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Table 1a. Summary of Production and Shipments of Sheets, Pillowcases, and Terry Towels: 1991 to 2000  
 [Quantity in thousands of dozens. Value in thousands of dollars]

Quarter and year	Sheets, flat and fitted 1/			Pillowcases			Terry towels		
	Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments	
		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value
2000									
Total.....	16,311	16,327	1,365,469	16,418	15,933	428,270	37,380	36,476	1,133,641
Fourth quarter.....	4,028	4,073	323,607	3,982	3,650	99,133	8,538	8,640	251,330
Third quarter.....	3,844	4,120	340,168	3,891	3,811	111,912	9,565	9,973	301,228
Second quarter.....	4,175	4,009	343,275	4,292	4,161	108,258	9,532	8,981	285,869
First quarter.....	4,264	4,125	358,419	4,253	4,311	108,967	9,745	8,882	295,214
1999									
Total.....	16,449	16,650	1,426,748	16,054	16,074	433,169	40,391	38,073	1,211,897
Fourth quarter.....	3,936	3,859	340,070	3,841	3,831	102,238	10,943	9,729	303,588
Third quarter.....	4,113	4,428	376,075	4,016	3,876	108,209	9,424	9,678	306,079
Second quarter.....	4,191	4,126	352,743	3,924	3,987	105,615	9,848	9,357	286,236
First quarter.....	4,209	4,237	357,860	4,273	4,380	117,107	10,176	9,309	315,994
1998.....	16,035	16,381	1,376,080	15,593	16,110	429,892	45,866	43,084	1,313,403
1997.....	16,246	16,181	1,419,037	13,181	15,152	433,292	46,173	44,980	1,308,816
1996.....	19,257	16,108	1,344,525	14,192	14,234	398,722	45,323	46,991	1,224,654
1995.....	18,302	15,282	1,242,271	13,901	14,232	388,185	49,084	47,939	1,147,510
1994.....	17,906	16,190	1,230,863	13,701	14,622	372,227	48,974	48,348	1,130,082
1993.....	16,826	16,331	1,197,095	12,304	14,464	370,620	48,529	47,161	1,071,837
1992.....	14,908	15,300	1,129,122	12,528	12,945	322,304	48,789	46,885	1,053,042
1991.....	13,851	14,505	1,076,310	11,301	12,082	302,073	43,158	43,596	991,756

1/Excludes crib sheets.

Note: For 1993, a number of companies were added based on information in the 1992 Census of Manufacturers. Data were received from these companies for 1993; therefore, the information shown for years prior to 1993 may not be directly comparable. These changes represent approximately 2.0 percent of the total value of shipments for sheets, pillowcases, and towels.

**Table 1b. Inventories and Unfilled Orders of Sheets, Pillowcases, and Finished Terry Towels: 2000 and 1999**  
 [Inventories in thousands of dozens. Unfilled orders in thousands of dollars]

Quarter and year	Inventories			Unfilled orders		
	Sheets, flat and fitted 1/	Pillowcases	Terry towels	Sheets, flat and fitted 1/	Pillowcases	Terry towels
2000						
Fourth quarter.....	3,003	2,258	6,727	115,626	39,383	(D)
Third quarter.....	2,763	2,236	7,442	107,686	36,992	(D)
Second quarter.....	3,238	2,777	9,048	165,583	58,113	(D)
First quarter.....	3,024	2,750	9,516	134,863	46,934	(D)
1999						
Fourth quarter.....	3,105	2,754	9,659	159,561	48,999	(D)
Third quarter.....	2,809	2,679	9,778	165,476	48,481	(D)
Second quarter.....	2,816	2,423	10,171	115,379	34,081	(D)
First quarter.....	2,903	2,472	8,854	124,658	38,276	(D)

D Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual companies.

1/Excludes crib sheets.

