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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Scope and coverage

Statistics in this publication are, in general, derived from the annual Agricultural Census conducted throughout Australia at 31 March, which collects data from establishments with agricultural activity.

2. The ABS excludes from the Census those establishments which make only a small contribution to overall agricultural production. Thus, establishments with agricultural activity have been included in the 1984-85 Census if they had or were expected to have an estimated value of agricultural operations of \$2,500 or more.

3. The information in this publication and in State Office issues of this title is presented in a framework comprising the following two sections:

I Summary

II Commodities

A—Orchard fruit (including edible tree nuts)

B—Tropical and other fruit

C—Grapes

Fruit commodities

4. This publication contains details of total area, tree numbers and production of fruit and grapes. Tables providing some information on the value of fruit production, overseas trade and apparent consumption of fruit and fruit products are also included.

5. The fruits produced in Australia range from the tropical and sub-tropical types of the north, to the pome and stone fruit of the temperate regions of the south. Owing to the differing climatic conditions which govern the period of the harvesting of fruit in the various States, it is not possible to define with any degree of precision what period is covered by the term *season*. As a general rule, however, a season can be taken to cover production of citrus and tropical fruit during the year ended March, and deciduous and other fruits and grapes during the period November to May.

Related publications

6. Users may wish to refer to the following major publications which are available on request:

Agricultural Land Use, and Selected Inputs, Australia, 1984-85 (7411.0)

Crops and Pastures, Australia, 1984-85 (7321.0)

Value of Selected Agricultural Commodities Produced, Australia, 1984-85, (Preliminary) (7502.0)

Value of Agricultural Commodities Produced, Australia, 1983-84 (7503.0) (\$1.00, \$1.70 incl. postage)

Viticulture, Australia, 1984-85 (7310.0)

7. In addition to releasing agricultural statistics in printed publications, the ABS also has an Agricultural Data Dissemination Service (ADDS) which provides agricultural statistics on magnetic tape and microfiche. ADDS offers a wider range of data, aggregated at smaller geographic areas than those generally available in printed publications. ADDS is available for each year from 1976-77 to 1984-85. In certain cases these additional services are subject to a charge.

8. Current publications produced by the ABS are listed in the *Catalogue of Publications, Australia* (1101.0). The ABS also issues, on Tuesdays and Fridays, a *Publications Advice* (1105.0) which lists publications to be released in the next few days. The *Catalogue* and *Publications Advice* are available from any ABS office.

Statistics on VIATEL

9. Selected economic, social and demographic statistics are available on VIATEL *656#.

Symbols and other usages

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10. The figures shown in this publication have been revised where necessary and as a consequence may not agree with similar data shown in previous publications.

11. Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

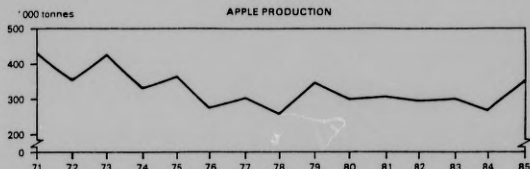
12. Unless indicated otherwise, Australian totals include data for all States and both Territories.

I. SUMMARY

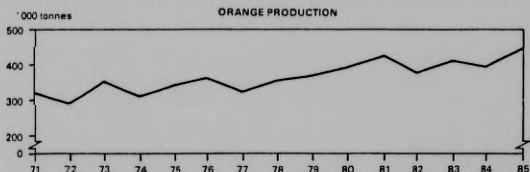
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

The total area under fruit and grapes has increased slightly from 172.0 thousand hectares to 173.1 thousand hectares in 1984-85, an increase of 0.6 per cent, with the area under orchard fruit showing the biggest increase of 1.7 per cent.

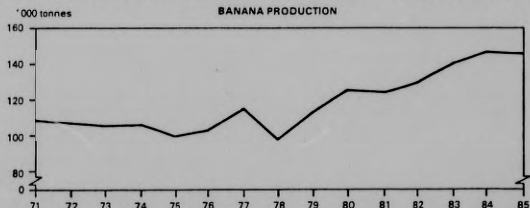
Apple production has increased from 267 thousand tonnes in 1983-84 to 352 thousand tonnes in 1984-85 (up 31.8 per cent). This is the highest production since 1974-75 when it exceeded 360 thousand tonnes. New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland and Western Australia have shown increases of 28.7 per cent, 43.7 per cent, 37.3 per cent and 54.9 per cent respectively.



The production of oranges has reached a record level at 445.0 thousand tonnes, an increase of 13.6 per cent on 1983-84 level. New South Wales at 196.4 thousand tonnes has shown the biggest increase of 27,700 tonnes (16.4 per cent). Total number of trees are also a record, at 6.7 million, an increase of 4.1 per cent on 1983-84.



Banana production has dropped slightly to 144.8 thousand tonnes, or 1.1 per cent, in 1984-85.



The 1984-85 grape harvest was a record 889.6 thousand tonnes, an increase of 5.8 per cent on 1983-84. This was despite a continuing decrease in bearing area since 1983-84. South Australia had the largest production increase of 9.1 per cent with winemaking grapes increasing significantly by 11.7 per cent. The apparent consumption of wine continues to increase reaching its highest per capita of 21.4 litres in 1984-85.

