

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Additional Information

<u>1. Production</u>	<u>1970</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1981</u>	<u>1982</u>
Textiles industry (index 1970 = 100)	100	109,9	107,9	105,0
Clothing industry (index 1970 = 100)	100	102,4	99,9	95,6
 <u>2. Employment</u>				
Textiles industry (index 1970 = 100)	67'500 100	44'000 65,2	42'700 63,3	41'200 61,0
Clothing industry (index 1970 = 100)	83'300 100	48'900 58,7	47'200 56,7	45'000 54,0
 <u>3. Productivity</u>				
A. <u>Definition</u> :				
Productivity = $\frac{\text{Value added}}{\text{Employees}}$				
Textiles industry (index 1970 = 100)	100	154,7	158,1	159,6
Annual ratio of increase		+ 4,5	+ 2,2	+ 0,9
Clothing industry (index 1970 = 100)	100	160,5	163,2	164
Annual ratio of increase		+ 4,8	+ 1,6	+ 0,5

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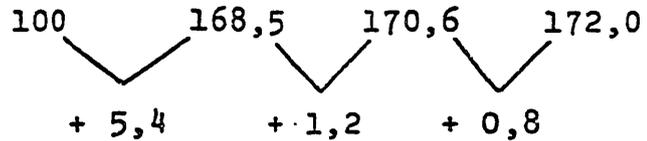
**B. Definition :**

$$\text{Productivity} = \frac{\text{Production}}{\text{Employees}}$$

Textiles industry

(index 1970 = 100)

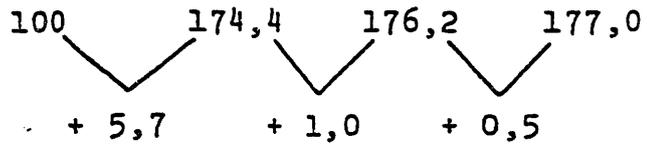
Annual ratio of increase



Clothing industry

(index 1970 = 100)

Annual ratio of increase



**4. Value added**

Textiles industry

(index 1970 = 100)

Clothing industry

(index 1970 = 100)

	<u>1970</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1981</u>	<u>1982</u>
Textiles industry	100	101,1	100,1	97,4
Clothing industry	100	94,3	92,7	88,8