

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 37 : LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED AND PRODUCTION OF MEAT.
(Including estimates of slaughtering and meat production on farms and stations)

FEBRUARY, 1959

TABLE I : LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED
(Slaughtering for Bolling Down are Excluded)
(Subject to Revision)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	AUST. (a)
CATTLE							
February - 1958	76,567	72,631	58,739	14,780	12,615	6,967	245,179
1959	101,526	80,452	90,638	17,028	13,689	7,657	313,890
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	674,657	526,107	704,327	118,636	112,952	55,442	2,215,547
1959	835,882	567,317	907,122	127,794	135,534	58,040	2,715,252
CALVES							
February - 1958	38,319	20,595	24,548	7,441	2,585	1,005	94,700
1959	40,615	29,147	29,923	6,754	2,510	1,073	101,268
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	278,044	203,000	295,589	66,734	20,561	24,948	1,290,641
1959	269,378	295,815	291,109	63,528	21,740	30,245	1,273,629
CATTLE AND CALVES							
February - 1958	114,886	93,216	83,287	22,221	15,200	7,972	339,879
1959	142,141	109,599	120,561	23,782	16,199	8,730	415,158
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	1,152,701	929,107	999,916	185,370	133,513	60,391	3,506,188
1959	1,305,260	963,132	1,258,231	191,522	157,274	88,285	3,988,881
SHEEP							
February - 1958	357,518	659,548	98,383	210,197	95,531	27,888	1,454,228
1959	429,711	670,553	109,300	181,325	118,804	33,790	1,547,794
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	2,868,021	3,868,731	763,557	1,293,018	770,238	188,079	9,787,970
1959	2,971,794	4,017,110	860,290	1,158,695	1,054,885	226,186	10,325,456
LAMBS							
February - 1958	274,491	272,276	13,443	85,543	34,387	37,761	719,856
1959	314,286	362,702	39,193	59,400	35,496	68,171	760,793
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	2,297,458	3,077,627	116,161	1,133,676	558,652	313,706	7,512,899
1959	2,759,188	3,466,387	156,300	1,124,386	651,473	387,808	8,561,161
SHEEP AND LAMBS							
February - 1958	632,009	931,824	112,426	295,742	129,918	65,649	2,174,084
1959	743,997	933,055	128,495	240,525	154,090	101,961	2,308,587
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	5,165,479	6,946,358	879,718	2,426,694	1,328,890	501,785	17,300,869
1959	5,730,982	7,483,497	1,016,590	2,283,081	1,706,358	613,994	18,386,617
PIGS FOR PORK							
February - 1958	27,266	21,986	12,409	6,959	7,117	5,336	81,552
1959	28,518	23,696	15,827	6,107	5,590	6,247	86,607
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	253,464	178,313	100,422	49,160	56,156	36,550	678,014
1959	276,923	188,412	112,707	62,293	61,834	42,207	749,357
PIGS FOR BACON AND HAM							
February - 1958	18,820	17,332	17,913	7,394	8,673	4,772	74,906
1959	19,003	14,092	25,605	6,783	7,537	5,585	78,605
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	146,557	121,046	184,016	62,521	88,424	22,013	624,577
1959	142,434	116,907	217,284	59,656	77,179	25,510	638,970
TOTAL PIGS							
February - 1958	46,086	39,318	30,322	14,353	15,792	10,108	156,458
1959	47,521	37,788	41,432	12,890	13,127	11,832	165,212
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	400,021	299,364	284,438	111,681	144,580	58,563	1,302,591
1959	419,359	305,379	329,991	121,949	139,013	67,717	1,388,327

(a) Includes details for N.T. and A.C.T.

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FEBRUARY, 1959

TABLE II : PRODUCTION OF MEAT

(Tons)

