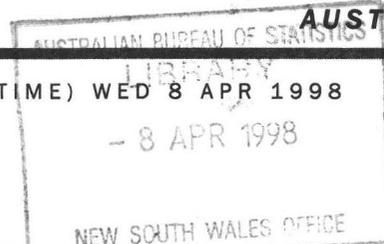




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NOTES

ABOUT THIS PUBLICATION

This publication contains detailed statistics of the apparent consumption of foodstuffs in Australia for 1994-95 and 1995-96, as well as comparative data for earlier years. Historical data published in table 1 refers to averages for the three-year periods ending 1938-39, 1948-49, 1958-59, 1968-69, 1978-79 and 1988-89. This publication draws extensively on information provided freely by individuals, businesses, governments and other organisations. Preliminary statistics for 1996-97 covering major food items have been published in *Apparent Consumption of Selected Foodstuffs, Australia, 1996-97, Preliminary* (Cat. no. 4315.0), which is available from any ABS office.

Details of nutrient intake in Australia are no longer included in this publication. These nutrient levels are compiled by officers of the Nutrition Monitoring Unit of the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW). Users of these data should contact AIHW directly.

SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

ABS	Australian Bureau of Statistics
AIHW	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
kg	kilograms
L	litres
L al	litres alcohol
n.a.	not available
n.e.i.	not elsewhere included
r	figure or series revised since previous issue
t	tonnes
..	not applicable
—	nil or rounded to zero
	break in series

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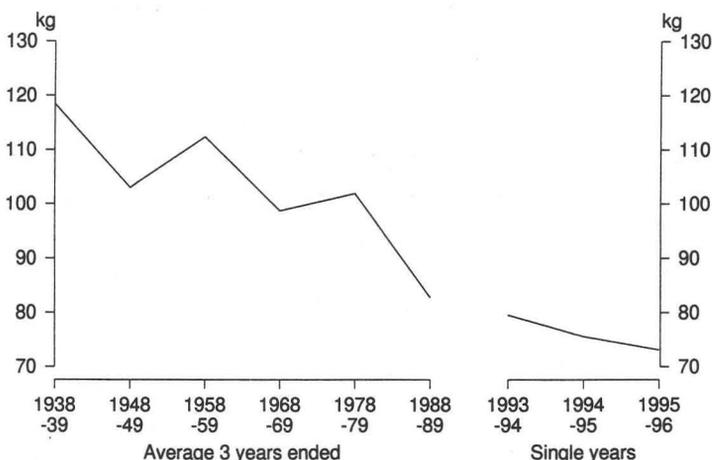
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SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS

The apparent per capita consumption of meat and meat products decreased by 3.3% to 73.2 kg in 1995–96, compared with a fall of 4.9% to 75.7 kg in 1994–95. The decline in meat consumption reflected from decreased commercial production. Exports of meat (1,458,000 tonnes) accounted for 52.2% of the total supply with 47.7% available for domestic consumption.



Beef remained the most significant meat consumed, increasing 2.0% in 1995–96, to 35.4 kg per capita. This compares with a fall of 4.8% in 1994–95 when the consumption of beef was 34.7 kg per capita. In 1995–96, demand for veal fell 11.8% to 1.3 kg per capita after falling 6.9% in 1994–95 to 1.5 kg per capita. The per capita consumption of lamb fell 5.1% to 11.3 kg in 1995–96, after an increase in 1994–95 of 2.1% to 11.9 kg. Consumption of lamb in 1995–96 was 20.4% below the 14.1 kg recorded in 1990–91. Since the late 1930s, lamb consumption has grown from a low of 6.8 kg to a 20.5 kg per capita peak in the late 1960s, before its steady decline to the current level.

The per capita consumption of mutton fell in 1995–96 by 11.6% to 5.7 kg. This follows a sharper fall in 1994–95 of 23.6% to 6.4 kg, and is 25.9% below the 7.7 kg recorded in 1990–91. Mutton intake was less than a quarter of that of the late 1930s when the average for the three years ended 1938–39 was 27.2 kg per capita.

Consumption of pigmeat continued to fluctuate, with intake in 1995–96 at 18.1 kg per capita, a decrease of 6.4% on the previous year of 19.3 kg per capita. The 1995–96 level of pigmeat consumption was substantially more than the 3.9 kg consumed in the late 1930s. Despite the fluctuating intake of pigmeat, the per capita consumption of bacon and ham continued to grow in 1994–95 and 1995–96 to 7.5 kg and 7.8 kg respectively.

Offal intake continued the decline of previous years with a record low of 1.5 kg per capita in 1995–96 (down 20.6%). This compares with a similar fall in 1994–95 when consumption was 1.9 kg per capita. Consumption of offal peaked in the late 1970s with an average of 5.9 kg per capita and since then has fallen about 75.0%.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS *continued*

POULTRY

The apparent per capita consumption of poultry increased by 3.9% in 1995–96 to a record high of 28.3 kg per capita. This was 13.6% up on the per capita consumption recorded in 1990–91. Poultry intake has trebled from the 8.3 kg consumed per capita in the late 1960s.

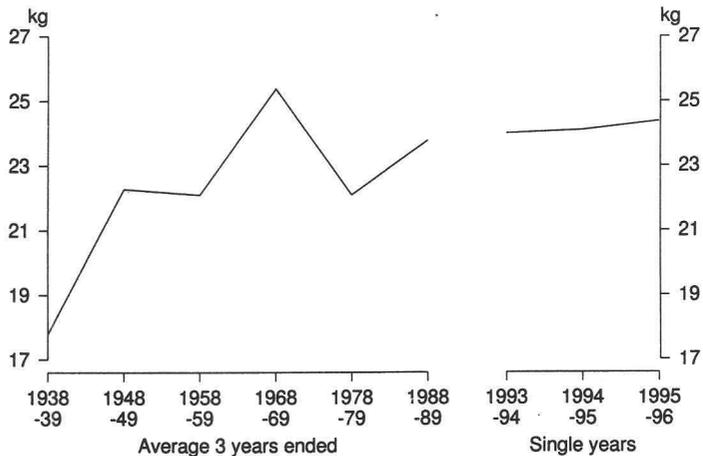
SEAFOOD

The apparent per capita consumption of seafood fell by 6.0% in 1995–96 to 10.2 kg when compared with the previous year's peak of 10.8 kg. The major contributor to the fall in 1995–96 was crustacea and molluscs at 1.7 kg, a decline of 9.8% when compared with the previous year. This reflects decreased production coupled with increased exports. The consumption of Australian fish also fell by 8.3% to 3.2 kg per capita. Since 1990–91 seafood consumption has fallen by 1.3% and this can be attributed to decreased consumption of Australian fish which was 24.3% less than the 4.2 kg per capita consumed in 1990–91. The consumption of seafood has doubled since the late 1930s when intake was 4.9 kg per capita.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

The consumption of dairy products increased by 1.3% to 24.4 kg per capita in 1995–96. The per capita consumption of both full cream and skim condensed milk recorded significant declines at 1.1 kg (down 34.5%) and 0.4 kg (down 52.0%) respectively. These falls were offset by increases in market milk (up 1.2%) at 104.2 litres per capita, powdered full cream milk (up 20.2%) at 1.1 kg per capita and cheese (up 3.2%) at a record high of 10.6 kg per capita.

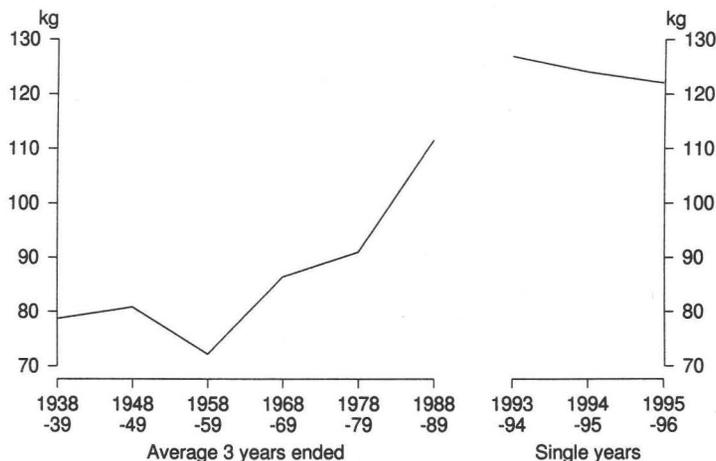
The per capita consumption of dairy products has increased by 4.5% on intake in the early 1990s and since the late 1930s consumption has grown by about 37.0%.



SUMMARY OF FINDINGS *continued*

FRUIT AND FRUIT PRODUCTS

The consumption of fruit (including fruit for fruit juices) decreased marginally to 122.1 kg per capita in 1995–96 following a decrease of 2.3% to 124.1 kg in the previous year. It has increased about 41.0% since the late 1960s and about 55.0% since the late 1930s.



The most significant movement for per capita consumption of fruit was recorded for processed fruit which fell 14.5% to 6.4 kg. Dried fruit consumption also fell, by 7.7% to 2.7 kg per capita. These falls were offset by an increase in other fresh fruit which rose 2.6% to 55.4 kg per capita. In 1994–95, intake of other fresh fruit fell 10.5% to 54.0 kg per capita, while citrus fruit consumption rose 6.7% to 46.2 kg per capita.

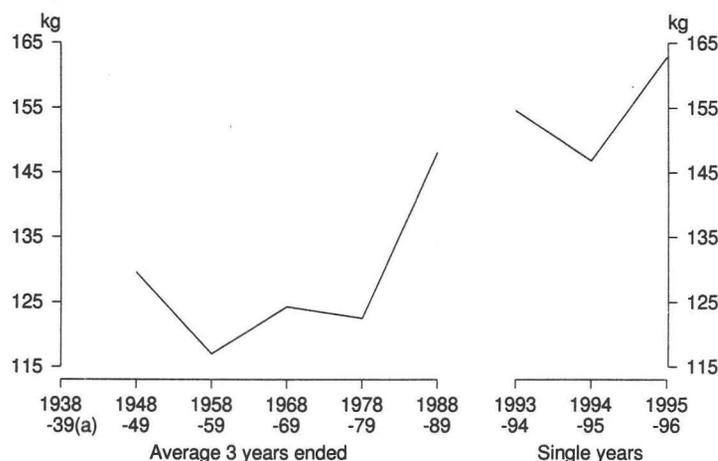
Oranges were the most significant single fruit item available for consumption in 1995–96 with a total of 674,000 tonnes or 37.0 kg per capita. Imports of oranges totalled 359,000 tonnes, which was 44.3% of the total supply of 809,000 tonnes. Commercial production contributed 442,000 tonnes or 54.6% to the supply. Exports accounted for 127,000 tonnes or 15.7% of the supply.

VEGETABLES

Per capita consumption of vegetables rose 10.8% in 1995–96 to a record high of 162.8 kg after falling 5.0% to 146.9 kg in 1994–95. Vegetable consumption in 1995–96 was approximately 39.0% greater than consumption in the late 1950s when it was about 117.0 kg per capita.

