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For the purpose of the accompanying statistics a "factory" is taken to be a manufacturing establishment in which four or more persons are employed or in which power other than hand is used. Annual totals for 1938-39 and the last five complete financial years are shown in conjunction with (a) totals for the most recent six monthly and three monthly periods together with comparative figures for the same periods twelve months earlier and (b) monthly totals for each of the latest fifteen months (in most cases).

Figures from July, 1952, onwards are preliminary and subject to revision but the annual totals shown for 1951-52 are final.

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Many of the items included here are shown in greater detail in the Secondary Industries Bulletin and Manufacturing Industries Bulletins.

The Bulletin is published as near as possible to the beginning of each month and the production of each of the commodities listed is given up to the latest available month. For each commodity other than those collected by, or in conjunction with, Government Statisticians, the authority responsible for providing the figures is indicated by a footnote to the item title. Figures up to 1951-52 inclusive represent totals derived, wherever possible, from annual factory returns collected by Government Statisticians. It should be noted that in some cases annual returns are accepted from factories for a year other than the normal financial year ending June 30th.

Graphical presentation of production statistics has been discontinued for this issue, but will be resumed in the September issue.

PERSONS USING THIS BULLETIN ARE ASKED TO NOTE PARTICULARLY THE FOLLOWING.

1. This Monthly Bulletin of Production Statistics contains data as to monthly output of about 139 individual factory products. As monthly particulars of additional items are collected and become available for publication, they will be included in the Bulletin. The items for which quantity of output is published herein are not, however, selected as representative of all factory output. In practice it is not possible to make such a selection at present.
2. The tables given should be read only as showing monthly trends in output of the individual items or groups of items listed. They have not been summarized into a monthly index of Volume of Factory Output, nor a monthly Index of Industrial Production, because they cannot be assumed to be representative of total trends in volume of factory output nor volume of industrial production. It is, in fact, improbable that they are continuously representative in this sense.
3. Although the list of items covered in these monthly tables includes only a small proportion of all the items produced in factories, nevertheless it relates directly to items accounting for about 30 per cent of total value of factory output.
4. At present comparable annual data of quantity of output are collected for a longer list of items covering about one-half of factory production, measured in gross value of output, or slightly less (about 45 per cent) measured in terms of net value of output or "value added" by process of manufacture. Among the factors limiting useful extensions in the annual collection of items of factory output (in quantitative terms) into the field as yet unrecorded in that way are: (i) the fact that a large part of factory production cannot be expressed in quantity item terms but only as a gross or net value of output; (ii) the great and growing diversity of factory products; and (iii) the absence of homogeneity in many types of factory products.

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Cotton Textiles	11			Tomato Soup	16
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Period	COAL			IRON AND STEEL		
	BLACK	(a)	Brown	Pig Iron	Ingot Steel	Blooms & Billets
	New South Wales	Australia		(b)	(b)	(b)
	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons
Year : 1938-39	10,383	12,608	3,208	1,105	1,170	1,120
1948-49	11,015	14,928	7,027	1,045	1,178	1,101
1950-51	12,684	16,418	7,300	1,313	1,444	1,297
1951-52	14,800	19,171	8,096	1,430	1,521	1,361
1952-53	14,290	18,546	8,074	1,692	1,801	1,690
1953-54	14,963	19,377	8,577	1,830	2,130	1,780
Latest 6 Months, 1954	7,209	9,384	4,356	873	1,051	872
Same 6 Months, 1953	6,421	8,420	4,030	894	960	830
Latest 3 Months, 1954	3,742	4,942	2,312	434	540	460
Same 3 Months, 1953	3,165	4,215	2,119	458	499	423
Month -						
1953 : April	1,062	1,404	670	159	157	131
May	1,028	1,382	747	147	170	142
June	1,075	1,429	702	152	172	150
July	1,426	1,822	710	156	188	166
August	1,345	1,707	707	158	187	161
September	1,356	1,753	701	152	171	150
October	1,350	1,737	752	162	188	154
November	1,284	1,669	728	157	182	148
December	993	1,305	629	162	167	134
1954 : January	915	1,166	633	159	180	137
February	1,136	1,459	667	136	152	125
March	1,416	1,817	738	144	179	150
April	1,168	1,549	736	144	177	140
May	1,350	1,660	781	148	187	165
June	1,324	1,733	725	142	176	155

Period	Gold (a) (Mine Production)	REFINED METALS				
		Silver	Copper	Lead	Tin	Zinc
		(d)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(d)
	'000 f.oz.	'000 f.oz.	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Year : 1938-39	1,621	2,455	17,483	232,988	3,262	69,825
1948-49	899	2,814	11,263	204,208	1,956	75,570
1950-51	891	2,563	11,236	188,182	1,739	77,733
1951-52	909	6,681	17,815	188,164	1,452	84,128
1952-53	1,038	6,395	19,135	192,386	1,555	86,177
Latest 6 Months, 1953-54	564	4,481	15,395	117,031	879	51,834
Same 6 Months, 1952-53	513	2,681	7,247	72,028	691	43,313
Latest 3 Months, 1954	287	2,137	8,035	59,379	479	26,552
Same 3 Months, 1953	256	1,852	4,321	56,051	292	21,819
Month -						
1953 : March	89	518	1,340	19,292	119	7,424
April	82	557	1,038	18,714	99	7,110
May	85	777	943	18,045	74	7,285
June	97	572	1,002	18,910	126	6,754
July	79	596	962	21,590	168	7,070
August	107	645	972	20,062	118	7,445
September	87	563	828	19,934	116	7,403
October	89	815	1,007	21,256	117	8,394
November	93	488	1,030	16,387	130	8,405
December	107	732	1,066	21,130	133	8,606
1954 : January	83	846	3,463	22,190	123	8,593
February	87	776	2,829	18,332	144	7,883
March	101	811	2,365	17,973	212	8,921
April	92	452	3,633	17,883	112	8,677
May	24	874	2,037	19,523	155	8,954

(a) Source : Joint Coal Board. (b) Year ended 31st May. (c) Source : State Department of Mines. (d) Source : Australian Mines and Metals Association. (e) Includes Lead and Lead Bullion. (f) Source : Bureau of Mineral Resources.

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Period	Coke Metal-lurgical	Briquettes	Gas (a)	ELECTRICITY		
				Hydro	Thermal	Total
	'000 tons	'000 tons	Mill.c.ft.	Mill.kWh	Mill.kWh	Mill.kWh
Year : 1938-39	1,165	405	21,472.	n.a.	n.a.	4,688
1948-49	1,150	559	36,733	1,378	7,675	9,053.
1950-51	1,516	511	37,875	1,547	8,956	10,503
1951-52	1,637	568	40,391	1,648	9,642	11,297
1952-53	r1,858	545	r40,722	r1,707	r10,338	r12,045
1953-54	2,023	587				
Latest 6 Months, 1954	1,013	308	19,767	861	5,810	6,671
Same 6 Months, 1953	964	281	18,858	795	5,238	6,033
Latest 3 Months, 1954	514	167	10,547	447	3,106	3,553
Same 3 Months, 1953	497	146	10,125	404	2,786	3,190
Month -						
1953 : April	167	45	3,220	125	892	1,017
May	166	55	3,684	141	980	1,121
June	164	46	3,876	144	1,016	1,160
July	170	45	4,149	166	1,029	1,195
August	167	43	4,031	160	986	1,155
September	165	46	3,675	163	946	1,109
October	r171	54	3,591	179	946	1,125
November	169	53	3,354	164	921	1,085
December	168	38	3,216	143	914	1,062
1954 : January	168	38	3,073	135	901	1,036
February	157	48	r2,931	131	889	1,020
March	174	55	3,353	153	1,028	1,181
April	168	56	3,315	146	980	1,126
May	175	r56	3,879	148	1,098	1,246
June	171	55				