Table 2a. Production and Shipments of Sheets, Pillowcases, Towels, Bedspreads, and Blankets: 2000  
[Quantity in thousands of dozens. Value in thousands of dollars]

Product description	Total			Fourth quarter			Third quarter			Second quarter			First quarter		
	Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments	
		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value
Sheets and pillowcases.....	33,534	33,063	1,829,601	8,217	7,928	431,660	7,922	8,112	460,817	8,664	8,363	460,067	8,731	8,660	477,057
Crib size sheets and pillowcases.....	805	803	35,862	207	205	8,920	187	181	8,737	197	193	8,534	214	224	9,671
Sheets, excluding crib.....	16,311	16,327	1,365,469	4,028	4,073	323,607	3,844	4,120	340,168	4,175	4,009	343,275	4,264	4,125	358,419
By type:															
Flat sheets.....	8,643	8,714	720,046	2,073	2,144	165,517	2,062	2,187	178,897	2,242	2,153	184,117	2,266	2,230	191,515
Fitted sheets.....	6,386	6,382	523,964	1,567	1,558	119,669	1,496	1,665	134,239	1,623	1,557	131,564	1,700	1,602	138,492
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.).....	1,282	1,231	121,459	388	371	38,421	286	268	27,032	310	299	27,594	298	293	28,412
By thread count:															
195 and over.....	4,611	5,616	577,891	1,069	1,300	128,042	1,029	1,459	140,375	1,225	1,240	146,502	1,288	1,617	162,972
180 to 194.....	6,682	6,070	446,118	1,554	1,530	102,514	1,556	1,462	114,535	1,742	1,682	119,299	1,830	1,396	109,770
135 to 179.....	331	451	30,274	114	100	6,557	124	109	7,455	43	101	6,485	50	141	9,777
125 to 134.....	951	1,060	78,220	324	283	19,969	308	294	21,789	159	244	17,320	160	239	19,142
Under 125.....	2,454	1,899	111,507	579	489	28,104	541	528	28,982	696	443	26,075	638	439	28,346
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.).....	1,282	1,231	121,459	388	371	38,421	286	268	27,032	310	299	27,594	298	293	28,412
By fabric:															
Chiefly polyester blends with cotton.....	9,350	8,620	620,494	2,296	2,098	153,013	2,217	2,188	156,507	2,398	2,192	154,004	2,439	2,142	156,970
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	6,922	7,670	741,019	1,721	1,966	169,715	1,615	1,920	182,356	1,770	1,810	188,493	1,816	1,974	200,455
All other fabric.....	39	37	3,956	11	9	879	12	12	1,305	7	7	778	9	9	994
By size:															
King.....	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)
Queen.....	(X)	4,181	417,001	(X)	1,033	96,772	(X)	1,052	104,321	(X)	1,044	107,327	(X)	1,052	108,581
Full.....	(X)	3,849	295,587	(X)	934	66,689	(X)	989	75,275	(X)	934	73,014	(X)	992	80,609
Twin.....	(X)	4,649	259,138	(X)	1,086	55,790	(X)	1,230	67,443	(X)	1,139	65,660	(X)	1,194	70,245
Single and smaller.....	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.).....	(X)	1,231	121,459	(X)	371	38,421	(X)	268	27,032	(X)	299	27,594	(X)	293	28,412
Flannel sheets.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pillowcases, excluding crib.....	16,418	15,933	428,270	3,982	3,650	99,133	3,891	3,811	111,912	4,292	4,161	108,258	4,253	4,311	108,967
By thread count:															
195 and over.....	4,886	4,979	219,122	1,129	1,094	48,358	1,160	1,066	56,081	1,283	1,377	55,900	1,314	1,442	58,783
180 to 194.....	7,323	7,207	133,472	1,750	1,626	31,936	1,657	1,858	36,210	1,969	1,850	33,073	1,947	1,873	32,253
135 to 179.....	354	479	7,968	119	118	2,014	147	120	2,433	40	112	1,864	48	129	1,657
125 to 134.....	867	832	14,150	275	205	3,638	284	196	4,292	150	209	3,276	158	222	2,944
Under 125.....	2,485	1,937	33,479	613	513	7,907	556	485	9,109	682	446	7,976	634	493	8,487
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.).....	503	499	20,079	96	94	5,280	87	86	3,787	168	167	6,169	152	152	4,843
By fabric:															
Chiefly polyester blends with cotton.....	9,719	8,961	169,527	2,374	2,199	41,421	2,360	2,218	45,471	2,532	2,281	42,062	2,453	2,263	40,573
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	6,662	6,938	257,996	1,598	1,443	57,561	1,519	1,582	66,180	1,752	1,872	66,036	1,793	2,041	68,219