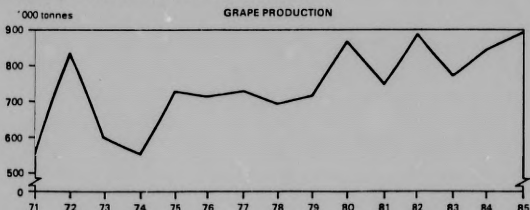


TABLE 1. AREA OF FRUIT, YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1985
(¹000 hectares)

Area of	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
Orchard fruit—							
Citrus	13.1	4.0	2.3	7.7	1.4	—	28.6
Pome	5.6	8.7	3.9	2.4	3.1	2.7	26.4
Stone and other	7.6	5.7	7.8	3.5	1.3	0.2	26.4
Nuts	3.0	1.2	2.5	2.6	0.6	—	9.9
TOTAL	29.2	19.6	16.4	16.3	6.4	2.8	91.3
Tropical and other fruit—							
Tropical	5.3	—	10.3	—	0.4	—	16.0
Other	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3	1.6
TOTAL	5.8	0.5	10.7	0.1	0.4	0.3	17.8
Total area of orchards, tropical and other fruit	34.9	20.1	27.0	16.4	6.9	3.1	109.0
Grapes	12.8	20.5	1.5	27.0	2.2	0.1	64.0
TOTAL AREA OF FRUIT	47.8	40.6	28.6	43.3	9.1	3.2	173.1

TABLE 2. AREA OF FRUIT, YEARS ENDED 31 MARCH, 1983 TO 1985
(¹000 hectares)

Area of fruit	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
Orchard fruit—							
1982-83	27.8	18.8	15.2	15.9	6.5	2.8	86.9
1983-84	28.5	18.9	17.1	15.8	6.3	2.8	89.8
1984-85	29.2	19.6	16.4	16.3	6.4	2.8	91.3
Tropical and other fruit—							
1982-83	6.0	0.5	10.0	0.1	0.4	0.5	17.4
1983-84	6.2	0.5	10.1	0.1	0.5	0.4	17.8
1984-85	5.8	0.5	10.7	0.1	0.4	0.3	17.8
Grapes—							
1982-83	13.1	20.3	1.6	29.1	2.2	0.1	66.5
1983-84	12.8	20.1	1.5	27.9	2.1	0.1	64.5
1984-85	12.8	20.5	1.5	27.0	2.2	0.1	64.0
Total area of fruit							
1982-83	47.0	39.6	26.8	45.1	9.1	3.3	170.8
1983-84	47.5	39.5	28.7	43.7	8.8	3.3	172.0
1984-85	47.8	40.6	28.6	43.3	9.1	3.2	173.1

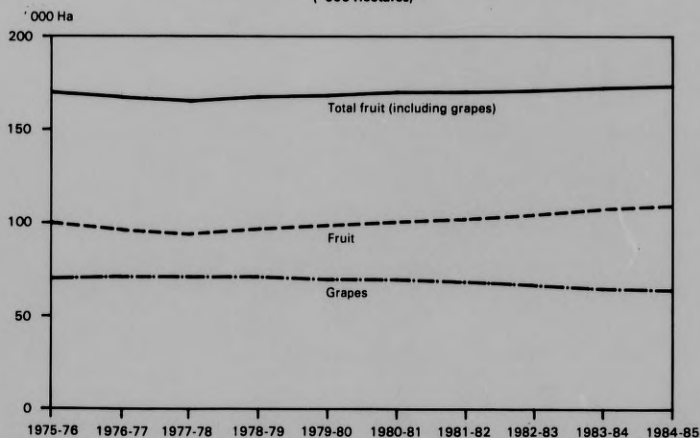
AREA OF FRUIT AND GRAPES, YEARS ENDED 31 MARCH 1976 TO 1985
(¹000 Hectares)

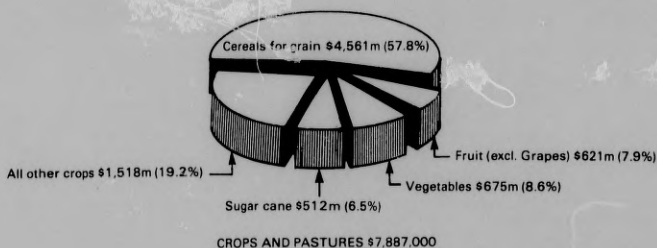
TABLE 3. GROSS VALUE OF FRUIT, YEARS ENDED 30 JUNE, 1983 TO 1985
(\$ million)

