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# **107** Narrow fabrics

This Report on the Narrow Fabrics Industry relates to establishments engaged wholly or mainly in manufacturing woven, knitted or braided elastics or elastomerics not more than 30 cm. wide; ribbon, braid, tape, webbing, binding, braided bootlaces, etc other than elastic; and in weaving machinery belting of all materials on narrow looms.

This industry corresponds to minimum list heading 421 in the Standard Industrial Classification (Revised 1968) which has been used for the first time as a basis of classification in the 1968 Census.

The industry corresponds to the Narrow Fabrics Industry (Part 84) in the Reports on the last detailed Census of Production for 1963, except that woven and knitted elastics and elastomeric goods over 30 cm. wide formerly included in this report are now shown in the Weaving of Cotton, Linen and Man-made Fibres (Part 100) and the Hosiery and Other Knitted Goods (Part 104) industries respectively.

Throughout this Report, the figures given for 1963 have been reclassified, as far as possible, according to the Standard Industrial Classification (Revised 1968) so that data for 1963 and 1968 are on the same industrial basis. However the reclassification of small firms, which provided limited information only, has been arbitrary.

In interpreting the data in the tables it is essential to bear in mind the notes and definitions which appear on pages (i) to (iv).

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#### United Kingdom (a) (b)

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			Unit	All estab	olishments
			Unit	1963	1968
Number of enterprises	3	taging contract output	No.	199	175
Number of establishme			н	252	231
Gross output			000°£	40,612	52,391
Net output			n	18,072	23,888
Net output per head			£	914	1,306
		goods produced and work done (c)	000.3	38,765	50,458
Sales and work done	261.1	merchanted goods and canteen takings	n	1,829	1,865
		f materials for use in production and packaging and fuel	п	19,919	26,509
Purchases	381,1	goods for merchanting and canteen purchases	п	1,414	1,478
		for work done on materials given out		961	931
		for transport	3		hosts hissory
Payments to other organisations	(61802.1	by road	"		295
		by rail and other means excluding postal services		308	123
0. I well work in pr		posta services	×	,	120
Stocks and work in p		f change during year		+ 79	+ 901
Total stocks and we progress	ork in .	at end of year	п	7,943	10,016
F O					
Goods on hand for	sal e	change during year at end of year		- 94 2,729	+ 35 3,165
Work in progress		change during year	"	+ 111	02
		at end of year		1,497	1,710
Materials, stores	and fuel	change during year	"	+ 61	+ 833
		L at end of year	н	3,717	5,142
		total, including working proprietors	Th .	19.8	18.3
Number employed on a during the year	verage	operatives	н	16.2	14.8
		( other employees (d)	u	3.4	3.3
Wages and salaries	1	f of operatives	£*000	6,864	9,530
ages and saranes		of other employees (d)	n	2,832	3,296
Capital expenditure	(e)			eleven, el	-11
Total			н	1,332	2,857
New building work				256	628
Land and existing				- 18	- 179
Plant and machiner	y (f)		п	988	2,225
Vehicles (f)			н	105	183

(a) For 1968, estimates for establishments not making satisfactory returns and for small establishments, from which only employment data were collected, accounted for 7 per cent. of the total figures in which they were incorporated: of this, unsatisfactory returns accounted for a negligible amount. For 1963 the comparable figures were 5 per cent. and 1 per cent. respectively.

(b) The following information relates to small establishments (employing fewer than 25 persons) in this industry. It includes an estimate for small establishments not making satisfactory returns.

	1963	1968	
Number of establishments	104	103	
Average number employed:			
Working proprietors	112	79	
Other persons employed	894	1,279	

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- (c) Including services rendered to other organisations (amounts charged for hiring out plant, machinery or other goods, for providing transport, or for technical or other services rendered).
- (d) Administrative, technical and clerical employees.
- (e) Excluding expenditure for establishments not yet in production.

(f) Acquisitions <u>less</u> disposals.