All other fabric.....	37	34	747	17	8	151	12	11	261	8	8	160	7	7	175
Flannel pillowcases.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Branded retail shipments of sheets and pillowcases.....	(X)	18,313	1,094,553	(X)	3,815	221,973	(X)	4,095	247,635	(X)	4,923	302,950	(X)	5,480	321,995
Upstairs brand.....	(X)	10,364	708,660	(X)	2,068	146,954	(X)	1,923	145,587	(X)	3,220	199,614	(X)	3,153	216,505
Open brand.....	(X)	7,949	385,893	(X)	1,747	75,019	(X)	2,172	102,048	(X)	1,703	103,336	(X)	2,327	105,490
Sheet sets.....	(X)	3,600	634,188	(X)	1,236	159,482	(X)	793	159,123	(X)	795	161,166	(X)	776	154,417
Waterbed sheet sets.....	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)
Finished towels.....	37,380	36,476	1,133,641	8,538	8,640	251,330	9,565	9,973	301,228	9,532	8,981	285,869	9,745	8,882	295,214
By type:															
Sheared.....	676	384	12,485	107	41	1,679	93	103	3,308	96	107	3,463	380	133	4,035
Nonsheared.....	32,386	31,798	1,025,630	7,526	7,425	223,743	8,237	8,654	271,386	8,175	7,789	259,484	8,448	7,930	271,017
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.).....	4,318	4,294	95,526	905	1,174	25,908	1,235	1,216	26,534	1,261	1,085	22,922	917	819	20,162
By end use:															
Kitchen.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	175	178	2,903	180	191	2,712	155	162	2,433
Bath.....	20,843	20,420	738,108	4,938	4,845	166,003	5,267	5,654	198,320	4,927	4,867	181,278	5,711	5,054	192,507
Hand, face, guest, fingertip.....	12,970	12,476	253,171	2,818	2,930	55,189	3,325	3,390	67,934	3,506	3,146	65,301	3,321	3,010	64,747
Bath/tub mats.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	230	440	16,944	(D)	(D)	(D)	313	386	20,567	167	399	22,728
All other.....	1,895	1,263	51,696	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	526	234	11,618	388	249	12,404
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Towels sold for further processing.....	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	-	-	(X)	-	-	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)
Washcloths.....	20,816	20,647	184,268	4,466	4,646	39,096	5,495	5,133	47,781	5,710	5,326	47,985	5,145	5,542	49,406
Branded shipments of towels and washcloths.....	(X)	25,705	687,254	(X)	4,221	113,349	(X)	4,674	127,105	(X)	8,363	220,428	(X)	8,447	226,372
Upstairs brand.....	(X)	10,985	340,237	(X)	2,054	63,788	(X)	2,115	67,366	(X)	3,542	103,444	(X)	3,274	105,639
Open brand.....	(X)	14,720	347,017	(X)	2,167	49,561	(X)	2,559	59,739	(X)	4,821	116,984	(X)	5,173	120,733
Huck and crash towels.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other terry products:															
Terry cloth sold by the yard 1/.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pot holders, aprons, dishcloths.....	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	-	-	(X)	-	-	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)
Knit and/or crocheted bedspreads.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tailored bedspreads (except knit).....	518	557	101,913	122	123	20,101	135	136	23,895	130	145	29,472	131	153	28,445
Quilted:															
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	183	223	40,476	(D)	(D)	8,315	(D)	(D)	8,779	40	56	11,109	48	70	12,273
All manmade and chiefly manmade.....	312	311	56,918	(D)	(D)	11,629	(D)	(D)	14,917	80	79	16,418	71	71	13,954
Nonquilted:															
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	9	9	1,898	11	11	2,104
All manmade and chiefly manmade.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nontailored bedspreads.....	105	97	24,233	23	21	5,698	27	24	5,745	28	27	6,787	27	25	6,003
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	63	56	14,581	14	12	3,584	15	13	3,203	18	17	4,345	16	14	3,449
All manmade and chiefly manmade.....	42	41	9,652	9	9	2,114	12	11	2,542	10	10	2,442	11	11	2,554
Comforters and quilts.....	3,028	3,025	1,077,228	707	727	291,608	756	756	272,294	787	748	253,592	778	794	259,734</

