

COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS.

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

Australian Production Statistics.

Period	N.S.W.	VIC.	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	TOTAL
<u>Woven Wire, Link Mesh and Spring</u>							
<u>Annual Totals</u>							
Year : 1949-50	69,650	71,200	32,594	(a)	27,097	(a)	222,791
1950-51	70,044	90,241	39,974	(a)	37,232	(a)	271,430
<u>Monthly Totals</u>							
Month, 1951 : July	6,668	8,900	2,976	(a)	5,415	(a)	27,206
August	7,422	8,912	2,936	(a)	4,109	(a)	26,915
September	7,338	7,486	2,566	(a)	3,314	(a)	23,914
October	5,909	9,479	2,827	(a)	3,958	(a)	25,490
November	6,782	7,212	1,923	(a)	3,334	(a)	22,687
December	4,410	5,965	1,318	(a)	3,033	(a)	16,826
1952 : January	3,476	5,401	1,481	(a)	1,476	(a)	13,875

Inner Spring.

<u>Annual Totals</u>							
Year : 1949-50	107,057	63,299	16,247	12,370	(a)	(a)	208,774
1950-51	159,730	86,442	(a)	19,323	7,450	(a)	301,879
<u>Monthly Totals</u>							
Month, 1951 : July	13,796	9,541	(a)	2,045	746	(a)	29,814
August	14,148	9,533	(a)	1,727	956	(a)	29,328
September	9,941	7,377	(a)	1,343	687	(a)	22,438
October	11,201	5,294	(a)	1,297	856	(a)	22,179
November	10,403	6,026	(a)	1,309	835	(a)	20,496
December	6,973	5,815	(a)	1,050	648	(a)	15,845
1952 : January	7,637	4,942	(a)	1,043	603	(a)	16,369

Soft Filled and Other.

<u>Annual Totals</u>							
Year : 1949-50	190,543	121,301	74,392	47,532	58,399	10,854	503,021
1950-51	173,313	136,915	78,408	48,118	61,232	11,449	511,435
<u>Monthly Totals</u>							
Month, 1951 : July	13,796	11,642	6,480	3,720	5,803	1,207	42,648
August	17,025	11,171	6,451	5,386	6,420	1,282	47,735
September	16,457	8,232	5,267	4,058	4,871	1,028	39,913
October	14,616	8,029	5,423	3,567	4,118	1,124	36,877
November	9,841	7,093	4,481	3,520	4,420	885	30,240
December	8,171	5,584	3,209	2,710	3,505	656	23,835
1952 : January	7,141	4,906	3,063	3,166	2,967	671	21,914

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