

**PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 41 : VEGETABLE OILS, MARGARINE AND
OTHER EDIBLE PROCESSED FATS
AUSTRALIA : JUNE 1976**

All annual figures are derived from the recorded monthly production and are subject to revision.

As from February 1976 production statistics are no longer being collected from single establishment manufacturing enterprises employing less than four persons or from establishments predominantly engaged in non-manufacturing activities but which may carry on in a minor way some manufacturing.

However, except for a few commodities, the effect on production levels and movements is marginal. An indication of the approximate magnitude of the break in comparability may be obtained by comparing annual 1974-75 data which are shown in this publication on both the old and the new basis. Monthly data from July 1975 to January 1976 have also been adjusted on the new basis.

TABLE 1. - UNREFINED VEGETABLE OILS AND PROCESSED SINGLE OILS AND FATS, NOT EMULSIFIED
(^{000 kilograms})

Period	Unrefined vegetable oils			Processed single vegetable oils and fats, deodorized not emulsified					
				Refined		Refined hydrogenated		Total	
	Peanut (393.90)	Other (a)	Total	Coconut (393.33)	Peanut (393.98)	Other (b)	Coconut (121.32)	Other (121.33-36)	
1973-74	1,578	71,887	74,148	2,818	4,058	37,349	6,683	2,357	53,265
1974-75	<u>875</u>	<u>74,401</u>	<u>75,275</u>	<u>1,712</u>	<u>3,391</u>	<u>30,931</u>	<u>4,390</u>	<u>667</u>	<u>41,533</u>
1974-75 (d)	875	74,397	75,271	1,719	3,391	30,931	4,390	667	41,533
1975-76	990	66,392	67,381	2,388	2,815	30,092	4,215	541	40,050
1975 -									
May	(c)	(c)	6,635	100	(c)	2,780	431	(c)	3,716
June	(c)	(c)	<u>5,705</u>	<u>107</u>	(c)	<u>3,018</u>	<u>296</u>	(c)	<u>3,897</u>
July (e)	(c)	(c)	7,102	148	(c)	2,261	457	(c)	3,068
August	(c)	(c)	8,004	140	(c)	2,450	371	(c)	3,462
September	(c)	(c)	6,925	157	(c)	2,400	470	(c)	3,207
October	(c)	(c)	6,622	198	(c)	2,992	462	(c)	4,136
November	(c)	(c)	4,315	245	(c)	2,716	357	(c)	3,693
December	(c)	(c)	3,590	263	(c)	1,809	405	(c)	2,799
1976 -									
January	(c)	(c)	5,399	227	(c)	2,246	259	(c)	2,883
February	(c)	(c)	4,837	150	(c)	2,264	324	(c)	2,965
March	(c)	(c)	4,453	208	(c)	2,620	262	(c)	3,465
April	(c)	(c)	4,623	250	(c)	2,981	261	(c)	3,714
May	(c)	(c)	5,968	201	(c)	2,516	241	(c)	3,111
June	(c)	(c)	5,545	202	(c)	2,838	346	(c)	3,548

(a) Code numbers 393.26,38,50,72; 394.06,93. (b) Code numbers 393.45,86; 394.11,39,98. (c) Not available for publication. (d) Excludes the production of certain small producers. See explanatory notes above. (e) Data for July 1975 and subsequent months exclude the production of certain small producers. See explanatory notes above.



TABLE 2. - OTHER PROCESSED OILS AND FATS (a)
(^{000 kilograms})

Period	Margarine			Other		
	Table (121.01)	Other		Emulsified bread fats (121.42)	Other processed oils and fats	
		Packs 1 lb or under (121.06)	Packs over 1 lb (121.08)		Packs of 1 lb or under (121.47)	Packs over 1 lb (121.48)
1973-74	24,449	26,078	31,041	1,232	5,648	53,890
1974-75	31,582	26,586	28,791	1,075	6,133	50,152
1974-75 (c)	31,582	26,586	28,791	1,075	6,133	50,152
1975-76	41,574	25,169	30,731	1,003	7,163	54,519
1975 -						
May	2,833	2,304	2,825	(b)	(b)	4,519
June	2,653	2,251	2,315	(b)	(b)	4,042
July (d)	3,064	2,651	3,024	(b)	(b)	4,412
August	2,653	2,075	2,400	(b)	(b)	3,806
September	3,865	2,525	3,290	(b)	(b)	4,426
October	3,583	2,638	3,298	(b)	(b)	5,756
November	3,606	2,245	2,705	(b)	(b)	4,570
December	3,096	1,692	2,304	(b)	(b)	4,483
1976 -						
January	2,158	1,637	1,314	(b)	(b)	3,109
February	4,118	1,900	2,200	(b)	(b)	4,912
March	4,032	1,321	2,401	(b)	(b)	4,834
April	3,620	2,229	2,382	(b)	(b)	4,500
May	3,944	1,958	2,383	(b)	(b)	4,421
June	3,836	2,298	3,029	(b)	(b)	5,290

(a) Excludes lard and processed fats (either in solid or liquid form) for sale or transfer to edible fats establishments for final processing into margarine. (b) Not available for publication. (c) Excludes the production of certain small producers. See explanatory notes above. (d) Data for July 1975 and subsequent months exclude the production of certain small producers. See explanatory notes.

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