Table 2b. Production and Shipments of Sheets, Pillowcases, Towels, Bedspreads, and Blankets: 1999--Revised  
 [Quantity in thousands of dozens. Value in thousands of dollars]

Product description	Total			Fourth quarter			Third quarter			Second quarter			First quarter		
	Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments		Production (quantity)	Shipments	
		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value
Sheets and pillowcases.....	33,234	33,532	1,895,668	7,979	7,899	451,659	8,320	8,521	494,073	8,299	8,310	467,108	8,636	8,802	482,828
Crib size sheets and pillowcases.....	731	808	35,751	202	209	9,351	191	217	9,789	184	197	8,750	154	185	7,861
Sheets, excluding crib.....	16,449	16,650	1,426,748	3,936	3,859	340,070	4,113	4,428	376,075	4,191	4,126	352,743	4,209	4,237	357,860
By type:															
Flat sheets.....	8,495	8,438	737,077	2,103	2,072	179,354	2,110	2,188	192,546	2,166	2,109	186,479	2,116	2,069	178,698
Fitted sheets.....	6,848	7,095	570,213	1,583	1,515	132,476	1,716	1,962	155,341	1,767	1,773	138,018	1,782	1,845	144,378
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.)....	1,106	1,117	119,458	250	272	28,240	287	278	28,188	258	244	28,246	311	323	34,784
By thread count:															
195 and over.....	4,739	5,380	551,986	1,103	1,087	128,384	1,118	1,544	150,472	1,241	1,367	133,450	1,277	1,382	139,680
180 to 194.....	6,717	6,433	488,382	1,655	1,444	109,929	1,642	1,577	123,023	1,695	1,659	130,377	1,725	1,753	127,025
135 to 179.....	448	659	45,068	61	158	9,906	124	162	11,286	129	176	12,324	134	163	11,552
125 to 134.....	1,108	924	78,846	168	230	19,298	313	257	20,796	328	243	21,292	299	194	17,455
Under 125.....	2,331	2,137	143,008	699	668	46,313	629	610	42,282	540	437	27,049	463	422	27,364
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.)....	1,106	1,117	119,458	250	272	28,240	287	278	28,188	258	244	28,246	311	323	34,784
By fabric:															
Chiefly polyester blends with cotton.....	9,305	9,241	673,341	2,210	2,094	157,926	2,322	2,320	177,806	2,353	2,386	167,930	2,420	2,441	169,679
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	7,109	7,374	749,939	1,717	1,756	181,366	1,783	2,100	197,569	1,829	1,731	183,866	1,780	1,787	187,138
All other fabric.....	35	35	3,468	9	9	778	8	8	700	9	9	947	9	9	1,043
By size:															
King.....	(X)	2,281	283,175	(X)	465	59,116	(X)	641	82,186	(X)	593	72,770	(X)	582	69,103
Queen.....	(X)	3,965	430,310	(X)	1,011	109,467	(X)	1,025	112,023	(X)	948	103,062	(X)	981	105,758
Full.....	(X)	3,763	294,166	(X)	921	73,787	(X)	997	75,743	(X)	917	71,048	(X)	928	73,588
Twin.....	(X)	5,171	280,133	(X)	1,129	65,121	(X)	1,389	72,601	(X)	1,321	72,332	(X)	1,332	70,079
Single and smaller.....	(X)	353	19,506	(X)	61	4,339	(X)	98	5,334	(X)	103	5,285	(X)	91	4,548
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.)....	(X)	1,117	119,458	(X)	272	28,240	(X)	278	28,188	(X)	244	28,246	(X)	323	34,784
Flannel sheets.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pillowcases, excluding crib.....	16,054	16,074	433,169	3,841	3,831	102,238	4,016	3,876	108,209	3,924	3,987	105,615	4,273	4,380	117,107
By thread count:															
195 and over.....	4,811	4,909	198,918	1,141	1,114	47,440	1,143	1,142	46,761	1,276	1,345	49,097	1,251	1,308	55,620
180 to 194.....	6,920	7,007	149,376	1,694	1,595	31,565	1,757	1,702	38,340	1,674	1,782	38,277	1,795	1,928	41,194
135 to 179.....	332	557	10,548	40	143	2,762	118	136	2,429	88	147	2,524	86	131	2,833
125 to 134.....	950	720	11,953	154	203	3,682	290	176	2,551	274	187	3,094	232	154	2,626
Under 125.....	2,081	1,964	42,734	663	627	12,361	516	528	13,218	460	374	7,985	442	435	9,170
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.)....	960	917	19,640	149	149	4,428	192	192	4,910	152	152	4,638	467	424	5,664
By fabric:															