	Australia			1985p					
	1983	1984	1985p	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.
ORCHARD FRUIT—									
Citrus—									
Oranges	101.0	105.3	133.0	62.3	17.0	9.3	42.0	2.6	—
Lemons and limes	8.3	8.4	10.6	2.8	2.3	1.8	3.0	0.7	—
Mandarins	12.9	16.7	20.4	2.6	2.7	12.5	1.6	1.0	—
Other	7.0	7.5	8.1	4.1	1.6	0.8	1.4	0.2	—
<i>Total</i>	<i>129.2</i>	<i>137.9</i>	<i>172.2</i>	<i>71.8</i>	<i>23.6</i>	<i>24.2</i>	<i>48.0</i>	<i>4.5</i>	<i>—</i>
Pome—									
Apples	132.4	134.1	145.9	29.2	38.5	17.2	18.0	18.1	24.8
Pears	41.9	45.9	38.2	2.8	27.2	1.1	3.2	3.1	0.8
<i>Total (incl. other pome fruit)</i>	<i>174.4</i>	<i>180.1</i>	<i>184.2</i>	<i>31.9</i>	<i>65.7</i>	<i>18.3</i>	<i>21.2</i>	<i>21.3</i>	<i>25.6</i>
Stone and other—									
Apricots	18.3	17.6	20.5	0.7	3.3	0.3	15.5	0.5	0.2
Cherries	7.9	8.7	10.8	4.7	3.7	—	2.2	0.1	0.1
Peaches	21.3	25.4	26.6	7.1	13.5	1.2	3.2	1.5	—
Plums and prunes	16.9	17.5	19.3	10.4	1.9	2.3	1.4	3.3	—
Other	16.8	20.9	21.3	5.0	2.5	11.0	1.9	0.9	—
<i>Total</i>	<i>81.2</i>	<i>90.1</i>	<i>98.5</i>	<i>27.9</i>	<i>24.9</i>	<i>14.9</i>	<i>24.2</i>	<i>6.3</i>	<i>0.3</i>
Nuts	10.8	9.8	17.1	8.2	2.6	2.6	3.7	—	—
<i>Total orchard fruit</i>	<i>395.6</i>	<i>417.8</i>	<i>472.0</i>	<i>139.8</i>	<i>116.8</i>	<i>60.1</i>	<i>97.2</i>	<i>32.1</i>	<i>25.9</i>
TROPICAL AND OTHER FRUIT—									
Bananas	70.1	86.8	93.8	41.0	—	46.2	—	6.1	—
Passionfruit	2.0	3.4	2.0	0.8	—	1.2	—	—	—
Pineapples	25.4	26.2	32.6	—	—	32.6	—	—	—
Strawberries	10.6	12.1	13.8	1.0	4.2	4.0	2.6	1.8	0.2
Other	4.9	6.2	6.2	0.6	1.7	2.8	0.1	0.1	0.8
<i>Total tropical and other fruit</i>	<i>113.0</i>	<i>134.7</i>	<i>148.4</i>	<i>43.4</i>	<i>5.9</i>	<i>86.8</i>	<i>2.7</i>	<i>7.9</i>	<i>1.0</i>
<i>Total fruit (excl. grapes)</i>	<i>508.6</i>	<i>552.5</i>	<i>620.4</i>	<i>183.2</i>	<i>122.7</i>	<i>146.8</i>	<i>99.9</i>	<i>40.1</i>	<i>26.9</i>
GRAPES—									
Table	20.3	20.1	31.5	8.3	14.7	5.2	2.1	1.2	—
Wine	89.1	115.0	129.3	31.4	22.3	0.1	72.8	2.4	0.2
Dried	103.1	81.9	94.1	11.0	75.5	—	6.5	1.1	—
<i>Total grapes</i>	<i>212.5</i>	<i>217.0</i>	<i>254.8</i>	<i>50.7</i>	<i>112.5</i>	<i>5.3</i>	<i>81.5</i>	<i>4.6</i>	<i>0.2</i>
<i>Total fruit (incl. grapes)</i>	<i>721.1</i>	<i>769.5</i>	<i>875.2</i>	<i>233.9</i>	<i>235.2</i>	<i>152.1</i>	<i>181.4</i>	<i>44.7</i>	<i>27.1</i>
<i>Total agriculture</i>	<i>11,714.5</i>	<i>15,309.1</i>	<i>15,276.1</i>	<i>4,236.8</i>	<i>3,126.2</i>	<i>3,160.0</i>	<i>1,463.0</i>	<i>2,604.9</i>	<i>380.1</i>

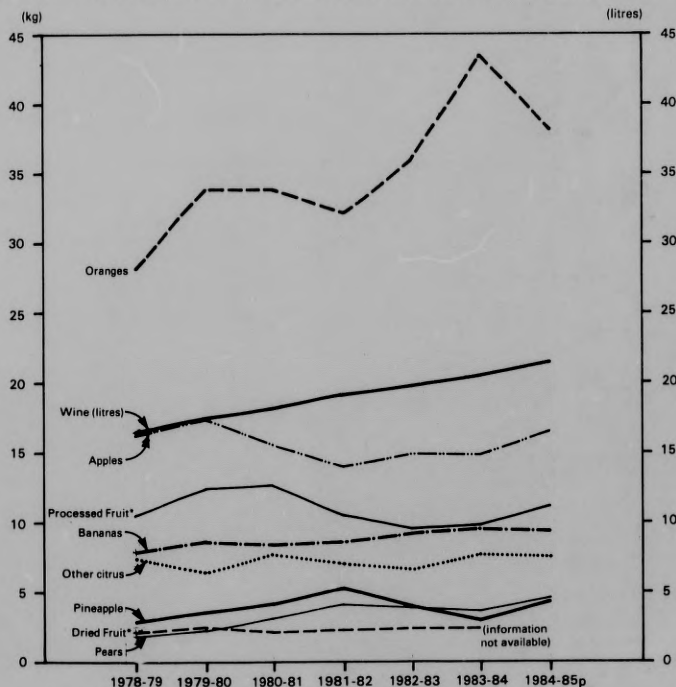
TABLE 4. GROSS VALUE OF PRINCIPAL FRUITS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL FRUIT, YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1985

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GROSS VALUE OF FRUIT AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL CROPS AND PASTURES, AUSTRALIA, 1984-85



APPARENT PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION OF SELECTED FRUIT AND FRUIT PRODUCTS, AUSTRALIA, 1978-79 TO 1984-85



*Product weight; all others are in fresh weight, except wine, which is in litres.

