

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 38
PRESERVED FISH : AUSTRALIA
JUNE, 1958.

The information set out below has been compiled from returns of establishments in your industry, and indicates current trends in the production of the commodities listed.

The figures for 1956-57 and later periods are subject to revision.

Period	Fish Used - Purchased as -		Production of Preserved Fish (including Fish Loaf, Fish Cakes, etc.)
	Whole	Headed and/or Gutted	Total
	cwt.	cwt.	'000 lb.
Year : 1954-55	31,804	69,385	6,646
1955-56	31,504	63,170	6,008
1956-57	*65,471	49,302	*8,241
1957-58	45,681	27,287	7,723
Month, 1957 : June	(a)	(a)	*579
July	(a)	3,468	*723
August	*4,366	(a)	*333
September	*1,589	(a)	*101
October	(a)	(a)	*268
November	(a)	(a)	*465
December	(a)	(a)	*409
1958 : January	(a)	630	*426
February	*5,703	(a)	564
March	3,359	(a)	*1,796
April	*12,621	4,503	1,303
May	11,858	(a)	775
June	6,501	(a)	560

(a) Not available for publication.

* Revised.

NOTE: The above figures exclude production of canned Shell Fish and Fish Paste for which details are not available for publication, and of Smoked Fish, for which details are available only annually, viz:- 1954-55 - 65,567 lb., 1955-56 - 122,816 lb., 1956-57 - 486,913 lb., and 1957-58 - 332,483 lb.