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DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES AND CLOTHES DRYERS

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TABLE 1. Production, Sales and Stocks

	Production		Sales		Stocks at end	
	during period		during period		of month(1)	
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966
	number of units					
<u>October</u>						
<u>Washing machines:</u>						
Automatic	18,490	21,095	20,120	20,526	23,518	31,871
Conventional - Electric ...	20,066	24,210	21,397	25,295	22,453	21,540
Gasoline ...	60	58	70	64	37	7
Total washing machines ..	38,616	45,363	41,587	45,885	46,008	53,418
<u>Clothes dryers:</u>						
Automatic - Electric	22,817	25,516	24,612	26,310	26,947	33,653
Gas	3,039	3,066	2,743	2,664	5,495	7,086
Total clothes dryers	25,856	28,582	27,355	28,974	32,442	40,739
<u>Ten months ended October</u>						
<u>Washing machines:</u>						
Automatic	151,514	173,908	148,519	168,363	...	...
Conventional - Electric ...	189,212	203,428	202,289	204,574	...	...
Gasoline ...	898	894	906	888	...	...
Total washing machines ..	341,624	378,230	351,714	373,825	...	...
<u>Clothes dryers:</u>						
Automatic - Electric	129,667	153,585	123,368	143,402	...	...
Gas	16,031	15,333	14,144	12,076	...	...
Total clothes dryers	145,698	168,918	137,512	155,478	...	...

(1) Will not necessarily balance with previous month due to continuing inventory adjustments.

... Figures not appropriate or not applicable.

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TABLE 2. Distribution of Sales of Domestic Washing Machines and Clothes Dryers

Sold in	October		Ten months ended October	
	1965	1966	1965	1966
<u>Washing Machines</u>				
	number of units			
Newfoundland	669	747	5,629	6,651
Maritimes	2,621	2,816	24,405	25,981
Quebec	10,816	11,913	94,805	99,986
Ontario	14,028	12,844	116,831	121,843
Manitoba	3,017	2,475	23,503	22,628
Saskatchewan	1,771	2,038	12,315	13,052
Alberta	2,460	3,529	22,630	26,762
British Columbia	3,969	3,741	29,428	32,977
Canada totals	39,351	40,103	329,546	349,880
Exported(1)	2,236	5,782	22,168	23,945
Total sales	41,587	45,885	351,714	373,825
<u>Clothes Dryers</u>				
Newfoundland	132	146	747	1,210
Maritimes	1,050	1,422	6,489	7,513
Quebec	6,263	7,717	36,627	43,829
Ontario	11,995	10,893	50,620	53,376
Manitoba	2,153	1,888	9,752	11,622
Saskatchewan	1,318	1,468	6,875	7,058
Alberta	1,909	2,867	12,935	14,071
British Columbia	2,522	2,558	13,393	16,748
Canada totals	27,342	28,959	137,438	155,427
Exported(1)	13	15	74	51
Total sales	27,355	28,974	137,512	155,478

(1) Producers' sales for export.

TABLE 3. Sales of Domestic Washing Machines, by Months 1965 and 1966

	1965			1966		
	Automatic	Conventional		Automatic	Conventional	
		Electric	Gasoline		Electric	Gasoline
number of units						
January	11,080	15,488	58	14,390	15,704	75
February	12,570	18,393	79	15,830	18,103	58
March	14,516	21,679	88	16,071	24,118	202
April	12,452	19,289	155	13,376	19,134	89
May	10,711	23,497	77	12,895	20,829	61
June	13,078	20,859	116	13,373	19,330	85
July	11,600	16,287	74	14,079	16,927	79
August	20,673	22,021	72	24,973	23,052	87
September	21,719	23,379	117	22,850	22,082	88
October	20,120	21,397	70	20,526	25,295	64
November	17,732	22,668	78			
December	13,423	17,490	146			
Year	179,674	242,447	1,130			
Year to date	148,519	202,289	906	168,363	204,574	888

TABLE 4. Sales of Automatic Clothes Dryers, by Months 1965 and 1966

	1965		1966	
	Electric	Gas	Electric	Gas
	number of units			
January	10,905	1,116	14,650	978
February	10,964	1,602	12,991	1,083
March	8,884	1,419	11,240	928
April	6,887	1,070	7,997	617
May	6,053	364	7,339	477
June	6,827	569	8,369	539
July	7,372	460	9,464	428
August	16,623	1,569	20,735	1,553
September	24,241	3,232	24,307	2,809
October	24,612	2,743	26,310	2,664
November	25,821	2,971		
December	20,392	1,927		
Year	169,581	19,042		
Year to date	123,368	14,144	143,402	12,076

TABLE 5. Imports of Washing Machines and Clothes Dryers

	April 1966		Four months ended April 1966	
	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000
Washing machines, electric, automatic, domestic sizes	1,303	208	4,815	759
Washing machines, electric, domestic sizes, n.e.s.	390	37	1,953	228
Parts of washing machines, electric, domestic sizes	-	874	-	3,726
Clothes dryers, electric, domestic sizes	1,349	107	4,475	396
Clothes dryers, gas, domestic sizes	108	14	456	59
Clothes dryer parts	-	72	-	349

Source: Trade of Canada.

TABLE 6. Exports of Washing Machines

	July 1966		Seven months ended July 1966	
	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000
Washing machines electric, domestic sizes	1,927	173	15,908	1,466
Washing machine parts, electric, domestic sizes	-	35	-	361

Source: Trade of Canada.



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TABLE 7. Distribution of Sales of Domestic Washing Machines and Clothes Dryers, by Model Type

Sold in	Washing machines		Clothes dryers	
	Automatic	Conventional	Electric	Gas
number of units				
<u>October 1966</u>				
Newfoundland	110	637	145	1
Maritimes	998	1,818	1,393	29
Quebec	6,852	5,061	7,641	76
Ontario	6,340	6,504	9,499	1,394
Manitoba	762	1,713	1,718	170
Saskatchewan	756	1,282	1,396	72
Alberta	2,150	1,379	2,044	823
British Columbia	2,429	1,312	2,459	99
Canada totals	20,397	19,706	26,295	2,664
Exported(1)	129	5,653	15	-
Total sales	20,526	25,359	26,310	2,664
<u>Ten months ended</u>				
<u>October 1966</u>				
Newfoundland	1,074	5,577	1,209	1
Maritimes	8,286	17,695	7,261	252
Quebec	54,812	45,174	43,450	379
Ontario	54,076	67,767	47,866	5,510
Manitoba	8,423	14,205	10,303	1,319
Saskatchewan	5,063	7,989	6,744	314
Alberta	14,483	12,279	10,566	3,505
British Columbia	21,327	11,650	15,952	796
Canada totals	167,544	182,336	143,351	12,076
Exported(1)	819	23,126	51	-
Total sales	168,363	205,462	143,402	12,076

Note: Data carried in this report reflect the experience of the respondent firms listed in the January report. However, please note the following changes for the month under review.

NIL

In the case of the commodities carried herein it is estimated that coverage is approximately 100%.

(1) Producers' sales for export.