

1 MAY 1944

JAMS AND JELLIES, FRUIT AND TOMATO PULP : MONTHS OF MARCH, 1943 AND MARCH, 1944.

SUMMARY FOR AUSTRALIA

(Unit : lb.)

Particulars	Jams and Jellies		Fruit Pulp		Tomato Pulp	
	March, 1943	March, 1944	March, 1943	March, 1944	March, 1943	March, 1944
Stocks held by Factories at commencement of month	44,187,184	(a) 49,792,748	21,324,356	22,438,606	20,180,636	(a) 30,894,772
Production during month ..	16,404,454	17,449,396	4,307,469	3,450,927	15,654,731	25,875,126
Oversea Imports during month ..	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>TOTAL OF ABOVE SUPPLIES:</u>	60,591,638	67,242,144	25,631,825	25,889,533	35,835,367	56,769,898
Delivered under Contract during four weeks ended 24th March for consumption in Australia -						
By Australian Services ..	3,861,817	143,964	-	-	-	-
By U. S. Services ..	(c)	2,314,170	-	-	-	-
By Ancillary Services ..	(c)	960	-	-	-	-
Total Deliveries ..	3,861,817	2,459,094	-	-	-	-
Oversea Exports during month ..	537,618	856,045	-	1,140	-	4,095
Stocks held by Factories at end of month ..	49,504,976	55,486,970	21,813,070	23,583,507	33,176,540	47,491,234
<u>TOTAL OF DISPOSALS AND STOCKS:</u>	53,904,411	58,802,109	21,813,070	23,584,647	33,176,540	47,495,329
Available for consumption ..	(b) 6,687,227	(b) 8,440,035	3,618,755	2,304,946	2,658,227	9,274,563
Increase (+) in stocks held by Factories during month ..	5,317,792	5,694,222	488,714	1,144,961	12,995,904	16,596,462

(a) Revised. (b) The quantity actually consumed by civilian population would vary from this figure according as Stocks held by Wholesalers, retailers and consumers increased or decreased during the month. These stocks have not been ascertained.
(c) Not available.

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