BUILDING MATERIALS

Period	Clay Bricks	Cement Building Sheets(b)	Portland Cement	Fibrous Plaster Sheets	Roofing Tiles		Sawn Native Timber(c)
					Terra Cotta	Concrete	
	Mill.	Mill.sq.yds.	'000 tons	'000 sq.yds.	Mill.	Mill.	Mill.sp.ft
Year : 1938-39	721	9.5	868	7,605	39.7	4.5	717
1948-49	617	18.6	1,031	13,234	41.2	28.3	1,184
1950-51	689	21.2	1,235	15,184	47.0	50.8	1,261
1951-52	715	23.3	1,237	16,470	48.9	66.5	1,392
1952-53	661	24.3	1,436	r15,606	58.2	42.7	1,308
1953-54			1,715				
Latest 6 Months, 1954	386	12.7	883	8,515	30.2	21.6	626
Same 6 Months, 1953	325	11.5	740	6,941	27.7	20.3	612
Latest 3 Months, 1954	213	7.0	488	4,676	16.6	11.6	311
Same 3 Months, 1953	182	6.4	408	3,731	15.4	10.7	312
Month -							
1953 : April	59.6	1.92	136	1,213	5.03	3.63	102.9
May	60.4	2.41	139	1,217	5.20	3.29	119.9
June	64.7	2.04	133	1,200	5.29	3.50	116.0
July	r68.7	2.35	141	1,480	r5.72	r3.80	129.3
August	r63.4	2.37	132	1,443	r5.56	r3.70	116.5
September	r71.6	2.21	137	1,486	r5.92	r4.06	125.4
October	r70.5	2.34	147	1,502	r5.46	r3.99	126.7
November	r68.0	2.22	135	1,543	r5.51	r4.07	116.9
December	r60.3	1.78	133	1,272	r4.71	r3.85	102.4
1954 : January	r50.6	1.67	118	1,107	r3.92	r2.62	88.7
February	r62.5	2.21	121	1,460	5.04	r3.46	95.9
March	r74.8	2.53	156	1,604	5.66	r4.06	107.4
April	r67.1	1.94	145	1,485	5.18	r3.59	107.5
May	r71.0	2.52	173	1,589	5.72	r3.97	
June			170				

(a) Produced at Gasworks.

(b) Selling Square Yards except 1938-39 which is in Standard Square Yards.

(c) Source : Forestry and Timber Bureau.

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Period	BUILDING FITTINGS					
	BATH	HEATERS	BASINS		METERS	
	Solid Fuel	Gas	C.I.P.E.	Earthen-ware	Gas	Water
Year : 1938-39	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	44.2	25.0
1950-51	56.1	33.0	n.a.	n.a.	55.9	40.3
1951-52	67.9	33.0	20.2	43.6	63.3	47.4
1952-53	59.1	29.3	38.6	50.3	48.1	56.2
1953-54	40.2	23.3	81.5	28.3	45.4	56.5
Latest 6 Months, 1954	41.0	27.4	98.8	24.6	44.4	53.1
Same 6 Months, 1953	21.7	12.7	53.5	13.0	20.1	28.4
Latest 3 Months, 1954	21.1	11.9	41.6	12.1	22.3	27.8
Same 3 Months, 1953	12.4	7.2	30.2	7.3	9.7	16.2
Month -	11.0	6.2	22.9	5.8	13.6	15.1
1953 : April	3.16	2.03	8.16	2.02	4.33	3.98
May	4.74	2.07	8.18	2.11	4.52	4.93
June	3.14	2.06	6.55	1.66	4.73	6.18
July	r3.24	2.53	9.58	2.10	2.60	3.48
August	r3.92	2.73	7.11	1.95	r4.93	3.72
September	r3.57	2.27	6.57	1.84	4.94	4.76
October	r3.16	2.61	6.59	1.98	4.52	4.30
November	r2.55	2.41	8.06	2.24	3.57	4.40
December	r2.89	2.10	7.57	1.51	3.72	4.05
1954 : January	r1.79	1.37	5.40	1.43	2.24	2.57
February	r3.31	2.03	8.47	2.04	3.64	3.95
March	r4.17	2.15	9.43	2.30	4.54	5.76
April	r4.00	2.24	8.99	2.20	2.77	5.02
May	r4.21	2.27	8.93	2.58	2.98	4.48
June	4.17	2.67	12.23	2.49	3.94	6.65
Period	BUILDING FITTINGS					
	Baths	Pans	STOVES - DOMESTIC COOKING (a)			
	C.I.P.E.	Pedestal Earthen-ware	Coppers, Gas	Solid Fuel	Gas	Electric
Year : 1938-39	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	54.5	46.7	8.8 (b)
1950-51	63.8	n.a.	30.0	61.4	49.6	41.9
1951-52	87.6	102.1	43.4	75.0	55.4	44.8
1952-53	76.9	96.6	37.9	71.7	51.0	50.9
1953-54	64.7	101.4	25.0	46.6	34.4	22.6
Latest 6 Months, 1954	90.4	115.0	28.0	48.2	44.0	36.5
Same 6 Months, 1953	48.9	56.6	13.2	22.4	21.1	20.2
Latest 3 Months, 1954	38.6	50.5	13.5	21.2	18.1	12.0
Same 3 Months, 1953	25.5	29.8	6.7	12.7	11.6	11.3
Month -	20.7	26.4	7.0	11.5	9.4	7.0
1953 : April	8.07	8.27	2.15	3.75	3.13	2.31
May	6.33	8.94	2.37	4.03	3.15	2.13
June	6.30	9.15	2.49	3.76	3.14	2.52
July	7.19	10.06	2.15	4.97	3.85	2.58
August	6.58	9.60	2.36	4.40	3.78	2.33
September	6.82	11.14	2.72	5.30	4.05	2.99
October	6.03	10.54	2.43	4.02	4.04	2.97
November	8.36	9.97	2.23	3.92	3.79	3.05
December	6.53	7.05	2.92	3.22	3.41	2.42
1954 : January	5.50	7.22	1.54	2.49	2.44	2.31
February	8.63	6.68	2.10	3.22	3.05	2.67
March	9.28	10.90	2.86	3.95	3.99	3.86
April	8.05	9.38	2.56	3.65	2.93	3.38
May	8.89	10.31	1.81	4.74	4.10	3.81
June	8.54	10.12	2.28	4.10	4.55	4.12

(a) Includes Commercial Cooking Stoves in 1938-39.

(b) Includes Stovettes, Cookers, etc.

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Period	BUILDING FITTINGS			MATTRESSES		
	SINKS			Woven Wire, Link Mesh and Spring (a)	Inner Spring	Other
	C.I.P.E.	Earthen- ware	Stainless Steel			
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	164	35	n.a.
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	69.6	172	155	456
1950-51	27.5	0.92	128.1	250	290	506
1951-52	24.1	0.66	145.0	222	280	399
1952-53	18.6	2.01	138.4	253	327	342
1953-54	7.5	1.71	156.6	269	412	350
Latest 6 Months, 1954	(d)	(d)	82.4	131	208	167
Same 6 Months, 1953	7.1	1.03	65.6	134	173	170
Latest 3 Months, 1954	(d)	(d)	45.0	68	103	83
Same 3 Months, 1953	3.2	0.52	35.1	65	88	85
Month -						
1953 : April	1.30	0.17	11.2	21.0	31.7	28.1
May	0.91	0.18	11.6	22.3	28.8	28.5
June	0.94	0.17	12.3	20.3	27.8	28.1
July	1.23	0.13	14.2	21.2	31.8	30.2
August	0.57	0.14	11.9	21.7	28.7	29.5
September	1.06	0.12	11.8	22.7	32.4	29.4
October	1.11	0.09	12.4	24.1	34.1	29.5
November	(d)	0.12	13.0	25.4	37.9	31.0
December	0.47	0.07	10.9	22.9	39.6	33.7
1954 : January	(d)	(d)	9.7	16.3	28.6	22.3
February	0.54	0.14	12.3	20.9	34.6	27.0
March	(d)	0.20	15.4	25.6	41.5	33.9
April	(d)	0.20	13.3	24.4	34.5	27.6
May	(d)	0.18	15.1	21.6	37.2	27.3
June	(d)	(d)	16.6	22.2	31.3	28.4
CHEMICALS						
Period	ACID			Super- phosphate (b)	Sulphate of Ammonia (c)	Refined Glycerine
	Sulphuric	Nitric	Hydro- chloric			
	'000 tons	Tons	Tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 cwt.
Year : 1938-39	489	563	2,737	1,199	24.3	44.4
1948-49	585	3,292	3,110	1,423	53.2	64.9
1950-51	640	7,367	1,950	1,548	57.9	81.5
1951-52	650	9,344	1,850	1,597	63.8	81.4
1952-53	627	8,414	1,787	1,581	70.2	74.1
1953-54	735	11,625	1,995	1,767	71.3	83.4
Latest 6 Months, 1954	393	5,825	993	952	34.2	42.1
Same 6 Months, 1953	370	(d)	920	831	34.2	34.3
Latest 3 Months, 1954	203	2,947	545	485	19.6	22.9
Same 3 Months, 1953	178	(d)	485	456	18.4	19.0
Month -						
1953 : April	60.2	822	162	160	6.28	6.21
May	57.5	671	183	149	6.39	6.15
June	60.5	(d)	140	147	5.74	6.66
July	55.7	1,077	154	134	6.56	6.63
August	55.7	786	164	127	6.23	6.83
September	57.4	1,057	165	148	5.86	6.39
October	58.3	1,112	186	133	7.29	7.42
November	53.3	892	176	122	5.66	6.71
December	61.2	876	157	151	5.50	7.31
1954 : January	60.7	1,079	126	143	3.83	3.30
February	59.8	870	133	145	5.02	6.02
March	70.3	929	189	179	5.76	9.82
April	64.1	1,117	179	148	7.15	6.10
May	65.4	861	195	161	6.19	7.21
June	73.0	902	171	176	6.25	9.62

(a) 1951-52 and later periods includes Mattresses made and incorporated in folding beds and stretchers. Earlier figures no not.