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## TABLE 2 Analysis by size of establishment within the industry, 1968

### (i) Output and employment

### All establishments: United Kingdom

Number employed on average during the year by the establishment (a)	Estab- lish- men'ts	Enter- prises (b)	Total number employed on average during the year (a)	Gross output	Net output	Net output per head
THE ALL ALL ALLAND	Number	Number	Number	£'000	£'000	£
1-5	21	21	61			
6-10	19	19	161			
11-24	55	50	1,084	line bar ha		
25-49	30	26	1,138	2,977	1,292	1,136
50-99	38	31	2,793	7,344	3,546	1,269
100-299	49	35	8,097	25,309	11,251	1,390
300-399	6	6	2,011	5,425	2,404	1,196
400 and over	5	5	2,893	7,385	3,595	1,243
Insatisfactory returns	8	8	52			••
Total	231	175	18,290	52,391(c)	23,888(c)	1,306(c)

### (ii) Employees, wages and salaries

All establishments: United Kingdom

Number employed on average during the	Empl	Employees Wages and salaries		Wages and salaries per head		
year by the establishment (a)	Oper- atives	Others (d)	Oper- atives	Others (d)	Oper- atives	Others (d)
	Number	Number	£'000	£'000	£	£
1-5	10					
6-10				anide		
11-24						
25-49	932	187	539	205	579	1,095
50-99	2,356	416	1,412	483	599	1,162
100-299	6,653	1,435	4,384	1,402	659	977
300-399	1,601	410	1,061	367	663	894
400 and over	2,230	663	1,456	599	653	903
nsatisfactory returns						
Total	14,809(c)	3,349(c)	9,530(c)	3,296(c)	644(c)	984(c)

(a) Including working proprietors.

- (b) The sum of the figures for the size groups exceeds the total for the industry to the extent that enterprises made returns for establishments in more than one size group.
- (c) Including estimates for establishments employing fewer than 25 persons and for establishments not making satisfactory returns.

(d) Administrative, technical and clerical employees.

TABLE 3 sex, 1969 (a)

Ages	Males	Females	All employees
er l	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
Under 18	2	4	6
18 and over	40	54	94
All ages	42	58	100

(a) The percentages relate to the numbers employed (excluding working proprietors) at June 1969, the earliest date for which the information is available on the basis of the Standard Industrial Classification, (Revised 1968).

#### Footnotes to Table 4.

- (a) Some establishments employing fewer than 25 persons were
- (c) The sum of the figures for the sub-divisions exceeds the returns for more than one sub-division.
- rendered).
- industry.
  - work done.
- (h) Administrative, technical and clerical employees.
- production.

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### Percentage analysis of employees, by age and

All establishments: United Kingdom

Source: Department of Employment

included in returns for larger establishments. These amounted to 6 establishments in 1968 and 12 in 1963. (b) The method of classifying returns to sub-divisions of the industry is explained in the notes; the characteristic products of each sub-division are identified in Table 5.

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(d) Including services rendered to other organisations (amounts charged for hiring out plant, machinery or other goods. for providing transport, or for technical or other services

(e) Direct sales of goods (excluding canteen takings) made to, and work done for, the general public by larger establishments are included. These amounted to £4,000 in 1968. Similar information is not available for 1963. (f) Characteristic products relate only to sub-divisions of the

(g) For sub-divisions of the industry, this is the ratio of sales of characteristic products to total sales of goods produced and work done. For the industry as a whole, this is the ratio of total sales of principal products by the industry to total sales of goods produced and

(i) Excluding expenditure for establishments not yet in

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## TABLE 4 Analysis of larger establishments, 1963 and 1968

Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom (a)

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Materials, stores and fuel     change during year     "       Materials, stores and fuel     change during year     "       At end of year     "       total, including working proprietors     No.       on average     operatives     "		+ 25	+ 42	+ 5	+ 105	+ 30	
stores and fuel at end of year " Number employed on average operatives "	365	339	1,053	1,254	1,418	1,593	1.00
Number employed on average total, including working No.	+ 38	+ 183	+ 20	+ 593	+ 58	+ 776	
Number employed proprietors No.	1,245	1,260	2,275	3,531	3,520	4,791	1.140
on average Soperatives "	6,227	4,739	12,504	12,302	18,731	17,041	30
during the way	5,446	4,045	9,933	9,810	15,379	13,855	
during the year other employees (h) "	763	686	2,514	2,447	3,277	3,133	
Wages and {of operatives £'000	2,454	2,816	4,080	6,100	6,533	8,916	
of other employees (h) "	696	679	2,003	2,405	2,699	3,083	
Wages and foreratives £	451	696	411	622	425	644	30
per head (other employees (h) "	912	990	797	983	823	984	
Capital expenditure (i)					0.00		
New building work £'000	103	185	140	400	242	585	
Land and {acquisitions "	37	_	4	33		33	
buildings disposals "	5	83			40		
Plant and ∫acquisitions "	S #2.04		53	117	57	200	
machinery disposals "	348	725	617	1,438	965	2,163	
(acquisitions	12	49	17	40	29	89	30
Vehicles disposals "	37	54	138	230	176	285	

