6	56.6	247	45.8	24.2	21.0	9.16	9.83	13.5
July	15.8	45.2	40.3	214	52.8	23.1	23.3	10.69	9.60	15.6
August	17.7	49.8	45.1	238	57.7	28.3	24.7	13.34	8.18	16.8
September	16.8	53.2	40.5	237	51.4	24.1	33.3	9.90	7.18	17.8
October	17.5	53.3	45.9	269	49.5	25.3	38.8	9.19	7.55	18.7
November	16.7	56.3	47.6	265	47.8	20.5	40.2	5.91	8.09	18.5
December	9.0	42.5	36.2	215	32.6	11.4	31.1	2.82	7.48	9.8
1973										
January	5.4	24.7	19.5	119	23.1	14.3	21.9	2.76	4.20	8.6
February	5.8	39.6	37.0	239	38.9	21.2	42.1	4.98	7.64	15.7
March	7.9	42.8	43.7	259	42.4	20.3	41.8	3.99	11.09	16.5
9 months ended March 1972	142	370	368	1,948	423	209	223	53.7	69.9	99.7
9 months ended March 1973	112	407	356	2,054	396	188	297	63.6	71.6	137.9

(a) Up to and incl. size 2. (b) Includes shirts for ranger suits. (c) Includes knitted coats, jumpers, sweaters, skivvies and like garments. Excludes "T" and similar shirts. (d) Up to and including 22" chest.

Period		Work gloves	Slide fasteners-Metal and plastic	Hosiery						
				Women's		Men's		Children's (over size 3 up to and incl. size 10)	Infants' (sizes 0-3)	Total hosiery
				Full length(a)	Other	Golf hose	Other			
	Code No.	781.06-31	974.11, 12	775.01-19	775.21-39	775.51-62	775.71-82	775.91-98; 776.01-22	776.31-42	
		'000 doz pr	'000 ft	- '000 dozen pair -						
Year	1969-70	2,333	65,331	5,882	236	247	1,706	1,007	133	9,212
	1970-71	2,445	61,270	6,952	361	233	1,626	910	144	10,226
	1971-72	3,138	74,233	7,871	359	238	1,551	836	144	11,000
Month -	1972									
	February	129	6,212	488	22.9	9.8	87	53.0	8.8	669
	March	365	6,999	711	37.5	15.6	145	73.6	11.9	995
	April	228	5,503	621	31.7	13.2	132	65.7	7.4	870
	May	288	6,906	812	32.6	16.6	143	87.8	15.7	1,107
	June	323	5,905	795	36.3	17.2	156	88.4	14.1	1,107
	July	238	6,018	688	29.5	19.1	155	85.5	14.2	991
	August	257	6,477	759	29.4	24.0	172	101.4	16.6	1,103
	September	301	7,127	800	30.8	20.3	164	100.5	15.9	1,131
	October	271	5,988	827	30.9	22.7	161	107.0	16.6	1,166
	November	272	7,247	794	35.3	22.2	161	105.1	16.3	1,135
	December	289	4,363	615	25.4	16.0	121	75.9	10.8	864
	1973									
	January	149	4,871	370	23.2	9.2	89	65.5	8.7	566
	February	297	6,342	675	33.6	13.2	142	90.6	13.7	968
	March	378	7,108	749	31.6	12.4	157	88.9	13.1	1,052
9 months ended	March 1972	2,300	55,918	5,643	258	191	1,121	595	107	7,916
9 months ended	March 1973	2,452	55,543	6,279	270	159	1,322	821	126	8,976

(a) Includes panty hose.

