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## DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES AND CLOTHES DRYERS

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TABLE 1. Production, Sales and Stocks

	Production during period		Sales during period		Stocks at end of month(1)	
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966
number of units						
<u>April</u>						
<u>Washing machines:</u>						
Automatic .....	10,675	14,905	12,452	13,376	22,932	30,168
Conventional - Electric ...	19,163	22,723	19,289	19,311	32,776	37,226
Gasoline ...	170	63	155	89	80	59
Total washing machines ..	30,008	37,691	31,896	32,776	55,788	67,453
<u>Clothes dryers:</u>						
Automatic - Electric .....	6,455	10,937	6,887	7,997	24,085	23,173
Gas .....	1,710	648	1,070	617	4,404	4,401
Total clothes dryers ....	8,165	11,585	7,957	8,614	28,489	27,574
<u>Four months ended April</u>						
<u>Washing machines:</u>						
Automatic .....	53,237	64,125	50,618	59,667	...	...
Conventional - Electric ...	76,484	86,374	74,849	77,906	...	...
Gasoline ...	415	450	380	424	...	...
Total washing machines ..	130,136	150,949	125,847	137,997	...	...
<u>Clothes dryers:</u>						
Automatic - Electric .....	41,437	48,903	37,640	46,878	...	...
Gas .....	5,965	3,897	5,207	3,606	...	...
Total clothes dryers ....	47,402	52,800	42,847	50,484	...	...

(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	April		Four months ended April	
	1965	1966	1965	1966
number of units				
<u>Washing Machines</u>				
Newfoundland .....	677	434	2,172	2,744
Maritimes .....	2,540	2,459	9,499	11,272
Quebec .....	8,429	8,723	31,497	33,742
Ontario .....	10,031	11,704	40,607	48,223
Manitoba .....	2,314	1,881	9,247	9,014
Saskatchewan .....	1,079	1,041	4,939	4,761
Alberta .....	2,009	2,031	8,644	9,478
British Columbia .....	2,922	2,413	10,821	11,386
Canada totals .....	30,001	30,686	117,426	130,620
Exported(1) .....	1,895	2,090	8,421	7,377
Total sales .....	31,896	32,776	125,847	137,997
<u>Clothes Dryers</u>				
Newfoundland .....	54	40	277	574
Maritimes .....	479	373	2,715	3,025
Quebec .....	2,613	2,827	11,490	13,723
Ontario .....	2,588	3,099	14,712	17,681
Manitoba .....	412	525	2,700	3,485
Saskatchewan .....	218	208	2,302	2,341
Alberta .....	744	712	4,377	4,196
British Columbia .....	847	830	4,260	5,454
Canada totals .....	7,955	8,614	42,833	50,479
Exported(1) .....	2	-	14	5
Total sales .....	7,957	8,614	42,847	50,484

(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	18,391	58
March .....	14,516	21,679	88	16,071	24,500	202
April .....	12,452	19,289	155	13,376	19,311	89
May .....	10,711	23,497	77			
June .....	13,078	20,859	116			
July .....	11,600	16,287	74			
August .....	20,673	22,021	72			
September .....	21,719	23,379	117			
October .....	20,120	21,397	70			
November .....	17,732	22,668	78			
December .....	13,423	17,490	146			
Year .....	179,674	242,447	1,130			
Year to date ....	50,618	74,849	380	59,667	77,906	424

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		
June .....	6,827	569		
July .....	7,372	460		
August .....	16,623	1,569		
September .....	24,241	3,232		
October .....	24,612	2,743		
November .....	25,821	2,971		
December .....	20,392	1,927		
Year .....	169,581	19,042		
Year to date .....	37,640	5,207	46,878	3,606

TABLE 5. Imports of Washing Machines and Clothes Dryers

	December 1965		Twelve months ended December 1965	
	No.	\$	No.	\$
Washing machines, electric, automatic, domestic sizes .....	1,610	257,459	16,420	2,687,383
Washing machines, electric, domestic sizes, n.e.s. ....	332	30,597	4,180	395,470
Parts of washing machines, electric, domestic sizes .....	-	1,050,663	-	10,650,236
Clothes dryers, electric, domestic sizes .....	2,291	173,554	13,681	1,281,272
Clothes dryers, gas, domestic sizes .....	366	42,474	2,493	303,641
Clothes dryer parts .....	-	153,503	-	1,613,281

Source: Trade of Canada.

TABLE 6. Exports of Washing Machines

	January 1966	
	No.	\$'000
Washing machines electric, domestic sizes .....	3,351	313
Washing machine parts, electric, domestic sizes .....	-	81

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>April 1966</u>				
Newfoundland .....	57	377	40	-
Maritimes .....	631	1,828	365	8
Quebec .....	4,515	4,208	2,815	12
Ontario .....	4,798	6,906	2,781	318
Manitoba .....	634	1,247	486	39
Saskatchewan .....	284	757	193	15
Alberta .....	998	1,033	554	158
British Columbia ....	1,452	961	763	67
Canada totals .....	13,369	17,317	7,997	617
Exported(1) .....	7	2,083	-	-
Total sales .....	13,376	19,400	7,997	617
<u>Four months ended</u>				
<u>April 1966</u>				
Newfoundland .....	464	2,280	574	-
Maritimes .....	3,428	7,844	2,978	47
Quebec .....	17,482	16,260	13,575	148
Ontario .....	20,838	27,385	16,053	1,628
Manitoba .....	3,106	5,908	3,060	425
Saskatchewan .....	1,725	3,036	2,243	98
Alberta .....	4,813	4,665	3,296	900
British Columbia ....	7,255	4,131	5,094	360
Canada totals .....	59,111	71,509	46,873	3,606
Exported(1) .....	556	6,821	5	-
Total sales .....	59,667	78,330	46,878	3,606

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.