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DOMESTIC REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS

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

	June		Six months ended June	
	1957	1958	1957	1958
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period	43,194	34,430	-	-
Production during period	26,150	23,236	143,328	119,965
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland	94	296	499	795
Maritimes	1,584	1,544	9,447	8,512
Quebec	8,929	7,191	45,094	38,164
Ontario	10,370	9,318	57,231	46,332
Manitoba	1,279	1,414	7,469	7,134
Saskatchewan	688	773	5,406	4,549
Alberta	1,258	1,604	8,375	7,920
British Columbia	3,085	1,795	15,830	11,375
CANADA	27,287	23,935	149,351	124,781
Export*	34	21	1,263	227
Stock at end of period	43,123	33,838	-	-

* Producers' shipments for export.

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

	June		Six months ended June	
	1957	1958	1957	1958
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period	947	3,488	-	-
Production during period	2,395	3,161	10,922	12,566
Shipped during period -				
Newfoundland	4	25	10	51
Maritimes	38	143	216	400
Quebec	307	398	1,664	2,022
Ontario	942	1,537	4,286	6,127
Manitoba	193	277	941	966
Saskatchewan	51	176	423	879
Alberta	168	264	1,911	1,422
British Columbia	139	350	509	1,018
CANADA	1,842	3,170	9,960	12,885
Export*	1	2	14	15
Stock at end of period	1,106	3,410	-	-

* Producers' shipments for export.

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

	April, 1958		Four months ended April, 1958*	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
Imports				
Electric refrigerators, domestic or store, completely equipped or not	10,692	1,647,200	34,664	5,693,199
Refrigerators, other, equipped or not	503	17,308	865	33,180
Refrigerator parts	-	1,071,190	-	3,384,860
Home and farm freezers, electric	3,564	611,897	16,088	2,689,600

* Latest available.

Table 4 - Exports** of Refrigerators

	June, 1958		Six months ended June, 1958	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
Exports				
Refrigerators, and parts, electric*	323	29,214	595	102,061
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.