Period		Footwear (a)							Hides and skins used for tanning			
		Boots, shoes and sandals (b)						Slippers (c)	Rubber thongs	Cattle hides	Calf skins	Sheep and lamb skins
		Men's and youths'- maids'- Sizes 2 and over	Women's maids'- and over	Boys' and girls'- sizes 7-1	Infants'- sizes 0-6	Total						
						Original	Seasonally adjusted (d)					
	Code No.								791.26, 77	201.13, 15	201.11	201.59, 61.63
		- '000 pair -							- '000 -			
Year	1969-70	11,718	20,372	5,877	1,138	39,105	..	4,026	3,004	1,808	220	2,242
	1970-71	11,301	18,437	5,610	1,152	r36,457	..	r3,573	3,946	1,724	115	1,726
	1971-72	11,371	17,073	5,863	1,339	35,645	..	r3,339	4,013	1,579	148	1,816
Month -	1972 February	765	1,110	424	71	2,370	2,340	r312	282	115	11.4	136
	March	1,040	1,601	541	125	3,307	2,922	r418	315	122	8.5	164
	April	806	1,294	468	111	2,679	2,920	r358	183	113	8.2	152
	May	1,101	1,536	581	162	3,380	3,072	r365	296	130	15.5	180
	June	980	r1,359	474	130	2,943	2,993	r257	226	139	7.9	184
	July	961	1,380	477	137	2,955	2,782	250	308	113	7.7	192
	August	1,100	1,634	528	160	3,422	2,883	245	378	125	18.3	243
	September	976	1,574	516	154	3,221	2,879	206	508	120	5.9	173
	October	975	1,575	566	174	3,290	2,828	224	594	129	6.6	193
	November	968	1,536	516	139	3,161	2,693	214	629	129	9.1	r158
	December	679	1,006	336	72	2,094	2,755	145	385	75	10.2	94
	1973 January	473	743	266	59	1,541	2,755	113	328	81	8.6	109
	February	904	1,330	410	93	2,737	2,812	343	449	131	4.0	166
	March	1,001	1,556	405	113	3,075	2,894	340	478	133	8.4	134
9 months ended	March 1972	8,484	12,884	4,340	935	26,644	..	2,359	3,308	1,196	116.4	1,301
9 months ended	March 1973	8,038	12,336	4,021	1,101	25,496	..	2,081	4,057	1,035	78.8	1,467

(a) Excludes sandshoes, galoshes, gum and wading etc. boots of rubber. (b) Includes cemented, vulcanised rubber and injection moulded plastic slippers. (c) Excludes slippers of cemented, vulcanised rubber and injection moulded plastic construction. (d) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period	Code No.	Sports goods						Meat (carcass weight) (a)			Bacon and ham (b)	
		Baseball and softball	Basketball and soccer	Cricket balls-Leather	Football-Australian rules and rugby	Golf clubs	Racquet frames	Beef & veal	Mutton & lamb	Pigmeat	Bone-in	Bone-out
		832.01	832.11, 13	832.21	832.41, 43	832.58, 59	832.65, 85	021.02, 04	021.12, 14	021.22, 23, 25, 26	023.18, 20	023.19, 21
		- number -		dozen	number	- dozen -		- '000 ton -			- '000 lb -	
Year 1969-70		35,988	15,387	25,297	229,381	42,178	16,663	994	743	172		120,732
1970-71		27,416	18,929	19,860	203,170	46,067	16,699	1,031	812	179	61,444	43,275
1971-72		38,600	34,466	25,656	204,006	49,531	18,899	1,149	941	191	56,735	53,472
Month - 1972												
February		2,337	1,027	1,823	23,301	3,802	1,424	87.5	80.6	14.4	4,005	4,064
March		4,296	1,525	1,853	25,044	4,877	1,880	105.2	86.5	17.0	4,441	4,046
April		4,330	5,426	1,466	22,794	4,354	1,499	97.4	70.7	15.5	4,064	4,021
May	(c)		3,745	1,577	24,156	5,524	1,890	123.0	79.8	18.7	4,768	4,216
June	(c)		2,087	1,752	22,444	5,222	1,754	125.7	74.7	17.7	4,491	4,209
July	2,376		2,201	3,437	21,864	5,048	1,875	r123.4	62.4	17.5	4,230	4,310
August	(c)		3,942	3,438	15,323	5,854	2,106	r131.0	59.8	r19.5	4,749	4,744
September	(c)		2,304	3,333	13,210	5,203	1,846	r113.9	54.6	18.2	4,633	4,773
October	(c)		3,726	3,261	10,015	5,247	1,855	r111.8	66.5	19.4	4,999	5,371
November	(c)		2,868	3,096	11,398	5,680	1,839	110.0	73.7	19.8	6,603	6,252
December		2,278	2,653	2,295	8,235	4,800	1,407	97.0	66.9	17.3	9,515	5,472
1973												
January	(c)		1,448	1,414	12,979	2,465	874	110.6	70.7	17.8	4,385	4,709
February	(c)		4,037	2,414	22,979	5,430	1,580	114.2	50.1	17.7	4,489	4,869
March		2,911	4,015	1,911	24,592	5,913	1,866	133.6	63.3	20.0	4,464	4,893
9 months ended												
March 1972		27,238	23,208	20,861	134,512	34,431	13,756	803	716	140	43,412	41,026
9 months ended												
March 1973		20,765	27,194	24,599	140,595	45,640	15,248	1,045	577	167	48,069	45,394

