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DOMESTIC REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS

December, 1959

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

	December		Twelve months ended December	
	1958	1959	1958	1959
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of period ..	23,426	44,178	-	-
Production during period	16,325	15,362	213,006	256,566
Shipped during period to:				
Newfoundland	84	141	1,278	2,058
Maritimes	740	569	13,353	14,217
Quebec	3,673	2,158	65,773	69,393
Ontario	5,652	5,364	91,249	99,961
Manitoba	701	625	10,847	10,630
Saskatchewan	651	459	7,833	8,186
Alberta	770	788	13,634	14,885
British Columbia	1,067	667	19,514	17,990
CANADA	13,338	10,771	223,481	237,320
Export*	225	121	712	1,817
Stock at end of period	25,582	48,648	-	-

* Producers' shipments for export.

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

	December		Twelve months ended December	
	1958	1959	1958	1959
	(Number)			
Stocks at beginning of period .	2,732	8,151	-	-
Production during period	2,291	4,135	30,981	51,769
Shipped during period to:				
Newfoundland	15	16	124	190
Maritimes	49	75	1,016	1,639
Quebec	248	411	4,694	4,739
Ontario	1,370	1,773	14,744	23,597
Manitoba	62	690	2,312	5,589
Saskatchewan	204	138	2,585	3,030
Alberta	145	448	4,125	4,959
British Columbia	108	311	2,571	3,621
CANADA	2,201	3,862	32,171	47,364
Export*	11	26	59	96
Stock at end of period	2,890	8,398	-	-

* 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.

Industry & Merchandising Division.



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Table 3 - Imports of Refrigerators and Freezers

	September, 1959*		Nine months ended September, 1959	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
<u>I M P O R T S</u>				
Electric refrigerators, domestic or store, completely equipped or not	4,060	787,080	81,819	13,570,732
Refrigerators, other, equipped or not	72	10,276	2,989	198,883
Refrigerator, parts	-	958,330	-	11,291,309
Home and farm freezers, electric	2,719	487,758	36,025	6,086,370

* Latest available.

Table 4 - Exports** of Refrigerators

	December, 1959		Twelve months ended December, 1959	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
<u>E X P O R T S</u>				
Refrigerators, and parts, electric*	330	62,860	4,113	564,984
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.