

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 13 -- FLOUR, BRAN AND POLLARD - FOUR WEEKS ENDED 24th SEPTEMBER, 1949.

TABLE 1 -- PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS AND STOCKS : AUSTRALIA.  
(Unit : Ton of 2,000 lb.)

PARTICULARS	White Flour	Wheatmeal For Baking	Total Flour	Bran	Pollard
<u>Four Weeks ended 24th September, 1949.</u>					
Stocks held by mills at 27th August, 1949 ..	74,555	1,446	76,001	1,816	2,024
Production ..	136,642	4,818	141,460	25,553	29,455
<u>TOTAL AVAILABLE SUPPLY:</u>	211,197	6,264	217,461	27,369	31,479
<u>Deliveries made by Mills for-</u>					
Consumption in Australia ..	57,712	3,752	61,464	(a) 24,620	(a) 28,846
Exports Overseas ..	81,894	206	82,100	2	2
Stocks held by Mills at 24th September, 1949 ..	71,591	2,306	73,897	2,747	2,631
<u>TOTAL ABOVE DELIVERIES AND STOCKS:</u>	211,197	6,264	217,461	27,369	31,479
<u>Comparative Figures -</u>					
Production four weeks ended 25th September, 1948 ..	137,709	3,228	140,937	26,788	28,736
Stocks held by Mills at 25th September, 1948 ..	63,722	1,414	65,136	2,404	2,426
<u>Production during period</u>					
4th January, 1948 to 25th September, 1948 ..	1,242,014	29,382	1,271,396	235,882	256,456
2nd January, 1949 to 24th September, 1949 ..	1,121,263	37,273	1,158,536	208,384	241,241

(a) Principally for consumption by livestock (including Poultry)

Wheat Gristed:- The quantity of wheat gristed by mills during the four weeks ended 24th September, 1949 was 6,558,182 bushels. In addition to the products shown above, 159 tons (2,000 lb) of wheatmeal for porridge, 3,116 tons (2,000 lb) of stockmeal, 1,787 tons (2,000 lb) of semolina and 100 tons (2,000 lb) of wheat germ were produced from this quantity of wheat.

COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS.

CANBERRA. A.C.T.

4th NOVEMBER, 1949.

TABLE 11 - PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS AND STOCKS: STATES.  
(Unit: Ton of 2,000 lb.)

State	Stocks held by Mills 27-8-49	Production	Quantities delivered during fortnight for -			Stocks held by Mills 24-9-49.
			Consumption in Australia.	Exports Overseas.		
FLOUR (a)						
New South Wales ..	22,617	57,457	25,798		37,518	16,758
Victoria ..	30,726	38,242	15,831		26,729	26,408
Queensland ..	4,708	8,696	8,370		9	5,025
South Australia ..	7,996	17,536	5,288		6,285	13,959
Western Australia ..	9,088	17,387	4,040		11,559	10,876
Tasmania ..	866	2,142	2,137		-	871
TOTAL:	76,001	141,460	61,464		82,100	73,997
BRAN (b)						
New South Wales ..	632	9,520	9,226			924
Victoria ..	480	7,248	6,895		2	833
Queensland ..	42	1,102	1,101		-	43
South Australia ..	112	3,647	3,542		-	217
Western Australia ..	522	3,733	3,551		-	704
Tasmania ..	28	303	305		-	26
TOTAL:	1,816	25,553	24,620		2	2,747
POLLARD (b)						
New South Wales ..	913	13,382	13,136			1,157
Victoria ..	550	7,526	7,214		2	862
Queensland ..	106	2,093	2,065		-	134
South Australia ..	110	3,262	3,193		-	179
Western Australia ..	304	2,639	2,681		-	262
Tasmania ..	41	553	557		-	37
TOTAL:	2,024	29,455	28,846		2	2,631

(a) Including Wheatmeal for baking. (b) Principally for consumption by livestock (including Poultry)

TABLE 111 - NUMBER OF MILLS, WHEAT GRISTED AND EMPLOYMENT: STATES.

State	No. of Mills Operating	Wheat Gristed 4 weeks ended 24-9-49 bus.	Persons employed (a) 24th September, 1949.					
			Total including those under 21 years.			Persons under 21 years.		
			Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
New South Wales ..	53	2,704,446	1,575	74	1,649	99	35	134
Victoria ..	34	1,741,838	1,116	30	1,146	57	11	68
Queensland ..	10	407,621	375	36	411	18	14	32
South Australia ..	31	823,182	509	17	526	30	5	35
Western Australia ..	18	779,510	512	34	546	28	15	43
Tasmania ..	3	101,585	109	7	116	8	3	11
TOTAL:	149	6,558,182	4,196	198	4,394	240	83	323

(a) Excluding Working Proprietors and persons engaged in selling or distribution.