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COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS, CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 4 : PAINTS AND OTHER SURFACE COATINGS - FEBRUARY 1970

The figures for 1966-67 and 1967-68 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. - PAINTS AND OTHER SURFACE COATINGS

Period	Paints (non-water) and enamels - Ready for use						Lacquers (nitro-cellulose)		Paints, (non- water) in paste form
	Architectural and decorative		Industrial (excl. nitro-cellulose finishes)		Bituminous paints	Marine	Clear	Colours	
	Primers and under- coats	Finishing coats	Primers and under- coats	Finishing coats					
	Code No.	412.02	412.04	412.06	412.10	412.14	412.15-20	412.22	
					'000 gallons				'000 lb
1966-67	2,654	5,327	1,821	5,007	909	319	462	965	2,589
1967-68	2,665	5,489	2,023	5,446	548	302	493	934	2,238
1968-69	2,810	5,537	2,119	5,565	r534	290	509	988	1,888
Months: 1969									
January	177	395	111	275	r33.6	14.2	26.6	52.1	130
February	221	461	170	467	r48.2	27.5	50.4	78.9	160
March	234	490	192	505	r52.2	34.2	47.0	91.4	171
April	243	414	175	456	r43.8	30.8	40.6	73.3	160
May	229	438	196	534	r51.3	28.7	41.6	93.2	171
June	204	399	169	469	r44.9	25.8	39.0	94.2	165
July	263	476	209	540	43.0	26.7	44.6	77.8	185
August	225	433	176	487	41.0	19.0	45.1	78.8	133
September	234	471	206	516	40.6	24.4	48.5	80.0	157
October	287	541	223	597	44.0	24.7	50.8	91.3	209
November	245	551	183	545	47.6	27.3	47.2	86.2	187
December	252	545	183	487	45.3	28.5	40.5	77.0	124
1970									
January	r174	369	111	323	35.6	24.1	26.3	43.6	77
February	255	500	194	529	42.9	27.7	47.5	75.2	164
8 months ended February 1970	1,934	3,886	1,484	4,026	340	202	350	610	1,236
8 months ended February 1969	1,898	3,796	1,387	3,601	342	171	340	636	1,219

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TABLE 2. - PAINTS AND OTHER SURFACE COATINGS

Period	Water paints				Tinting colour (all types packaged for sale or transfer out)	Stains (oil, spirit, varnish & clear varnish, packaged for sale or transfer out)	Other paints and coatings n.e.i. (a)	Thinners	
	Emulsion type			In powder form (incl. kalsomine)				For cellulose lacquer	For paints and enamels
	Plastic latex (incl. styrene - butadiene, PVA, acrylic, etc.)	Alkyd resin	Other (incl. casein bound)						
Code No.	412.42	412.44	412.46	412.48, 50	412.32	412.54	412.56, 57	412.64	412.66
	'000 gallons			'000 lb	'000 gallons				
1966-67	4,038	71.2	84.4	870	57.4	913	776	3,109	922
1967-68	4,199	72.5	86.2	745	67.9	875	784	3,205	1,016
1968-69	4,283	91.5	81.8	776	75.0	931	980	3,294	991
Months: 1969	292	5.47	4.88	42.0	3.33	50.8	46.5	199	52.8
January	349	6.25	5.34	67.0	4.22	81.0	96.6	301	87.2
February	360	6.69	5.46	62.3	10.30	78.4	89.9	294	90.5
March	333	5.39	8.40	69.2	5.76	71.7	91.9	280	81.0
April	353	8.35	7.30	66.8	8.29	81.9	90.7	289	83.2
May	332	8.65	5.13	79.4	8.03	80.3	82.2	269	76.8
June	408	5.32	4.00	73.0	9.77	83.0	92.4	297	104.6
July	354	6.12	5.56	21.0	7.47	82.5	100.8	273	96.4
August	407	7.56	6.70	52.7	10.09	87.8	104.8	286	88.1
September	477	9.88	5.47	87.3	8.40	119.8	119.0	330	102.2
October	448	8.77	4.87	89.2	6.99	99.6	103.6	278	96.0
November	444	8.08	3.83	54.8	8.31	94.8	95.9	276	95.4
December	311	14.14	2.54	36.4	4.33	59.9	63.1	201	64.5
1970	406	4.79	4.67	51.9	7.07	89.8	95.3	296	90.4
January									
February									
8 months ended February 1970	3,256	54.6	37.6	466	62.4	717	775	2,237	738
8 months ended February 1969	2,905	62.4	55.5	498	42.6	618	625	2,162	659

(a) Includes floor treatment compounds, water shedding preparations and 2-pack type coatings.

TABLE 3. - PRODUCTION OF PAINTS AND OTHER SURFACE COATINGS : STATES -
(tallons)

Code No.	Item	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A. & Tas.	Total
	Paints (non-water) and enamels - ready for use -						
	Architectural and decorative -						
412.02	Primers and undercoats	112,204	78,449	36,609	14,949	13,188	255,399
412.04	Finishing coats	238,249	139,049	65,932	33,172	23,950	500,352
	Industrial (excl. nitro-cellulose finishes) -						
412.08	Primers and undercoats	68,783	77,837	11,933	27,815	7,501	193,869
412.10	Finishing coats	228,604	186,015	44,942	54,220	15,426	529,207
412.14	Bituminous paints	38,609	2,188	1,207	(a)	(a)	42,936
	Marine -						
412.15	Primers and undercoats	3,410	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	5,276
412.16	Underwater compositions (anti-fouling)	(a)	(a)	991	(a)	(a)	8,331
412.17	Boat-topping	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	6,829
412.19	Topside	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	3,112
412.20	Deck paints	3,869	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	4,176
	Lacquers (nitro-cellulose) -						
412.22	Clear	34,027	10,050	(a)	1,151	(a)	47,513
412.24	Colours	37,638	27,769	(a)	5,815	(a)	75,178
412.28	Paints, (non-water), in paste form (b)	30,352	5,895	104,321	(a)	(a)	164,323
	Water paints -						
	Emulsion types -						
412.42	Plastic latex (incl. styrene - butadiene, PVA, acrylic, etc.)	185,714	113,803	28,795	41,247	36,076	405,635
412.44	Alkyd resin	(a)	(a)	..	(a)	..	4,785
412.46	Other (incl. casein bound)	3,686	(a)	..	(a)	..	4,665
412.48, 50	In powder form (b)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	..	51,886
412.32	Tinting colours (all types), packaged for sale or transfer out	5,964	986	(a)	(a)	(a)	7,072
412.54	Stains (oil, spirit, varnish) and clear varnish, packaged for sale or transfer out	57,403	20,438	2,897	6,613	2,464	89,815
412.56, 57	Other paints and coatings n.e.i. (c)	43,187	34,336	4,698	7,365	5,758	95,344
	Thinners -						
412.64	For cellulose lacquer	114,683	85,772	45,558	37,347	12,361	295,721
412.66	For paints and enamels	43,931	26,402	9,317	8,865	1,892	90,407

(a) Not available for publication. (b) Unit of quantity lb. (c) Includes floor treatment compounds, water shedding preparations and 2-pack type coatings.

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