

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 55 : BUTTER AND CHEESE

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JUNE 1967

The figures for 1963-64 and 1964-65 are those recorded in the Annual Factory Census. All subsequent figures are derived from the recorded monthly production and are subject to revision.

TABLE 1. - PRODUCTION OF FACTORY BUTTER (a) : STATES
('000 lb)

Period	STATE						Australia
	N.S.W.	VIC.	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	
1963-64	80,880	231,499	79,220	16,587	15,491	30,615	454,292
1964-65	67,081	248,506	73,546	17,215	17,387	31,143	454,878
1965-66 (b)	73,901	250,594	70,189	16,160	18,053	31,370	460,267
Months : 1966-67 (b)							
July	2,602	12,428	3,509	1,322	1,580	860	22,301
August	4,476	24,034	4,641	1,620	1,900	2,461	39,132
September	7,231	32,118	6,036	1,702	2,028	3,787	52,902
October	9,945	39,485	7,701	1,858	2,157	4,752	65,898
November	11,289	38,666	8,068	1,756	1,897	5,008	66,684
December	10,946	35,098	8,012	1,479	1,357	4,562	61,454
January	10,180	30,130	8,851	1,200	690	3,897	54,948
February	8,939	19,629	8,080	863	249	2,670	40,430
March	8,438	14,494	7,918	828	195	2,035	33,908
April	5,207	9,556	4,805	731	233	1,107	21,639
May	4,281	6,130	3,819	879	841	540	16,490
June	2,859	5,139	2,935	924	1,297	378	13,532
Year : 1966-67	86,393	266,907	74,375	15,162	14,424	32,057	489,318

(a) Includes the butter equivalent of butter oil production. (b) Source : Commonwealth Dairy Produce Equalisation Committee Ltd., and State Departments of Agriculture.

TABLE 2. - PRODUCTION OF FACTORY CHEESE : STATES
('000 lb)

Period	STATE						Australia
	N.S.W.	VIC.	Q'LD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	
1963-64	12,142	56,397	21,263	34,236	3,373	2,994	130,405
1964-65	9,785	60,975	19,095	38,836	4,051	5,265	138,008
1965-66 (a)	9,088	58,157	17,620	35,906	2,657	6,586	130,014
Months : 1966-67 (a)							
July	399	3,287	1,226	3,568	357	269	9,106
August	684	5,759	1,434	4,325	498	643	13,343
September	1,019	7,300	1,911	5,112	548	1,008	16,898
October	1,351	8,955	2,471	5,776	540	1,365	20,458
November	1,480	8,674	2,493	5,052	500	1,393	19,592
December	1,432	8,005	2,520	4,082	389	1,187	17,615
January	1,299	7,167	2,712	3,253	279	1,040	15,750
February	1,076	5,438	2,121	1,672	65	651	11,023
March	926	5,045	2,135	1,344	11	475	9,936
April	625	3,644	1,550	1,102	14	214	7,149
May	551	2,396	1,380	1,623	238	115	6,303
June	389	2,083	1,111	1,872	452	52	5,959
Year : 1966-67	11,231	67,753	23,064	38,781	3,891	8,412	153,132

(a) As reported by Commonwealth Dairy Produce Equalisation Committee Ltd., and by Producers NOT within Equalisation Scheme.
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TABLE 3. - SALES AND STOCKS OF FACTORY BUTTER : AUSTRALIA

('000 lb)

Period	Stocks in Main Cold Stores (a)		Sales (b)	Exports during Period (c)	
	At Commencement of period	At end of period	For Consumption in Australia	To United Kingdom	Total Exports
1963-64	30,014	27,884	260,581	167,173	196,562
1964-65	27,884	22,048	249,334	169,557	202,241
1965-66	22,048	39,932	250,428	137,336	167,682
Months : 1966-67					
July	39,932	21,309	20,787	2,858	5,294
August	21,309	23,081	22,589	11,279	15,705
September	23,081	21,858	21,718	16,146	19,361
October	21,858	32,785	20,237	19,251	23,367
November	32,785	48,937	21,999	30,691	34,396
December	48,937	51,016	20,850	13,733	15,950
January	51,016	65,253	20,143	28,132	31,143
February	65,253	68,234	20,055	12,779	18,391
March	68,234	61,703	21,821	9,692	14,325
April	61,703	54,416	20,446	9,852	13,217
May	54,416	38,555	23,072	4,945	10,387
June	38,555	27,212	21,761	868	3,675
Year : 1966-67	39,932	27,212	255,478	160,226	205,211

TABLE 4. - SALES AND STOCKS OF FACTORY CHEESE : AUSTRALIA

('000 lb)

Period	Stocks in Main Cold Stores (a)		Sales (b)	Exports during Period (c)	
	At Commencement of period	At end of period	For Consumption in Australia	To United Kingdom	Total Exports
1963-64	13,505	7,298	83,554	29,252	62,404
1964-65	7,298	7,439	56,159	35,979	60,930
1965-66	7,439	5,188	77,260	19,831	55,440
Months : 1966-67					
July	5,188	5,327	6,035	301	2,596
August	5,327	5,540	6,726	365	3,428
September	5,540	7,759	6,692	1,900	6,182
October	7,759	9,363	7,182	369	4,247
November	9,363	14,325	6,091	160	6,435
December	14,325	15,443	8,185	461	3,850
January	15,443	17,210	6,211	295	6,005
February	17,210	17,759	5,932	489	5,584
March	17,759	15,781	6,123	517	2,977
April	15,781	14,562	5,566	1,594	6,258
May	14,562	10,873	6,028	2,514	5,757
June	10,873	9,792	5,591	481	4,554
Year : 1966-67	5,188	9,792	76,362	9,446	57,873

(a) As reported by the Australian Dairy Produce Board. (b) Sales by Commonwealth Dairy Produce Equalisation Committee Ltd. Figures are not truly indicative of consumption trends because of forward buying in some years in anticipation of price increases. (c) Actual quantity exported compiled from Oversea Trade Statistics. r - Revised.