Chiefly polyester blends with cotton.....	9,130	9,375	201,643	2,094	2,119	41,660	2,340	2,271	55,889	2,169	2,344	51,182	2,527	2,641	52,912
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	6,891	6,666	230,871	1,739	1,704	60,435	1,669	1,598	52,200	1,747	1,635	54,244	1,736	1,729	63,992
All other fabric.....	33	33	655	8	8	143	7	7	120	8	8	189	10	10	203
Flannel pillowcases.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Branded retail shipments of sheets and pillowcases.....	(X)	20,500	1,232,089	(X)	4,712	285,645	(X)	5,259	320,354	(X)	5,057	302,790	(X)	5,472	323,300
Upstairs brand.....	(X)	10,369	746,331	(X)	2,317	174,492	(X)	2,568	190,633	(X)	2,594	175,515	(X)	2,890	205,691
Open brand.....	(X)	10,131	485,758	(X)	2,395	111,153	(X)	2,691	129,721	(X)	2,463	127,275	(X)	2,582	117,609
Sheet sets.....	(X)	3,289	683,512	(X)	802	167,630	(X)	867	182,950	(X)	818	163,702	(X)	802	169,230
Waterbed sheet sets.....	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)
Finished towels.....	40,391	38,073	1,211,897	10,943	9,729	303,588	9,424	9,678	306,079	9,848	9,357	286,236	10,176	9,309	315,994
By type:															
Sheared.....	3,352	2,910	102,047	390	136	4,043	252	314	11,861	2,278	2,141	66,804	432	319	19,339
Nonsheared.....	32,957	31,851	1,030,372	9,609	8,734	279,093	8,107	8,531	274,326	6,443	6,354	198,590	8,798	8,232	278,363
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.)....	4,082	3,312	79,478	944	859	20,452	1,065	833	19,892	1,127	862	20,842	946	758	18,292
By end use:															
Kitchen.....	728	809	11,502	170	170	2,516	168	184	2,724	145	259	2,841	245	196	3,421
Bath.....	23,941	22,265	828,926	6,728	5,734	209,370	5,430	5,732	210,495	5,880	5,424	197,010	5,903	5,375	212,051
Hand, face, guest, fingertip.....	13,076	12,950	272,596	3,477	3,349	70,388	3,279	3,317	71,203	3,011	3,148	62,798	3,309	3,136	68,207
Bath/tub mats.....	1,011	766	26,330	244	214	7,163	214	172	6,298	316	186	6,135	237	194	6,734
All other.....	1,635	1,283	72,543	324	262	14,151	333	273	15,359	496	340	17,452	482	408	25,581
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.)....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Towels sold for further processing.....	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)	(X)	(D)	(D)
Washcloths.....	23,898	22,898	214,516	5,647	5,868	53,365	6,340	6,247	58,768	5,987	5,318	48,018	5,924	5,465	54,365
Branded shipments of towels and washcloths.....	(X)	31,218	808,115	(X)	7,715	187,135	(X)	8,238	201,225	(X)	6,701	169,878	(X)	8,564	249,877
Upstairs brand.....	(X)	3,631	133,148	(X)	1,041	40,827	(X)	501	16,364	(X)	468	15,220	(X)	1,621	60,737
Open brand.....	(X)	27,587	674,967	(X)	6,674	146,308	(X)	7,737	184,861	(X)	6,233	154,658	(X)	6,943	189,140
Huck and crash towels.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Other terry products:															
Terry cloth sold by the yard 1/.....	(X)	1,101	4,811	259	257	1,187	247	238	1,066	253	231	1,002	356	375	1,556
Pot holders, aprons, dishcloths.....	(X)	122	707	(X)	36	244	(X)	45	334	(X)	7	30	(X)	34	99
Knit and/or crocheted bedspreads.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Tailored bedspreads (except knit).....	558	587	114,090	124	135	26,100	135	148	28,172	157	155	30,594	142	149	29,224
Quilted:															
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	250	277	48,093	56	65	11,020	60	67	11,286	75	74	13,208	59	71	12,579
All manmade and chiefly manmade.....	255	257	56,475	55	57	12,726	62	68	14,502	69	68	15,049	69	64	14,198
Nonquilted:															
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
All manmade and chiefly manmade.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Nontailored bedspreads.....	112	108	28,501	25	23	5,838	22	22	5,689	34	33	8,567	31	30	8,407
All cotton and chiefly cotton.....	72	69	18,187	12	11	2,806	12	12	3,214	24	23	6,030	24	23	6,137
All manmade and chiefly manmade.....	40	39	10,314	13	12	3,032	10	10	2,475	10					

