

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 5 - PIGS SLAUGHTERED AND
PRODUCTION AND DISPOSALS OF PORK AND BACON AND HAM - MARCH, 1950
 (Note : Subject to revision)

TABLE 1 - Number of Pigs Slaughtered
 (Pigs slaughtered for boiling down are excluded)

State	March		9 months ended March	
	1949	1950	1949	1950
<u>PIGS KILLED FOR PORK</u>				
New South Wales ..	13,421	10,728	114,701	113,056
Victoria ..	13,885	10,886	122,294	91,639
Queensland ..	21,411	25,865	144,366	<u>150,400</u>
South Australia ..	2,748	2,256	31,420	21,555
Western Australia ..	3,572	2,930	38,540	26,472
Tasmania ..	2,276	2,377	19,724	19,625
Northern Territory ..	41	68	367	509
Australian Capital Territory ..	112	112	1,005	1,008
<u>Australia:</u>	<u>57,466</u>	<u>55,222</u>	<u>472,417</u>	<u>474,264</u>
<u>PIGS KILLED FOR BACON AND HAM</u>				
New South Wales ..	27,365	31,587	222,589	221,858
Victoria ..	19,807	18,694	155,064	140,457
Queensland ..	29,150	27,774	209,711	213,906
South Australia ..	7,509	7,407	66,735	62,184
Western Australia ..	6,254	5,623	64,542	63,629
Tasmania ..	3,827	4,100	17,941	17,781
<u>Australia:</u>	<u>93,912</u>	<u>95,185</u>	<u>736,582</u>	<u>719,815</u>
<u>PIGS KILLED FOR PORK AND BACON AND HAM</u>				
New South Wales ..	40,786	42,315	337,290	334,914
Victoria ..	33,692	29,580	275,358	232,096
Queensland ..	50,561	53,639	354,077	364,306
South Australia ..	10,257	9,663	100,155	83,739
Western Australia ..	9,626	8,553	103,062	90,101
Tasmania ..	6,103	6,477	37,665	37,406
Northern Territory ..	41	68	367	509
Australian Capital Territory ..	112	112	1,005	1,008
<u>Australia:</u>	<u>151,378</u>	<u>150,407</u>	<u>1,208,999</u>	<u>1,144,079</u>

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TABLE II - Production of Pork and Bacon and Ham (Smoked)
(Unit : Ton)

State	March		9 months ended March	
	1949	1950	1949	1950
<u>PRODUCTION OF PORK</u>				
New South Wales ..	660	542	5,789	5,614
Victoria ..	733	583	6,457	4,925
Queensland ..	1,144	1,391	7,907	8,261
South Australia ..	159	131	1,753	1,262
Western Australia ..	209	177	2,249	1,604
Tasmania ..	106	112	925	930
Northern Territory ..	2	4	15	25
Australian Capital Territory ..	2	2	36	18
<u>Australia:</u>	<u>3,035</u>	<u>2,942</u>	<u>25,131</u>	<u>22,639</u>
<u>PRODUCTION OF SMOKED BACON AND HAM (CURED WEIGHT)</u>				
New South Wales ..	1,153	895	9,608	9,346
Victoria ..	741	689	6,491	6,088
Queensland ..	646	902	7,322	7,726
South Australia ..	347	282	3,047	2,625
Western Australia ..	269	289	2,707	2,657
Tasmania ..	81	81	778	765
<u>Australia:</u>	<u>3,237</u>	<u>3,138</u>	<u>29,955</u>	<u>29,207</u>
<u>PRODUCTION OF PORK AND BACON AND HAM IN TERMS OF PORK</u>				
New South Wales ..	2,248	1,759	18,871	18,325
Victoria ..	1,740	1,520	15,280	13,209
Queensland ..	2,023	2,618	17,863	18,770
South Australia ..	631	515	5,896	4,832
Western Australia ..	575	570	5,928	5,211
Tasmania ..	216	222	1,980	1,971
Northern Territory ..	2	4	15	25
Australian Capital Territory ..	2	2	36	18
<u>Australia:</u>	<u>7,437</u>	<u>7,210</u>	<u>65,869</u>	<u>62,361</u>

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TABLE III - Production and Disposals of Pork and Bacon and Ham - Australia
(Unit : Ton)

Particulars	March		9 months ended March	
	1949	1950	1949	1950
PORK				
Stock at commencement of period (a) ..	2,487	1,367	1,372	1,923
Production ..	3,035	2,742	25,131	22,639
Total:	5,522	4,309	26,503	24,562
Overseas Exports of Frozen Pork (b) ..	1,787	456	5,468	4,005
Balance available for consumption in Australia (c) ..	1,093	1,888	18,393	18,592
Stock at end of period (a) ..	2,642	1,765	2,642	1,965
Total:	5,522	4,309	26,503	24,562
BACON AND HAM (CURED WEIGHT)				
Stock at commencement of period (d) ..	985	731	997	889
Production ..	3,237	3,138	29,955	29,207
Total:	4,222	3,869	30,952	30,096
Overseas Exports -				
Canned ..	35	40	632	460
Not Canned (b) ..	237	431	2,668	2,613
Balance available for consumption in Australia (c) ..	3,051	2,376	26,753	26,001
Stock at end of period (d) ..	899	1,022	899	1,022
Total:	4,222	3,869	30,952	30,096

- (a) Stocks of frozen Pork as recorded by Australian Meat Board.
(b) Includes ships' stores.
(c) Includes all pork used for canning or smallgoods whether the products were exported or otherwise.
(d) Stocks of bacon and ham at bacon and ham factories.
(e) Includes consumption of canned bacon and ham in Australia.

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