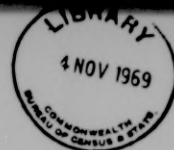


AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS
PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 2: CHEMICALS, ETC.

JULY, 1963.



The information set out below has been compiled from returns of establishments engaged in Chemical manufacture and indicates current trends in the production of the chemicals listed. The figures are subject to revision.

Period	Acids (in terms of 100% Acid)			Sulphuric of Ammonia	Super- phosphate	Chlorine	Sodium Hydroxide (100%) (Caustic Soda)
	Hydrochloric	Nitric	Sulphuric				
	Ton	Ton	'000 Tons	'000 Tons	'000 Tons	Ton	Ton
JULY, 1962	314	1,897	97.3	10.03	201	2,859	4,494
JULY, 1963	333	1,777	90.9	8.26	197	3,043	4,955
Final Figures 1961-62							
1961: July	247	1,618	84.6	10.25	172	1,966	8,510
August	330	1,740	91.9	8.73	220	2,162	9,115
September	337	1,325	93.9	9.22	215	2,038	9,028
October	356	1,221	83.8	9.53	193	2,297	8,456
November	369	1,312	73.2	7.92	147	2,269	7,318
December	356	1,768	85.3	9.73	166	2,159	8,723
1962: January	299	1,349	88.3	8.37	201	2,270	9,466
February	288	1,236	103.9	7.45	251	2,104	8,138
March	324	1,593	110.6	8.89	250	2,286	8,667
April	309	1,297	113.3	8.14	257	2,532	7,791
May	268	1,616	106.6	9.27	273	2,792	7,910
June	305	1,810	100.7	8.27	246	2,012	6,909
Year 1961-62	3,788	17,885	1,136	105.75	2,591	27,787	100,031
N. S. W.	190	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
VIC.	(a)	(a)	23.9	—	67	1,085	1,202
S. A.	(a)	—	(a)	—	27	—	(a)
Other States	(a)	(a)	29.5	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
Total	332	1,777	90.9	8.26	197	3,043	4,955

(a) Not available for publication.

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