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MAIN FEATURES

Red meat production for August 1988, in seasonally adjusted terms, increased by 16.8 per cent on July 1988. Actual red meat production of 198,454 tonnes for August 1988 increased by 20.4 per cent (33,690 tonnes) on the previous month and by 6.0 per cent (11,251 tonnes) on August 1987.

On a carcass weight equivalent, beef production for the year ended June 1988 increased by 4.4 per cent on 1986-87 with exports up by 13.0 per cent, from 837,563 to 946,108 tonnes. 1987-88 exports accounted for 61.7 per cent of beef produced, an increase of 4.7 per cent on the previous year. Cattle slaughtering for the same period rose by 2.3 per cent.

In seasonally adjusted terms, whole milk intake by factories for July 1988 decreased by 0.8 per cent (4 million litres) on June 1988 and by 2.9 per cent (15 million litres) on July 1987. Actual intake for July 1988 increased by 18.2 per cent (52 million litres) to 338 million litres on June 1988. These trends are consistent with previous patterns.

Seasonally adjusted receipts of taxable wool by brokers and dealers for July 1988 increased by 6 per cent on June 1988 and by 3 per cent on July 1987 to 78,346 tonnes. Actual receipts for July 1988 (58,821 tonnes) increased by 68.1 per cent (23,836 tonnes) on June 1988 but decreased by 3.8 per cent (2,296 tonnes) on July 1987.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

This publication contains information (preliminary where indicated) on livestock slaughtering, meat production, exports of fresh, frozen and processed meat and stocks of frozen meat, whole milk intake by factories, market milk sales by factories and receipts of taxable wool by wool brokers and dealers.

Livestock slaughtering and meat production

2. The statistics on slaughtering and meat production are based on a monthly collection from abattoirs and other major slaughtering establishments and include estimates

of animals slaughtered on farms and by country butchers and other small slaughtering establishments.

3. Care should be taken when using this information as the figures only relate to slaughtering for human consumption and do not include animals condemned or those killed for boiling down. Also, definitions of livestock categories may differ between States and within States, particularly with regard to calves.

4. Poultry slaughtering statistics have been compiled from returns supplied by commercial poultry slaughtering establishments. Producers in the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory and the many very small producers are excluded from the collection; however, the statistics represent a high level of coverage. The Queensland statistics are based on data collected by the Queensland Department of Primary Industries.

Milk

5. Tables 8 and 9 contain statistics collected by the Australian Dairy Corporation (ADC) on whole milk intake and market milk sales by factories.

Wool receipts

6. The statistics in Table 10 show the amount of taxable wool received by brokers and dealers from wool producers. It excludes wool received by brokers on which tax has already been paid by other dealers (private buyers) or brokers.

7. The information shown is on the basis of the State in which the wool has actually been received and does not necessarily reflect the production of wool in that State.

Seasonal adjustment

8. Details of seasonally adjusted figures for meat, milk and wool are shown in Tables 4, 8 and 10 respectively. Information on the methods used in seasonally adjusting these series is available on request.

Related publications

9. Users may also wish to refer to the following priced publication which is available on request:

Livestock and Livestock Products, Australia, 1986-87 (7221.0)

10. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications, Australia* (1101.0). The ABS also issues, on Tuesdays and Fridays, a *Publications Advice* (1105.0) which lists publications to be released in the next few days. The *Catalogue* and *Publications Advice* are available from any ABS office.

Symbols and other usages

- p preliminary—figure or series subject to revision
- . . not applicable
- n.y.a. not yet available
- n.p. not available for separate publication
- r revised

11. The figures shown in this publication have been revised where necessary and as a consequence may not agree with similar data shown in previous publications.

12. Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

13. Unless indicated otherwise, Australian totals include data for all States and both Territories.

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TABLE 1. NUMBERS OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED ('000)

	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD.	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUST.	% CHANGE 1988 ON 1987
CATTLE (a)								
BULLS, BULLOCKS AND STEERS								
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE								
1986	745.0	649.5	1,327.5	233.8	253.2	85.5	3,380.2	..
1987	818.6	627.7	1,483.2	236.1	268.5	103.9	3,654.3	..
1988 F	1,000.1	673.9	1,481.7	251.7	274.5	104.5	3,885.0	..
1987								
June	69.1	47.5	130.7	17.2	26.9	11.3	310.8	..
July P	54.3	46.3	154.9	18.8	24.1	10.2	350.7	..
August F	77.1	44.9	136.1	20.6	25.6	6.7	325.4	..
1988 F								
June	71.1	49.9	131.3	17.3	22.5	6.1	306.9	-1.2
July P	59.8	42.0	118.1	12.2	19.5	5.8	272.9	-22.2
August F	77.3	56.3	134.2	17.8	24.2	5.6	332.5	2.2
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST F								
1987	161.3	91.2	280.9	39.4	49.7	17.0	676.1	..
1988	137.1	98.3	252.3	30.0	43.7	11.3	605.3	-10.5
COWS AND HEIFERS								
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE								
1986	774.3	649.3	879.0	156.9	195.4	57.7	2,776.6	..
1987	892.2	713.8	971.3	160.5	200.8	68.9	3,067.9	..
1988 F	856.8	648.4	1,004.3	132.1	204.3	74.6	2,993.7	..
1987								
June	76.8	57.7	95.0	11.0	14.8	7.5	272.2	..
July P	77.5	53.9	98.9	9.9	18.6	2.7	273.9	..
August F	49.8	43.0	78.8	12.1	18.5	2.9	232.8	..
1988 F								
June	61.1	44.6	110.3	5.7	16.8	5.7	260.0	-4.5
July P	51.0	44.9	84.7	6.3	16.7	3.5	218.3	-20.3
August F	62.7	38.6	79.4	10.2	21.5	3.1	227.0	6.7
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST F								
1987	127.3	97.0	177.7	21.9	36.8	8.6	486.7	..
1988	113.7	83.5	164.1	16.4	38.2	6.6	445.3	-8.5
TOTAL CATTLE								
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE								
1986	1,519.3	1,298.8	2,206.5	390.7	448.6	143.2	6,156.9	..
1987	1,710.8	1,366.4	2,454.5	396.6	469.5	172.7	6,722.2	..
1988 F	1,856.9	1,322.2	2,486.1	383.9	478.7	179.1	6,878.7	..
1987								
June	145.9	105.3	225.7	28.1	41.7	18.8	583.0	..
July P	161.8	100.2	253.7	28.7	42.7	15.9	624.6	..
August F	126.8	87.9	214.8	32.7	43.8	9.6	538.2	..
1988 F								
June	132.2	94.5	241.6	26.5	39.3	11.8	566.9	-2.8
July P	110.8	86.9	202.8	18.4	36.2	9.3	491.1	-21.4
August F	140.0	94.9	213.7	28.0	45.7	8.6	559.4	3.9
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST F								
1987	288.6	188.1	468.6	61.4	86.6	25.1	1,162.7	..
1988	250.8	181.8	416.5	46.5	85.0	17.9	1,050.6	-9.6
CALVES								
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE								
1986	132.6	745.7	221.6	37.7	13.1	32.2	1,245.0	..
1987	225.4	687.8	208.6	31.4	22.5	32.2	1,200.9	..
1988 F	189.5	726.4	193.3	28.3	12.9	32.2	1,189.0	..
1987								
June	17.9	66.6	15.1	2.5	0.9	1.4	104.5	..
July P	20.0	127.3	17.5	2.5	1.1	2.7	171.2	..
August F	11.7	188.1	12.1	3.0	1.2	8.5	224.6	..
1988 F								
June	13.2	64.5	17.0	2.4	2.1	2.0	101.5	-2.8
July P	9.7	80.0	13.9	2.0	1.5	2.9	110.4	-35.5
August F	12.5	149.6	13.4	2.3	1.7	10.1	190.0	-15.4
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST F								
1987	31.7	315.4	29.5	5.5	2.3	11.2	395.9	..
1988	22.2	229.6	27.3	4.2	3.2	13.0	300.4	-24.1
SHEEP								
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE								
1986	3,128.5	3,863.1	524.7	2,026.4	2,802.3	466.6	12,952.3	..
1987	4,247.7	3,724.3	700.8	2,121.9	3,043.1	509.7	14,549.7	..
1988 F	4,597.4	3,460.8	703.3	2,218.9	3,101.9	608.4	14,839.0	..
1987								
June	288.6	157.3	56.9	103.2	112.6	39.3	772.0	..
July P	322.2	167.5	54.9	139.8	134.5	26.1	872.1	..
August F	297.9	150.5	47.1	176.6	186.1	15.1	886.1	..
1988 F								
June	194.2	94.8	51.2	70.5	95.1	42.2	556.3	-27.9
July P	188.5	100.0	50.7	102.0	92.5	27.9	570.0	-34.6
August F	298.4	129.3	52.5	128.6	111.7	16.1	746.9	-15.7
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST F								
1987	630.1	318.0	102.0	316.4	320.5	41.2	1,758.2	..
1988	486.8	229.3	103.2	230.6	204.2	44.0	1,316.9	-25.1