(b) Source : Department of Commerce and Agriculture.

(c) Source : Nitrogen Fertilizers Pty. Ltd.,

(d) Not available for publication.

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Period	SOAP				Soap Extracts and Powders		Cleansing & Scouring Powders & Pastes (e)
	Household (a)	Toilet & Hand (b)	Industrial (c)	Other (d)	Household	Industrial	
	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.	'000 cwt.
Year : 1938-39	735	132	21(f)	110		131	34
1948-49	711	283	99	140		509	73
1950-51	747	309	145	165	697	58	75
1951-52	688	331	110	176	661	68	83
1952-53	r649	r287	r104	r158	812	r74	r93
1953-54	622	315	120	163	821	70	84
Latest 6 Months, 1954	307	159	59	84	428	33	44
Same 6 Months, 1953	297	144	49	73	403	36	40
Latest 3 Months, 1954	165	86	33	46	234	17	22
Same 3 Months, 1953	144	78	28	39	209	19	20
Month -							
1953 : April	46.2	28.1	9.60	13.1	68.0	6.91	7.21
May	48.4	26.5	8.82	12.7	80.8	5.63	7.36
June	49.4	23.8	9.33	13.0	60.1	6.01	5.54
July	58.1	26.0	r11.90	r14.8	77.8	6.88	r7.80
August	90.1	24.6	r9.03	r12.2	r56.3	6.38	r6.78
September	45.9	23.5	r8.72	r12.8	58.5	6.10	r6.89
October	52.7	30.4	r10.65	r13.9	89.7	4.85	r5.86
November	52.6	27.4	r11.16	r12.8	r55.1	r6.03	r6.93
December	55.7	23.8	r8.84	r13.6	55.7	r6.28	r6.12
1954 : January	31.5	18.2	6.44	r12.3	39.2	4.01	r6.13
February	46.3	22.2	9.60	r12.8	65.5	5.82	r7.46
March	63.5	32.4	r10.50	r16.2	89.1	6.81	r8.01
April	48.2	28.9	r9.90	r14.5	60.4	7.01	r7.71
May	54.6	24.3	11.20	r14.9	71.6	4.65	r7.97
June	62.4	32.2	11.79	11.2	102.1	5.00	6.68

PAINTS, ETC.

Period	Ready Mixed Paint	Lacquer, Nitro-Cellulose	Enamels, Natural & Synthetic	Water Paint	Kalsomine	Thinners	
						For Lacquers	For Enamels
	'000 gal.	'000 gal.	'000 gal.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 gal.	'000 gal.
Year : 1938-39	2,115	576	575	5,174	5,584	671	
1948-49	3,696	830	1,717	11,018	8,645	1,126	
1950-51	5,590	1,158	1,869	19,506	8,860	1,652	
1951-52	5,513	1,191	2,093	22,543	7,363	1,515	215
1952-53	4,260	1,005	2,127	25,222	3,766	1,385	203
1953-54	5,222	1,342	2,670	29,772	3,383	1,717	298
Latest 6 Months, 1954	2,632	675	1,282	14,010	(g)	875	149
Same 6 Months, 1953	2,318	564	1,184	12,643	1,225	753	112
Latest 3 Months, 1954	1,387	358	678	6,804	(g)	448	82
Same 3 Months, 1953	1,162	293	622	6,050	877	374	56
Month -							
1953 : April	392	94	195	2,214	259	129	18.3
May	397	107	217	2,041	373	133	18.8
June	373	92	217	1,795	245	112	18.4
July	r450	r109	224	2,117	257	r152	r22.0
August	r399	r108	r206	2,462	325	r121	r22.6
September	r449	r113	r240	2,850	341	r135	r24.7
October	r432	r119	r247	2,817	262	r145	r23.9
November	r435	r117	254	2,864	321	r154	r28.4
December	425	r101	r217	2,652	(g)	r135	27.4
1954 : January	r345	r 85	170	1,948	219	r129	r20.0
February	426	r104	r198	2,461	276	r147	r19.7
March	r474	r128	r236	2,797	348	r151	r27.1
April	r456	r115	212	2,164	272	r148	r23.6
May	474	126	233	2,326	329	155	27.0
June	457	117	233	2,314	(g)	145	31.1

(a) Includes Laundry Flakes and Chips.

(b) Includes Shaving Soap and Shampoo.

(c) Includes Industrial Flakes and Chips.

(d) Sand, Soft and Liquid.

(e) Excludes Synthetic Detergents.

(f) Woolscouring Soap only.

(g) Not available for publication.

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Period	Domestic Refriger- ators	DOMESTIC ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES				
		Clothes Washing Machines	Vacuum Cleaners	RADIOS		Radio- grams
				Portable	Other (a)	
Year : 1938-39	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1948-49	29.5	n.a.	n.a.		163.8	
1950-51	145.6	6.5	65.7		294.1	
1951-52	203.9	72.6	70.1	376.2		83.3
1952-53	192.8	99.4	64.1	296.4		61.9
1953-54	181.7	89.1	38.4	85.4	160.9	65.5
Latest 6 Months, 1954	276.6	146.0	57.3	105.9	238.5	88.3
Same 6 Months, 1953	128.0	81.0	27.0	54.2	104.8	42.1
Latest 3 Months, 1954	87.7	51.3	(c)	50.0	90.0	33.3
Same 3 Months, 1953	57.3	47.0	16.0	28.4	59.7	24.3
Month -	38.0	28.5	(c)	26.1	48.5	20.6
1953 : April	12.1	9.53	(c)	8.94	15.01	6.73
May	13.2	9.75	4.39	8.98	17.73	6.50
June	12.7	9.23	4.68	8.20	15.76	7.38
July	17.5	11.08	5.63	6.32	21.48	8.75
August	17.5	7.54	4.37	7.28	20.43	6.48
September	22.2	13.27	5.66	7.14	23.63	7.55
October	28.9	10.58	4.59	9.09	21.35	8.45
November	30.7	12.42	4.98	10.52	25.20	7.60
December	31.9	10.15	5.12	11.33	21.57	7.17
1954 : January	25.3	8.63	2.55	5.07	12.13	4.35
February	23.3	10.48	3.61	6.53	13.95	5.69
March	22.0	14.84	4.77	12.23	19.06	7.79
April	18.4	13.82	3.84	10.04	20.54	6.55
May	18.0	16.02	5.41	10.22	20.12	8.81
June	20.2	17.18	6.78	8.11	19.01	8.94
Period	DOMESTIC ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES					
	Irons (Hand)	Fans (h)	Toasters	Hot Water Jugs	Food Mixers	Radiators & Electric Fires
Year : 1938-39	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1950-51	209.0	59.0	148.3	81.2	n.a.	94.8
1951-52	232.2	63.3	154.6	174.7	80.5	101.3
1952-53	226.2	75.4	198.6	206.4	97.4	93.7
1953-54	180.0	35.8	119.3	111.6	127.5	78.3
Latest 6 Months, 1954	227.0	41.8	148.5	149.9	173.7	145.1
Same 6 Months, 1953	107.8	20.2	67.4	72.3	26.5	126.8
Latest 3 Months, 1954	94.9	13.3	57.8	68.4	79.5	(c)
Same 3 Months, 1953	56.9	7.4	37.6	37.1	47.8	92.4
Month -	50.4	5.4	29.2	39.7	46.6	(c)
1953 : April	14.9	2.08	9.98	14.77	12.80	15.66
May	18.7	1.68	10.36	13.61	14.62	20.11
June	16.8	1.64	8.90	11.36	19.13	(c)
July	21.2	1.81	11.28	11.15	10.59	9.73
August	20.2	1.54	12.37	12.01	11.04	3.18
September	20.9	2.41	13.01	12.81	12.96	1.39
October	21.5	4.17	14.55	12.48	13.02	1.76
November	20.1	5.76	16.08	13.74	13.63	1.59
December	15.3	5.91	13.82	15.39	15.99	0.66
1954 : January	12.8	4.59	9.19	8.37	13.10	1.63
February	17.7	4.72	9.48	12.11	19.59	10.49
March	20.4	3.50	11.17	14.75	16.00	22.26
April	17.7	2.34	11.90	12.74	17.84	32.22
May	20.3	1.97	13.42	11.98	15.77	31.74
June	18.9	3.06	12.25	12.35	14.15	28.43

(a) Includes Car Radios. (b) Includes Industrial. (c) Not available for publication.