## TABLE 5

Sales of principal products of the industry by larger establishments, including sales by establishments classified to other industries, 1963 and 1968

Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom

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sub- livision (a)	218 2.5 2.5	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Enter- prises	Entries
	Goods in widths not exceeding 30 cm.	Th.lb.	£'000	Th.lb.	£'000	Number	Number
10	Elastic and elastomeric goods (b)			E DAK			
	Covered rubber thread	2,492 Th.lin.yds.	2,768	3,225 Th.lin.yds.	4,271	6	8
	Elastic and elastomeric braids (flat or round)	320,400	1,851 {	297,449 	2,011 $604$	} 13	17
	Woven elastic and elastomeric fabrics	12.2.	4,833 {	120,688	$4,178 \\ 2,337$	} 16	21
	Knitted elastic and elastomeric fabrics		437		216	*	*
	Other elastic and elastomeric goods (except surgical hosiery and clothing), including roll- on blanks (c)		2,759		1,214	7	7
	Total elastic and elastomeric goods		12,647		14,833		
20	Solid woven machinery belting (including conveyor and elevator bands and spindle tapes) (d)	Th.cwt.	a cal eo.	Th.cwt.	evitas - *		
	Of cotton	65.1	2,375 {	8.6	608 238	} 11	12
	Of hair or of hair mixed with cotton	}	2,476 {		357	4	5
-	Of other materials (e)				3,811	9	10
30	Tapes and light fabrics (up to 5 lb. per gross yards in 1 inch width)	Th.lin.yds.	nia shoog	Th.lin.yds.	enn oirse		
	Of cotton	all and the	5,363 {	597,083	$3,575 \\ 2,542$	} 34	36
	Of other materials	96,336	672 1,025	197,059 	$1,718 \\ 1,292$	} 34	34
30	Heavy fabrics (over 5 lb. per gross yards in 1 inch width)	Th.cwt.	energiane ete lla to	Th.cwt.		an peloni an antes	n Milling (
	Of cotton	a politica (g. 1 	630 {	4.9	297 59	} 11	11
	Of other materials	9.7	718 149	} 22.6	1,526	13	14
30	Ribbons, petershams, galloons and bindings (except bias bindings)	Th.lin.yds.	Shites To o	Th.lin.yds.	ndu nudr neu neudr		nder en
	Of man-made fibres	161,280	1,341 1,468	385,868 ••	$2,848 \\ 1,060$	} 23	23
	Of man-made fibres mixed with other materials	54,576	386 282	82,263	550 111	} 13	14
	Of cotton	34,704	216 115	49,580 	302 490	} 16	16
	Of other materials	26,928	283 235	}	1,063	8	8
30	Bias bindings	356,880(f)	1,070 {	245,117	921 292	} 10	10

For notes to this table - see page 107/5.

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#### TABLE 5 (continued)

Industry sub-		196	63		196	58	
division (a)		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Enter- prises	Entries
	Goods in widths not exceeding 30 cm. (continued)		£'000	Th.cwt.	£'000	Number	Number
30	Wicks		218	2.5	216	*	*
30	Non-elastic braids (flat or round)	Th.single laces		Th.single laces	1.12 (B)		
	Boot, shoe, corset and similar laces, finished or not	192,960	625 {	94,661 	479 181	} 11	12
	Other non-elastic braids		1,089		1,193	23	23
30	Woven labels		1,389		1,921	13	13
30	Trimmings and fringes		1,821		2,109	22	22
30	Other textile smallwares including tape braided cord and other narrow fabrics of glass fibre		1,733		4,297	24	25
	Other products		209		809	18	20
marce to the	Waste products		56		35	29	33
	Work done		235		232	16	17
	Total		38,826		49,964		
	Sales in other industries (see Table 6)		4,855		5,957		
	Principal products of this industry sold by establish- ments in the industry		33,970		44,007	.84	103(g)

(a) The number given is that of the sub-division of which the item is a characteristic product. The sales shown are total sales by larger establishments, not merely sales by establishments classified to the sub-division.

