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MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1971-72

This bulletin presents results for the Northern Territory of the Census of Manufacturing taken in respect of the year ended June 1972.

2. Commencing with the year ended June 1969, the annual Census of Manufacturing has been conducted on an integrated basis with the annual Mining Census, the Electricity and Gas Censuses, and the periodic Retail and Wholesale Trade Censuses. This has resulted in major changes in the scope of the Manufacturing Census, and consequently the statistics for 1968-69 and subsequent years are not comparable with those for previous years. Details of the changes made in 1968-69 and the reasons for them are set out in the publication *Economic Censuses, 1968-69: Manufacturing Establishments: Details of Operations by Industry Class: Australia* (Reference No. 12.29)

3. Only a very small number of establishments are engaged in many of the individual industries in the Northern Territory. Consequently, under the confidentiality provisions of the *Census and Statistics Act 1905-1966*, statistics on the operation of manufacturing in the Territory can be published only for the broad Sub-Divisions of the Manufacturing Division of the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (see Table 1). However, a better appreciation of the specific types of manufacturing activities in the Territory is provided by Table 2, which shows the number of establishments in individual industries.

NOTE: An Annual Manufacturing Census was not conducted in respect of the year ended 30 June 1971.

TABLE 1. - MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS - SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS BY INDUSTRY SUB-DIVISION
NORTHERN TERRITORY 1971-72

Industry Class		Year ended June	Number of establishments operating at end of year	Persons employed Average over whole year			Wages and salaries	Turnover	Stocks at end of June		Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added	Fixed capital expenditure (outlay on fixed tangible assets less disposals)
ASIC code (a)	Description			Males	Females	Total			Opening	Closing			
No. No. No. \$'000 \$'000 \$'000 \$'000 \$'000 \$'000													
21-22	Total food, beverages and tobacco	1972	21	351	98	449	2,347	12,561	1,665	1,681	8,418	4,159	530
23	Total textiles	1972	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
24	Total clothing and footwear	1972	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25	Total wood, wood products and furniture	1972	11	59	3	62	251	1,321	119	135	818	519	11
26	Total paper and paper products, printing	1972	5	97	35	132	700	1,584	106	95	333	1,240	40
27	Total chemical, petroleum and coal products	1972	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
28	Total non-metallic mineral products	1972	18	218	17	235	1,226	7,149	593	755	4,285	3,026	373
29	Total basic metal products	1972	2	Not available for publication, included in "Total manufacturing"									
31	Total fabricated metal products	1972	17	130	18	148	598	3,061	426	378	1,836	1,177	125
32	Total transport equipment	1972	4	Not available for publication, included in "Total manufacturing"									
33	Total other machinery and equipment	1972	2										
34	Total miscellaneous manufacturing	1972	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total manufacturing		1972	80	1,014	180	1,194	5,806	28,810	3,486	3,549	17,545	11,329	41,658
		1970	65	821	123	944	4,156	20,157	2,142	3,126	12,533	8,608	2,149
		1969	69	804	118	922	3,607	20,437	1,791	2,241	11,363	9,525	1,839

(a) Australian Standard Industrial Classification.

**TABLE 2. — MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS — NUMBER OF ESTABLISHMENTS BY INDUSTRY CLASS
NORTHERN TERRITORY 1971-72**

ASIC code (a)	Industry Class Description	Number of establishments operating at end of year	ASIC code (a)	Industry Class Description	Number of establishments operating at end of year	ASIC code (a)	Industry Class Description	Number of establishments operating at end of year
	Food, beverages, tobacco —			Chemical, petroleum and coal products —		3137	Fabricated metal products n.e.c.	3
2111	Meat and abattoir by — products	7	2712	Industrial gases	..	31	Total fabricated metal products	17
2121	Liquid milk and cream	1	27	Total chemical, petroleum and coal products	..	3212	Transport equipment — Truck and bus bodies, trailers, caravans	1
2124	Ice cream and frozen confections	..		Non-metallic mineral products —		3214	Motor vehicle parts n.e.c.	1
2161	Bread	5	2821	Clay bricks and refractories	1	3221	Ship building and repairs	1
2162	Cakes and pastries	2	2832	Ready mixed concrete	5	3223	Locomotives, rolling stock and repair	1
2191	Soft drinks, cordials and syrups	4	2833	Concrete pipes	2	32	Total transport equipment	4
2192	Beer	2	2834	Concrete products excl. pipes	7		Other machinery and equipment —	
21-22	Total food, beverages and tobacco	21	2841	Plaster products	3	3312	Measuring apparatus and scientific equipment n.e.c.	1
23	Total textiles	..	28	Total non-metallic mineral products	18	3326	Electrical machinery and equipment n.e.c.	1
	Wood, wood products and furniture —		29	Total basic metal products	2	3332	Refrigerators and household appliances	..
2512	Resawn and dressed timber	1		Fabricated metal products — Fabricated structural steel	5	3333	Materials handling equipment	..
2514	Joinery and wooden structural fittings	6	3111			3335	Pumps and compressors	..
2521	Furniture excl. sheet metal	4	3112	Architectural aluminium products	4	33	Total other machinery and equipment	2
25	Total wood, wood products and furniture	11	3113	Architectural metal products n.e.c.	1	34	Total miscellaneous manufacturing	..
	Paper and paper products, printing —		3114	Boiler and plate work	..		Total manufacturing	80
2621	Publishing, printing and publishing	2	3122	Sheet metal furniture	..			
2622	Printing, stationery and bookbinding	3	3123	Sheet metal products n.e.c.	3			
26	Total paper and paper products, printing	5	3132	Springs and wire products	1			

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