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DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES AND CLOTHES DRYERS

January, 1960

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)			

January, 1959

Electric - Automatic	10,599	5,134	5,977	9,756
Conventional	24,921	15,762	19,009	21,674
Gasoline	293	265	293	265
TOTAL	35,813	21,161	25,279	31,695

January, 1960

Electric - Automatic	13,860	7,410	5,178	16,092
Conventional	22,104	19,122	17,048	24,178
Gasoline	313	75	131	257
TOTAL	36,277	26,607	22,357	40,527

Table 2 - Factory Shipments of Washing Machines, by Provinces

	J a n u a r y	
	1 9 5 9	1 9 6 0
	(Number)	
Newfoundland	194	545
Maritimes	1,769	1,622
Quebec	5,674	4,765
Ontario	9,591	8,892
Manitoba	1,879	1,501
Saskatchewan	1,398	876
Alberta	2,132	1,650
British Columbia	2,111	1,555
Export *	531	951
TOTAL	25,279	22,357

* Producers' shipments of export.

Note: Apartment type machines not included. Opening inventories at beginning of this period will not necessarily agree with closing inventory at end of previous period due to continuing inventory revisions being reported by respondent.

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

Month	1 9 5 9			1 9 6 0		
	Electric		Gasoline	Electric		Gasoline
	Automatic	Conventional		Automatic	Conventional	
	(Number)					
January	5,977	19,009	293	5,178	17,048	131
February	4,984	20,000	265			
March	6,318	20,171	330			
April	5,252	19,049	329			
May	5,556	20,056	435			
June	4,847	21,858	372			
July	4,585	17,736	280			
August	8,406	21,921	342			
September ...	9,099	23,968	412			
October	7,611	20,898	316			
November	7,286	19,049	385			
December	5,848	15,051	242			
Total	75,769	238,766	4,001			

Table 4 - Imports of Washing Machines and Clothes Dryers

	October, 1959 ⁽¹⁾		Ten months ended October, 1959	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
Domestic electric	5,689	859,054	35,007	5,017,486
Domestic, power, not electric .	-	-	562	118,827
Parts	-	517,667	-	4,203,537
Clothes dryers	3,034	488,700	17,941	3,285,119

(1) Latest available.

Table 5 - Exports* of Washing Machines

	January, 1960	
	No.	\$
Domestic, electric	1,135	95,854
Domestic, n.o.p.	-	-
Parts	-	7,424

* Customs clearances.

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

	J a n u a r y	
	1 9 5 9	1 9 6 0
	(Number)	
Stock at beginning of month	3,648	10,721
Production during period	10,501	13,519
Shipped during period to:		
Newfoundland	16	7
Maritimes	352	567
Quebec	1,321	1,740
Ontario	5,583	4,694
Manitoba	644	738
Saskatchewan	517	535
Alberta	885	642
British Columbia	605	533
Export*	1	-
Total shipments	9,924	9,456
Stock at end of month	4,225	14,784

* Producers' shipments for export.

** Includes electric and gas.

Table 7 - Factory Shipments of Automatic Clothes Dryers**, by Months

	1958	1959	1960
	(Number)		
January	6,614	9,924	9,456
February	5,335	6,988	
March	4,470	6,307	
April	3,108	4,347	
May	2,981	3,170	
June	2,564	3,366	
July	3,654	4,091	
August	4,195	9,133	
September	9,273	13,935	
October	10,771	14,324	
November	3,214	15,835	
December	12,839	16,160	
Total	79,018	107,580	

** Includes electric and gas.

LIST OF REPORTING FIRMS

Beatty Brothers Ltd. (1, 2, 3, 4)	Fergus, Ontario
Brantford Washing Machines Ltd. (2, 3)	Toronto, Ontario
Canadian General Electric Co. Ltd. (1, 2, 4)	Montreal, Quebec
Canadian Westinghouse Co. Ltd. (1, 2, 4)	Hamilton, Ontario
Coffield Washer Co. Ltd. (2, 3)	Hamilton, Ontario
J. H. Connor & Son Ltd. (2)	Hull, Quebec
Easy Washing Machine Co. Ltd. (1, 2, 3, 4)	Toronto, Ontario
The T. Eaton Co. Ltd. (4)	Toronto, Ontario
Frigidaire Products of Canada Ltd. (1, 4)	Scarborough, Ontario
Fairgrieve & Son Ltd. (2, 3)	Toronto, Ontario
Gilson Mfg. Co. Ltd. (2, 3)	Guelph, Ontario
Ingersoll Machine & Tool Co. Ltd. (2)	Ingersoll, Ontario
John Inglis Co. Ltd. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)	Toronto, Ontario
La Fonderie de l'Islet Ltée. (2)	L'Islet Station, Quebec
Maxwells Ltd. (4, 5)	St. Mary's, Ontario
Simplicity Products Ltd. (2, 3)	Hespeler, Ontario
Thor Industries Ltd. (1, 2, 3, 4)	Toronto, Ontario.

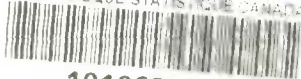
Washing Machines

- (1) Electric - Automatic type.
- (2) Electric - Conventional type.
- (3) Gasoline.

Clothes Dryers

- (4) Automatic - Electric.
- (5) Automatic - Gas.

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