

CANNED FRUITS
MONTH OF JULY, 1943.
Summary for Australia

Particulars	Apricots	Peaches	Pears	Pineapples
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Stocks held by Factories at commencement of month ..	4,478,364	36,223,950	(a) 22,027,134	3,044,281
Production during Month ..	-	-	227,934	645,714
Oversea Imports during Month ..	-	-	-	-
<u>TOTAL OF ABOVE SUPPLIES:</u>	4,478,364	36,223,950	22,255,068	3,689,995
Delivered on Supply Department Contract for consumption in Australia for 4 weeks ended 30th July, 1943. ..	431,680	3,720,015	2,459,070	1,438,465
Oversea Exports during Month ..	293,343	1,047,195	400,280	157,229
Stocks held by Factories at end of Month ..	3,924,258	27,590,896	17,505,854	2,007,836
<u>TOTAL OF ABOVE DISPOSALS AND STOCKS:</u>	4,699,276	32,358,106	20,365,154	3,633,550
Available for Consumption (b) ..	(c)	3,865,844	1,889,914	56,445
Decrease in Stocks held by Factories during Month ..	554,111	8,633,054	4,521,280	1,036,445
Comparative Figures, July, 1942 -				
Factory Production during Month ..	-	-	-	57,038
Factory Stocks at end of Month ..	4,595,076	39,033,450	15,245,523	109,785
Average Annual Production for five years ended 1940-41	14,938,075	72,700,409	35,627,998	15,429,614
Average Annual Consumption for five years ended 1940-41	7,538,000	36,899,000	13,652,000	12,044,000
Average Monthly Consumption for five years ended 1940-41	628,000	3,075,000	1,138,000	1,004,000

(a) Revised. (b) The quantities consumed varied according as stocks held by service canteens, wholesalers, retailers and other consumers increased or decreased during the month. These stocks have not been ascertained. (c) Excess of disposals.

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PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS AND FACTORY STOCKS OF CANNED FRUIT
UP TO JULY, 1943 (Unit : lb.)

State	Stocks held by Factories at Commencement of month	Production during Month	Overseas Imports	Delivered on Supply Depart- ment Contract for consumption in Australia	Overseas Exports	Stocks held by Factories at end of month
<u>APRICOTS</u>						
New South Wales ..	602,850	-	-	147,600	203,343	447,712
Victoria ..	2,285,314	-	-	133,230	90,000	3,001,466
Queensland ..	-	-	-	200,250	-	-
South Australia ..	563,107	-	-	-	-	449,873
Western Australia ..	-	-	-	-	-	25,196
Tasmania ..	27,083	-	-	-	-	-
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>4,478,354</u>	-	-	<u>481,680</u>	<u>293,343</u>	<u>3,924,253</u>
<u>PEACHES</u>						
New South Wales ..	6,928,065	-	-	987,210	668,295	5,196,489
Victoria ..	28,896,998	-	-	2,732,805	378,900	22,069,151
Queensland ..	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Australia ..	338,485	-	-	-	-	324,866
Western Australia ..	-	-	-	-	-	390
Tasmania ..	402	-	-	-	-	-
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>36,223,950</u>	-	-	<u>3,720,015</u>	<u>1,047,195</u>	<u>27,590,896</u>
<u>PEARS</u>						
New South Wales ..	(a) 135,127	-	-	2,171,745	302,940	147,666
Victoria ..	(a) 18,154,332	162,846	-	188,325	97,290	14,295,340
Queensland ..	-	-	-	-	-	-
South Australia ..	2,149,205	65,088	-	-	-	1,697,714
Western Australia ..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tasmania ..	1,588,470	-	-	99,000	-	1,365,134
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>22,027,134</u>	<u>227,934</u>	-	<u>2,459,070</u>	<u>400,230</u>	<u>17,505,854</u>
<u>PINEAPPLES</u>						
New South Wales ..	8,670	-	-	-	-	7,535
Victoria ..	17,097	-	-	-	13,500	14,331
Queensland ..	3,012,514	643,629	-	1,468,485	143,729	1,972,325
South Australia ..	-	2,025	-	-	-	13,545
Western Australia ..	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tasmania ..	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>3,044,281</u>	<u>645,714</u>	-	<u>1,468,485</u>	<u>157,229</u>	<u>2,007,836</u>

(a) Revised.

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