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AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 19A

WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' OUTERWEAR, NIGHTWEAR AND UNDERWEAR

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The information set out below has been compiled from returns received from factories engaged in clothing manufacture, and indicates current production of the commodities listed.

The figures for 1955-56 and later are subject to revision.

The description "Knitted" includes items both knitted as such and made from Knitted Piece Goods. "Woven" represents those made from Woven Piece Goods.

TABLE I : STATES

NOVEMBER, 1956

Unit : Dozen

Articles Produced	New South Wales	Victoria	Other States	Australia
WOMEN'S AND MAIDS'				
<u>Outerwear:</u>				
Cardigans, Pullovers and similar garments				
- Knitted	8,360	31,470	321	40,151
Bathing Suits	3,431	(a)	(a)	5,865
- Woven				
<u>Nightwear and Underwear:</u>				
Nightdresses				
- Knitted	7,884	(a)	(a)	14,987
- Woven	2,377	(a)	(a)	4,322
Pyjamas				
- Knitted	2,066	(a)	(a)	3,484
- Woven	3,515	(a)	(a)	6,986
Vests and Spencers		24,276	(a)	38,974
- Knitted	(a)	(a)	(a)	204
- Woven	(a)	(a)	(a)	39,266
Slips	22,370	(a)	(a)	7,654
- Knitted	2,172	(a)	(a)	
- Woven				
Bloomers, Pantees, Scantees, etc.				
- Knitted	71,123	(a)	(a)	119,731
- Woven	(a)	1,615	(a)	2,682
GIRLS'				
<u>Outerwear:</u>				
Cardigans, Pullovers and similar garments				
- Knitted	(a)	7,900	(a)	11,964
Bathing Suits				
- Knitted	(a)	1,559	(a)	2,146
- Woven				
<u>Nightwear and Underwear:</u>				
Nightdresses				
- Knitted	(a)	(a)	(a)	638
- Woven				
Pyjamas				
- Knitted	151	120	-	271
- Woven	2,915	(a)	(a)	4,702
Vests and Spencers		10,024	-	29,893
- Knitted	19,869			
- Woven				
Slips		(a)	(a)	7,287
- Knitted	4,860			
- Woven				
Bloomers, Pantees, Scantees, etc.				
- Knitted	18,575	15,981	653	35,209
- Woven				

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NOTE: For Australian Production from July, 1954 to November, 1956 see Table II overleaf.

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 19A - TABLE 11 : AUSTRALIA : NOVEMBER, 1956

(Unit Dozen)

Period	Cardigans, Pullovers and Similar Garments	Bathing Suits		Nightdresses		Pyjamas		Vests and Spencers	Slips		Bloomers, Pantees, Scantees, etc.	
	Knitted (a)	Knitted (a)	Woven	Knitted (a)	Woven	Knitted (a)	Woven	Knitted(a) and Woven	Knitted	Woven	Knitted (a)	Woven
WOMEN'S AND MAIDS'												
Year : 1954-55	422,929	5,550	43,025	169,756	26,612	41,306	43,445	480,256	380,942	57,124	1,184,040	16,720
1955-56	389,929	1,904	43,190	162,858	33,341	28,048	71,307	439,037	360,407	59,437	1,172,538	18,332
Five months ended:												
November, 1956	182,874	31,950		71,635	15,834	12,465	29,283	177,239	192,808	43,076	558,381	14,989
November, 1955	143,376	38,272		68,580	12,187	10,764	26,113	174,134	204,708	44,427	554,743	14,581
Month, 1955 : November	29,480	6,057		14,292	3,489	2,187	6,500	42,048	45,920	9,005	116,093	2,274
December	26,244	3,268		10,454	3,159	1,704	5,864	29,356	28,052	6,045	81,089	1,765
1956 : January	24,616	683		9,542	1,553	1,563	4,674	25,920	15,029	2,829	62,343	975
February	40,932	1,672		17,203	3,670	3,366	9,223	47,722	23,090	2,651	100,811	2,439
March	40,611	1,236		16,148	4,176	2,816	8,525	41,772	21,460	3,906	97,741	740
April	38,253	2,809		13,558	3,845	2,516	5,635	41,461	21,608	3,220	91,540	1,161
May	41,888	4,029		15,610	3,135	3,068	7,162	41,964	22,180	3,182	110,189	1,104
June	34,009	4,286		11,763	1,616	2,361	4,111	36,676	24,280	4,116	97,927	1,537
July	32,661	6,187		13,617	2,031	1,670	4,176	33,163	35,912	9,240	105,937	3,891
August	37,662	7,185		14,820	2,727	2,250	7,305	33,844	39,453	8,351	105,680	2,782
September	33,720	6,190		12,662	2,469	2,381	5,409	33,148	36,190	8,362	101,555	2,334
October	38,680	6,523		15,549	4,285	2,680	5,407	37,906	41,987	9,469	125,478	3,300
November	40,151	5,865		14,987	4,322	3,484	6,986	39,178	39,266	7,654	119,731	2,682

GIRLS'												
Year : 1954-55	181,316	4,293	10,722	7,904	24,472	29,969	317,638	36,245			351,201	
1955-56	163,911	2,434	20,680	6,368	17,414	34,652	319,780	46,769			342,558	
Five months ended:												
November, 1956	72,608	12,353	2,339	4,110	16,045	157,418	29,464				171,843	
November, 1955	71,633	14,198	1,917	8,198	10,661	121,183	23,623				157,492	
Month, 1955 : November	13,038	2,592	143	1,365	2,379	27,106	5,786				36,763	
December	10,379	1,624	364	1,439	4,276	20,071	4,246				26,728	
1956 : January	9,961	146	460	919	2,417	17,329	1,483				20,111	
February	13,999	584	417	1,532	2,875	33,203	2,029				30,891	
March	14,467	417	2,035	1,227	5,125	34,064	3,225				28,755	
April	14,613	1,593	715	1,042	3,554	27,904	2,690				21,888	
May	15,632	1,980	325	1,521	3,866	37,638	4,668				30,846	
June	13,227	2,572	135	1,536	1,878	28,388	4,805				25,847	
July	14,644	2,118	228	1,094	2,667	30,965	6,084				32,501	
August	15,309	3,179	704	1,214	2,841	33,330	6,341				39,280	
September	14,317	2,540	323	1,042	3,610	29,083	4,376				25,367	
October	16,174	2,370	446	489	2,225	34,107	5,376				39,486	
November	11,964	2,146	638	271	4,702	29,893	7,287				35,209	

(a) Knitted or made from Knitted Piece Goods.

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