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## DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES

APRIL - 1946

Production of domestic type washing machines during April, 1946, amounted to 10,445 units, including 8,699 electric, 1,095 gasoline and 651 hand-operated machines.

Imports into Canada during April totalled 272 units and exports numbered 590 units.

Table 1 - PRODUCTION IN CANADA, FACTORY SHIPMENTS AND FACTORY STOCKS OF WASHING MACHINES, APRIL, 1946 and YEAR TO DATE

	Stocks at beginning of period	Made during period	Shipped during period	Stock at end of period
	(Number of machines)			
April, 1946				
Electric .....	300	8,699	8,359	640
Gasoline .....	3	1,095	1,086	12
Hand .....	166	651	696	121
Total .....	469	10,445	10,141	773
Four Months Ended April, 1946				
Electric .....	559	32,789	32,709	640
Gasoline .....	35	2,942	2,965	12
Hand .....	26	2,866	2,771	121
Total .....	620	38,597	38,445	773

Table 2 - IMPORTS INTO CANADA AND EXPORTS OF WASHING MACHINES, APRIL, 1946 and YEAR TO DATE.

	April		Four Months Ended April	
	Number	\$	Number	\$
<u>Imports</u>				
Washing machines, domestic, and parts, electric .....	194	24,238	1,621	121,587
Washing machines, domestic, and parts, not electric .....	78	5,006	461	26,737
<u>Exports</u>				
Washing machines, domestic, and parts.	590	34,332	1,900	123,640

NOTE: Values include parts as well as complete machines; quantities are for complete machines only.

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INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

1960 - 1961

At the end of 1961, the industrial production index was 100.0, compared with 99.5 at the end of 1960. The index for 1961 was 100.0, compared with 99.5 at the end of 1960.

Table 1 - Industrial Production Index (1960 = 100.0)

Index	1960	1961	1962
Manufacturing	99.5	100.0	100.0
Construction	99.5	100.0	100.0
Transportation	99.5	100.0	100.0
Utilities	99.5	100.0	100.0

1960	99.5	100.0	100.0
1961	99.5	100.0	100.0
1962	99.5	100.0	100.0

Table 2 - Industrial Production Index (1960 = 100.0)

Index	1960	1961	1962
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1960	99.5	100.0	100.0
1961	99.5	100.0	100.0
1962	99.5	100.0	100.0

Source: Statistics Canada, Industrial Production Index (1960 = 100.0)