(a) Includes farm production. (b) Prior to July 1970 represents total cured bacon and ham, including canned, on a bone-in weight basis. From July 1970 excludes canned bacon and ham which is published separately in Production Summary No. 56. (Reference No. 12.16.56). (c) Not available for publication.

Period		Canned meat					Canned fish (c)	Jam	Pre-served fruit	Vegetables		
		Beef and veal	Mutton and lamb	Pork (a)	Meat and vegetables (a)	Other (b)				Canned or bottled (d)	Quick frozen	
Code No.		027.02-09	027.12-19	023.17; 027.22,29	027.75	027.72, 73,74,76	045.11-15,29,51	076.60	076.01-50	094.02-47	092.02, 06,19	
		- '000 lb -					- mil. lb -					'000 lb
Year	1969-70	27,648	7,138	9,844	40,761	17,646	15,536	82.4	679	207	174,758	
	1970-71	36,130	14,299	11,843	35,359	22,272	11,352	85.2	660	196	131,643	
	1971-72	44,712	11,752	11,368	32,262	24,293	13,886	78.0	559	253	198,297	
Month -	1972 February	2,596	684	849	1,007	2,091	1,246	6.95	150.5	27.2	26,167	
	March	3,697	864	1,082	1,520	1,741	2,177	5.55	220.9	r23.9	18,100	
	April	3,199	662	911	1,558	1,012	1,383	5.77	63.0	18.8	15,368	
	May	4,144	977	1,153	3,947	1,146	1,097	6.32	21.9	23.7	13,218	
	June	4,527	904	1,097	3,910	2,062	2,071	5.25	15.1	20.4	13,379	
	July	3,944	660	1,039	2,398	1,122	858	6.29	6.2	19.3	10,487	
	August	4,013	410	1,139	3,261	1,834	932	7.53	9.8	r19.2	10,362	
	September	3,806	385	1,173	2,248	1,818	756	6.23	7.2	18.4	10,113	
	October	2,468	449	870	2,298	3,113	789	5.89	4.7	27.5	13,210	
	November	3,529	633	1,188	2,168	2,991	995	4.71	2.8	31.7	22,217	
	December	3,145	632	905	3,144	1,695	1,336	8.11	14.1	18.5	37,708	
	1973 January	4,026	235	723	2,041		1,207	6.98	58.1	r14.0	14,866	
	February	3,362	219	831	2,380		1,434	6.54	210.7	34.8	16,933	
	March	3,222	530	946	296	2,135	2,642	6.40	202.3	16.6	15,967	
9 months ended	March 1972	32,842	9,209	8,207	22,847	20,073	9,336	60.6	459	190	156,333	
9 months ended	March 1973	31,515	4,154	8,815	17,691	17,253	10,950	58.7	516	200	151,862	

(a) Excludes pork and beans. (b) Excludes canned (meat based) baby foods (infants' and junior types). Includes camp pie, sausages, other mixed meats, and meat and cereal. (c) Includes fishloaf, fish cakes etc., but excludes fish paste, smoked fish, canned oysters and shellfish. (d) Includes pickled vegetables.