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TABLE 1. NUMBERS OF LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED - CONTINUED
(¹000)

	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUST.	% CHANGE 1988 ON 1987
LAMBS								
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE								
1986	6,356.6	7,987.1	887.7	1,829.8	1,085.0	665.7	19,109.3	..
1987	5,296.2	7,554.6	841.1	1,886.9	1,167.9	670.6	17,708.5	..
1988 F	5,157.4	7,101.8	928.7	1,939.5	1,136.4	625.0	17,202.2	..
1987								
June	424.5	563.0	80.8	124.4	54.8	57.1	1,325.5	..
July P	447.6	598.8	92.1	130.0	75.4	64.0	1,435.4	..
August P	364.5	527.2	67.8	174.0	97.2	43.0	1,296.0	..
1988 F								
June	408.9	445.6	81.8	89.8	28.4	48.6	1,134.3	-14.4
July	390.6	445.9	81.8	111.6	58.4	48.0	1,163.2	-19.0
August	486.8	495.7	79.6	178.0	110.7	48.1	1,441.0	11.2
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P								
1987	812.2	1,126.0	159.9	304.0	172.6	107.0	2,731.4	..
1988	577.3	941.6	161.4	289.6	169.1	96.1	2,604.2	-4.7
PIGS								
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE								
1986	1,329.5	1,020.0	1,008.8	588.4	462.1	84.4	4,549.8	..
1987	1,509.1	839.4	1,075.4	642.5	502.4	89.6	4,726.2	..
1988 F	1,585.1	797.0	1,113.1	602.2	508.9	95.3	4,769.9	..
1987								
June	133.2	68.0	93.4	50.0	41.6	7.7	405.1	..
July P	135.6	72.8	94.0	48.0	47.6	7.8	412.3	..
August P	123.2	59.3	86.1	57.2	39.1	7.3	377.6	..
1988 F								
June	141.0	62.5	104.4	52.3	47.3	9.1	423.7	5.9
July	119.1	57.6	91.7	48.8	42.2	7.5	373.1	-9.5
August	143.6	62.9	90.7	48.4	51.2	7.6	412.0	9.1
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P								
1987	258.7	132.1	180.1	105.2	86.7	15.1	789.9	..
1988	262.7	120.8	182.3	97.2	93.4	15.1	785.2	-0.6

(a) Domesticated Buffaloes slaughtered in the Northern Territory are included in Australian totals.

TABLE 2. CHICKENS SLAUGHTERED (a)
(¹000)