Potatoes remained the most popular vegetable with per capita consumption up by 13.9% to 70.1 kg. The consumption of other root and bulb vegetables showed an increase of 12.9% to 24.3 kg per capita. While the consumption of tomatoes remained fairly steady in 1995–96 at 20.6 kg per capita, it was 16.2% down on the 24.6 kg consumed per capita in 1990–91. The per capita consumption of leafy and green vegetables rose 5.5% in 1995–96 to 21.5 kg, but had remained steady in 1994–95. Other vegetables also showed an increase in 1995–96, with consumption up 16.2% to 26.3 kg per capita.

Per capita consumption of vegetables



(a) Data not collected.

GRAIN PRODUCTS

During 1994–95 and 1995–96, the consumption of grain products remained steady at 93.7 kg and 93.1 kg per capita respectively. Flour intake fell in 1994–95, by 2.2% to 77.4 kg per capita, but did not change greatly in 1995–96 at 77.5 kg. The consumption of oatmeal and rolled oats increased by 10.0% to 2.1 kg per capita in 1995–96. This follows an increase of 82.4% to 1.9 kg per capita in 1994–95. This increase in 1995–96 was offset by a decline in the consumption of 'other' (breakfast food from grain), down 16.7% to 7.0 kg per capita compared with 1994–95. Overall, the consumption of 'breakfast foods' in 1995–96 showed a fall of 11.8% to 9.1 kg per capita, but this was partially offset by a 7.5% increase in the consumption of rice at 6.5 kg per capita. Since 1990–91 rice intake has grown by 27.4%, whereas breakfast foods has fallen by 26.1%. The per capita consumption of bread has increased by 12.3% to 49.4 kg since 1990–91. In the longer term, bread is at a similar level as that of the late 1930s, but well below the 69.1 kg consumed per capita in the late 1950s.

The consumption of grain products in 1995–96 was also at a similar level as that of the late 1930s. However, the mix of products has changed during the period, with increases in rice and breakfast food products, and less flour being consumed per capita.

EGGS AND EGG PRODUCTS

Egg consumption declined in 1995–96 by 2.3% to 132 eggs per capita, compared with the previous year when consumption fell by 3.8% to 135 eggs. In the longer term, egg consumption has also shown a decline with intake considerably less than the 255 of the late 1940s.

NUTS

The per capita consumption of peanuts fell 12.3% to 2.1 kg in 1995–96, after an increase of 15.6% in 1994–95. The consumption of tree nuts continued to fluctuate with a rise in 1995–96 of 1.2% to 4.5 kg per capita; a contributing factor to this rise was an increase in production.

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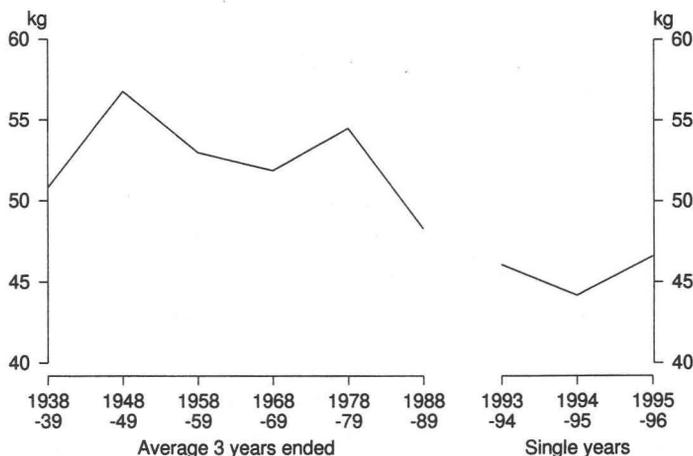
OILS AND FATS

In 1995–96, the apparent consumption of fats rose 1.8% to 19.2 kg per capita; this compares with a 2.3% fall in 1994–95. The principal component of this increased fat intake was other margarine, which was consumed at a rate of 2.5 kg per capita in 1995–96, an increase of 25.0% when compared with the previous year. Butter intake fell in 1995–96 by 8.0% to 2.9 kg per capita, but consumption of dairy spreads rose 12.4% to 0.8 kg per capita. Since 1990–91 the consumption of butter and dairy spreads has increased by 9.6% and 19.9% respectively. The consumption of margarine has recorded a fall of 8.4% since 1990–91; other margarine rose 28.8% over this period but table margarine fell 19.0%. Over the longer term, consumption of fats was below the levels recorded in the late 1970s and 1980s, although it was substantially greater than the amount consumed in the 1960s.

SUGARS

The per capita consumption of sugars in 1995–96 increased by 5.5% to 46.6 kg after the record low of 44.2 kg in 1994–95. Refined cane sugar consumption rose 3.2% to 8.6 kg per capita and sugar consumed in manufactured products also rose, by 8.6% to 32.3 kg per capita. In 1995–96, the per capita consumption of honey was 0.9 kg, almost doubling the 0.5 kg recorded the previous year. The decline in honey consumption in 1994–95 was due to a sharp fall in the production of honey.

Over the longer term, consumption of sugars has shown a shift from refined sugar consumption to sugar consumed in manufactured goods. In the late 1930s, 63.0% of sugar was consumed as refined sugar. In 1995–96, 18.5% of total sugar was consumed in refined form.

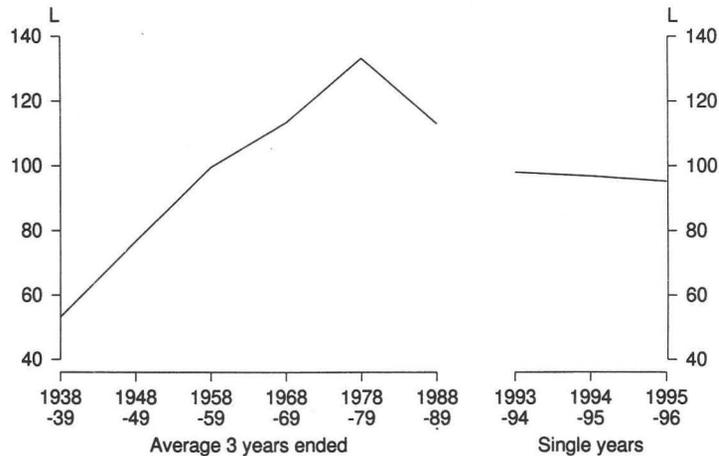


SUMMARY OF FINDINGS *continued*

BEVERAGES

The per capita consumption of tea and coffee remained steady at 0.9 kg and 2.2 kg respectively in 1995–96. Carbonated and aerated waters increased by 3.6% to 114.6 litres per capita, making it the most popular beverage. Consumption of aerated and carbonated waters was 14.5% up on the 100.0 litres consumed per capita in 1990–91 and more than double the consumption in the late 1960s.

At 22.4 litres, the apparent per capita consumption of low alcohol beer showed a rise of 4.6% in 1995–96, when compared with the previous year which recorded a fall of 3.4%. Consumption of low alcohol beer was 13.7% up on the 19.7 litres per capita recorded in 1990–91. The consumption of other beer fell by 3.4% in 1995–96 to 72.9 litres per capita. This is 19.7% below the 90.9 litres recorded in 1990–91. Total beer consumption fell 1.6% in 1995–96 to 95.3 litres per capita, a decline which began after 1988–89, when consumption was 115.4 litres per capita. Over the longer term, beer consumption was at a level similar to that of the late 1950s when the average for the three years ended 1958–59 was 99.7 litres per capita.



Wine consumption remained steady at 18.3 litres per capita in 1995–96, although it fell 1.2% the previous year. The 1995–96 level of consumption was 2.0% up on the 17.9 litres per capita consumed in 1990–91. Consumption of wine has increased more than threefold since the late 1940s when intake was 5.9 litres per capita.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS *continued*

ALCOHOL CONTENT

The trends in the consumption of beer and wine are reflected in the apparent per capita consumption of alcohol (expressed in terms of alcohol content). The per capita consumption of alcohol consumed as low alcohol beer rose 4.8% to 0.69 litres per capita in 1995-96. Since 1990-91, consumption of alcohol consumed as low alcohol beer has increased 23.1%. However, alcohol consumed as other beer fell in 1995-96 by 3.8% to 3.47 litres per capita; this is 20.1% below the 4.34 litres alcohol consumed as other beer in 1990-91. Alcohol consumed as wine rose over the same period by 1.2% to 2.10 litres alcohol per capita. The consumption of alcohol as spirits increased by 6.5% in 1995-96, to 1.38 litres per capita. The total per capita consumption of alcohol fell marginally to 7.63 litres in 1995-96. Longer term trends in the consumption of alcohol show that alcohol intake in 1995-96 was more than double that of the late 1930s, but 20.4% down on intake in the late 1970s.

	AVERAGE 3 YEARS ENDED.....						CURRENT YEAR.....	
	1938-39	1948-49	1958-59	1968-69	1978-79	1988-89	1995-96	
Meat and meat products								
Carcass meat								
Beef and veal (kg)	63.6	49.5	56.2	40.0	64.8	40.0	36.7	
Lamb (kg)	6.8	11.4	13.3	20.5	14.4	14.9	11.3	
Mutton (kg)	27.2	20.5	23.1	18.8	3.6	7.3	5.7	
Pigmeat (kg)	3.9	3.2	4.6	6.7	13.3	17.5	18.1	
Total (kg)	101.5	84.6	97.2	85.9	96.1	79.8	71.7	
Offal and meat n.e.i. (kg)	3.8	4.0	5.2	5.1	5.9	3.1	1.5	
Total meat and meat products (carcass equivalent weight) (kg)	118.5	103.0	112.4	98.8	102.0	82.8	73.2	
Canned meat (canned weight) (kg)	1.0	1.2	1.9	2.2	1.6	n.a.	n.a.	
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight) (kg)	4.6	5.3	3.2	3.6	6.0	6.9	7.8	
Poultry								
Poultry (dressed weight) (kg)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	8.3	17.1	24.1	28.3	
Seafood								
Fresh and frozen (edible weight)								
Fish								
Australian (kg)	} 2.7	2.4	{ 1.4	1.4	1.6	2.6	3.2	
Imported (kg)				1.4	1.2	1.9	1.9	
Crustacea and molluscs (kg)	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.7	
Seafood, otherwise prepared (product weight)(a)								
Australian (kg)	} 1.9	1.4	{ 0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	
Imported				{ 0.8	1.0	{ 1.8	1.7	2.0
Fish (kg)									0.4	0.6	0.9
Crustacea and molluscs (kg)								
Total (kg)	4.9	4.1	4.5	5.6	6.4	8.3	10.2	
Dairy products								
Market milk (fluid whole) (L)(b)	106.4	138.7	128.7	128.2	100.5	101.7	104.2	
Condensed, concentrated and evaporated milk								
Full cream								
Sweetened (kg)	} 2.0	{ 1.6	1.2	1.1	0.8	} 2.2	1.1	
Unsweetened (kg)(c)				1.8	3.5			2.5
Skim (kg)	n.a.	n.a.	0.6	0.7	1.6	1.2	0.4	
Powdered milk								
Full cream (kg)	1.2	1.5	1.1	0.8	1.3	0.9	1.1	
Skim (incl. buttermilk and mixed skim and buttermilk) (kg)	—	0.3	1.1	4.3	2.7	2.8	2.2	
Infants' and invalids' food (kg)	0.5	0.6	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	
Cheese (natural equivalent weight) (kg)(d)	2.0	2.5	2.6	3.5	5.3	8.8	10.6	
Total (converted to milk solids fat and non-fat (kg)(e)	17.8	22.3	22.1	25.4	22.1	23.8	24.4	
Fruit and fruit products								
Fresh fruit (incl. fruit for fruit juice)								
Citrus (kg)	14.5	16.9	16.1	22.5	34.5	39.1	45.5	
Other (kg)	42.6	39.5	35.6	40.8	34.6	49.9	55.4	
Jams, conserves, etc. (product weight) (kg)	5.2	5.6	3.9	3.3	2.0	2.1	2.0	
Dried fruit (product weight) (kg)	3.8	3.9	2.8	2.5	2.0	2.4	2.7	
Processed fruit (product weight) (kg)	3.5	3.4	6.0	9.9	10.5	8.4	6.4	
Total (fresh fruit equivalent) (kg)	78.7	80.9	72.2	86.5	91.0	111.6	122.1	

(a) Comprises canned seafood only prior to 1972-73. Prepared seafood other than canned was included in 'Fresh and frozen' in this period.

