

CURRENT INDUSTRIAL REPORTS

2008

MQ315B — FINISHED SOCKS DEFINITIONS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Scope of survey

This survey covers the quantity produced and the value shipped of finished socks made in the United States. Sheer hosiery and socks shipped in the greige state are not within the scope of the survey.

2. Who should report

Establishments knitting or knitting and finishing socks in the United States from materials they own.

Establishments manufacturing and finishing socks for the State or Federal Government from their materials or from government-furnished materials.

Operations solely involved in contracting (knitting or finishing socks from materials owned by other companies), wholesaling, or importing should indicate the nature of their business in Part IV and return the form.

3. Figures to be reported

This report requires the reporting of quantities of manufactured and finished socks produced (in dozen pairs), shipments value (in thousands of U.S. dollars), and fabric type (in dozen pairs), for three possible categories.

a. Shipments

The value represents the net sales price f.o.b. plant, to the customer or branch to which the products are shipped, net of discounts, allowances, freight charges, and returns. Shipments to your own branches should be assigned the same value as comparable sales to unaffiliated customers, i. e., the value includes an appropriate allocation of company overhead and profit.

b. Imported socks

Exclude finished socks which you imported. If records are not kept separately on the shipments of imported-versus domestically-finished socks,

please estimate the quantity and value of the imported socks and exclude them from this report.

Resales

Products bought and resold without further manufacture should not be included.

4. Definitions

a. Sizes

Men's and boys' - Include sock sizes designed for men and boys.

Women's and Girls' - Include sock sizes designed for women and girls.

Infants'- Include socks designed for babies up to 24 months old.

b. Fabric classification

Fabrics made from more than one fiber are classified according to whether the fabric is chiefly cotton, wool, or manmade fiber by weight. As examples, a fabric which is 55 percent cotton and 45 percent rayon should be classified as cotton; a fabric which is 40 percent cotton, 30 percent rayon, and 30 percent acetate should be classified as manmade.

Blends and mixtures which are by weight 50 percent manmade fiber and 50 percent natural fiber should be classified in the manmade category. For example, a fabric which is 50 percent polyester and 50 percent cotton should be classified as polyester.

c. Socks, other than sheer

Finished socks - Include booties/footies, anklets, cuffed socks, mid-calf, crew, knee highs, and athletic. Do not include sheer hosiery, surgical or therapeutic stockings, or socks shipped in the greige state.

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REFERENCE LIST

FORM MQ315B	FINISHED SOCKS
Item code	Item description
	{Report quantity in dozen pairs; value in thousands of U.S. dollars}
	Men's and boys' finished socks, other than sheer
9010	Quantity produced (dozen pairs)
9011	Value of shipments (\$1,000's)
	Of total quantity produced, how many were:
9013	All cotton or chiefly cotton (dozen pairs)
9015	All manmade or chiefly manmade (dozen pairs)
9016	All wool or chiefly wool (dozen pairs)
9017	All other fabric (dozen pairs)
	Women's and girls' finished socks, other than sheer
9020	Quantity produced (dozen pairs)
9021	Value of shipments (\$1,000's)
	Of total quantity produced, how many were:
9023	All cotton or chiefly cotton (dozen pairs)
9025	All manmade or chiefly manmade (dozen pairs)
9026	All wool or chiefly wool (dozen pairs)
9027	All other fabric (dozen pairs)
	Infants' finished socks and booties, other than sheer
9030	Quantity produced (dozen pairs)
9031	Value of shipments (\$1,000's)
	Of total quantity produced, how many were:
9033	All cotton or chiefly cotton (dozen pairs)
9035	All manmade or chiefly manmade (dozen pairs)
9036	All wool or chiefly wool (dozen pairs)
9037	All other fabric (dozen pairs)
Notes:	

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REPORT FOR 2nd QUARTER 2008

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF THE CENSUS
FORM **MQ315B**
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FINISHED SOCKS

Quarterly
Report

If you have questions regarding this report form please contact:

Ryan Mitchell
1(800)201-4647

EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION (EI) NUMBER. Identification number used on Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return (U.S. Treasury Department Form 941) **(Enter if not shown, correct if wrong.)**

CONTACT PERSON (Enter information if not shown, correct if wrong.)

Name ATTN: Controller

Area code Number

Fax number

The 8-digit number that appears above indicates that the Office of Management and Budget has approved this survey. If that number is not displayed, do not complete this form. YOUR RESPONSE IS REQUIRED BY LAW (Title 13, United States Code). By section 9 of the same law, YOUR REPORT IS CONFIDENTIAL. It may be seen only by persons sworn to uphold the confidentiality of Census Bureau information and may be used only for statistical purposes. The law also provides that copies retained in your files are immune from legal process.