Period		Potato crisps	Tomato sauce	Soup		Canned spagh- etti	Un- refined vegetable oils	Single oils and fats, not emul- sified	Blended and/or emulsified edible oils and fats (a)		
				Tomato	Other				Margarine		Other
									Table	Other	
Code No.	099.01	123.18	122.02	122.09	065.11	(b)	(c)	121.01	121.06,08	121.42, 47.48	
		'000 lb	- '000 pt -		- '000 lb -						
Year	1969-70	29,475	28,073	25,419	48,999	37,136	106,731	61,081	34,635	105,302	93,166
	1970-71	r30.483	29,963	24,387	49,451	41,131	127,107	66,135	35,804	110,906	104,922
	1971-72	r31.257	36,715	30,807	60,794	39,503	137,028	84,411	37,242	117,078	126,854
Month -	1972										
	February	r2,639	6,191	(d)	3,699	2,867	11,781	6,237	3,580	7,617	9,797
	March	r2,692	10,287	16,452	4,730	1,880	12,647	7,034	2,839	10,391	11,302
	April	r2,447	7,026	2,291	7,170	3,538	10,749	6,297	2,948	10,395	11,146
	May	r2,820	2,432	(d)	10,866	2,958	11,964	7,445	3,132	10,898	9,895
	June	r2,527	1,347	(d)	6,189	4,030	10,653	9,997	2,172	10,165	11,754
	July	2,717	960	56	9,700	5,059	13,945	8,749	5,662	10,045	12,298
	August	2,648	1,195	506	5,358	4,101	12,572	7,834	3,355	10,346	11,067
	September	2,636	955	(d)	4,965	2,734	11,478	7,932	3,634	9,394	11,330
	October	2,974	1,262	(d)	2,946	3,519	11,735	9,363	4,108	11,072	11,588
	November	3,075	1,645	(d)	1,716	3,622	14,398	8,698	3,273	9,450	11,183
	December	3,153	1,441	(d)	1,888	3,814	10,367	8,393	2,386	10,209	10,264
	1973										
	January	2,800	r1,760	(d)	3,081	1,804	11,591	6,713	2,355	6,326	9,321
	February	2,617	r7,574	r5,330	6,330	2,589	12,959	7,001	4,041	8,535	9,745
	March	2,800	9,264	7,570	3,538	2,685	14,228	8,879	3,643	10,810	11,938
9 months ended	March 1972	22,463	25,909	25,510	36,570	28,987	103,661	60,672	28,989	85,621	94,059
9 months ended	March 1973	25,421	26,056	14,971	39,523	29,926	113,274	73,563	32,457	86,188	98,736

(a) Excludes lard and processed fats (either in solid or liquid form) for sale or transfer to edible fat factories for final processing into margarine. (b) Code Nos 393.14,26,38,50,72,90; 394.06,93. (c) Code Nos 393.33,45,86,98; 394.11,39,98; 121.32,33,34,35,36. (d) Not available for publication.

Period	Code No.	Whole milk (a)	Processed milk products			Casein (incl. casein co-precipitates)	Butter (b)	Cheese (c)	Ice cream	Other frozen dairy foods and water ices	Refined sugar (d)
			Condensed, concentrated & evaporated milk	In powdered form							
				Powdered milk	Infants, invalid and health beverages						
	051.11	051.21-28; 052.42	051.72-82	051.87, 89, 90	403.05- 08, 10, 14	051.31	051.36-46	051.61	051.63-67; 139.72	102.11	
		mil. gal		- mil. lb -				- '000 gal -		'000 ton	
Year 1969-70		1,665	208	298	54.8	71.1	492	168	42,172	11,174	671
1970-71		1,595	205	296	52.9	62.8	448	171	41,965	10,826	669
1971-72		1,568	213	303	60.1	67.0	432	175	42,085	11,943	677
Month - 1972											
February		128	18.8	24.7	5.46	4.52	35.7	13.4	4,467	1,375	51.0
March		115	13.9	19.8	5.91	3.38	29.9	11.8	4,048	1,185	63.1
April		84	10.7	11.5	4.50	2.46	18.6	8.2	2,863	858	50.3
May		73	7.2	9.6	4.74	1.20	14.2	7.6	2,988	823	51.8
June		70	3.4	10.7	4.49	1.18	13.0	7.3	2,349	526	45.6
July		87	5.1	17.0	4.92	2.02	19.6	9.3	2,513	601	50.7
August		123	11.6	29.1	5.61	4.67	31.9	15.1	2,948	778	56.6
September		158	18.0	42.5	4.81	7.24	44.2	21.1	3,506	1,229	58.3
October		193	23.3	47.1	5.35	10.16	56.7	26.8	3,826	1,408	63.1
November		197	22.3	49.5	6.30	9.72	58.1	27.0	4,537	1,435	62.4
December		176	20.1	45.7	4.76	6.68	49.9	23.4	4,792	1,544	56.4
1973											
January		144	19.5	35.5	3.35	4.07	38.0	18.5	5,355	1,570	60.1
February		115	11.4	26.2	5.14	2.43	29.1	14.1	4,677	1,549	61.2
March		120	9.6	29.1	5.31	1.90	29.7	15.8	4,073	1,307	66.6
9 months ended March 1972		1,341	191	271	46.4	62.2	386	151	33,885	9,737	530
9 months ended March 1973		1,314	141	322	48.6	48.9	357	171	36,228	11,420	535

