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Note: Data are now published on the new North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) basis and therefore are not always comparable to the old Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) code. For further information on NAICS, see www.census.gov/epcd/www/naics.html.

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Table 1. Quantity and Value of Shipments of Gloves and Mittens: 1998 and 1997
 [Quantity in 1,000 dozen pairs. Value in thousands of dollars]

Product description	1998		1997	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Gloves and mittens	170,147	893,776	209,357	949,447
All fabric gloves and mittens	41,267	387,315	39,653	383,084
All leather and leather and fabric combination gloves and mittens.	1,306	115,754	r/ 1,462	123,377
All plastic gloves.	39,678	53,117	41,312	58,595
All rubber gloves.	87,896	337,590	r/ 126,930	r/ 384,391
Of total:				
Dress/casual gloves and mittens	201	16,711	252	18,428
Work/chore gloves and mittens.	169,946	877,065	209,105	931,019

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Table 2. Quantity and Value of Shipments of Gloves and Mittens: 1998 and 1997
 [Quantity in 1,000 dozen pairs. Value in thousands of dollars]

Product description	1998		1997	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
All fabric gloves and mittens.	41,267	387,315	39,653	383,084
Woven fabrics gloves and mittens.	3,340	59,032	3,580	61,544
Impregnated with rubber or plastics.	423	7,053	370	5,909
Greater than 50 percent plastics or rubber.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cotton.	229	3,499	(D)	(D)
Manmade.	(D)	(D)	-	-
Other.	-	-	-	-
Nonimpregnated.	2,917	51,979	3,210	55,635
Cotton.	a/ 2,753	a/ 43,244	2,907	44,750
Manmade.	105	b/ 3,492	243	5,502
Wool.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Knit fabrics gloves and mittens.	37,927	328,283	36,073	321,540
Impregnated with rubber or plastics.	7,432	125,677	7,015	118,303
Greater than 50 percent plastics or rubber.	3,064	a/ 67,079	3,196	67,762
Cotton.	b/ 3,426	39,212	2,899	32,203
Manmade.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nonimpregnated.	30,495	202,606	r/ 29,058	r/ 203,237
Cotton.	28,698	184,830	r/ 27,844	r/ 186,560
Terry/looped pile.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Jersey, brushed, napped.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lisle (no nap or brush).	1,663	6,273	1,790	6,567
Other.	22,726	98,351	r/ 22,224	r/ 106,428
Manmade.	1,618	10,484	r/ 1,010	r/ 9,284
Wool.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Leather and fabrics combination gloves.	a/ 324	b/ 25,875	372	29,468
All leather gloves and mittens.	982	89,879	r/ 1,090	93,909
All grain leather.	667	66,217	711	64,561
All split leather.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
All other leather.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
All plastics gloves.	39,678	53,117	41,312	58,595
Medical and surgical.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
All other.	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
All rubber gloves.	87,896	337,590	r/ 126,930	r/ 384,391
Medical and surgical.	b/ 63,885	b/ 199,684	a r/ 106,347	a r/ 264,219
All other.	a/ 24,011	137,906	r/ 20,583	120,172

- Represents zero. D Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual companies. r/Revised by 5 percent or more from previously published data.

Note: The percent of estimation for each item is indicated as follows: a/10 to 19 percent of this item is estimated. b/20 to 49 percent of this item is estimated.

Table 3. Shipments, Exports, Imports, and Apparent Consumption of Gloves and Mittens: 1998 and 1997
 [Quantity is 1,000 dozen pairs. Value and import duty in thousands of dollars]

