

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 8

LAWNMOWERS

DECEMBER, 1960

The information set out below has been compiled from returns of establishments engaged in the production of Lawnmowers and indicates current trends in the production of this type of garden equipment. The figures for 1959-60 and later periods are subject to revision.

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

Period	LAWN MOWERS		
	Hand	Petrol or Light Oils, complete with Engine	
		Rotary (undercut) Type	Cylinder (mol. Drum Reel etc.) Type
	No.	No.	No.
Year: 1957-58	31,300	140,990	6,268
1958-59	22,015	243,944	5,023
1959-60	11,742	239,787	3,862
6 months ended December, 1960	5,210	149,154	2,160
6 months ended December, 1959	8,060	172,120	2,373
Month, 1959: December	1,212	34,290	621
1960: January	446	29,331	135
February	467	17,757	309
March	607	11,079	262
April	632	4,528	205
May	541	1,530	371
June	989	3,442	207
July	539	9,452	156
August	1,027	11,909	276
September	636	19,499	479
October	1,075	32,380	304
November	1,206	41,663	*522
December	727	34,251	423

* Revised

NOTE. The production of Electric Lawnmowers was 1,494 in 1956-57, 2,781 in 1957-58 and 1,057 in 1958-59. Later figures are not available for publication.

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