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DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES AND CLOTHES DRYERS

MAY 1966

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>May</u>						
<u>Washing machines:</u>						
Automatic	13,799	17,158	10,711	12,895	26,291	34,977
Conventional - Electric ...	20,885	20,636	23,497	21,160	31,754	36,101
Gasoline ...	56	52	77	61	59	50
Total washing machines ..	34,540	37,846	34,285	34,116	58,104	71,128
<u>Clothes dryers:</u>						
Automatic - Electric	8,369	12,835	6,053	7,339	26,634	29,303
Gas	627	488	364	477	4,665	4,258
Total clothes dryers	8,996	13,323	6,417	7,816	31,299	33,561
<u>Five months ended May</u>						
<u>Washing machines:</u>						
Automatic	67,036	81,283	61,329	72,562	...	...
Conventional - Electric ...	97,169	107,010	98,346	99,066	...	...
Gasoline ...	471	502	457	485	...	...
Total washing machines ..	164,676	188,795	160,132	172,113	...	...
<u>Clothes dryers:</u>						
Automatic - Electric	49,806	61,738	43,693	54,217	...	...
Gas	6,592	4,385	5,571	4,083	...	...
Total clothes dryers	56,398	66,123	49,264	58,300	...	...

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

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

Sold in	May		Five months ended May	
	1965	1966	1965	1966
number of units				
<u>Washing Machines</u>				
Newfoundland	417	562	2,589	3,306
Maritimes	1,970	1,873	11,469	13,145
Quebec	11,131	12,212	42,628	45,954
Ontario	11,176	8,994	51,783	57,217
Manitoba	1,904	1,624	11,151	10,638
Saskatchewan	847	1,057	5,786	5,818
Alberta	1,411	2,051	10,055	11,529
British Columbia	2,021	2,223	12,842	13,609
Canada totals	30,877	30,596	148,303	161,216
Exported(1)	3,408	3,520	11,829	10,897
Total sales	34,285	34,116	160,132	172,113
<u>Clothes Dryers</u>				
Newfoundland	32	47	309	621
Maritimes	306	241	3,021	3,266
Quebec	2,403	3,477	13,893	17,200
Ontario	1,922	2,122	16,634	19,803
Manitoba	309	485	3,009	3,970
Saskatchewan	190	250	2,492	2,591
Alberta	469	551	4,846	4,747
British Columbia	764	640	5,024	6,094
Canada totals	6,395	7,813	49,228	58,292
Exported(1)	22	3	36	8
Total sales	6,417	7,816	49,264	58,300

(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	12,895	21,160	61
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	61,329	98,346	457	72,562	99,066	485

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		
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	43,693	5,571	54,217	4,083

TABLE 5. Imports of Washing Machines and Clothes Dryers

	January 1966	
	No.	\$
Washing machines, electric, automatic, domestic sizes
Washing machines, electric, domestic sizes, n.e.s.
Parts of washing machines, electric, domestic sizes
Clothes dryers, electric, domestic sizes
Clothes dryers, gas, domestic sizes
Clothes dryer parts

Source: Trade of Canada.

.. Figures not available.

TABLE 6. Exports of Washing Machines

	February 1966		Two months ended February 1966	
	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000
Washing machines electric, domestic sizes	1,664	141	5,015	454
Washing machine parts, electric, domestic sizes	-	30	-	111

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>May 1966</u>				
Newfoundland	63	499	47	-
Maritimes	470	1,403	241	-
Quebec	6,155	6,057	3,463	14
Ontario	3,068	5,926	1,923	199
Manitoba	608	1,016	398	87
Saskatchewan	311	746	231	19
Alberta	934	1,117	428	123
British Columbia	1,284	939	605	35
Canada totals	12,893	17,703	7,336	477
Exported(1)	2	3,518	3	-
Total sales	12,895	21,221	7,339	477
<u>Five months ended</u>				
<u>May 1966</u>				
Newfoundland	527	2,779	621	-
Maritimes	3,898	9,247	3,219	47
Quebec	23,637	22,317	17,038	162
Ontario	23,906	33,311	17,976	1,827
Manitoba	3,714	6,924	3,458	512
Saskatchewan	2,036	3,782	2,474	117
Alberta	5,747	5,782	3,724	1,023
British Columbia	8,539	5,070	5,699	395
Canada totals	72,004	89,212	54,209	4,083
Exported(1)	558	10,339	8	-
Total sales	72,562	99,551	54,217	4,083

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.