(a) For all purposes - estimated. (b) Includes butter equivalent of butter oil production. Source : Commonwealth Dairy Produce Equalisation Committee Ltd and State Depts of Agriculture. (c) Source : Commonwealth Dairy Produce Equalisation Committee Ltd and producers not within Equalisation scheme. (d) Source : Dept of Primary Industry.

Period	Code No.	Cocoa powder and drinking chocolate	Confectionery		Biscuits (excl. dog biscuits)	Aerated and carbonated waters (a) Bottled and canned	Cordials and syrups	Concentrated cordials extract (excl. essences)	Beer (b) (excl. waste)		Malt
			Chocolate (c)	Other					Original	Seas. adj. (d)	
		111.26	104.06-18	104.21-29	064.21	171.03,07,08	171.06,10	171.14	172.02-06		063.11, 21,31
		'000 lb	- mil. lb -			-	'000 gal -		mil. gal		'000 bus
Year 1969-70		10,712	102	123	245	143,435	11,412	310	342	..	14,593
1970-71		12,528	110	125	250	159,520	13,338	303	356	..	17,404
1971-72		13,518	115	130	257	166,897	14,596	260	366	..	20,469
Month - 1972											
February		1,252	8.49	9.7	20.4	15,388	1,465	18.6	30.5	30.0	1,412
March		1,269	11.07	10.4	24.5	16,109	1,406	18.2	33.6	30.7	1,718
April		1,091	10.10	9.8	15.8	11,702	956	12.6	26.6	29.3	1,591
May		1,224	13.66	10.8	24.6	11,886	776	9.8	30.9	33.0	1,749
June		1,113	11.77	10.7	22.4	8,798	699	14.3	25.6	31.2	1,699
July		1,239	10.82	11.6	23.0	8,725	740	7.7	26.7	32.2	1,626
August		1,309	10.23	12.3	24.3	12,348	1,049	6.7	28.1	28.9	1,632
September		1,238	8.17	12.7	20.6	15,489	1,310	21.4	31.6	32.8	1,636
October		1,074	9.07	13.0	21.7	16,620	1,718	47.2	34.7	31.7	1,716
November		1,133	8.55	12.5	21.4	17,302	1,756	49.8	36.6	31.4	1,605
December		788	7.52	11.1	18.8	21,964	1,989	17.1	40.1	33.2	1,408
1973											
January		696	4.64	6.8	17.4	22,736	2,038	29.6	33.7	32.6	1,339
February		717	8.63	10.1	19.2	17,991	2,145	31.8	32.5	33.5	1,452
March		1,002	10.12	11.1	22.3	19,683	2,035	30.1	34.7	32.4	1,735
9 months ended March 1972		10,089	79.7	98.2	190	134,512	12,164	223	283	..	15,431
9 months ended March 1973		9,195	77.8	101.1	189	152,858	14,780	241	299	..	14,148

(a) Includes soda water and brewed beer (less than 2% proof alcohol content). Excludes beverages which are only slightly carbonated and which are commonly packed in non-pressure type containers. (b) Includes ale and stout. (c) All chocolate confectionery includes chocolate centred items and chocolate enrobed confectionery bars, but does not include chocolate sold for further manufacturing purposes. (d) See para. 7, page 1, Explanatory Notes.

