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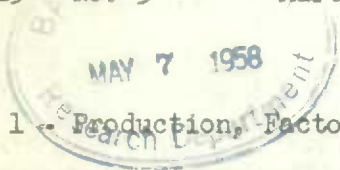
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DOMESTIC REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS

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

	March		Three months ended March	
	1957	1958	1957	1958
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period ...	43,534**	36,199**	-	-
Production during period	26,647	22,663	64,512	49,632
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland	157	32	206	196
Maritimes	2,170	1,487	4,113	3,158
Quebec	8,526	6,468	18,267	14,374
Ontario	10,199	7,681	24,338	19,987
Manitoba	1,488	1,422	3,893	3,014
Saskatchewan	891	725	2,955	1,763
Alberta	1,403	1,167	3,889	3,180
British Columbia	3,261	2,486	6,855	5,530
CANADA	28,095	21,468	64,516	51,132
Export*	1,053	-	1,126	72
Stock at end of period	41,033	38,857	-	-

* Producers' shipments for export. ** Revised.

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

	March		Three months ended March	
	1957	1958	1957	1958
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period ...	868	3,977**	-	-
Production during period	1,621	1,461	4,097	4,579
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland	-	1	-	4
Maritimes	7	115	85	151
Quebec	411	417	797	927
Ontario	647	903	1,762	2,323
Manitoba	212	135	349	313
Saskatchewan	50	108	80	423
Alberta	379	230	913	723
British Columbia	38	147	88	282
CANADA	1,744	2,056	4,074	5,146
Export*	2	1	3	7
Stock at end of period	743	3,395	-	-

* 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.



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Table 3 - Imports of Refrigerators and Freezers

	January, 1958*	
	No.	\$
<u>Imports</u>		
Electric refrigerators, domestic or store, completely equipped or not	5,117	921,995
Refrigerators, other, equipped or not	101	5,249
Refrigerator parts	-	700,508
Home and farm freezers, electric	1,634	294,150

* Latest available.

Table 4 - Exports** of Refrigerators

	March, 1958		Three months ended March, 1958	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
<u>Exports</u>				
Refrigerators, and parts, electric*	2	1,863	140	40,800
Refrigerators, other, and parts*	-	-	-	-

* 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.