(b) For 1963, elastic and elastomeric goods were not distinguished by width, and those exceeding 30 cm. are therefore included: for 1968 woven elastic and elastomeric fabrics and other goods exceeding 30 cm. are included in the report on the Weaving of Cotton, Linen and Man-made Fibres Industry (Part 100) and knitted elastic and elastomeric fabrics in the report on the Hosiery and Other Knitted Goods Industry (Part 104).

(c) Surgical hosiery and clothing made up from elastic and elastomeric fabrics are included in the report on the Surgical Instruments and Appliances Industry (Part 69) and in the report on the Corsets and Miscellaneous Dress Industries (Part 122) respectively.

(d) Including woven machinery belting of all widths.

(e) Machinery belting of leather and of rubber or plastics materials are included in the report on the Leather (Tanning and Dressing) and Fellmongery Industry (Part 113) and in the report on the Rubber Industry (Part 144) respectively.

(f) Amended figure.

(g) This figure represents the total number of returns made for larger establishments in this industry which is less than the total number of establishments shown in Table 4 on account of combined returns covering more than one establishment.

#### Sales of principal products of the industry by larger establishments TABLE 6 classified to other industries, 1963 and 1968

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	1963		1968	
to present int	Value	Value	Entries	Principal industries in which produced (a)
Elastic and elastomeric goods	£'000	£'000	Number	
Covered rubber thread	h ſ	1,064	*	99,144
Other elastic and elastomeric goods (except surgical hosiery and clothing)	2,878	719	5	69,99,114
Solid woven machinery belting (including conveyor and elevator bands and spindle tapes)		2,175	11	111,151
Tapes, light and heavy fabrics of cotton, and other materials	1,040	1,327	8	42,78,97,111
Ribbons, petershams, galloons and bindings (including bias bindings) woven labels and non-elastic braids	402	289	7	64,97,103,150
Trimmings and fringes	139	133	*	104,105,149
Other textile smallwares including tape, braided cord and other narrow fabrics of glass fibres	396	250	*	82, 122, 127
Total	4,855	5,957		

(a) The references given are to the list of industries at the front of this report.

TABLE 7 Sales of other than principal products by larger establishments in the industry, 1963 and 1968

Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom

Manufactures of cotton and other textiles (except nar fabrics)

Braces, suspenders, belts, etc

Other products

Services rendered to other organisations (a)

Total value of goods sold without having been subjected to any manufacturing process (merchanted or factored) Canteen takings

Total

(a) Amounts charged for hiring out plant, machinery or other goods, for providing transport, or for technical or other services rendered to other organisations.

	1963	1968
	Value	Value
	£'000	£'000
row	615	604
	351	430
	1,662	1,968
	116	4
ed	1,653	1,637 .
	80	101
	4,475	4,743

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TABLE 8 Production of certain principal products of the industry by larger establishments, 1963 and 1968

This table is not applicable to this industry.

TABLE 9Purchases by larger establishments of selected principal products<br/>of the industry, 1968

This table is not applicable to this industry.

#### Purchases by larger establishments in the industry, 1963 and 1968 TABLE 10 Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom

	19	63	1968	
	Quantity	Cost	Quantity	Cost
Materials for use in production		£'000	1964	000'3
Rubber thread				
Not covered		1,419		1,300
Covered		1,458		927
Elastomeric thread, covered or uncovered		(a)		1,368
	Th.lb.		Th.lb.	1,000
Cotton yarn (including cotton waste yarn)	15,273	3,744 $516$	14,248	4,447 725
Man-made fibre (nylon, rayon, etc) continuous filament yarn		staty for	agon babioa	n ton (a)
Synthetic (nylon, etc) yarn	2,919	1,891	5,687	3,069
Other (rayon, etc) yarn	6,262	1,631 {	6,471	2,048 352
Man-made fibre (nylon, rayon, etc) spun yarn (including waste yarn) and spun yarn doubled with continuous filament yarn (b)	Clarke plays			
Synthetic (nylon, etc) yarn	2,217	990	2,828	1,059
Other (rayon, etc) yarn	2,244	593 {	1,459	391 98
Fibreglass yarn		(a)		250
Yarn of silk, woollen and worsted and hair		535		259
Woven piece goods (other than narrow fabrics) wholly		000		200
or mainly of	Th.sq.yds.	CONTRACTOR	Th.sq.yds.	11 2087
Cotton	9,919	819 330	7,722	809 375
Synthetic fibres (nylon, etc)	1,692	303	2,331	356 355
Other man-made fibres (rayon, etc)	4,520	687 106	3,029	399 377
Lubricating oils and greases		9		14
Replacement parts for firms' own machinery, plant and vehicles, and accessories and consumable tools bought as replacement	.D	1 no secolo	10. (10.00)	so inopeas
Tyres and other spare parts for firms' own road		ſ	maire înv	put saites
goods vehicles	}	296	in total bec	26
Other	Ja aboar las	pate for r	onago nudit	408
All other materials for use in production		2,587		3,994
ackaging materials	A water be	331	19630.0	558
uel and electricity (c)	Th.tons	20 and billing	Th.tons	alential 201
Coal	32.6	169 {	13.5	81 22
Coke (including screenings) and manufactured fuel	1.1	9	} 1.3	12
1000 Long Long Long Long Long Long Long Long		1	J 1.5	12
Daw ( ) )	Th.gal.		Th.gal.	America in
Derv fuel and motor spirit for use in road vehicles	198	42 {	207	58 16
Other liquid fuels (including creosote/pitch mixtures, etc, and liquefied petroleum gases	2,185	102	1,492	77 73(d
	Th.therms		Th.therms	10,0
Gas	270	21	193	16
read annual addition of the second	Bat etting b	5	an	11