(Subject to Revision)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust. (a)
<u>BEEF</u>							
February - 1958	13,922	14,121	12,172	2,872	2,453	1,545	47,668
1959	19,744	15,842	18,727	3,302	2,561	1,674	62,462
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	132,492	104,805	158,464	24,640	23,312	12,456	461,053
1959	163,506	109,749	204,758	24,534	27,433	12,644	547,708
<u>VEAL</u>							
February - 1958	1,778	766	727	334	107	33	3,753
1959	1,742	931	885	336	89	34	4,028
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	17,580	10,888	7,576	2,744	817	550	40,225
1959	16,959	11,412	7,905	2,784	837	652	40,623
<u>BEEF AND VEAL</u>							
February - 1958	15,700	14,887	12,899	3,206	2,560	1,578	51,421
1959	21,486	16,773	19,612	3,638	2,650	1,708	66,490
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	150,072	115,693	166,040	27,384	24,129	13,006	501,278
1959	180,465	121,161	212,663	27,318	28,270	13,296	588,331
<u>MUTTON</u>							
February - 1958	6,311	12,169	1,679	3,844	1,763	529	26,378
1959	7,847	12,696	2,049	3,391	2,098	707	28,869
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	51,101	76,108	13,625	24,275	14,751	3,745	184,262
1959	57,183	78,370	15,810	22,662	19,403	4,628	198,718
<u>LAMB</u>							
February - 1958	4,009	4,057	169	1,169	537	639	10,609
1959	4,900	3,830	275	945	471	1,075	11,525
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	33,087	46,175	1,531	15,008	8,068	5,278	109,379
1959	43,972	52,179	2,339	16,840	9,095	6,376	131,033
<u>MUTTON AND LAMB</u>							
February - 1958	10,320	16,226	1,848	5,013	2,300	1,168	36,987
1959	12,747	16,526	2,324	4,336	2,569	1,782	40,394
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	84,188	122,283	15,156	39,283	22,819	9,023	293,641
1959	101,155	130,549	18,149	39,502	28,498	11,004	329,751

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TABLE II : PRODUCTION OF MEAT (Continued)
 (Tons)

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Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.(a)
<u>PORK</u>							
February - 1958	1,236	1,062	390	323	362	223	3,816
February - 1959	1,169	987	735	309	301	258	3,784
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	11,138	8,485	4,831	2,387	2,935	1,528	31,479
February - 1959	11,714	8,472	5,386	2,850	3,042	1,775	33,451
<u>BACON AND HAM (CURED WEIGHT)(b)</u>							
February - 1958	813	624	570	243	207	75	2,532
February - 1959	803	635	788	231	219	74	2,750
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	7,622	5,444	6,385	2,304	2,015	614	24,384
February - 1959	8,096	5,950	7,755	2,249	1,982	607	26,639
<u>TOTAL PIGMEATS AS PORK</u>							
February - 1958	2,342	1,911	1,365	653	644	325	7,262
February - 1959	2,361	1,851	1,862	623	599	359	7,580
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	21,505	15,890	13,515	5,520	5,076	2,364	64,645
February - 1959	22,725	16,564	15,987	5,908	5,738	2,598	69,732
<u>TOTAL MEATS IN TERMS OF FRESH</u>							
February - 1958	28,362	33,024	16,112	8,872	5,504	3,071	95,670
February - 1959	36,494	35,150	23,798	8,597	5,818	3,849	114,464
Eight months ended							
February - 1958	255,765	253,866	194,711	72,187	52,624	24,393	859,564
February - 1959	304,345	268,274	246,799	72,728	62,506	26,898	987,814

(a) Includes details for N.T. and A.C.T.

(b) Includes pressed and canned bacon and ham converted to bone-in weight.

TABLE III : STOCKS OF FROZEN MEAT (Tons)
 (As recorded by Australian Meat Board)

State	Beef and Veal	Mutton	Lamb	Pork	Offal	Total
<u>STOCKS HELD ON 1ST MARCH, 1958.</u>						
New South Wales	2,233	7,232	361	294	733	4,853
Victoria	3,247	7,951	2,615	669	1,070	15,552
Queensland	4,354	221	14	269	429	5,287
South Australia	561	1,793	1,203	141	301	3,999
Western Australia	399	463	304	487	52	1,705
Tasmania	102	51	33	360	21	567
<u>Australia</u>	<u>10,896</u>	<u>11,711</u>	<u>4,530</u>	<u>2,220</u>	<u>2,606</u>	<u>31,963</u>
<u>STOCKS HELD ON 28TH FEBRUARY, 1959.</u>						
New South Wales	3,046	1,209	423	218	922	5,818
Victoria	4,684	6,349	2,077	367	692	14,169
Queensland	10,225	194	11	98	784	11,312
South Australia	763	826	248	68	246	2,151
Western Australia	1,115	887	443	257	100	2,802
Tasmania	121	50	196	265	40	672
<u>Australia</u>	<u>19,954</u>	<u>9,515</u>	<u>3,398</u>	<u>1,273</u>	<u>2,784</u>	<u>36,924</u>

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