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DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES, 1947

The production of domestic type washing machines by Canadian producers during 1947 amounted to 221,014 units valued at \$19,269,064. This total included 193,745 electric machines worth \$16,916,459; 6,286 hand-operated machines at \$107,505, and 20,983 gasoline-operated machines at \$2,245,100.

Imports in 1947 of domestic electric washing machines totalled 60,737 units valued at \$5,026,530; imports of domestic washing machines, power, not electric totalled 6,453 units valued at \$539,515 and imports of washing machine parts were valued at \$739,543. Exports of domestic washing machines and parts were appraised at \$1,759,403 in 1947.

Table 1 - PRODUCTION OF DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES IN CANADA, 1939-1947

Year	Hand		Electric		Other Power		TOTAL	
	Number	Selling	Number	Selling	Number	Selling	Number	Selling
		value at works \$		value at works \$		value at works \$		value at works \$
1939	6,513	72,058	92,057	4,549,421	5,312	364,254	103,882	4,985,733
1940	8,207	102,536	99,562	5,065,093	9,742	673,621	117,511	5,841,250
1941	9,992	133,713	104,583	5,326,865	13,687	996,960	128,262	6,457,538
1942	7,816	105,551	52,198	3,062,705	7,237	549,680	67,251	3,717,936
1943	7,789	98,200	5,373	336,300	38	3,323	13,200	437,823
1944	10,162	146,873	24,352	1,548,260	729	64,255	35,243	1,759,388
1945	10,083	131,635	38,982	2,457,817	3,736	317,058	52,801	2,906,510
1946	8,209	126,820	96,249	7,068,269	10,595	1,036,278	115,053	8,231,367
1947	6,286	107,505	193,745	16,916,459	20,983	2,245,100	221,014	19,269,064

Table 2 - IMPORTS INTO CANADA AND EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES AND PARTS, 1939-1946

Year	Imports				Exports	
	Washing machines, domestic, elec- tric, and parts		Washing machines, other, n.o.p. and parts		Washing machines, domestic, and parts	
	Number	\$	Number	\$	Number	\$
1939	16,077	648,391	4,396	193,516	20,122	971,787
1940	14,513	654,938	2,534	142,305	3,501	307,293
1941	985	202,689	2,417	143,284	843	66,566
1942	92	81,931	849	57,204	38	21,698
1943	19	47,075	14	2,908	42	6,340
1944	30	70,207	12	775	156	33,230
1945	652	139,923	7	1,163	2,808	176,032
1946	12,794	976,567	1,940	145,401	7,415	443,472

Note: Above values include parts as well as complete machines; the quantities refer to complete machines only.



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Table 3 - IMPORTS INTO CANADA AND EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES AND PARTS, 1947

	Number	\$
<u>Imports -</u>		
Washing machines, domestic, electric	60,737	5,026,530
Washing machines, domestic, power, not electric	6,453	539,515
Washing machines, domestic, hand-operated
Washing machine parts	739,543
Clothes wringers and parts for domestic use	365,791
<u>Exports -</u>		
Washing machines, domestic, and parts	16,688	1,759,403

LIST OF MANUFACTURERS OF DOMESTIC WASHING MACHINES IN CANADA, 1947

Name of Firm	Location of Plant
Beatty Brothers Limited	Fergus, Ontario
Brantford Washing Machines Limited	14 Grey St., Brantford, Ontario
Canadian General Electric Co., Ltd.	212 King St. W., Toronto, Ontario
Canadian Westinghouse Co., Ltd.	Sanford Ave., Hamilton, Ontario
The Coffield Washer Co., Ltd.	77-91 Niagara St., Hamilton, Ontario
J. H. Connor & Son Ltd.	10 Lloyd St., Ottawa, Ontario
Cub Aircraft Corporation	Municipal Airport, Hamilton, Ontario
Dowswell, Lees & Co. Ltd.	193 Elgin St., Hamilton, Ontario
The Easy Washing Machine Co., Ltd.	Miranda and Schell Aves., Toronto 10, Ontario
Fairgrieve & Son Ltd.	40-50 Dovercourt Rd., Toronto, Ontario
Gilson Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	York Road, Guelph, Ontario
John Inglis Co. Limited	14 Strachan Ave., Toronto, Ontario
W. A. Kribs Co., Ltd.	Hespeler, Ontario
Maxwells Limited	St. Mary's, Ontario
The Maytag Co. Ltd.	640 Portage Ave., Winnipeg, Manitoba
Renfrew Machinery Co., Ltd.	Renfrew, Ontario
Rosthern Manufacturing Company	Rosthern, Saskatchewan
Thor Canadian Co. Ltd.	1244 Dufferin St., Toronto, Ontario