

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 49 : BUILDING MATERIALS

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The figures for 1963-64 and 1964-65 are those recorded in the Annual Factory Census. All subsequent figures are derived from the recorded monthly production and are subject to revision.

TABLE 1. - CEMENT, PLASTER OF PARIS, BRICKS AND BLOCKS

Period	Portland Cement				Plaster of Paris				Bricks				Concrete Blocks
	N.S.W.	VIC.	Other States	Total	VIC.	W.A.	Other States	Total	Clay	Silica Lime	Concrete	Total	
Code No.	474.02				479.22				472.01,03	475.45,47	475.21,23		475.27
	- '000 tons -				- ton -				- '000 -				- '000 -
1963-64	1,232	(a)	(a)	3,320	127,973	20,929	111,190	260,092	1,237,850	31,327	15,914	1,285,091	36,913
1964-65	1,321	999	1,426	3,746	134,275	22,263	120,907	277,445	1,353,107	33,748	19,575	1,406,430	40,158
1965-66	1,265	963	1,439	3,667	121,892	21,000	124,998	267,890	1,357,052	30,557	(b)	(b)	(b)
Months : 1966-67													
July	117	84	113	314	10,558	1,693	9,835	22,086	116,050	2,373	1,368	119,791	3,646
August	113	78	128	319	11,506	2,097	10,967	24,570	123,394	2,800	1,507	127,701	3,483
September	106	84	125	315	10,743	1,767	10,191	22,701	120,322	2,838	1,130	124,290	3,688
October	113	89	114	316	10,567	1,733	10,302	22,602	116,661	2,978	936	120,575	3,624
November	105	81	127	313	11,953	2,075	12,235	26,263	121,781	2,956	1,270	126,007	4,062
5 months ended November 1966	554	416	607	1,577	55,327	9,365	53,530	118,222	598,208	13,945	6,211	618,364	18,503
5 months ended November 1965	550	417	623	1,590	53,111	9,211	57,845	120,167	607,542	14,709	(b)	(b)	(b)

(a) Not available for publication.

(b) Not available.

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TABLE 2. - ROOFING TILES

Period		Terra Cotta						Concrete					
		Vic.	Other States	Total	Vic.	Other States	Total	Vic.	Other States	Total	Vic.	Other States	Total
Code No.		472.12			472.15			475.30			475.32		
		- '000 -			- Hundred sq ft (a) -			- '000 -			- Hundred sq ft (a) -		
1963-64		16,711	37,074	53,785	128,447	283,958	412,405	26,127	50,416	76,543	248,076	467,526	715,602
1964-65		16,920	36,064	52,984	127,235	276,789	404,024	28,586	59,157	87,743	269,350	557,726	827,076
1965-66		16,119	34,596	50,715	119,733	263,626	383,359	27,719	56,366	84,085	258,475	542,827	801,302
Months : 1966-67													
July		1,343	2,800	4,143	9,980	21,319	31,299	2,627	4,727	7,354	24,176	46,083	70,259
August		1,534	3,056	4,590	11,307	23,314	34,621	2,545	5,332	7,877	23,460	51,920	75,380
September		1,457	2,937	4,394	10,821	22,381	33,202	2,726	5,359	8,085	25,413	51,885	77,298
October		1,351	2,689	4,040	10,077	20,419	30,496	2,628	5,172	7,800	24,005	49,840	73,845
November		1,531	3,078	4,609	11,496	23,424	34,920	2,559	5,370	7,929	23,310	52,160	75,470
5 months ended November 1966		7,216	14,560	21,776	53,681	110,857	164,538	13,085	25,960	39,045	120,364	251,888	372,252
5 months ended November 1965		7,660	15,282	22,942	56,760	116,689	173,449	11,506	25,436	36,942	106,909	242,091	349,000

(a) Equivalent flat surface measure of number of tiles produced.

