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## DOMESTIC REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS

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

	October		Ten months ended October	
	1957	1958	1957	1958
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period .....	31,924**	23,446	-	-
Production during period .....	9,332	16,600	197,126	182,550
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland .....	2	45	701	1,140
Maritimes .....	265	500	12,412	12,030
Quebec .....	2,246	4,830	65,843	58,649
Ontario .....	5,315	7,279	87,646	79,295
Manitoba .....	321	496	10,239	9,690
Saskatchewan .....	343	422	7,291	6,676
Alberta .....	740	728	11,097	11,764
British Columbia .....	840	1,055	20,540	17,433
CANADA .....	10,072	15,355	215,769	196,677
Export* .....	360	1	1,793	348
Stock at end of period .....	30,809	24,932	-	-

\* Producers' shipments for export.      \*\* Revised.

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

	October		Ten months ended October	
	1957	1958	1957	1958
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period .....	2,028	1,432**	-	-
Production during period .....	2,739	3,113	20,959	24,510
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland .....	1	13	27	102
Maritimes .....	25	109	363	897
Quebec .....	176	594	2,921	3,951
Ontario .....	738	1,144	7,677	11,871
Manitoba .....	76	156	1,733	1,955
Saskatchewan .....	46	218	763	2,210
Alberta .....	171	334	3,957	3,585
British Columbia .....	73	173	913	2,251
CANADA .....	1,306	2,741	18,354	26,822
Export* .....	1	-	29	28
Stock at end of period .....	3,443	1,831	-	-

\* Producers' shipments for export.

\*\* Revised.

NOTE: In some cases shipments are at other than factory level, therefore, stocks at beginning of month, plus production, less shipments does not equal stocks at end of month. Prepared in the Metal and Chemical Products Section, Industry and Merchandising Division.

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Table 3 - Imports of Refrigerators and Freezers

	August, 1958		Eight months ended August, 1958*	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
<u>Imports</u>				
Electric refrigerators, domestic or store, completely equipped or not .....	7,168	1,047,211	78,790	12,083,878
Refrigerators, other, equipped or not ....	273	12,596	2,565	106,844
Refrigerator, parts .....	-	600,764	-	6,512,167
Home and farm freezers, electric .....	2,660	446,452	32,265	5,417,670

\* Latest available.

Table 4 - Exports\*\* of Refrigerators

	October, 1958		Ten months ended October, 1958	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
<u>Exports</u>				
Refrigerators, and parts, electric* .....	59	10,712	1,170	193,875
Refrigerators, other, and parts* .....	-	-	1	125

\* 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.

\*\* Customs clearances.