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DOMESTIC ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS

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

	July		Seven months ended, July	
	1956	1957	1956	1957
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period ...	31,051	43,123**	-	-
Production during period	27,724	19,826	214,677	163,154
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland	122	99	834	598
Maritimes	2,115	1,461	14,134	10,908
Quebec	7,801	7,670	54,255	52,764
Ontario	11,400	11,106	89,100	68,337
Manitoba	1,512	1,200	9,682	8,669
Saskatchewan	1,474	570	7,070	5,976
Alberta	2,399	1,050	12,546	9,425
British Columbia	2,541	1,752	15,126	17,582
CANADA	29,364	24,908	202,847	174,259
Export*	22	91	2,517	1,354
Stock at end of period	29,389	38,193	-	-

*Producers' shipments for export. ** Revised.

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

	July		Seven months ended, July	
	1956	1957	1956	1957
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period ...	840	1,106**	-	-
Production during period	986	2,914	6,653	13,836
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland	2	6	20	16
Maritimes	19	39	87	255
Quebec	110	678	924	2,342
Ontario	866	1,134	5,230	5,420
Manitoba	67	351	553	1,292
Saskatchewan	8	82	99	505
Alberta	115	643	292	2,554
British Columbia	22	204	105	713
CANADA	1,202	3,127	7,210	13,097
Export*	-	4	51	18
Stock at end of period	617	895	-	-

*Producers' shipments for export.

** Revised.

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Refrigerators



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Table 3 - Imports of Refrigerators

	May, 1957		Five months ended May, 1957*	
	Number	\$	Number	\$
<u>I m p o r t s</u>				
Electric refrigerators, domestic or store, completely equipped or not..	14,040	2,365,796	49,076	8,524,130
Refrigerators, other, equipped or not	614	59,240	1,127	133,180
Refrigerator parts	-	1,549,589	-	7,131,417
Home and farm freezers, electric	4,034	687,531	19,636	3,374,456

* Latest available.

Table 4 - Exports* of Refrigerators

	June, 1957		Six months ended June, 1957(1)	
	Number	\$	Number	\$
<u>E x p o r t s</u>				
Refrigerators and parts, electric**.	32	11,170	1,417	181,743
Refrigerators, other, and parts**...	-	-	-	-

* Customs clearances.

(1) Latest available.

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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.