TABLE 5. TOTAL APPARENT CONSUMPTION OF FRUIT
AND FRUIT PRODUCTS, AUSTRALIA, YEARS ENDED 30 JUNE 1983 TO 1985

	Available for consumption			Per capita consumption(a)		
	1983	1984	1985 ^p	1983	1984	1985 ^p
	— tonnes —			— kg —		
Fresh fruit (incl. fruit for fruit juice)—						
Oranges	633,039	671,796	592,001	41.4	43.5	38.1
Other citrus	98,240	119,667	117,268	6.4	7.7	7.5
Apples	235,244	228,785	256,356	15.4	14.8	16.5
Apricots	12,984	15,604	14,533	0.8	1.0	0.9
Bananas	140,425	146,436	144,975	9.2	9.5	9.3
Grapes	23,061	21,947	28,100	1.5	1.4	1.8
Peaches	26,457	22,682	12,636	1.7	1.5	0.8
Pears	59,552	57,300	71,331	3.9	3.7	4.6
Pineapples	61,642	47,157	67,586	4.0	3.0	4.3
Plums and prunes	6,272	10,837	10,726	0.4	0.7	0.7
Jams, conserves, etc. (product weight)	26,744	27,818	32,670	1.7	1.8	2.1
Dried fruit (product weight)—						
Vine	28,327	26,857	33,932	1.9	1.7	2.2
Tree	9,511	10,386	9,808	0.6	0.7	0.6
Processed fruit (product weight)—						
Apples	13,115	14,202	11,063	0.9	0.9	0.7
Apricots	10,293	6,861	9,302	0.7	0.4	0.6
Fruit salad	15,940	21,890	27,826	1.0	1.4	1.8
Peaches	31,559	18,141	31,429	2.1	1.2	2.0
Pears	9,978	13,198	21,299	0.7	0.9	1.4
Pineapples	35,271	39,719	42,319	2.3	2.6	2.7
Other	26,940	37,795	30,895	1.8	2.4	2.0
	— '000 litres—			— litres—		
Wine	301,330	315,278	332,744	19.7	20.4	21.4

(a) Apparent per capita consumption has been calculated using the following mean population figures at 30 June: 1983-15,280,879; 1984-15,460,673; 1985-15,555,456.

TABLE 6. IMPORTS OF FRUIT AND FRUIT AND VINE PRODUCTS
AUSTRALIA, YEARS ENDED 30 JUNE 1983 TO 1985

Item	Unit	Quantity			Value B.D.V.(a) \$'000		
		1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
Fruit and nuts, fresh or dried—							
Oranges, tangerines, mandarins and clementines	tonnes	4,993	10,030	7,164	2,233	4,650	5,315
Other citrus fruit	"	3,449	4,705	5,248	1,588	2,049	2,971
Bananas (incl. plantains) fresh, chilled or dried	"	15	49	211	25	63	336
Edible nuts (in the shell)	"	2,113	2,149	2,718	2,184	2,279	2,546
Edible nuts (not in the shell)	"	1,406	1,653	1,886	19,147	43,876	60,677
Other edible nuts	"	945	468	865	5,404	2,856	4,384
Berries, fresh—							
Not pulped	"	541	532	629	1,249	1,228	1,185
Fruit, fresh or dried (except citrus)—							
Dates, bananas, pineapples, avocados, mangoes, guavas and mangosteens	"	4,123	5,596	5,406	6,174	11,633	11,045
Figs	"	1,024	1,131	1,349	1,509	1,214	1,224
Other	"	1,173	2,406	2,176	2,420	5,771	6,253
Fruit, preserved, and fruit preparations—							
Fruit, fruit peel and parts of plants preserved by sugar	"	296	600	753	645	1,006	1,411
Jams, marmalades, fruit jellies, fruit puree and pastes	"	2,311	2,723	3,723	3,557	3,943	5,615
Fruit juices—							
Citrus	tonnes(b)	11,514	14,628	7,726	23,868	28,567	26,387
Other	'000 litres(c)	1,636	1,988	7,785	1,598	2,809	9,717
Fruit in temporary preservative—							
Pulped	'000 litres	255	416	447	283	548	630
Not pulped (excluding cherries in brine)	tonnes	3,714	4,708	5,931	4,240	5,837	7,189
Other	'000 litres	1,722	2,397	1,838	1,110	1,622	1,972
Peel of melons and citrus fruit	tonnes	25	32	24	51	72	43
Wine (fermented grape)—							
Sparkling	'000 litres	1,148	1,462	1,441	2,467	3,230	2,871
Still (excl. vermouth)	"	7,034	5,157	9,138	15,538	12,070	20,168
Brandy	'000 litres alcohol	829	800	878	4,633	5,642	6,969

(a) Brussels Definition of Value. (b) Total soluble solids. (c) Concentrates, expressed in quantity of fruit juice into which they could be converted.

