

PRODUCTION SUMMARY No.15  
WOOLSCOURING, CARBONISING AND FELLMONGERING

JULY, 1959

The information set out below has been compiled from returns of establishments engaged in Woolscouring and Fellmongery and indicates current trends in the production of the commodities listed. The figures for 1958-59 and later periods are subject to revision.

AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION STATISTICS

| Period             | Fellmongering          |                        |                 |                         | Woolscouring and Wool Carbonising          |               |                                 |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------|
|                    | Sheep<br>Skins<br>used | Skin<br>Pieces<br>used | Output          |                         | Greasy<br>Wool (a)                         | Waste<br>Wool | Scoured<br>and/or<br>Carbonised |
|                    |                        |                        | Scoured<br>Wool | Slips<br>or Pie<br>Wool | Used for Scouring<br>and/or<br>Carbonising |               | Wool<br>obtained                |
|                    | '000                   | '000 lb.               | '000 lb.        | '000 lb.                | '000 lb.                                   | '000 lb.      | '000 lb.                        |
| Year : 1955-57     | 4,996                  | 5,766                  | 17,434          | 4,374                   | 266,079                                    | 1,235         | 148,329                         |
| 1957-58            | 4,662                  | 5,369                  | 15,529          | 2,818                   | 242,064                                    | 1,237         | 138,433                         |
| 1958-59            | 5,979                  | 6,243                  | 20,678          | 3,065                   | 239,398                                    | 1,077         | 134,616                         |
| Month, 1958 : July | 464                    | 383                    | 1,812           | 187                     | 18,965                                     | 100           | 10,647                          |
| August             | 226                    | 518                    | 1,798           | 198                     | 15,782                                     | 127           | 8,662                           |
| September          | 425                    | 440                    | 1,712           | 149                     | 16,576                                     | 199           | 9,479                           |
| October            | 617                    | 513                    | 1,916           | 515                     | 19,105                                     | 92            | 10,481                          |
| November           | 694                    | 404                    | 1,706           | 461                     | 21,452                                     | 85            | 11,822                          |
| December           | 630                    | 435                    | 1,680           | 513                     | 18,492                                     | 102           | 10,374                          |
| 1959 : January     | 369                    | 388                    | 1,072           | 194                     | 15,818                                     | 75            | 8,889                           |
| February           | 463                    | 651                    | 1,568           | 143                     | 21,145                                     | 78            | 11,879                          |
| March              | 440                    | 689                    | 1,568           | 103                     | 21,810                                     | 117           | 12,372                          |
| April              | 500                    | 576                    | 1,937           | 150                     | 21,785                                     | 42            | 12,582                          |
| May                | 463                    | 643                    | 1,859           | 291                     | 23,711                                     | 26            | 13,422                          |
| June               | 488                    | 603                    | 2,050           | 161                     | 24,757                                     | 34            | 14,007                          |
| July               | 477                    | 584                    | 2,068           | 128                     | 24,088                                     | 27            | 14,146                          |

(a) Includes Slips or Pie Wool.

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