(b) Prior to 1978-79 known as Fluid whole milk.

(c) Included in 'Ice-cream mix' prior to 1972-73.

(d) Combined product and natural equivalent weights prior to 1971-72.

(e) Includes an allowance for estimated cream consumption.

1 APPARENT PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION—Years ended 30 June *continued*

	AVERAGE 3 YEARS ENDED.....						CURRENT YEAR.....
	1938-39	1948-49	1958-59	1968-69	1978-79	1988-89	1995-96
Vegetables							
Potatoes (kg)	47.1	56.3	51.7	53.7	50.1	61.5	70.1
Other root and bulb vegetables (kg)(a)	n.a.	19.1	15.9	17.1	16.7	19.3	24.3
Tomatoes (kg)	7.1	11.5	13.0	14.2	13.6	19.3	20.6
Leafy and green vegetables (kg)	n.a.	20.5	17.9	21.3	24.3	23.8	21.5
Other vegetables (kg)	n.a.	22.3	18.6	18.1	17.9	24.2	26.3
<i>Total (fresh equivalent weight) (kg)</i>	<i>n.a.</i>	<i>129.7</i>	<i>117.1</i>	<i>124.3</i>	<i>122.5</i>	<i>148.1</i>	<i>162.8</i>
Grain products							
Flour (kg)(b)	84.9	91.6	82.3	77.4	69.6	72.6	77.5
Breakfast foods (kg)	4.8	6.1	6.2	6.8	7.8	9.7	9.1
Table rice (kg)	1.8	0.4	n.a.	1.9	2.4	4.2	6.5
<i>Total (kg)</i>	<i>92.5</i>	<i>98.6</i>	<i>n.a.</i>	<i>86.8</i>	<i>79.9</i>	<i>86.5</i>	<i>93.1</i>
Bread (kg)	49.6	64.0	69.1	59.5	47.7	44.4	49.4
Eggs and egg products							
Total (doz.)	12.1	12.7	10.2	12.6	12.4	(c)	(c)
Equivalent number of eggs (no.)(d)	243	255	206	222	220	146	132
Nuts (in shell)							
Peanuts (kg)	n.a.	4.2	3.1	2.8	2.1	2.3	2.1
Tree nuts (kg)	n.a.	1.8	3.4	5.8	2.9	3.8	4.5
Oils and fats							
Butter (kg)	14.9	11.2	12.3	9.8	5.1	3.2	2.9
Margarine							
Table (kg)	0.4	0.4	n.a.	1.5	5.4	6.8	5.4
Other (kg)	1.8	2.4	2.2	3.4	3.1	2.2	2.5
<i>Total (fat content) (kg)(e)</i>	<i>17.1</i>	<i>14.0</i>	<i>n.a.</i>	<i>14.3</i>	<i>21.6</i>	<i>20.4</i>	<i>19.2</i>
Sugars							
Cane sugar							
As refined sugar (kg)	32.0	31.2	27.0	21.0	14.9	8.8	8.6
In manufactured foods (kg)	16.3	23.1	23.6	27.7	34.6	33.9	32.3
<i>Total (kg)(f)</i>	<i>50.8</i>	<i>56.8</i>	<i>53.0</i>	<i>51.9</i>	<i>54.5</i>	<i>48.3</i>	<i>46.6</i>
Beverages							
Tea (kg)	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.3	1.7	1.2	0.9
Coffee (kg)(g)	0.3	0.5	0.6	1.2	1.6	2.0	2.2
Aerated and carbonated waters (L)(h)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	47.3	67.4	87.4	114.6
Beer (L)	53.2	76.8	99.7	113.5	133.2	113.1	95.3
Wine (L)	2.7	5.9	5.0	8.2	14.7	20.2	18.3
Alcohol content(i)							
Beer (L al)	2.55	3.58	4.79	5.45	6.40	5.11	4.16
Wine (L al)	0.35	0.77	0.87	1.15	1.98	2.36	2.10
Spirits (L al)	0.50	0.80	0.74	0.89	1.21	1.23	1.38
<i>Total (L al)</i>	<i>3.40</i>	<i>5.15</i>	<i>6.40</i>	<i>7.49</i>	<i>9.59</i>	<i>8.70</i>	<i>7.63</i>

(a) Sweet potatoes included with 'Other root and bulb vegetables' since 1968-69; formerly included with 'Other vegetables'.

(b) Includes flour used for breadmaking.

(c) Data not collected.

(d) Refer to paragraph 24 of the Technical Notes.

(e) Includes an estimate for vegetable oils and other fats. Prior to 1975-76 this was estimated at 2 kg, from 1975-76 onwards estimated at 10 kg.

(f) Includes sugar content of syrups, honey and glucose.

(g) Coffee and coffee products in terms of roasted coffee.

(h) Includes bulk pre-mix and post-mix concentrates in terms of drink equivalent.

(i) From 1984-85 data makes allowance for low alcohol beer and wines. From 1989-90 onwards, data for beer have been compiled on the basis of excise data. Prior to this the alcohol content of beer was calculated using 2.4% by volume for low alcohol beer and 4.8% for other beer.

	AVAILABLE FOR CONSUMPTION.....					
	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96
Meat and meat products						
Carcass meat						
Beef (t)	672 893	623 168	613 668	646 742	622 495	643 300
Veal (t)	26 481	27 452	27 457	28 964	27 266	24 353
Total beef and veal (t)	699 374	650 620	641 125	675 706	649 760	667 653
Lamb (t)	242 947	232 891	219 918	206 342	213 014	204 746
Mutton (t)	132 114	132 873	146 138	149 863	115 762	103 686
Pigmeat (t)	r306 557	r332 314	r319 279	r339 170	346 623	328 799
Total carcass meat (t)	r1 380 992	r1 348 698	r1 326 460	r1 371 082	1 325 160	1 304 884
Offal and meat n.e.i. (t)	r66 075	r60 018	r41 469	r42 324	33 984	27 333
Total meat and meat products (carcass equivalent weight) (t)	r1 447 068	r1 408 715	r1 367 929	r1 413 406	1 359 144	1 332 217
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight) (t)	123 112	130 044	138 456	r131 730	134 624	141 902
Poultry						
Poultry (dressed weight) (t)	r428 177	r449 150	r465 670	r499 590	489 373	515 268
Seafood						
Fresh and frozen (edible weight)						
Fish						
Australian (t)	72 466	65 102	69 379	r60 122	62 564	58 111
Imported (t)	28 635	32 435	32 725	37 565	36 500	35 468
Crustacea and molluscs (t)	26 537	28 614	29 359	r30 407	33 729	30 841
Seafood otherwise prepared (product weight)						
Australian (t)	7 609	6 338	6 881	r9 394	8 449	8 333
Imported						
Fish (t)	28 609	32 835	31 025	34 401	37 476	36 482
Crustacea and molluscs (t)	13 250	13 763	14 281	r14 463	15 556	15 824
Total (t)	177 105	179 086	183 651	r186 351	194 274	185 060
Dairy products						
Market milk (fluid whole) ('000 L)	1 735 623	1 762 647	1 777 519	r1 810 200	1 848 900	1 895 429
Condensed, concentrated and evaporated milk						
Full cream sweetened and unsweetened (t)	41 957	36 079	37 872	35 261	30 385	20 149
Skim (t)	32 782	r34 361	r37 565	r33 528	15 078	7 328
Powdered milk						
Full cream (t)	14 644	r15 039	15 750	14 743	16 402	19 977
Skim (t)	37 563	r36 365	34 363	r42 791	39 424	40 907
Infants' and invalids' food (t)	22 885	23 310	r20 509	19 679	21 601	23 531
Cheese (natural equivalent weight) (t)	149 806	154 535	159 227	r170 820	184 291	192 696
Total (converted to milk solids fat and non-fat) (t)	400 453	r405 069	r409 793	r426 415	431 929	443 207
Fruit and fruit products						
Fresh fruit (incl. fruit for fruit juice)						
Citrus (t)	625 496	751 334	748 720	768 691	828 913	826 850
Other (t)	r968 243	r966 043	r958 962	r1 072 557	969 910	1 008 117
Jams, preserves, etc. (product weight) (t)	36 984	36 715	39 821	34 782	35 821	37 029
Dried fruit (product weight) (t)	r49 317	r52 339	r46 511	r53 073	52 519	49 135
Processed fruit (product weight) (t)	118 276	139 315	143 316	r132 436	135 069	117 073
Total (fresh fruit equivalent) (t)	1 979 602	2 149 905	2 114 658	r2 255 704	2 228 696	2 220 390
Vegetables						
Potatoes (t)	r1 120 605	r1 190 864	r1 122 392	r1 177 919	1 104 999	1 274 815
Other root and bulb vegetables (t)	354 331	337 538	322 069	r367 831	387 269	442 835
Tomatoes (t)	422 405	387 149	363 927	398 646	373 367	374 756
Leafy and green vegetables (t)	420 833	398 138	361 417	366 627	366 097	391 179
Other vegetables (t)	431 685	425 840	432 547	r435 222	405 959	477 849
Total (fresh equivalent weight) (t)	r2 749 859	r2 739 529	r2 602 352	r2 746 244	2 637 691	2 961 433

PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION.....

