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DOMESTIC ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS

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Table 1 - Production, Factory Shipments and Factory Stocks of Domestic Type Electric Refrigerators

	June		Six months ended, June	
	1956	1957	1956	1957
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period ...	32,147	43,194	-	-
Production during period .....	30,777	26,150	186,953	143,328
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland .....	79	94	712	499
Maritimes .....	2,386	1,584	12,019	9,447
Quebec .....	9,564	8,929	46,454	45,094
Ontario .....	13,794	10,370	77,700	57,231
Manitoba .....	1,559	1,279	8,170	7,469
Saskatchewan .....	708	688	5,596	5,406
Alberta .....	1,983	1,258	10,217	8,375
British Columbia .....	1,757	3,085	12,585	15,830
CANADA .....	31,830	27,287	173,483	149,351
Export* .....	43	34	2,495	1,263
Stock at end of period .....	31,051	42,023	-	-

\*Producers' shipments for export.

NOTE: In some cases shipments are at other than factory level, therefore, stocks at beginning of the month, plus production, less shipments does not equal stocks at end of month.

Table 2 - Production, Factory Shipments and Factory Stocks of Individual Electric Home and Farm Freezers, Domestic Type, All Sizes

	June		Six months ended, June	
	1956	1957	1956	1957
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period ...	1,012	941	-	-
Production during period .....	918	2,395	5,667	10,922
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland .....	-	4	18	10
Maritimes .....	10	38	68	216
Quebec .....	112	307	814	1,664
Ontario .....	810	942	4,364	4,286
Manitoba .....	51	193	486	941
Saskatchewan .....	36	51	91	423
Alberta .....	53	168	177	1,911
British Columbia .....	18	139	83	509
CANADA .....	1,090	1,842	6,101	9,960
Export* .....	-	1	51	14
Stock at end of period .....	840	1,493	-	-

\*Producers' shipments for export. Note: See footnote to table 1.

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Table 3 - Imports of Refrigerators

	April, 1957 <sup>*</sup>		Four months ended April, 1957	
	Number	\$	Number	\$
<u>I m p o r t s</u>				
Electric refrigerators, domestic or store, completely equipped or not..	12,447	1,977,909	35,036	6,158,334
Refrigerators, other, equipped or not	123	15,371	513	73,940
Refrigerator parts .....	-	1,700,101	-	5,581,828
Home and farm freezers, electric ....	4,887	840,933	15,602	2,686,925

\* Latest available.

Table 4 - Exports<sup>\*</sup> of Refrigerators

	May, 1957(1)		Five months ended May, 1957	
	Number	\$	Number	\$
<u>E x p o r t s</u>				
Refrigerators and parts, electric**.	62	27,113	1,385	170,573
Refrigerators, other, and parts**...	-	-	-	-

\* Customs clearances.

(1) Latest available.

\*\* Value figures include the value of parts as well as of complete refrigerators. Also the figures include beverage coolers, etc., as well as complete domestic type refrigerators.