Product code	Product description	Manufacturers' shipments		Exports of domestic merchandise 1/		Percent exports to manufacturers' shipments		Imports for consumption 2/		Apparent consumption 4/		Percent imports to apparent consumption	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value 3/	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
1998													
3159921	Knitted, not coated or impregnated gloves and mittens	30,495	202,606	1,037	14,620	3.4	7.2	42,150	233,432	71,608	421,418	58.9	55.4
3159921	Knitted, plastics or rubber, coated or impregnated gloves and mittens.	7,432	125,677	2,209	28,542	29.7	22.7	9,532	85,268	14,755	182,403	64.6	46.7
3159921	Woven, nonimpregnated gloves and mittens	2,917	51,979	1,131	17,449	38.8	33.6	10,150	63,636	11,936	98,166	85.0	64.8
3159921	Woven impregnated gloves and mittens.	423	7,053	121	1,823	28.6	25.8	1,441	9,015	1,743	14,245	82.7	63.3
3159923	All leather and leather and fabrics combination gloves and mittens.	1,306	115,754	231	7,246	17.7	6.3	16,493	330,081	17,568	438,589	93.9	75.3
3262995	Rubber, surgical and medical gloves	63,885	199,684	14,424	32,085	22.6	16.1	1,053,546	874,921	1,103,007	1,042,520	95.5	83.9
3262995	Rubber, other gloves.	24,011	137,906	4,343	29,131	18.1	21.1	151,612	188,729	171,280	297,504	88.5	63.4
3261996	Plastics gloves, including surgical, medical, and other.	39,678	53,117	9,359	62,044	23.6	116.8	489,796	191,267	520,115	182,340	94.2	104.9
1997													
3159921	Knitted, not coated or impregnated gloves and mittens	r/ 29,058	r/ 203,237	886	13,873	3.0	6.8	38,660	235,911	66,832	425,275	57.8	55.5
3159921	Knitted, plastics or rubber, coated or impregnated gloves and mittens	7,015	118,303	1,465	24,390	20.9	20.6	7,566	72,334	13,116	166,247	57.7	43.5
3159921	Woven, nonimpregnated gloves and mittens.	3,210	55,635	1,208	15,404	37.6	27.7	10,554	68,266	12,556	108,497	84.1	62.9
3159921	Woven impregnated gloves and mittens.	370	5,909	110	1,420	29.7	24.0	1,419	9,300	1,679	13,789	84.5	67.4
3159923	All leather and leather and fabrics combination gloves and mittens.	r/ 1,462	123,377	216	6,562	14.8	5.3	16,324	359,165	17,570	475,980	92.9	75.5
3262995	Rubber, surgical and medical gloves.	r/ 106,347	r/ 264,219	13,724	38,308	12.9	14.5	862,610	762,557	955,233	988,468	90.3	77.1
3262995	Rubber, other gloves.	r/ 20,583	120,172	3,274	27,897	15.9	23.2	97,299	168,648	114,608	260,923	84.9	64.6
3261996	Plastics gloves, including surgical, medical, and other.	41,312	58,595	8,369	56,386	20.3	96.2	387,144	156,652	420,087	158,861	92.2	98.6

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1/Source: Census Bureau report EM 545, U.S. Exports

2/Source: Census Bureau report IM 145, U.S. Imports for Consumption.

3/This dollar value represents the c.i.f. (cost, insurance, freight) value at first port of entry in the United States plus U.S. import duties.

4/Apparent consumption represents new domestic supply and is derived by subtracting exports from the total of manufacturers' shipments plus imports.

Table 4. Comparison of North American Industry Classification System-Based Product Codes with Schedule B Export Numbers, and HSTUSA Import Numbers: 1998

Product code 1/	Product description	Export number 2/	Import number 2/
3159921	Knitted not coated or impregnated gloves or mittens	6116.91.0000, 6116.92.0000, 6116.93.0000, 6116.99.0000	6116.91.0000, 6116.92.6410, 6116.92.6420, 6116.92.6430, 6116.92.6440, 6116.92.7450, 6116.92.7460, 6116.92.7470, 6116.92.8800, 6116.92.9400, 6116.93.6400, 6116.93.7400, 6116.93.8800, 6116.93.9400, 6116.99.4800, 6116.99.5400, 6116.99.7500, 6116.99.9510, 6116.99.9520, 6116.99.9530, 6116.99.9560
3159921	Knitted, plastics, or rubber, coated or impregnated gloves and mittens	6116.10.0000	6116.10.1300, 6116.10.1720, 6116.10.1730, 6116.10.1740, 6116.10.4400, 6116.10.4810, 6116.10.4820, 6116.10.4830, 6116.10.5510, 6116.10.5520, 6116.10.5530, 6116.10.6500, 6116.10.7510, 6116.10.7520, 6116.10.7530, 6116.10.9500
3159921	Woven, nonimpregnated gloves and mittens	6216.00.3500, 6216.00.4000, 6216.00.5000, 6216.00.6000	6216.00.3800, 6216.00.4100, 6216.00.5410, 6216.00.5420, 6216.00.5810, 6216.00.5820, 6216.00.8000, 6216.00.9000
3159921	Woven impregnated gloves and mittens	6216.00.0800	6216.00.1300, 6216.00.1720, 6216.00.1730, 6216.00.1740, 6216.00.1900, 6216.00.2110, 6216.00.2120, 6216.00.2130, 6216.00.2410, 6216.00.2425, 6216.00.2430, 6216.00.2600, 6216.00.2910, 6216.00.2925, 6216.00.2930, 6216.00.3100
3159923 3159925	All leather and leather and fabrics combination gloves and mittens	4203.29.0000	4203.29.0500, 4203.29.0800, 4203.29.1500, 4203.29.1800, 4203.29.2000, 4203.29.3010, 4203.29.3020, 4203.29.4000, 4203.29.5000
3262995 3262995	Rubber, medical, and surgical gloves Rubber, other gloves	4015.11.0000 4015.19.0000	4015.11.0000 4015.19.1010, 4015.19.1050, 4015.19.5000
3261996	Plastics gloves, medical, surgical, and other	3926.20.1010, 3926.20.1060, 3926.20.4000	3926.20.1010 3926.20.1020, 3926.20.1050, 3926.20.4010, 3629.20.4050

1/Source: 1998 edition, Harmonized System-Based Schedule B, Statistical Classification of Domestic and Foreign Commodities Exported from the United States.

2/Source: Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, Annotated (1998).