	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96
Meat and meat products						
Carcass meat						
Beef (kg)	39.2	35.8	34.9	36.4	34.7	35.4
Veal (kg)	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.3
Total beef and veal (kg)	40.7	37.4	36.5	38.0	36.2	36.7
Lamb (kg)	14.1	13.4	12.5	11.6	11.9	11.3
Mutton (kg)	7.7	7.6	8.3	8.4	6.4	5.7
Pigmeat (kg)	r17.8	r19.1	r18.2	r19.1	19.3	18.1
Total carcass meat (kg)	r80.4	r77.5	r75.4	r77.2	73.8	71.7
Offal and meat n.e.i. (kg)	3.8	r3.5	r2.4	r2.4	1.9	1.5
Total meat and meat products (carcass equivalent weight) (kg)	r84.2	r81.0	r77.8	r79.6	75.7	73.2
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight) (kg)	7.2	7.5	7.9	7.4	7.5	7.8
Poultry						
Poultry (dressed weight) (kg)	r24.9	r25.8	r26.5	r28.1	27.3	28.3
Seafood						
Fresh and frozen (edible weight)						
Fish						
Australian (kg)	4.2	3.7	3.9	r3.4	3.5	3.2
Imported (kg)	1.7	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.7
Crustacea and molluscs (kg)	1.5	1.6	1.7	r1.7	1.9	1.7
Seafood otherwise prepared (product weight)						
Australian (kg)	0.4	0.4	0.4	r0.5	0.5	0.5
Imported						
Fish (kg)	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.0
Crustacea and molluscs (kg)	0.8	0.8	0.8	r0.8	0.9	0.9
Total (kg)	10.3	10.3	10.4	r10.5	10.8	10.2
Dairy products						
Market milk (fluid whole) (L)	101.0	101.3	101.1	r101.9	103.0	104.2
Condensed, concentrated and evaporated milk						
Full cream sweetened and unsweetened (kg)	2.4	2.1	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.1
Skim (kg)	1.9	r2.0	2.1	r1.9	0.8	0.4
Powdered milk						
Full cream (kg)	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.1
Skim (kg)	2.2	r2.1	2.0	r2.4	2.2	2.2
Infants' and invalids' food (kg)	1.3	1.3	r1.2	1.1	1.2	1.3
Cheese (natural equivalent weight) (kg)	8.7	8.9	9.1	r9.6	10.3	10.6
Total (converted to milk solids fat and non-fat) (kg)	23.3	r23.3	23.3	24.0	24.1	24.4
Fruit and fruit products						
Fresh fruit (incl. fruit for fruit juice)						
Citrus (kg)	36.4	43.2	42.6	43.3	46.2	45.5
Other (kg)	r56.4	55.5	r54.5	r60.4	54.0	55.4
Jams, conserves, etc. (product weight) (kg)	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.0	2.0
Dried fruit (product weight) (kg)	2.9	3.0	r2.6	r3.0	2.9	2.7
Processed fruit (product weight) (kg)	6.9	8.0	8.2	r7.5	7.5	6.4
Total (fresh fruit equivalent) (kg)	115.2	123.6	120.3	127.0	124.1	122.1
Vegetables						
Potatoes (kg)	r65.2	r68.5	r63.8	r66.3	61.5	70.1
Other root and bulb vegetables (kg)	20.6	19.4	18.3	20.7	21.6	24.3
Tomatoes (kg)	24.6	22.3	20.7	r22.4	20.8	20.6
Leafy and green vegetables (kg)	24.5	22.9	20.6	r20.6	20.4	21.5
Other vegetables (kg)	25.1	24.5	24.6	r24.5	22.6	26.3
Total (fresh equivalent weight) (kg)	r160.1	r157.5	r148.0	r154.6	146.9	162.8

AVAILABLE FOR CONSUMPTION.....

	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96
Grain products						
Flour (t)(a)	1 275 798	1 245 699	1 313 890	r1 405 606	1 389 362	1 409 550
Breakfast foods						
Oatmeal and rolled oats (t)	31 381	22 298	20 413	18 361	33 852	37 732
Other (from grain (t)	179 645	185 217	170 371	141 859	150 873	127 359
Total (t)	211 026	207 515	190 784	160 220	184 725	165 091
Table rice (t)	87 582	90 601	86 930	r98 686	108 510	118 180
Total (t)	1 574 406	1 543 816	1 591 605	r1 664 512	1 682 598	1 692 822
Bread (t)	756 023	776 743	812 579	(b)	845 565	899 357
Eggs and egg products						
Number of eggs ('000 doz.)(c)	r234 387	r203 924	r207 248	r207 221	201 436	199 400
Nuts (in shell)						
Peanuts (t)	32 921	40 351	r41 472	r37 044	43 288	38 459
Tree nuts (t)	68 936	76 227	72 544	79 863	79 715	81 716
Oils and fats						
Butter (t)(d)	44 704	45 741	45 576	r55 373	55 655	51 886
Dairy blends (product weight) (t)	10 874	9 995	12 706	11 700	12 121	13 808
Margarine						
Table margarine (t)	115 027	113 750	108 365	105 141	95 721	98 704
Other margarine (t)	32 708	34 717	31 538	34 324	35 237	44 614
Total (t)	147 735	148 467	139 903	139 465	130 958	143 318
Total (fat content) (t)(e)(f)	r335 314	r338 211	r335 291	r343 937	339 637	350 160
Sugars						
Cane sugar						
As refined sugar (t)	r170 302	162 564	158 787	r151 230	149 273	156 063
In manufactured foods (t)	564 037	544 239	606 320	r537 219	534 551	588 023
Total (t)	r734 339	706 803	765 107	r688 449	683 824	744 086
Honey (t)	15 409	13 263	17 040	13 051	9 192	16 185
Total (t)(g)	r827 515	r794 557	r857 453	r818 812	792 693	847 312
Beverages						
Tea (t)	17 128	18 400	17 283	18 493	16 579	16 090
Coffee (t)(h)	35 345	37 250	39 257	40 478	39 211	39 396
Aerated and carbonated waters ('000 L)(i)	1 718 088	1 679 486	1 707 180	1 856 487	1 985 100	2 084 085
Beer						
Low alcohol ('000 L)	338 167	387 938	423 102	393 166	384 062	407 232
Other beer ('000 L)	1 560 772	1 421 692	1 327 269	1 347 296	1 355 321	1 326 722
Total ('000 L)	1 898 939	1 809 631	1 750 371	1 740 462	1 739 384	1 733 954
Wine ('000 L)	r307 554	r325 999	r321 870	r330 424	329 929	332 191
Alcohol content						
Beer						
Low alcohol ('000 L al)	9 665	11 241	12 523	11 927	11 859	12 597
Other beer ('000 L al)	74 592	67 767	63 191	64 476	64 743	63 118
Total ('000 L al)	84 257	r79 008	75 714	76 403	76 602	75 715
Wine ('000 L al)	35 559	37 483	36 874	r37 751	37 805	38 122
Spirits ('000 L al)	20 232	19 450	20 511	24 284	23 211	25 045
Total ('000 L al)	140 048	135 940	133 099	r138 438	137 618	138 882

(a) Includes flour used for breadmaking.

(b) Data not collected.

(c) Includes commercial disposals and an estimate for backyard production.

(d) Includes butter equivalent of butter oil, butter concentrate and ghee.

(e) Includes an estimate for vegetable oils and other fats.

(f) Now includes dairy blends.

(g) Includes sugar content of syrups and glucose.

(h) Coffee and coffee products in terms of roasted coffee.

(i) Includes bulk pre-mix and post-mix concentrates in terms of drink equivalent.

2 TOTAL APPARENT CONSUMPTION—Years ended 30 June *continued*

PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION.....

	1990-91	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95	1995-96
Grain products						
Flour (kg)(a)	74.3	71.6	74.7	r79.1	77.4	77.5
Breakfast foods						
Oatmeal and rolled oats (kg)	1.8	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.9	2.1
Other (from grain) (kg)	10.5	10.6	9.7	8.0	8.4	7.0
Total (kg)	12.3	11.9	10.9	9.0	10.3	9.1
Table rice (kg)	5.1	5.2	4.9	5.6	6.0	6.5
Total (kg)	91.7	88.8	90.5	r93.7	93.7	93.1
Bread (t)	44.0	44.7	46.2	(b)	47.1	49.4
Eggs and egg products						
Number of eggs (no.)(c)	r164	r141	r141	r140	135	132
Nuts (in shell)						
Peanuts (kg)	1.9	2.3	r2.4	r2.1	2.4	2.1
Tree nuts (kg)	4.0	4.4	4.1	4.5	4.4	4.5
Oils and fats						
Butter (kg)(d)	2.6	2.6	2.6	r3.1	3.1	2.9
Dairy blends (product weight)(kg)	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8
Margarine						
Table margarine (kg)	6.7	6.5	6.2	5.9	5.3	5.4
Other margarine (kg)	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.5
Total (kg)	8.6	8.5	8.0	7.9	7.3	7.9
Total (fat content) (kg)(e)(f)	r19.5	r19.4	r19.1	r19.4	18.9	19.2
Sugars						
Cane sugar						
As refined sugar (kg)	9.9	9.3	9.0	r8.5	8.3	8.6
In manufactured foods (kg)	32.8	31.3	34.5	30.2	29.8	32.3
Total (kg)	42.8	40.6	43.5	r38.8	38.1	40.9
Honey (kg)	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.9
Total (kg)(g)	r48.2	r45.7	r48.8	r46.1	44.2	46.6
Beverages						
Tea (kg)	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9
Coffee (kg)(h)	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.2
Aerated and carbonated waters (L)(i)	100.0	96.6	97.1	104.5	110.6	114.6
Beer						
Low alcohol (L)	19.7	22.3	24.1	22.1	21.4	22.4
Other beer (L)	90.9	81.7	75.5	75.9	75.5	72.9
Total (L)	110.6	104.0	99.5	98.0	96.9	95.3
Wine (L)	r17.9	r18.7	r18.3	18.6	18.4	18.3
Alcohol content						
Beer						
Low alcohol (L al)	0.56	0.65	0.71	0.67	0.66	0.69
Other beer (L al)	4.34	3.90	3.59	3.63	3.61	3.47
Total (L al)	4.91	4.54	4.31	4.30	4.27	4.16
Wine (L al)	2.07	2.16	2.10	2.13	2.11	2.10
Spirits (L al)	1.18	1.12	1.17	1.37	1.29	1.38
Total (L al)	8.15	7.82	7.57	7.79	7.67	7.63

(a) Includes flour used for breadmaking.

(b) Data not collected.

(c) Includes commercial disposals and an estimate for backyard production.

(d) Includes butter equivalent of butter oil, butter concentrate and ghee.

(e) Includes an estimate for vegetable oils and other fats.

(f) Now includes dairy blends.

(g) Includes sugar content of syrups and glucose.

(h) Coffee and coffee products in terms of roasted coffee.

(i) Includes bulk pre-mix and post-mix concentrates in terms of drink equivalent.

SUPPLY.....

	Net change in stocks	Commercial production	Estimated home production	Imports	Total
	t	t	t	t	t
Meat and meat products					
Carcass meat(a)					
Beef and veal					
Beef	7 607	1 765 607	—	4 839	1 762 839
Veal	235	37 810	—	1 210	38 785
Total	7 843	1 803 417	—	6 049	1 801 623
Lamb					
Lamb	-2 511	267 968	—	200	270 679
Mutton	2 511	353 590	—	708	351 787
Pigmeat	72	351 299	—	3 485	354 712
Total	7 915	2 776 274	—	10 442	2 778 801
Offal and meat n.e.i.					
Offal and meat n.e.i.	-496	122 035	—	5 915	128 446
Total meat and meat products (carcass equivalent weight)					
Total meat and meat products (carcass equivalent weight)	7 419	2 898 309	—	16 357	2 907 247
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight)					
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight)	6	138 069	—	35	138 097
Poultry					
Poultry (dressed weight)	3 081	499 002	2 244	283	498 447
Seafood					
Fresh and frozen (edible weight)					
Fish					
Australian	n.a.	68 085	12 255	..	80 340
Imported	n.a.	..	..	36 761	36 761
Crustacea and molluscs	n.a.	39 268	5 072	6 913	51 253
Seafood otherwise prepared (product weight)					
Australian	34	11 567	—	..	11 533
Imported					
Fish	n.a.	..	..	37 552	37 552
Crustacea and molluscs	n.a.	..	..	15 637	15 637
.....					
	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L
Dairy products					
Market milk (fluid whole)					
Market milk (fluid whole)	..	..	..	..	..
.....					
	t	t	t	t	t
Dairy products					
Condensed, concentrated and evaporated milk					
Full cream sweetened and unsweetened	-131	37 552	—	1 968	39 651
Skim	-93	43 855	—	1 936	45 884
Powdered milk					
Full cream	..	..	..	..	..
Skim (including buttermilk and mixed skim and buttermilk)	..	..	..	..	..
Infants' and invalids' food	618	27 624	—	2 938	29 944
Cheese (natural equivalent weight)
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(a) Stocks supplied by the Australian Meat and Livestock Corporation.

