

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Additional Information

A. Capacity Utilization

Mmf manufacturers -	1983 (October)	8.32%
	1982 (average)	81.4%
Cotton-type spinning industry -	1983 (October, estimate)	87.4%
	1982 (average)	89.6%
Woollen-type spinning industry -	1983 (October)	78.4%
	1982 (average)	83.7%
Cotton fabric weaving -	1983 (January to June)	74%
	1982 (average)	74.5%
Silk and rayon fabric -	1983 (January to June)	77.6%
	1982 (average)	73.4%
Woollen fabric -	1983 (January to June)	74.4%
	1982 (average)	73.7%
Linen fabric -	1983 (January to June)	80.8%
	1982 (average)	75.7%
Towels industry -	1983 (January to June)	70.8%
	1982 (average)	75.2%

B. Data on production (1982 calendar year)

Mmf: short staple	1,030,000 tons		
long staple	729,000 tons		
Yarns of all fibres	1,220,000 tons		
Silk yarn	13,000 tons		
Cotton fabrics	2,029 million m ²		
Woollen fabrics	295 "		
Silk	136 "		
Linen	25 "		
Viscose (mmf)	93 "		
Acetate	63 "		
Knitted fabrics	175 "		
Carpets and floor coverings	88 "		
Outergarments	677 million pieces		
Undergarments			
(excl. pyjamas and nightgowns)	506 "	"	"
Pyjamas and nightgowns	28 "	"	"
Stockings	1,471 "	"	"
Gloves	62 "	"	"