	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUST.
CHICKENS (b)							
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE							
1986	95,781.1	61,643.9	41,708.7	29,159.1	25,687.8	4,354.7	258,335.3
1987	101,479.4	64,242.2	46,374.7	38,133.9	25,967.9	4,521.8	271,109.9
1988 F	107,053.1	64,826.0	46,835.5	28,864.7	27,385.0	n.p.	(c)274,964.3
1987							
June	8,313.8	5,081.8	3,710.4	2,313.0	1,915.3	326.0	21,690.4
July P	9,385.6	6,073.8	4,503.3	2,528.4	2,559.6	429.0	25,050.7
August P	8,007.8	5,187.1	3,560.9	2,233.6	2,092.7	394.0	21,476.1
1988 F							
June	9,338.2	5,511.9	3,674.6	2,120.1	2,187.5	n.p.	(c)22,832.3
July	9,444.4	5,125.5	4,341.3	2,155.9	2,259.1	n.p.	(c)23,326.2
August	8,603.8	443.5	3,498.4	1,904.0	2,021.4	n.p.	(c)16,471.1
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P							
1987	17,393.3	11,260.9	8,064.2	4,762.0	4,652.2	823.0	46,955.7
1988	18,048.2	5,569.0	7,839.6	4,059.9	4,280.6	n.p.	(c)39,797.3

(a) Excludes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

(b) Comprises broilers, fryers and roasters.

(c) Excludes Tasmania.

TABLE 3. CHICKEN MEAT PRODUCED (a)
(TONNES CARCASS WEIGHT)

	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUST.
CHICKEN (b)							
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE							
1986	128,407	84,434	51,870	34,235	29,903	4,928	333,777
1987	134,317	89,124	56,245	33,776	30,308	5,202	348,972
1988 F	145,655	98,053	56,012	35,221	32,830	n.p.	(c)367,772
1987							
June	10,909	7,291	4,695	2,771	2,352	365	28,382
July P	12,741	11,516	5,482	2,991	3,114	487	36,331
August P	10,453	8,495	4,370	2,683	2,450	438	28,889
1988 F							
June	13,252	8,044	4,399	2,673	2,606	n.p.	(c)30,975
July	13,746	7,061	5,237	2,672	2,672	n.p.	(c)31,387
August	11,599	6,289	4,282	2,398	2,408	n.p.	26,976
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P							
1987	23,194	20,011	9,853	5,673	5,564	825	65,220
1988	25,345	13,349	9,519	5,071	5,079	n.p.	(c)58,363

(a) Excludes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

(b) Chicken meat is shown in dressed weight of whole birds, pieces and giblets.

(c) Excludes Tasmania.

NOTE: Some slaughtering and meat production statistics for "Ducks and Drakes" and "Other Poultry and Turkeys" are available by contacting the ABS on Canberra 525337 or by writing to PO Box 10 Belconnen A.C.T. 2616 (Attention: Agriculture Section).

TABLE 4. RED MEAT PRODUCED (a)
(TONNES CARCASS WEIGHT)

