

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 54 : FLOUR MILLING : SIX WEEKS ENDED 5th MAY, 1951
(Subject to revision)

TABLE I : WHEAT GRISTED AND PRODUCTS OBTAINED, AUSTRALIA.

Particulars	Six Weeks Ended		Period	Period
	6th May 1950	5th May, 1951	3rd July 1949 to 6th May 1950	2nd July 1950 to 5th May 1951
(Bushels)				
Wheat Gristed for -				
Flour (White)		8,233,633		60,841,872
Sharps		30,320		258,825
Wheatmeal				
Baking	(a)	416,934	(a)	1,843,435
Granulated		4,361		27,863
Stockmeal		165,478		1,115,061
Semolina		33,263		159,791
Total Wheat Gristed	6,415,536	8,883,989	58,006,616	64,246,847
(Tons of 2,000 lb)				

Production (b)				
Flour White	128,447	182,247	1,196,746	1,341,205
Sharps	(c)	751	(c)	6,216
Wheatmeal -				
Baking	5,880	11,475	42,878	51,148
Granulated	125	128	1,059	804
Stockmeal	8,398	5,068	38,886	34,541
Semolina	757	751	11,524	3,650
Wheat Germ	116	167	1,017	1,115
Bran	23,391	33,992	221,416	249,525
Pollard	27,649	37,864	258,049	280,804
Screenings	(c)	34	(c)	201
Total Products Obtained	194,763	272,477	1,771,575	1,969,209

(a) Not available separately. (b) Excludes Production in other Grain Mills. (c) Details not collected.

TABLE II : WHEAT GRISTED AND PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS OBTAINED : STATES
SIX WEEKS ENDED 5TH MAY, 1951.

State	Flour (White)	Wheatmeal for Baking	Sharps	Stockmeal
Wheat Gristed : Bushels.				
New South Wales	3,471,081	84,404	27,750	109,330
Victoria	2,270,007	121,782	2,404	30,133
Queensland	559,940	25,606	-	13,331
South Australia	791,632	172,410	-	4,885
Western Australia	1,004,156	7,999	166	7,799
Tasmania	136,817	4,733	-	-
Total:	8,233,633	416,934	30,320	165,478
Production : Tons of 2,000 lb.				
New South Wales	76,469	2,618	671	3,328
Victoria	50,602	3,440	76	909
Queensland	12,266	704	-	403
South Australia	17,508	4,396	-	146
Western Australia	22,462	196	4	282
Tasmania	2,940	121	-	-
	182,247	11,475	751	5,068

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

Six Weeks Ended 5th May, 1951

(Tons of 2,000 lb.)

Particulars	Stocks as at 24th March 1951	Production	Deliveries for -		Stocks as at 6th May 1951
			Consumption in Australia	Overseas Exports	
Flour (White)	94,561	182,247	92,772	120,331	63,705
Sharps	789	751	270	630	640
Wheatmeal -					
Baking	2,436	11,475	4,046	6,542	3,323
Granulated	6	128	122	-	12
Stockmeal	360	5,068	5,047	-	381
Semolina	132	751	706	10	167
Wheat Germ	93	167	123	98	39
Bran	4,298	33,992	33,766	4	4,520
Pollard	2,959	37,864	38,116	6	2,701
Screenings	3	34	33	-	4

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

Six Weeks Ended 5th May, 1951

(Tons of 2,000 lb.)

State.	Stocks as at 24th March 1951	Production	Deliveries for -		Stocks as at 6th May, 1951
			Consumption in Australia	Overseas Exports	
New South Wales	27,670	79,758	38,923	49,565	18,940
Victoria	32,124	54,118	25,622	32,026	26,594
Queensland	4,063	12,970	13,122	1,339	2,572
South Australia	20,881	21,904	7,836	29,664	5,285
Western Australia	12,359	22,662	6,445	14,908	13,668
Tasmania	689	3,061	3,140	1	609
Total:	97,786	194,473	97,088	127,503	67,668

(a) White Flour, Wheatmeal for Baking 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	Overseas Exports	
6 weeks ending -					
6-5-50	107,410	134,327	91,131	68,449	82,157
5-5-51	97,786	194,473	97,088	127,503	67,668
3rd July, 1949 to					
6th May, 1950	104,070	1,239,624	667,162	594,375	82,157
2nd July, 1950 to					
5th May, 1951	74,826	1,398,569	681,624	724,103	67,668

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

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