

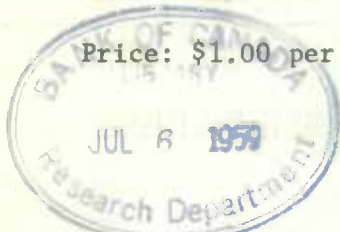


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DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES AND CLOTHES DRYERS

May, 1959

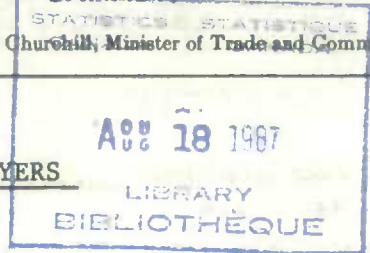


Table 1 - Production, Factory Shipments and Factory Sales of Washing Machines

	Stock at beginning of period	Made during period	Shipped during period	Stock at end of period
	(Number)			
<u>May, 1958</u>				
Electric - Automatic	11,896	3,905	4,845	10,956
Conventional	15,641	20,868	19,842	16,667
Gasoline	421	332	352	401
TOTAL	27,958	25,105	25,039	28,024
<u>May, 1959</u>				
Electric - Automatic	13,688*	5,831	5,556	13,963
Conventional	21,244*	21,836	20,056	23,024
Gasoline	209*	445	435	219
TOTAL	35,141*	28,112	26,047	37,206
<u>Five Months Ended May, 1958</u>				
Electric - Automatic	-	22,747	20,805	-
Conventional	-	89,796	89,925	-
Gasoline	-	1,407	1,485	-
Total	-	113,950	112,215	-
<u>Five Months Ended May, 1959</u>				
Electric - Automatic	-	31,062	28,087	-
Conventional	-	97,214	98,285	-
Gasoline	-	1,605	1,652	-
Total	-	129,881	128,024	-

Note: Apartment type machines not included.

* Revised

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Table 2 - Factory Shipments of Washing Machines, by Provinces

	May		Five months ended May	
	1958	1959	1958	1959
	(Number)			
Newfoundland	327	627	2,014	2,048
Maritimes	1,848	1,817	9,770	9,407
Quebec	8,671	7,826	28,235	32,305
Ontario	8,828	9,790	42,020	47,279
Manitoba	1,164	1,241	5,990	9,362
Saskatchewan	615	714	4,303	5,081
Alberta	1,344	1,455	7,482	8,794
British Columbia ...	1,779	1,579	8,292	10,166
Export*	463	998	4,109	3,582
Total	25,039	26,047	112,215	128,024

* Producers' Shipments for export.

Table 3 - Factory Shipments of Domestic Washing Machines, by Months

	1 9 5 8			1 9 5 9		
	Electric		Gasoline	Electric		Gasoline
	Automatic	Conventional		Automatic	Conventional	
	(Number)					
January	3,319	15,547	319	5,977	19,009	293
February	4,057	17,341	273	4,984	20,000	265
March	4,662	17,737	242	6,318	20,171	330
April	3,922	19,458	299	5,252	19,049	329
May	4,845	19,842	352	5,556	20,056	435
June	3,220	20,336	499			
July	4,582	20,529	333			
August	4,696	17,966	431			
September	6,983	27,679	410			
October	7,052	23,752	432			
November	7,652	21,259	351			
December	5,054	14,340	357			
Total	59,984	235,786	4,298			

Table 4 - Imports of Washing Machines and Clothes Dryers

	March, 1959		Three months ended	
	March, 1959		March, 1959	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
Domestic electric	4,165	542,125	9,968	1,399,633
Domestic, power, not electric ...	1	556	248	32,300
Parts	-	450,128	-	1,142,886
Clothes dryers	2,376	431,242	7,037	1,303,709

* Latest available.

Table 5 - Exports* of Washing Machines

	May, 1959		Five months ended May 1 9 5 9	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
Domestic, electric	1,176	99,818	3,223	268,693
Domestic, n.o.p.	-	-	3	285
Parts	-	7,605	-	119,232

* Customs clearances.

Table 6 - Production, Factory Shipments and Factory Stocks of Automatic Clothes-dryers**

	May		Five months ended May	
	1 9 5 8	1 9 5 9	1 9 5 8	1 9 5 9
	(Number)			
Stock at beginning of month ..	12,667	12,205(1)	-	-
Production during period	3,825	6,406	28,904	42,603
Shipped during period:				
Newfoundland	7	7	44	141
Maritimes	102	97	989	1,152
Quebec	707	690	4,280	5,043
Ontario	1,255	1,308	10,344	15,624
Manitoba	182	183	1,361	2,226
Saskatchewan	145	215	1,180	1,572
Alberta	212	400	2,126	2,657
British Columbia	369	270	2,179	2,320
Exports*	2	-	5	1
Total shipments	2,981	3,170	22,508	30,736
Stock at end of month	13,511	15,441	-	-

* Producers' shipments for export.

** Includes electric and gas.

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Table 7 - Factory Shipments of Automatic Clothes Dryers* by months

	1957	1958	1959
	(Number)		
January	6,533	6,614	9,924
February	5,614	5,335	6,988
March	4,730	4,470	6,307
April	2,783	3,108	4,347
May	2,252	2,981	3,170
June	1,997	2,564	
July	2,168	3,654	
August	5,527	4,195	
September	7,992	9,273	
October	7,999	10,771	
November	8,294	13,214	
December	11,052	12,839	
Total	66,941	79,018	

* Includes electric and gas.