3 ESTIMATED SUPPLY AND UTILISATION OF FOODSTUFFS—Year ended 30 June 1995 *continued*

UTILISATION.....

	Exports	Non-food use, waste etc.	For processed foods	Apparent total consumption	Apparent per capita consumption
	t	t	t	t	kg
Meat and meat products					
Carcass meat(a)					
Beef and veal					
Beef	1 140 344	..	(a)	622 495	34.7
Veal	11 519	..	(a)	27 266	1.5
<i>Total</i>	<i>1 151 863</i>	<i>..</i>	<i>(a)</i>	<i>649 760</i>	<i>36.2</i>
Lamb	57 665	..	(a)	213 014	11.9
Mutton	236 025	..	(a)	115 762	6.4
Pigmeat	8 089	..	(a)	346 623	19.3
<i>Total</i>	<i>1 453 642</i>	<i>..</i>	<i>(a)</i>	<i>1 325 160</i>	<i>73.8</i>
Offal and meat n.e.i.	91 462	3 000	(a)	33 984	1.9
<i>Total meat and meat products (carcass equivalent weight)</i>	<i>1 545 103</i>	<i>3 000</i>	<i>..</i>	<i>1 359 144</i>	<i>75.7</i>
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight)	160	..	3 314	134 624	7.5
Poultry					
Poultry (dressed weight)	9 074	..	n.a.	489 373	27.3
Seafood					
Fresh and frozen (edible weight)					
Fish					
Australian	9 439	n.a.	8 337	62 564	3.5
Imported	261	..	..	36 500	2.0
Crustacea and molluscs	14 294	n.a.	3 230	33 729	1.9
Seafood otherwise prepared (product weight)					
Australian	3 084	..	..	8 449	0.5
Imported	..	..	..	..	..
Fish	76	..	..	37 476	2.1
Crustacea and molluscs	81	..	..	15 556	0.9
.....					
	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	L
Dairy products					
Market milk (fluid whole)	..	..	..	(b)1 848 900	103.0
.....					
	t	t	t	t	kg
Dairy products					
Condensed, concentrated and evaporated milk					
Full cream sweetened and unsweetened	9 266	..	..	30 385	1.7
Skim	30 806	..	..	15 078	0.8
Powdered milk					
Full cream	..	..	..	(b)16 402	0.9
Skim (including buttermilk and mixed skim and buttermilk)	..	..	..	(b)39424	2.2
Infants' and invalids' food	8 343	..	..	21 601	1.2
Cheese (natural equivalent weight)	..	..	..	(b)184 291	10.3

(a) Processed foods are not shown separately, but are included in production and apparent consumption.

(b) Domestic sales supplied by the Australian Dairy Corporation.

SUPPLY.....

	Net change in stocks	Commercial production	Estimated home production	Imports	Total
	t	t	t	t	t
Fruit and fruit products					
Fresh fruit (incl. fruit for fruit juice)					
Oranges	..	517 242	10 345	283 321	810 908
Other citrus fruit	..	120 313	18 169	31 175	169 656
Other fresh fruit					
Apples	(a)32 917	316 555	9 497	—	293 135
Apricots	..	29 753	5 058	715	35 526
Bananas	..	208 102	8 324	26	216 452
Grapes	..	44 456	3 112	2	47 570
Melons, cantaloupes etc.	..	157 479	7 311	—	164 790
Peaches	..	58 665	5 867	641	65 173
Pears	(a)-1 398	151 750	3 035	65	156 248
Pineapples	..	142 831	—	—	142 831
Plums and prunes	..	21 347	6 618	9	27 974
<i>Total</i>	(a)31 519	1 233 183	92 581	22 055	1 316 300
Jams, conserves, etc. (product weight)	-1 139	27 125	1 000	7 764	37 028
Dried vine fruit (product weight)					
Currants	..	..	..	..	..
Raisins	..	..	..	..	..
Sultanas	..	..	..	..	..
Dried tree fruit (product weight)					
Apricots	..	..	..	..	..
Prunes	..	..	..	..	..
Other	..	..	..	..	..
Processed fruit (product weight)					
Apples	-491	18 003	—	1 158	19 652
Mixed fruits (incl. fruit salad)	1 025	29 807	—	2 200	30 982
Peaches	2 770	29 667	150	364	27 411
Other	-3 622	82 202	—	28 748	114 572
Vegetables					
Potatoes	n.a.	1 239 659	12 397	34 991	1 287 046
Other root and bulb vegetables					
Beetroot	—	27 833	1 948	26	29 807
Carrots	—	238 539	7 156	527	246 222
Onions	-578	200 432	4 009	7 401	212 420
Parsnips	n.a.	6 507	716	—	7 223
Sweet potatoes	n.a.	8 011	80	17	8 108
White turnips and swedes	n.a.	7 447	745	527	8 719
<i>Total</i>	-578	488 769	14 654	8 498	512 498
Tomatoes	36 949	340 033	27 203	68 089	398 376
Leafy and green vegetables (incl. legumes)					
Beans	—	36 223	5 796	8 150	50 168
Cabbages and other greens	..	80 117	20 358	1 674	102 149
Celery	n.a.	38 631	1 159	—	39 790
Lettuce	n.a.	92 454	14 793	—	107 247
Peas	-301	99 439	1 989	16 742	118 471
<i>Total</i>	-301	346 863	44 094	26 566	417 825
Other vegetables					
Asparagus	n.a.	6 216	186	7 198	13 601
Cauliflowers	n.a.	66 105	3 305	—	69 410
Cucumbers (incl. gherkins)	-67	14 144	3 112	4 919	22 242
Marrows, squashes and zucchinis	n.a.	13 452	4 305	950	18 707
Pumpkins	n.a.	76 678	23 770	950	101 399
Sweet corn	n.a.	74 055	4 443	18 655	97 153
Other	2 545	105 846	11 849	45 618	160 768
<i>Total</i>	2 478	356 496	50 971	78 291	483 280
<i>Total</i>	38 547	2 771 820	149 318	216 434	3 099 025

(a) Cold store stocks of apples and pears.

UTILISATION.....

	Exports	Non-food use, waste etc.	For processed foods	Apparent total consumption	Apparent per capita consumption
	t	t	t	t	kg
Fruit and fruit products					
Fresh fruit (incl. fruit for fruit juice)					
Oranges	121 221	10 345	n.a.	679 342	37.8
Other citrus fruit	20 085	n.a.	n.a.	149 571	8.3
Other fresh fruit					
Apples	33 684	n.a.	38 166	221 284	12.3
Apricots	171	n.a.	11 083	24 272	1.4
Bananas	466	n.a.	—	215 986	12.0
Grapes	13 363	n.a.	..	34 207	1.9
Melons, cantaloupes etc.	12 702	n.a.	..	152 088	8.5
Peaches	825	n.a.	28 326	36 021	2.0
Pears	13 535	n.a.	45 479	97 234	5.4
Pineapples	501	n.a.	47 174	95 156	5.3
Plums and prunes	3 942	n.a.	n.a.	22 828	1.3
<i>Total</i>	88 439	n.a.	257 951	969 910	54.0
Jams, conserves, etc. (product weight)	1 207	n.a.	..	35 821	2.0
Dried vine fruit (product weight)					
Currants	..	..	..	(a)4 445	0.2
Raisins	..	..	..	(a)2 136	0.1
Sultanas	..	..	..	(a)29 775	1.7
Dried tree fruit (product weight)					
Apricots	..	..	..	(b)6 428	0.4
Prunes	..	..	..	(b)2 691	0.1
Other	..	..	..	(b)7 044	0.4
Processed fruit (product weight)					
Apples	451	..	..	19 200	1.1
Mixed fruits (incl. fruit salad)	15 078	..	..	15 904	0.9
Peaches	10 791	..	..	16 620	0.9
Other	31 226	..	..	83 346	4.6
Vegetables					
Potatoes	27 616	154 432	(c)	1 104 999	61.5
Other root and bulb vegetables					
Beetroot	1 070	278	(c)	28 459	1.6
Carrots	37 302	7 156	(c)	201 764	11.2
Onions	71 503	6 013	(c)	134 904	7.5
Parsnips	1 450	130	(c)	5 642	0.3
Sweet potatoes		160	(c)	7 947	0.4
White turnips and swedes	17	149	(c)	8 553	0.5
<i>Total</i>	111 343	13 887	(c)	387 269	21.6
Tomatoes	8 007	17 002	(c)	373 367	20.8
Leafy and green vegetables (incl. legumes)					
Beans	2 483	724	(c)	46 960	2.6
Cabbages and other greens	7 840	4 006	(c)	90 302	5.0
Celery	4 755	1 932	(c)	33 103	1.8
Lettuce	3 164	6 472	(c)	97 611	5.4
Peas	12 395	7 955	(c)	98 121	5.5
<i>Total</i>	30 639	21 089	(c)	366 097	20.4
Other vegetables					
Asparagus	3 288		(c)	10 312	0.6
Cauliflowers	14 758	4 627	(c)	50 025	2.8
Cucumbers (incl. gherkins)	88	424	(c)	21 730	1.2
Marrows, squashes and zucchinis	1 034	n.a.	(c)	17 673	1.0
Pumpkins	1 034	n.a.	(c)	100 364	5.6
Sweet corn	7 573	1 481	(c)	88 099	4.9
Other	43 012	n.a.	(c)	117 756	6.6
<i>Total</i>	70 788	6 533	(c)	405 959	22.6
<i>Total</i>	248 393	95 700	(c)	2 637 691	146.9

(a) Comprises deliveries year ended 30 June as recorded by the Australian Dried Fruits Association, and imports.

(c) Processed foods are not shown separately, but are included in production and apparent consumption.

(b) Comprises deliveries and imports for consumption in Australia.

SUPPLY.....

	Net change in stocks	Commercial production	Estimated home production	Imports	Total
	t	t	t	t	t
Grain products					
Flour (incl. flour for breadmaking)	3 298	1 387 805	..	58 918	1 443 425
Breakfast foods					
Oatmeal and rolled oats	n.a.	39 843	..	4 512	44 355
Other (from grain)	-538	157 320	..	21 924	179 782
Table rice	n.a.	83 445	..	25 065	108 510
<i>Total grain products</i>	<i>2 760</i>	<i>1 668 413</i>	<i>..</i>	<i>110 419</i>	<i>1 776 072</i>
Bread	(a)	985 085	(a)	10 376	995 461
	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.
Eggs and egg products					
Number of eggs	..	177 288	24 820	294	202 403
	t	t	t	t	t
Nuts (in shell)					
Peanuts	3 768	54 322	n.a.	8 886	59 440
Tree nuts	n.a.	20 352	2 035	68 595	90 982
Oils and fats					
Butter	..	..	..	..	..
Dairy blends	..	..	..	..	..
Margarine					
Table	-4 518	97 016	—	1 329	102 863
Other	-302	53 042	—	—	53 344
Total	-4 820	150 058	—	1 329	156 207
Sugars					
Cane sugar					
As refined sugar	33 777	971 243	—	1 937	939 403
In manufactured foods	—	632 533	—	64 845	697 378
Honey	—	18 839	—	32	18 871
Beverages					
Tea	n.a.	1 500	—	17 199	18 699
Coffee	n.a.	160	—	42 670	42 830

(a) Data not collected.