Period		Cereal products						Stock and poultry food			
		Prepared cereal breakfast food (a)	Granulated or rolled breakfast foods from oats	Gluten	Starch (incl. cornflour) (b)	Glucose (c)	Flour from wheat (d)	Semolina	Wheat-meal for stockfood	Bran (from wheat)	Pollard (from wheat)
Code No.		066.01, 06,11,16, 21,31	062.61,63	127.31, 34	127.11,14, 17,19	127.21	062.01, 10,32	062.04	152.14	152.02	152.06
		- '000 cwt -		- mil lb -			- '000 short ton -				
Year 1969-70		1,004	301	52.0	233	74.8	1,410	24.0	225	181	312
1970-71		1,040	288	54.9	280	97.1	1,447	25.2	313	173	313
1971-72		1,089	265	57.6	295	116.7	1,318	26.6	342	147	280
Month - 1972											
February		98.7	16.1	4.57	22.3	9.29	96	2.33	27.7	10.7	20.4
March		105.1	38.5	4.85	25.3	10.72	110	2.49	27.0	12.2	23.7
April		82.9	37.2	4.83	25.0	9.33	99	2.44	26.1	10.5	21.5
May		97.5	38.0	4.63	25.0	9.47	115	2.38	26.8	13.1	24.7
June		86.7	35.8	4.97	27.2	9.97	107	2.48	29.8	11.7	22.9
July		81.6	21.6	5.27	26.8	10.20	106	2.79	26.8	11.8	22.8
August		90.5	19.1	5.09	24.6	9.48	121	2.57	30.9	13.5	25.2
September		95.1	16.7	5.94	29.5	10.92	117	2.22	32.4	13.5	23.7
October		96.7	12.1	5.78	27.1	12.07	109	2.14	33.4	12.7	22.3
November		113.9	15.0	5.91	28.5	12.64	122	2.08	33.7	14.2	25.2
December		83.1	16.3	5.53	25.9	10.29	92	1.65	32.3	10.6	19.4
1973											
January		79.7	8.7	4.80	22.5	8.59	92	1.68	36.5	10.8	19.4
February		87.5	22.2	5.18	24.5	10.72	93	1.93	38.4	10.3	20.4
March		95.5	32.3	6.34	30.1	11.67	108	2.16	39.6	11.4	23.4
9 months ended March 1972		822	154	43.2	218	87.9	997	19.3	260	112	211
9 months ended March 1973		824	164	49.8	239	96.6	960	19.2	304	109	202

- (a) Includes bran prepared for human consumption. (b) Shown in terms of 12% moisture basis. (c) Expressed as 43° Baume. (d) Includes sharps, atta flour and wheatmeal for baking.

Period	Stock and poultry food - continued								
	Code No.	Prepared			Meat meals		Fish meal	Oilseed meals (c)	
		Poultry pellets and crumble	Poultry mash	Other	Blood meal (a)	Other meat and bone meals (b)			
						Crude protein content under 50%			Crude protein content 50% and over
	159.11	159.15	159.21	156.06	156.41-43	156.44-46	156.21	(d)	
	- '000 short ton -			- '000 lb -	- mil lb -		- '000 lb -		
Year 1969-70	897	289	335	16,317	602		3,852	156,290	
1970-71	r1,022	r261	r395	r15,520	r284	340	4,441	189,746	
1971-72	1,065	r283	r443	22,103	353	386	5,104	207,425	
Month - 1972									
February	81.8	r22.6	r32.4	1,563	27.5	30.3	198	16,142	
March	85.7	r24.5	r36.5	1,845	32.3	33.6	282	16,581	
April	84.1	r23.1	r35.7	1,719	30.7	29.8	644	15,042	
May	84.0	r23.3	r40.7	2,222	36.2	36.8	960	20,684	
June	85.4	r26.7	r44.9	2,233	37.1	37.6	727	20,017	
July	86.7	25.4	44.0	2,148	33.9	38.3	429	22,552	
August	85.9	23.4	47.7	2,731	33.2	37.0	376	21,810	
September	84.7	23.7	48.9	2,611	30.1	32.7	574	21,555	
October	88.0	23.6	48.5	2,850	28.8	36.1	174	19,603	
November	84.7	21.8	49.3	2,298	30.1	40.6	132	26,691	
December	84.0	22.5	46.3	1,846	25.3	38.4	145	19,036	
1973 January	60.4	18.4	46.9	2,161	27.1	39.2	145	21,757	
February	75.3	18.9	45.5	1,951	29.6	37.2	168	22,426	
March	87.0	22.3	46.4	2,361	31.0	40.9	236	24,262	
9 months ended March 1972	812	210	322	15,930	249	282	2,773	151,684	
9 months ended March 1973	737	200	423	20,959	269	340	2,379	199,691	