Period	ELECTRIC MOTORS (a)						Total
	Under 1 H.P.	1 H.P. and under 2½ H.P.	2½ H.P. and under 5 H.P.	5 H.P. and under 10 H.P.	10 H.P. and over	No.	
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	31,725
1948-49	245,249	26,813	14,421	7,853	4,518	298,854	
1950-51	466,480	26,609	14,977	8,410	7,109	523,585	
1951-52	553,151	25,433	14,462	8,895	6,422	610,363	
1952-53	485,917	16,248	8,660	4,901	6,441	522,167	
1953-54	786,860	22,891	9,615	5,388	5,265	829,989	
Latest 6 Mths., 1954	409,238	12,919	5,077	3,037	2,730	433,001	
Same 6 Months, 1953	270,725	8,251	4,165	2,218	2,863	288,022	
Latest 3 Months, 1954	210,885	6,981	2,700	1,750	1,518	223,834	
Same 3 Months, 1953	145,594	4,339	1,273	1,045	1,426	154,377	
Month 1953: April	47,462	1,694	571	653	464	50,174	
May	43,231	1,230	707	438	403	45,979	
June	54,901	1,415	695	334	559	57,924	
July	56,237	1,359	694	363	430	59,283	
August	54,197	1,578	842	334	310	57,261	
September	62,801	1,858	635	570	544	66,408	
October	63,734	1,963	654	231	386	67,048	
November	67,910	1,519	725	465	477	71,096	
December	72,743	1,695	758	500	388	75,892	
1954: January	58,264	1,257	497	364	336	60,718	
February	68,820	1,876	860	219	375	72,290	
March	71,269	2,805	1,000	584	501	76,159	
April	65,520	2,482	843	534	349	69,778	
May	63,879	2,327	951	595	609	68,461	
June	81,486	2,172	906	471	560	85,595	

Period	INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINES (a) (b)					
	Petrol and Light Oils				Diesel (c)	
	MARINE		OTHER		OTHER THAN MARINE	
	2 H.P. & under 6 H.P.	Total	2 H.P. & under 6 H.P.	Total	2 H.P. & under 6 H.P.	Total
Year : 1938-39	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
	n.a.	2,957			2,869	
1948-49	2,269	3,081			26,023	
1950-51	1,857	2,296	18,179	27,122	2,619	4,200
1951-52	1,736	2,112	15,015	26,206	2,923	4,225
1952-53	(d)	1,400	2,630	13,189	(d)	4,952
1953-54	(d)	1,365	12,522	20,092	(d)	3,785
Latest 6 Mths., 1954	(d)	590	5,771	9,383	(d)	1,872
Same 6 Months, 1953	(d)	557	5,849	9,329	(d)	2,589
Latest 3 Months, 1954	(d)	277	3,176	4,855	(d)	753
Same 3 Months, 1953	(d)	274	3,440	5,422	(d)	1,287
Month 1953: April	(d)	85	1,139	1,839	(d)	441
May	(d)	99	1,018	1,410	(d)	447
June	(d)	90	1,206	1,173	(d)	399
July	(d)	101	1,126	1,678	(d)	314
August	(d)	91	1,124	1,775	(d)	213
September	(d)	153	1,281	1,927	(d)	296
October	(d)	151	1,029	1,669	(d)	403
November	(d)	156	1,000	1,781	(d)	491
December	(d)	121	1,111	1,879	(d)	196
1954: January	(d)	75	730	1,118	(d)	336
February	(d)	127	913	1,882	(d)	412
March	(d)	111	947	1,528	(d)	371
April	(d)	63	880	1,329	(d)	133
May	(d)	100	1,088	1,675	(d)	311
June	(d)	94	1,208	1,851	(d)	309

(a) Includes those made and incorporated by manufacturers in their own products.
 (b) Excludes Motor car, Motor Cycle, Truck, Tractor or Aero. (c) The numbers of Marine Diesel Engines made are not available for publication. (d) Not available for publication.

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Period	MOTOR BODIES		Tyres (Pneumatic)	Inner Tubes	Pedal Cycles -	Perambu- lators
	Cars	Utilities	Motor (a)	Motor (a)	(b)	(c)
	No.	No.	'000	'000	No.	'000
Year : 1938-39	50,907	8,578	2,198 (d)	1,834 (d)	n.a.	66.2
1948-49	31,416	9,588	1,720 (d)	1,535 (d)	91,514	106.7
1950-51	41,076	22,242	2,245	1,960	112,076	118.8
1951-52	46,515	22,385	2,577	2,070	84,931	111.4
1952-53	46,502	20,484	1,692	1,549	73,382	130.2
1953-54	66,164	25,039	2,869	2,494	83,118	146.2
Latest 6 Mths., 1954	34,016	11,570	1,459	1,269	34,356	81.4
Same 6 Months, 1953	23,601	11,035	896	984	35,274	71.6
Latest 3 Months, 1954	18,776	6,626	791	712	17,140	36.4
Same 3 Months, 1953	12,364	5,209	513	588	17,706	32.6
Month 1953: April	4,058	2,119	146	181	6,301	12.4
May	4,007	1,910	163	203	6,093	11.6
June	4,299	1,680	202	204	5,312	8.6
July	5,460	2,263	240	241	5,847	9.0
August	5,572	2,148	220	198	5,471	11.0
September	5,599	2,455	251	223	5,259	10.9
October	5,466	2,262	244	217	5,568	13.1
November	5,189	2,408	245	188	5,647	10.3
December	4,862	1,933	210	158	5,370	10.5
1954: January	3,570	1,254	159	130	4,480	12.6
February	5,096	1,655	219	182	5,809	12.9
March	6,574	2,035	290	245	6,927	19.5
April	5,609	1,923	245	218	5,919	15.2
May	6,383	2,154	274	250	5,895	11.8
June	6,784	2,549	272	244	5,326	9.4

CATTLE HIDES, YEARLINGS AND CALFSKINS (e)

Period	Cattle Hides		Yearlings		Calfskins		Total
	For Export (f)	For Tanning	For Export (f)	For Tanning	For Export (f)	For Tanning	
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1948-49	210	2,259	4.09	195	3.96	1,295	3,967
1950-51	182	2,297	0.47	191	1.79	1,152	3,824
1951-52	179	2,278	2.31	276	1.97	1,117	3,854
1952-53	324	2,365	18.95	218	43.13	1,147	4,116
1953-54	484	2,223	40.97	270	31.17	1,302	4,352
Latest 6 Mths., 1954	233	1,118	25.88	161	20.19	475	2,032
Same 6 Months, 1953	209	1,206	14.62	110	25.56	483	2,050
Latest 3 Months, 1954	139	624	13.76	63	5.08	234	1,099
Same 3 Months, 1953	120	632	6.92	55	11.80	244	1,071
Month 1953: April	31.7	171	3.18	15.1	3.70	64.2	289
May	41.0	247	2.42	24.0	5.46	102.8	423
June	47.5	214	1.32	16.2	2.64	77.2	359
July	47.7	212	2.86	17.5	20.52	99.6	380
August	59.2	245	3.79	21.0	1.29	175.9	507
September	43.4	173	2.83	15.2	1.00	166.2	400
October	42.3	194	2.15	19.0	2.01	175.9	436
November	31.7	152	2.11	17.7	3.51	120.4	327
December	26.6	129	1.95	19.3	2.65	89.6	270
1954: January	36.5	186	4.18	26.6	11.71	105.4	370
February	26.1	136	3.80	24.2	2.70	74.9	269
March	31.7	170	21.14	26.6	0.70	60.7	294
April	36.5	159	21.00	22.5	0.96	59.6	283
May	51.2	254	5.72	25.0	1.91	101.8	449
June	51.3	211	4.04	25.8	2.21	72.3	367

- (a) Motor Car, Motor Cycle, Tractor, Aero and Omnibus. Source: Department of Supply.
 (b) Made or assembled. (c) Includes Pushers and Strollers. (d) Includes Cycle.
 (e) Hides and Skins received into store as reported by Aust. Hides and Leather Board.
 (f) For Export as Hides and Skins or Leather.