							AUSTRALIA									
							% CHANGE 1988 ON 1987	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED								
							N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	TOTAL			
BEEF (b)																
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE																
1986							309,380	276,523	531,699	77,898	89,930	30,843	1,344,056	..	..	
1987							350,397	295,793	582,478	80,978	94,521	37,780	1,469,030	..	..	
1988 P							395,218	289,920	600,654	77,557	100,043	38,688	1,533,388	..	..	
1987																
June							29,410	22,341	53,363	5,928	8,290	4,152	126,582	..	122,957	
July P							34,010	21,084	60,477	6,093	9,836	3,532	138,873	..	119,786	
August P							26,996	19,138	51,561	6,898	8,992	2,046	119,610	..	120,954	
1988 P																
June							28,081	19,954	57,960	5,629	7,141	2,368	125,202	-1.1	115,392	
July							23,861	18,309	49,136	3,911	7,159	1,940	107,412	-22.7	101,544	
August							30,767	20,497	54,533	6,223	9,285	1,760	128,243	7.2	119,845	
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P																
1987							60,996	40,223	112,038	12,990	18,828	5,778	258,483	..	..	
1988							54,628	38,906	103,670	10,134	16,444	3,700	235,655	-8.83	..	
VEAL																
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE																
1986							9,536	17,179	10,809	1,415	841	914	40,840	..	..	
1987							11,554	14,077	9,711	1,195	831	1,379	38,975	..	..	
1988 P							10,915	14,985	9,393	1,117	848	1,691	39,115	..	..	
1987																
June							966	1,337	687	87	57	115	3,275	..	3,031	
July P							1,176	2,417	811	106	72	106	4,699	..	3,083	
August P							579	3,671	558	114	83	226	5,238	..	3,007	
1988 P																
June							764	1,255	847	89	129	106	3,210	-2.0	2,769	
July							518	1,469	969	78	101	106	3,265	-30.5	2,440	
August							723	2,943	584	95	117	203	4,697	-10.3	2,448	
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P																
1987							1,755	6,088	1,369	220	155	332	9,937	..	..	
1988							1,241	4,412	1,552	179	219	308	7,961	-19.9	..	
MUTTON																
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE																
1986							62,626	78,997	10,602	41,507	52,018	9,382	257,990	..	..	
1987							74,843	130,446	13,618	43,934	55,212	9,957	285,855	..	..	
1988 P							89,532	69,586	13,352	48,647	57,102	11,405	289,313	..	..	
1987																
June							5,644	3,078	1,102	2,103	2,097	719	15,008	..	23,093	
July P							6,759	3,291	1,061	2,914	2,432	468	17,245	..	25,937	
August P							6,008	2,965	908	3,656	3,378	281	17,442	..	27,489	
1988 P																
June							3,661	1,906	964	1,417	1,740	775	10,643	-29.1	15,563	
July							3,770	2,164	1,365	1,939	876	735	10,928	-36.4	17,478	
August							6,028	2,448	1,038	3,840	2,120	305	15,994	-8.3	23,170	
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P																
1987							12,768	6,256	1,969	6,569	5,809	749	34,687	..	..	
1988							9,798	4,112	1,748	5,908	3,850	813	26,922	-22.4	..	
LAMB																
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE																
1986							108,827	134,396	14,676	31,485	15,658	10,298	320,268	..	..	
1987							86,551	130,446	13,378	32,416	16,819	10,423	296,886	..	..	
1988 P							87,909	125,198	15,012	34,514	17,044	9,648	294,447	..	..	
1987																
June							7,069	9,963	1,267	2,186	778	889	22,493	..	24,350	
July P							7,664	10,457	1,450	2,292	1,085	998	24,397	..	24,656	
August P							6,165	9,282	1,053	3,016	1,409	672	21,957	..	24,061	
1988 P																
June							7,109	9,181	1,350	1,548	410	762	19,751	-12.2	21,321	
July							6,810	1,147	1,365	1,939	876	735	20,302	-16.8	21,317	
August							8,452	9,254	1,329	2,974	1,678	305	24,664	12.3	24,839	
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P																
1987							13,829	19,739	2,503	5,309	2,494	1,670	46,354	..	..	
1988							15,262	17,400	2,695	4,913	2,554	1,040	44,966	-3.0	..	
PIGMEAT																
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE																
1986							77,901	57,823	63,724	37,432	25,967	4,665	270,926	..	..	
1987							90,638	46,833	66,429	40,761	28,119	5,491	282,319	..	..	
1988 P							93,312	45,117	69,542	36,671	29,513	6,014	284,226	..	..	
1987																
June							8,097	3,999	5,947	3,262	2,384	466	24,482	..	23,416	
July P							8,474	4,169	5,941	3,049	2,839	487	25,356	..	22,981	
August P							7,509	3,399	5,358	3,602	2,312	453	22,996	..	23,127	
1988 P																
June							8,735	3,613	6,703	3,158	2,831	598	26,067	6.5	23,443	
July							7,292	3,339	5,846	3,005	2,036	478	22,857	-9.9	23,948	
August							8,689	3,622	5,785	2,730	3,019	544	24,857	8.3	23,305	
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P																
1987							15,982	7,568	11,300	6,651	5,151	940	48,312	..	..	
1988							15,981	6,961	11,631	5,736	5,555	1,019	47,714	-1.2	..	
TOTAL RED MEAT																
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE																
1986							568,270	564,917	631,509	189,736	184,414	56,102	2,234,081	..	..	
1987							625,602	561,937	685,614	199,286	195,503	65,030	2,373,065	..	..	
1988 P							676,886	544,806	707,922	195,507	204,570	67,246	2,440,509	..	..	
1987																
June							51,187	40,718	62,366	13,566	13,605	6,341	191,840	..	196,846	
July P							58,083	41,418	59,740	14,453	16,264	5,591	210,571	..	196,454	
August P							47,247	38,456	59,438	17,286	16,174	3,678	187,203	..	198,638	
1988 P																
June							48,352	34,909	67,825	11,841	12,250	4,609	184,873	-3.6	178,487	
July							42,252	33,527	58,026	11,001	12,043	3,763	164,764	-21.8	165,727	
August							54,609	38,763	63,269	15,662	16,219	3,117	198,454	6.0	193,608	
2 MONTHS ENDED AUGUST P																
1987							105,330	79,874	129,176	31,735	32,438	9,269	397,774	..	..	
1988							96,910	71,991	121,295	26,863	28,621	6,860	363,218	-8.7	..	