(a) Excludes blood meal used to enrich "other meat and bone meals". (b) Includes whale meal and dried solubles.

(c) Includes cake and meal from coconuts, cottonseed, linseed, peanuts, rapeseed, safflower seed (kardi seed), soya beans and sunflower seed. (d) Code Nos 153.16,21,26,36,41,46,51,56.

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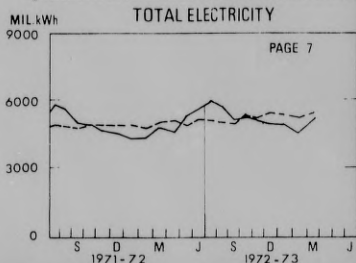
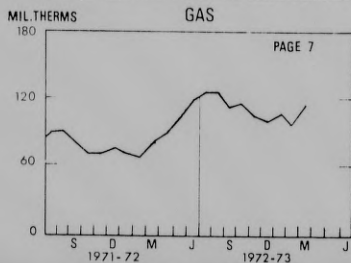
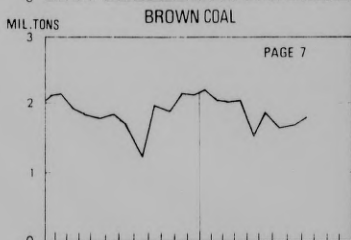
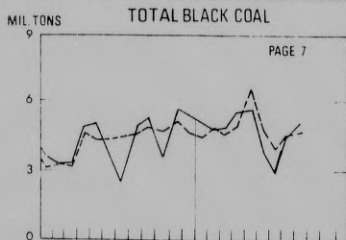
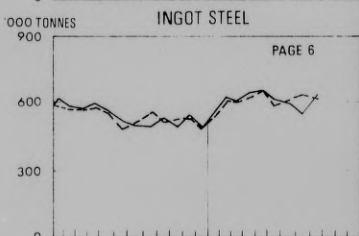
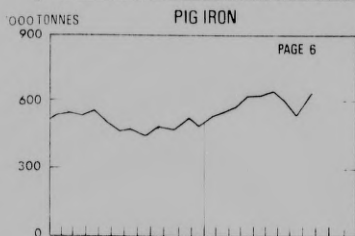
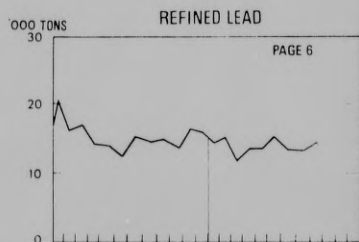
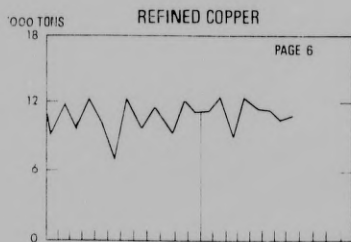
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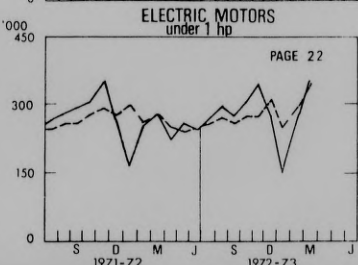