Period	COTTON YARN				Cotton Sewing Thread (a)	Towels
	Weaving (Incl. Condenser)	Spinning	Other (Incl. Tyre & Cordage Yarn)	Total		
	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 doz.
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	11,692	n.a.	476 (b)
1948-49	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	27,095	595	389
1950-51	23,357	6,188	5,716	35,261	974	516
1951-52	23,822	4,734	5,885	34,461	1,046	507
1952-53	19,387	4,516	3,286	27,189	r663	627
1953-54	24,241	6,749	6,937	37,927	1,058	663
Latest 6 Months, 1954	13,476	3,501	3,116	19,795	540	306
Same 6 Months, 1953	9,116	2,622	1,633	13,371	435	343
Latest 3 Months, 1954	6,877	1,917	1,754	10,548	297	160
Same 3 Months, 1953	4,664	1,635	1,169	7,438	243	199
Month 1953: April	1,713	525	291	2,529	77.4	63.7
May	1,490	510	320	2,320	81.0	64.8
June	1,461	570	558	2,589	84.9	70.0
July	1,702	626	r666	r2,994	98.7	69.5
August	1,713	485	600	2,798	94.9	60.1
September	1,974	639	732	3,345	69.3	65.9
October	1,834	494	r632	r2,960	85.9	58.6
November	2,011	500	625	3,136	86.1	61.1
December	1,831	r504	r564	r2,899	63.3	41.9
1954: January	1,491	391	332	2,214	r55.5	37.3
February	2,082	515	473	3,070	83.3	47.9
March	2,726	678	559	3,963	104.4	60.3
April	1,966	500	533	2,999	95.8	46.2
May	2,351	639	576	3,566	105.0	56.4
June	2,560	778	645	3,983	96.2	57.5

Period	COTTON WOVEN CLOTH						
	Towelling (Incl. Baby Napkins)	Duck, Canvas etc. (c)	Drills, Jeans, etc.	Cotton Tweeds	Denims	Other Piece Goods (d)	Total
	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.	'000 sq.yds.
Year : 1938-39	(e)	(e)	(e)	3,560	(e)	1,699	5,417
1948-49	456	7,419	5,172	1,756	90	9,940	24,842
1950-51	1,350	9,471	6,770	2,422	392	11,952	32,357
1951-52	964	11,151	8,629	2,119	355	9,147	32,365
1952-53	940	7,818	3,293	1,512	795	5,312	24,670
1953-54	1,480	6,772	11,466	2,994	1,755	7,445	31,912
Latest 6 Months, 1954	629	4,294	5,618	1,628	691	3,840	16,700
Same 6 Months, 1953	477	2,521	4,016	892	702	3,336	11,944
Latest 3 Months, 1954	360	2,521	3,001	871	325	2,206	9,284
Same 3 Months, 1953	230	907	2,385	560	495	2,149	6,786
Month 1953: April	85	410	758	184	153	787	2,377
May	96	239	740	184	151	622	2,032
June	109	258	887	192	191	740	2,377
July	152	r339	933	210	194	741	2,569
August	130	r337	869	220	157	664	2,377
September	173	r361	1,069	273	191	577	2,644
October	159	r446	1,094	245	182	527	2,653
November	126	471	1,055	234	194	642	2,722
December	111	524	828	184	r146	454	2,247
1954: January	66	380	650	r192	93	408	1,789
February	86	602	856	239	133	492	2,408
March	117	791	r1,111	326	140	734	3,219
April	110	704	901	272	112	652	2,751
May	129	r866	1,045	291	95	771	3,197
June	121	951	1,055	308	118	783	3,336

(a) Counts higher than 12's. Production of Heavy Counts (12's-8's) not available for publication. (b) Includes some Towelling. (c) Includes a small quantity of Flax Canvas. (d) Includes Sheeting, Calico, Shirting, Dress Fabrics, Upholstery Fabrics and other close weave Piece Goods. (e) Not available for publication.

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Period	WOOL AND WOOL TEXTILES					
	Scoured and Carbonized Wool	Wool Tops	YARN		Woven Cloth (a)	Blankets
			Worsted	Woolen		
	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Mill. sq. yds.	'000
Year : 1938-39	105	25.2	18.1	14.4	31.7	1,147
1948-49	162	36.0	28.3	22.4	40.8	1,373
1950-51	152	29.8	24.8	21.7	37.5	1,945
1951-52	121	24.8	19.5	17.0	29.2	1,285
1952-53	125	27.1	20.1	15.1	28.8	894
1953-54	136	32.5	25.3	19.4	32.7	1,196
Latest 6 Months, 1954	66	14.3	12.8	9.5	15.9	618
Same 6 Months, 1953	69	15.5	11.2	8.5	16.2	500
Latest 3 Months, 1954	36	8.0	6.9	5.2	7.9	375
Same 3 Months, 1953	39	9.1	6.2	4.8	8.7	313
Month 1953 : April	11.5	2.63	2.08	1.51	2.78	99.6
May	11.8	2.73	2.13	1.63	3.02	111.6
June	15.6	3.73	1.94	1.65	2.87	102.1
July	12.7	3.03	2.19	1.57	2.75	120.8
August	10.9	2.96	2.02	1.73	2.85	108.4
September	11.6	2.97	2.25	1.70	2.98	101.0
October	11.2	2.88	2.13	1.73	2.89	88.0
November	11.9	2.98	2.12	1.70	2.98	84.1
December	10.8	2.38	1.82	1.38	2.36	75.8
1954: January	8.4	1.71	1.37	1.04	2.05	54.4
February	9.8	2.60	2.09	1.58	2.76	81.7
March	12.7	3.02	2.49	1.71	3.24	106.9
April	11.0	2.48	2.14	1.62	2.49	114.1
May	11.9	2.54	2.31	1.73	2.69	125.2
June	12.6	2.97	2.41	1.86	2.67	135.2

Period	RAYON WOVEN CLOTH		ROSIERY			
	Pure Rayon	Rayon Mixtures	Women's, Maids' and Girls'		Men's Youths' and Boys'	Infants' and Babywear
			Full Fash. and Circular	Anklets		
	'000 sq. yds.	'000 sq. yds.	'000 doz. prs.	'000 doz. prs.	'000 doz. prs.	'000 doz. prs.
Year : 1938-39	n.a.	n.a.	2,136		1,102	611
1948-49	5,706	961	1,537		1,275	705
1950-51	10,606	1,795	1,477	380	1,536	563
1951-52	10,864	1,726	1,545	323	1,462	462
1952-53	15,450	2,110	1,863	461	1,575	414
1953-54	20,433	3,318	2,162	642	1,880	563
Latest 6 Months, 1954	9,669	1,306	1,084	314	870	271
Same 6 Months, 1953	8,613	1,366	939	261	791	225
Latest 3 Months, 1954	4,726	603	594	165	446	146
Same 3 Months, 1953	5,007	760	509	151	431	124
Month 1953: April	1,608	224	162	52.8	143	36.0
May	1,820	269	169	49.1	138	43.8
June	1,579	267	178	49.5	150	44.2
July	1,925	383	192	59.6	170	53.4
August	1,822	345	172	52.2	163	51.8
September	1,859	330	192	57.5	183	52.6
October	2,024	371	186	53.2	169	48.0
November	1,729	324	177	55.4	176	46.7
December	1,405	259	159	49.6	149	39.4
1954: January	1,369	208	121	31.1	104	28.1
February	1,766	240	165	49.4	142	42.7
March	1,808	255	204	68.3	178	54.2
April	1,737	240	185	51.4	139	45.1
May	1,458	174	204	54.4	148	50.2
June	1,531	189	205	52.5	159	50.4

(a) Includes wool in admixture with other fibres.

