

CURRENT INDUSTRIAL REPORTS SERIES

2008

M313P — COTTON, MANMADE FIBER STAPLE, AND RAW LINTERS (CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS, AND SPINDLE ACTIVITY)

DEFINITIONS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

REPORTING CALENDAR FOR 2008		
Month	Number of weeks in period	Period covered
January	5	December 30, 2007 — February 2, 2008
February	4	February 3— March 1
March	5	March 2— April 5
April	4	April 6 — May 3
May	4	May 4 — May 31
June	5	June 1 — July 5
July	4	July 6 — August 2
August	4	August 3— August 30
September	5	August 31 — October 4
October	4	October 5 — November 1
November	4	November 2— November 29
December	5	November 30 — January 3, 2009

1. Scope of survey

This survey covers all manufacturing plants consuming cotton, manmade fiber staple, and raw linters except consumption of uncut top and other longer fibers on the "American" and other new systems for spinning uncut top.

2. Figures to be reported

Companies with more than one establishment consuming the products covered by this survey are requested to complete a separate report form for each location. If you have not received a separate form for each of your establishments, please call the contact shown on the report form or write to the U.S. Census Bureau for additional forms.

a. Consumption of materials

Your figures should *include* —

Material passed through the opener or otherwise removed from inventory and put into process for carding, spinning, bleaching, etc., including all linter cuts, hull fiber, delint, and oil mill motes.

but exclude —

Consumption of cotton and textile waste and all other waste materials, such as gin motes.

b. Stocks of materials

Report the inventory of materials located in your mill, mill warehouse, or in any private storage place which you own or lease as of the close of business on the last day of the report period.

Your figures should *include* —

Raw linters, hull fiber, delint, and oil mill motes in bale form

Stocks in these locations regardless of ownership of the material

Stockpile cotton released by the General Services Administration

but exclude —

In-process material such as roving, batts, felts, bleached raw stock, etc.

Material stored in public warehouses or at other manufacturing plants. (These materials will be reported by the warehouse or at the other manufacturing plants.)

Battings and pads made from linters by others. Also, do not include linters pulp and gin motes.

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c. Spindle and rotor hours

Enter the total spindle and/or rotor hours operated during the period of each fiber classification.

d. Units of measure

Report in the unit of measure specified for each item. Where thousands of pounds are requested for domestic and foreign cotton consumption and stocks, report on net trading weight basis. Convert foreign cotton to 500 lb. equivalent gross weight bales by dividing the total weight including baling materials by 500, or the net weight of the cotton excluding baling materials by 480.

Report raw linters consumption and stocks in running bales and thousands of pounds.

3. Definitions

Spindles and rotors — The term "cotton-system spinning spindles" does not include spindles operated on the "American" and other new systems for spinning uncut top. It does, however, include rotors operating (open-end spinning). The total number of cotton-system spindles and/or rotors should be reported whether or not such machines are used on cotton. For active spindles and/or rotors, report the number active for the shift during which the largest number of spindles and/or rotors operated on the last day of the period, showing separately the number active for each fiber classification.

4. Special inquiry for July 2008

A supplemental inquiry will be included with your July report. Please use all the above definitions when completing this inquiry.

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REFERENCE LIST

Product code	Item code	Item description
FORM M313P COTTON, MANMADE FIBER STAPLE, AND RAW LINTERS (CONSUMPTION AND STOCKS, AND SPINDLE ACTIVITY)		
Section I — RAW COTTON, LINTERS, AND OTHER MATERIALS		
11192011		American Upland cotton
		Consumed
		Staples less than 1" in length
	1101	Running bales
	1102	Thousand pounds ¹
		Staples 1" and 1-1/32"
	1103	Running bales
	1104	Thousand pounds ¹
		Staples 1-1/16" and 1-3/32"
	1105	Running bales
	1106	Thousand pounds ¹
		Staples longer than 1-3/32"
	1107	Running bales
	1108	Thousand pounds ¹
		Total American Upland cotton
	Consumed	
1111	Running bales	
1113	Thousand pounds ¹	
	Stocks	
1114	Running bales	
1116	Thousand pounds ¹	
11192014		Extra long staple American-Pima, Sea Island, and domestic raw cotton other than American Upland
		Consumed
		Running bales
	1119	Thousand pounds ¹
	1120	Stocks
		Running bales
1123	Thousand pounds ¹	
1125		
11192024		Foreign cotton cleared by the Customs Bureau for consumption
		Upland
		Consumed
	2001	500 lb. equivalent gross weight bales ²
	2002	Thousand pounds ¹
		Stocks
2004	500 lb. equivalent gross weight bales ²	
2005	Thousand pounds ¹	

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¹Report on net trading weight basis.