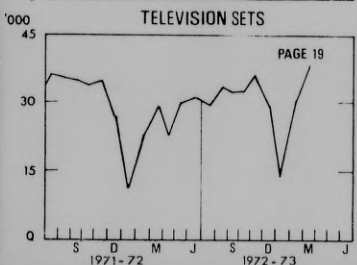
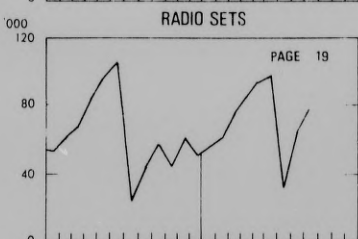
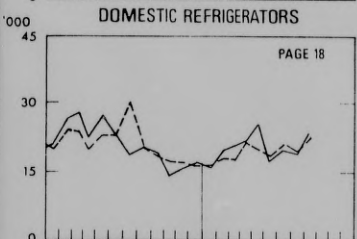
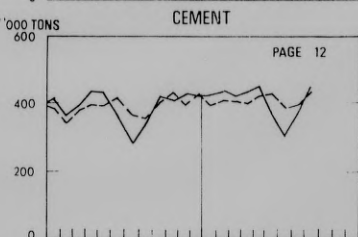
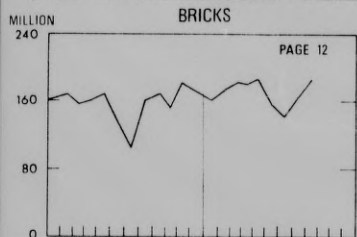
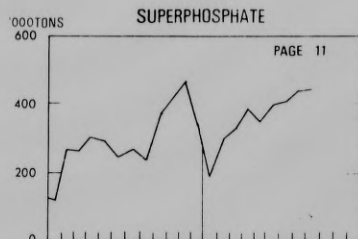
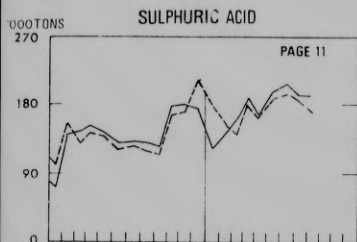
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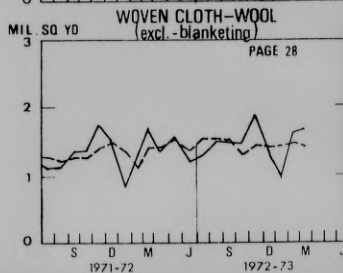
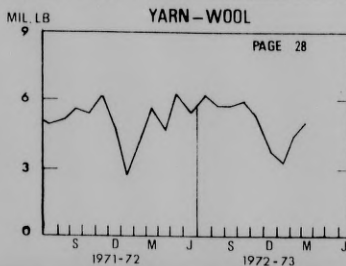
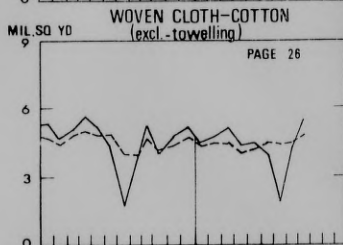
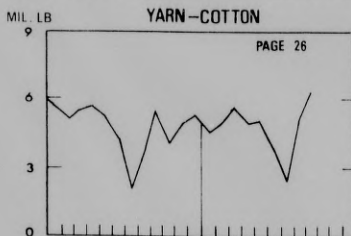
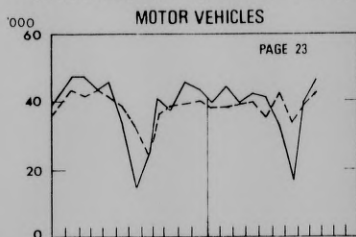
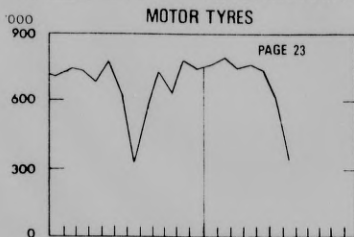
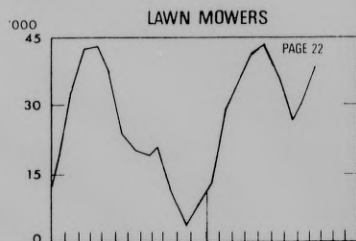
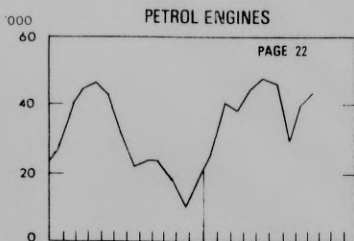
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