TABLE 7. EXPORTS OF FRUIT AND FRUIT AND VINE PRODUCTS(a)
AUSTRALIA, YEARS ENDED 30 JUNE 1983 TO 1985

Item	Unit	Quantity			Value (f.o.b. \$ million)		
		1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
Fruit, fresh or chilled (incl. dried citrus fruits)—							
Citrus—							
Oranges	tonnes	28,075	20,983	27,297	12.6	9.5	14.4
Tangerines, mandarins, etc.	"	3,665	3,556	2,316	2.3	2.6	1.7
Lemons and limes	"	1,203	1,062	823	0.6	0.6	0.4
Grapefruit	"	273	179	67	0.2	0.1	—
Apples	"	29,044	24,579	19,382	15.6	13.7	12.1
Grapes	"	3,457	3,903	5,743	5.4	6.1	9.4
Pears	"	27,983	22,746	30,930	18.0	16.0	21.2
Dried fruit—							
Vine—							
Raisins	"	2,419	1,867	178	3.2	2.5	0.4
Currants	"	2,379	910	951	2.6	1.0	1.0
Sultanas	"	54,653	49,692	61,306	53.9	50.6	56.7
Tree—							
Apples	"	n.a.	27	17	—	0.1	—
Apricots	"	340	197	163	1.8	1.1	0.8
Peaches	"	n.a.	72	179	n.a.	0.2	0.3
Prunes	"	161	247	227	0.2	0.4	0.4
Fruit preserved by sugar—							
Fruit, crystallised or candied	"	426	430	489	1.7	1.9	2.3
Citrus peel	"	758	496	635	0.7	0.5	0.7
Ginger	"	322	263	250	0.9	0.9	0.7
Marmalades	"	103	157	120	0.1	0.2	0.2
Other jams, jellies, etc.	"	6,185	5,991	2,141	7.1	6.1	2.9
Fruit juices—							
Citrus—							
Orange	'000 litres	3,456	3,760	2,095	2.1	2.3	1.8
Other	"	749	448	366	0.7	0.7	0.5
Blackcurrant	"	260	61	112	0.4	0.1	0.2
Apple	"	403	72	480	0.6	0.1	0.2
Pineapple	"	780	844	738	0.4	0.5	0.5
Fruit cordials	"	1,278	1,194	1,187	0.9	0.9	0.8
Fruit otherwise prepared—							
Ginger in syrup	tonnes	1,199	1,266	1,072	2.2	2.4	2.3
Not pulped—							
Canned or bottled—							
Apples	'000						
(b) basic cartons		3	3	1	0.1	—	—
Apricots	"	68	64	19	1.1	1.2	0.4
Peaches	"	1,124	880	679	13.8	13.4	12.1
Pears	"	1,386	736	1,055	16.5	10.9	17.9
Peaches and pears combined	"	176	110	67	2.4	1.8	1.4
Prunes	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pineapples	"	111	114	160	2.2	2.5	3.9
Fruit salad—							
Tropical	"	61	7	16	0.3	0.2	0.4
Other	"	607	576	484	9.4	10.7	10.2
Other	"	475	34	6	5.5	0.4	0.2
Other	tonnes	66	133	39	0.1	0.1	0.1
Wine (fermented grape)—							
Sparkling	'000 litres	913	421	243	1.6	1.2	1.0
Still (excl. vermouth)	"						
Brandy	litres alcohol	135,850	102,174	96,482	1.1	1.2	1.5

(a) Includes re-exports. (b) 1 basic carton = 24 x 850 gms cans; 50 basic cartons = 1 tonne.

II. COMMODITIES

A. ORCHARD FRUIT (including edible tree nuts)

TABLE B. NUMBER OF TREES AND PRODUCTION OF ORCHARD FRUIT, YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1985 ('000)

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Gld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
TREES 6 YEARS AND OVER (a)							
CITRUS-							
Oranges-							
Naval	773	263	82	474	57	-	1,649
Valencia	1,622	449	67	917	111	-	3,167
Other	6	1	15	4	-	-	26
Total oranges	2,401	714	165	1,394	168	-	4,662
Lemons and limes	204	95	34	108	28	-	469
Mandarins	90	45	178	67	34	-	413
Grapefruit	130	56	9	70	7	-	280
POME-							
Apples	998	1,050	763	357	606	876	4,652
Pears-							
WBC	22	512	21	49	29	2	635
Other	90	464	50	35	55	23	717
Total pears	113	976	71	84	84	25	1,353
STONE-							
Apricots-							
Treviso	28	117	14	68	5	2	235
Other	9	21	16	216	8	19	289
Total	37	138	30	284	13	22	524
Cherries	213	64	35	4	4	-	322
Nectarines	46	54	35	19	16	2	172
Peaches-							
Clingstone	150	428	26	76	38	-	718
Other	146	91	50	58	22	1	368
Total peaches	295	519	76	135	59	2	1,086
Plums and prunes	320	96	88	57	69	-	630
OTHER ORCHARD-							
Avocados	57	11	82	5	1	-	157
Custard apples	4	-	15	-	-	-	19
Manzanas	-	-	86	-	3	-	90
Olive	4	61	-	38	1	-	107
NUTS-							
Almonds	-	103	-	485	-	-	589
Macadamia	138	-	140	-	-	-	279
TOTAL NUMBER OF TREES							
CITRUS-							
Oranges-							
Naval	1,053	367	113	574	68	-	2,176
Valencia	2,340	639	91	1,242	132	-	4,444
Other	8	2	22	4	-	-	37
Total oranges	3,402	1,008	226	1,821	200	-	6,657
Lemons and limes	260	104	53	115	32	-	565
Mandarins	114	60	248	94	49	-	565
Grapefruit	139	61	12	84	11	-	307
POME-							
Apples	1,437	1,412	854	485	737	1,218	6,147
Pears-							
WBC	23	520	22	53	33	3	653
Other	104	573	54	55	81	28	895
Total pears	127	1,093	76	107	114	31	1,548
STONE-							
Apricots-							
Treviso	37	153	20	83	12	3	307
Other	18	34	21	309	12	22	415
Total	54	187	41	392	24	25	722
Cherries	298	105	1	52	9	12	475
Nectarines	131	117	98	36	61	10	457
Peaches-							
Clingstone	246	582	52	85	65	1	1,030
Other	271	154	110	92	36	2	666
Total peaches	517	736	162	178	101	3	1,696
Plums and prunes	439	144	150	83	108	2	928
OTHER ORCHARD-							
Avocados	140	32	244	18	5	-	460
Custard apples	16	-	47	-	-	-	63
Manzanas	6	-	262	-	6	-	331
Olive	5	64	-	52	4	-	125
NUTS-							
Almonds	-	201	-	585	2	-	788
Macadamia	344	-	383	-	1	-	729

