

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 58 - STEEL WIRE AND WIRE PRODUCTS

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The information set out below has been compiled from returns received from establishments manufacturing steel wire and wire products and indicates current production trends. 1961-62 figures are subject to revision.

Period	Coiled Steel Wire		Barbed Wire	Galvanised Wire Netting	Welded Wire Fabric	Wire Nails		Cut Tacks	Fence Posts and Droppers	Steel Wool
	Uncoated	Coated				Steel	Non-ferrous			
	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Year: 1959-60	(a)	97,430(b)	18,248	(a)	47,007(c)	23,850(d)	(d)	(d)	43,389	1,027
1960-61	181,557	94,030	18,297	11,049	51,447(c)	25,024	114	311	54,820	1,111
1961-62	182,506	90,931	17,727	6,640	52,395	21,976	124	248	36,589	1,124
6 months to December, 1961	87,750	41,698	9,740	2,715	26,189	10,975	65	105	17,031	566
6 months to December, 1962	107,411	52,310	9,691	4,861	29,344	11,711	63	128	24,634	572
Month, 1961: July	14,614	7,984	1,819	426	4,261	1,871	13	20	3,388	98
August	15,035	8,487	2,127	370	5,247	2,001	9	16	3,615	108
September	13,933	6,536	1,740	499	4,296	1,840	12	18	2,541	100
October	15,204	6,388	1,612	432	4,012	1,928	9	20	2,202	98
November	15,242	6,679	1,479	513	5,060	1,953	13	17	2,500	98
December	13,722	5,674	963	475	3,313	1,382	9	14	2,785	64
1962: January	14,895	6,698	1,057	594	3,468	1,331	6	20	2,447	65
February	14,665	7,036	1,180	579	3,933	1,913	12	23	2,605	103
March	17,169	7,748	1,574	566	4,655	2,087	12	28	3,355	112
April	13,760	7,039	1,231	593	3,873	1,696	9	25	2,675	83
May	18,299	9,207	1,545	819	5,541	2,256	13	24	4,278	109
June	15,968	8,746	1,400	774	4,736	1,735	7	23	4,198	86
July	18,333	9,099	1,781	874	5,009	1,968	8	28	4,395	102
August	20,203	9,091	1,800	814	5,410	2,137	14	28	4,446	103
September	17,318	8,267	1,496	799	4,921	1,848	10	18	3,741	90
October	18,677	9,243	1,785	868	5,294	2,174	9	24	4,156	108
November	18,190	8,407	1,636	838	5,024	2,133	15	18	4,016	108
December	14,690	8,203	1,193	668	3,668	1,451	7	12	3,680	61

(a) Not collected as a separate item before 1960-61. (b) Production of galvanised steel wire only.
(d) Non-ferrous wire nails and cut tacks included in steel wire nails.

(c) "Wire fabric - reinforcing"

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