Period	MEN'S, YOUTHS' & BOYS' CLOTHING (CIVILIAN DAY WEAR)						
	SUITS			TROUSERS		SPORTS COATS (Including Blazers)	
	Men's & Youths'		Boys'	Men's & Youths'		Men's & Youths'	Boys'
	3 Piece	2 Piece		Sports	Work		
Year : 1949-50	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1950-51	403	626	169	2,836	1,495	803	123
1951-52	302	708	142	2,512	1,792	793	94
1952-53	187	610	96	2,223	1,515	653	104
1953-54	r 116	r 569	r 96	2,014	r1,556	487	92
Latest 6 Months 1954	94	652	122	2,345	1,992	607	112
Same 6 Months 1953	39.7	291	45.9	1,044	1,000	226	50.7
Latest 3 Months, 1954	52.4	252	45.2	1,020	785	190	46.2
Same 3 Months, 1953	20.6	157	24.0	550	561	126	28.6
Month 1953: April	27.1	134	25.5	545	417	91	27.0
May	9.9	43.3	6.2	184	r 133	28.6	7.6
June	9.4	r44.8	10.2	178	r 143	29.9	6.8
July	7.8	45.7	9.1	183	r 140	r32.4	12.6
August	9.7	56.1	19.7	210	173	48.4	13.1
September	9.5	56.9	14.2	214	160	61.7	10.7
October	8.4	65.0	11.3	225	177	69.5	10.4
November	8.8	63.0	11.1	233	166	69.0	10.1
December	8.9	62.1	8.9	224	172	72.6	9.4
1954: January	9.0	55.3	10.4	195	144	59.0	7.9
February	3.5	30.7	9.7	121	99	23.1	4.3
March	5.8	48.2	5.6	165	r 155	34.5	8.8
April	9.8	55.1	6.6	208	r 185	43.1	9.0
May	6.5	49.8	8.5	189	183	42.5	8.6
June	6.5	52.5	7.5	177	r 191	42.0	11.4
	7.6	55.0	8.0	184	187	41.1	8.6

MEN'S, YOUTH' & BOYS' CLOTHING (CIVILIAN DAY WEAR) CONTD.

Period	Shorts and Knickerbockers		Overalls		Raincoats and Overcoats		Jodhpurs and Riding Breeches
	Men's & Youths'	Boys'	Men's & Youths'	Boys'	Men's & Youths'	Boys'	Men's, Youths' and Boys'
Year : 1949-50	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1950-51	1,146	1,312	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1951-52	1,285	1,262	n.a.	n.a.	441	n.a.	n.a.
1952-53	1,120	1,143	1,021	432	362	198	135
1953-54	r1,122	r1,338	r 895	r 527	274	239	118
Latest 6 Months 1954	1,461	1,694	1,016	678	282	255	204
Same 6 Months 1953	655	700	543	311	198	165	119
Latest 3 Months, 1954	515	517	491	202	206	180	75
Same 3 Months, 1953	292	325	310	189	107	85	65
Month 1953: April	229	216	247	96	124	102	51
May	r 94	r 69	78.5	r27.8	43.0	36.7	14.7
June	r 65	r 71	83.5	r33.6	43.7	38.6	r12.9
July	r 69	r 76	84.8	34.8	37.1	27.0	22.9
August	91	140	79.6	47.1	24.9	15.8	25.1
September	118	159	78.1	42.5	13.0	11.3	17.1
October	133	166	79.6	59.4	11.9	14.7	12.9
November	149	173	81.8	68.2	12.1	13.3	10.3
December	152	182	81.5	83.6	11.4	12.3	10.6
1954: January	163	172	72.2	66.4	10.8	12.7	8.4
February	95	98	40.2	23.0	18.3	14.7	6.7
March	120	143	91.5	46.5	31.7	26.2	20.6
April	148	134	101.0	52.5	40.8	38.5	27.2
May	108	102	83.4	59.0	36.4	29.8	20.2
June	r 91	r 101	r109.1	71.8	38.4	33.5	r 23.7
	93	122	118.0	58.0	32.4	22.0	20.8

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Period	CARDIGANS AND PULLOVERS (a)		BATHING SUITS (a)	UNDERWEAR (a)	
	Men's and Boys'	Women's and Maids'	Men's, Boys', Women's and Girls'	Men's, Youths' and Boys'	Women's, Maids' and Girls'
Year : 1938-39	'000 doz. 341.9 (b)		'000 doz. 78.9 (b)	'000 doz. 2,750	
1948-49	566.9 (b)		106.2	3,168	
1950-51	276	356	122.1	1,293	2,423
1951-52	247	404	110.6	1,268	2,359
1952-53	188	389	129.0	1,104	2,059
1953-54	279	455	140.3	1,441	2,616
Latest 6 Months, 1954	150	238	37.3	r 694	r1,241
Same 6 Months, 1953 (c)	117	210	27.8	r 575	r1,005
Latest 3 Months, 1954	80	127	23.2	r 372	r 655
Same 3 Months, 1953 (c)	68	116	17.4	r 320	r 549
Month 1953: April (c)	20.9	38.2	3.40	r105.6	182.6
May (c)	24.9	40.8	4.82	r107.2	183.9
June (c)	22.2	37.2	9.08	r107.0	182.8
July	22.1	39.1	14.21	r127.9	r230.7
August	17.9	35.6	14.47	r113.9	r12.2
September	19.0	31.8	22.04	r133.9	250.7
October	21.6	40.6	21.67	r126.9	r239.0
November	23.4	38.8	21.09	r132.0	r243.0
December	19.9	30.8	9.60	r112.7	r199.8
1954: January	15.9	25.0	4.89	r 76.3	r137.8
February	23.4	39.3	4.71	r110.0	r196.5
March	30.9	46.8	4.43	r135.8	r252.8
April	26.3	42.4	5.47	118.5	r203.4
May	27.8	45.0	7.45	r128.5	r217.9
June	25.9	39.3	10.37	124.9	222.9

Period	SHIRTS	Pyjama Suits (Men's and Boys')	FOUNDATION GARMENTS		
	Men's and Boys'		Corsets (a)	Corselets	Brassieres
Year : 1938-39	'000 doz. 675(d)	'000 doz. 200	'000 doz. 143.5	'000 doz. 19.0	'000 doz. 222.2
1948-49	856(d)	219	125.7	8.3	264.8
1950-51	1,074	201	115.0	7.3	369.6
1951-52	1,155	227	122.8	8.5	378.0
1952-53	878	180	116.5	7.5	375.5
1953-54	1,249	277	147.3	7.0	412.8
Latest 6 Months, 1954	560	171	72.3	3.24	199.8
Same 6 Months, 1953	367	103	57.2	2.62	171.4
Latest 3 Months, 1954	313	105	39.0	1.90	103.9
Same 3 Months, 1953	206	60	32.6	1.49	95.2
Month 1953: April	62.4	22.5	9.97	0.45	31.9
May	64.3	21.1	10.38	0.45	31.2
June	79.4	16.7	12.24	0.59	32.0
July	r 90.9	r17.2	r11.93	0.52	34.9
August	r 97.2	r14.5	r11.21	r0.58	31.0
September	r119.4	r18.2	r13.03	0.57	36.4
October	r128.6	r19.7	r12.66	r0.68	38.9
November	r135.4	r20.7	r12.97	0.71	r36.8
December	r109.1	16.0	r13.26	0.68	r35.0
1954: January	r 55.6	r12.4	r 7.06	0.32	21.9
February	r 82.9	21.6	11.42	r0.44	33.2
March	r108.2	r32.2	14.74	r0.58	40.8
April	r 94.8	r33.1	12.72	0.51	33.7
May	r104.9	39.0	12.91	0.63	35.9
June	113.2	32.8	13.41	0.76	34.3

(a) Total made including that Knitted or made of Knitted or Woven Fabric.. (b) Knitted only. (c) Partly estimated. (d) Excludes Knitted. (e) Including Surgical Corsets.

