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## DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES AND CLOTHES DRYERS

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TABLE 1. Production, Sales and Stocks

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	Production during period		Sales during period		Stocks at end of month(1)	
	1967 <sup>x</sup>	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968
number of units						
<u>November</u>						
<u>Washing machines</u>						
Automatic .....	25,871	21,443	17,030	20,484	33,246	33,611
Conventional - Electric .....	21,172	20,360	18,253	20,661	22,025	20,158
Gasoline .....	80	2	66	5	22	-
Total washing machines ....	47,123	41,805	35,349	41,150	55,293	53,769
<u>Clothes dryers</u>						
Automatic - Electric .....	28,252	22,577	25,017	24,686	29,479	34,587
Gas .....	3,017	2,078	2,733	3,128	4,137	2,807
Total clothes dryers .....	31,269	24,655	27,750	27,814	33,616	37,394
<u>Eleven months ended November</u>						
<u>Washing machines</u>						
Automatic .....	179,937	198,619	184,003	199,297	...	...
Conventional - Electric .....	218,443	185,328	210,196	218,311	...	...
Gasoline .....	679	709	668	722	...	...
Total washing machines ....	399,059	384,656	394,867	418,330	...	...
<u>Clothes dryers</u>						
Automatic - Electric .....	162,118	180,200	162,701	173,988	...	...
Gas .....	12,567	15,337	13,792	16,229	...	...
Total clothes dryers .....	174,685	195,537	176,493	190,217	...	...

(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	November		Eleven months ended November	
	1967	1968	1967	1968
number of units				
<u>Washing machines</u>				
Newfoundland .....	402	507	6,373	6,288
Maritimes .....	2,332	2,961	27,862	28,324
Quebec .....	9,222	9,830	105,993	107,559
Ontario .....	13,698	15,266	131,442	148,306
Manitoba .....	1,542	2,056	23,284	24,087
Saskatchewan .....	1,066	1,398	14,394	13,056
Alberta .....	2,636	2,346	29,898	29,451
British Columbia .....	2,738	3,185	34,681	35,604
Canada totals .....	33,636	37,549	373,927	392,675
Exported(1) .....	1,713	3,601	20,940	25,655
Total sales .....	35,349	41,150	394,867	418,330
<u>Clothes dryers</u>				
Newfoundland .....	184	219	1,363	1,408
Maritimes .....	1,811	2,102	9,865	11,047
Quebec .....	7,373	7,334	51,192	54,787
Ontario .....	9,895	10,480	58,350	63,689
Manitoba .....	2,384	1,757	13,297	12,180
Saskatchewan .....	1,361	1,233	7,288	8,180
Alberta .....	2,332	2,214	16,859	18,653
British Columbia .....	2,409	2,473	18,219	20,251
Canada totals .....	27,749	27,812	176,433	190,195
Exported(1) .....	1	2	60	22
Total sales .....	27,750	27,814	176,493	190,217

(1) Producers' sales for export.

TABLE 3. Sales of Domestic Washing Machines, by Months 1967 and 1968

	1967			1968		
	Automatic	Conventional		Automatic	Conventional	
		Electric	Gasoline		Electric	Gasoline
number of units						
January .....	15,000	16,084	45	14,948	16,563	6
February .....	12,476	18,327	39	15,591	17,600	123
March .....	13,423	18,137	120	13,467	18,326	50
April .....	13,478	16,591	43	14,395	18,896	16
May .....	14,046	20,239	69	14,212	24,002	29
June .....	13,401	17,638	86	15,698	17,603	107
July .....	15,019	18,196	50	16,377	17,088	157
August .....	24,532	22,928	76	27,133	20,115	45
September .....	23,349	22,045	56	23,462	22,828	30
October .....	22,249	21,758	18	23,530	24,629	154
November .....	17,030	18,253	66	20,484	20,661	5
December .....	16,502	11,905	95			
Year .....	200,505	222,101	763			
Year to date .....	184,003	210,196	668	199,297	218,311	722

TABLE 4. Sales of Automatic Clothes Dryers, by Months 1967 and 1968

	1967		1968	
	Electric	Gas	Electric	Gas
number of units				
January .....	14,399	1,036	15,724	1,341
February .....	10,554	952	13,703	1,073
March .....	9,568	926	9,637	832
April .....	8,336	683	9,052	704
May .....	8,912	557	8,257	534
June .....	8,557	569	9,982	539
July .....	10,549	439	11,394	765
August .....	18,688	1,320	22,677	1,799
September .....	23,888	1,776	22,918	2,211
October .....	24,233	2,801	25,958	3,303
November .....	25,017	2,733	24,686	3,128
December .....	19,767	1,958		
Year .....	182,468	15,750		
Year to date .....	162,701	13,792	173,988	16,229

TABLE 5. Imports of Washing Machines and Clothes Dryers into Canada

	October 1968		Ten months ended October 1968	
	No.	\$ '000	No.	\$ '000
Washing machines, electric, automatic, domestic sizes .....	4,217	714	22,520	3,761
Washing machines, electric, domestic sizes, n.e.s. ....	6,724	497	37,383	2,710
Parts of washing machines, electric, domestic sizes .....	...	1,420	...	10,784
Clothes dryers, electric, domestic sizes	2,920	307	17,238	1,579
Clothes dryers, gas, domestic sizes .....	386	54	962	133
Clothes dryer parts .....	...	171	...	1,066

Source: "Imports by Commodities," D.B.S. Catalogue No. 65-007.

Note: Value given will not necessarily balance due to rounding of figures.

... Figures not appropriate or not applicable.

TABLE 6. Exports of Washing Machines from Canada

	October 1968		Ten months ended October 1968	
	No.	\$ '000	No.	\$ '000
Washing machines electric, domestic sizes	2,159	208	20,749	2,055
Washing machine parts, electric, domestic sizes .....	...	15	...	339

Source: "Exports by Commodities," D.B.S. catalogue No. 65-004.

Note: Value given will not necessarily balance due to rounding of figures.

... Figures not appropriate or not applicable.



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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>November 1968</u>				
Newfoundland .....	114	393	219	-
Maritimes .....	1,306	1,655	2,004	98
Quebec .....	6,585	3,245	7,243	91
Ontario .....	7,233	8,033	8,671	1,809
Manitoba .....	907	1,149	1,460	297
Saskatchewan .....	700	698	1,146	87
Alberta .....	1,538	808	1,552	662
British Columbia .....	2,079	1,106	2,389	84
Canada totals .....	20,462	17,087	24,684	3,128
Exported(1) .....	22	3,579	2	-
Total sales .....	20,484	20,666	24,686	3,128
<u>Eleven months ended November 1968</u>				
Newfoundland .....	1,407	4,881	1,408	-
Maritimes .....	10,527	17,797	10,639	408
Quebec .....	65,380	42,179	54,295	492
Ontario .....	64,411	83,895	56,428	7,261
Manitoba .....	9,839	14,248	10,260	1,920
Saskatchewan .....	5,951	7,105	7,716	464
Alberta .....	17,803	11,648	13,686	4,967
British Columbia .....	22,576	13,028	19,534	717
Canada totals .....	197,894	194,781	173,966	16,229
Exported(1) .....	1,403	24,252	22	-
Total sales .....	199,297	219,033	173,988	16,229

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.