(a) Red meat is shown in carcass weight and excludes offal.

(b) Buffalo meat produced in the Northern Territory is included in Australian totals.

RED MEAT PRODUCTION, AUSTRALIA

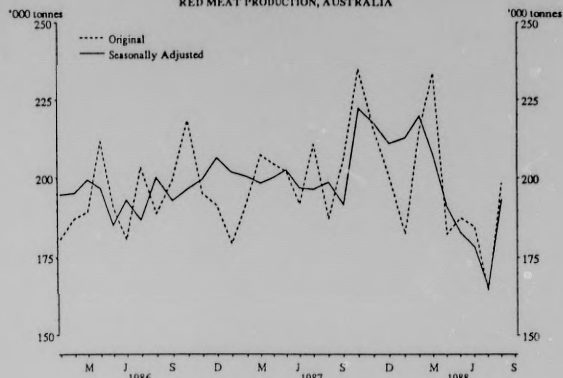


TABLE 5. EXPORTS OF FRESH, FROZEN AND PROCESSED MEAT(a), AUSTRALIA (tonnes)

	Fresh, chilled or frozen										Bacon and ham(d)	Canned meat(e)
	Beef(b)(c)		Veal(b)		Mutton(b)		Lamb(b)		Pork			
	Bone-in	Bone-out	Bone-in	Bone-out	Bone-in	Bone-out	Bone-in	Bone-out				
Year ended 30 June—												
1986	4,838	466,336	2,174	3,682	38,026	51,788	47,755	2,072	2,774	173	14,716	
1987	4,646	555,278	2,064	3,526	49,914	57,887	53,667	1,503	3,881	521	13,931	
1988 p—	11,162	623,297	1,215	5,025	47,254	61,205	48,853	2,492	8,231	240	7,718	
1986-87—												
May	581	49,520	143	107	1,912	5,160	5,170	136	279	130	2,381	
June	368	58,034	203	249	1,821	5,386	4,460	213	393	71	1,195	
July	554	56,514	194	418	1,475	2,951	4,304	150	597	83	681	
1987-88 p—												
May	1,450	54,673	42	477	5,586	5,015	3,555	310	784	1	596	
June	1,516	53,236	81	394	2,116	3,782	3,768	195	1,064	20	627	
July	1,106	50,641	94	623	1,363	1,445	2,807	187	823	1	801	

(a) Excludes offal. (b) Factors can be applied to beef, veal, mutton and lamb bone-out figures to derive bone-in carcass weight which, when added to bone-in figures, shows total exports in carcass weight. The factor for beef and veal is 1.5 and that for mutton and lamb 2.0 (Source: Australian Meat and Livestock Corporation). (c) Includes buffalo meat. (d) Cured carcass weight of smoked or cooked bacon and ham. Includes stated net weight of packs of canned bacon and ham. (e) Canned weight. Excludes canned bacon and ham.

TABLE 6. STOCKS OF FROZEN MEAT(a), AUSTRALIA (Source: Australia Meat and Livestock Corporation) (tonnes)

Stocks at	Beef(b) and veal	Mutton	Lamb	Pork	Goat	Offal	Total
25 July 1987	42,040	4,635	2,778	3,050	1,694	8,380	62,577
30 July 1988	31,835	4,829	1,161	4,182	7,563	8,082	57,652

(a) Held in cold stores registered to handle meat for export, and includes meat passed for (i) export, (ii) canning and (iii) other purposes. Includes boneless and carcass meat. (b) Includes buffalo meat.

