43-001

Published by Authority of the Rt. Hon. C. D. Hove CANADA

Minister of Trade and Commerce Department of Trade and Commerce

Dominion Bureau of Statistics -- Ottawa, Canada Industry and Merchandising Division

Mining, Metallurgical and Chemical Section

Price 10 cent

## DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES AND ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS

## JUNE - 1949

ESTARCH DEPARTS Production of domestic type washing machines totalled 29,476 units in June, 1949 compared with 28,683 in June, 1948. For the first six months of this year the total was 184,120 units, an increase of 17 per cent over the number made in the corresponding period of 1948.

Output of household electric refrigerators during the current month amounted to 15,810 units, an increase of 30 per cent over the number made in June, 1948. The cumulative total for the first six months of this year was 84,776 units and for last year the comparative figure was 66,069 units.

Table 1 - Production in Canada, Factory Shipments and Factory Stock of Washing Machines,

	Stock at	Made	1948 and 1949 Shipped	Stock at	
	beginning	during	during	end of	
	of period	period	period	period	
	(Number)				
June - 1948					
Electric	810	25,315	24,412	1,713	
Gasoline	51	2,783	2,688	146	
Hand	229	585	571	243	
Total	1,090	28,683	27,671	2,102	
June - 1949					
Electric	4,548	25,058	24,984	4,622	
Gasoline	873	4,212	4,095	990	
Hand	297	206	220	283	
Total	5,718	29,476	29,299	5,895	
Six Months Ended June, 1948 Electric	1,031	139,508	138,826	1,713	
Gasoline	103 107	12,419 4,807	12,376 4,671	146 243	
Total	1,241	156,734	155,873	2,102	
				,	
Six Months Ended June, 1949					
Electric	2,264 324 465	157,464 24,496 2,160	155,106 23,830 2,342	4,622 990 283	
Total	3,053	184,120	181,278	5,895	

Note: Apartment type machines not included in above figures.

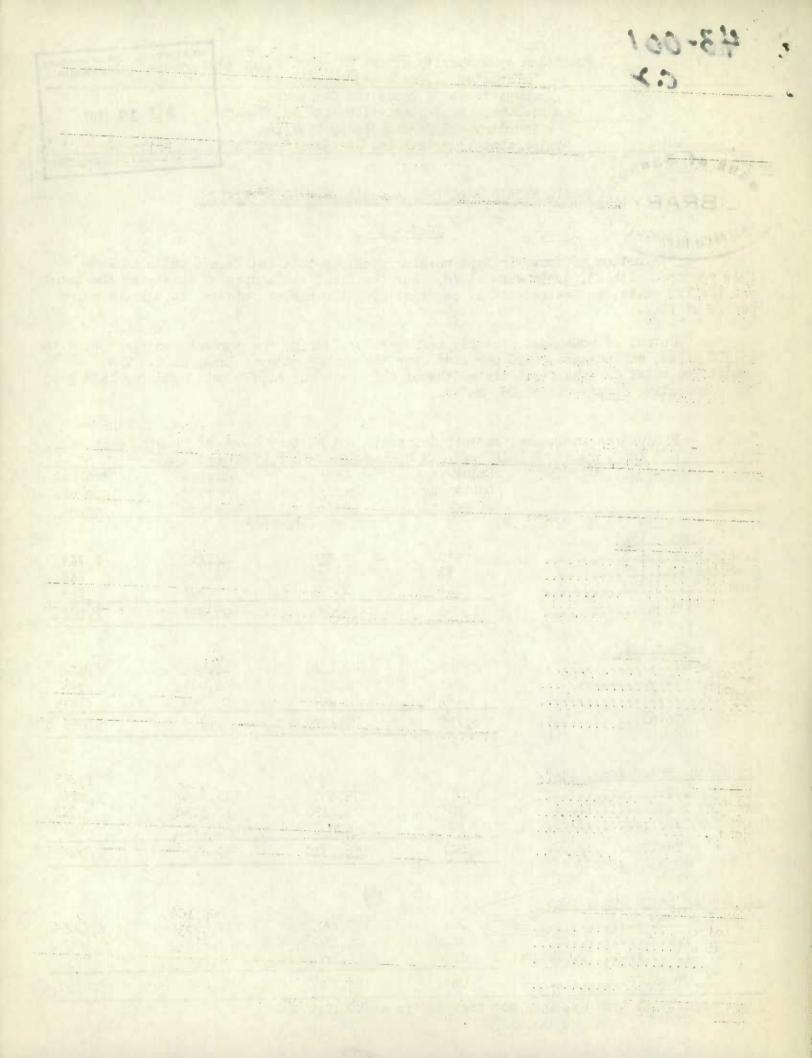


Table 2 - Imports into Canada and Exports of Washing Machines, June, 1949, and Sim Months Ended June, 1949

	June, 1949		Six Months Ended June, 1949	
	Number	\$	Number	9
Imports				
Washing machines, domestic, electric Washing machines, domestic, power, not	38	3,460	140	14,654
electric		• • •	12	2,238
Washing machines, domestic, hand-operated Washing machine parts		130,641	•••	892,494
Exports				
Washing machines, domestic, electric Washing machines, domestic, n.o.p Washing machine parts	950 11	92,963 1,142 34,384	7,018 68	6'77,296 6,461 113,260

Table 3 - Production in Canada, Factory Shipments and Factory Stock of Domestic type Electric Refrigerators, June, 1948 and 1949, and Six Months Ended June, 1948

	June 10/4	June	Six Months Ended June, 1948 June, 1949	
	1948	1949	June, 1948	June. 1949
Stock at beginning of period . Production during period Shipped during period -	1,350 12,187	1,299 15,810 √	1,851 66,069	1,632 84,776
Newfoundland Maritimes Quebec Ontario Manitoba Saskatchewan Alberta British Columbia	578 2,357 5,386 1,009 223 340 986	5 531 4,015 6,682 872 232 525 1,146	3,737 15,185 29,963 5,502 1,148 2,706 6,321	59 3,632 20,052 35,367 5,772 1,375 4,022 6,784
CANADA	10,879	14,008	64,562	77.063
Export Stock at end of period	966 1,692	1,258 1,843	1,666 1,692	7,502 1,843

Table 4 - Imports into Canada and Exports of Refrigerators, June, 1949 and Six Months
Ended June, 1949

	June, 1949		Six Months E ded June, 1949	
	Number	\$	Number	\$
Imports				
Electric refrigerators, domestic or				
store, completely equipped or not	86	12,150	232	36, 309
Refrigerators, other, equipped or not	202	31,873	1,486	236,490
Refrigerator parts		391,495	• • •	3,175,784
Exports				
Refrigerators and parts, electric (x)	886	103,282	7,004	804,247
Refrigerators, other, and parts (x)			.,	
(a) Walan Ci i - i - i - i - i - i - i - i	1 7.0			

<sup>(</sup>x) 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.



... a ser region and off and the

CST TO THE TOTAL STATE OF THE TO