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PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 20 - RICE : JANUARY, 1950

TABLE I : PADDY RICE : RECEIVALS AND STOCKS : AUSTRALIA (a)
(Unit : Ton)

Particulars	Paddy Rice	Estimated (b) Milled Equivalent
<u>1949 Crop</u>		
<u>Paddy Rice at Rice Marketing Board Leeton</u>		
Receivals to 31st January, 1950 ..	50,908	33,090
Stocks held by Board at 31st January, 1950 ..	7,055	4,586
<u>Paddy Rice at Mills</u>		
Stocks held by Mills at 31st January, 1950 ..	9,272	6,482

- (a) Production of Paddy Rice is confined to New South Wales.
(b) Based on yield of 65 tons of Milled Rice being obtained from 100 tons of Paddy Rice. The actual average yield from Paddy Rice milled during the nine months ended 31st January, 1950 was 64.5 tons of milled Rice from 100 tons Paddy Rice.

TABLE II : MILLED RICE : PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS AND STOCKS : AUSTRALIA
(Unit : Ton)

Particulars	Month of January	Nine months ended January
Opening Stocks held by Mills	666	653
Production	1,922	(a) 23,294
<u>Total available supply:</u>	<u>2,588</u>	<u>23,947</u>
<u>Deliveries for consumption in Australia</u>		
Australia Asiatics - Chinose	78	779
Other	9	109
Hospitals	26	281
Other (b)	228	1,780
<u>Exports to (c) -</u>		
U.K. Nomination - Singapore	-	3,000
United Kingdom	-	2,185
Other	103	770
Pacific Islands	273	3,608
New Zealand	40	682
New Guinea and Papua	341	7,923
Christmas Island	-	120
Ship's Stores	235	1,455
<u>Total Deliveries:</u>	<u>1,333</u>	<u>22,692</u>
Closing Stocks held by Mills	1,255	1,255
<u>Total Deliveries and Stocks</u>	<u>2,588</u>	<u>23,947</u>

- (a) Quantity of Paddy Rice Consumed 36,126 tons.
(b) Including quantities delivered to the Services for consumption overseas.
(c) As recorded on Millers' Returns

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