TABLE 7. PRODUCTION OF BACON AND HAM(a)(b) (tonnes)

	N.S.W.		Vic.		Qld		S.A.		W.A.		Tas.		Aust.	
	Bone-in	Bone-out	Bone-in	Bone-out	Bone-in	Bone-out	Bone-in	Bone-out	Bone-in	Bone-out	Bone-in	Bone-out	Bone-in	Bone-out
Year ended 30 June—														
1986	3,657	10,512	4,624	20,821	6,466	11,220	2,104	8,383	919	7,255	306	1,845	18,077	60,039
1987	3,231	114,788	3,021	16,645	4,591	16,741	1,599	9,858	966	7,537	218	1,834	113,636	67,403
1988	3,336	18,106	3,158	15,463	4,120	17,768	2,420	8,032	698	7,687	247	1,755	13,979	68,811
1986-87—														
May	147	1,483	235	1,300	158	1,515	183	712	29	504	5	176	760	5,693
June	155	1,312	248	1,553	177	1,302	160	660	38	539	6	124	783	5,490
July	116	1,448	256	1,405	171	1,305	133	590	33	612	49	100	759	5,461
1987-88 p—														
May	134	1,604	231	1,291	180	1,573	19	567	19	608	8	119	593	5,763
June	131	1,790	237	1,338	193	1,735	26	299	19	593	12	156	617	5,912
July														

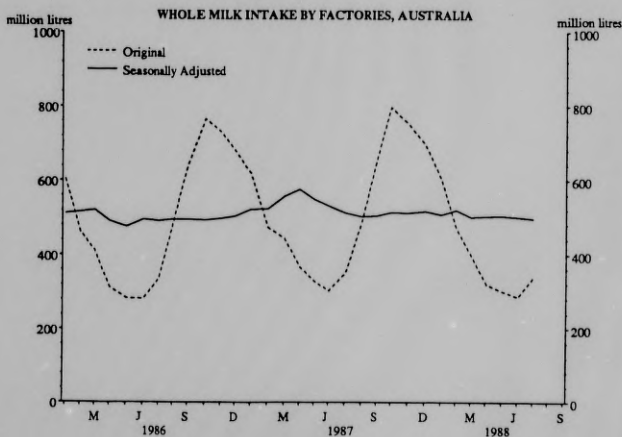
(a) Production of bacon and ham on the bone is shown in terms of bone-in weight while production of boneless bacon and ham is shown in terms of bone-out weight. Production of canned bacon and ham, which is reported in terms of stated net weight of packs, is included in the bone-out category. (b) Excludes the production by single establishment manufacturing enterprises employing less than four persons and establishments predominantly engaged in non-manufacturing activities, but which may carry on some manufacturing activity.

II. MILK

TABLE 8. WHOLE MILK INTAKE BY FACTORIES (a)
(SOURCE: AUSTRALIAN DAIRY CORPORATION)
(MILLION LITRES)

	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUST.	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE								
1986	904	3,575	600	365	243	351	6,038	..
1987	902	3,692	604	369	248	347	6,162	..
1988 P	926	3,649	616	366	251	304	6,112	..
1986-87								
May	70	151	44	27	20	16	328	548
June	69	128	45	29	22	10	303	531
1987-88 P								
July	73	163	48	32	24	9	349	512
August	77	283	50	35	25	16	486	503
September	76	427	53	38	25	30	649	504
October	90	537	54	42	26	48	797	514
November	86	502	55	39	23	47	752	513
December	85	455	56	35	20	45	696	516
January	83	377	57	29	19	39	604	508
February	75	280	57	23	17	26	471	519
March	74	216	51	22	17	19	399	501
April	67	159	46	21	17	11	321	503
May	71	133	49	24	18	7	302	504
June	69	117	47	26	20	7	286	501
1988-89 P								
July	72	159	49	28	22	8	338	497

(a) Includes the whole milk equivalent of farm cream intake.

