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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)	
	1966	1967	1966	1967	1966	1967
	number of units					
<u>February</u>						
<u>Washing machines</u>						
Automatic	15,565	16,458	15,830	12,476	28,358	40,256
Conventional - Electric ...	19,905	22,733	18,103 ^r	18,327	32,803	31,132
Gasoline ...	65	96	58	39	99	76
Total washing machines ..	35,535	39,287	33,991 ^r	30,842	61,260	71,464
<u>Clothes dryers</u>						
Automatic - Electric	11,864	13,048	12,991	10,554	18,964	35,085
Gas	1,007	1,117	1,083	952	4,256	4,862
Total clothes dryers	12,871	14,165	14,074	11,506	23,220	39,947
<u>Two months ended February</u>						
<u>Washing machines</u>						
Automatic	32,808	32,731	30,220	27,476	...	...
Conventional - Electric ...	39,728	42,147	33,807 ^r	34,411	...	...
Gasoline ...	199	146	133	84	...	...
Total washing machines ..	72,735	75,024	64,160 ^r	61,971	...	...
<u>Clothes dryers</u>						
Automatic - Electric	25,434	27,376	27,641	24,953	...	...
Gas	2,209	1,567	2,061	1,988	...	...
Total clothes dryers	27,643	28,943	29,702	26,941	...	...

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

^r Revised figures.

... Figures not appropriate or not applicable.

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

Sold in	February		Two months ended February	
	1966	1967	1966	1967
number of units				
<u>Washing Machines</u>				
Newfoundland	756	624	1,143	942
Maritimes	3,345	2,459	5,835	4,601
Quebec	7,577 ^r	7,071	14,953 ^r	13,938
Ontario	11,364	9,769	22,306	20,763
Manitoba	2,189	2,022	4,257	4,290
Saskatchewan	1,195	1,365	2,382	2,625
Alberta	2,622	2,485	4,382	5,263
British Columbia	3,314	2,837	5,888	5,672
Canada totals	32,362 ^r	28,632	61,146 ^r	58,094
Exported(1)	1,629	2,210	3,014	3,877
Total sales	33,991 ^r	30,842	64,160 ^r	61,971
<u>Clothes Dryers</u>				
Newfoundland	137	135	328	261
Maritimes	947	934	1,949	2,008
Quebec	3,484	3,475	7,804	7,543
Ontario	4,703	3,092	10,034	8,256
Manitoba	1,069	763	2,081	1,905
Saskatchewan	786	522	1,643	1,236
Alberta	1,183	1,209	2,373	2,690
British Columbia	1,763	1,370	3,487	3,028
Canada totals	14,072	11,500	29,699	26,927
Exported(1)	2	6	3	14
Total sales	14,074	11,506	29,702	26,941

(1) Producers' sales for export. ^r Revised figures.

TABLE 3. Sales of Domestic Washing Machines, by Months 1966 and 1967

	1966			1967		
	Automatic	Conventional		Automatic	Conventional	
		Electric	Gasoline		Electric	Gasoline
number of units						
January	14,390	15,704	75	15,000	16,084	45
February	15,830	18,103	58	12,476	18,327	39
March	16,071	24,118	202			
April	13,376	19,134	89			
May	12,895	20,829	61			
June	13,373	19,330	85			
July	14,079	16,927	79			
August	24,973	23,052	87			
September	22,850	22,082	88			
October	20,526	25,295	64			
November	16,561	16,682	46			
December	14,459	15,295	42			
Year	199,383	236,551	976			
Year to date	30,220	33,807	133	27,476	34,411	84

TABLE 4. Sales of Automatic Clothes Dryers, by Months 1966 and 1967

	1966		1967	
	Electric	Gas	Electric	Gas
	number of units			
January	14,650	978	14,399	1,036
February	12,991	1,083	10,554	952
March	11,240	928		
April	7,997	617		
May	7,339	477		
June	8,369	539		
July	9,464	428		
August	20,735	1,553		
September	24,307	2,809		
October	26,310	2,664		
November	24,270	2,519		
December	19,313	2,646		
Year	186,985	17,241		
Year to date	27,641	2,061	24,953	1,988

TABLE 5. Imports of Washing Machines and Clothes Dryers

	August 1966		Eight months ended August 1966	
	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000
Washing machines, electric, automatic, domestic sizes	2,569	394	11,804	1,847
Washing machines, electric, domestic sizes, n.e.s.	442	45	3,436	369
Parts of washing machines, electric, domestic sizes	-	1,117	-	7,909
Clothes dryers, electric, domestic sizes	1,765	118	10,578	816
Clothes dryers, gas, domestic sizes	85	10	874	110
Clothes dryer parts	-	238	-	960

Source: Trade of Canada.

TABLE 6. Exports of Washing Machines

	November 1966		Eleven months ended November 1966	
	No.	\$'000	No.	\$'000
Washing machines electric, domestic sizes	3,902	382	25,177	2,295
Washing machine parts, electric, domestic sizes	-	83	-	705

Source: Trade of Canada.



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>February 1967</u>				
Newfoundland	96	528	136	- 1
Maritimes	641	1,818	793	141
Quebec	3,980	3,091	3,469	6
Ontario	3,767	6,002	2,793	299
Manitoba	723	1,299	664	99
Saskatchewan	396	969	487	35
Alberta	1,220	1,265	905	304
British Columbia	1,489	1,348	1,301	69
Canada totals	12,312	16,320	10,548	952
Exported(1)	164	2,046	6	-
Total sales	12,476	18,366	10,554	952
<u>Two months ended</u>				
<u>February 1967</u>				
Newfoundland	190	752	246	15
Maritimes	1,469	3,132	1,838	170
Quebec	8,544	5,394	7,515	28
Ontario	8,970	11,793	7,588	668
Manitoba	1,527	2,763	1,555	350
Saskatchewan	775	1,850	1,172	64
Alberta	2,408	2,855	2,147	543
British Columbia	3,302	2,370	2,878	150
Canada totals	27,185	30,909	24,939	1,988
Exported(1)	291	3,586	14	-
Total sales	27,476	34,495	24,953	1,988

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.