

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS  
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 25 : FOUNDATION GARMENTS

JANUARY, 1963

The information set out below has been compiled from returns of establishments engaged in the manufacture of Foundation Garments and indicates current trends in their production. The figures for 1961-62 and later periods are subject to revision.

(Doses)

| Period                       | Corsets                               |                                                      |                                                                            |                               | Corselets incl. Torsollettes | Brassieres    |           |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|-----------|
|                              | Roll-on Girdles incl. Roll-on Panties | Surgical Corsets, Belts, Pantie Girdles and Supports | Maternity or Pre-natal Girdles, Pantie Girdles, Corsets Supports and Belts | All Other Corsets and Girdles |                              | Maternity (a) | All Other |
| Year: 1959-60                | 59,003                                | 7,979                                                | 125,331                                                                    |                               | 7,852                        | 521,146       |           |
| 1960-61                      | 48,719                                | 8,043                                                | 3,975                                                                      | 147,797                       | 8,744                        | 29,796        | 486,895   |
| 1961-62                      | 60,954                                | 5,796                                                | 1,932                                                                      | 158,646                       | 7,760                        | 25,973        | 547,781   |
| 7 months ended January, 1962 | 35,116                                | 4,401                                                | 1,099                                                                      | 86,982                        | 4,668                        | 14,540        | 260,292   |
| 7 months ended January, 1963 | 45,006                                | 2,977                                                | 1,774                                                                      | 109,876                       | 4,077                        | 15,066        | 318,657   |
| Month, 1961: December        | 4,312                                 | 383                                                  | 188                                                                        | 10,828                        | 531                          | 1,737         | 39,265    |
| Mon 1962: January            | 3,748                                 | 303                                                  | 75                                                                         | 8,857                         | 481                          | 1,219         | 28,772    |
| February                     | 4,947                                 | 444                                                  | 166                                                                        | 12,683                        | 564                          | 1,982         | 48,811    |
| March                        | 5,117                                 | 493                                                  | 107                                                                        | 14,215                        | 714                          | 2,232         | 52,350    |
| April                        | 3,729                                 | 418                                                  | 119                                                                        | 12,716                        | 550                          | 1,830         | 43,916    |
| May                          | 6,135                                 | 551                                                  | 262                                                                        | 16,451                        | 727                          | 3,295         | 62,392    |
| June                         | 5,910                                 | 489                                                  | 179                                                                        | 15,599                        | 547                          | 2,094         | 51,248    |
| July                         | 7,536                                 | 454                                                  | 353                                                                        | 14,705                        | 717                          | 2,068         | 48,058    |
| August                       | 8,686                                 | 484                                                  | 388                                                                        | 18,127                        | 725                          | 2,996         | 50,925    |
| September                    | 6,431                                 | 382                                                  | 292                                                                        | 16,029                        | 747                          | 2,574         | 43,882    |
| October                      | 6,729                                 | 501                                                  | 283                                                                        | 20,079                        | 1,022                        | 3,055         | 54,159    |
| November                     | 7,056                                 | 479                                                  | 276                                                                        | 17,794                        | 841                          | 2,287         | 51,749    |
| December                     | 4,812                                 | 364                                                  | 79                                                                         | 14,053                        | 549                          | 1,129         | 39,039    |
| 1963: January                | 5,756                                 | 313                                                  | 103                                                                        | 9,089                         | 376                          | 927           | 31,845    |

(a) Designed specifically for pre- and/or post-natal wear.

NOTE: Suspender and Dance Belts, Suspensory and Sanitary Belts and Waist Whistlers are not included in the figures shown above.

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