UTILISATION.....

	Exports	Non-food use, waste etc.	For processed foods	Apparent total consumption	Apparent per capita consumption
	t	t	t	t	kg
Grain products					
Flour (incl. flour for breadmaking)	54 063	..	..	1 389 362	77.4
Breakfast foods					
Oatmeal and rolled oats	10 503	..	..	33 852	1.9
Other (from grain)	28 909	..	..	150 873	8.4
Table rice	..	..	..	108 510	6.0
<i>Total grain products</i>	93 475	..	..	1 682 598	93.7
Bread	577	149 319	..	845 565	47.1
Eggs and egg products					
Number of eggs	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	no.
	967	..	..	(a)201 436	135
Nuts (in shell)					
Peanuts	4 757	..	11 396	43 288	2.4
Tree nuts	11 267	n.a.	n.a.	79 715	4.4
Oils and fats					
Butter	..	..	..	(b)55 655	3.1
Dairy blends				(b)12 121	0.7
Margarine					
Table	7 142	..	..	95 721	5.3
Other	18 107	..	..	35 237	2.0
<i>Total</i>	25 249	..	..	130 958	7.3
Sugars					
Cane sugar					
As refined sugar	157 597	..	632 533	149 273	8.3
In manufactured foods	162 827	..	..	534 551	29.8
Honey	9 679	..	..	9 192	0.5
Beverages					
Tea	2 120	..	..	16 579	0.9
Coffee	3 619	..	..	39 211	2.2

(a) See paragraph 24 of the Technical Notes.

(b) Domestic sales supplied by the Australian Dairy Corporation.

SUPPLY.....

	<i>Net change in stocks</i>	<i>Commercial production</i>	<i>Estimated home production</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Total</i>
	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L
Beverages					
Aerated and carbonated waters	n.a.	1 959 409	n.a.	52 509	2 011 918
Beer					
Low alcohol	n.a.	..	..	(a)296	..
Other beer	n.a.	..	..	(a)11 938	..
<i>Total</i>	n.a.	..	..	(a)12 233	..
Wine					
Dessert wine	..	..	..	(a)201	..
Sherry	..	..	..	(a)70	..
Sparkling and carbonated wine	..	..	..	(a)3 065	..
Table wine	..	..	..	(a)6 100	..
Vermouth	..	..	..	(a)235	..
Other wine n.e.i.	..	..	..	(a)4 385	..
<i>Total</i>	..	..	..	(a)14 057	..
	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al
Alcohol content					
Spirits					
Brandy	..	..	..	(a)700	..
Gin	..	..	..	(a)672	..
Liqueurs (incl. flavoured spirits)	..	..	..	(a)2 130	..
Rum	..	..	..	(a)532	..
Vodka	..	..	..	(a)696	..
Whisky	..	..	..	(a)12 153	..
Other, n.e.i. (incl. bitters)	..	..	..	(a)646	..
<i>Total</i>	..	..	..	(a)17 530	..

(a) Imports cleared for consumption in Australia.

UTILISATION.....

	Exports	Non-food use, waste etc.	For processed foods	Apparent total consumption	Apparent per capita consumption
	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	L
Beverages					
Aerated and carbonated waters	26 818	..	..	1 985 100	110.6
Beer					
Low alcohol	(a)384 062	21.4
Other beer	(a)1 355 321	75.5
Total	(a)1 739 384	96.9
Wine					
Dessert wine	(b)17 090	1.0
Sherry	(b)10 181	0.6
Sparkling and carbonated wine	(b)34 499	1.9
Table wine	(b)260 202	14.5
Vermouth	(b)1 353	0.1
Other wine n.e.i.	(b)6 603	0.4
Total	(b)329 929	18.4
Alcohol content					
	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al	L al
Spirits					
Brandy	(a)1 869	0.10
Gin	(a)890	0.05
Liqueurs (incl. flavoured spirits)	(a)2 202	0.12
Rum	(a)2 553	0.14
Vodka	(a)1 105	0.06
Whisky	(a)12 172	0.68
Other, n.e.i. (incl. bitters)	(a)2 419	0.13
Total spirits	(a)23 211	1.29

(a) Comprises quantities upon which excise duty was paid and imports cleared for consumption in Australia.

(b) Comprises quantity of sales by winemakers and imports cleared for consumption in Australia.

SUPPLY.....

	Net change in stocks	Commercial production	Estimated home production	Imports	Total
	t	t	t	t	t
Meat and meat products					
Carcass meat(a)					
Beef and veal					
Beef	-10 050	1 710 922	—	4 810	1 725 782
Veal	-311	33 774	—	1 203	35 287
Total	-10 360	1 744 696	—	6 013	1 761 069
Lamb	1 035	264 721	—	12	263 698
Mutton	1 008	309 577	—	473	309 043
Pigmeat	-379	333 967	—	3 211	337 557
Total	-8 697	2 652 961	—	9 709	2 671 367
Offal and meat n.e.i.	-573	114 558	—	6 319	121 450
Total meat and meat products (carcass equivalent weight)	-9 270	2 767 519	—	16 028	2 792 817
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight)	1 012	146 570	—	26	145 583
Poultry					
Poultry (dressed weight)	-6 806	515 795	2 274	283	525 158
Seafood					
Fresh and frozen (edible weight)					
Fish					
Australian	n.a.	63 874	11 497	..	75 371
Imported	n.a.	..	..	35 682	35 682
Crustacea and molluscs	n.a.	37 596	4 768	6 442	48 807
Seafood otherwise prepared (product weight)					
Australian	-641	10 612	—	..	11 253
Imported:					
Fish	n.a.	..	..	36 654	36 654
Crustacea and molluscs	n.a.	..	..	15 867	15 867
	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L
Dairy products					
Market milk (fluid whole)					

	t	t	t	t	t
Dairy products					
Condensed, concentrated and evaporated milk					
Full cream sweetened and unsweetened	490	37 075	—	1 662	38 247
Skim	77	39 760	—	1 648	41 331
Powdered milk					
Full cream	..	..	..	..	..
Skim (including buttermilk and mixed skim and buttermilk)	..	..	..	..	..
Infants' and invalids' food	149	29 099	—	3 161	32 111
Cheese (natural equivalent weight)	..	..	..	..	..

(a) Stocks supplied by the Australian Meat and Livestock Corporation.

UTILISATION.....

	Exports	Non-food use, waste etc.	For processed foods	Apparent total consumption	Apparent per capita consumption
	t	t	t	t	kg
Meat and meat products					
Carcass meat(a)					
Beef and veal					
Beef	1 082 482	..	(a)	643 300	35.4
Veal	10 934	..	(a)	24 353	1.3
Total	1 093 416	..	(a)	667 653	36.7
Lamb	58 952	..	(a)	204 746	11.3
Mutton	205 357	..	(a)	103 686	5.7
Pigmeat	8 758	..	(a)	328 799	18.1
Total	1 366 483	..	(a)	1 304 884	71.7
Offal and meat n.e.i.	91 117	3 000	(a)	27 333	1.5
Total meat and meat products (carcass equivalent weight)	1 457 600	3 000	..	1 332 217	73.2
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight)	359	..	3 322	141 902	7.8
Poultry					
Poultry (dressed weight)	9 890	..	n.a.	515 268	28.3
Seafood					
Fresh and frozen (edible weight)					
Fish					
Australian	8 955	n.a.	8 305	58 111	3.2
Imported	214	n.a.	..	35 468	1.9
Crustacea and molluscs	15 658	n.a.	2 307	30 841	1.7
Seafood otherwise prepared (product weight)					
Australian	2 920	..	..	8 333	0.5
Imported	..	..	..	..	..
Fish	172	..	..	36 482	2.0
Crustacea and molluscs	44	..	..	15 824	0.9
.....					
	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	L
Dairy products					
Market milk (fluid whole)	..	..	..	(b)1 895 429	104.2
.....					
	t	t	t	t	kg
Dairy products					
Condensed, concentrated and evaporated milk					
Full cream sweetened and unsweetened	18 098	..	..	20 149	1.1
Skim	34 003	..	..	7 328	0.4
Powdered milk					
Full cream	..	..	..	(b)19 977	1.1
Skim (including buttermilk and mixed skim and buttermilk)	..	..	..	(b)40 907	2.2
Infants' and invalids' food	8 580	..	..	23 531	1.3
Cheese (natural equivalent weight)	..	..	..	(b)192 696	10.6

(a) Processed foods are not shown separately, but are included in production and apparent consumption.

(b) Domestic sales supplied by the Australian Dairy Corporation.

SUPPLY.....

	Net change in stocks	Commercial production	Estimated home production	Imports	Total
	t	t	t	t	t
Fruit and fruit products					
Fresh fruit (incl. fruit for fruit juice)					
Oranges	..	442 076	8 842	358 513	809 431
Other citrus fruit	..	119 578	20 376	35 746	175 701
Other fresh fruit					
Apples	(a)-42 894	280 147	8 404	—	331 446
Apricots	..	21 640	3 679	1 193	26 512
Bananas	..	220 047	8 802	27	228 876
Grapes	..	55 786	3 905	—	59 691
Melons, cantaloupes etc.	..	177 007	8 850	3	185 860
Peaches	..	60 390	6 039	593	67 022
Pears	(a)-5 730	156 022	3 120	—	164 872
Pineapples	..	130 885	..	—	130 885
Plums and prunes	..	21 429	6 643	5	28 077
Total	(a)-48 624	1 226 028	87 507	21 319	1 383 478
Jams, conserves, etc. (product weight)	63	30 105	1 000	7 094	38 136
Dried vine fruit (product weight)					
Currants	..	..	..	..	..
Raisins	..	..	..	..	..
Sultanas	..	..	..	..	..
Dried tree fruit (product weight)					
Apricots	..	..	..	..	..
Prunes	..	..	..	..	..
Other	..	..	..	..	..
Processed fruit (product weight)					
Apples	-219	16 265	—	1 227	17 711
Mixed fruits (incl. fruit salad)	9 407	36 054	—	2 166	28 813
Peaches	5 103	29 255	150	425	24 727
Other	9 295	86 936	—	27 731	105 372
Vegetables					
Potatoes	n.a.	1 449 896	14 499	32 330	1 496 725
Other root and bulb vegetables					
Beetroot	—	28 015	1 961	51	30 027
Carrots	—	249 926	7 498	71	257 495
Onions	177	244 484	4 890	13 079	262 275
Parsnips	n.a.	9 358	1 029	—	10 387
Sweet potatoes	n.a.	6 623	66	35	6 724
White turnips and swedes	n.a.	8 279	828	71	9 178
Total	177	546 685	16 272	13 306	576 087
Tomatoes	62 922	370 913	29 673	64 122	401 786
Leafy and green vegetables (incl. legumes)					
Beans	—	38 545	6 167	8 554	53 267
Cabbages and other greens	..	80 393	20 574	1 663	102 600
Celery	n.a.	47 996	1 440	—	49 436
Lettuce	n.a.	107 243	17 159	—	124 402
Peas	1 289	82 367	1 647	23 572	106 298
Total	1 289	356 545	46 987	33 760	436 002
Other vegetables					
Asparagus	n.a.	7 415	222	6 069	13 707
Cauliflowers	n.a.	71 052	3 553	1	74 606
Cucumbers (incl. gherkins)	-175	16 523	3 635	4 709	25 042
Marrows, squashes and zucchinis	n.a.	13 956	4 466	1 034	19 456
Pumpkins	n.a.	96 463	29 904	1 034	127 400
Sweet corn	n.a.	81 901	4 914	18 576	105 391
Other	-12 245	116 875	12 648	49 621	191 388
Total	-12 420	404 185	59 341	81 044	556 990
Total	51 968	3 128 224	166 773	224 562	3 467 590

(a) Cold store stocks of apples and pears.