TABLE 9. MARKET MILK SALES BY FACTORIES (a)
(SOURCE: AUSTRALIAN DAIRY CORPORATION)
(MILLION LITRES)

	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	AUST.
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE							
1986	579	441	287	142	132	44	1,625
1987	593	445	294	143	135	45	1,655
1988 P	587	454	300	144	138	44	1,667
1986-87							
May	50	39	25	12	12	4	141
June	49	38	24	12	11	4	138
1987-88 P							
July	50	40	26	12	12	4	144
August	50	38	25	12	11	4	139
September	48	36	24	12	11	4	135
October	49	38	26	12	12	4	140
November	48	36	24	12	11	4	133
December	48	37	24	12	12	4	139
January	49	36	24	12	11	4	136
February	47	37	24	12	11	3	135
March	51	40	27	13	13	4	148
April	49	38	24	12	11	4	137
May	50	39	25	12	12	4	142
June	48	39	25	12	12	4	140
1988-89 P							
July	49	38	26	12	12	4	140

(a) Includes white, flavoured, high and low fat milk, uht milk.

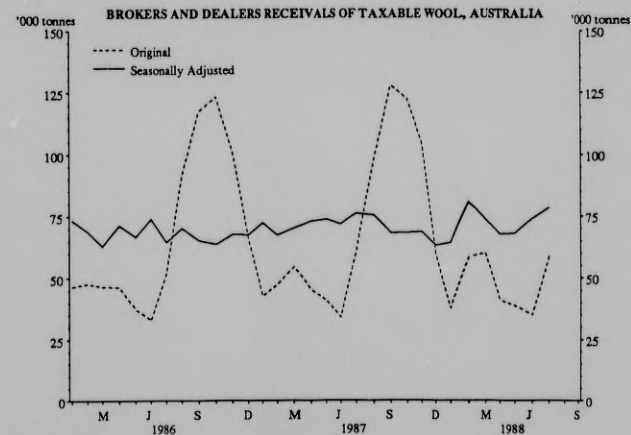
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III. WOOL

TABLE 10. BROKERS AND DEALERS RECEIPTS OF TAXABLE WOOL (TONNES)

	N.S.W.	VIC.	QLD	S.A.	W.A.	TAS.	TOTAL	AUSTRALIA	
								% OF TOTAL RECEIVED BY BROKERS (a)	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE									
1986	198,928	209,647	63,341	102,469	171,500	20,994	766,880	78.1	..
1987	192,774	237,636	70,106	101,417	184,012	21,903	815,048	77.0	..
1988 P	222,586	230,709	75,816	110,670	186,161	18,895	844,338	80.0	..
1986-87	12,034	8,059	6,073	4,058	8,705	1,970	40,899	74.7	73,687
May	12,803	7,407	5,233	2,561	5,518	512	34,034	79.6	71,774
1987-88 P	17,253	13,567	8,841	8,126	12,211	1,120	61,117	81.6	76,056
July	20,632	26,196	8,382	16,320	24,265	1,875	97,670	81.9	75,462
August	29,866	35,499	8,545	21,353	30,253	2,142	127,858	80.4	68,168
September	28,996	39,026	6,071	17,110	29,226	1,929	122,358	78.0	68,321
October	26,770	36,266	4,202	10,920	23,556	2,698	104,412	77.7	68,605
November	16,775	23,063	2,966	8,138	9,777	2,018	59,737	77.0	63,204
December	11,479	10,307	3,749	3,288	6,780	2,153	37,755	80.7	64,310
January	16,323	13,716	6,312	6,916	14,095	1,277	58,638	79.1	80,704
February	15,829	11,876	8,780	7,779	14,900	973	60,137	79.1	73,819
March	10,367	8,541	5,262	5,840	9,895	967	40,671	79.3	67,743
April	14,368	6,726	7,078	4,235	5,127	1,063	38,798	84.2	68,062
May	13,426	5,927	5,629	3,647	5,875	480	34,985	86.3	73,892
1988-89 P	15,935	10,832	6,812	7,829	16,596	818	58,821	81.8	78,346
July									

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