

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 16: WOOL TEXTILE INDUSTRY

WOOLLEN AND WORSTED CARDING, COMBING AND SPINNING

OCTOBER, 1962.

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

('000 lb.)

Period	Wool-Worsted Carding and Combing			Wool-Worsted Drawing and Spinning								Woolen Carding and Spinning	
	Pure Wool Tops (a)		Noils (Pure Wool incl. Dyed)	Wool-Worsted Yarn								Woolen Yarn	
				Weaving		Machine Knitting		Fingering		Total		Pure	Mixtures Predom. Wool- Worsted
	Noble Combed	French Combed		Pure	Mixtures Predom. Wool- Worsted	Pure	Mixtures Predom. Wool- Worsted	Pure	Mixtures Predom. Wool- Worsted	Pure	Mixtures Predom. Wool- Worsted		
Year: 1959-60	43,593	4,429	4,791	7,229	1,229	9,852	1,455	2,992	1,128	20,073	3,812	21,704	4,969
1960-61	35,889	4,892	4,331	5,966	1,196	9,125	1,633	3,773	1,654	18,864	4,483	20,231	4,890
1961-62	*39,768	*6,385	4,498	5,556	1,287	9,386	1,280	4,031	1,437	18,973	4,004	18,291	5,075
4 months ended October, 1961	12,564	1,960	1,400	1,734	299	2,265	353	1,314	356	5,313	1,008	5,687	1,638
4 months ended October, 1962	13,536	2,693	1,421	2,481	616	3,175	431	1,292	521	6,948	1,568	7,630	2,263
Month, 1961: September	3,064	391	337	414	79	602	89	306	95	1,322	263	1,392	442
October	3,611	559	414	469	84	726	109	338	75	1,533	268	1,508	428
November	3,864	507	445	516	86	912	122	317	122	1,745	332	1,595	437
December	2,696	500	321	381	65	705	62	210	82	1,296	209	1,155	301
1962: January	2,965	478	333	429	76	744	84	235	113	1,408	273	1,293	327
February	*3,453	*518	405	496	101	970	125	338	127	1,804	353	1,736	453
March	*3,642	*594	411	467	134	1,060	141	394	158	1,921	433	1,789	495
April	*2,586	*424	312	427	151	871	102	353	127	1,651	380	1,457	390
May	*4,042	*696	453	594	186	1,042	157	453	212	2,089	555	1,877	533
June	*3,755	*608	418	511	187	817	135	417	140	1,745	462	1,800	501
July	3,363	*617	348	551	190	820	125	381	128	1,752	443	1,868	494
August	3,397	*652	344	630	168	741	97	434	134	1,805	399	1,855	540
September	3,174	*606	348	595	121	657	112	239	129	1,491	362	1,830	527
October	3,602	818	381	705	137	957	97	238	130	1,900	364	2,077	702

(a) "Top" is sliver for worsted drawing in any of the forms of ball-top, bump-top or sliver taken direct into drawing without balling or bumping. * Revised.

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