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### TABLE 10 (continued)

		1963		1968	
	Q	Juantity	Cost	Quantity	Cost
Fuel and electricity (c) (continued)		Th.kWh	£'000	Th.kWh	£'000
Electricity	{	30,564	207 64	31,961	241 127
Total cost of materials and fuel Goods purchased for merchanting Canteen purchases			18,864	in the	24,699
			1,254		1,267
		hersever	86	chreada	110
Total cost of purchases			20,204	(indevice)	26,076

(a) Not recorded separately for 1963.

(b) For 1963 'Waste yarn' was not specifically included.

(c) The total quantity of electricity generated in establishments employing 25 or more persons in this industry was 975 Th.kWh in 1968 and 1,963 Th.kWh in 1963.

(d) For 1968, may include a small amount of fuels not covered by specific headings.

TABLE	 Transport costs	and employment	of larger	
	establishments,	1963 and 1968		

Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom

198		Unit	1963	1968	Fordi) along-opic control
Average number mainly emp	loyed on transport	No.	103	118	ra bas allo gollenia
Transport costs		Transfer a	TALL REPORT	A COLOR DE COLOR	Troumance buy baland
Wages and salaries		£'000	71	115	
Derv fuel and motor spin Tyres and other spare pa		п	42	74	
vehicles		. "		26	
Payments to other organisations for transport	by road by rail and other means excluding postal services	n 	292	274	
Costs of operating road				. 115	
Insurance		"	10	11	
Vehicle licences		n	5	11	
Depreciation Payments to other orga	nightions for an i	n	48	46	
and maintenance	insations for repairs		15	34	taary's ten bland ( rei 
Total	anset. M	н	483(a)	706	

(a) Excluding tyres and other spare parts for road goods vehicles, not collected separately for 1963.

#### TABLE 12 Payments for certain services, etc by larger establishments, 1963 and 1968 (a)

Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom

Repairs and maintenance to

#### Buildings

Road goods vehicles

Plant, machinery and other capital equ Insurance, licensing and depreciation of vehicles (b)

Rates, excluding water rates

Hire of plant and machinery

Postage, telephone, telegrams, cables and

#### Total

(a) No deduction is made for these payments to arrive at the figures of net output given in this report. (b) For details see Table 11.

(c) Excluding telex for 1963.

TABLE 13Percentage analysis of twelve-month periods covered by returns from larger establishments, 1968

# Establishments employing 25 or more persons: Analysis of returns received, United Kingdom

Year ended	Percentage of total returns received		
1968	Per cent.		
April (a)	1.0		
May	1.9		
June	5.8		
Jul y	2.9		
August	4.9		
September	8.7		
October	3.9		
November	5.8		
December	37.9		
1969			
January	5.8		
February	1.9		
March	18.4		
April (b)	1.0		
	100		

### (a) From 6 April. (b) To 5 April.

	Amounts	payable
e-up //menosili	1963	1968
	000'£	£'000
	71	97
	15	34
ipment road goods	178	263
Toad goods	63	68
	213	308
	37	20
d telex (c)	157	243
	734	1,033

Percentage of total number employed
Per cent.
0.2
1.3
7.5
4.3
2.8
7.8
2.4
6.0
43.3
8.1
1.3
14.6
0.4
100