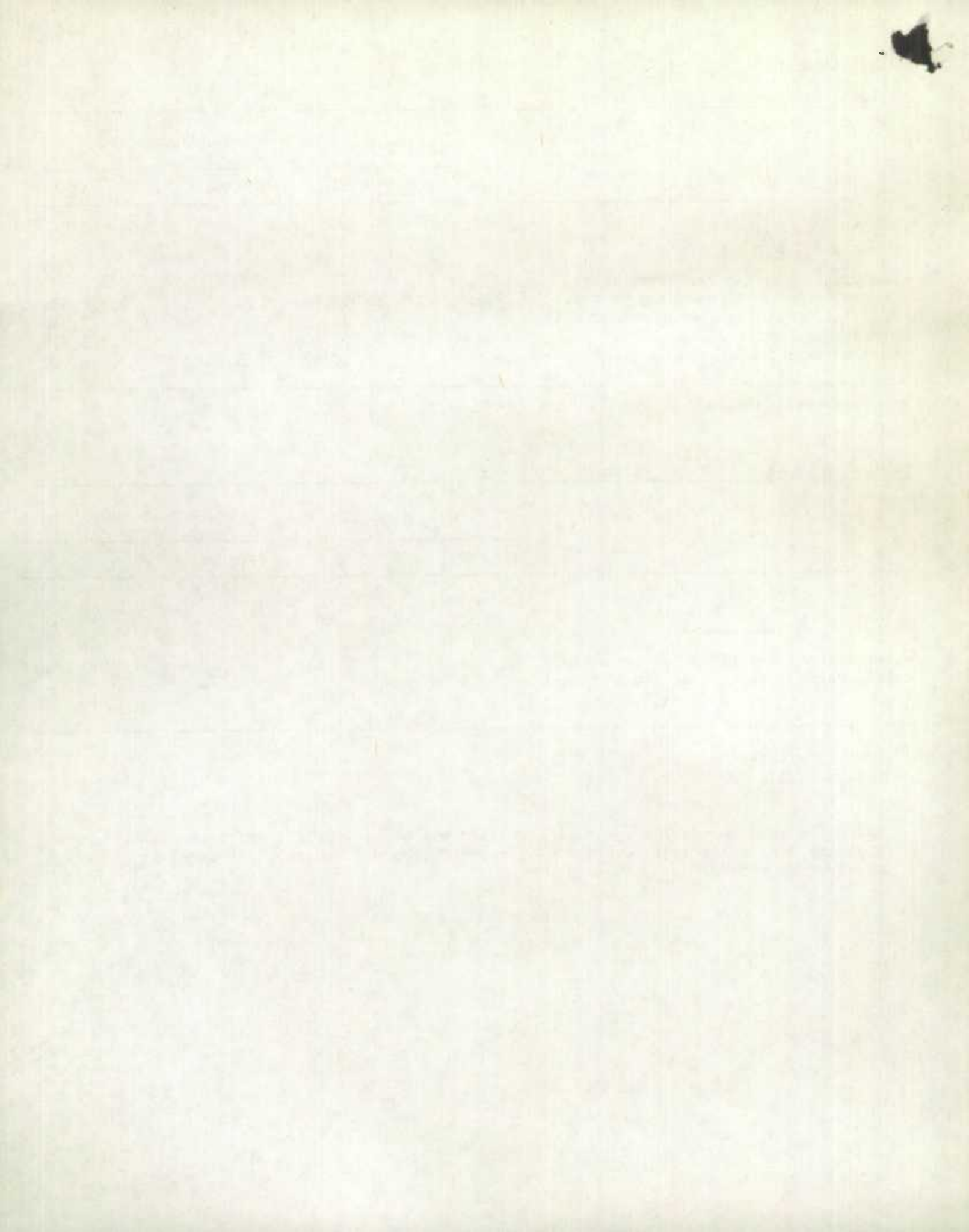


Table 5 - Revised Production and Shipments, by Months, 1956

	January	February	March	April
	(Number)			
Production during period .....	19,868	26,171	36,822	36,233
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland .....	29	97	132	185
Maritimes .....	1,105	2,337	2,459	1,738
Quebec .....	4,258	6,291	8,457	9,024
Ontario .....	9,135	12,290	14,912	13,775
Manitoba .....	1,025	1,060	1,603	1,736
Saskatchewan .....	710	1,069	912	1,415
Alberta .....	1,251	1,374	1,916	1,923
British Columbia .....	1,853	2,089	2,838	2,115
CANADA .....	19,366	26,607	33,331	31,986
	(Number)			
	May	June	July	August
Production during period .....	37,084	30,777	27,724	15,784
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland .....	138	79	122	10
Maritimes .....	1,994	2,386	2,115	797
Quebec .....	8,840	9,564	7,801	4,044
Ontario .....	13,794	13,794	11,400	5,686
Manitoba .....	1,137	1,559	1,512	517
Saskatchewan .....	782	708	1,474	390
Alberta .....	1,795	1,983	2,399	434
British Columbia .....	1,883	1,757	2,541	959
CANADA .....	30,363	31,830	29,364	12,747
	(Number)			
	September	October	November	December
Production during period .....	18,947	18,161	12,514	13,265
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland .....	30	1	53	11
Maritimes .....	801	658	180	704
Quebec .....	4,627	3,875	2,647	3,241
Ontario .....	6,505	6,181	4,455	7,538
Manitoba .....	814	410	195	707
Saskatchewan .....	341	255	292	431
Alberta .....	840	620	351	587
British Columbia .....	1,251	941	1,057	1,319
CANADA .....	15,209	12,941	9,230	14,538

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