

PRODUCTION SUMMARY No. 54 : FLOUR MILLING : FOUR WEEKS ENDED 24th FEBRUARY, 1951.

(Subject to Revision)

TABLE I : WHEAT GRISTED AND PRODUCTS OBTAINED, AUSTRALIA

Particulars	Four Weeks Ended -		Period	Period
	25th February 1950	24th February 1951	3rd July, 1949 to 25th Feb. 1950	2nd July, 1950 to 24th Feb. 1951
(Bushels)				
Wheat Gristed for -				
Flour (White)		5,690,187		46,951,238
Sharps		29,314		202,481
Wheatmeal -				
Baking	(a)	177,650	(a)	1,287,688
Granulated		3,654		21,658
Stockmeal		109,428		838,215
Semolina		13,976		108,895
Total Wheat Gristed:	4,655,912	6,024,209	47,255,106	49,410,172

(Tons of 2,000 lb.)

Production (b)				
Flour (White)	96,192	125,060	980,230	1,034,458
Sharps	(c)	703	(c)	4,830
Wheatmeal -				
Baking	3,978	4,930	33,298	35,869
Granulated	86	102	873	620
Stockmeal	2,777	3,362	25,960	26,054
Semolina	226	314	10,435	2,491
Wheat Germ	95	114	814	828
Bran	17,640	23,470	181,792	192,173
Pollard	20,629	26,170	211,116	216,619
Screenings	(c)	7	(c)	151
Total Products Obtained	141,623	184,232	1,444,518	1,514,093

(a) Not available separately.

(b) Excludes Production in other Grain Mills.

(c) Details not collected.

TABLE II : WHEAT GRISTED AND PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS OBTAINED : STATES

FOUR WEEKS ENDED 24th FEBRUARY, 1951

State	Flour (White)	Wheatmeal for Baking	Sharps	Stockmeal
Wheat Gristed : Bushels.				
New South Wales	2,394,545	38,778	27,823	73,058
Victoria	1,473,847	88,147	1,372	22,570
Queensland	372,461	16,625	-	7,090
South Australia	689,942	6,151	-	1,508
Western Australia	676,532	24,959	119	5,169
Tasmania	82,860	2,990	-	33
Total:	5,690,187	177,650	29,314	109,428

Production : Tons of 2,000 lb.

New South Wales	52,235	1,216	657	2,234
Victoria	32,887	2,354	43	670
Queensland	7,971	463	-	216
South Australia	15,470	164	-	45
Western Australia	14,727	656	3	196
Tasmania	1,770	77	-	1
Total:	125,060	4,930	703	3,362

TABLE III : PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS AND STOCKS OF FLOUR MILL PRODUCTS : AUSTRALIA

FOUR WEEKS ENDED 24th FEBRUARY, 1951

(Tons of 2,000 lb.)

Particulars	Stock as at 27/1/51	Production	Deliveries for-		Stock as at 24/2/51
			Consumption in Australia	Overseas Exports	
Flour (White)	80,232	125,060	59,092	53,818	92,382
Sharps	656	703	155	524	680
Wheatmeal -					
Baking	2,170	4,930	2,491	2,336	2,273
Granulated	18	102	106	6	8
Stockmeal	422	3,362	3,400	-	384
Semolina	114	314	285	28	115
Wheat Germ	45	114	89	12	58
Bran	3,518	23,470	23,074	1	3,913
Pollard	2,748	26,170	26,125	1	2,792
Screenings	12	7	15	-	4

TABLE IV : PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS AND STOCKS OF TOTAL FLOUR (a) : STATES

FOUR WEEKS ENDED 24th FEBRUARY, 1951

(Tons of 2,000 lb.)

State	Stock as at 27/1/51	Production	Deliveries for-		Stock as at 24/2/51
			Consumption in Australia	Overseas Exports	
New South Wales	25,292	54,108	25,980	29,505	23,911
Victoria	32,768	35,284	17,294	18,822	31,936
Queensland	3,944	8,434	8,160	458	3,760
South Australia	11,026	15,634	4,776	1,911	19,973
Western Australia	8,837	15,386	3,379	5,978	14,866
Tasmania	1,191	1,847	2,149	-	889
Total:	83,058	130,693	61,738	56,678	95,335

(a) White Flour, Wheatmeal for Baking and Sharps.

TABLE V : PRODUCTION, DISPOSALS AND STOCKS OF TOTAL FLOUR (a) : AUSTRALIA

(Tons of 2,000 lb.)

Period	Stock as at Commencement of Period	Production	Deliveries for-		Stock as at end of Period
			Consumption in Australia	Overseas Exports	
4 Weeks ending -					
25/2/50	122,038	100,170	58,089	58,491	105,628
24/2/51	83,058	130,693	61,738	56,678	95,335
3rd July, 1949 to					
25th February, 1950	104,070	1,013,528	515,298	496,672	105,628
2nd July, 1950 to					
24th February, 1951	74,826	1,075,157	523,904	530,744	95,335

(a) White Flour, Wheatmeal for Baking and Sharps.

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