

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 42 : MALT AND BEER PRODUCED

FEBRUARY, 1963

The information set out below has been compiled from returns of establishments engaged in the production of Malt and Beer and indicates current trends in their production. The figures for 1961-62 and later periods are subject to revision.

Period	Malt Produced (All Types)	Breweries			
		Malt Used	Sugar Used	Hops Used	Beer Brewed (a)
	'000 bus. of 40 lb.	'000 bus. of 40 lb.	'000 cwt.	'000 lb.	'000 gal.
Year : 1959-60	8,591	6,663	876	4,520	231,675
1960-61	8,164	6,899	899	4,482	236,408
1961-62	10,524	6,959	902	4,368	247,493
8 months ended February, 1962	6,919	4,834	627	3,081	181,811
8 months ended February, 1963	7,100	5,082	647	2,945	178,769
Month 1962 :					
January	853	624	80	587	22,004
February	759	526	68	354	18,650
March	919	588	76	369	20,732
April	868	527	68	313	19,156
May	904	569	73	343	19,874
June	915	441	58	262	15,920
July	937	539	69	314	18,685
August	945	566	73	332	20,392
September	934	560	74	343	20,281
October	975	708	92	434	25,268
November	906	687	92	389	24,748
December	814	716	*93	425	*26,027
1963 :					
January	832	659	84	386	23,317
February	754	547	70	324	20,051

(a) Production in 1961-62 and later periods is as reported by Department of Customs and Excise, and includes waste beer, which is excluded from figures for 1960-61 and earlier years obtained from Annual Factory returns.

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