UTILISATION.....

	Exports	Non-food use, waste etc.	For processed foods	Apparent total consumption	Apparent per capita consumption
	t	t	t	t	kg
Fruit and fruit products					
Fresh fruit (incl. fruit for fruit juice)					
Oranges	126 848	8 842	n.a.	673 741	37.0
Other citrus fruit	22 592	n.a.	n.a.	153 109	8.4
Other fresh fruit					
Apples	28 862	n.a.	34 482	268 103	14.7
Apricots	238	n.a.	10 281	15 993	0.9
Bananas	571	n.a.	—	228 305	12.6
Grapes	21 041	n.a.	..	38 650	2.1
Melons, cantaloupes etc.	11 637	n.a.	..	174 223	9.6
Peaches	1 118	n.a.	27 935	37 969	2.1
Pears	20 937	n.a.	55 583	88 352	4.9
Pineapples	483	n.a.	45 921	84 481	4.6
Plums and prunes	4 999	n.a.	n.a.	22 362	1.2
<i>Total</i>	101 285	n.a.	274 076	1 008 117	55.4
Jams, conserves, etc. (product weight)	1 107	n.a.	..	37 029	2.0
Dried vine fruit (product weight)					
Currants	..	..	..	(a)4 099	0.2
Raisins	..	..	..	(a)2 183	0.1
Sultanas	..	..	..	(a)28 904	1.6
Dried tree fruit (product weight)					
Apricots	..	..	..	(b)5 685	0.3
Prunes	..	..	..	(b)2 822	0.2
Other	..	..	..	(b)5 442	0.3
Processed fruit (product weight)					
Apples	723	..	..	16 988	0.9
Mixed fruits (incl. fruit salad)	19 087	..	..	9 726	0.5
Peaches	9 745	..	..	14 982	0.8
Other	29 995	..	..	75 377	4.1
Vegetables					
Potatoes	36 616	185 294	(c)	1 274 815	70.1
Other root and bulb vegetables					
Beetroot	1 463	280	(c)	28 284	1.6
Carrots	43 227	7 498	(c)	206 770	11.4
Onions	66 641	12 224	(c)	183 410	10.1
Parsnips	1 423	187	(c)	8 777	0.5
Sweet potatoes	4	132	(c)	6 588	0.4
White turnips and swedes	6	166	(c)	9 006	0.5
<i>Total</i>	112 765	20 487	(c)	442 835	24.3
Tomatoes	8 484	18 546	(c)	374 756	20.6
Leafy and green vegetables (incl. legumes)					
Beans	2 547	771	(c)	49 949	2.7
Cabbages and other greens	7 018	4 020	(c)	91 563	5.0
Celery	4 496	2 400	(c)	42 540	2.3
Lettuce	2 725	7 507	(c)	114 170	6.3
Peas	6 752	6 589	(c)	92 956	5.1
<i>Total</i>	23 537	21 287	(c)	391 179	21.5
Other vegetables					
Asparagus	4 859	—	(c)	8 848	0.5
Cauliflowers	18 860	4 974	(c)	50 772	2.8
Cucumbers (incl. gherkins)	138	496	(c)	24 408	1.3
Marrows, squashes and zucchinis	1 015	n.a.	(c)	18 441	1.0
Pumpkins	1 015	n.a.	(c)	126 385	6.9
Sweet corn	4 234	1 638	(c)	99 519	5.5
Other	41 913	n.a.	(c)	149 475	8.2
<i>Total</i>	72 034	7 107	(c)	477 849	26.3
<i>Total</i>	253 436	110 924	(c)	2 961 433	162.8

(a) Comprises deliveries year ended 30 June as recorded by the Australian Dried Fruits Association, and imports.

(c) Processed foods are not shown separately, but are included in production and apparent consumption.

(b) Comprises deliveries and imports, for consumption in Australia.

4 ESTIMATED SUPPLY AND UTILISATION OF FOODSTUFFS—Year ended 30 June 1996 *continued*

SUPPLY.....

	Net change in stocks	Commercial production	Estimated home production	Imports	Total
	t	t	t	t	t
Grain products					
Flour (incl. flour for breadmaking)	1 680	1 445 749	..	43 746	1 487 815
Breakfast foods					
Oatmeal and rolled oats	n.a.	45 960	..	6 764	52 724
Other (from grain)	-242	162 823	..	6 083	169 148
Table rice	n.a.	88 953	..	29 227	118 180
<i>Total</i>	1 438	1 743 485	..	85 820	1 827 868
Bread	(a)	1 046 112	(a)	12 438	1 058 550
	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.
Eggs and egg products					
Number of eggs	..	174 053	24 367	2 142	200 562
	t	t	t	t	t
Nuts (in shell)					
Peanuts	-792	26 650	n.a.	21 925	49 367
Tree nuts	n.a.	23 882	2 388	68 993	95 263
Oils and fats					
Butter	..	..	..	..	..
Dairy blends	..	..	..	..	..
Margarine					
Table	852	109 943	—	457	109 548
Other	-373	64 329	—	—	64 702
<i>Total</i>	479	174 272	—	457	174 250
Sugars					
Cane sugar					
As refined sugar	12 333	1 074 978	—	2 353	1 064 998
In manufactured foods	—	698 109	—	72 890	770 999
Honey	—	25 925	—	17	25 942
Beverages					
Tea	n.a.	1 510	—	16 688	18 198
Coffee	n.a.	275	—	42 892	43 167

(a) Data not collected.

UTILISATION.....

	Exports	Non-food use, waste etc.	For processed foods	Apparent total consumption	Apparent per capita consumption
	t	t	t	t	kg
Grain products					
Flour (incl. flour for breadmaking)	78 265	..	..	1 409 550	77.5
Breakfast foods					
Oatmeal and rolled oats	14 992	..	..	37 732	2.1
Other (from grain)	41 789	..	..	127 359	7.0
Table rice	..	..	..	118 180	6.5
<i>Total</i>	135 046	..	..	1 692 822	93.1
Bread	410	158 782	..	899 357	49.4
Eggs and egg products					
Number of eggs	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	'000 doz.	no.
	1 163	..	..	(a)199 400	132
Nuts (in shell)					
Peanuts	3 012	..	7 896	38 459	2.1
Tree nuts	13 547	n.a.	n.a.	81 716	4.5
Oils and fats					
Butter	..	..	..	(a)51 886	2.9
Dairy blends	..	..	..	(a)13 808	0.8
Margarine					
Table	10 844	..	..	98 704	5.4
Other	20 088	..	..	44 614	2.5
<i>Total</i>	30 932	..	..	143 318	7.9
Sugars					
Cane sugar					
As refined sugar	210 826	..	698 109	156 063	8.6
In manufactured foods	182 976	..	..	588 023	32.3
Honey	9 757	..	..	16 185	0.9
Beverages					
Tea	2 107	..	..	16 090	0.9
Coffee	3 771	..	..	39 396	2.2

(a) See paragraph 24 of the Technical Notes.

4 ESTIMATED SUPPLY AND UTILISATION OF FOODSTUFFS—Year ended 30 June 1996 *continued*

SUPPLY.....

	<i>Net change in stocks</i>	<i>Commercial production</i>	<i>Estimated home production</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Total</i>
	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L
Beverages					
Aerated, carbonated and mineral waters	n.a.	2 106 604	n.a.	32 184	2 138 788
Beer					
Low alcohol	n.a.	..	..	(a)421	..
Other beer	n.a.	..	..	(a)17 878	..
Total	n.a.	..	..	(a)18 299	..
Wine					
Dessert wine	..	..	..	(a)49	..
Sherry	..	..	..	(a)55	..
Sparkling and carbonated wine	..	..	..	(a)2 673	..
Table wine	..	..	..	(a)7 922	..
Vermouth	..	..	..	(a)304	..
Other wine n.e.i.	..	..	..	(a)9 252	..
Total	..	..	..	(a)20 256	..
	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al
Alcohol content					
Spirits					
Brandy	..	..	..	(a)696	..
Gin	..	..	..	(a)671	..
Liqueurs (incl. flavoured spirits)	..	..	..	(a)1 958	..
Rum	..	..	..	(a)529	..
Vodka	..	..	..	(a)809	..
Whisky	..	..	..	(a)12 336	..
Other, n.e.i. (incl. bitters)	..	..	..	(a)2 290	..
Total	..	..	..	(a)19 289	..

(a) Imports cleared for consumption in Australia.

UTILISATION.....

	Exports	Non-food use, waste etc.	For processed foods	Apparent total consumption	Apparent per capita consumption
	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	'000 L	L
Beverages					
Aerated, carbonated and mineral waters	54 703	..	..	2 084 085	114.6
Beer					
Low alcohol	..	..	..	(a)407 232	22.4
Other beer	..	..	..	(a)1 326 722	72.9
Total	..	..	..	(a)1 733 954	95.3
Wine					
Dessert wine	..	..	..	(b)16 246	0.9
Sherry	..	..	..	(b)9 723	0.5
Sparkling and carbonated wine	..	..	..	(b)35 910	2.0
Table wine	..	..	..	(b)257 669	14.2
Vermouth	..	..	..	(b)1 303	0.1
Other wine n.e.i.	..	..	..	(b)11 339	0.6
Total	..	..	..	(b)332 191	18.3
Alcohol content					
	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al	'000 L al	L al
Spirits					
Brandy	..	..	..	(a)1 801	0.10
Gin	..	..	..	(a)901	0.05
Liqueurs (incl. flavoured spirits)	..	..	..	(a)2 026	0.11
Rum	..	..	..	(a)2 539	0.14
Vodka	..	..	..	(a)1 248	0.07
Whisky	..	..	..	(a)12 355	0.68
Other, n.e.i. (incl. bitters)	..	..	..	(a)4 175	0.23
Total	..	..	..	(a)25 045	1.38

(a) Comprises quantities upon which excise duty was paid and imports cleared for consumption in Australia.