TABLE 9. ORCHARD FRUIT PRODUCTION, YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1985

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
PRODUCTION ('000 tonnes)							
CITRUS—							
Oranges—							
Navel	61.4	19.5	11.6	34.5	2.7	-	149.8
Valencia	134.6	37.7	8.0	107.1	5.2	-	292.7
Other	0.4	0.2	1.6	0.3	-	-	2.5
Total oranges	196.4	57.4	21.3	142.0	8.0	-	445.0
Lemons and limes	15.4	8.1	5.0	15.5	2.9	-	46.8
Mandarins	4.0	3.3	15.8	5.7	1.4	-	30.2
Grapefruit	13.1	5.2	1.6	10.8	0.5	-	31.2
POME—							
Apples	82.1	92.5	33.9	22.6	59.1	61.6	352.0
Pears—							
WBC	1.2	67.7	0.6	4.7	2.5	0.1	76.9
Other	4.3	46.4	1.6	2.9	5.1	1.3	61.6
Total pears	5.5	114.1	2.2	7.7	7.6	1.5	138.5
STONE—							
Apricots	1.5	5.9	0.5	15.6	0.7	0.2	24.5
Cherries	2.0	1.2	-	0.6	0.1	-	3.8
Nectarines	1.5	1.7	0.7	0.6	1.0	-	5.5
Peaches—							
Clingstone	2.8	29.0	0.6	5.8	2.0	-	47.3
Other	4.3	3.2	1.1	2.8	1.1	-	12.5
Total peaches	14.1	32.2	1.7	8.7	3.1	-	59.8
Plums and prunes	10.3	2.7	1.9	1.8	4.0	-	20.6
OTHER ORCHARD—							
Avocados	2.0	0.3	3.6	0.2	-	-	6.2
Custard apples	0.1	-	0.4	-	-	-	0.5
Mangoes	-	-	2.7	-	0.1	-	2.8
Olives	-	0.8	-	0.7	-	-	1.5
NUTS—							
Almonds (kernel weight)	-	0.6	-	1.1	-	-	1.7
Macadamia	0.8	-	1.7	-	-	-	2.5

(a) This is the first year in which data has been collected of orchard fruit trees 'Under 6 years of age' and '6 years and over'. In previous years the dissection was between 'Bearing Trees' and 'Non-Bearing Trees'. The data are not strictly comparable.

TABLE 10. TOTAL NUMBERS OF ORCHARD TREES AND PRODUCTION OF ORCHARD FRUIT, AUSTRALIA, YEARS ENDED 31 MARCH 1980 TO 1985

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
TOTAL NUMBER OF TREES ('000)						
CITRUS—						
Oranges—						
Navel	1,915	1,997	2,021	2,019	2,054	2,176
Valencia	3,531	3,787	3,966	4,141	4,296	4,444
Other	85	88	68	59	46	37
Total oranges	5,532	5,872	6,055	6,219	6,397	6,657
Lemons and limes	651	638	617	628	590	565
Mandarins	(a)377	499	533	533	543	565
Grapefruit	(a)174	310	320	336	316	307
POME—						
Apples	6,113	6,099	6,065	6,098	6,066	6,147
Pears—						
WBC	(a)776	(a)853	(a)842	(a)648	688	653
Other	(a)697	769	(a)748	(a)806	896	895
Total pears	1,601	1,622	1,703	1,556	1,584	1,548
STONE—						
Apricots	718	711	706	686	712	722
Cherries	(a)375	475	(a)471	(a)454	462	475
Nectarines	(a)108	205	252	303	379	452
Peaches—						
Clingstone	1,107	(a)1,150	(a)1,121	(a)1,052	1,017	1,030
Other	463	499	548	590	629	666
Total peaches	1,570	1,649	1,669	1,642	1,646	1,696
Plums and prunes	(a)596	797	814	832	893	928
OTHER ORCHARD—						
Avocados	(a)181	(a)239	(a)303	(a)356	425	460
Custard apples	(a)20	34	(a)31	(a)34	56	63
Mangoes	(a)70	112	(a)110	(a)289	449	331
Olives	n.a.	147	(a)145	(a)138	136	125
NUTS—						
Almonds	(a)790	(a)747	(a)751	(a)765	766	(a)788
Macadamia	442	424	488	552	612	729

(a) Incomplete; not collected in some States.