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Period	Beef and Veal	Lamb	Mutton	Pork	Bacon and Ham (Cured weight)(a)	Total (in terms of Fresh Meat)
	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons
Year : 1938-39	559	115	206	37.0	33.2	966
1948-49	577	139	181	37.2	41.6	992
1950-51	652	112	162	35.3	36.8	1,011
1951-52	582	107	176	35.0	36.6	949
1952-53	675	146	249	r30.5	r38.5	r1,153
Latest 6 Months, 1953-54	325	61	125	17.5	18.1	553
Same 6 Months, 1952-53	332	65	138	16.6	18.9	576
Latest 3 Months, 1954	181	26	57	8.8	9.3	285
Same 3 Months, 1953	180	27	63	7.9	9.5	291
Month 1953: March	56.2	9.31	24.0	r2.71	r3.20	r96.6
April	56.4	8.98	20.9	r2.66	r3.13	r92.9
May	67.6	8.30	18.4	r2.52	r3.14	r101.1
June	73.6	7.55	17.5	r2.57	r2.92	r105.2
July	70.8	7.65	15.9	2.66	3.36	101.8
August	66.5	7.55	15.3	2.64	2.87	99.9
September	59.1	10.10	14.8	2.59	2.71	90.2
October	56.0	14.84	18.4	2.92	2.93	96.2
November	53.8	18.42	23.2	2.97	3.55	100.2
December	50.2	15.51	23.7	3.91	3.91	98.7
1954: January	47.0	11.25	22.3	2.47	2.38	86.3
February	46.9	8.14	22.1	2.27	2.46	82.7
March	57.7	9.18	20.9	3.31	3.15	95.4
April	54.5	8.41	18.1	2.71	3.17	88.0
May	68.6	8.38	17.6	2.79	3.02	101.5

Period	WHEAT PRODUCTS				Oatmeal and Rolled Oats	Starch Edible (b)	Malt (c)
	Flour	Bran	Pollard	Prepared Breakfast Foods			
	- thousand short tons -			'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 cwt.	'000 bush.
Year 1938-39	1,373	289	284	11.3	15.2	n.a.	3,722
1948-49	1,679	319	355	20.0	23.0	280	3,150
1950-51	1,696	302	339	18.1	21.0	306	5,774
1951-52	1,721	318	359	r19.5	18.2	330	6,182
1952-53	1,721	301	364	19.8	18.9	312	6,573
1953-54	1,601	271	327	19.2	20.2	331	7,168
Latest 6 Months, 1954	748	126	149	9.3	11.9	156	3,521
Same 6 Months, 1953	904	155	193	9.9	11.6	157	3,291
Latest 3 Months, 1954	393	65	76	4.4	7.5	76	1,975
Same 3 Months, 1953	468	80	100	4.6	7.1	81	1,835
Month 1953: April	141	24.2	30.6	1.67	2.36	25.9	583
May	165	26.3	35.3	1.57	2.36	27.8	618
June	163	27.4	34.5	1.35	2.37	27.6	634
July	171	28.9	36.2	1.46	2.39	30.3	645
August	r 149	25.3	31.2	1.50	1.71	27.6	628
September	r 141	24.1	29.2	1.76	1.24	31.0	620
October	134	23.1	27.9	1.73	1.14	33.5	643
November	140	23.8	29.2	1.93	0.96	29.6	565
December	119	19.7	24.6	1.52	0.90	22.7	546
1954: January	r 121	20.4	24.2	1.39	0.99	19.9	455
February	108	19.1	22.1	1.64	1.23	26.7	469
March	125	21.5	24.9	1.82	2.21	31.4	622
April	116	19.5	22.4	1.46	2.63	23.4	640
May	147	24.6	29.1	r1.52	2.45	r26.5	666
June	130	21.2	26.0	1.43	2.41	28.4	669

(a) From July, 1951, pressed and canned bacon and ham have been converted to bone-in-weight.

(b) Cornflour and Edible Starch from wheat.

(c) Barley and wheaten.

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Period	Biscuits	Refined Sugar (a)	CONFECTIONERY		Canned Meat (b)	MARGARINE	
			Chocolate Basis	Other		Table	Other
	Mill. lb.	'000 tons	Mill. lb.	Mill. lb.	Tons	Tons	Tons
Year : 1938-39	73.7	339	43.5	38.1	14,369	3,325	13,938
1948-49	107.1	428	67.6	69.9	44,973	8,529	20,789
1950-51	130.1	451	69.1	73.4	57,351	3,814	22,166
1951-52	149.9	493	61.3	78.4	64,194	7,122	24,975
1952-53	148.0	422	58.4	75.4	94,430	7,104	22,007
1953-54	150.3	459	62.4	75.4	70,159	9,557	22,223
Latest 6 Months, 1954	71.9	234	31.7	35.1	37,202	4,555	10,693
Same 6 Months, 1953	70.9	193	32.1	35.4	30,325	3,308	10,259
Latest 3 Months, 1954	37.7	110	18.2	19.4	21,796	2,559	5,932
Same 3 Months, 1953	36.6	96	18.7	18.9	16,385	1,933	5,993
Month 1953: April	13.1	32.7	6.21	6.14	4,913	491	1,963
May	11.6	21.9	6.33	6.26	6,329	732	2,300
June	11.9	31.6	6.13	6.54	5,143	710	2,024
July	14.0	37.0	6.77	7.06	6,414	997	2,359
August	12.3	38.4	5.72	6.25	6,394	820	1,880
September	12.4	37.7	5.53	6.55	5,171	851	1,760
October	14.5	36.0	4.71	6.79	5,295	900	1,975
November	12.7	38.5	4.33	7.07	5,316	779	1,874
December	12.5	37.6	3.67	6.30	4,365	655	1,682
1954: January	9.8	42.7	2.87	3.75	4,103	615	1,081
February	11.0	36.2	4.37	5.25	5,229	540	1,566
March	13.4	44.6	6.26	6.70	6,074	841	2,114
April	13.1	37.5	5.52	6.32	6,427	698	1,941
May	12.6	39.0	6.30	6.50	7,938	982	1,831
June	12.0	33.9	6.07	6.85	7,431	879	2,160

Period	Jam	PRESERVED FRUIT		PRESERVED VEGETABLES		Tomato Sauce	Tomato Soup
		Apricots Pears and Peaches	Other	Green Peas	Other (c)		
	'000 tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	'000 pt.	'000 pt.
Year : 1938-39	37.9	56,235	11,056	831	3,697	15,358	5,116
1948-49	59.4	57,656	26,216	5,892	14,356	25,817	34,367
1950-51	55.9	66,222	38,036	8,759	26,706	23,441	23,188
1951-52	48.4	82,272	27,768	10,597	32,610	24,410	27,596
1952-53	34.2	72,868	24,652	12,476	16,602	19,683	15,982
1953-54	37.1	115,166	33,738	5,690	12,089	19,064	17,293
Latest 6 Months, 1954	26.5	113,502	25,872	2,406	5,349	9,788	13,500
Same 6 Months, 1953	22.3	70,531	16,862	7,564	8,791	11,169	11,949
Latest 3 Months, 1954	7.4	28,501	9,092	(a)	2,684	4,798	3,621
Same 3 Months, 1953	6.8	11,670	6,175	96	2,800	3,469	3,246
Month 1953: April	2.25	10,652	2,244	96	1,428	1,589	2,042
May	2.70	101	2,012	-	769	961	233
June	1.86	117	1,919	-	603	319	971
July	2.15	78	1,253	-	950	1,340	555
August	1.86	10	2,242	-	724	1,532	442
September	1.70	12	1,878	-	843	1,989	94
October	1.61	(	933	(	1,402	1,563	382
November	1.13	) 1,566	729	) 1,763	1,560	1,449	1,355
December	2.19	(	831	(	1,261	1,403	965
1954: January	7.91	19,072	2,463	2,176	527	1,102	917
February	5.96	18,300	7,197	170	911	1,678	3,261
March	5.20	47,629	7,120	(a)	1,227	2,210	5,701
April	2.31	25,093	3,006	(a)	813	1,951	2,419
May	22.64	3,272	22,788	-	21,099	21,344	651
June	2.45	176	3,298	(a)	772	1,503	551

(a) Source : Department of Trade and Customs.

(b) Source : Australian Meat Board. Excludes Canned Rabbit and Poultry.

(c) Includes Canned Tomatoes and Canned Processed Peas.

(d) Not available for publication.

