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MA314Q — SHIPMENTS OF CARPET AND RUGS, INCLUDING INTERPLANT TRANSFERS

DEFINITIONS AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Scope of survey

This survey covers all companies manufacturing carpet and rugs in the United States.

2. Figures to be reported

a. Quantity and value of shipments

The figures on quantity and value of shipments should include the physical shipments of all carpet and rugs sold, transferred to other establishments within your company, or shipped on consignment, whether for domestic or export sale. 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. Products bought and resold without further manufacture should not be included in shipments.

b. Shipments of carpet and rugs

Quantity — Report the quantities of your own goods shipped from the reporting establishment. Your figures should include —

Any carpet manufactured to be cut into carpet tile;

Products transferred to other divisions of your company such as warehouses or sales offices, as well as products shipped to outside customers;

Shipments of products made for you on commission by others from your materials;

For automobile and aircraft carpeting, report value, f.o.b. plant, which should include fabrication costs, if applicable.

but exclude —

Products transferred to you from other divisions of your company;

Products made by you on commission for others from their materials;

Products fabricated from carpeting or roll goods produced in another plant.

3. Definitions

The product detail for this survey is defined according to standard nomenclature for this industry.

4. Comparability

If you also report in the Annual Survey of Manufactures (Form MA-10000), the sum of values for item codes shown in column (a) should correspond to the dollar values reported under product class codes indicated in column (b) below:

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Item codes (a)	Product class codes (b)
1219	3141101
1311	3141103
1420	3141105

5. Units of measure

Quantity of shipments — Report in thousands of square yards.

Value of shipments — Report in thousands of dollars.

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Product code	Item code	Item description
3141101100	1219	Woven carpet and rugs, TOTAL By type of woven face yarn:
3141101102	1221	Cotton
3141101104	1223	Manmade
3141101106	1225	Wool
3141101108	1227	Other
3141103110	1311	Tufted carpet and rugs, TOTAL By type (tufted):
3141103110pt	1321	Washable scatter rugs, bathmats, and sets (rugs 6' x 9' and smaller)
3141103110pt	1323	Hard-backed non-washable accent/area rugs (6' x 9' and smaller)
3141103110pt	1325	Room size rugs over 6 'x 9'
3141103110pt	1327	Roll goods 6' and larger (except automobile and aircraft), including modular carpet
3141103110pt	1331	Tufted artificial grass for nonathletic surfaces
3141103110pt	1340	Automobile and aircraft
3141103110pt	1342	Modular Tile
3141103110pt	1351	By fiber of tufted face yarn: Nylon
3141103110pt	1353	Polyester
3141103110pt	1357	Polypropylene
3141103110pt	1359	All other
3141103110pt	1361	By end use (tufted): Residential
3141103110pt	1363	Commercial
3141105110	1420	Other carpet and rugs not elsewhere classified; such as knitted, needle punched, felt, braided, and hooked.

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pt = part