TABLE 10. TOTAL NUMBERS OF ORCHARD TREES AND PRODUCTION OF ORCHARD FRUIT, AUSTRALIA YEARS ENDED 31 MARCH 1980 TO 1985—continued

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
PRODUCTION ('000 TONNES)						
CITRUS—						
Oranges—						
Navel	137.8	160.5	131.5	139.3	133.7	149.8
Valencia	248.9	259.1	240.9	266.9	254.9	292.7
Other	5.4	4.9	3.9	3.3	3.3	2.5
Total oranges	392.1	424.5	376.3	410.0	391.8	445.0
Lemons and limes	39.5	48.5	41.2	36.1	31.5	46.8
Mandarins	(a)20.7	33.6	29.1	26.0	36.2	30.2
Grapefruit	(a)14.6	30.4	30.6	30.7	31.4	31.2
POME—						
Apples	298.8	306.9	294.5	300.8	267.0	352.0
Pears—						
WBC	(a)71.6	(a)86.3	(a)63.6	(a)64.0	65.0	76.9
Other	(a)45.5	59.4	(a)40.1	(a)49.6	57.1	61.6
Total pears	124.3	145.6	109.7	119.2	122.1	138.5
STONE—						
Apricots	26.4	30.6	27.1	26.9	23.6	24.5
Cherries	(a)3.9	6.5	(a)5.4	(a)4.2	3.5	3.8
Nectarines	(a)1.8	4.0	4.9	5.4	5.1	5.5
Peaches—						
Clingstone	58.6	(a)66.5	(a)51.1	(a)49.0	36.7	47.3
Other	12.9	12.7	13.4	14.0	11.6	12.5
Total peaches	71.5	79.2	64.6	63.0	48.3	59.8
Plums and prunes	(a)15.0	20.8	16.4	20.6	20.0	20.6
OTHER ORCHARD—						
Avocados	(a)1.4	(a)1.7	(a)2.4	(a)3.4	5.4	6.2
Custard apples	(a)0.3	0.4	(a)0.3	(a)0.3	0.4	0.5
Mangoes	(a)1.4	2.2	(a)2.3	(a)2.0	2.5	2.8
Olives	n.a.	1.5	(a)2.8	(a)0.9	1.5	1.5
NUTS—						
Almonds (kernel weight)	(a)0.8	(a)1.4	(a)1.7	(a)1.8	1.6	(a)1.7
Macadamia	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.7	2.5

(a) Incomplete; not collected in some States.

B. TROPICAL AND OTHER FRUIT

TABLE 11. AREA, PRODUCTION AND YIELD PER BEARING HECTARE OF TROPICAL AND OTHER FRUIT, YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1985

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	Aust.
BEARING AREA (hectares)								
TROPICAL—								
Bananas	4,708	-	2,800	-	299	-	24	7,832
Papaya	20	-	189	-	2	-	2	353
Pineapples	13	-	3,754	-	-	-	2	3,769
OTHER—								
Passionfruit	89	1	141	-	1	-	-	232
Currents	-	-	-	-	-	162	-	162
Raspberries	2	71	-	5	-	64	-	142
Strawberries	46	143	84	53	27	19	-	372
Kiwifruit	65	16	13	2	6	-	-	102
TOTAL AREA - BEARING AND NON BEARING (hectares)								
TROPICAL—								
Bananas	5,245	-	3,553	-	379	-	28	9,205
Papaya	32	-	320	-	2	-	3	360
Pineapples	19	-	4,248	-	-	-	3	4,268
OTHER—								
Passionfruit	128	3	183	-	6	-	-	320
Currents	-	-	-	-	-	200	-	200
Raspberries	5	95	-	6	-	84	-	190
Strawberries	194	168	109	59	30	21	-	459
Kiwifruit	197	128	25	11	17	-	-	378
PRODUCTION (tonnes)								
TROPICAL—								
Bananas	62,665	-	72,856	-	8,493	-	740	144,774
Papaya	243	-	3,647	-	21	-	9	4,220
Pineapples	130	-	124,344	-	-	-	27	124,501
OTHER—								
Passionfruit	1,079	1	1,876	-	2	-	-	2,958
Currents	-	-	-	-	-	731	-	731
Raspberries	2	255	-	20	1	289	-	547
Strawberries	204	1,482	1,279	523	518	104	-	4,110
Kiwifruit	170	103	20	2	18	-	-	311
YIELD PER BEARING HECTARE (tonnes)								
TROPICAL—								
Bananas	13.30	-	26.02	-	28.40	-	31.67	18.48
Papaya	12.15	-	12.00	-	10.50	-	4.50	11.95
Pineapples	10.00	-	33.12	-	-	-	13.50	33.03
OTHER—								
Passionfruit	12.12	1.00	13.30	-	2.00	-	-	12.75
Currents	-	-	-	-	-	4.51	-	4.57
Raspberries	1.00	3.59	-	4.00	1.00	4.20	-	3.85
Strawberries	4.43	10.36	13.23	9.91	19.11	5.47	-	11.05
Kiwifruit	2.61	6.44	1.54	1.00	2.87	-	-	3.05

