

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 25

FOUNDATION GARMENTS

MARCH, 1958.

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. The figures for 1956-57 and later periods are subject to revision.

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

Period	Corsets		Corselets	Brassieres
	Roll-on Girdles (a)	Other (b)		
	Dozen	Dozen	Dozen	Dozen
Year : 1954-55	39,429	95,113	6,723	404,893
1955-56	46,112	103,814	6,911	421,142
1956-57	48,248	89,453	7,514	431,858
Nine months ended March, 1958	43,115	80,159	5,625	354,611
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Month, 1957 : March	3,410	7,657	654	37,313
April	2,490	6,586	479	33,682
May	4,445	7,870	664	43,925
June	4,459	7,330	729	33,711
July	4,689	8,030	693	38,303
August	5,324	8,477	680	35,999
September	5,035	8,385	562	39,084
October	6,204	10,555	524	46,962
November	6,306	10,113	589	40,077
December	4,032	8,882	490	32,244
1958 : January	3,471	5,924	521	30,679
February	4,464	10,098	859	44,912
March	3,590	9,695	707	46,351

- (a) Includes Roll-on Pantees.
(b) Includes "Surgical Corsets".

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