

BLUE PEAS
SUMMARY FOR AUSTRALIA AS AT 11TH SEPTEMBER, 1943.

State	Estimated Production	Total Receipts to date	Estimated Seed Require- ments (a)	Expected Balanc. Available to meet orders other than seed	Authority for whom orders have been placed	Quantity Ordered	Quantity Delivered
	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels		bushels	bushels
New South Wales ..	6,600	6,499	4,639	1,810	Military ..	322,021	270,904
Victoria ..	42,000	41,614	11,931	29,683	Mercantile Marine ..	3,927	1,139
Queensland ..	200	169	433	-	Canners ..	53,921	37,105
South Australia ..	7,000	6,754	5,290	1,474	Munitions Canteens ..	953	953
Western Australia ..	1,400	1,342	1,335	7	Special Civilian Supplies	34,961	9,245
Tasmania ..	355,000	353,275	40,800	313,075	Seed ..	49,706	38,489
<u>TOTAL:</u>	412,200	410,262	64,478	(b) 345,734	<u>TOTAL:</u>	465,469	357,936

(a) Preliminary Estimate. (b) Excludes 23,000 bushels delivered in 1942, and repurchased from the Navy.

NOTE: Stocks held on 11th September, 1943, including 23,000 bushels repurchased, were 67,580 bushels.

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