PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 54 : FLOUR MILLING : 4 WEEKS ENDED 1st DECEMBER, 1951

(Subject to revision)

TABLE I : WHEAT GRISTED AND PRODUCTS OBTAINED, AUSTRALIA

Particulars	4 Weeks Ended 2nd December 1950	4 Weeks Ended 1st December 1951	Period 1st January 1950 to 2nd December 1950	Period 31st December 1950 to 1st December 1951
	(Bushels)			
Wheat Gristed for -				
Flour (White)	4,941,303	5,906,322		71,374,736
Sharps	23,867	24,781		320,666
Wheatmeal -				
Baking	134,991	148,998	(b)	2,045,354
Granulated	3,139	1,781		32,031
Stockmeal	90,774	160,327		1,569,786
Semolina	12,853	63,740		383,041
Total Wheat Gristed	5,206,927	6,305,949	64,877,451	75,725,614
	(Tons of 2,000 lb.)			
Production (a)				
Flour White	108,060	129,485	1,351,824	1,572,152
Sharps	561	570	(c)3,279	7,571
Wheatmeal -				
Baking	3,826	4,156	47,561	56,747
Granulated	75	51	1,003	932
Stockmeal	3,099	4,946	41,521	48,196
Semolina	378	1,447	5,082	8,715
Wheat Germ	109	160	1,129	1,355
Bran	20,362	24,588	246,965	293,762
Pollard	22,925	27,400	284,907	330,124
Screenings	12	21	(c) 119	266
Total Products Obtained	159,407	192,824	1,983,390	2,319,820

(a) Excludes Production in other Grain Mills.
(b) Details not collected, prior to July 1950.
(c) As from 1st July, 1950.

TABLE II : WHEAT GRISTED AND PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS OBTAINED : STATES
4 WEEKS ENDED 1st DECEMBER, 1951

State	Flour (White)	Wheatmeal for Baking	Sharps	Stockmeal
	Wheat Gristed : Bushels			
New South Wales	2,192,096	34,811	22,699	113,972
Victoria	1,771,391	37,775	2,082	26,651
Queensland	433,542	21,333	-	8,218
South Australia	798,503	13,342	-	3,824
Western Australia	613,100	38,447	-	7,662
Tasmania	97,690	3,290	-	-
Total:	5,906,322	148,998	24,781	160,327
	Production : Tons of 2,000 lb.			
New South Wales	48,027	1,055	510	3,494
Victoria	39,315	1,086	60	775
Queensland	9,418	590	-	249
South Australia	16,943	338	-	114
Western Australia	13,717	1,003	-	314
Tasmania	2,065	84	-	-
Total:	129,485	4,156	570	4,946

TABLE III : PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS OF STOCKS OF FLOUR MILL PRODUCTS : AUSTRALIA

4 WEEKS ENDED 1ST DECEMBER, 1951

(Tons of 2,000 lb.)

Particulars	Stocks as at 3rd November 1951	Production	Deliveries for -		Stocks as at 1st December 1951
			Consumption In Australia	Oversea Exports	
Flour (White)	60,309	129,485	89,303	65,864	34,627
Sharps	185	570	243	282	230
Wheatmeal -					
Baking	1,419	4,156	3,780	1,012	783
Granulated	7	51	54	-	4
Stockmeal	476	4,946	5,229	-	193
Semolina	949	1,447	1,075	787	573
Wheat Germ	67	160	106	27	56
Bran	4,712	24,588	24,447	34	4,825
Pollard	3,870	27,400	26,722	10	4,538
Screenings	3	21	23	-	1

TABLE IV : PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS AND STOCKS OF TOTAL FLOUR (a) : STATES

4 WEEKS ENDED 1ST DECEMBER, 1951

(Tons of 2,000 lb.)

State	Stocks as at 3rd November 1951	Production	Deliveries for -		Stocks as at 1st December 1951
			Consumption In Australia	Oversea Exports	
New South Wales	19,184	49,592	36,328	20,529	11,919
Victoria	10,323	40,461	26,694	17,701	6,389
Queensland	2,881	10,008	11,683	45	1,161
South Australia	12,473	17,281	8,455	14,975	6,324
Western Australia	16,784	14,720	7,885	13,908	9,711
Tasmania	268	2,149	2,281	-	136
Total:	61,913	134,211	93,326	67,158	35,640

(a) White Flour, Wheatmeal for Baking and Sharps.

TABLE V : PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS AND STOCKS OF TOTAL FLOUR (a) : AUSTRALIA

(Tons of 2,000 lb.)

Period	Stocks as at Commencement of Period	Production	Deliveries for -		Stocks as at end of Period
			Consumption In Australia	Oversea Exports	
4 Weeks ending -					
2nd December, 1950	85,982	112,447	67,144	49,084	82,201
1st December, 1951	61,913	134,211	93,326	67,158	35,640
1st January, 1950 to 2nd December, 1950	102,682	1,402,674	743,352	679,803	82,201
31st December, 1950 to 1st December, 1951	79,638	1,636,470	825,819	854,649	35,640

(a) White Flour, Wheatmeal for Baking and Sharps.

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