TABLE 12. TOTAL AREA AND PRODUCTION OF TROPICAL AND OTHER FRUIT, AUSTRALIA YEARS ENDED 31 MARCH 1980 TO 1985

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
TOTAL AREA, BEARING AND NON-BEARING (Hectares)						
TROPICAL—						
Bananas	8,136	8,558	8,740	9,040	9,282	9,205
Papaws	(a)435	487	(a)478	(a)486	566	560
Pineapples	6,784	6,583	6,373	6,010	6,011	6,268
OTHER—						
Passionfruit	310	308	300	310	354	320
Currants (black, red)	350	365	320	305	300	206
Raspberries	175	200	186	211	352	190
Strawberries	450	441	431	444	513	459
Kiwifruit	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	244	378
PRODUCTION (Tonnes)						
TROPICAL—						
Bananas	125,123	124,341	129,582	140,481	146,423	144,774
Papaws	(a)3,102	3,651	(a)3,770	(a)3,221	4,163	4,220
Pineapples	123,265	123,259	125,528	111,281	115,056	124,501
OTHER—						
Passionfruit	3,179	3,415	3,919	3,313	3,714	2,958
Currants (black, red)	1,102	772	1,005	761	851	732
Raspberries	656	602	604	584	431	547
Strawberries	3,502	3,042	3,259	3,409	3,890	4,110
Kiwifruit	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	277	311

(a) Incomplete; not collected in some States.

The following table contains Australian statistics of fruit generally regarded as less significant than that shown elsewhere in this publication. Some of these fruit, e.g. rambutan and guava, are recent commercial introductions to Australia. Additional statistics are available on request by contacting the ABS on Canberra 52 5341 or by writing to P.O. Box 10, Belconnen, A.C.T., 2616.

TABLE 13. MISCELLANEOUS ORCHARD FRUIT, TREE NUMBERS AND PRODUCTION, AUSTRALIA, YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1985

	<i>Trees</i>		
	<i>6 years & over</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Production</i>
	—number—		tonnes
Figs	3,526	4,875	108
Guava	10,690	21,347	298
Loquats	1,053	4,223	28
Lychees	88,405	98,208	104
Persimmons	4,473	12,240	125
Quinces	2,847	3,835	113
Rambutan	74	3,997	1
Cashews	22	2,282	—
Chestnuts	4,814	21,203	58
Filberts	1,344	16,316	35
Pecan	90,247	136,077	2,668
Walnuts	12,814	19,816	92

TABLE 14. MISCELLANEOUS OTHER FRUIT, AREA AND PRODUCTION AUSTRALIA, YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1985

	<i>Bearing area</i>	<i>Total area</i>	<i>Production</i>
	—hectares—		tonnes
Boysenberries	7	8	16
English gooseberries	5	6	11
Loganberries	16	18	52
Rosellas	3	3	7

C. GRAPES

TABLE 15. AREA OF VINES AND PRODUCTION OF GRAPES, STATES AND AUSTRALIA, YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 1985

	Area of vines at harvest			Grubbings (actual and/or intended)	Production			
	Bearing	Not yet bearing	Total		Grapes used for—			Total
					Winemaking	Drying	Other	
	- hectares -			hectares	- tonnes (fresh weight) -			
NSW	12,097	680	12,778	596	132,032	40,350	7,353	179,735
Vic.	19,132	1,351	20,483	590	96,807	239,320	16,312	352,438
Qld.	1,334	180	1,514	n.c.	467	n.c.	4,642	5,109
S.A.	25,335	1,620	26,955	737	321,225	14,808	3,516	339,550
W.A.	2,037	145	2,182	38	8,410	2,279	1,962	12,651
Tas.	44	30	74	2	100			100
Aust.	59,986	4,008	63,995	1,963	559,041	296,758	33,811	889,610

TABLE 16. AREA OF VINES AND PRODUCTION OF GRAPES, STATES AND AUSTRALIA
YEARS ENDED 31 MARCH 1983 TO 1985

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
	—hectares—						
Total area of vines—							
1982-83	13,136	20,341	1,584	29,106	2,240	62	66,473
1983-84	12,849	20,127	1,530	27,863	2,086	58	64,516
1984-85	12,778	20,483	1,514	26,955	2,182	74	63,995
Grapes used for—	—tonnes (fresh weight)—						
Winemaking—							
1982-83	102,843	64,900	462	254,439	8,496	164	431,304
1983-84	115,960	82,973	388	287,647	7,841	241	495,050
1984-85	132,032	96,807	467	321,225	8,410	100	559,041
Drying—							
1982-83	50,000	242,747	n.c.	14,800	2,729	—	310,275
1983-84	50,539	246,524	n.c.	20,533	2,442	—	320,038
1984-85	40,350	239,320	n.c.	14,808	2,279	—	296,758
Other—							
1982-83	5,411	11,371	5,244	2,819	1,619	—	26,489
1983-84	4,811	12,636	3,646	2,970	1,694	—	25,778
1984-85	7,353	16,312	4,642	3,516	1,962	—	33,811
Total—							
1982-83	158,254	319,018	5,706	272,058	12,844	164	768,067
1983-84	171,310	342,133	4,034	311,150	11,977	241	840,866
1984-85	179,735	352,438	5,109	339,550	12,651	100	889,610