In correspondence pertaining to this establishment's report, please refer to the 11 digit Identification Number (ID) 89101027860



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ATTN: Controller
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WASHINGTON DC 00000

(Please correct any error in name and address including ZIP Code)

Enter or correct email address: []
Please complete the survey if your establishment manufactured finished socks (other than sheer) in the United States. REPORT ONLY the socks YOUR ESTABLISHMENT FINISHED for itself OR for others. Do NOT report sock production in the greige state. Do NOT report socks that someone else finished for your establishment. Also EXCLUDE sheer hosiery and socks knit or finished outside the United States.

PART I FOR EACH ITEM LISTED BELOW, ENTER FIGURES OR "0" for current period. (The figures shown in the shaded areas were reported for the previous two periods.) PLEASE REFER TO THE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE COMPLETING THIS REPORT FORM.

Item (Product code - Description)	Item code	Report period	FINISHED SOCKS, OTHER THAN SHEER {Exclude Imports, Resales, and Sock Production in the Greige State}						
			TOTAL	1	2	3	4	5	6
MEN'S AND BOYS' FINISHED SOCKS, OTHER THAN SHEER Quantity produced {dozen pairs}	9010	2 QTR							
		1 QTR							
		4 QTR							
Value of shipments { \$1,000's }	9011	2 QTR							
		1 QTR							
		4 QTR							
of total qty, how many were: all cotton or chiefly cotton {dozen pairs}	9013	2 QTR							
		1 QTR							
		4 QTR							
all manmade or chiefly manmade {dozen pairs}	9015	2 QTR							
		1 QTR							
		4 QTR							

* Figures not received when form was prepared. PLEASE ENTER, if not previously submitted.

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PART I - Continued

Item (Product code - Description)	Item code	Report period	FINISHED SOCKS, OTHER THAN SHEER {Exclude Imports, Resales, and Sock Production in the Greige State}					
			TOTAL					
			1	2	3	4	5	6
all wool or chiefly wool {dozen pairs}	9016	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
all other fabric {dozen pairs}	9017	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' FINISHED SOCKS, OTHER THAN SHEER Quantity produced {dozen pairs}	9020	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
Value of shipments {\$1,000's}	9021	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
of total qty, how many were: all cotton or chiefly cotton {dozen pairs}	9023	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
all manmade or chiefly manmade {dozen pairs}	9025	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
all wool or chiefly wool {dozen pairs}	9026	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
all other fabric {dozen pairs}	9027	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
INFANTS' FINISHED SOCKS AND BOOTIES, OTHER THAN SHEER Quantity produced {dozen pairs}	9030	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
Value of shipments {\$1,000's}	9031	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						

PART I - Continued								
Item (Product code - Description)	Item code	Report period	FINISHED SOCKS, OTHER THAN SHEER {Exclude Imports, Resales, and Sock Production in the Greige State}					
			TOTAL					
of total qty, how many were:			1	2	3	4	5	6
all cotton or chiefly cotton {dozen pairs}	9033	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
all manmade or chiefly manmade {dozen pairs}	9035	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
all wool or chiefly wool {dozen pairs}	9036	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						
all other fabric {dozen pairs}	9037	2 QTR						
		1 QTR						
		4 QTR						

If all your items are not listed, please use additional lines or a blank sheet of paper.

PART II Has there been any change in the ownership or operation of this establishment during this period?
 Yes - Indicate type of change below. No - Skip to Part III.

	Name of company	Address (Number and street, city, State, ZIP Code)	Date of change
A. <input type="checkbox"/> Purchased from			
B. <input type="checkbox"/> Sold to			
C. <input type="checkbox"/> Plant discontinued all operations		Date	
D. <input type="checkbox"/> Plant operations no longer covered by this survey - Describe in "Remarks" the products currently produced.			
E. <input type="checkbox"/> Reorganized - Describe in "Remarks;" e.g., partnership change or change in corporate status.			

PART III Do the figures shown on this report and on your last report cover the identical establishments?
 Yes No - Indicate reasons for difference in "Remarks."

PART IV Remarks

PART V CERTIFICATION - This report is substantially accurate and has been prepared in accordance with instructions.

Signature of authorized official	Title	Date
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Complete and return this form in the envelope provided or to:	Bureau of the Census 1201 East Tenth Street Jeffersonville, IN 47132	NOTE: Please make a photocopy of this for your records.
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