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AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS.

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 12A

WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' OUTERWEAR, NIGHTWEAR AND UNDERWEAR.

The information set out below has been compiled from returns received from factories engaged in clothing manufacture and indicates current production of the commodities listed.

The figures for 1954-55 and later are subject to revision.

The description "Knitted" includes items both knitted as such and made from Knitted Piece Goods. "Woven" represents those made from Woven Piece Goods.

TABLE I : STATES.

APRIL, 1956.

Unit : Dozen

Articles Produced	N.S.W.	Vic.	(Other States)	Australia	
<u>WOMEN'S AND MAIDS'</u>					
<u>Outerwear:</u>					
Cardigans, Pullovers and similar					
Garments	- Knitted	8,996	28,775	422	35,193
Bathing Suits	- Knitted)	1,715	1,024	-	2,739
	- Woven)				
<u>Nightwear and Underwear:</u>					
Nightdresses	- Knitted	(a)	6,886	(a)	13,453
	- Woven	1,793	1,802	456	4,051
Pyjamas	- Knitted	(a)	1,288	(a)	2,470
	- Woven	3,544	938	1,071	5,553
Vests and Spencers	- Knitted)	(a)	28,143	(a)	41,461
	- Woven)				
Slips	- Knitted	12,289	(a)	(a)	21,738
	- Woven	(a)	2,218	(a)	3,177
Bloomers, Pantees, Scanties, etc.					
	- Knitted	55,531	(a)	(a)	91,607
	- Woven	(a)	875	(a)	1,170
<u>GIRLS'</u>					
<u>Outerwear:</u>					
Cardigans, Pullovers and similar					
Garments	- Knitted	3,161	10,938	230	14,379
Bathing Suits	- Knitted)	(a)	(a)	-	1,593
	- Woven)				
<u>Nightwear and Underwear:</u>					
Nightdresses	- Knitted)	(a)	664	(a)	715
	- Woven)				
Pyjamas	- Knitted	(a)	550	(a)	1,042
	- Woven	1,660	1,560	334	3,554
Vests and Spencers	- Knitted	17,075	10,829	-	27,904
Slips	- Knitted)	1,418	(a)	(a)	2,690
	- Woven)				
Bloomers, Pntees, Scanties, etc.					
	- Knitted)	12,588	(a)	(a)	21,702
	- Woven)				

(a) Confidential. Not available for publication.

NOTE: For Australian Production from July, 1952 to April, 1956 see Table II overleaf.

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TABLE II : AUSTRALIA

JULY, 1952 - APRIL, 1956.

Unit : Dozen

Period	Cardigans, Pullevers and Similar Garments	Bathing Suits		Nightdresses		Pyjamas		Vests and Spencers	Slips		Bloomers, Pantees, Scanties, etc.	
	Knitted (a)	Knitted (a)	Woven	Knitted (a)	Woven	Knitted (a)	Woven	Knitted (a) and Woven	Knitted (a)	Woven	Knitted (a)	Woven
WOMEN'S AND MAIDS'												
1952-53	309,145	6,752	35,085	165,052	18,796	52,110	13,428	327,285	299,228	24,256	956,067	19,624
1953-54	406,866	4,864	33,859	166,167	20,513	50,806	27,132	457,615	378,797	31,252	1,151,886	19,088
1954-55 (b)	386,389	5,391	38,533	165,932	26,012	40,436	40,708	484,040	370,359	52,581	1,148,437	16,310
1955 : April	36,525	2,263	13,335	2,299	3,115	4,345	37,896	18,228	3,092	78,804	1,168	
May	38,520	3,718	13,354	2,039	3,057	3,337	41,084	21,425	3,654	98,889	770	
June	32,163	4,074	11,255	1,684	2,660	3,673	40,524	24,240	2,800	86,045	1,160	
July	26,588	4,656	11,313	*1,397	2,078	*4,664	33,453	34,547	3,780	97,068	1,169	
August	28,176	5,113	14,908	*2,724	2,217	*5,776	34,181	40,326	5,501	101,200	1,812	
September	28,644	*5,256	13,855	*2,257	1,997	*3,994	29,715	41,335	6,738	100,344	1,343	
October	29,127	5,175	12,761	2,146	1,921	5,262	32,569	39,709	7,057	103,857	1,838	
November	29,130	*5,789	14,238	2,932	2,191	6,551	41,762	45,339	8,699	112,637	2,051	
December	25,886	3,268	10,454	2,417	1,707	5,880	29,356	27,952	5,776	81,089	1,764	
1956 : January	24,177	675	9,562	1,055	1,583	4,672	25,920	15,069	2,657	62,443	932	
February	40,545	2,488	17,203	3,855	3,368	*9,148	*47,722	23,513	*2,656	100,811	2,442	
March	*40,546	1,236	16,109	4,152	2,844	8,235	*41,772	21,410	*3,767	97,567	737	
April	38,193	2,739	13,453	4,051	2,470	5,553	41,461	21,738	3,177	91,607	1,170	
GIRLS'												
1952-53	100,282	3,258	4,435	7,212	19,344	13,560	190,904	29,729			237,250	
1953-54	165,379	3,850	10,353	8,141	27,109	22,142	307,096	40,631			305,470	
1954-55 (b)	165,651	4,170	*12,597	7,726	23,957	*28,081	320,141	35,237			342,597	
1955 : April	13,503	*715		892	1,659	3,800	27,820	1,644			19,105	
May	14,322	*1,220		410	2,070	2,577	32,892	1,440			30,164	
June	15,405	*1,232		372	1,326	1,547	31,504	3,317			30,598	
July	15,106	2,044		449	1,610	*1,250	22,700	3,525			*30,465	
August	17,357	3,092		206	1,919	*2,540	24,599	3,998			29,295	
September	12,806	2,828		554	2,021	*2,869	23,057	*4,882			26,723	
October	*12,621	2,469		565	1,283	1,737	23,661	*5,388			34,263	
November	12,926	2,650		137	1,365	2,444	27,106	*5,786			36,417	
December	10,262	1,593		366	1,438	4,250	20,071	*4,225			26,718	
1956 : January	9,500	146		460	919	2,417	17,329	1,483			20,111	
February	13,485	581		417	1,532	2,875	32,303	*2,029			31,038	
March	14,088	390		2,035	1,227	5,125	34,064	3,275			28,394	
April	14,379	1,593		715	1,042	3,554	27,904	2,690			21,402	

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