Table 3a. Quantity and Value of Shipments of Sheets, Pillowcases, and Terry Towels by Distribution Channel: 2000  
 [Quantity in thousands of dozens. Value in thousands of dollars]

Product description	Total		Fourth quarter		Third quarter		Second quarter		First quarter	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Sheets, flat and fitted (except crib)....	16,327	1,365,469	4,073	323,607	4,120	340,168	4,009	343,275	4,125	358,419
By distribution channel:										
Branded retail.....	8,885	819,754	1,912	166,941	2,040	184,525	2,328	227,497	2,605	240,791
Private ticket retail.....	3,044	245,638	948	72,593	1,000	84,186	602	42,771	494	46,088
Exports.....	406	33,780	116	9,545	124	9,922	92	7,538	74	6,775
Institutional.....	2,761	144,838	726	36,107	688	34,503	688	37,875	659	36,353
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .....	1,231	121,459	371	38,421	268	27,032	299	27,594	293	28,412
By type of finish:										
White.....	2,112	146,485	679	40,477	523	37,477	478	36,534	432	31,997
Solid colors.....	6,009	543,636	1,356	128,224	1,644	149,338	1,491	130,847	1,518	135,227
Fancies 1/.....	6,975	553,889	1,667	116,485	1,685	126,321	1,741	148,300	1,882	162,783
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .....	1,231	121,459	371	38,421	268	27,032	299	27,594	293	28,412
Pillowcases (except crib).....	15,933	428,270	3,650	99,133	3,811	111,912	4,161	108,258	4,311	108,967
By distribution channel:										
Branded retail.....	9,428	274,799	1,903	55,032	2,055	63,110	2,595	75,453	2,875	81,204
Private ticket retail.....	2,933	80,773	885	25,542	942	30,380	567	13,174	539	11,677
Exports.....	370	9,515	95	2,547	107	3,190	93	2,153	75	1,625
Institutional.....	2,703	43,104	673	10,732	621	11,445	739	11,309	670	9,618
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .....	499	20,079	94	5,280	86	3,787	167	6,169	152	4,843
By type of finish:										
White.....	2,439	43,598	684	11,290	565	11,725	625	10,803	565	9,780
Solid colors.....	5,990	189,421	1,314	45,656	1,576	54,395	1,513	44,200	1,587	45,170
Fancies 1/.....	7,005	175,172	1,558	36,907	1,584	42,005	1,856	47,086	2,007	49,174
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .....	499	20,079	94	5,280	86	3,787	167	6,169	152	4,843
Towels.....	36,476	1,133,641	8,640	251,330	9,973	301,228	8,981	285,869	8,882	295,214
By distribution channel:										
Branded retail.....	16,839	592,177	2,930	99,755	3,292	110,042	5,250	187,870	5,367	194,510
Private ticket retail.....	8,173	280,822	2,744	85,862	3,352	116,324	934	34,893	1,143	43,743
Exports.....	590	18,845	176	4,496	127	4,276	149	5,522	138	4,551
Institutional.....	6,580	146,271	1,616	35,309	1,986	44,052	1,563	34,662	1,415	32,248
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .....	4,294	95,526	1,174	25,908	1,216	26,534	1,085	22,922	819	20,162
By type of finish:										
White.....	7,358	182,545	1,611	40,389	1,812	46,043	2,160	48,605	1,775	47,508
Solid colors.....	22,490	777,800	5,329	168,220	6,347	208,585	5,091	193,031	5,723	207,964
Fancies 1/.....	2,334	77,770	526	16,813	598	20,066	645	21,311	565	19,580
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .....	4,294	95,526	1,174	25,908	1,216	26,534	1,085	22,922	819	20,162
Washcloths.....	20,647	184,268	4,646	39,096	5,133	47,781	5,326	47,985	5,542	49,406
By distribution channel:										
Branded retail.....	8,866	95,077	1,291	13,594	1,382	17,063	3,113	32,558	3,080	31,862
Private ticket retail.....	3,492	43,596	1,291	13,748	1,484	18,823	313	4,918	404	6,107
Exports.....	140	1,265	49	469	33	347	27	219	31	230
Institutional.....	5,283	25,460	1,378	6,695	1,529	7,177	1,190	5,882	1,186	5,706
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .....	2,866	18,870	637	4,590	705	4,371	683	4,408	841	5,501

1/Prints, special hems, jacquards, etc.