²Convert foreign cotton to 500 lb. equivalent gross weight bales by dividing the total weight, including baling materials, by 500; or the net weight of the cotton excluding baling materials, by 480.

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Product code	Item code	Item description
11192034		Foreign cotton cleared by the Customs Bureau for consumption - continued
		Other than Upland
	2101	Consumed 500 lb. equivalent gross weight bales ²
	2102	Thousand pounds ¹
		Stocks
	2104	500 lb. equivalent gross weight bales ²
	2105	Thousand pounds ¹
11192023		Foreign cotton awaiting opening of quota or held in a customs bonded warehouse for export
	3003	Upland Stocks — Thousand pounds ¹
11192038	3013	Other than Upland Stocks — Thousand pounds ¹
3112237100pt		Raw linters (exclude battings, pads, and linters pulp, but include all linters cuts, hull fiber, delint, and oil mill notes.)
		Other than bleachers
	5531	Consumed
		Running bales
	5532	Stocks
		Running bales
		Bleachers
	5541	Consumed
Running bales		
5542	Thousand pounds ¹	
	Stocks	
5551	Running bales	
5552	Thousand pounds ¹	
3252210141pt		Rayon and acetate staple
	6611	Consumed Thousand pounds ¹
	6612	Stocks Thousand pounds ¹
3252221125pt		Nylon staple
	6621	Consumed Thousand pounds ¹
	6622	Stocks Thousand pounds ¹

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Product code	Item code	Item description
3252220000	6631	Acrylic staple Consumed Thousand pounds ¹
	6632	Stocks Thousand pounds ¹
3252227531pt	6641	Polyester staple Consumed Thousand pounds ¹
	6642	Stocks Thousand pounds ¹
325222A131pt	6651	Manmade fiber staple other than rayon, acetate, nylon, acrylic, or polyester Consumed Thousand pounds ¹
	6652	Stocks Thousand pounds ¹

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pt = part

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Section II — COTTON SYSTEM SPINNING SPINDLES IN PLACE AND ACTIVE ON THE LAST WORKDAY AND SPINDLE HOURS OPERATING DURING THE PERIOD	
Item code	Item description
Report Number of Spindles	
8713	Cotton-system spindles In place, total
8714	Ring spindles
8716	Air jet positions
8718	Open-end positions, including rotor and friction
8719	Idle
Active spindles consuming:	
8722	100% cotton
8724	Ring spindles
8726	Air jet positions
8728	Open-end positions, including rotor and friction
8732	100% manmade fiber staple
8734	Ring spindles
8736	Air jet positions
8738	Open-end positions, including rotor and friction
8742	Mixtures, blends, and fibers other than 100% cotton or 100% manmade
8744	Ring spindles
8746	Air jet positions
8748	Open-end positions, including rotor and friction
Report Hours Operated in Thousands	
Total hours operated during period consuming	
100% cotton:	
9724	Ring spindles
9726	Air jet positions
9728	Open-end positions, including rotor and friction
100% manmade fiber staple:	
9734	Ring spindles
9736	Air jet positions
9738	Open-end positions, including rotor and friction
Mixtures, blends, and fibers other than 100% cotton or 100% manmade:	
9744	Ring spindles
9746	Air jet positions
9748	Open-end positions, including rotor and friction
IMPORTANT: DO NOT COMPLETE THIS SECTION UNTIL JULY 31, 2008	
Section III — SPECIAL END OF YEAR INQUIRY: COTTON AND RAW LINTERS DESTROYED DURING THE SEASON, AUGUST 1, 2007 THROUGH JULY 31, 2008	
<i>Report in running bales (if none enter "None" or "0")</i>	
For raw cotton and raw linters destroyed, include all such materials destroyed at this establishment. Do not include the bales of salvageable cotton sent to pickeries for reprocessing. Do not report as destroyed if such material was previously reported as consumed.	
0987	Cotton
0988	Linters
0990	VERIFICATION TOTAL (Sum of codes 0987 and 0988)