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TABLE 2. - ROOFING TILES - CONTINUED

Period	Total Tiles									
	N.S.W.	Vic.	S.A.	Other States	Total	N.S.W.	Vic.	S.A.	Other States	Total
	- '000 -					- Hundred sq ft (a) -				
1963-64	46,304	42,838	16,854	24,332	130,328	391,875	376,523	151,053	208,556	1,128,007
1964-65	50,148	45,506	45,073		140,727	433,717	396,585	400,798		1,231,100
1965-66	47,024	43,838	43,938		134,800	413,993	378,208	392,460		1,184,661
Months : 1966-67										
July	3,839	3,970	3,688		11,497	34,143	34,156	33,259		101,558
August	4,229	4,079	4,159		12,467	37,466	34,767	37,768		110,001
September	4,161	4,183	4,135		12,479	36,964	36,234	37,302		110,500
October	3,945	3,979	3,916		11,840	34,728	34,082	35,531		104,341
November	4,466	4,090	3,982		12,538	39,688	34,806	35,896		110,390
5 months ended November 1966	20,640	20,301	19,880		60,821	182,989	174,045	179,756		536,790
5 months ended November 1965	21,247	19,166	19,471		59,884	185,997	163,669	172,783		522,449

(a) Equivalent flat surface measure of number of tiles produced.

TABLE 3. - PLASTER SHEETS - NON ACOUSTIC

('000 sq yd)

Period		Sheets (a)						
		N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	TOTAL
Code No.		479.32,33						
1963-64		4,355	7,463	522	1,158	1,642	782	15,922
1964-65		3,770	7,079	462	1,147	1,597	705	14,760
1965-66		12,058	11,134	1,174	3,042	1,675	530	29,613
Months :	1966-67							
	July	984	1,043	100	224	136	39	2,526
	August	1,133	1,147	114	270	157	47	2,868
	September	980	1,107	107	229	147	44	2,614
	October	1,097	1,078	126	208	140	43	2,692
	November	1,259	1,285	126	233	158	43	3,104
5 Months ended November 1966		5,453	5,660	573	1,164	738	216	13,804
5 Months ended November 1965		5,472	4,627	534	1,506	720	262	13,121

(a) Figures prior to July 1965, refer only to the production of Fibrous Plaster Sheets Code No. 479.32.

TABLE 4. - ACOUSTIC TILES, PANELS, BOARDS AND SHEETS (a)

Period	Plaster Acoustic Tiles					Metal Acoustic Tiles, Panels and Sheets	Lignocellulose Boards and Sheets	
	N.S.W.	Vic.	S.A.	Other States	Total		Original manufacture	Subsequently Processed (b)
							Acoustic Composition Particle Board (Resin or Cement Bonded)	Acoustic Tiles, Panels and Boards (c)
Code No.	479.34					461.05	336.13	336.51, 52, 53
	'000 sq yd					'000 sq yd	'000 sq ft	
1963-64	117.4	80.1	111.6	58.7	367.8	190.9	(d)	(d)
1964-65	121.1	87.6	115.9	60.3	384.9	(e)	(d)	(d)
1965-66	128.3	93.8	136.3	61.5	419.9	(d)	(d)	(d)
Months : 1966-67								
July	11.2	8.0	7.6	5.0	31.8	29.9	132	220
August	10.8	9.6	9.5	5.7	35.6	21.7	135	187
September	11.3	8.7	13.4	4.8	38.2	20.4	222	159
October	7.3	7.9	13.5	4.4	33.1	19.4	201	218
November	10.3	8.1	15.0	3.4	36.8	14.4	111	322
5 months ended November 1966	50.9	42.3	59.0	23.3	175.5	105.8	801	1,106
5 months ended November 1965	65.7	(e)	65.1	(e)	205.5	(d)	(d)	(d)

(a) Of acoustic composition or manufactured from standard boards and sheets. (b) Subsequently processed from standard boards and sheets by original manufacturer. (c) Softboard, Particle Board and Strawboard. (d) Not available. (e) Not available for publication.

TABLE 5. - OTHER BUILDING MATERIALS

Period	Code No.	Mineral Wool (incl. rock, slag, and glass wool, etc.)	Loose and Granulated Wool for sale as such	Lignocellulose Boards & Sheets - Non Acoustic			Plastic Boards and Sheets		Asbestos Cement Sheets - Non-Acoustic	Sawn Aust.-Grown Timber (c)	
				Original Manufacture			Subsequently Processed (a)	Building and Roofing (Rigid) (b)			Decorative Laminated
				Hard-board	Particle Board (Resin or Cement Bonded)	Softboard and Strawboard					
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(a) By original manufacturer. (b) Both Flat and Corrugated (including Fibreglass reinforced). (c) Source : Commonwealth Forestry and Timber Bureau and Victorian Forests Commission. (d) Not available. r - Revised.

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