Table 3b. Quantity and Value of Shipments of Sheets, Pillowcases, and Terry Towels by Distribution Channel: 1999--Revised  
 [Quantity in thousands of dozens. Value in thousands of dollars]

Product description	Total		Fourth quarter		Third quarter		Second quarter		First quarter	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Sheets, flat and fitted (except crib)	16,650	1,426,748	3,859	340,070	4,428	376,075	4,126	352,743	4,237	357,860
By distribution channel:										
Branded retail.....	10,273	924,222	2,314	216,062	2,777	243,793	2,506	228,007	2,676	236,360
Private ticket retail.....	2,047	195,521	526	51,937	522	55,838	451	41,645	548	46,101
Exports.....	448	36,050	123	10,188	131	10,163	102	8,639	92	7,060
Institutional.....	2,765	151,497	624	33,643	720	38,093	823	46,206	598	33,555
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .	1,117	119,458	272	28,240	278	28,188	244	28,246	323	34,784
By type of finish:										
White.....	2,058	136,397	468	31,670	545	34,957	556	36,604	489	33,166
Solid colors.....	5,613	467,174	1,441	127,947	1,520	120,425	1,305	107,683	1,347	111,119
Fancies 1/.....	7,862	703,719	1,678	152,213	2,085	192,505	2,021	180,210	2,078	178,791
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .	1,117	119,458	272	28,240	278	28,188	244	28,246	323	34,784
Pillowcases (except crib).....	16,074	433,169	3,831	102,238	3,876	108,209	3,987	105,615	4,380	117,107
By distribution channel:										
Branded retail.....	10,227	307,867	2,398	69,583	2,482	76,561	2,551	74,783	2,796	86,940
Private ticket retail.....	2,058	58,532	573	15,942	506	16,143	455	12,522	524	13,925
Exports.....	421	9,877	117	2,641	117	2,863	95	2,306	92	2,067
Institutional.....	2,451	37,253	594	9,644	579	7,732	734	11,366	544	8,511
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .	917	19,640	149	4,428	192	4,910	152	4,638	424	5,664
By type of finish:										
White.....	2,423	38,995	557	8,830	594	9,300	666	10,563	606	10,302
Solid colors.....	5,350	153,534	1,434	40,629	1,325	38,158	1,232	34,182	1,359	40,565
Fancies 1/.....	7,384	221,000	1,691	48,351	1,765	55,841	1,937	56,232	1,991	60,576
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .	917	19,640	149	4,428	192	4,910	152	4,638	424	5,664
Towels.....	38,073	1,211,897	9,729	303,588	9,678	306,079	9,357	286,236	9,309	315,994
By distribution channel:										
Branded retail.....	19,931	690,233	4,902	159,657	5,065	169,615	4,433	146,409	5,531	214,552
Private ticket retail.....	7,897	280,771	2,245	84,255	2,195	78,857	2,203	75,310	1,254	42,349
Exports.....	725	22,796	174	5,147	145	4,635	180	5,035	226	7,979
Institutional.....	6,208	138,619	1,549	34,077	1,440	33,080	1,679	38,640	1,540	32,822
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .	3,312	79,478	859	20,452	833	19,892	862	20,842	758	18,292
By type of finish:										
White.....	7,368	185,157	1,809	45,114	1,984	48,454	1,865	46,689	1,710	44,900
Solid colors.....	25,597	881,278	6,688	223,706	6,461	223,180	6,213	206,456	6,235	227,936
Fancies 1/.....	1,796	65,984	373	14,316	400	14,553	417	12,249	606	24,866
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .	3,312	79,478	859	20,452	833	19,892	862	20,842	758	18,292
Washcloths.....	22,898	214,516	5,868	53,365	6,247	58,768	5,318	48,018	5,465	54,365
By distribution channel:										
Branded retail.....	11,287	117,882	2,813	27,478	3,173	31,610	2,268	23,469	3,033	35,325
Private ticket retail.....	3,290	49,338	960	14,185	990	15,351	867	12,046	473	7,756
Exports.....	127	1,235	32	308	32	338	26	249	37	340
Institutional.....	5,165	25,072	1,218	5,874	1,295	6,181	1,395	6,948	1,257	6,069
Not specified by kind (n.s.k.) .	3,029	20,989	845	5,520	757	5,288	762	5,306	665	4,875

1/Prints, special hems, jacquards, etc.