(b) Comprises quantity of sales by winemakers and imports cleared for consumption in Australia.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

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Agriculture, Australia (Cat. no. 7113.0)

Home Production of Selected Foodstuffs, Australia (Cat. no. 7110.0)

International Merchandise Trade, Australia (Cat. no. 5422.0)

Manufacturing Production, Australia, (Cat. no. 8301.0)

Manufacturing Production, Commodities Produced, Australia
(Cat. no. 8365.0)

National Health Survey: Summary of Results (Cat. no. 4364.0)

Sales of Australian Wine and Brandy by Winemakers (Cat. no. 8504.0)

3 The ABS has more detailed agricultural statistics on magnetic tape, compact disk, microfiche, floppy disk and the Integrated Regional Database. AgStats on floppy disk offers a wider range of data, aggregated at smaller geographic areas than those generally available in printed publications.

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6 As well as the statistics in this publication, the ABS may have other unpublished data available. Inquiries should be directed to Joanne Gibbons on Canberra 02 6252 5300.

ROUNDING

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

APPENDIX PER CAPITA STATISTICS

The following age-group distributions of the estimated resident Australian male and female population at 30 June 1995 and 1996 are based on the results of the 1996 Census of Population and Housing. These revised estimates take account of new information provided by census counts and estimates of census under-enumeration.

Data may be used in conjunction with information in tables 2 and 3 to vary apparent per capita consumption according to the users specific interest.

Estimated resident population, by age—30 June

Age group	MALES.....				FEMALES.....			
	1995	1996	Proportion of total population	Proportion of total population	1995	1996	Proportion of total population	Proportion of total population
Years	no.	no.	%	%	no.	no.	%	%
Under 1	132 459	130 948	0.73	0.72	125 464	124 335	0.69	0.68
1	132 758	133 232	0.73	0.73	125 861	126 277	0.70	0.69
2	133 282	133 602	0.74	0.73	126 631	126 622	0.70	0.69
3	133 114	134 004	0.74	0.73	126 400	127 208	0.70	0.69
4	135 090	133 825	0.75	0.73	128 465	126 996	0.71	0.69
5	135 130	135 974	0.75	0.74	128 279	129 400	0.71	0.71
6	132 137	136 206	0.73	0.74	125 615	129 383	0.70	0.71
7	131 173	133 058	0.73	0.73	125 072	126 555	0.69	0.69
8	131 110	132 090	0.73	0.72	124 743	125 827	0.69	0.69
9	133 042	131 923	0.74	0.72	126 380	125 633	0.70	0.69
10	132 488	133 927	0.73	0.73	126 903	127 418	0.70	0.70
11	133 198	133 105	0.74	0.73	127 034	127 667	0.70	0.70
12	134 395	134 097	0.74	0.73	127 198	128 117	0.70	0.70
13	132 601	135 381	0.73	0.74	125 595	128 274	0.69	0.70
14	131 407	133 717	0.73	0.73	125 094	126 514	0.69	0.69
15	129 117	132 136	0.71	0.72	122 320	125 941	0.68	0.69
16	129 031	130 387	0.71	0.71	122 181	123 624	0.68	0.68
17	129 332	130 111	0.72	0.71	122 710	123 308	0.68	0.67
18	130 386	130 606	0.72	0.71	124 255	124 135	0.69	0.68
19	133 011	132 105	0.74	0.72	126 897	126 766	0.70	0.69
20-24	725 107	708 906	4.01	3.87	704 414	687 960	3.90	3.76
25-29	691 428	710 454	3.83	3.88	687 335	707 561	3.80	3.86
30-34	730 523	720 725	4.04	3.94	731 083	723 796	4.05	3.95
35-39	710 843	726 660	3.93	3.97	712 394	729 327	3.94	3.98
40-44	665 597	676 137	3.68	3.69	667 664	678 946	3.69	3.71
45-49	635 263	654 234	3.52	3.57	616 566	639 704	3.41	3.49
50-54	496 254	517 520	2.75	2.83	475 987	497 412	2.63	2.72
55-59	406 724	419 859	2.25	2.29	395 514	407 540	2.19	2.23
60-64	353 505	353 827	1.96	1.93	356 786	356 656	1.97	1.95
65-69	335 187	337 445	1.85	1.84	354 188	354 740	1.96	1.94
70-74	270 031	276 105	1.49	1.51	322 964	327 017	1.79	1.79
75-79	169 506	179 593	0.94	0.98	233 400	243 799	1.29	1.33
80-84	102 606	105 855	0.57	0.58	172 430	176 603	0.95	0.96
85 and over	56 769	60 301	0.31	0.33	134 332	141 598	0.74	0.77
All ages	8 993 604	9 108 055	49.77	49.74	9 078 154	9 202 659	50.23	50.26

Source: Australian Demographic Statistics, December Quarter 1996 (Cat. no. 3101.0).

TECHNICAL NOTES

FOODSTUFFS

What is apparent consumption?

1 In this context 'consumption' is not 'intake'. Apparent consumption is a measure of the food supply available for human consumption after allowing for all other uses and losses.

Derivation of apparent consumption

2 In general, apparent consumption of the various foodstuffs is estimated from the apparent consumption equation.

Commercial production
 + Estimated home production
 + Imports
 + Opening stocks
 MINUS
 Exports
 + Usage for process food
 + Non-food use
 + Wastage
 + Closing stocks

3 *Per capita apparent consumption* is total apparent consumption divided by the mean population for the period.

Population data

4 Population data are derived from those published in *Australian Demographic Statistics* (Cat. no. 3101.0). Figures are revised as more recent data becomes available.

5 The following mean population figures (for the year ending 30 June) are used in this issue:

Average 3 years ended		Individual years	
no.		no.	
1938-39	6 870 261	1990-91	17 176 910
1948-49	7 651 558	1991-92	17 393 341
1958-59	9 741 073	1992-93	17 583 167
1968-69	11 919 046	1993-94	17 759 907
1978-79	14 275 870	1994-95	17 953 622
1988-89	16 408 095	1995-96	18 191 265

Components of the apparent consumption equation (as described in tables 3 and 4)

6 A brief summary is given here. For more detail on any of the components, refer to relevant related publications (see page 32).

7 *Net change in stocks*. Statistics of stocks are for factory stocks and stocks held by marketing authorities. With minor exceptions, no details are available for wholesalers', retailers' or household stocks. This only becomes relevant for non-perishable foods with long shelf lives such as canned food or where there is significant cold storage such as for meat, apples and pears.

Components of the apparent consumption equation (as described in tables 3 and 4) *continued*

8 Commercial production. This is given over the financial year for most foodstuffs. Where there is a marked seasonal pattern, the data refer to the crop year. This applies to citrus fruit for which the crop year is the year ending 31 March.

9 Estimated home production. The data are derived from the 1992 Home Production Survey.

10 Estimates of home production are included for poultry and eggs, fresh fish and seafood, fresh fruit (except pineapple), jam fruit, some home processed fruit, fresh vegetables, tree nuts, and beer and wine. For other foods, home production is taken to be nil.

11 Imports/exports. Data are reported for most, but not all foodstuffs.

12 Non-food use, waste, etc. Non-food use indicates food removed from the human food supply, for example, pet food. Wastage does not take into account losses at the retail and household level. Data are given only for meat offals, oranges and fresh vegetables.

13 Use for processed food. For some items in the table, data are given for the amount of the total supply used for processed food. These are already included in the total fresh fruit equivalent supply figures, consequently, where processed food data are given, the subtotals in table 3 cannot be added to derive the totals.

Commodity groups

14 Meat and meat products. Meat data are presented as carcass weight equivalent, i.e. as from the abattoir ('bone-in'). It is not practical to define a 'retail weight of meat' because cutting practices and carcasses are variable.

15 The weight shown for bacon and ham (cured carcass weight) is already included as the carcass equivalent weight in the pigmeat and commodity group totals.

16 The current methodology for calculating meat data provided in the Apparent Consumption series was introduced in 1983-84. Data were re-calculated back to 1975-76. Thus the average for the three years ending 1978-79, and annual data from 1978-79 published in the 1983-84 and subsequent issues of the series, are directly comparable.

17 Poultry. Poultry data are presented as dressed weight, i.e. as sold by retailers, as this is a standard practice.

18 Fish and seafood. Fresh and frozen seafood are presented as edible weight. Processed product is presented as product weight which is in effect 'edible weight'. Fresh and frozen production includes a significant estimate for 'home production' (i.e. recreational and non-commercial fishing), based on the 1992 Home Production Survey. More information is available from the relevant related publication (see page 32).

19 Dairy products. Data are presented for fluid whole milk by volume, and for milk products by product weight. The commodity group total is presented as total milk solids (fat and non-fat), derived from market milk and process products. Note that butter is counted in the 'fats and oils' group and not in the dairy group.

20 Fruit. Data are presented as total fresh fruit equivalent. Product weight is also given for processed products, including jam and dried fruit, but the fresh equivalent of these products is included in the commodity group total.

Commodity groups *continued*

21 Vegetables. Data are presented as total fresh weight including the fresh equivalent weight of processed products.

22 Grain products. Flour (including flour for breadmaking), oatmeal and rolled oats, ready-to-eat breakfast cereals, and rice data are presented as product weight. Extra data for bread are also reported, although not available every year.

23 Eggs. These are reported as the number of eggs. Data from 1988–89 onwards include estimates for home production based on the 1992 Home Production Survey.

24 Data from 1982–83 to 1986–87 report commercial disposals only. Data before 1982–83 include estimates of non-commercial production.

25 Nuts. Data are presented as total weight in shell. For peanuts, the apparent consumption data excludes peanuts used for processing, the amount processed is shown in tables 3 and 4. For tree nuts, data are directly comparable back to 1987–88 and include estimates for home production based on the 1992 Home Production Survey. Earlier data are for commercial production only.

26 Oils and fats. Butter and margarine data are presented as product weight. The group total which is expressed as fat includes an annual per capita allowance of 10 kg to represent the edible oil supply.

27 The allowance for edible oils was increased from 2 kg to 10 kg for 1980–81 data. Data were re-calculated back to 1975–76. Thus annual data from 1975–76 published in the 1980–81 and subsequent issues of the series are directly comparable.

28 Data published before the 1980–81 issue include an annual per capita allowance of 2 kg.

29 Fat associated with carcass meat is included in the meat commodity group.

30 Sugar. Sugar cane products and honey are represented as product weight. The group total includes the sugar content of syrups and glucose.

31 Beverages. Apart from tea and coffee, beverages are reported by volume. Low-alcohol beer (1.15% to less than 3.8% volume per volume (v/v) ethanol) and standard beer ($\geq 3.8\%$ v/v ethanol) have been differentiated since the 1984–85 issue.

32 Alcohol content (ethanol). The use of excise data as the source for the alcoholic content of beer was introduced in 1989–90. Data for prior years were not re-calculated, so that only data for 1989–90 and subsequent years are directly comparable. From 1984–85 to 1988–89, this distinction was made using a concentration of 2.4% v/v for low-alcohol beer and 4.8% for standard beer. Before 1984–85, alcohol from beer was calculated using a concentration of 4.8% v/v.

TECHNICAL NOTES *continued*

Commodity groups *continued*

33 Alcohol intake from wine is derived from domestic sales of wine using the following concentrations:

	%
Dessert wine	17.9
Sherry	17.7
Sparkling and carbonated	10.6
Table wine	10.8
Other wine n.e.i.	14.4

These data are directly comparable over the entire Apparent Consumption series. Spirit data are based on excise data and likewise, are directly comparable over the entire Apparent Consumption series.

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