

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 5 - PIGS SLAUGHTERED AND PRODUCTION
AND DISPOSALS OF PORK AND BACON AND HAM -
1 Y. 1949

(Note : Subject to revision)

TABLE I : NUMBER OF PIGS SLAUGHTERED.

(Pigs slaughtered for boiling down are excluded)

State	May		11 months ended	
	1948	1 1949	1948	1949

PIGS KILLED FOR PORK

New South Wales ..	10,345	15,981	94,506	149,512
Victoria ..	10,227	14,933	115,036	151,476
Queensland ..	12,262	20,456	110,863	187,974
South Australia ..	4,049	3,204	44,669	37,002
Western Australia ..	3,616	3,276	31,391	45,319
Tasmania ..	2,209	2,344	24,714	24,442
Northern Territory ..	50	30	514	453
Australian Capital Territory	41	41	554	451
<u>Australia</u>	42,819	60,273	422,247	597,509

PIGS KILLED FOR BACON AND HAM

New South Wales ..	31,243	28,493	269,455	277,521
Victoria ..	20,412	21,090	232,042	191,442
Queensland ..	27,994	28,530	256,956	266,546
South Australia ..	8,853	7,410	108,441	63,620
Western Australia ..	7,211	7,534	69,532	77,699
Tasmania ..	3,105	2,804	26,882	23,205
<u>Australia</u>	98,818	95,877	1,003,308	922,121

PIGS KILLED FOR PORK AND BACON AND HAM

New South Wales ..	41,588	44,474	363,961	427,033
Victoria ..	30,639	36,031	347,078	342,918
Queensland ..	40,256	48,994	367,819	456,520
South Australia ..	12,902	10,614	153,110	121,510
Western Australia ..	10,827	10,810	120,923	123,013
Tasmania ..	5,334	5,148	51,596	47,727
Northern Territory ..	50	30	514	453
Australian Capital Territory	41	41	554	451
<u>Australia</u>	141,637	156,150	1,425,555	1,519,630

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TABLE II - PRODUCTION OF PORK AND BACON AND HAM (SMOKED)
(unit : ton)

State	May		11 months ended	
	1948	1949	1948	1949

PRODUCTION OF PORK

New South Wales	542	790	5,066	7,475
Victoria	571	807	6,495	8,150
Queensland	725	1,148	6,561	10,665
South Australia	256	206	2,857	4,412
Western Australia	245	226	2,177	3,521
Tasmania	167	111	1,181	1,147
Northern Territory	3	1	30	19
Australian Capital Territory	2	2	27	32
<u>Australia</u>	<u>2,454</u>	<u>3,291</u>	<u>24,413</u>	<u>32,961</u>

PRODUCTION OF SMOKED BACON AND HAM (CURED WEIGHT)

New South Wales	1,136	1,166	11,937	11,907
Victoria	764	775	9,897	7,948
Queensland	975	746	9,211	8,811
South Australia	358	324	4,430	3,634
Western Australia	359	344	3,539	3,354
Tasmania	110	66	1,207	937
<u>Australia</u>	<u>3,731</u>	<u>3,361</u>	<u>40,221</u>	<u>36,557</u>

PRODUCTION OF PORK AND BACON AND HAM IN
TERMS OF PORK

New South Wales	2,067	2,294	21,299	23,669
Victoria	1,637	1,861	19,955	16,999
Queensland	2,061	2,163	19,108	22,656
South Australia	743	647	8,882	7,354
Western Australia	736	694	6,990	7,552
Tasmania	269	226	2,823	2,421
Northern Territory	3	1	30	19
Australian Capital Territory	2	2	27	32
<u>Australia</u>	<u>7,528</u>	<u>7,890</u>	<u>79,114</u>	<u>82,732</u>

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

Particulars	May		11 months ended	
	1948	1949	May	1949

PORK

Stocks at commencement of period (a)	1,402	1,812	1,387	1,372
Production	2,454	3,291	24,413	32,961
<u>Total</u>	3,856	5,103	25,800	34,333
Overseas Exports of Frozen Pork (b)	104	2,196	1,399	8,422
Balance available for consumption in Australia (c)	1,427	1,033	22,076	24,037
Stocks at end of period (a)	2,325	1,874	2,325	1,874
<u>Total</u>	3,856	5,103	25,800	34,333

BACON AND HAM (CURED WEIGHT)

Stocks at commencement of period (d)	928	823	850	997
Production	3,731	3,381	40,221	36,597
<u>Total</u>	4,659	4,204	41,071	37,594
Overseas Exports - Canned	135	148	1,347	845
Not Canned (b)	267	274	2,529	3,107
Balance available for consumption in Australia (c)	3,289	2,883	36,227	32,742
Stocks at end of period (d)	966	899	966	899
<u>Total</u>	4,659	4,204	41,071	37,594

- (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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