Note: The revisions are partially due to the receipt of reported data from companies which only report on an annual basis.

Table 4a. Shipments, Exports, Imports, and Apparent Consumption of Sheets, Pillowcases, and Towels: 2000  
 [Quantity in thousands of dozens. Value 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
TOTAL													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	33,063	1,829,601	913	75,654	2.8	4.1	12,302	649,559	44,452	2,403,506	27.7	27.0
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	57,123	1,317,909	2,127	90,363	3.7	6.9	98,975	762,379	153,971	1,989,925	64.0	38.3
FOURTH QUARTER													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	7,928	431,660	234	19,769	3.0	4.6	2,715	155,249	10,409	567,140	26.1	27.4
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	13,286	290,426	634	27,562	4.8	9.5	23,392	183,733	36,044	446,597	64.9	41.1
THIRD QUARTER													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	8,112	460,817	240	20,428	3.0	4.4	3,853	203,360	11,725	643,749	32.9	31.6
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	15,106	349,009	536	21,981	3.5	6.3	25,169	188,871	39,739	515,899	63.3	36.6
SECOND QUARTER													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	8,363	460,067	235	17,860	2.8	3.9	3,243	161,848	11,371	604,055	28.5	26.8
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	14,307	333,854	465	19,092	3.3	5.7	25,480	181,263	39,322	496,025	64.8	36.5
FIRST QUARTER													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	8,660	477,057	204	17,597	2.4	3.7	2,491	129,102	10,947	588,562	22.8	21.9
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	14,424	344,620	492	21,728	3.4	6.3	24,934	208,512	38,866	531,404	64.2	39.2

pt. Partial.

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

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

3/Dollar value represents the c.i.f. (cost, insurance, freight) value at the 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 4b. Shipments, Exports, Imports, and Apparent Consumption of Sheets, Pillowcases, and Towels: 1999  
 [Quantity in thousands of dozens. Value 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
TOTAL													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	33,532	1,895,668	1,057	89,905	3.2	4.7	11,173	589,602	43,648	2,395,365	25.6	24.6
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	60,971	1,426,413	1,988	85,016	3.3	6.0	83,891	630,533	142,874	1,971,930	58.7	32.0
FOURTH QUARTER													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	7,899	451,659	314	25,061	4.0	5.5	2,685	152,966	10,270	579,564	26.1	26.4
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	15,597	356,953	540	22,979	3.5	6.4	22,995	153,859	38,052	487,833	60.4	31.5
THIRD QUARTER													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	8,521	494,073	270	22,594	3.2	4.6	3,337	181,894	11,588	653,373	28.8	27.8
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	15,925	364,847	477	19,925	3.0	5.5	24,381	167,483	39,829	512,405	61.2	32.7
SECOND QUARTER													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	8,310	467,108	234	20,156	2.8	4.3	2,760	138,269	10,836	585,221	25.5	23.6
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	14,675	334,254	435	18,960	3.0	5.7	18,401	145,332	32,641	460,626	56.4	31.6
FIRST QUARTER													
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	8,802	482,828	239	22,094	2.7	4.6	2,391	116,473	10,954	577,207	21.8	20.2
3141295010, 313210B110, R141 pt.	Terry woven towels and washcloths.....	14,774	370,359	536	23,152	3.6	6.3	18,114	163,859	32,352	511,066	56.0	32.1

pt. Partial.

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

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

3/Dollar value represents the c.i.f. (cost, insurance, freight) value at the 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 5. Comparison of North American Industry Classification System-Based Product Codes with Schedule B Export Numbers and HTSUSA Import Numbers: 2000

Product code	Product description	Export number 1/	Import number 2/
3141293000, 313210C110, Q000	Sheets and pillowcases.....	6302.10.0000	6302.10.0005
		6302.21.0015	6302.10.0008
		6302.21.0025	6302.10.0015
		6302.22.0010	6302.10.0020
		6302.22.0020	6302.21.3010
		6302.29.0000	6302.21.3020
		6302.31.0015	6302.21.5010
		6302.31.0025	6302.21.5020
		6302.32.0010	6302.21.7010
		6302.32.0020	6302.21.7020
		6302.39.0000	6302.21.9010
			6302.21.9020
			6302.22.1010
			6302.22.1020
			6302.22.1030
			6302.22.1040
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