Period	Whole Milk for all Purposes (a)	Butter (Factory only) (b)	Cheese (Factory only) (b)	Processed Milk Products	Ice Cream	Beer (c)	Tobacco, Cigars & Cigarettes (c)
	Mill. gals.	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 gals.	Mill. gals.	Mill. lb.
Year : 1938-39	1,189	195	29.0	29.7(a)	4,262	90	23.3
1948-49	1,213	161	43.2	100.0	14,524	146	29.1
1950-51	1,200	160	44.3	108.3	17,385	173	31.8
1951-52	1,051	131	40.6	109.3	17,306	185	33.5
1952-53	1,218	163	46.8	119.4	13,630	r 214	r36.3
1953-54		156	49.2	113.8	14,183	197	40.2
Latest 6 Months, 1954	615	72	17.1	42.4	6,928	108	19.9
Same 6 Months, 1953	617	72	15.5	43.4	6,916	102	18.4
Latest 3 Months, 1954	251	24	5.3	13.4	2,282	50	9.7
Same 3 Months, 1953	247	26	4.7	12.4	2,119	47	9.3
Month 1953: April	79.2	10.4	1.75	5.13	991	16.5	3.04
May	68.0	8.3	1.48	3.92	630	16.2	3.17
June	62.4	7.2	1.48	3.35	498	15.9	3.04
July	62.9	7.0	1.99	r4.38	570	14.7	3.35
August	77.1	8.9	3.33	r7.49	753	15.3	2.84
September	102.2	12.8	5.40	r11.61	1,166	17.0	3.58
October	131.2	17.5	7.37	r15.95	1,246	18.1	3.50
November	141.8	19.7	7.39	r16.54	1,555	19.2	3.75
December	134.8	18.6	6.65	15.41	1,965	21.6	3.25
1954: January	121.6	17.1	5.09	r11.58	1,911	20.0	2.95
February	108.2	15.4	3.61	r 8.98	1,399	16.6	3.27
March	108.2	15.5	3.09	8.45	1,336	20.7	4.00
April	78.4	9.9	1.91	5.85	1,072	r18.3	2.75
May	64.2	7.7	1.67	4.08	651	16.8	3.68
June		6.3	1.73	3.45	559	15.2	3.26

Period	Newsprint	Floor Covering (e)	Racquet Frames	Golf Clubs	BALLS		
					Cricket (Leather)	Golf	Tennis
	'000 tons	'000 sq. yds.	doz.	doz.	doz.	doz.	doz.
Year : 1938-39	..	n.a.	20,737	17,843	7,986	117,580	235,648
1948-49	30.2	6,286	23,677	16,509	14,094	187,991	285,241
1950-51	31.0	5,782	22,727	14,041	9,964	172,417	280,584
1951-52	32.6	4,268	14,948	11,371	10,122	140,080	205,123
1952-53	34.0	7,174	17,383	8,916	8,662	107,396	235,031
1953-54	59.6	8,006	22,161	15,521	11,675	180,171	273,840
Latest 6 Months, 1954	33.3	3,793	10,314	7,347	5,281	89,988	124,866
Same 6 Months, 1953	18.2	3,178	10,034	5,622	2,555	64,727	117,187
Latest 3 Months, 1954	17.4	1,860	4,973	3,798	2,505	50,370	64,501
Same 3 Months, 1953	10.5	1,741	5,736	3,445	1,229	40,791	50,294
Month 1953: April	3.39	425	1,528	1,115	366	11,619	19,042
May	3.58	583	1,933	1,150	394	13,300	15,777
June	3.50	733	1,925	1,180	469	15,872	15,475
July	3.61	r 781	2,387	1,357	750	15,443	19,872
August	3.16	r 575	1,950	1,282	877	15,704	26,808
September	4.26	r 762	2,290	1,739	1,179	15,870	26,431
October	5.25	r 767	1,960	1,259	1,248	14,698	24,220
November	5.63	r 774	1,726	1,388	1,196	16,467	29,453
December	4.37	554	1,524	1,149	1,144	12,001	20,190
1954: January	5.46	456	1,409	878	836	9,808	13,973
February	4.90	645	1,814	1,241	928	12,663	19,996
March	5.56	r 832	2,112	1,430	1,012	17,147	26,396
April	5.52	r 587	1,731	1,194	686	12,982	20,775
May	6.08	709	1,690	1,383	929	18,520	22,254
June	5.71	564	1,558	1,221	890	16,868	21,472

(a) Estimated. (b) Source: Dairy Produce Equalization Committee. (c) From 1952-53 onwards quantity on which Excise Duty was paid. Source : Department of Trade and Customs. (d) Excludes Milk-based Infants' and Invalids' foods. (e) Floor Felt, Carpets and Linoleums.

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

	FOOTWEAR (NOT RUBBER)			GLOVES (a)		HATS
	Boots and Shoes	Sandals	Slippers	Dress	Work	Fur & Wool Felt (b)
	'000 prs.	'000 prs.	'000 prs.	doz. prs.	doz. prs.	'000 doz.
Year : 1938-39	13,967		7,704	n.a.	61,539	358.0
1948-49	17,220		8,532	65,844	157,230	310.4
1950-51	16,902	2,004	8,641	79,033	207,606	178.7
1951-52	16,795	1,715	7,578	69,061	241,984	138.3
1952-53	16,021	1,382	6,598	118,005	149,411	157.2
1953-54	17,263	2,387	8,513	121,047	210,348	147.5
Latest 6 Months, 1954	8,300	689	4,177	48,415	108,761	74.9
Same 6 Months, 1953	7,206	388	3,536	62,992	68,603	87.8
Latest 3 Months, 1954	4,509	347	2,306	23,807	59,798	35.3
Same 3 Months, 1953	4,380	203	2,206	36,335	36,621	43.8
Month 1953: April	1,393	52	694	11,271	12,784	15.7
May	1,481	78	741	13,986	11,802	15.2
June	1,506	73	771	11,078	12,035	12.9
July	1,629	r 160	r 729	12,002	r 16,481	11.8
August	1,494	r 253	r 750	r 11,287	r 17,114	11.4
September	r 1,572	r 317	r 738	13,433	r 18,304	11.7
October	r 1,529	r 337	r 721	13,410	r 17,799	13.1
November	1,479	r 352	r 744	12,842	r 17,535	14.8
December	r 1,260	r 279	r 654	9,658	r 14,354	r 9.8
1954: January	r 912	121	r 402	6,342	r 11,991	11.2
February	1,304	r 135	r 716	8,384	r 17,145	12.6
March	r 1,575	r 86	r 753	9,882	r 19,827	r 15.8
April	r 1,417	100	683	8,929	r 19,093	11.8
May	1,521	110	r 728	7,923	r 18,579	12.0
June	1,571	137	895	6,955	22,126	11.5

(a) Other than Rubber.

(b) Including Hoods and Capelines.

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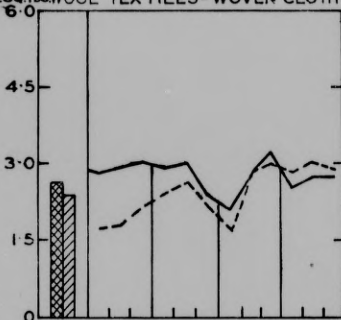


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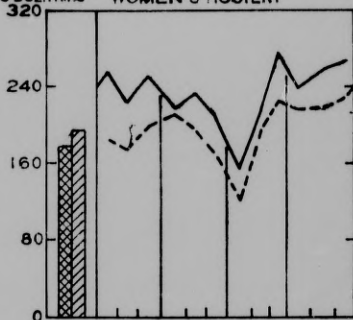
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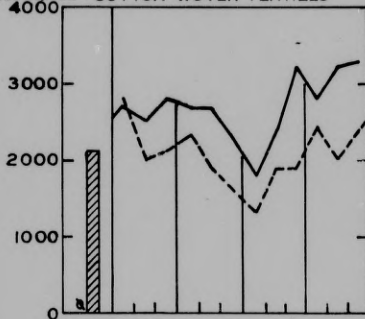


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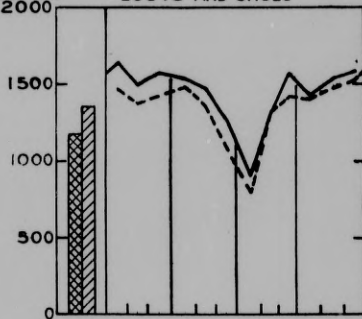


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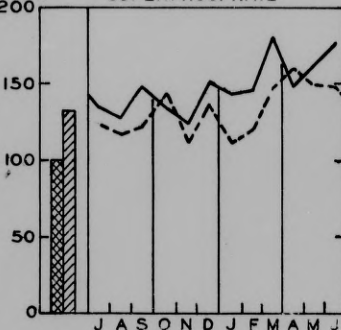
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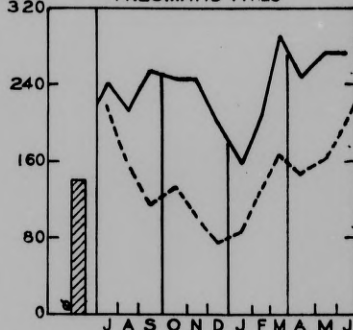
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